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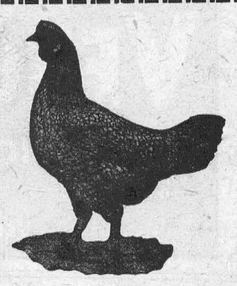

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

A farmer living a few miles from Prescott, hung himself in his barn, and was found dead by neighbours. Perhaps he had a radio and had to listen to the broad casting from the Prescott station.

At a banquet tendered Premier Ferguson at Spencerville on Monday night, to celebrate the opening of the cement road between Spencerville and Prescott, the Premier is reported to have said that the Ottawa-Prescott highway would be completed next year, without a detour He also said that the tax on gasoline would be raised to 5 cents.

Died at Calgary

Word has been received by his brother, Mr. Ernest Christie of the death at Calgary of his brother James. No particulars has yet been received.

Cap Lost

The Cap of a Buick Car radiator was lost in Winchester about a week ago. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving same at the Press Office. The Cap was in the shape of the head of an Indian.

Many In Town

There appeared an unusual number of cars in Winchester on Saturday night last. In fact a parking place was hard to find on either Main or St. Lawrence St., and the stores were well patronized. Of course the movie in Lannins Hall attracted not a few.

Old Resident Passes

At her home on Cameron Avenue, Jane Jones, relict of the late Andrew Kennedy passed peacefully away in her 88th year. An obituary will be published in the next issue of the Press. The funeral takes place Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late residence. Interment at Browns Cemetery.

Naming A Hotel

That Indian name "Manitonnia" for the Brockville Hotel may sound well to some, and traditionally may be appropriate. But for an up-to-date hotel in a live town like Brockville, it is not appropriate. It sounds too much like some summer resort up in Muskoka. "St. Lawrence Hotel" at Brockville long had a good reputation, and would not be a bad name for the new hotel. If Brockville's enterprising hat manufacturers had not appropriated 'The Brock' for his fedora hat the new hotel would not lack for a good name.

Selling to Minors

Last week the Press published an item taken from the Acton Free Press, referring to the depravity of a number of boys and girls in that district who stole over $120 from an old man and spent it in candies and cigarettes. The item continued to say that the parties who sold the cigarettes to the children would be prosecuted. Such has been the case as noted by the same paper in the following paragraph:

Others had made the sales, but both the dealers realized that they were responsible for all sales being made in their premises. They were fined $5.00 and costs on each charge. The magistrate pointed out that the Minors Protection Act renders it unawful to sell cigarettes to any child under eighteen years of age. This applies also to the sale of tobacco and cigars. If children are sent to stores for tobacco, cigars or cigarettes by their parents a written order must be sent with them on every occasion they are sent. Furthermore, the magistrate stated, no tobacco, cigars nor cigarettes may legally be sold by any person on Sunday. Dealers violating the law in respect to these matters are liable to penalties up to $50.00 for the first offence.

Accident Near Williamsburg

The Morrisburg Leader says: About half past four on Highway No. 31, about three miles south of Williamsburg, Clinton Beckstead, young son of Allan Beckstead, was the innocent cause of a serious headon collision when two cars were badly smashed and four people more or less injured. Grant Casselman, with his wife and child in a Pontiac, were going south, as young Beckstead appeared on a bicycle directly in his path as a Star sedan was coming from the opposite direction driven by Mr. A. C. Smith, of 130 First Ave., Ottawa, along with whom were his wife and two children. Casselman swung to the left to save the boy and the two cars met. Both front ends were smashed as well as the steering gear of Casselman's car and the wind shields of both cars. The two Smith children were cut about the face when thrown against the seat in front of them and Mrs. Smith was cut by flying glass. Mrs. Casselman and her little boy suffered from shock and broken glass while Mr. Casselman received a heavy blow when the steering column was broken. All are reported to be progressing satisfactorily.

Obituary

On Sunday morning, Oct. 21st, 1928, there passed peacefully away at Cornwall General Hospital, Mrs. Margaret E. Crowder, wife of the late Elijah V. Clark, of Vancamp.

The deceased was in good health until about six weeks ago, when she underwent a serious operation, and gradually grew weaker bearing her sufferings with patience and fortitude until the unexpected end on Sunday, which cast a gloom over the settlement. Mrs. Clark's home life was marked by her an intense love, and unfaltering devotions. She loved the beautiful in thought, word and deed, and her gracious spirit and unselfish nature, endeared her to a wide circle of friends who sincerely regret her passing. She was a member of the Ladies' Aid and Women's Missionary Society.

She leaves to mourn her loss ten children, her husband having predeceased her May 6, 1926, Wm J. Clark, of Windsor, Mrs. Jas. Patterson, Winchester, Geo. F. Clark, Chicago, Mrs. Orren Durant, of Ogdensburg, Mrs. Adren Bell, Mountain, Mrs. Thos. Steele of Bellamys, Mrs L. F Stetson, of Chicago, Harold C., of South Mountain, and Donald and David at home. She is also mourned by one sister and five brothers.

The funeral service was preached in the Vancamp United Church, by Rev. Mr. Brown, assisted by Rev. J. A. Waddell, of Winchester, who took for their text Psalm 46: 1, and spoke very impressively to a large congregation who had assembled to pay their last respect to the departed.

After the service the flower laden casket was borne to the Union Cemetery at South Mountain and the remains laid to rest in the family plot.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Just arrived, an assortment of Metalic Hats from $3.95 to $5.00. Miss M. Brown

The store of W. S. Ralph at North Augusta, was entered on Friday night, as a result of which clothing, watches and other goods and cash amounting in all to $150 are missing. Entrance was made by a rear window. The mill office was also broken into. There the thieves got little beyong a bag of flour. In this case entrance was effected through a front window and the breaking of the office door inside.

A number of W. M. S. ladies of the United Church went to Winchester Springs last Thursday afternoon to hear Miss Mitchel, a field Sec'y who gave a wonderfully interesting talk on mission work in foreign lands and particularly in our own land. The Springs ladies entertained the visitors to a good supper. Special music was given by Mrs. P. Durant of Winchester, also by Misses Gladys Armstrong and Alice Beckstead of Elma.

The Girl's Conference to be held at Kemptville, which was at first announced for Oct. 23, 24 and 25, will be held on November 7, 8 and 9. These dates will not clash with Women's Institute Convention in Eastern Ontario and will also make it possible for the Junior Farmers of Eastern Ontario to meet at Kemptville at the same time. There will be a dinner on the evening of the 8th attended by both Junior Farmers and girls who take advantage of the Conference. The three day program will be full of interest and value for those who may take advantage of same.

To receive the newly elected District Deputy Grand Master for St. Lawrence District. Rt. Wor. H. B Fetterly, M. A. will be tendered a banquet by his home lodge in Lannins Hall, to morrow evening and it is expected to be a most enjoyable affair. Masons with their wives and lady friends will be present and there will be guests from Ottawa, Cornwall, Morrisburg and many surrounding towns, Entertainers are coming from Ottawa. The banquet is expected to start at 9 o'clock, and there will be a Ladies Reception Committee at the hall to receive those who do not go to the lodge room.

The power house of the Rideau Power Company at Merrickville, was completely destroyed by fire at midnight, Saturday night, entailing a loss of $80 000 and tieing up the largest industries of the town. The blaze cut off the power and light facilities at Smith Falls, Kemptville, and Merrickville, but the former places were soon supplied by Hydro service. The local lines cannot be switched to Hydro, however, and the industrial works here will be closed for two days until the damage is repaired. A defective lightning arrester is believed to have caused the fire.

Case Dismissed

Case of Droppo vs Trustees of Natin Valley School re child hurt, has been reversed by Judge O'Reilly on rehearing and case against school dismissed today.

My Best Girl

Every young man has his best girl, but if you want to see something worth while, see the famed Mary Pickford in "My Best Girl" at Lannins Hall on Saturday night. The most noted and most beautiful movie actress in the world will be shown in the film, and if you want to see a picture clean, beautiful and delightfully entertaining, see the one in Lannins Hall, Saturday night Usual prices.

Scalded to Death.

Residents of Spencerville and district were shocked to learn of the death at Magog, Que., of an esteemed resident of Spencerville in the person of Mrs. Williard Whitley, who passed away as a result of terrible burns received on Saturday, particulars of which are as yet meagre. It appears that Mrs Whitley was at Magog visiting a sister. She had been a sufferer from acute indigestion for some time and it is believed she fainted and fell into a tub of boiling water, receiving burns from which she did not recover. Her husband, a well known resident of Spencerville, was notified of the unfortunate accident and left on Saturday for Magog where she passed away.

A Challenge To Youth

About 75 bright and enthusiastic Young People met in the United Church on Monday evening for the Young People's Rally.

The theme of the program was "On Active Service" and the hymns, prayers and scripture message were all in keeping with the theme. The principle address was given by Mrs. W. J. Cass. "The Challenge to youth." In opening her address she stated alcoholism had been the enemy of civilization from earliest times, citing the legal action taken in China, Sporta, Persia and India to combat the gigantic evil Special reference was made by the speaker to the present situation in Canada, who said that "no nation can subject itself to the ruthlessness of the drink trade and still be in the van of industrial progress,"

The youth of the land are the hope of the liquor trade, but with the youth of the land lies the hope of the permanent suppression of the traffic. Mrs. Cass then presented the challenge to the young people present and suggested helpmethods by which to advance the cause.

In a brief but forceful reply, Miss Frances Eagleson accepted the challenge on behalf of the young people. She said "There should be no difficulty or hesitation on our part as young people in taking a definite stand against the drink traffic in all forms. The great country to which we belong is our inheritance. In a few years we will be coming into our inheritance, and we want it to be as clean and pure and free from the blighting influence of the evil as it is possible to make it. Therefore we accept the challenge, to make this great inheritance all that it should be, by being total abstainers ourselves and by using our influences to make others abstainers. In a few words Rev. J. A. Waddell then introduced pledge cards which contained the following declaration of purpose.

"That I may serve God and humanity, with all my powers, I declare my purpose to abstain from all alcoholic liquors as a beverage, and to serve by winning others to abstain."

During the service a group of young men sang 'The Fight is on, O Christian Soldier."

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered Miss Cass and Miss Eagleson for their splendid messages. Dr. Meredith the President of the Society, presided.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

At the parsonage, Elma, on Tuesday, Oct. 23rd. Mr. George Carter and Mrs. Eliza J. Bell were united in the bonds of matrimony by the Rev. John Hurst.

The Halloween Social is to be held in the Orange Hall, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid of the United Church, Winchester Springs, Wednesday evening, Oct. 31st. Pies, sandwiches and cake. A good program is being prepared. Admission 25cts. Come and bring your friends.

A Halloween Tea and Food Sale under the auspices of the Mizpah Mission Circle will be held in Flora's Ice Cream Parlor on Saturday afternoon, October 27th.

Miss Nina Steinburg of S. S. No 20 has again been successful in winning the certificate of honors which is presented by the Department of Agriculture to the pupil winning the greatest number of points at Maple Ridge School Fair. This is Nina's third year for winning the certificate of honor and two years now she has won the silver trophy presented by the T. Eaton Co. Nina is just twelve years old and takes a great interest in the School Fair.

St. Paul's Women's Missionary Society held their annual Thank Offering Meeting Sunday morning, Oct. 21, Mrs. C. H. Thorburn of Ottawa gave an excellent address on the Women's Work which she said was, 1. Evangelizing, 2. Hospitals. 3. Education. Their motto "Win the World for Christ" was adopted in 1864, three years before Confederation. The Presbyterian Church had added 10,000 families and 18 000 communicants during the last two years. It was the object of the Women's Society to enroll every woman in the church in Missionary work. Rev. C. G. Graham presided and commended the successful efforts of the women in the congregation. A beautiful pageant was given by the Mission Band trained by Mrs Wesley Patterson and Mrs. Kinkaid and a choir of little girls led by Mrs. A. G. Suffel and the church choir with Miss Clara Irving at the organ. Each gave appropriate anthems. The collections amounted to $200.

Dillabough—Conley

A very quiet wedding was solemnized by the Rev. Dr. Taylor at the Presbyterian Manse, Prescott, on Oct. 18th 1928, when Gladys Marguerite only daughter of Mr. Walter S. Conley, Winchester, was united in marriage to Raymond Meredith, son of Mrs. R. Dillabough and the late Mr. Dillabough of Mountain.

Women's Institute

A small number of Institute workers met yesterday afternoon and discussed several business matters. Some correspondence was read by the Sec'y. No one was found willing to accept the responsibility of Pres. so it was decided to ask all those interested in Institute work to meet next Tuesday night at 7.30 at the home of Mrs. Flora

A Slight Error

The Press has been asked to correct a slight error in the item with reference to the Laymen's Banquet to be held here on Nov. 8th. The Press stated that the banquet was being put on and managed by the Ladies "Aid" of the United Church. We should have said the Ladies of the United Church A committee of gentlemen will also assist in the programme arrangements.

New Offices

At the Annual Meeting of the Dundas County Conservative Association held at Morrisburg yesterday. The following officers were elected:

President—P. S. Boyd, Chesterville.
Vice Pres.—John W. Ault, Winchester.
1st Lady Vice Pres —Mrs. Wm. Shaver. Winchester.
Secy.—R. Thompson, Iroquois,
Treas.—J. J. Payne, Brinston.

In the evening a banquet was held at which Premier Ferguson and Mrs. Ferguson were present.

Mizpah Mission Circle

On Oct. 8th the Mizpah Mission Circle met in the United Church and reorganized for work after the summer holidays. The meeting was opened by the singing of a hymn and prayer. After the roll call, Miss Walker gave a vocal solo which was very much appreciated by all. The minutes were then read, adopted and the following officers were appointed to fill the vacancies: 1st Vice Pres.—Dr. Fetterly. Cor. Sec.—Miss Laura Dukelow, Christian Stewardship Sec.—Miss Mabel Suffel. The programme committees for November and December were appointed. The Misses Evah McQuaig, Jean Stewart and Evelyn Armstrong for November, and Mrs. H. Flora, Mrs H. Keyes and Miss M. Suffel for December. After the reading of the Scripture lesson, Miss Allison gave a splendid address on India, stressing the work which was being done there by the missionaries.

The meeting was closed with prayer and the Mizpah benediction.

Hotel at Finch Destroyed

The Dominion Hotel at Finch is a smoking mass of ruins as a result of fire of unknown cause which broke out at 2.30 Monday morning, forcing the occupants to make hurried exits in their night attire. J. Bertrand foreman of a gang of eight men employed on hydro work in the village, who were all sleeping in the hotel, was badly cut in the leg when he kicked the glass out of the window in his room as the dense smoke was bothering him. He was taken to Cornwall for treatment. Fortunately there was no wind or the village of Finch might have been destroyed. The hydro power line had to be turned off in the interests of safety, and this considerably hampered the work of the amateur firefighters. J. T. Campbell, owner and proprietor of the Dominion Hotel, was in the house with his wife and daughter at the time of the fire. They all made hurried exits. He estimates the damage in the neighborhood of $10 000, partly covered by insurance. T. J. Hamilton, manager of the Bell Telephone Company, and Miss Isabel MacMillan, operator, called help from adjacent municipalities Though the telephone office was in the path of the fire, both remained at their posts. Calls for assistance were sent to Cornwall, Winchester, Chesterville and Avonmore, and in about an hour help arrived from these points. The firefighters succeeded in checking the spread of the blaze from nearby housetops. The walls of the hotel collapsed at 3.45 and the ruins were watched for several hours to prevent any fresh outbreak.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Ogle Workman, of Detroit, Mich., is spending a couple of weeks at his home here.

There was a heavy frost last night and ice found to the thickness of a quarter of an inch.

Mrs. Beckstead of Morrisburg was the week-end guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Battie.

Mr. Harold Keyes accompanied by his wife leaves Monday to hunt in the Laurentian Mountains.

Miss Bessie Carkner, of Ottawa, spent over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Carkner, of Morrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Timmins and daughter Helen spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Preston Timmins, at Oshawa.

Mr. W. M. Short and his brother, M. D. Short, of Buffalo, N. Y., spent Thursday and Friday of last week in Quebec City.

Mrs. John Carkner and little daughter, Betty, of Ottawa, spent Sunday here with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Barrigar.

Mrs. Wm Workman, who has been spending the past two months with her son, Donald, in Rome, N. Y., returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. G. H. Summers has returned home from Toronto where she has been spending sometime with her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Langstaff.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Capp and son Bobbie, of Smith's Falls, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gilroy.

A number of local Masons, including R. W. Bro. H. B. Fetterly, D. D. G. M., attended the Jubilee Masonic banquet at Lancaster on Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Herald Carkner, of Dearborn, Mich., have returned home after spending three weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Carkner and friends of Morrisburg.

Mr. J. T. Elnaugh returned home on Wednesday, after attending the Convention in Hamilton, and reports a very good time. He also spent a short time at his son's home in Preston.

HEAR The Radio Preacher, J. H. Slimon, in the Baptist Church, Winchester, Monday, Nov. 19, to Friday, Nov. 23rd. Stirring Gospel Messages.

Address and Presentation

St. Paul's Young People's Guild was crowded Monday night to listen to a travel talk on The Holy Land, by Mr. Ashdown. Many were present from other Churches, and a goodly number from Winchester Springs.

At the conclusion of the talk Rev. O. Davis made some congratulatory remarks, and Mr. Gordon Johnston read the following address:

Winchester, Oct. 22, 1928

Dear Mr. Ashdown:

We, your many friends of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, wish, at this time, to express to you our sincere appreciation for all you have done for our Church.

Since you have been with us, you have spared neither your energy, time nor means, to help our Church in so many ways, and thus our beloved Presbyterian Church at large.

Particularly in our Sabbath School and Young People's Society, your rare mental genius and understanding of young life, your capability in organization, along with your generous support has been a great incentive and is, we assure you, deeply appreciated by all.

The Church, as you well know, offers two things, the one, the gift of God's love, His Son; the other, The Challenge of each of our lives to live like Him.

May we ask you to accept this, as a very slight token of our Best Good Wishes which will follow you wherever you go.

Signed on behalf of the Guild, Walter Moffat, Gordon Johnston and Alex Davidson.

Mr. Alex Davidson presented Mr. Ashdown with a handsome Club Bag. Mr. Walter Moffat, the president, and Rev. C. G. Graham added words of appreciation. Mr. Ashdown was so thoroughly surprised that he could hardly find words to express his thanks to the Young People for their beautiful present. He was sure that all the work in St. Paul's would prosper in a true missionary spirit.

Auction Sale

FARM STOCK & IMPLEMENTS

Having sold my farm there will be sold by Public Auction on Lot 13, Con 7, Tp. of Mountain, five miles west of Winchester, on

TUESDAY, NOV. 6, 1928

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Three Horses, 2 grays about 1100 each, 1 black driving mare about 1000. 11 Shoats, 6 weighing about 100 lbs each, balance about 50 lbs each. 125 yearling white leghorn hens.

30 tons Hay, about 25 tons Straw, 25 bus. six row seed barley, about 300 bus. mixed grain.

1 International drum hay loader, 1 six ft. F. & W. Binder, 1 six ft. F & W. Mower, 1 ten ft. rake, 1 International 16 disc seeder, 2 sets Randles, 1 set 15 ft. Harrow, 1 one horse Cultivator, 1 steel wheel waggon with rack, 1 double box wagon, 1 general purpose wagon, 1 milk wagon, 1200 lbs cap.; 1 rubber tired buggy, 1 set Sloops, 1 Cutter, 1 Verity Sulky Plow, 1 No. 10 walking Plow, 1 De Laval Cream Separator 1000 lbs capacity, 1 Double Unit Empire milking machine, 1 three horse gasoline engine, 1 pump jack, 1 scraper, 2 sets double and one set single harness, 1 set stacking poles, 1 washing machine, 2 Quebec heater stoves and stove pipes, Forks, Shovels, Ropes, Pulleys, Saws, Chains, Milk Cans, and many other useful articles found about a farm, 1 four burner oil stove, 1 Aladdin Lamp, about 8 bags potatoes, and other articles too numerous to mention.

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Australia Wastes Its Timber Supply

Immense Losses Attributed to Careless and Inefficient Methods of Seasoning

Experts Make Analysis

Kiln Seasoning Declared Successful, Nothwithstand Popular Prejudice Against That Process

Consumption of timber without thought of conservation or replanting is becoming a serious matter in Australia. Sir John Russell, agricultural scientist, recently referred to the wastage of timber that takes place in that country every year. He believes hat of the timber at present consumed, including that destroyed by fire, only one-fiftieth actually is utilized in the service of man. The remaining loss he attributes to spoilage attending careless and inefficient seasoning of timber for industrial purposes.

It has been stated on authority that at the present rate of consumption there are only five years' supplies of Queensland maple in existence. These woods take upward of 100 years to mature.

A report, "The Seasoning of Timber" on the work carried out in the last four years in the Munitions Supply Laboratories at Maribyrnong, Victoria, by J. T. McCormick and R. E. Summers, on the problem of more effective seasoning, contains these statements:

"Wood fiber, on drying, shrinks proportionately to the water lost, and, therefore, the outside of a piece of wood which is being dried will shrink more than the inside, and a stress will be created which, if it exceeds the tensile strength of the wood, will cause a crack or check. In seasoning, the outer layers of the wood must be prevented from drying so fast that the difference in moisture conen beween the inner and the outer layers exceeds the safe limit. This is accomplished by maintaining, during the early stages of drying, a high relative humidity in the air surrounding the timber.

"Thus the main problem in seasoning timber is not so much the evaporation of water from the surface as the removal of water from the inner layers without injuring the timber. If these stresses in the wood are not relieved by suitable treatment, continued severe drying conditions may increase the stresses until they exceed the tensile strength of the wood, when internal checking or 'honeycombing' results; this condition must be avoided, as it cannot be corrected by subsequent treatment.

"By raising the temperature of the wood and maintaining a suitable humidity in the air, the rate of transfusion of water from the middle to the outside of the wood can be increased without the formation of a dangerously steep moisture gradient; this process is known as kiln seasoning. In Australia, owing to the high temperatures and excessively low relative humidities experienced under normal conditions, large-size hardwood stock cannot be air-seasoned without serious checking and case-hardening; therefore, if sound timber is required, the humidity of the air in contact with the timber must be raised. In air seasoning, this may be brought about by restricting the circulation of air through the timber stack, but where times is an imporant factor kiln seasoning is the only alternative.

"The prejudice created against kiln-seasoned timber by early efforts still exists, and this accounts for the statement of the average 'practical man' that kiln-drying 'takes the nature out of the wood.' The product of some badly operated kilns of the present day also justifies such a remark. Extensive tests on air-seasoned and on kiln-seasoned timber have proved that kiln seasoning, if properly controlled, does not reduce the strength of the timber. Relative humidity is the most important factor to be conrolled.

"The moisture content of the timber is reduced more rapidly by kiln seasoning than by air seasoning. If timber is properly kiln-seasoned. If timber is properly kiln-seasoned there is less deterioration due to strain, decay, borer attack, checking, warping, case-hardening and honeycombing during drying than usually occurs in air seasoning.

"Australian hardwoods can be seasoned successfully in an intermittently heated kiln, i.e., in a kiln heated during the day and cooled at night In the kiln-seasoning of timber in large billets a saving of power, steam and labor can be thus effected. In an intermittently heated kiln the humidity maintained during the heating period depends on the rate at which the temperature of the charge rises; it is important, therefore, that the charge should be of uniform size."

Advice to Husbands

A citizen who has been baching it for a week, has framed a code for guidance of housekeeping husbands, which reads as follows:

A bath towel is excellent for drying dishes.

Sugar is not in the salt box.

To remove scratches from hardwood floors, cover with rugs.

A hat not found during the first five minutes' search is stolen.

No matter how careful you are with flowers, they live only a few days.

When you don't know what else to do about the cooking, put in a couple of eggs and stir well.

An alarm clock thrown into the other room may be recovered more quickly than one tossed out of the window.

A pint of bootleg will unplug the sink.

If your neighbor asks where your wife is give her the wrong address.



CONTAINED NC CHICKS

Unobservant Customer: I suppose you guarantee there's no chickens in these eggs?

Dealer: I certainly do, sir—they were laid by a duck.

"Money talks." "Must choose its own time then. Otherwise a bank would be noisier than a boiler factory."



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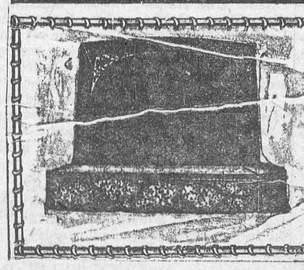
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Superstition

While Witches Are Gone and Education is General Old Adages and old Laws Die Hard

GAMBLER CRANKS

We are the heirs of all the ages recalls swald Barron, English authority on folk-lore, introducing a series of articles on superstition in modern life in the London Daily Mail (Continental edition). What ye learned yesterday, he says, is the truth as far as we understand what the new science has been telling. But it goes into our pack with odd things we picked up ages ago, before we could read and write or trim our nails. He goes on:

"What a rag-bag we carry! Here we are, not quite sure of everything that the professors say, not wholly disbelieving what we were told by the witch-doctor at the beginning of the Stone Age.

"They say that our new-born babies will cling to a finger or to an umbrella handle and hang from it as the young ape will hang to the bough. This is so, for I have seen a baby do it. A professor of higher mathematics, who looked like the modernist of professors, told me that if you wore an iron ring hidden in your golden ring it would keep off the rheumatism. Some forefather of his must have learned as much so soon as we came to work in iron and make magical toys out of that wonderful metal.

"Iron is still magical. One must be careful in handling it, careful to make no gifts of knives. When a penknife changes hands we take a threepenny bit for it, cloaking the gift as though it were a sale.

"Your door, is it charmed with the holy iron against death, against malice of witchcraft? My front door is safe; so soon as we moved into our house I nailed up the old horseshoe which an omnibus horse had cast at my feet. Even so have householders nailed up the shoe ever since they had the holy iron; it kept them safe from the charms of the wild folks in the caves on the other side of the hill, who had no iron, who were still chipping flint. A powerful thing is the horseshoe of iron, the shoe of the horse, which is a sacred beast.

"Gold, also, that is a mighty thing. It was but last week, when I had a stye on the eyelid, a young woman of the newest fashion besaught me to strike the stye with a golden wedding ring. I thanked her, but I had done that the first thing in the morning. Now the stye is gone; how handily this old magic comes in!

"Doubtless we believe the words written in wise books by the professors; we must believe them, and reverently. But that is with one side of our heads; the other side goes on recalling what our ancestors said in the old time as they sat with their feet to the fire. As I write this, I shudder to think of that man who, at dinner in my own house, tried again and again to send the decanter round from left to right, widdershins, the way that is against the sun. A man like that would have brought down a curse on the house.

"So we live, half by the new rules that comes down to us out of the darkness of the darkest age. We are yet playing with charms, considering dreams and signs, toying with scraps of old magic.

"If you doubt this, think of what happened at Weymouth on the day when, as a foolish prophet had told Weymouth, it should be whelmed by a wave of the sea. There were many who heeded the prophet: nobody, I think, put questions to men of science. At Weymouth men waited with their eyes upon the clock for the terrible moment; they giggled, but they watched the clock."

But of all the superstitious people who see omens, portents, and strange warning signs none is quite so rationalistic in his folly as the gambler, writes Edgar Wallace, English novelist and playwright. He is think, ing, he says, more particularly of professional gamblers, and not of the dilettanti who invest their louis on the black or red. He goes on:

"It is the amateur, the veriest dabbler in chance, who carries rabbits' feet, eschews green, and regards the passing of a funeral on his way to a race-course as a very bad sign if he passes it coming toward him and a very good sign if he passes it from behind.

"There is one superstition which persists, and that is to back the first racehorse you see or the horse of the first owner you meet on your way to a race-course. It is an inexplicable but nevertheless a peculiar fact that this tip very often comes off.

"The left hand plays an important part in the superstitions of the gambler. I know men who swear they can never win at cards if the dealer is left-handed. There are players who, to change their luck, will get out and walk three times round the chair in which they have been sitting, but it is always right-handed—that is to say, clockwise.

"Monte Carlo in the season is a welter of superstition. There is a Frenchman who goes there every year to play a system. Across his ample waistcoat is a large gold chain from every link of which depends a charm; tigers' claws, kewpies and heaven knows what other mysterious gadgets repose in every pocket, and every finger of his hands is covered with charm rings. Nor is he unique If you stroll round the tables you will see at every one people who have before them some potent magic to charm luck their way.

"I know two or three men who bet very largely who would not dream of gambling in the accepted sense if they had started the day badly with an unpleasant letter by the morning's post or some unpleasant happening in their domestic circle. They know that they have been thrown off their balance and that reason is unseated, and since the mind is a very delicate adjusted piece of mechaism, and the mind includes such imponderable qualities as telepathy—which plays a greater part in professional gambling than most people realize—they play light.

"I once saw one of the boldest betters at baccarat pass a bank when the luck was going with him. I asked him afterwards why he had taken so unusual a course.

"'I knew I should lose that coup,' he said. 'It came to me—when I get that queer warning, I take no risks.'

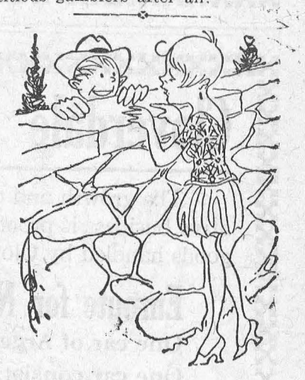
"He told me it was the commonest experience with him to be 'told,' and he is not unique in this respect; scores of other men have natural powers of 'reception.'

"And yet the non-superstitious pros have their own peculiar superstitions. I was on my way to Doncaster once with a man who bets in thousands. We were hardly out of King's Cross before he put his hand in his waistcoat pocket and took out a golden sovereign—this was after the war—and threw it through the open window.

"'What's the idea?' I asked.

"'My brother gave me this for luck. A new mascot always brings bad luck.'

"Perhaps there are no non-superstitious gamblers after all!"



He: You should see our family tree
She: Bet it was a slippery elm.

Cutting out the Prattle.—"If no one talked of what he does not understand," said Hi Ho, the sage of China town, "the silence would become unbearable."

"Mary refused to marry you, then. Didn't you tell her about your rich uncle?" "I did." "Didn't that make any difference?" "Oh, yes, Mary's my aunt now."

Bozo—Two years ago I could have bought that valuable piece of property for a song. Bimbo—And you couldn't sing, eh? Bozo—Oh, I could sing, but I couldn't get the right notes.

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Lord Melchett Traces British Trade Policies

Defends Business Mergers as Effective Adjuncts to Economical System

Great Britain is following the example of American industry in amalgamation of companies in the same general line in order to curb unregulated production and uneconomic management, Lord Melchett (Sir Alfred Mond), one of the outstanding figures in the British industrial world, told members of the Boston Chamber of Commerce in an address.

Britain is not out for economic war, he said, in referring to the chemical combine of four great companies known as the British Imperial Chemical Industries, Ltd., of which he is chairman, and which, he said, cause world-wide comment at the time. He pointed out that the United States Steel Company produces more steel than the total production of England, France, Germany and Belgium combined.

Mass production is an American invention, he said, possible in the United States because of the magnitude of its population, great consuming capacity and prosperity. "Your prosperity is largely due to free trade, but you Americans don't know it," he said, pointing to unity of the states from coast to coast, with no tariff barriers, one language and one currency.

Trend Toward Diversity

"English production is necessarily on a smaller scale, and the aim is for quality rather than quantity," he said. The United States makes goods for millions, he stated. Lord Melchett said that the trend to-day is toward new and diversied industries. He pointed to the New England textile depression as a parallel of what is going on in England.

The capacity of the mills is too great; unemployment is considerable and profits are too lean. This is leading toward a rationalization of industry so that there bay be a proper regulation of output to closer meet demand." Unregulated competition, he went on, leads to ruinous price cutting then production is at the expense of plant; capital fails to come forth to remedy the situation and industries go down.

Industry is migrating, following natural sources, he continued, and in Great Britain, the great industrial north of England is working to the south, which once was not industrial, but is now becoming highly industrialized. The coal industry is going through a transformation, with east coast of England fields producing coal $1 per ton less than the older mines on the west coast. Amalgamation and combination in the coal fields to regulate production to consumption was recommended by Lord Melchett.

More modern ideas in business organization and industry was advocated by the speaker. In England more trust is being reposed in young men than ever before. Three factors in modern industry, he said, are workmen, capitalists, and management. All are interdependent upon the other and Lord Melchett visualized a trinity of the three "that must be recognized,"—not antagonism but a copartnership.

Explains "Episode of 1776"

Greeted at the luncheon by Gov. Alvan T. Fuller of Massachusetts and Frank S. Deland, Boston corporation counsel, Lord Melchett was reminded by Governor Fuller of the amity of many years' standing between England and the United States, and the "ties that bind," which "make the world safer for democracy," than the attention once paid to colonial historical events.

Lord Melchett responded with an interpretation of the "disastrous episode of 1776," He described the Revolutionary War as one resulting from "Englishmen in America, failing to agree with a German king in England," and continued that there was no doubt that if there had been a British sovereign in power to hear the complaints of his countrymen in America, the conflict would never have taken place. The years have healed the breach between the nations, he said, and now the feeling in England is one of apology and regret when notice is taken of this country's contribution on the fields of France in the World War.

English Police Inquiry Begins

Powers, Duties and Practices of Force to Be Investigated by Commission

London.—The public proceedings of the Royal Commission on Police Powers and Procedure, which opened at Westminster, begins an inquiry which is exected to extend over a year. It is an outgrowth of alleged third degree methods employed by Scotland Yard in connection with the now famous Money-Savidge case.

The commission has been appointed to consider the general powers and duties of the police of England and Wales in the investigation of crimes and offences, and the functions of the director of public prosecution; to inquire into the practice followed in interrogating or taking statements from persons interviewed in the course of an investigation of a crime; to report whether such powers and duties and are properly exercised and discharged, and to make any recommendations necessary.

Lord Lee of Fareham is chairman, and the other members are Lord Ebbisham, formerly Sir Rowland Blades, Sir Howard Frank, Dame Meriel Talbot, Sir Reginald Lane Poole, F. T. Brownlie, Miss Margaret Beavan, Lord Mayor of Liverpool, and Frank Pick.

It is expected that among the early witnesses will be Sir William Horwood, Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police, and Sir Wyndham Childs, assistant commissioner, both of whom are retiring next month.

Farm Notes

GOOSE RAISING

The autumn s regarded as the proper season to select geese for the establishment of a breeding flock. In a circular on goose raising issued by the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, the author, Mr. A. G. Taylor, recommends securing well developed birds from good flocks before the fattening period commences in the fall. Stock from this year's hatchings are not likely to do as well as birds a year older. The sexes should be housed together even before New Year's and should be kept so throughout the winter and the breeding season in the spring. Close housing is not required. Such shelter as a rough shed is sufficient provided it is supplied with dry bedding and protection from draughts and storm. Circular No. 55, published by the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, gives as a good winter ration for geese equal parts of barley and wheat and about 25 per cent. of green feed, such as clover or alfalfa hay. Cabbage, mangels or turnips, finely cut up, makes an excellent green food ration. The circular gives explicit information on feeding during the laying season, the methods to be followed in rearing the goslings, and marketing the stock.

PREPARING GEESE FOR MARKETING

Active trade in geese does not begin until the arrival of cold weather. The fattening of the market stock should begin as soon as the weather turns cold. Circular No. 55 of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa on Goose Raising, recommends taking the geese in from pasture on the arrival of cold weather and separating out the breeders. The market stock should be fattened in small enclosures by heavy feeding. Whole corn is recommended as an excellent diet with a plentiful supply of water to drink. About two weeks' feeding with this class of food are stated to be sufficient to prepare the birds for market. While geese are sometimes marketed alive, the usual method is to send them forward in dressed condition. They should be kept without food, but given an abundance of water for twenty-four hours before killing. The usual method is to bleed the birds in the mouth and pluck dry. While goose feathers are particularly valuable, often bringing as much as sixty cents per pound. The carcasses when dressed should be rubbed over with a damp cloth and set aside to cool. They are then ready to be packed in boxes of twelve or less for the market.

ILLUSTRATION STATIONS AS SEED CENTRES

Large quantities of seed stock of grain, potatoes, grass and clover seed are distributed from the illustration stations operated under the direction of the Experimental Farms. The quantities sold locally by the stations amounted to 30,942 bushels of seed grain, 11,892 bushels of seed potatoes, and 22,080 pounds of grass and clover seed. The varieties used are those found to do best on the Experimental Farms. The seed is multiplied at the illustration stations and offered for sale in the district, and in this way bring the improved varieties and methods of growing into general use. The Chief Supervisor of these stations in his report for last year published by the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, says that these stations are increasing year by year in their efficiency as seed growers and distributors, due to the care and efforts of the farmers with whom they are cooperating in carrying out this work.

SKIM MILK SUBSTITUTE FOR HOGS

Hog raisers who cannot obtain skim milk for their stock can find a satisfactory substitute in tankage which is a product of the abattoir. At the Lennoxville, Quebec, Experimental Station four lots of hogs were fed to ascertain the value of tankage as compared with skim milk. With two lots skim milk and tankage were compared with pigs from weaning to finishing for the market. The other two lots were fed skim milk to four and five months, and then finished on tankage. The cost of the feed did not vary greatly per pound of gain throughout the whole series, amounting from 6.93 cents per pound for the lot, getting skim milk throughout the test, up to a little over 7 cents for the lot getting tankage throughout. This test is reviewed in the report of the Superintendent of the station for last year, in which he says that the lot which had meal and skim milk from weaning to finishing made the largest and cheapest gains. Those fed for five months on skim milk and finished on tankage came second, the pen getting skim milk for four months and tankage for the balance of their lives, came third, while the lot fed tankage from weaning to finishing were slightly below both in gains and in profit. This test shows that tankage is a very suitable substitute for skim milk when the latter feed is not available. The tankage used is designated "Special 45 per cent. protein hog tankage." The meal mixture for the four lots for the first two months consisted of 2 parts oats, 1 part middlings and 1 part shorts; for the second two months, 2 parts oats, 1 part middlings, 1 part shorts, and 1 part corn; and for the last six weeks, oats and corn constituted two parts each with one part each of middlings and shorts.

POTATOES IN THE POULTRY RATION

In the feeding of poultry for market cornmeal is always regarded as having an important place in a mixed ration. Feeding tests at the Experimental Farm at Ottawa have proved that where cornmeal is not readily available cull potatoes can be used very satisfactorily in its place. The test is reviewed in the 1927 report of the Poultry Division, published by the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa. Two lots of capons, consisting in each case of fifteen White Leghorns and fifteen Barred Rocks, were fattened in small pens for a period of two weeks. The mash was made up of equal parts bran middlings, oat flour, cornmeal and one-half part of meat meal. This was the ration fed to one of the lots while the mash fed to the other lot contained approximately one-fifth by weight of cull potatoes and no cornmeal. That is to say, the cornmeal of the mash in the one case was replaced in the other by an equal weight of potatoes. The potatoes were thoroughly cooked, mashed and mixed with the other feed. The mixture in each case was fed moistened with milk in the usual way. The value of the mashes used was 2.6 cents per pound with cornmeal and 2.2. cents per pound with the potatoes. The same amount of feed was consumed by each of the two lots. The gains made were much the same in either case and the cost of feed varied very slightly. At the conclusion of the feeding experiment the birds were killed and dressed. The potato-fed birds are reported to have made the most attractive dressed fowl. In addition, the birds were submitted to several persons to be tested for flavor, and those receiving the potatoes instead of the corn, were pronounced superior in every case. This experiment indicates that cull potatoes may safely be used instead of cornmeal when the latter is difficult to obtain.

ILLUSTRATION STATIONS PROMOTE POULTRY RAISING

The illustration stations operated under the direction of the Experimental Farms System in the Prairie Provinces and in British Columbia are helping very materially to arouse greater interest in the breeding, feeding and housing of poultry. In his report for last year, published by the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, the Chief Supervisor of these stations shows that each year improvements are made by the various operators of the stations in the care and housing and in the quality and care of the breeding stock. Some of the operators who premit parts of their farm to be used for these stations have been building new up-to-date houses, while others are remodelling old ones in comity with modern ideas with respect to lighting, ventilation and general comfort. By careful breeding and selection the flocks are being improved in egg-laying qualities. The stock they are able to produce are readily sold to farmers in the surrounding districts served by the stations. Last year there were distributed from the stations 602 cockerels, 682 pullets, and 1,528 settings of eggs from breeding stock that had produced more than two hundred eggs per year.

When Materials Are Laid Away

When a new piece of goods which is not to be used for a while must be put away, it should be folded on a solid foundation. Get a piece of thin board from a quarter to a half an inch thick, and have it cut 36 inches long, and from four to six inches wide, with rounded edges. Cover it with muslin, after padding it slightly, and keep pressed into it, ready for use, four thumb-tacks.

Fasten to it with the thumb-tacks one end of the goods; then as the piece is opened, wrap the yardage around the board tight enough to smooth out any wrinkles that may be already in it. When the entire piece has been wrapped around the board, pin the loose end so it will not slip. Fold it in paper until it is needed, when it will be found in good condition. Several pieces of goods can be kept on the same board at a time.

The wood used should be very light. These boards usually can be secured from a dry goods merchant. Heavy pasteboard makes a good substitute for wood.

If one has not at hand a suitable board, a roll can be made of several sheets of newspaper the width of the goods. Wrap the silk or velvet around the roll a few times, then put more paper on the outside of the goods and roll all together. Tie the package lightly so no marks will be left by the string, and put it away until needed.

TIME!

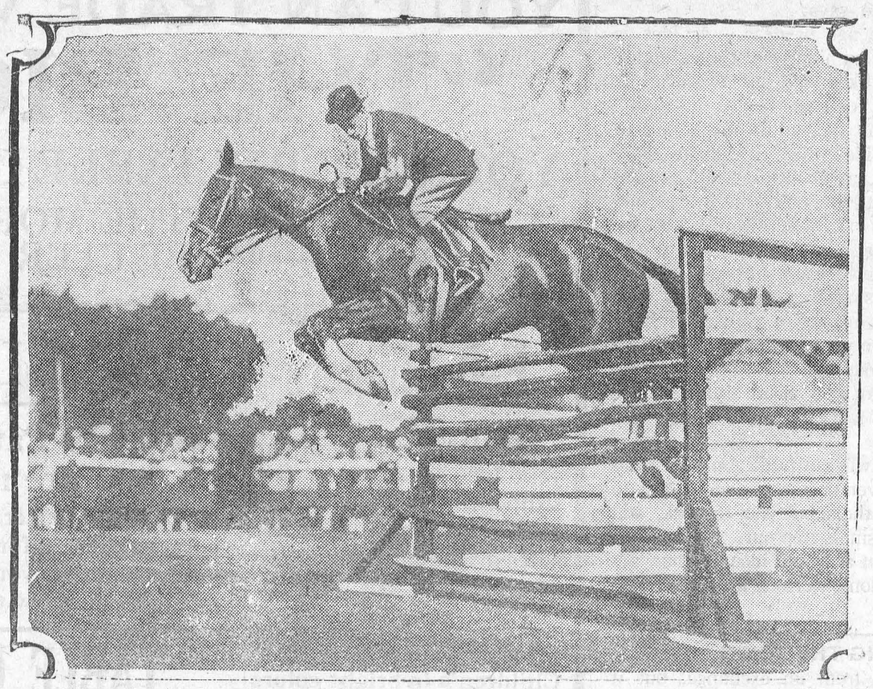
A case came before the police court involving the ownership of an eight-day clock. After listening to both sides, the magistrate turned to the plaintiff.

"You get the clock," he said gravely.

"And what do I get?" asked the accused.

"You get the eight days," replied the magistrate.

Canada Still Breeds Equine Winners



CANADIAN HORSE WON IN STRONG COMPETITION

Sir Clifford Sifton's "The Wizard" making the hurdles to win first prize in the class for hunters' jumpers at the Brockton, Mass., horse show.

Zeppelin Fuel a Familiar Gas

In Its Purer Form It Has High Compressibility And a Low Specific Gravity That Make It a Convenient Load to Carry

Reports of the transatlantic voyage of the new airship Graff Zeppelin, with Captain Eckener at the helm, have stated that the fuel she carried on the trip to New York is a mysterious "blue" gas. Experts say that the gas is neither mysterious nor blue. This same gas in a form less pure has been used to light railroad cars in this and other countries for at least a decade, and when used for that purpose has always been referred to as Pintsch gas. It has also been used by farmers in Europe and America as a fuel for cooking and lighting.

Herman Blau of Augsburg, Germany, considered one of the most competent gas engineers of the day, was associated with Julius Pintsch for some time. Pintsch succeeded in manufacturing a hydrocarbon gas which was so compressible that seventeen valumes of it could be squeesed into one. Pintsch, proud of his achievement, though not as ambitious as Blau, named it for himself. Railroads immediately saw the value of the gas as a fuel for lighting coach interiors, since it could be carried in a relatively small container and was as good, if not better, for lighting purposes than any gas discovered up to that time. Manufacturers of harbor buoys also were quick to seize upon the possibilities and the gas was used extensively in lighting them.

Search for Fuel Gas

Blau tried in vain to persuade his friend Pintsch to pursue his research, but Pintsch either thought he had reached ultimate success with hydrocarbon gas or was totally indifferent. Blau then made a hydrocarbon gas that, under about 1,800 pounds pressure, with a temperature of minus 50 degrees Fahrenheit, would liquify, and he gave the product his name. He thought that a much greater quantity could be squeezed into a container than had been possible with the process used by Pintsch. He therefore set out to make some of the lighter hydrocarbons absorb some of the heavier hydrocarbons. He succeeded and produced a gas containing about 1,800 British Thermal Units per cubic foot.

Hydrocarbon is the technical name for the by-products of petroleum such as kerosene and gasoline. After the petroleum is cut for the fourth time, a gas oil is obtained. This Blau used as a base. He used retorts similar in most respects to those employed in the ordinary plant which converts coal into gas; except that they contained iron pipes called vaporizers to keep the oil from coming into contact with the clay retort during the "cracking" process.

Much less heat is used under the retorts when hydrocarbons are the base than when coal is. Blau used less in his process than Pintsch did in his—employing oil as a base—because Blau wanted to make a gas that could be liquified under pressure in a proper temperature. He passed the gas from the retorts through suitable tar extractors, scrubbers, coolers and purifier boxes, and after these processes had a fine quality of oil gas which he passed through a compressor and a cooling device, where it was reduced to a liquid state and put into heavy steel cylinders.

Blau Gas

Blau gas contains a good many hydrocarbons unsaturated, and because of this fact is a superior fuel for internal combustion engines. It has a specific gravity of 1.04 to, 1.08 that is one of the main reasons why it appeared to the German Zeppelin Corporation. One of the main difficulties in carrying liquid fuel in a dirigible is that as the tanks are emptied one after the other during the voyage weight must constantly be shifted.

Blau has recently made claims that he has got his product down to the specific gravity of 1.

The first plant for the manufacture of Blau gas was erected in 1908 in Blau's native city of Augsburg, and others were later built in various European cities. Rights to operate under Blau's patents were obtained by a group of men in this country. Recently a factory has been set up in Friedrichshafen, where the Graff Zeppelin was tested.

Fighting the Dope Carriers in the U. S.



MAKING SEIZURE OF $1,500,000 WORTH OF OPIUM

Custom's officers at Jersey City searching four Chinese members of the crew of the steamship President Harrison. The largest seizure of narcotics on record was made.

Radio Operator Wins Honor for Valor at Sea

J. E. Croney Presented With Medal and $100 for Saving Crew of Indiana Harbor

Honors have been paid Joseph E. Croney for heroic service as radio operaor aboard the ill-fated steamer Indiana Harbor, which was wrecked off the Humbolt coast 185 miles north of San Francisco, on May 18, 1927.

In recognition of his loyalty and valor, Croney was presented with a medal together with a cheque for $100 and a copy of resolutions passed by the board of directors of the Radio Corporation of America.

Croney, who is thirty-three years old and was a wireless operator in the merchant marine during the World War, was the hero of the wreck of the Indiana Harbor. The ship was in such a position that it was impossible for a relief boat to reach it, and rescue was a matter of waiting until the storm subsided sufficiently to make it possible and safe to get a breeches buoy abroad. He remained at his wireless key for seventy-two hours.

During the greater part of the time heavy seas were hacking at the vessel and here was danger of its going to pieces at any moment. The ship's power was dead and he had to depend on storage batteries. Instead of taxing these by sending useless signals during the daytime, he used the wigwag system to communicate with the vessels standing by. During the night he sent only vital messages, and even these, instead of wasting his power on long distance, he sent to near-by ships and asked them to relay.

Allenby Sees Growing Trust Among Nations

Beginning Also to Learn from Each Other, He Says at Pilgrims' Dinner

New York.—Continued friendship between people of the United States and Great Britain was urged by Field Marshal Viscount Allenby at a dinner given in his honor by the Pilgrims of the United States here.

He made a plea for a more extended study of contemporary history by people generally "as a means of encouraging understanding of the problems of other nations and increasing international friendship."

English-speaking people should learn from each other and trust each other, he said. "That is the important thing, and that, I believe, the nations are beginning to do," he continued.

"Every country must solve its problems in its own way. No doubt it is true that what one country achieves is a stimulus to other nations. The nations are beginning to study each other and to understand each other, and I believe that this understanding will deepen with the years."

Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of the Pilgrims of the United States, paid a warm tribute to Lord Allenby in a speech of welcome. "The Holy Land was rescued by you from disorder, from rapine, from war's destruction, and in their place came sound and just civil administration, the building of roads and railways, the development of agriculture, the provision of water supply and the institution of the attributes of a modern and orderly civilized state," he said.

Women Set Out On Husband Hunt

Matrimonial Caravan Will Be Joined By Lonely Spinsters

Washington.—America's first matrimonial caravan plans to leave here on a nation-wide hunt for ideal mates.

Headed by blonde Helen Davis, the caravan—consisting of one sedan and three women—starts a husband hunt. The husband hunters expect their ranks to grow as they make the transcontinental trip, for any lonely, single woman with good references can join the expedition.

The novel crusade was conceived by Miss Davis. She is leader of the caravan and looking for a husband to meet her own ideals.

Miss Davis said her ideal must be at least 40 years old, and men over 55 are not eligible. He can be fat or thin, provided he is good-natured and a bald head makes no difference to her.

"En route we are going to hold receptions and look over the candidates. Whenever we stop all lonely single people will be invited to attend the parties. They may make matches for themselves or the women may join our caravan.

"We expect to have several automobile loads of eligible women in our party before we reach California."

Empire Flying Boat Uses Seaplane Dock

London.—A test was made at Southampton by the Imperial Airways of the value for commercial purposes of the Royal Air Force seaplane dock. An empire flying boat was docked and certain routine work of overhauling was carried out. The seaplane dock lent for the purpose is normally with the fleet at Portland.

The speed with which aircraft can be docked and the time required for normal maintenance operations, as compared with that needed in a shore base, were considered. Further tests will be made to determine whether there would be any financial advantage in using a floating dock on the England, India, and Australia route, which will be operated by flying boats.

Lord Birkenhead Resigns From British Cabinet

Secretary for India to Enter Finance Field to Recoup Fortunes, London Believes

London.—The immediate resignation of Lord Birkenhead, Secretary of State for India, was announced in "The London Times." Reports of his withdrawal from public life have been long current, but it had been generally understood that he would wait until the next general election to avoid embarrassing the Conservative party.

After several conferences with Stanley Baldwin, Prime Minister, in London, it was agreed, according to "The Times," that the resignation be accepted at once. The plans of Lord Birkenhead are not known. One persistent report indicates that he is going to accept a lucrative position with a big financial firm in "the city," while another says that he has a contract with one of the large London newspapers.

His resignation is considered a blow to the Conservative party in that he was one of its most formidable contraversialists.

RISE WAS RAPID AND STEADY.

Frederick Edwin Smith's rise to fame was both rapid and steady. Born July 12, 1872, he was educated at Birkenhead School and Wadham College, Oxford, where he was a classical scholar and president of the Oxford Union. After entering upon the practice of law and lecturing on legal subjects, he was made a privy councillor in 1911, was knighted in 1915 and became a baronet in 1918. He was created a baron in 1919, a viscount in 1921 and first Earl of Birkenhead in 1922. He served as lord chancellor from 1919 to 1922, and has been secretary of state for India since November, 1924. He is said to have referred to the Baldwin Cabinet in which he served as "this cabinet of second-class brains."

Lord Birkenhead saw active service during the war, and was honored as Lord Rector of Glasgow University in 1922, and as honorary Doctor of Civil Law and High Steward of Oxford University in the same year. Besides works on the law, he has published books on travel, essays, criticism and army memoirs.

Canadian Labor Ruling Opposed by Department

Immigration Officers Think Law is Jeopardized by Decision of Court

Washington — Immigration officials of the Department of Labor feel that the issue between the United States and Canada over the admission of commuting Canadian workers is not settled by the decision just made by the Supreme Court.

It can be said on the highest authority that the chiefs of the immigration service feel that the court's ruling was on a technical point and that the efficacy of the immigration law would be jeopardized if the issue were to be held in abeyance. A new test of the law is expected shortly in a case that will clear up the matter or else congressional action that will accomplish the same purpose.

The Supreme Court refused to review decisions of a lower court involving the passage of Canadian citizens for business purposes over the international boundary. The lower court held that the Canadians concerned, who were employed in the United States, and crossed the border daily, were "nonimmigrants" under Section 3 of the Immigration Act of 1924, and that under the Jay Treaty of 1794 they were privileged to cross and recross the border for the purpose of business and commerce.

The contention of the Department of Labor is that Europeans who have come to Canada and taken out naturalization papers are not "Canadians," in the interpretation of the United Staes immigration law, but come under the quota provisions of their country of origin.

The department makes no denial of the right of nativeborn Canadians to unrestricted passage back and forth across the border. At the back of their strong opposition to the present ambiguous condition, is the apprehension that increasing numbers of Europeans will settle along the border and work in the United States, under their asserted Canadian status.

King Entertains Rudyard Kipling

Return to Royal Favor Presages Honor, Friends Believe

Balmoral, Scotland.—Rudyard Kipling is basking once more in the light of royal favor. King George, in asking the famous author to visit him here at Balmoral Castle, is, in effect, agreeing to let bygones be bygones.

When Queen Victoria, King George's grandmother, was on the throne Kipling wrote a poem about the "Widow of Windsor" to which her majesty took offense. After that Rudyard Kipling did not travel in the royal circle. Queen Vicoria's son, King Edward VII, did not lift this ban from high society.

Some think that the "Widow of Windsor" poem kept Kipling from becoming poet laureate of England, a post to which many critics think he is more eminently suited than any living British poet. Observers foresee in his visit to Balmoral Castle the prelude to honors to which Kipling, as one of England's greatest men of letters, is widely believed to be entitled.

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HOW THE ELECTORAL COLLEGE WORKS

A number of correspondents, interested in the United States election, profess ignorance of the workings of the Electoral College. They want to know precisely what the Electoral College is and just how it operates in electing a president.

The system is a rather complicated one. Each state in the union has a number of electoral votes equal to the total of its senators and congressmen in the national congress and these are according to population. If a state has four representatives and two senators it would have six electoral votes in the Electoral College and would influence the choice of a president to just that extent. These votes would be registered for the presidential candidate polling the largest vote in that state.

There are 531 electoral votes among all the states and a bare majority means that a candidate must secure 366 of them. New York has the largest voice in determining the presidential issue with 45 votes while Pennsylvania comes next with 38 votes. There are five states with only three votes each, Arizona, Nevada, New Mexico, Delaware and Wyoming.

Idaho, Montana, New Hampshire, Utah and Vermont have four votes each. Oregon and North Dakota have five votes. Thus it may be seen that New York state with its 45 votes can counterbalance the ten states named. It is evident, therefore, that a few of the larger states such as New York, Pennsylvania and Illinois (with 29 votes) exercise a commanding influence in a presidential contest.

Much is heard of the "solid South." It comprises Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Virginia and Texas. These states, with 114 votes in the Electoral College, have always been overwhelmingly Democratic. They were so pronouncedly Democratic that elections were mostly perfunctory performances. In the South, after the nominations were made by the national conventions, they read about the campaign in the other states, but it did not touch them. Republicans there were as helpless as Liberals in Toronto.

This time it is different. For the first time in years the South is in a political ferment, and everybody knows why, The reason is Smith's religion. If he were not a Catholic, he would have been accepted by the South just as readily as Woodrow Wilson, who vetoed the Volstead Bill, was, or even as Cox and Davis were. As things are, the general opinion seems to be that Smith will be lucky if he doesn't lose some of these states. Loss of any of them would be fatal. For even if Smith should carry New York, Maryland, Massachusetts, Missouri, Montana, Nevada, Tennessee and Wisconsin, and the whole of the South as well, he would still be six votes short of electlon.—Exchange.

VAGARIES OF LAW

The vagaries of statutory law was brought clearly before public attention at Montreal last week. The offence was one against the Liquor Con. Act of the province of Quebec. It appears that the police had found a 5 gal. jug hid in the false bottom of a cupboard on the balcony of a house in Montreal. The occupant of the house was charged with having liquor illegally on his premises. In the evidence it was proved that the liquor was owned and hid by a lodger in the house. The tenant had no knowledge of the presence of liquor on his premises. The judge expressed his belief in the innocence of the tenant and regretted that there was apparently no way of his avoiding the customary penalty, as the law clearly stated that where liquor was found on a premises where it had no right to be, the occupant or proprietor of that place was guilty of an offense against the Act. The brilliant lawyer for the defence raised the question as to whether a cupboard placed on a balcony could be called a part of the residence, and the learned and wise judge decided that a cupboard on the balcony of a residence was not a part of that residence, and consequently dismissed the case against the occupant of the house. There is a saying that you can prove anything by figures. It is likewise true that there is no statutory law that cannot be overcome or avoided if you have a lawyer clever enough to suggest a way of doing it.

VALUE OF AN IDEA

J J. Bennett, advertising manager of the San Francisco Bulletin, says:

THAT this is the age of ideas. An idea is like a gold mlne. Lying hidden in the ground it has no value, but worked and put to service it may be worth a great fortune.

Lazy fellows who sit and dream hoping to hit on some bright idea which will make them rich without working, are about as useful as sand in the spinach. Most 'inventors' die poor. The Patent Office is full of bright ideas tied up by patents and gathering dust while some fellow with an idea not quite so bright but coupled with energy and nerve goes out and cleans up.

An empty hole in a piece of candy has made a huge fortune for two young fellows. But they did not invent the hole. It was already in the candy when they got it. They furnished the power and put it to work by working day and night themselves.

Wonderful ideas will not build up your business. Good ideas, even ordinary ones, if put to work, and if you let them put you to work, will surely make your business step out.

Try and work out a bright idea in your advertisement. If it don't work it isn't the right kind of an idea.

RUNNING THE TOWN

The following is from an exchange, but it reads so like what the Editor of the Press would like to express that we gladly give it space:

There are always a few people in every village or city who complain that a certain set of men want to "run the town." But those who kick most are usually those who do nothing to assist in the civic work of their communities.

Many who never attend a public meeting, nor even take the trouble to vote, will stand on street corners and criticize their more active and patriotic neighbors who try to get necessary things done.

Running the town is not such a dclightful pastime as some imagine and the leaders in every community are men who sacrifice their time and contribute their money to assist movements for the public welfare.

Those who are dissatisfied with their leadership should get busy and give a hand, instead of criticizing from the side lines.

BACK SEAT DRIVERS

Much has been written, said, and even sung about the back seat driver in an automobile. Sometimes they are an annoyance and a nuisance, but not so much out of place after all. In fact if a little more attention was paid by many fool front seat drivers, there would be fewer accidents. During twelve months, there were in Canada 729 accidents at railroad crossings and ninety per cent of them due to the carelessness or recklessness of the auto drivers. So serious has it become that the Board of Railway Commissions have issued a warning to motorists to exercise greater caution when approaching a railroad crossing. Back seat drivers, as they are called, are in a comparatively helpless position, and if they do sometimes use their tongues overmuch, they do it in a good cause.

BURYING A TOWN

A town that never has anything to do in a public way is on the way to the cemetery. Any citizen who will do nothing for his town is helping to dig its grave. A man that curses the town furnishes the coffin. The man who is so selfish as to have no time from his business to give to town affairs is making the shroud. The man who will not advertise is driving the hearse. The man who is always pulling back from any public enterprise throws bouquets in the grave. The man who is so stingy as to be howling hard times, preaches the funeral, sings the doxology, and thus the town lies buried from all sorrow and care.—Cumberland Islander.

Evidently the "bad" weather has been fairly general throughout Ontario. The Orillia Times speaking of weather condition in that section says:—This year has been a most trying one for thousands of farmers, and the anxiety which has been the daily companion of the farmer has no doubt been about all some of them could bear. The prospects early in the season were that the crops would be the best which have been garnered for years, and yet as harvest time arrived the rain threatened more and more to spoil the whole season's work. The rain this fall, too, has reduced the value of the potato, buckwheat and other yields, and it has tried the faith and nerve both of young men starting out and older men who have seen many trying seasons.

The United States and Canada last year produced 2,573,671 auto vehicles, of which more than 2,500,000 were closed cars. These cost near-$3,000,000,000 wholesale, while replacement parts cost an additional 1,231,000,000.

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For many years we have sold Lifebuoy Rubbers because we think they are the best on the market. If you are not already acquainted with their good qualities try a pair and see for youtself. We have them to fit all shapes and sizes of feet and will be glad to serve you.

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Some very attractive Trays with Nickle Frames,

$2.00 to $3.00 each.

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The 1929 Patterns of Wall Paper are now in stock.

New Designs, Better Styles, Better Value than we have shown before. Have a look through the samples whether you are in the market or not. No trouble to show them.

TABLE OIL CLOTHS.

We show a lot of very pretty Floral Patterns in Table Oilcloth. These are better grade cloth and satisfactory wearers.

45 inch at 50c yd. 54 inch at 65c yd.

MEN'S FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR

Very large men sometimes have trouble getting Underwear large enough to fit them. We stock this line right up to size 48, so you need not worry on that score.

Sizes 32 to 44 at $1.00 Oversize $1.25 Per Garment.

Dinner Sets

One case 97 piece Floral Design Dinner Sets at $25.00 a set

New Design 50 piece Dinner Sets at $10.00 a set.

FACTORY COTTONS

We have a few special numbers which are well worth your attention.

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A smooth even thread, 34 in. wide at 15c yd.

Group No. 2

A fine close weave, almost like a Cambric, 36 inches wide at 20c yd.

Group No. 3

A heavier make, Free from specks and one that will bleach well, 36 inches wide at 25c yd.

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Special Wool Socks 40c, 45c and 50c

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Invalids China Drinking Cups 40c each.

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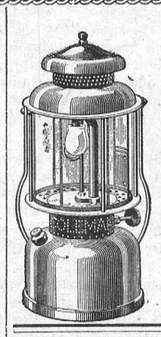

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Mrs. Broder Scarlett retruned home after spending the past few weeks at her home in Morewood.

Mr and Mrs. Alfred McCooeye, Mr. and Mrs David McCooeye, of Metcalfe, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scarlett.

Mrs. J. W. Scarlett returned home after spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Alfred McCooeye, of Metcalfe.

Mrs. Abe Weiner spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Goldsmith, of Montreal.

Miss Gladys Hoy returned home after spending a few weeks with friends in Chesterville and Finch.

Mrs. Geo Sullivan and family spent Sunday last with friends in Ottawa.

Mr. Russell Tinkess, accompanied by the Misses Mae, Blanche and Flossie Tinkess motored to Ottawa, on Friday last.

Misses Mae and Blanche Tinkess, of Avonmore, spent the past week with their uncle, Mr. J. C. Tinkess.

Mrs. Russell Tinkess and daughters, Pearl and Eileen returned home after spending the past week with friends in Iroquois and Massena.

Mr J Troy and Mr. Geo Martin were in Ottawa one day last week on business.

Mrs. Geo Martin and children spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. A. Wallace, of Mountain.

Mr. Stanley Coleman has returned home after spending the last two months in the West.

Rev. Harold Wylie, of Rideau Ferry, occupied the pulpit in St. Andrews Church Hallville, on Sunday morning.

Rev. D. McLeod motored to Rideau Ferry to take charge of the Anniversary Services held there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm Wylie, and Mr. and Mrs. Jas Kelso and daughter motored to Cornwall on Sunday.

Cloverdale

C. F. C. unloaded two cars of feed last week during consignments by truck into four townships.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Docksteader motored to Ottawa Saturday, and Miss Eva returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Lamoureux spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Brisbois.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Larmour spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Larmour.

Winchester Springs

Mr. Thos. D. Nesbitt is visiting relatives at Heckston.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shaver, of Hanesville, spent Wednesday with Mrs. L. Shaver.

Rev. Thos Meredith, of Ashton, called on Mr. and Mrs. C. Robinson, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Casselman spent Friday at Ogdensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Baldwin called on Mr. and Mrs. Ross Morrow, Sunday evening.

Mr. Morley Bailey has returned home after spending a week with his uncle, Mr. Jos Bailey, at Smiths Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McIntosh motored to Ottawa, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo Myers called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McIntosh, at Dundela.

Messrs Fraser Bolton and Ross Morrow spent Monday at Voildbois Que.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Whitteker, of Williamsburg, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. W. McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo Myres and Miss Grace Myers were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Geo Countryman, at Aultsville.

Misses Mary Bailey, Elva McIntosh, Mrs. R Morrow, Mrs. Abe Bailey and son Jay spent Wednesday in Ottawa.

Mrs. Orren Casselman spent a few days with Mr and Mrs. Roy Weaver and Mrs. Wm Webb, at Richville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. McIntosh and Miss Muriel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Kendrick, at New Dublin.

The W. M. S. Rally held in the United Church, Thursday afternoon, was well attended, in spite of the heavy rain during the day. The speaker, Miss Mitchell, of Montreal, gave a most inspiring and helpful address. Tea was served by the ladies in the Church hall.



Melvin News

Mr. and Mrs. Rance Hutt and son Grant, of Morrisburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barkley and son Ivan of Williamsburg, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Prunner.

Mrs. M. R. Black spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Docksteader of Winchester.

Mrs. M. Wilson of Ottawa, is visiting at the home of her son Mr. Geo. Wilson.

Messrs J. A. Erratt and Ernest Erratt of Winchester spent Sunday with friends in Kemptville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keyes of Winchester, hod tea on Sunday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Christie.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dickson of Winchester, spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. A. Erratt.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Christie and son Orval, motored to Cornwall, Wednesday afternoon, Orval having his Tonsils removed in the General Hospital on Thursday morning. Mrs. Christie and Orval remained until Saturday afternoon.

Fire At Williamsburg

Fire of underminded origin broke out in the home of Mr. Chas. H. Dewland, Williamsburg Sunday morning, and for a short time threatened the blacksmith shop and wood working factory of Mr. Beckstead, which adjoins the damaged property.

About ten o'clock, Mrs Dewland noticed smoke coming from around the stove pipe in the ceiling of her home. On investigation she found that the roof and upstairs portion of the house was on fire. She raised an alarm, and the villagers assembled quickly, and put up a stubborn fight with the old bucket brigade. Mr. Beckstead's property, which was dangerously close, was for a time threatened, but the unfailing courage of the fighters got the fire under control and they succeeded in comfining it to the one building.

Assistance was summoned from Winchester, but before it had been sent the fire was under control.

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New Cable Laid in Record Time

Linking of Newfoundland and the Azores in Seven Days Recalls Difficulties of the 1866 Attempt to Reach Asia by Wire Via Bering Strait

Man's effort to link the countries of the world by telegraph or cable has always been fraught with adventure and romance. Early this month the Western Union laid a duplex cable between Bay Roberts, Newfoundland, and Horta, in the Azores, in the record time of seven days. This new cable will carry four messages in each direction simultaneously and will be another link between this country and Germany, Italy, Spain, Portugal and Africa, with which countries it will be connected at Horta. The laying of the cable recalls the difficulties experienced in early attempts to institute telegraphis communication between nations.

The exploits of Cyrus West Field, an American merchant who is generally credited with being the dominant figure in the laying of the first transatlantic cable in 1858, have been often told. Following the failure of Field's first cable, which was laid in 1858 and "burned out" that same year, an attempt was made in 1865, 1866 and 1867 to build an overland line to Europe. This line was to extend from San Francisco to the Canadian border, thence through British Columbia, the Yukon territory and the centre of Alaska, under Bering Strait and across Northeastern Siberia to the Amur River. At this point it was to connect with the Russian Government's overland line to St. Petersburg.

This enterprise excited attention because of its very boldness, and was regarded at the time as the greatest telegraphic enterprise which had ever engaged American capital. Certainly it was one of the most ambitious expeditions ever undertaken to link the New and Old Worlds.

The project was the outcome jointly of the necessity for quick communication between America and Europe and the apparent impossibility of establishing a direct and dependable cable connection between the two countries. The leading spirit in the scheme was Perry McDonough Collins, an American commercial agent stationed in iSberia.

WORK BEGUN IN 1865.

The plan to connect America and Europe by cable across Bering Strait had been considered for many years by several prominent telegraphers, and the failure of the first Atlantic cable gave the project new impetus. Collins began a tireless campaign and induced the Russian Government to grant him the concession to undertake the work. Armed with this document he went to Washington, where speeches favoring the scheme were made in Congress, and then to Rochester, at that time the headquarters of the Western Union Company.

Collins's plans called for no long under water cables; what little wire was to be under water could be easily repaired in case of injury from accident or storms. Furthermore, it was proposed eventually to extend the line down the Asiatic coast to Peking and to develop a profitable business with China.

In 1863 Collins's plan was adopted. In 1865 three locating parties set out; one through British Columbia, one through Alaska-Yukon territory and the third through Southeastern Siberia. Building the line from San Francisco to New Westminster, British Columbia, was a comparatively simple task and was soon completed. The line from New Westminster to the Skeena River was surveyed and built, a distance of 850 miles. North of Quesnel, British Columbia, the line was strung over a right of way fifty feet wide cut through virgin forests of fir and spruce.

The hardest task fell to the lot of the Siberian expedition. Here the men were forced to traverse the most rugged passes of the North Asiatic mountains, mounted on reindeer. They had to float down the great rivers of the north in skin canoes and their sleep was often obtained in the smoky dwellings of the Siberian natives. At other times they camped out upon the desolate plains in temperatures of 50 and 60 degrees below zero.

Writing of his experiences with this expedition, George Kennan thus described the entry into a Siberian village:

"Our hair was long and matted around the ears; the skin had peeled off our noses and cheek-bones where they had been frozen and we presented a wild and neglected appearance."

HARDSHIPS IN NORTH.

At one camping place the expedition built a fire which "sent up a column of flame ten feet high but it did not seem to have much influence upon the atmosphere." At this camp some of the men had their eyelids frozen while drinking tea, and soup taken hot from the kettle froze in their tin plates before they could finish eating it. But the greatest suffering they later reported was from the Siberian winds, which blew with unabated cruelty.

By the spring of 1867 the Siberian expedition had accomplished much. The men had explred the whole route from the Amur River to Bering Strait. Approximately 15,000 telegraph poles had been prepared and between forty and fifty station houses and magazines had been built. In addition nearly fifty miles of road had been cut through the forests and other preparatory work had been done along the whole line. At this time there were 75 Americans and 150 natives at work between Gamsk and Okhotsk and 600 additional workers were n their way from Yakutsk.

Substantial progress had been made and enthusiasm prevailed. That spring, however, an American whaler, the barque Sea Breeze, out of New Bedford, Mass., pushed its prow into the Sea of Okhotsk and brought to the isolated telegraph workers the first news from Europe or America they had received in nearly a year. They learned frm the crew that the Atlantic cable laid in 1866 had proved a success, and an article in The San Francisco Bulletin informed them that "all work on the Russian-American telegraph line had been stopped and the enterprise abandoned." It was a crushing blow to these adventurers who had gone through such hardships that a strand of wire might link two continents, but they took it stoically and began at once to prepare for their departure for the States.

ATLANTIC CABLE SUCCEEDS

While these pioneers were experiencing the hardships f cold, exile and near starvation the laying of the Atlantic cable had progressed successfully and its operation had proved the practicability of sending messages ver a submarine cable. The overland line proved a boon to the Indians, however, as they used the wire in making nails and prongs for fishing spears. Some of it was later used in the construction of bridges.

It would have been impossible for the builders of the overland line to have competed with the Atlantic cable. Persons wishing to send messages from continent to continent cared not whether they were sent to Europe via Alaska and Siberia or via Newfoundland so long as they were transmitted at the cheapest rate at the greatest speed. Naturally, no company would have agreed to sustain and work the overland line in competition with the cable.

The cable was needed. The telegraph had already demonstrated the benefits of rapid communication between distant points on land, and the cable was used by thousands of persons almost immediately.

Since that time uses for the cable have multiplied greatly. Not only do bankers and business men employ the cable many times daily, but its use fr social messages is also quite large, due to increaed efficiency and reduced rates.

Since the war there has been a growing demand for cables. The latest Western Union cable is the third that that empany has laid across the North Atlantic in the past four years. All of these new cables are "fast." Two of them are capable of sending 1,500 and 2,500 words a minute respectively. The Bay Roberts-Horta cable emplys an alloy known as "mumetal" in its composition. This mumetal is wrapped about the copper conductor of the cable and by increasing its electrical inductance steps up the speed at which it may be operated.

Conditions Better In Mills of Bombay

Bombay—The advance in the provision of improved working conditions in textile factories in the Bombay Presidency is referred to in the annual factory report for last year. The report dwells on the general improvement in sanitation and states that the volume of welfare work undertaken by factories has shown little, if any, diminution.

The number of operatives employed in all industries in the Bombay Presidency was nearly 400,000. Women formed 20 per cent of the factory population, their number being 80,000. The total number of children employed in factories was 6,000. In Bombay the chief development in recent years has been the industrial housing scheme inaugurated by the Government. Two hundred and seven chawls (houses) with 16,500 rooms have been built.

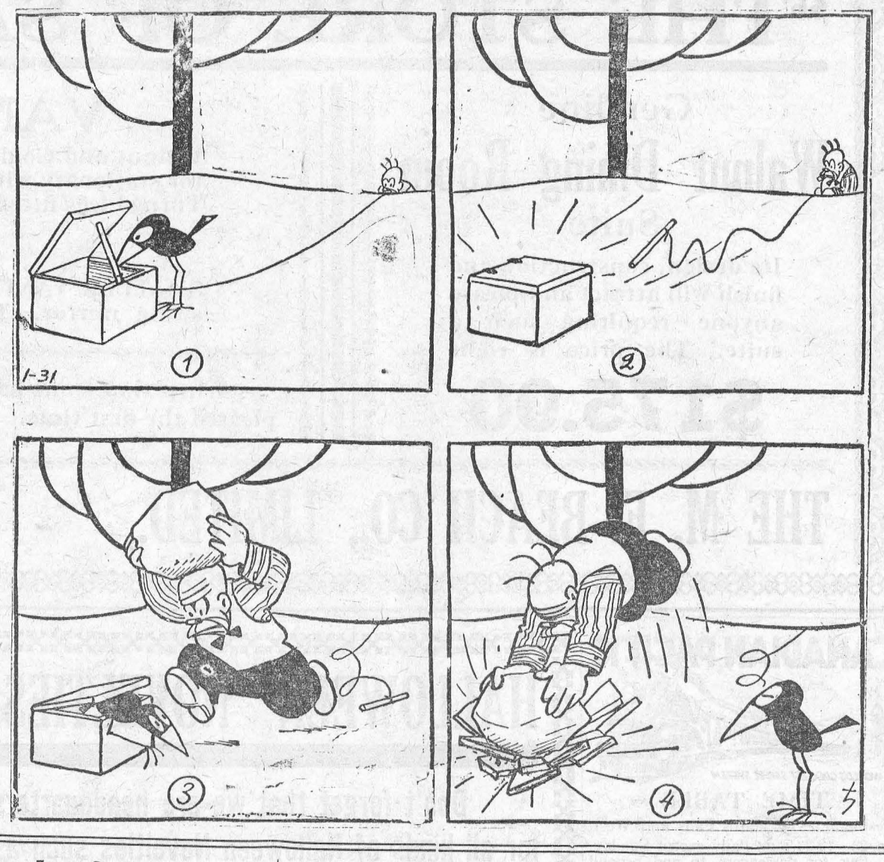


"A girl generally chooses the narrow path when she's driven to it."

The talking movie has ruined another good place to sleep.—Nashville Banner.

"It was Adam who put 'mar' into marriage," says a woman writer. But who was responsible for the rage.

ADAMSON'S ADVENTURES—By O. Jacobsson.



Rhodes Scholars Are Affected by Oxford Decision

Age Limit Is Fixed for Those Taking Part in Athletic Contests

London.—The decision by Oxford University not to allow students over 23 to represent the university in interuniversity athletic contests has raised an international question affecting some 200 Rhodes scholars, students from the States and the British overseas dominions. The reason for this is because these students usually proceed to Oxford after taking university degrees in their own homeland and are consequently on an average three or four years older than the British youths who ordinarily go direct from secondary schools.

The decision, it is alleged, discriminates against the overseas as compared with the students from the British Isles. Harlan D. Logan, chairman of 25 newly arrived American Rhodes scholars, complains, in an interview in the Daily Telegraph that with the growing tendency to choose older men for these scholarships it is going to make it almost impossible for a Rhodes scholar to represent his university and thus win th coveted "blue," the colored coat and cap awarded for athletic prowess.

"We are faced," Mr. Logan said, "by the further disappointment of seeing our contemporaries from American colleges come across as independents to Cambridge University and have a full chance, whatever their age may be."

Francis J. Wylie, secretary of the Rhodes Scholarship Fund at Oxford, said that the decision was in no way directed against overseas students, though it affects them. Its object was to prevent immature 18 to 20-year-old youths, who form the bulk of the university students here, from having to compete with trained athletes several years their senior. It applies indifferently to the British as well as to the overseas students.

Cambridge was consulted when the new rule was under consideration, but it is not yet known what, if any, similar action is contemplated in that sister institution. The statutory age of Rhodes scholars when appointed is 19 to 25 and the majority has hitherto been between 21 and 22, which is well below the age bar for "blues."

The question has been considered of lowering the 25-year maximum but this was negatived because, although the British universities are primarily intended for the training of youths, nevertheless they also desire to welcome a limited number of exceptionally brilliant men for post-graduate courses.

"Bridegrooms are usually shy," says a woman M.P.——They realize they've said too much.

He: "If I had known how sarcastic you were, I would never have married you." She: "You had an opportunity of noticing it. Didn't I say 'This is so sudden' when you proposed to me after a three years' courtship?'

South Seas Ports

The boat was an inter-island trader, carrying a few passengers, saloon and steerage. Most of my fellows in the steerage were Chinese, who were on their way from Tahiti, where were many of their brethren. They were orderly, unobtrusive, and messed by themselves.

Our first port was Raratonga, in the Cook Group, a high-peaked island, the sight of which from the sea answered perfectly to the descriptions of South Sea writers. I felt that Stevenson's lyricism was justified, and I thought of his first landfall, so like this. On shore, where we went in launches, I was slightly disappointed. The iron-roofed settlement was so prim. . . . True, there were natives and native huts, but they seemed to have been dispossessed, to have lost their significance. I found the Raratongans jocund people, more affable than the Maoris, though indistinguishable from them in appearance. They are indeed of the same race, and speak a Maori dialect. Orange and banana groves covered the lower slopes of the hills, and their fruits, not the cocoanut, were the principal export.

We came at length to Raiatea, the first of the Society Group. . . . . We moored beside a rickety wharf which was dignified by a port captain in white and gold, two moustachioed gendarmes and a customs officer. All wore tall white helmets and made a brave appearance. The village, a higgeldy-piggeldy place, of Chinaman's stores, native huts and white-walled French cottages, was even smaller than the Raratongan capital.

We reached Tahiti so early that I was not out of my berth until we had anchored. I was roused by a warning for . . . inspection, and going on deck, saw that we were lying in a large bay. We had entered it by a gateway in a wall of reef, which disappeared round two low palm-covered points. . . .

There was now a good number of people, chiefly women, assembled and their many-colored frocks gave the wharf the appearance of a mixed flower-bed. Most of the Europeans were dressed in white drill; the native men in cotton shirts and trousers. The contrast which this crowd made with any crowd I had seen was in the brightness, lightness and cleanliness of its apparel. There were no gray or somber patches. That was my first impression. My second was of a pervasive perfume, not strong but rather heady, which I could not name, but which reminded me of something. It was the perfume of cocoanut oil, scented with the tiare flower which purges it of its grossness.' It was symbolic of Tahiti, as I now know.—Sydney Walter Powell, in "Roving Years; Adventures of a Wanderer."

No farm relief like burning the old mortgage.—Boston Herald.

A small Jewish boy went to school for the first time. When they asked him his age he said, "Thirteen"; but he was obviously not more than ten. So the master wrote a note to his father about the matter. When his father asked him why he had exaggerated his age the boy said: "I expected the master to beat me down."



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When by the hearth he tells of foreign
lands subtle and sweet.
He is a sage, though scarcely can he
write his humble name;
A poet, hoarding beauty without
thought of wealth or fame.
He is, I think, the richest man I know,
though passing poor;
Go in! To find a mine of gold behind
that cottage door.

Mule Teams on the Trail

I do not know whether it is because most of us naturally smile when we look at a mule, but for some reason the army mules which composed the majority of the animals which were driven along the trails certainly interested me. I presume it was because their ears were so much more prominent than those of the horses, but when a mule cocked one ear forward while he allowed the other one to loll lazily back, it appeared to me not only amusing but indicative of some superior animal intelligence. I also noticed that these mules on the frontier were well worth steering clear of when they were unhitched and feeding themselves. I saw so many proofs of the efficacy of a mule's heels when defending himself from danger, real or fancied, or indulging in pure excess of spirits, that I learned to give them at least ten feet of clearance whenever I passed to the rear of them. This instinctive defense against fighting equine hoofs was so instilled in me in those years that I intuitively follow it to this day by always passing out of reach of any mule's heels. This all shows that I was deeply interested in the mules and their drivers, and I learned a number of interesting things about them.

Mule-skinners might well have been called the "express-freighters" of the trails. They were recruited from the ranks of ex-stage drivers, stove-up cow-punchers, ex-frontiersmen or Kansas farmers. These latter worked on the trails in the off season for farming. Their style of dress was as nondescript as their personnel.

A mule team was composed of six or even eight animals, and the train was made up of any number of such units up to ten. Each team drew one or two canvas-covered wagons. The men drove from the seat of the lead wagon, or from the back of one of the lead mules. A long-handled, lightweight, woven leather whip was the staff of office.

These trains carried from fifteen to twenty-five hundred pounds of freight, and covered twenty-five to thirty miles per day. Provender in the shape of oats or corn was carried, and this was supplemented by grazing at night. Such freight trains worked all the year round, because feed could be carried for the animals.

The mule-skinners slept, as the bullwhackers did, under their wagons, and in stress of weather they also came to sleep in the buildings at Red Fork Ranch.

The mule teams, swinging along the trails, made an animated picture. —Hubert E. Collins, in "Warpath and Cattle Trail."

Starting To-morrow

The flowers are brilliant with those poignant colors of farewell that flaunt triumphantly, flouting the dread of winter. Most gaudy are certain gladioli and about these a single ruby-throated humming bird is, in his dainty fashion, exceedingly busy. He is wholly concerned with the wild honey dew in those gorgeous bells, hanging, to him, like a huge carillon from the swaying spire of the stem. Yet this tiny fairy, as frail as thistledown, is on the eve of a prodigious journey, such a one, indeed, as might appall the oldest traveller. He is starting for Central America to-night. Yet he seems joyously unconcerned, probing with ecstatic bill the iridescent depths of the mighty bells. He does not appear to be buying travellers' cheques. He isn't rushing around packing luggage and purchasing tickets. Something in his heart tells him that the time has come; but he knows that all is well. He has something to sustain him besides his wings. Perhaps it is what all of us must have.—Archibald Rutledge, in "Children of Swamp, and Wood."

Aberdeen Univ. Installs Canadian

J. J. McLeod, Co-discoverer of Insulin, Professor of Physiology

Aberdeen, Scotland.—Professor J. J. Rickard McLeod, formerly of the University of Toronto, and co-discoverer with Prof. F. G. Banting of insulin, was installed in the chair of physiology at Aberdeen University.

Prof. McLeod was professor of physiology and associate dean of the faculty of medicine at Toronto University. He was co-sharer of the Nobell Prize in Medicine in 1923 and has long been recognized throughout the world as an outstanding authority on medical matters. Such was the Canadian Press report from Aberdeen, Scotland.

Referring back to the history of the discovery of insulin, Dr. Banting got the idea of his great boon to mankind, so report goes, while an interne in a London, Ont., hospital. Without funds, and without influential friends, he came to Toronto, where he propounded his theories to several of the University authorities. Rumor and report has it that Dr. McLeod, who, by the way, is not a Canadian but a Scotchman—Scotch-born and Scotch-educated, refused to assist Dr. Banting either with Laboratory room, equipment or funds. Another professor in a different department (Dr. Velyen Henderson, Professor of Pharmocology) gave the young Banting, and his equally young and enthusiastic co-oworker, Dr. Best, laboratory room. Dr. Henderson and several Toronto doctors joined in financing Drs. Banting and Best in their experiments, the results of which are too well known to need but passing comment here. Insulin was discovered, tested and proven beyond all doubt.

After being fully acknowledged as one of medicine's greatest discoveries, Drs. Bantin and Best gave the Toronto University credit for the discovery and refused to profit by their work, giving, impecunious though they were, their find to the good of humanity.

Time went on apace, the Nobell Committee, after due deliberation, awarded Dr. Banting the Nobel Prize in medicine for 1923.

Being a physiological discovery and having turned the credit over to that department of the Toronto University, we find that Dr. MeLeod took a trip to Europe at this juncture, and he happened to visit Stockholm while the Nobel Committee was sitting. Result—the prize of $40.000 was split not between Banting and Best, but between Banting and McLeod. Dr. Banting gave immediately half of his share to Dr. Best, carrying through in his original big-hearted, generous way. What Dr. McLeod did with his share of the prize that, so far as outsiders could judge, he had done nothing to earn, is not reported. Aberdeen University, we trust, will benefit, but Toronto University still has Dr. Banting directing his research laboratory in his quiet, efficient, modest way.

HERE AND THERE

A hick town is a place where nobody ever saw a rich policeman.—Washington Post.

A number of policemen in Chicago are reported ill with measles. At last! A Chicago policeman has caught something!—Palm Beach Post.

Or, as the poet might have put it, Let Me Live in a House by the Side of the Road and Run a Hot-dog Stand. —Macon Telegraph.

A Typewriter for composing music having been invented, it merely remains to turn out a machine to listen to the results.—Manchester Union.

A genuine California patriot is a man who derives a certain amount of satisfaction from getting almost killed by a Florida hurricane.—San Diego Union.

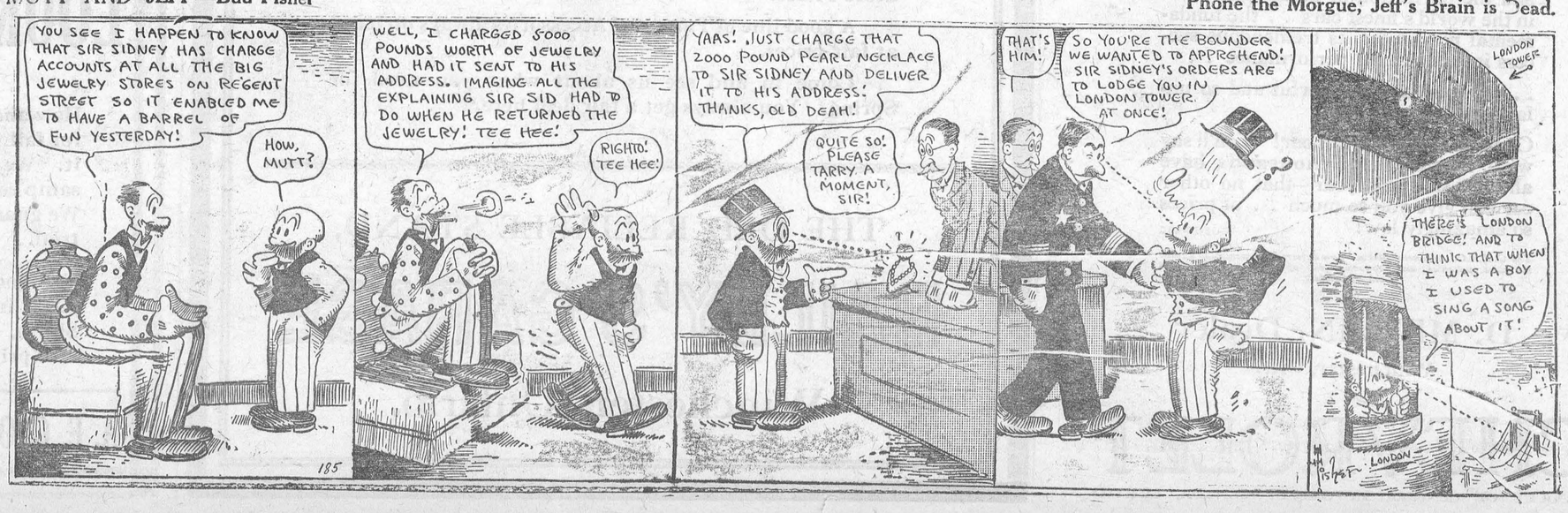
Old Custom in England



CELEBRATE OPENING OF COLNE OYSTER FISHERY

When the first dredger of oysters had been hauled in the mayor and the town crier sampled them, carrying out an old ceremony.

MUTT AND JEFF—Bud Fisher



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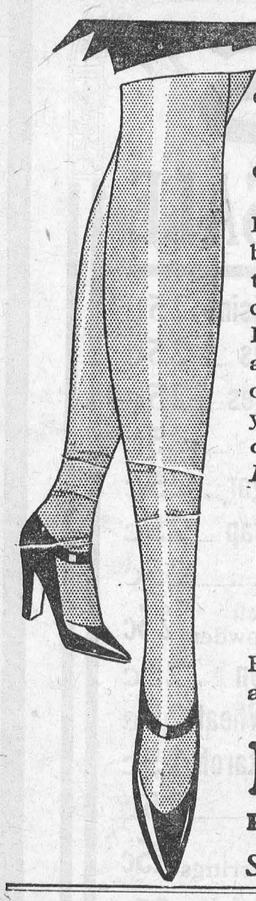

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Canada's Progress

New York Sun: Canada exploits all its resources to stimulate its growth; its boosters are always at work. They neglect nothing, from the pelt-bearing rodent to the pelt-bearing ourist, catering to the tastes of both that their days may be comfortable and their satisfaction with Canada register high. From wheat field to wayside refreshment, from southern boundary to Liquor Commission seal, its agents are alert. Province and nation alike are on the job, not of watching Canada grow but of spurring Canada to growth.

Prohibition

Chicago Tribune: Prohibition is not temperance. Prohibition is intemperance and its will brooks no restraint. Its mainstay, its origin and essence, is not temperance, but the untempered will to dominate. That it clothes itself in lofty claims of moral purposes, and deceives itself, cannot alter its nature, which is the inherent nature of bigotry, will to dominate, to oppress, to trample down dissent.





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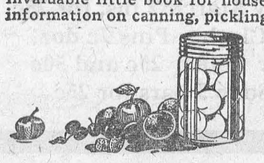

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FINANCIAL NEWS

Canadian Chrysler Buys Border Land.

Windsor—A 76-acre tract of land lying between Ford City and Walkerville has been purchased by the Chrysler Corporation of Canada, who will erect a $1,500,000 automobile manufacturing plant in the immediate future, the president of the corporation announced to-day.

In 1924 the present Windsor plant was bought and kept in operation as a parts factory. The new plant, when completed, will increase the output of Chrysler to 365 cars a day, an increase of 100 cars a day.

From Royal Bank September Letter

On the whole, Canadians pay proportionately less per unit for imports and receive relatively more for exports than they did in 1914. In recent years the profit to Canada resulting from this readjustment has amounted to about $150,000,000 a year, an amount approximately 7 per cent. of the national debt. The actual profit to Canada during the fiscal year of 1927 amounted to $168,000,000 million.

Imports—An increase in imports from $619,000,000 in 1914 to $1,030,000,000 in 1927 should not be taken to represent a 66 per cent. increase in either value or volume of imports. Since 1914, prices in general have increased about 50 per cent., but the increase in the unit value of imports amounts to only 22 per cent., and the increase in volume of imports to 35 per cent. If it were assumed that 1914 prices had been uniformly increased by 50 per cent., the imports in 1927 would have cost $1,260 million instead of only $1,030 million.

The change in prices, then, saved Canada $230 million on actual imports of 1927, as compared with what have been paid for these same goods had the advance in prices been at a uniform rate of 50 per cent. for all commodities.

Exports—In a like manner the crude value of Canadian exports increased 189 per cent. between 1914 and 1927, and the revaluation indicates that the volume of exports has been increased by about 100 per cent., and that the value has increased 45 per cent. per unit. This represents a loss of about 3½ per cent. on exports, as compared with the amount which would have been obtained hal all Canadian exports increased 50 per cent. in value. Canada would then have received $1,314,000 instead of $1,252,000, a total of $62,000,000 larger than the amount actually obtained.

Balance of Trad —The dollar value of the commodity balance of trade actually achieved in 1927 gave a credit to Canada amounting to $222,000,000. If the imports and exports are revalued on a basis of 1914 prices, Canada's favorable balance would have amounted to only $54,000,000. The difference, then, between $222,000,000 and $54,000,000 or $168,000,000, represents the net gain in Canada from the changed relationship in world prices. In the twelve months ending in July, 1928, the profit to Canada from the readjustment in price amounted to $130,000,000.

Gatineau Will Be Dammed Again

Ottawa—The Canadian Hydro-Electric Corp., holding company of the Gatineau Power Co., subsidiary of International Paper Company, has made public details of another great dam to control the waters of the Gatineau River, Quebec. The Bitobi Dam has been constructed at Baskatong, some 200 miles north of Ottawa, and this provides a storage basin estimated to contain 95,000,000,000 cubic feet of The new dam, which will be of crib construction, will be 80 miles further north of the outlet of Cabonga Lake, and will provide a storage basin about half the size of the other. The Foundation Co. of Montreal has been awarded the contract for the work, and is already engaged in treking supplies in to Cabonga Lake. It is anticipated that the dam will be completed next summer.

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Detroit News: (High tariff walls are denounced.) There is no reason on earth why Canada, with her smart people, with the cheapest power known, and with abundant raw materials easily accessible, cannot rival the United States as a great manufacturing country. Tariff walls cannot accomplish this object; they can merely hinder its realization. If Canada will listen to her far-sighted business men and disregard the politicians on both sides of the border, she will continue to find her prosperity growing upon unshakable foundations, and with steady acceleration.

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British to Abate Street Noises

Representatives of Towns Hold Conference With Government Ministers

London.—The number of street noises has greatly increased in recent years, and all the larger towns were represented last week in a conference with Sir William Joynson-Hicks, Home Secretary, and Colonel Ashley, Minister of Transport, and the heads of both departments, at which steps to abate the nuisance were considered.

A Home Office statement stated: "The increase in volume of noise is largely due to the increase of motors and of the uses to which motors are put and to the abuse of the various types of horns. The minister has decided that draft regulations directed to abating the nuisance of the motor traffic noise should be prepared. Such regulations will be subject to consultation between the Minister of Transport and the motoring organizations and representatives of public authorities, whose views will be carefully considered. After the regulations have been made, the police will be advised by the Home Secretary as to the steps to be taken to insure their observance, with a view to decreasing the nuisance from which so many people now suffer."

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OWL LAFFS

BY O.W.L.

(ON WITH LAUGHTER)

TRY IT YOURSELF

A man with an uncanny mania for juggling with figures placed a pad of paper and a pencil in this columnists hands, and said: "Put down the number of your living brothers. Multiply it by two. Add three. Multiply the result by five. Add the number of living sisters. Multiply the result by ten. Add the number of dead brothers and sisters. Subtract 150 from the result.

The columnist did as directed.

"Now," said the other with a cunning smile, "the right figure will be the number of deaths, the middle figure the number of living sisters, and the left-hand figure the number of living brothers." So it was.

HANDICAPPED

I'd whisper nothings in her ear,
Like zephyrs from the South,
But I'm refraining through the fear
Of tresses in my mouth.
— Youngstown, Ohio Telegram.

I'd whisper nothings in the ear
Of my most precious hun,
But to be fair with you, my dear,
I just can't think of one.
Macon, Ga., Telegraph

To whisper nothings in her ear
I would not be averse,
But I'm kept busy always putting
Something in her purse.
—Houston, Texas Post Dispatch.

To whisper nothings in her ear
Superfluous were, I vow;
Unluckily her head, my dear,
Is full of nothing now.

An "apartment" dining-room is one that will seat six people or provide room for 12 couples to dance.

The party in power sooner or later becomes unpopular because it cannot furnish enough pie for all the fingers.

REAL LIFE INSURANCE

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Interprovincial Law Suit Before Canadian Courts

Question of the Control of Water Powers and Navigations Is Issue

Ottawa.—A legal battle between the Dominion and the provinces on the question of the control of water powers and incidentally navigation has opened in the Supreme Court of Canada before a full bench of seven judges and with an imposing array of eminent counsel representing both sides.

Such matters as the development of the potential powers of the St. Lawrence, both international and interprovincial in character, the development of water powers in the Ottawa and other power projects are involved, and the issue is probably one of the most important that has come before the courts in years.

Ten questions have been placed before the court for the purpose of obtainig answers to satisfactorily elucidate the whole question of the division of legislative control over the proprietary interest in water power between the Dominion and the provinces."

The Dominion takes the stand that when powers are developed from works which it constructs to aid navigation it owns such surplus powers, which the provinces will contend that water powers were vested in the provinces before confederation and were not transferred to Dominion domain by virtue of the British North American Act, and further, that any treaty respecting an international waterway must be subordinate to the act.

While Ontario and Quebec are chiefly interested in the question and will likely bear the brunt of the battle, British Columbia, Saskatchewan and Manitoba will lend strong support to their side.

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It is the caddy these days who carries a great deal of the white man's burthen.—Dayton Journal.

The hotel clerk was adamant. "I'm sorry, sir," he said, "but I can't cash it. I wouldn't cash a cheque for my own brother." "Well," said the stranger, "you know your own family better than I do."

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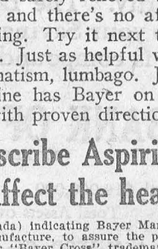

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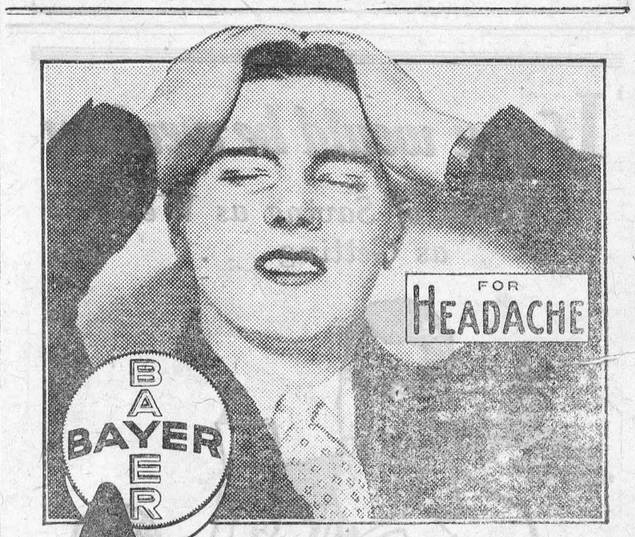

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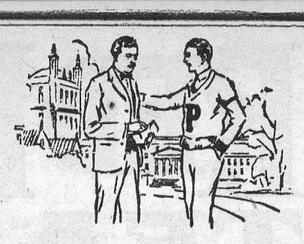

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Pretty Double Wedding

At the home of Mr. Oscar Beckstead, Elma, on Wednesday, October 17, 1928, there was a pretty double wedding ceremony. Miss Gladys O'Shaughness to Mr. Weldon Beckstead, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Beckstead.

Miss Annie Beckstead, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Beckstead to Mr. Lawrence Bennett Black, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Black, of Morrisburg. The marriages were solemnized by the Rev. John Hurst, of Elma. The brides were charmingly attired in costums of poudre blue georgette with silver and s quins.

The home was prettily decorated with flowers and autumn leaves with a bridal arch.

After the ceremony a sumptuous repast was served, Mr. and Mrs Weldon Becksted leaving for a motor trip to Niagara and other points. Mr and Mrs. L. B. Black left for a trip to eastern points. Out-of town guests included Mrs. Black, of Morrisburg, and Mrs. S. Nicot, of Ottawa. The happy couples were the recipients of many presents and the best wishes of their many friends.

The United Church

(Contributed)

Rev. Dr. Cleaver's messages of Sunday were full of inspiration and helpfulness for the large number who heard him. He spoke in the morning on "Thy Kingdom come," saying we must first get into right relationship with God as our Father and render him our homage as expressed in "Hallowed be Thy name," and al o get into right relationship with our fellow man The rule of the Kingdom brings righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Ghost. The only business God has committed to us is the coming of the Kingdom. Mr. Cleaver gave many signs that the Kingdom is coming as God has guaranteed it. He said will you and I have any share in its coming? Now is the time to join in the ranks of the army of the King of Kings?"

In the evening he dealt with the latter part of the Lord's Prayer showing that to be only the equipment for service. We must have that equipment complete. Sin must be blotted out. We still everywhere need God. The glory begins here and lasts forever. Dr. Cleaver's messages were soul stirring in their effects and a real uplift in the spiritual life should be the result of his short visit here.

Card of Thanks

Mrs James Patterson of Cass Bridge, desires to thank friends and neighbours for their kindness during the illness of her mother, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cook for taking care of her children while she was at the hospital with her mother.

Card of Thanks

The family of Mrs. Margaret E. Clark, Vancamp, wish to express their sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends for the kindness and sympathy extended to them during the recent illness and death, also for the beautiful flowers sent to the hospital and home.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of Clifford Redmond, who died Oct. 25, 1918.

Only a thought of you, dear Clifford,
Only a memory fond and true,
Only a token of deep affection
From those who thought the world of you.

Friends may think we have forgotten,
When at times they see us smile,
But little do they know the heartache
That our smile hides all the while.

Inserted by Father, Mother, Brothers and Sisters.

FIRE INSURANCE

The Fire Insurance Company of Canada, from date of Jan. 1st, 1928, have transferred to Mr. Jas. Clement, o Chesterville, all their interests in connection with the agency business formerly held by Mr. Harvey Nesbitt, in Winchester and surrounding district for this company, and solicits the continued patronage of our policyholders at our former reduced rates of Premium.

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Correspondence

South Mountain, Oct. 27, 1928.

Dear Sir;—

Would you kindly give me space in your valuable paper for a report of a meeting held at South Mountain in the I. O. O. F. Hall, October 17th, as I would like to give reasons why the meeting was called and the results of the meeting.

Some time ago it became evident to the writer that the Township of Mountain was going to be sidetracked as usual and have only $3000.00 spent on the road west of Hallville. I wrote to Hon. H. Ferguson telling him that we had not been getting our fair share of good roads in Mountain Township and that we had not received one dollar of Government Subsidy since the County system began. Mr. Cameron, County Road Superintendend, has not spent the money in Mountain Township that had been raised in the said Township for County Road Purposes but charged up to the Township money she had never received. I asked Mr. Ferguson to send Mr. R. C Muir, Chief Engineer of the Province of Ontario, to investigate matters. On October 17th, Mr. R. C. Muir of Toronto, Mr. Cameron, Mr. Schermer, District Engineer, and several others from Cornwall, met a large number of the rate-payers of Mountain Township at a meeting in the I. O. O. F. Hall. I proved to he satisfaction of the Chief Engineer that we have not had one dollar of Government Subsidy spent on Mountain Township Roads. The Government Subsidy which comes to Mountain Township amounts to between eighty and ninety thousand dollars. Mr Cameron claims that all money is polled and he may spend it where-ever he pleases. On writing the Hon. Hendry about this matter, my letter was handed to Mr. Muir. who said in his reply that it was the intention of the Hon. Hendry that the Township should receive every dollar raised for County purpose in the said Township. Which will we believe? Mr. Cameron has charged Mountain Township with $10,432.00 which is supposed to have been spent on Roads 1 and 6 If this amount was spent it should have charged to Mountain Township in the County Road System. The Township lost 50% Government Subsidy and the Township got no credit for it in the County Road System. The County report says we paid F. Milligan $1863.00 and $32.00; F. M. Eagleson $1152 00; W. J. Cameron $78.00 for work done on Road 1 in 1927 but there was no work done on Road 1 in 1927. When I asked Mr. Cameron about this money he said he he knew nothing about it. Mr. Cameron should submit those bills to the reeve and let the Council look after them. Space will not permit me to give a detailed statement of all that occured at the meeting but suffice it to say that we have a promise from Mr. R. Muir that Mountain Township will get five miles of water-bound Macadem road next year and that the crusher will stay in Mountain Township for two years.

J. S. Anderson

News Of Chesterville

A large representation of girls and women were present recently at the Presbyterian Church to hear Miss Edith Sinclair, Dominion girls' work secretary for the Presbyterian Church in Canada. Miss Sinclair made an appeal for the Christian life. The opening exercises were conducted by Miss Elliott, president of the W. M S., assisted by Mrs. Jas Riddle, president of the Brockville presbyterial. Miss Gertrude Weegar officiated at the organ. The closing exercises were conducted by Mr. Ritchie-Bell, minister of the church. Dainty refreshments were served at the close of the session

Mrs Geo Merkley was hostess at a delightful bridge party held at her home on Thursday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. P. S. Boyd and Miss Jean Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Casselman left this week for Passadena, Calif., where they intend spending the winter

Mr. and Mrs. Thos Nash, of Ottawa, were recent guests at the home of the latter's brother, Mr. A. J. Forward and Mrs. Forward.

Vincent Petley and Douglas Bartrip, members of the Westminster Glee Singers, spent the week end with the former's cousin, Mrs. Geo Merkley.

Miss Mildred Langstaff, of Memptville, spent the week end the guest of Misses Maude and Helen Lacey.

Mrs. P. S. Boyd and daughter Lois spent the week end in Ottawa with the former's sister, Mrs. J W McIntosh.

Mrs. L Wernicke, of Montreal, is in Chesterville, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Casselman.

Mrs. Orval Colquhoun and daughter Arlie were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas Morrison, of Oshawa.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Casselman were, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Allison, of Morrisburg, Mr. and Mrs. Creighton Johnston, of California, and Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown, of Brockville.

Mr. T. R. Murphy, of Rossendale, Man., is spending some the guest of his brother, Mr. Henry Murphy.

Charles F. Whitteker

The Township of Williamsburg lost one of its most prominent citizens on Friday, Oct. 12th, 1928, when Charles F. Whitteker passed away at his home at the age of sixty-seven years and two days.

The late Mr. Whitteker had been in failing health for some time, but this end came as a great shock to his host of friends. Deceased had been a lifelong resident except some years while acting as assistant to the Superintendant of Canals He had always taken a very active interest in church and municipal affairs, and at the time of his death was a member of the church council of the Lutheran church at Williamsburg. He had served as a member of the Municipal Council and counties Council for some years. He had also taken a great interest in the formation of and conduct of Williamsburg Lodge No 489, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, and was also a last District Deputy Grand Master of the Order.

On November 1st, 1882, he was married to Deborah Whitteker, who, with four sons and three daughters survives. In his home life deceased was revered and loved for his kindly, sympathetic spirit, his frank manner, and spirit of helpfulness The funderal service was held in the Lutheran Church, Williamsburg, and was conducted by his pastor, Rev. C. R. Cronmiller.

Williamsburg Lodge A. F. and A. M. had charge of the funeral. The pall bearers were all Past District Deputy Grand Masters, namely, Right Wor. J. C. McFariane, of Cornwall, Right Wor. Glenn A. Shaver, Lunenburg, Right Wor. Frank Shaver, Aultsville, Right Wor. Aaron Sweet, Winchester, Right Wor. O D. Casselman, Chesterville, Right Wor. W. C. Davy, Morrisburg.

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2 pkgs. Corn Starch	25c	2 lbs. Seed's Raisins	25c
16 oz. Marmalade	25c	2 lbs. New Dates	25c
4 lbs. Rolled Oats	25c	2 lbs. Large Prunes	25c
2 pkgs. Macaroni	25c	2 tins Old Dutch	25c
16 oz. Pure Honey	25c	2 pkgs. Icing Sugar	25c
4 Cans Sardines	25c	3 bars Toilet Soap	25c
1 lb. Peanut Butter	25c	4 Jelly Powders	25c
5 bars P & G Soap	25c	1 lb. Tin Monarch Baking Powder	25c
8 bars Castile Soap	25c	1 can Pink Salmon	25c
2 pkgs. Corn Flakes	25c	2 pkgs. Shred. Wheat	25c
2 pkgs. Lux	25c	2 lbs. Laundry Starch	25c
½ lb. Chat. Cheese	25c	8 oz. Vanilla	25c
3 tins Kipper Snacks	25c	1 Large Tin Kippered Herrings	25c
Qt. Bottle Ketchup	25c	2 pkgs. Spaghetti Macaroni	25c
Pancake Flour	25c	3 bars Lux or Palm-olive Soap	25c
See Our Cakes	25c	2 lbs. Bulk Cocoa	35c
12 lbs. good Potatoes	25c	2 tins Sli'd Pineapple	25c
2 tins Corn, Peas or Tomatoes	25c	Redpath Sugar	$6.00
2 tins Clark's Beans	25c	Small Cheese	$1.40
3 Quaker Corn Flakes	25c		
2 tins Campbell's Tomato Soup	25c		

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Your meat troubles are over if you let us furnish your supplies. Our market is well supplied with Western Beef, Home Grown Pigs, Nice Spring Lamb, Breakfast and Windsor Bacon, also a tempting supply of Cooked Meats. Leave your order for Fowls.

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Rubber Footwear is fully guaranteed

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Little Gents' sizes 6 to 10 in heavy rubber.

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Track for Garage or Barn Doors.

The big exclusive advantage in R W Bird-proof Track is Copper Steel which lasts six times as long as ordinary steel.

Track 20c ft. Hangers $2.00 pair.
Brackets 20c each
Rollers for the bottoms 15c each
White Sheeting, extra heavy 7c lb.
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A full line in Staple Hardware.

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Flannelette Blankets. grey with blue and pink borders, and white with blue and pink borders, 12-4 at $2.50 per pair.

Grey Blankets, extra heavy with fancy trimmings $3.00 pair.

Ladies' Lined Mackinaw Coats

Mackinaws lined with a high grade quality of soft pliable tanned sheepskin in body and sleeve, in checked patterns, with belt and two side pockets. Price $13.00

The same Mackinaw with fur collar $14.00

May we have the pleasure of showing you these coats.

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Men's light weight Sweaters with V necks and two pockets made from best quality wool yarns in plain shades, Heather, Oxford, etc.

PRICE $4.50

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Boys' fancy woven Wool Flannel Wind Breakers, shawl collar, two buttoned pockets, elastic skirt, buttoned cuffs, assorted fancy plaids. Price $2.75

Men's Mackinaw Wind Breakers, shawl collars, two buttoned pockets, knitted skirts, a good assortment of fancy plaids. Price $3.50

Men's and Boys' Sweaters, Jumbo Knit with shawl collars. A color and price to please you.

Wool Socks, medium grey, dark grey and grey and white 50c pair.

House Cleaning Season is with us once more.

Washboards, Zinc 50c each.
Galvanized Tubs $1.50 and $1.90
Galvanized Wash Boilers $2.00
Bonami 15c, Old Dutch 15c
Washing Soda 10c, Soap Chips 15c
Chloride of Lime 20c, Flexo 25c
Liquid Amonia 15c, Pearline 10c
Gillett's Lye 15c, Sani Flush 35c
Kleenup Soap 25c
Laundry Starch 2 lbs. for 25c
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O'Cedar Polish 25c and 50c
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