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THIS YEAR'S SPORTS

(Brief Note by Mr. Arnold Webster
B.A.)

This year a new departure has been made in summer sport. Four teams are playing in a local league. Such efforts should be encouraged, and even next year, when Agassiz will probably be in a position again to enter a Fraser Valley League, it would be wise to continue the smaller organization at home.

The most evident weakness in modern sport is that there are usually too many spectators and too few participants. In the real sense, the physical and moral benefits of engaging in a co-operative game are apparent only to the player. For this reason we should discourage the apparent tendency to select a few who excel to perform for the entertainment of the larger group. It is worth sacrificing the standard of play in order to permit as many as possible to share the advantages of active participation in sport. This is one instance where quantity is more desirable than quality. Our slogan should be "Out of the grandstand onto the field."

CHILLIWACK STEAM LAUNDRY

Readers of the Record will notice that the Chilliwack Steam Laundry calls Tuesdays and Fridays. It is very handy to have your laundry called for and delivered. (See ad.)

A NEAR ACCIDENT

Passengers on a large five-passenger touring car from Vancouver just escaped death on the way to the ferry Saturday last. In trying to make up time they turned at the wrong angle and ran into the corner of Canoe Bridge, a cross-piece held and just saved them, but the car was badly damaged.

TIMBER INDUSTRY ADVANCING

According to figures given out by Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, the Timber Industry is steadily advancing in this Province. For the first six months of 1924 there was an increase of 15 per cent. in the amount of timber scaled over the total for the corresponding period last year. The total for the half year ending June 30 was over 1,800,000,000 board feet.

GOVERNMENT WILL ANNOUNCE POLICY SOON

Now that the Government is assured of a working majority in the Legislature, announcements of policies to be adopted are expected at an early date. The Premier is out for the removal of the discriminatory rates under the Crow's Nest Pass agreement on eastbound freight a reduction of rates on westbound grain and lower express rates. His Cabinet is with him.

Social and Personal

Mrs. W. L. LeFevre has taken the place of Miss Archibald while she is away on her holidays, and is stenographer in the Dominion Experimental Farm office.

Raymond Fooks, who is working for the C.P.R. at Harrison Mills, is visiting his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Beasley are the guests of Coun. and Mrs. A. S. Nichol. Mrs. Beasley is Mrs. Nichol's sister.

The Fraser Valley Milk Producers' Association has donated ten gallons of ice cream free to the Baseball Players, who are having a big day on Aug. 13th, to play off the last matches of the season, which is being advertised.

The gentlemen's singles in local tennis has been reduced to three competing for the cup presented by Rev. R. S. Turkington. They are as follows : Mr. Maynard Fooks, Mr. Clarence Gillis, and Mr. A. Jenkins.

The Dominion Experimental Farm is getting ready to ship seven head of horses and fifteen head of cattle to the Vancouver Fair on Friday next.

The Methodist Sunday School held its annual picnic in the Agricultural grounds and had a most enjoyable time.

The C.P.R. has just sent a gang of men to do considerable work around the depot, fixing sidewalks, fences, etc. There is at present a large gang working on the section.

Dr. and Mrs. Bruce have returned from their camping trip to Vancouver Island, well browned but satisfied.

Mr. Ford, of Seattle, who came here by motor about two weeks ago, was taken ill with lumbago and has been unable to leave his bed for about eight days.

Dr. McRostie, Dominion forage and crop specialist, is a visitor in Agassiz.

Mr. Hopkins, Dominion field husbandry, is a visitor to Agassiz.

Mr. Gooderham, Dominion bee specialist, was a recent visitor to the Experimental Farm.

Mrs. Owen, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Peterkin, has returned to Kamloops.

Mr. Geo. Sawyer's brother, who has been visiting him at his place of business at Harrison Hot Springs, has returned to Vancouver.

Mr. Cecil Tice, provincial soil and crop inspector, is a visitor at the Experimental Farm.

Mr. Bill Crabb is the mechanic in charge of the garage recently sold to Britt & Foster by Mr. John McPherson.

Mr. John McPherson is taking a well-earned rest after several years in the automobile business, which he has just disposed of.

Mr. D. Fleck and Jack Stow motored to Vancouver last Friday, returning tonight Mrs. Fleck and her daughter Audrey accompanying them for a visit to the ranch.

Mrs. Morris, of Vancouver, is a guest of Miss Dorothy Stow, Mrs. Ed. Cosford, of Star City, Sask., formerly Miss Edith Stow, is the mother of a fine baby girl.

Mrs. (Dr.) McCaffrey and her three children, Marian, John and Bobbie, left Sunday for a holiday at Bowen Island.

Mr. and Mrs. McBain and their son David left Friday for Bowen Island to spend their holidays. Mr. McBain is assistant superintendent on the Dominion Experimental Farm.

Mrs. Geo. McCullough, who has been dangerously ill at Mrs. Thompson's hospital, is doing well and expects to be up in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Inkman have returned from a short visit to the coast. Miss Dorothy Rodis, of Vancouver, accompanied her.

Robert Magill, who had a bad fall a short time ago, out of the hay mow on Mr. Arthur Agassiz's farm, has sufficiently recovered to be able to visit a friend up the coast to recuperate.

Mrs. T. Muirhead and her son Eric, of Vancouver, who has been spending the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. (Capt.) Logan, returned to Vancouver Monday morning, accompanied by Capt. Logan.

The Misses Louise and Aileen Young have just returned from a three weeks' visit to cousins in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Busselle have moved from the West end to Mrs. McDonald's cottage across from the school.

The Tennis Club is holding a holding a dance on the courts, Friday, Aug. 15th, and a good time is assured, even if the weather man objects, the good time will just be transferred to the I.O.O.F. hall.

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TENNIS TOURNAMENT

A big Tennis Tournament is being held in Chilliwack. Those participating from it in Agassiz are as follows : Mr. A. Jenkins, Miss Freda Jenkins, Mr. R. Glendenning, Miss Grace MacCallum, Mr. R. S. Turkington, Mrs. A. Squires, and Mr. Raymond Fooks.

ANNUAL PICNIC

Mrs. & Capt. Logan held their annual picnic at the close of the berry picking, when the whole force went to Sandy Cove, on Harrison Lake, where they had a very enjoyable time. Capt. and Mrs. Logan accompanied by their nephew, Meredith Atkins, are leaving Friday to spend a couple of weeks camping on the island.

MISSSES AGASSIZ ARE HOLYDADYYING

The Misses Minnie, Connie and Edith Agassiz left July 29th by motor for Vancouver, to spend the latter part of July and August at St. Mary's Rectory, Kerrisdale, Vancouver. Miss Edith will return with her nephew, Mr. Hugh Brown, when school opens. (Mr. Brown is to be our new school principal).

I.O.O.F. TO INSTAL PUMP

Owing to the vote on beer by the glass having failed, the I. O. O. F. Lodge have decided to instal a pump at the back of the hall, which is under the supervision of Mr. G. Nurse, and will be a great convenience to the different entertainments held there.

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"Not much to offer as a guest room, but our one best bet," he apologized. "I'll confess frankly that there isn't a single bunk-sheet in the detachment. But I think I can guarantee a sound sleep for both of you. I'll promise there'll be no breakfast alarm in the morning, but the makings of a meal will be beside the kitchen stove when you're ready."

Protest unexpected came from mild-mannered Mrs. Morrow. "But we're routing you out of house and home, sergeant," she exclaimed. With a nod of her blond head, she indicated an extra uniform which dangled from a hook against the wall, tell-tale staff stripes upon its crimson sleeve.

"A dreadful thing to do," added Moira. "And on your first night home after your long patrol!"

That portion of Seymour's face that was not bearded took color from the tunic that had bestridden him. "And I thought I'd removed all trace of the former occupant. Must be getting color blind." He carried the jacket into the living room. "Don't worry about your reverend, Mrs. Morrow; he'll bunk as snug as a bug out here with La Marr and me," he called back.

There was a chorus of good-nights; then the men settled to their pipes before the fireplace. After a reasonable wait in silence, Seymour lowered his voice and communicated to Luke Morrow the news of the tragedy. Without reservation, the missionary approved their course of keeping it from Moira until after the necessary legal formalities had been carried out. Then, he said, he would take charge with a religious reverence that might lighten the blow.

"She's a wonderful woman, Moira O'Malley," he said with deep feeling. "She endeared herself to everyone who met her over at Wolf Lake. Utterly wrapped up in her brother, this will be a terrible blow. I wonder if—" He hesitated. "Would it be admissible, do you think, to tell her of the death but not the fearful form?"

Glares exchanged by the three laymen showed that they appreciated the missionary's struggle—kindly thought against strict truthfulness. Long had he taught the "truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth." But just now he wavered.

"By gosh! It absolutely would!" Karmack vociferated.

Seymour's quick wit worked out a solution. "An accident of the Arctic prairies. I'll trust having that one marked up against me in the Doomsday Book."

"Blessed are the kindly of heart," murmured the "sky-pilot." "So be it!"

Of course, they all realized that Moira would learn in time the nature of the "accident," but that need not be until Time had its chance to save the wound. The arrast of Avic need not

bring about disclosure, once the whites in Armistice were pledged to keep it from her. She might know him only as another unfortunate, misguided Eskimo slayer, a handcuffed brother to Olespe of the Lady Franklin band, then in the guard room.

"But Mrs. Morrow?" The thought came suddenly to Seymour that the woman missionary spoke some Eskimo. "She'll hear of it from the natives."

Luke Morrow smiled; they did not know of the iron which was in the make-up of his little blond wife as he did.

"She is a good woman, so merciful. I will pray this out with her in the morning."

For a time, gloomy silence held the group around the fireplace. Suddenly Karmack leaned over and grasped Morrow almost roughly by the shoulder.

"Parson, do you know why that girl left her father and the comparative comforts of a British Columbia gold camp to share a trader's shack in bleak Armistice with her brother?"

The trader's demand scarcely could have been more vehement had he personally resented Moira's coming. "I know that he did not expect her. What's more, he never even spoke of having a sister."

The missionary's calm was perfect. "She had no way of letting him know that she was coming to spend the winter with him, once the wireless she sent to Edmonton failed to reach Wolf Lake," he replied. "She came through herself by team in the first storm of winter. We had great difficulty in keeping her with us until we ourselves were ready to make the trip across country. She'd have come through with an Indian dog driver if we had not protested so stoutly."

"All that to see a brother, eh?" snorted Karmack. "Are you certain she is his sister?"

Seymour sprang to his feet, an angry glint in his gray eyes. "Enough of that, Karmack! Express another such doubt and out you go—for good."

For a moment, a snarling expression strove to master the trader's face. The missionary poured oil.

"I'm sure Mr. Karmack meant nothing wrong. He's just a bit upset by all these happenings."

"Upset? Dear eyes, yes—I'll say I'm upset." The factor made a quick grasp for peace, for the sergeant looked dangerous. "All I meant was that I could understand a wife going to such an effort to join a husband, but not a sister."

"Any reason to believe Oliver O'Malley had a wife?" Seymour remained stern.

"None in the world. But a sister—To make a trip like that, she must have had some very pressing reason."

Again his eyes questioned the parson.

"If there existed any other than sisterly affection," said Morrow evenly, "she did not express it to me." His manner was so final as to make further questioning disconcerting.

Clumsily as Karmack had used his probe, he had but echoed a query that had been in Seymour's mind from his first realization of Moira's superlative comeliness. The sergeant had meant to ask about this when he and Morrow were alone, and he would have put his question without giving offense.

Why had one who deserved to be the honored toast of the Dominion rushed into the Arctic wilds, evidently unashamed, certainly unexpected, at a time of year when it would be next to impossible to send her back?

Was there any connection between her coming and what had occurred so recently in the Eskimo hut? Had she brought a warning of some sort to this beloved brother and been lulled into thinking she might delay for a

missionary escort and still be in time to serve and save him?

Those rapid-fire speculations, unvoiced, seemed to advise only negative answers. Yet why had she come? Constable La Marr, who had been silent all evening to a point of moodiness, now snapped Seymour from his thoughts with a question of his own. "And when are you going to turn me loose after that accursed Avic?" he demanded in a tone that was scarcely subordinate.

The missionary looked up at his violence, but had no censure for the speech of it. These men who give their lives to lighten the Arctic native's sorry burden grow accustomed to strong language.

"At daybreak you will take the dogs, mush over to Prospect, and subpoena those three mining engineers wintering there to serve on corner's jury. Bring them back with you. Miss O'Malley need know of only one inquest." He glanced with thoughtful eyes toward the closed door of the inner room. "After that—"

One look at the young constable's face must have told any who saw it that Avic, the Eskimo, would need to hide like a weasel to escape that arm of the law.

CHAPTER V. Silver and Black

La Marr was away at dawn with a vendre facias for each of the three gold explorers, the only competent jurors within reach. As it was a matter of forty miles rough sledding to the prospectors' camp and return, the inquests could scarcely be held before the late afternoon. That the girl whose emotions they were conspiring to protect might be too busy for vagrant suspicions, Sergeant Seymour suggested to the Morrows that they open up Mission House while he was at liberty to help them.

"Don't want to seem inhospitable, Mrs. Morrow," he said in his slowest, most deferential manner, "and you know you'll be welcome here as long as you care to stay, but I'm sure you want to get into your own place as soon as possible. Never know when some Arctic hader is going to cut loose and take me out on the trail. I'm off duty this morning—more than ready to help with the heavy work."

This brought an offer from Moira O'Malley that struck the hearts of those who knew.

"Our sergeant of the Dismounted is positively brilliant this morning," she said, confounding him utterly with twin flashes of Irish blue. "Why, all the time I attended school in Ottawa, I saw no one more considerate. You see, when Oliver gets back from this inconsiderate mush of his, I'll become quite useless as your handmaiden, Emma, with all the things a brother will be needing done for him."

Mrs. Morrow had not been advised of the true situation, but she had her own ideas as to the proper habitat in an outland's camp for a girl like Moira.

"Oh, you'll keep right on living at Mission House as long as you're here, my dear," she said. "The shack of a bachelor trader is no place for so dashing a belle."

"But I know Ollie's quarters, whatever they are, will need my sisterly attentions," she protested, spreading unconscious agony to the two men. "His room at home always was a sight. A place for everything but nothing in its place seemed to be that of Mick's motto.

As the two went on ahead to the small dwelling that had been closed since the previous spring thaw, Seymour found himself asking again why she had come. Were sisters as devoted as that? As motherly. Never having had a sister, he was unable to answer.

The pair stripped weather boarding from doors and windows, alredy the house thoroughly and carried in a supply of wood from the shed. They then closed it tight and built roaring fires in every available stove to remove the winter chill. The native hostler from the post already had shoveled paths through the snow.

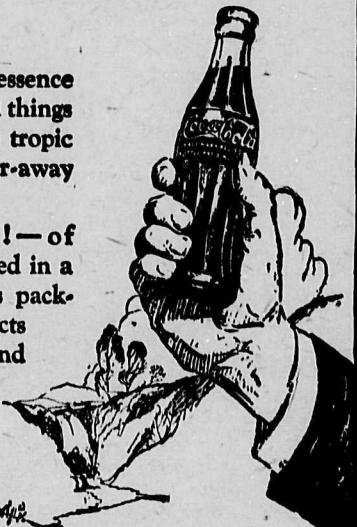
So far as the two males could see, but little inside cleaning would be necessary. But the women, on coming to the house presently, revised that verdict and fell to with broom and mop.

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One of the notable observances took place at the Monastery of St. Ivan of Rila, in the mountains above Samokov, where the Bulgarian letters created by the apostles from Latin, Greek and Hebrew material, were preserved from extinction during the Turkish domination of five centuries.

The celebration of the day is also marked by the Orthodox Church to recall the introduction of Christianity among the Bulgarian people, and its spread to the other Slavic peoples by the followers of Sts. Cyril and Methodius.

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**WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD**

The Italian airplane expedition to the North Pole has been postponed until next year because of lack of time.

The Prince of Wales will travel incognito, as last year, when he comes to Canada this autumn.

An order relaxing the existing restrictions on the movement of imported Canadian cattle in Scotland was issued on July 14.

Chinese customs officers raided the American sailing vessel Talbot in port at Shanghai and seized arms and ammunition valued at \$50,000.

The broncho riding test at the British Empire Exhibition, in which the Australians backed their compatriot, Snowy Thomson, for a substantial amount, ended in a victory for the Canadian competitor, Pete Vandermerre.

On July 7, seven British battle craft, the first British squadron to enter an American port for 40 years, steamed through the Golden Gates to the United States on their way home from their British Dominion visit the world over.

A decided expansion of Japan's air forces to increase the present force from eleven and one-half squadrons to seventeen squadrons by 1928, is being contemplated, Admiral Hyo Takarabe, minister of naval affairs, has informed the Diet.

WOMEN'S HANDCAPS

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A woman's health handicaps her almost always. She has pains and disabilities which do not afflict men. Nature does not give her a fair chance. Her blood is more often thin and poor than a man's, and she often neglects the first beginnings of ill-health. Many women who seemed destined to a life of frequent suffering have been freed entirely from their suffering through the wonderful blood-making qualities of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Many a woman toils all day with a pain in her back and side, a burning headache, and a sense of having no spine left.

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The congress adopted a resolution urging increased energy in promoting emigration to the Dominions. "We can give a good living in Canada to all who are willing to work," said John Elliott, of Belleville, Ont., mover of the resolution.

Native German Bird Disappearing
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People look with horror on the tales of early colonial days, when men and women were put to death for witchcraft. They express thanks that the country has progressed beyond the time when a code of laws was printed in a blue-covered pamphlet and became known as blue laws. These laws provided penalties for many things that now seem trivial, but occasionally the link between the past and the present is forged anew. An old Connecticut law made it criminal for a mother to kiss her infant on the Sabbath Day. Sanitary laws now say it is criminal for anybody to kiss babies on any day. Another Connecticut statute provided that "every male shall have his hair cut round according to a cap." There is not much difference in spirit between this and a ruling of the Wabash county township trustees that no woman will be employed as a teacher if she has bobbed hair. From Pennsylvania comes a dispatch that all the teachers in one town have had an increase in salary of \$100 a year, except those who have short hair. They are not to be permitted to have higher salaries unless they let their hair grow. It might be logical to assume that the teacher with short hair spends less time on it, and has more time in which to prepare lessons for her pupils. It is fair for school authorities to regulate the manner in which women wear their hair, they might regulate men's habits and fashions. Whiskers formerly seemed to be considered as an evidence of learning, but they mean no more now than a second Lieutenant's moustache. If women wish to have their hair cut, evidently that is their own business.—Indianapolis News.

Birds Grow On Trees

A many-colored bird that leaves its eggs suspended from the boughs of trees was discovered by a party of English scientists that returned to Bombay recently from the heart of India. The eggs hatch in mid-air and the birdlings tumble to the ground.

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Moro Fishermen Find Extensive Pearl Beds**Have Monopoly of Certain Territory**

In China Sea

New and extensive pearl beds have been discovered by Moro fishermen recently in the China Sea off the north coast of the Island of Palawan, one of the Philippine group, according to Dr. W. H. Wade, chief pathologist of the Culion leper colony, who has just returned to Manila.

Moro fishermen have a monopoly of the new beds, and the waters around the coast of Palawan are dotted with the sails of their boats. Until recently the chief pearl beds of that region were located south of Palawan in the Sulu Sea and a majority of the fishermen were Japanese.

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Medical Aid At Sea**Radio Request For Antitoxin Received****Quick Response From Liner**

An interesting page from the log of the S.S. Empress of Scotland, contains details of the assistance rendered the S.S. Digby on the last westbound trip of the big Canadian Pacific liner. The entry reads as follows:—"At noon, when the ship was in latitude 53.04 north, longitude 31.34 west, a general radio was sent out by the S.S. Digby reading: 'All stations. Digby noon, position 53.42 north, 36.05 west, course 73 true, speed 13 knots, requests positions of vessels in vicinity having on board diphtheria antitoxin as this is urgently required. (Signed) West-gart."

"Calculations of these positions made ships 130 miles apart. After consulting with the ship's surgeon our course was adjusted to meet the S.S. Digby and at 4 p.m. she was sighted nearly ahead. At 4.37 p.m. her boat was alongside and in an hermetically sealed case the medicine was transferred at once. The vessels proceeded on their voyages after the exchange of greetings. From the reduction of speed on approaching the Digby life-boat until the engines of the Empress of Scotland were on full speed ahead, was only a matter of ten minutes, namely reduced speed at 4.37 p.m., full speed ahead, 4.47 p.m.

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WM.F. TOLLADAY

Former Press Employee Meets Sudden Death

Saturday night saw a sad tragedy to the auto ride from Vancouver to Haney of Mr. W. Wesley Tolladay, who was to be the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Samuels, of Port Haney. The Overland car owned and driven by Mr. Samuels, after crossing the Pitt River traffic bridge, in some way skidding, toppled into the ditch at the side of the road. Mrs. Samuels was riding on the back seat, but in the upset was thrown forward; Mr. Samuels was partly thrown forward through the windshield and his head pined under a seat. Mr. Tolladay seems to have had where he sat of heart failure on the car's displacement.

But the sad event has already been told at length in the City Dailies, as also an account of the inquest. Enough on the latter score to note that the Jury found no one to blame the whole being set down as an accident.

It is with profound regret that we learn of Mr. Tolladay's sudden demise as he was a most respected member for months in 1921 of our staff, and on the Haney Herald taking establishment he for some time joined service there.

Wesley, as he preferred to be called, was a great favorite, and one of the most honorable of men. He was at once friendly, devoted and capable; a consistent church-goer; and, in fine, a "man among men." His word was as good as his bond." He was coming up to arrange some details of business with us as well as spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Samuels when the fatality occurred. And now, alas, he is beyond the pale of all business concern. His few remaining relatives in Great London will learn the harrowing news, but can render no help. The management and staff of both local papers deplore the loss of a trusted and trusting employee and of very faithful friend, who now rests in the Silent City.

WHAT OF THE HOSPITAL PROJECT?

Some time ago action was started re securing a public hospital for the municipality. Have the committee forgotten the project entirely? It was understood at the time that when the summer activities were well under way the matter would have the consideration of the citizens. Why not now? There is surely no less need than when the question was mooted last winter. May we not have consideration in the near future?

WHO IS THE NORTH AMERICAN INDIAN?

This great question may well have the serious consideration of all thoughtful readers. Fortunately for all such, we have from the pen of an able writer a poem of considerable length which is at once thoughtful and instructive, and will appear in our next issue.

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It must be remembered that trade begets trade. Every shipment abroad of British Columbia wood products furnishes an opportunity for expansion of our commerce in other directions.

This series of articles communicated by the Timber Industries Council of British Columbia.

Miss Nonie Simpson, secretary of the Haney Lawn Tennis Club, and daughter of P. H. Simpson of the B.C. Berry Growers' Association, underwent several serious operations early in the summer, and is just now beginning to feel able to go out again.

RUSKIN NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Gilchrist and family of Vancouver have been the house guests of the Gilchrists at Kildonan Lodge.

Mrs. N. Lind had for her guests this week Mrs. Johnson and family of Chilliwack.

Mrs. W. Macdonald and family and Mrs. Shaw and family picnicked at Stave Falls on Friday.

Mrs. M. J. Stoltze of Vancouver is at present visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Guy Fessenden.

Mrs. Sinclair, her daughter Barrie and son Charlie of Edmonton are spending two months here as the guests of Mrs. Sinclair's brother, Mr. Will Lang and her sister Mrs. Geo. Gilchrist of Kildonan Lodge.

Mr. C. Sobey, Miss Mary Sobey and Mr. and Mrs. Flaherty motored to Vancouver on Friday.

Messrs. Arthur and Ernest Durrance of Port Kells are spending a week's holiday with the Jamison Family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Maxwell, Messrs. Billie and Angus Maxwell, of Port Hammond spent Sunday with the Gilchrist Family.

Mrs. Bruce Gleig of Stave Falls had for her guests on Friday, Miss Ruth Fessenden of Vancouver, and Mrs. A. Stoltze of Ruskin.

Mr. and Mrs. Reeves and Family (Vancouver) have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Pelkey.

Mrs. Dave Lougheed and Family of Stave Falls are enjoying a holiday at Crescent Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Stoltze, of Stave Falls, and Miss Ilene McIef of Webster's Corners, spent a few days in Vancouver this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Fessenden and family spent the week-end at the coast.

Mr. W. Lang, Mrs. G. Gilchrist and Mrs. Sinclair and family motored to Bellingham on Monday.

Mr. Joe Sorley was a passenger to Vancouver on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Macdonald motored to Vancouver on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamison have had for their guests Mr. and Mrs. R. Lougheed, Miss Chaytor and Miss Dorothy Chaytor, all of the Terminal City.

Someone broke into one of the Boy's Cabins Sunday night and stole clothing and other articles.

PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION AT WESTMINSTER

ENCOURAGE SCHOOL STUDENTS

Education is the foreword of the Royal Agricultural and Industrial Society of British Columbia through the medium of the annual provincial exhibition held each year at New Westminster, and the 1924 Fair will be no exception, as the Management has worked out many new and novel features for the benefit of the thousands of visitors who never miss this great agricultural demonstration.

Among other things of interest, substantial prizes are offered to the school students for plasticine, clay or paper mache relief map work.

showing the build and shape of the Lower Fraser Valley and 122.50° West longitude to the Straits, and from the International Boundary far enough North to include all of the North shore of Burrard Inlet, except the North arm of Burrard.

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All well-travelled roads in the Lower Mainland. All cities, towns and villages shown on map of Lower Mainland, including the City of New Westminster, showing all roads, highways, railroads, electric roads, and waterways leading thereto, and also showing the Provincial Exhibition grounds. Place names may be shown by slips of paper on tooth-picks stuck in proper place.

String or thread of different colors may be laid on, one color to show steam railways, another color to show electric railways, etc.

The Exhibition offers three prizes of \$10, \$5 and \$3 for the best exhibits, and the first prize exhibit to become the property of the Society, as it is intended to have it framed and placed in the Board room after the Fair.

This is only one item of the many classes open to school boys and girls for competitive exhibits, as will be found in the school section of the comprehensive prize list the Fair Board has issued.

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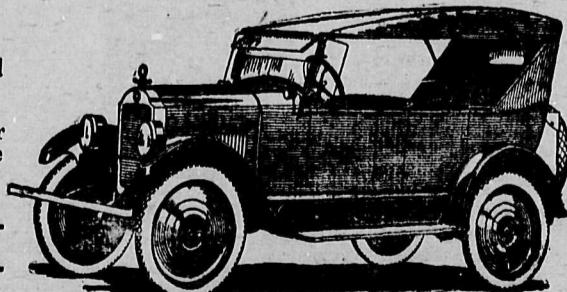
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Letter No. 3.

A special party of members of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association is at present in England. It was not possible for the Editor of The Gazette to go, but we have made arrangements by which we shall publish a series of articles descriptive of the journey and doings of this representative body of Canadian weekly newspapermen. The articles will give impressions of Belgium, the battlefields, Paris, London, the British Empire Exhibition, and of many points in England and Scotland. They are written especially for The Gazette by Hugh Savage, editor of The Cowichan Leader, Duncan, and president of the British Columbia and Yukon Press Association.

Torquay, July 11th, 1924.
In the bay before and below me lies a great grey Armada, lit up by the setting sun. It is the Atlantic fleet, numbering 80 vessels and including the Queen Elizabeth, Barham, Warspite, Valiant, Malaya (the gift ship of the Malay States) Resolution, Royal Oak, Royal Sovereign and Revenge.

There is a B.C. touch in the first destroyer flotilla to which belongs H.M.S. Vancouver. Capt. J. B. Haynes who for many years sailed in and out of Vancouver, sends remembrances and good wishes back to "The Coast".

We steamed all through and round this fleet at Weymouth, eight days ago. It was then too breezy to board the flagship for tea but many of our party have visited the Revenge. But all this is "ahead of the game". Every minute of our trip has been so crowded that opportunity to write has been nil, and the wonder is that of us have come through after twenty days experience of Belgian, French and English hospitality. Just to illustrate the manner in which honors and privileges have literally been showered upon Canadian Editors of weekly newspapers it may be recorded that within two weeks we had been accorded receptions and had shaken hands with the King of the Belgians the President of France our own King and Queen, the Duke of Connaught, Princess Louise and Princess Patricia.

But, here again, I am anticipating. To pick up where I left off, our whole day in Paris was perhaps the most memorable. We went to the Sorbonne (University) and after lunch called at the office of "Le Petit Journal", where sixty typesetting machines were humming at work. I must record here that as we prepared to drink to this famous French paper in the wine of the country, a photograph was taken by flashlight. It was developed, printed, finished and shown to us in exactly 3½ minutes.

From there a few of us went to a reception at the home of Madame Stern. France still has her great ladies. Our hostess, for all her 72 years, embodied all the charm and vivacity that is France. It is impossible to describe, even in many lines the beauty of her home. It is a veritable treasure house of art—old masters, tapestries, carvings, books, galleries, stained glass, from which one's gaze travels outdoors to a fairy garden—fountains and trees, flowers and emerald grass—all in the very heart of Paris.

Not a stone's throw away is the Palace d'Elysee, to which Madame Stern accompanied us, and where the President greeted us with appreciative words for Canada. Afterward we walked around the glorious grounds of the palace.

Paris is sheer delight. One does not have to go indoors. Come as we



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did, and see the sunset behind the great Arc de Triomphe, beneath which flickers the undying flame in remembrance of 1 1-2 million who died for France in the Great War. The street lights are reflected in the polished streets, fountain and statue and noble pile are there for everybody's delight.

On Sunday, June 29, our party left early, via Deppe and New Haven, for London. A dozen of us drove round in those speedy Paris taxicabs, saw new sights and stool in Notre Dame as the great organ pealed and priests chanted. Soon we were whisked away to the aerodrome, and, after nearly four hours continuous flying, we dropped into Croydon and were carried by car to our hotels.

London on Sunday seemed tame beside Paris. Before one realized it, there was the Thames, looking to our eyes like an overgrown creek. Our driver bares his head as we pass that simplest and greatest of British war memorials, the Cenotaph. Had your eyes been shut you would have recognized the indefinable smell of the Strand.

English voices, washbasins in great hotels, telephones which made you swear, empalised squares, set about with leafy trees and bright with flowers—we had come to the heart of the Empire. We had come home.

(To be continued.)

NOTES BY THE WAY.

I was particularly struck with the fine modern, up-to-date store of Mr. Widdess at Haney. He has certainly refined the art of window-dressing. We wish him every success.

Well, the main berry season is over except for a few Blacks. Yesterday I saw Mr. Grant's, market commissioner's, report on last prices of Raspberries. Surely the independent shipper has received his medicine this time. Raspberries selling in Calgary at \$1.25 a crate! Mr. reader, just imagine! Let us dissect this price.

Picking75
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United States and the League of Nations

A proposal for a national referendum on the question of the United States entering the League of Nations has come from the platform committee of the Democratic National Convention, and should the Democrats carry the elections of members to the Senate and House of Representatives, the proposal for such a referendum will undoubtedly be vigorously urged.

The League of Nations is only four years old, but there is already included in its membership fifty-five nations representing more than three-quarters of the area and population of the world. Only eight countries are still outside the League, namely, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Afghanistan, Mexico, Russia, Turkey, Germany and the United States. With the signing of the Treaty of Lausanne, Turkey announced her intention of applying for membership, and Germany will no doubt be admitted as soon as the present abnormal economic and political situation is settled. Russia is antagonistic and at present ineligible due to her peculiar political constitution.

Playing the game of party politics in the United States kept that country out of the League, notwithstanding the great part taken by the late ex-President Wilson and his colleagues in drafting the League Covenant. There has, however, always been a strong sentiment in the United States in support of the League of Nations and favorable to membership and active participation in its work by the United States. That sentiment has been kept alive and developed by the League of Nations Society in the United States, and by powerful public men, newspapers and organizations.

The large measure of success achieved by the League during the past four years has also had its effect in convincing thousands of people who, in the United States, as elsewhere, were somewhat skeptical that an international organization could be created, maintained and be made effective based on a mutual understanding of international co-operation and goodwill and to achieve international peace and security. To many the idea seemed visionary, too Utopian, and altogether impracticable.

However, in a space of time actually shorter than the Great War, the League of Nations has been successful in settling three disputes which otherwise would almost certainly have resulted in wars; caused the cessation of hostilities between Poland and Lithuania; stopped a war actually in progress between Yugoslavia and Albania, and, through the instrumentality of the Permanent Court of International Justice established by the League, settled a serious dispute between Great Britain and France.

The League saved Austria from bankruptcy and has established that country firmly on the way to prosperity, thus preventing further trouble in Europe which inevitably would have followed the break-up of that country. It is now engaged in similar work for Hungary.

Through its International Labor Bureau, which consists of representatives of Governments, employers and employed, the League is improving industrial conditions by raising the standards of labor uniformly throughout the world, thus removing the old excuse that labor conditions cannot be improved in one country because of the lower standard prevailing in other countries in competition with it.

Action taken by the League stopped the extension and ravages of the plague of typhus which threatened to overrun all Europe. The League secured the liberation of half a million prisoners of war held in Russia long after hostilities had ceased. It is waging an organized world-wide campaign against the opium and drug traffic, as well as for the suppression of the traffic in women and children. It is engaged in scientific research and campaigns for the prevention of disease, and wherever a danger spot of plague arises there the League concentrates its good health forces.

The League of Nations is the greatest existing agency doing practical work for the reconstruction of the shattered nations of Europe, upon the rehabilitation of which depends the security and prosperity of the world. It is the one existing human agency carrying in itself the hope of all peoples for the maintenance of peace, and the ultimate disarmament of the nations. It is carrying on this work at a yearly cost not more than the upkeep of one first-class modern battleship.

The Great War cost Canada over one and one-quarter billions of dollars, not to mention the still more tragic loss in human life, in bodies crippled and shattered, in untold agonies of human suffering. The after-cost of the war to Canada this year will be \$56,729,400, or over one million dollars a week. On the other hand, Canada's contribution to the upkeep of the League of Nations, the only existing human agency capable of preventing war, will be only \$198,688, or less than four thousand dollars a week. That is our national insurance premium against war.

These things are having their effect on the people of the United States, and if the League issue could only be separated from party politics in our sister Republic, there is little doubt what the verdict of the people there would be. Hence the plan of a national referendum is to be welcomed. In the meantime, as the only North American member of the League, it is Canada's duty and privilege to interpret the League to our neighbors to the south, and in their intercourse with United States' citizens, whether personal or in their business relationships, Canadians should strive to promote sentiment favorable to the League of Nations, and show very clearly that they are looking forward hopefully to the day when the United States will occupy its rightful place in the brotherhood of nations, and in that long-dreamed-of Parliament of Man represented by the Council and Assembly of the League of Nations.

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Weekly Mail To Alaska

Railroad Makes This Possible For First Time Since 1898

Residents of the Yukon River are receiving a weekly mail service for the first time since 1898, during the great gold rush of the Yukon. The Alaska Railroad has made this possible.

A train leaves Seward, on the Gulf of Alaska of the Pacific Ocean, and winds its way to Nenana, 400 miles north of the interior. At Nenana the mail is transferred to government steamers which run on a weekly schedule down the Tanana River to Fort Gibbon on the Yukon River. From there the boats ply the Yukon to Holy Cross, 400 miles from the river's mouth.

From Holy Cross the Northern Commercial Company operates a fleet of launches to Nome and St. Michael, on the Bering Sea coast, and Innoko and Iditarod on the Innoko and Iditarod rivers in the interior.

War Upon Cancer

Progress Is Made In Fighting This Dread Disease

Vice-Chancellor J. G. Aram, of Liverpool University, formerly of McGill University, Montreal, in a statement declared that research work at the university had reached the stage where it was possible to effect the disappearance of some, if not all, internal cancers.

The vice-chancellor also announced that research work in connection with foot and mouth disease had advanced to a point where it was possible to predict that a remedy for the disease would soon be found.

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Enjoyed Visit To B.C.

Special Service Squadron Entertained 70,000 Visitors During Stay In Vancouver Harbor

The three cruisers of the special service squadron entertained 70,000 visitors during their 10-day stay in Vancouver harbor. On the last day, close to 3,300 children alone were taken over the ships. Vice-Admiral Sir Frederick Field said: "We have all immensely enjoyed our visit to British Columbia. Both officers and men have been absolutely overcome with the kindness and hospitality of the people, and have been tremendously impressed with the resources and prospects of the country." Two hundred of the visiting sailors were entertained July 5 in New Westminster and Cloverdale, the day's programme including the inspection of logging camps.

Use Miller's Worm Powders and the battle against worms is won. These powders correct the morbid conditions of the stomach which nourish worms, and these destructive parasites cannot exist after they come in contact with the medicine. The worms are speedily evacuated with other refuse from the bowels. Soundness is imparted to the organs and the health of the child steadily improves.

A philosopher is one who realizes that the people who have the things he wishes for are no happier than he.



British Boys For Canada

Fifty boys sailed recently on the steamship Regna for Canada, where they will find positions on farms. Their departure forms part of the scheme to train 1,000 boys at the Hadleigh farm colony of the Salvation Army in London. The boys were urged by General Bramwell Booth to reproduce in the land of their adoption all that was best in the thoughts and traditions of the motherland.

A Severe Attack Of Heart Trouble Was Relieved By MILBURN'S Heart and Nerve Pills

Mr. S. E. Barnes, Athens, Ont., writes:—"Four years ago I had a very severe attack of heart trouble. I consulted my doctor; he treated me for some time, but I only seemed to be getting worse. I finally went to our druggist and purchased three boxes of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and derived immediate relief from their use, and I can truthfully say they are a wonderful medicine. I always keep a box on hand, and if I feel out of sorts I take a few pills and feel all right again."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50¢ a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

The apex of futility: Asking a woman "Why?"

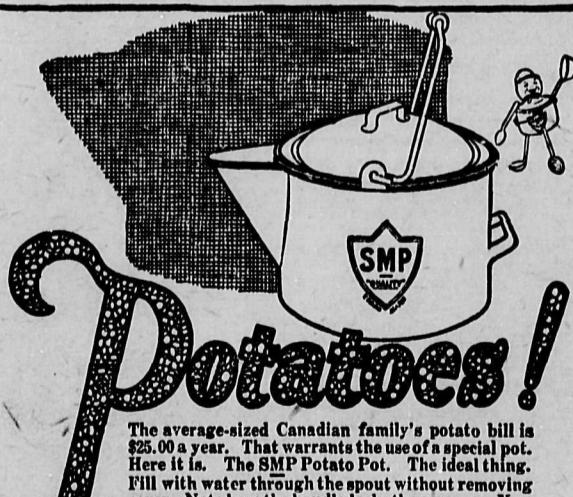
The cheapness of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator puts it within reach of all, and it can be got at any druggist's.

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Canadian Engineer Has Plan To Make Seaports In The Heart Of The Continent

Ocean-going steamers before long may sail up the St. Lawrence, through the Great Lakes and into the heart of Western Canada, reaching up to Winnipeg by joining Lake Superior and Lake of the Woods into one big sea, over the waters of an artificially created sixth great lake.

Other ships can go up the Mississippi, up Lake Michigan and across Lake Superior and, too, reach the sixth lake.

The project, which would create this sixth lake, would make possible the generation of a vast amount of hydroelectric power and would restore the lakes to the water level of 50 years ago.

And the cost? It is estimated at \$5,000,000.

This tremendous undertaking is the idea of Ralph Keemle, Canadian engineer, who has spent almost a lifetime studying the water-dotted section of Canada between Lake Superior and Hudson's Bay. Sir Adam Beck, chairman of the Ontario Hydro Electric Power Commission, is considering the project.

An area as large as Lake Erie can furnish the basin for the sixth great lake, says Keemle. Into this basin, north of Lake Superior, can be diverted the waters that now flow into Hudson's Bay.

All that is necessary, says Keemle, is construction of three dams and three diversion channels, for the three main rivers upon which the new lake will depend. Access to the lake would be effected by the English and Winnipeg Rivers, which would become navigable streams, to Lake Winnipeg, and by canal to Lake Superior.

The project would more than pay for itself in a short time in waterpower and navigation benefits, says Keemle.

Yet one of its greatest advantages is seen in its possible solution of the controversy over Chicago's withdrawal of water from the Great Lakes for its sewage disposal.

"Chicago is drawing 40,000 cubic feet of water every second," explains Keemle. "This diversion has lowered the lakes' level about five and a half inches. Every inch the lake level is lowered cuts the cargo capacity of big vessels and costs many cities millions to dredge their harbors so big freighters can continue to dock. The loss in power is enormous."

"With the Chicago withdrawal cut down and the immense volume of water added from the new lake project, the Great Lakes will be raised to the level of 50 or 100 years ago and the value to commerce will be inestimable."

Keemle cannot see the completion of his project before another decade or two, but when it is done, he says, it will become a priceless asset to the United States and Canada.

"Before long," he adds, "the Great Lakes will be used to make seaports in the heart of the continent. Many of the harbors and channels are shallow and it is of prime importance to conserve the water supply, to maintain levels and, if possible, to raise them."

A school near Birmingham has made the interesting experiment of inviting the parents of pupils to attend once a week for the purpose of inspecting the work done by the scholars.

Natural Resources Bulletin

Capital Is Needed For the Development Of Our Mines and Other Resources

The Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa says:

In speaking to the members of the New York Bankers' Association which met in Montreal recently, Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, called attention to the great natural resources of Canada that awaited the necessary capital for their development and advised the bankers to study these resources.

In thus speaking to United States bankers, Sir Henry did not need to include Canadians generally. There are many thousands of people, however, whose actual bread and butter depend upon Canada's natural resources, who give no consideration whatever to the basic raw materials which our natural resources provide.

Our lands, forests, waterpowers, mines and fisheries are back of all industry, and Sir Henry, as head of a great

railway system recognizes that it is in the development of the natural resources of Canada that the success of Canada's railways and her farmers,

her artisans, her commercial and industrial interests and her people in general depends.

Study of what natural resources Canada has, what development is taking place and what the possibilities are, is most interesting and educative.

Much information in this connection in the form of pamphlets and maps, is available from the Natural Resources Intelligence Service.

Copper Coins To Be Smelted

Circulated In Dutch East Indies More Than 100 Years

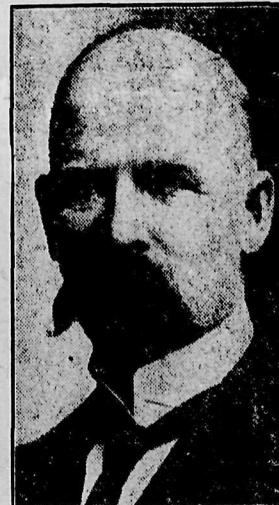
After circulating, many of them for more than a century, in the Dutch East Indies, 233 tons of copper coins were unloaded recently on their way to a smelting plant in New Jersey. Many bore the date of 1790; others were worn so smooth that their age could not be determined.

These symbols of the trade of a corner of the world that readers of English associate chiefly with the novels of Joseph Conrad soon will be transmuted into just copper practically pure copper, however, worth about \$250 a ton.

The coins were collected by the Dutch Government ten years ago when the old issues were recalled and replaced with new.

Hot plates, warmed by electricity, are set into the ground at certain street corners in Amsterdam. They are intended for the comfort of policemen on traffic duty.

Prominent Official Passes



DR. FRED TORRANCE

former veterinary director-general of Canada, who died suddenly in Guelph while sitting at the wheel of his automobile.

The Price Of Wheat

Indications Now Point to Somewhat High Price Levels

Dr. David Friday, director of research in the National Transportation Institute at Washington, predicts that wheat will sell in the United States at \$1.25 a bushel before election day and at \$1.35 before Christmas, and that agricultural discontent in the west will be greatly lessened.

The leaders of the Republican party have special reasons for hoping such a forecast will be realized. It would take the wind out of the sails of the La Follette campaign, which is inspired mainly by genuine agrarian grievances. But if wheat rises to such a figure it will not be through the wisdom of politicians, but from causes which they do not control—bad crop conditions in many parts of the world, and a reduction in the acreage sown to wheat.

If wheat rises to \$1.25 or \$1.35 in the United States it will go equally high in Canada. Recently Winnipeg prices have been in advance of those at Chicago. There is little risk in prophesying that the price-level will be higher for this year's crop than it was for last year's but as to the Canadian crop itself June estimates will not hold for August. So far the prospects are excellent in the three prairie provinces. A good harvest and wheat at \$1.25 would be a combination that would enable the country to face the winter cheerfully.—The Toronto Globe.

Housewife (to new girl).—"There's one more thing I wish to say, Gertrude, if my husband should attempt to get gay with you, just box his ears."

Gertrude.—"Yes, Mrs. Doe. I've already done so."

Youth Of Britain's Colleges Are Becoming Interested In Farming Careers In Canada

Canada may anticipate from now on a more or less steady stream of the finest product of the public schools and colleges of the British Isles to the Dominion. This is the consensus of opinion as expressed by those best apprised of the situation—the headmasters of these schools—to Professor Loghead, of Macdonald Agricultural College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Quebec, who spent three months in visiting the premier educational establishments of the British Isles to bring to the attention of students there the advantages of a farming career in the Dominion, and the benefits of completing their scholastic courses at a Canadian agricultural college.

The appropriateness of the professor's novel campaign at the present time, was attested by its unqualified success in every respect. He was very cordially received by the various headmasters, was accorded the thorough co-operation of the Conference of Public School Headmasters, and his campaign endorsed and supported by the British press and public men in general. His reception by the various student bodies he addressed was enthusiastic and attentive. In all he visited and spoke at thirty-two of the principal and most representative public schools and colleges in England, Ireland and Scotland.

Whilst broadly addressing all the young men of England completing their education at its colleges, and pondering over careers, his message was more particularly to those youths contemplating farming careers in the Dominions. To such his advice was not to commence farming immediately, but to complete their academic work with a course of from one to four years at Macdonald College, and to initiate their actual endeavors with a thorough knowledge of Canadian ways and methods, and with Canadianization that through the co-operation of the Canadian Pacific Railway they would secure positions on selected Canadian farms for the four months of summer vacation and carry out their learning on yet more practical lines.

Professor Loghead brought before the youth of Britain's colleges in a new and forcible manner, the dignity of farming as a profession in Canada, pointing out that to young men it not only offered a congenial and profitable career, but one which appealed to men of the highest order of intelligence and greatest education, demanding the utmost scientific application and permitting them to rise to the highest positions the country can offer in all its phases of existence.

This initial campaign, which will probably be followed up by others, has unquestionably been successful not only in directing the attention of those already contemplating farming careers

to the advantages of agricultural training in Canada, but in turning the minds of many others towards the opportunity Canada offers in other lines of her national development to men of specialized education. The masters of these various colleges welcomed the innovation because, as they pointed out, openings for their graduates were becoming more limited every year, and they were forced to look to fields of endeavor beyond the British Isles, of which the overseas Dominions were naturally the first.

As this appeal was made to young men still pursuing their studies, and merely tended towards directing their minds along logical channels of thought, direct results can hardly be discernible for some time. That the campaign will be fruitful, however, can be judged from the fact that many young men who had already graduated from the schools were indirectly influenced and brought to see Canadian farming opportunity in a new light. Some of these are already in Canada as a result of the Professor's visit, working through the summer upon Canadian farms to attend Macdonald College in the fall, whilst many more are expected in the course of the year.

The importance of getting such a movement started cannot be overestimated. When the best educated and highest trained of the youth of the British Isles can be brought in numbers to see and comprehend the real status of Canadian farming and the opportunity such a career offers for the utilization and development of their exceptional educational attainments, Canada should benefit immeasurably from the settlement of a great many of them. Hundreds of graduates of England's public schools have found profitable and congenial careers on the farms of Western Canada, but usually their experience has been such that they would support Professor Loghead, and advise those following them to prepare themselves for Canadianization by a knowledge of Canadian farming methods at one of the Dominion schools of agriculture.

China's Egg Production

No Poultry Farms But Every Family Raises Chickens

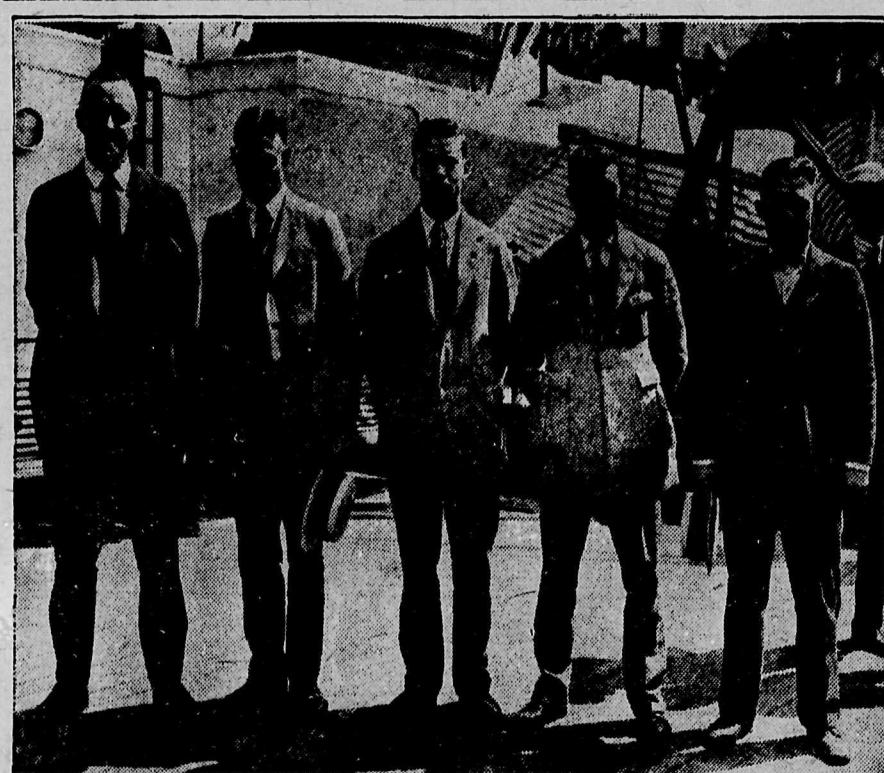
More than 1,000,000,000 eggs are exported from China annually, according to estimates of the Foodstuffs Division of the Department of Commerce of the United States. The annual production of eggs in that country is placed by the same authority at 26,250,000,000, or the product of 350,000 laying hens at an average of 75 each.

In addition to eggs exported in the shell approximately 57,642,000 pounds of egg albumen and yolk and 36,812,000 pounds of frozen eggs are shipped out of China each year. A report prepared on the subject says that Japan is the principal market for Chinese eggs in the shell, while Great Britain takes more than half the albumen and yolk and almost all the frozen eggs exported. The United States buys only one-fourth as much egg albumen and yolk from China as does Great Britain. The bulk of the large quantities of egg products imported by the United States, however, comes from China. "The cost of producing eggs in China is very low," the report concludes. "There are no poultry farms. A few chickens are raised by almost every family, and are fed table scraps with coarse rice or low-grade wheat and other crop refuse, vegetable scraps, and what can be picked up in the yards and fields."

Resistance Of Burmese Wood

The pyinkado, or Burmese iron wood has wonderful powers of resistance. A pillar of this almost invulnerable substance is on view at the Imperial Exposition. Under test the wood repelled a rifle bullet fired at 20 yards range without leaving a mark. It was startling to be told by a lecturer that a stroll through and across the forests of Burma would take two men 60 years, at the rate of two miles an hour for five hours a day. And yet some of the Burmese railway coaches are built of American timber.

Skyscrapers of the pyramid type, such as are now becoming popular in New York, may be the solution of Tokyo's problem of re-building on an earthquake-proof basis.



CANADA'S HOPES IN THE OLYMPIC SPRINTS

This group, photographed aboard the Canadian Pacific S.S. Montclare includes, from left to right: L. Armstrong, Manitoba; C. Coaffee, Manitoba; J. McKechnie, Quebec; A. Vince, Ontario; G. Hester, Ontario. Each of these five men has equalled the Olympic record in the trials.

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BONDS SELL WELL

The sale of another \$2,000,000 issue of British Columbia bonds has been effected by Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance. This brings the year's sales up to \$8,000,000 and the Minister is receiving congratulations upon the splendid price received. The best price received by any Canadian Province has been secured for the Provincial Securities offered. The Finance Minister retires to private life with the knowledge that his administration of a difficult department has stamped him as the outstanding Finance Minister of the Pacific Province.

EXAMINATION HOWLERS.

The "Guardian" recently had an interesting article on schoolboy wit and the instances quoted are vouchered by a Diocesan Inspector:—

One boy declared that it was his duty to learn our neighbour truly to get my own living."

Another said that the "accursed thing" was one of the rules the Nazarene must not break, and that it was his duty to bear no manners in his heart.

"What happened to Jacob when he went to sleep?" "Please, sir, something came and bit him."

"Why did the Jews stand when they ate the Passover?" "Because they hadn't enough chairs."

One youth philosophically said that it was wrong to marry two wives, "because no man can serve two masters."

Lydia is described as the girl out of whom St. Paul casted the devil of divinity.

When asked what do we call it when people eat too much? One boy replied: "Indigestion." The same boy described Temperance as "Not drinking bad spirits."

The Canadian Pacific S.S. "Empress of Canada" arrived at Vancouver, B.C., on May 24th, following a world cruise of five months and nearly 30,000 miles. The passengers witnessed a remarkable eruption at Hilo, in the Hawaiian Islands, on May 17th. After a public welcome at Vancouver, they left for the East, stopping en route at Banff Springs Hotel for a dinner-dance. E. W. Beatty, President of the Canadian Pacific, who met the ship, said that she had done important missionary work in carrying the Canadian Ensign over the Seven Seas.

Arrangements are well under way for entertaining the members and friends of the Canadian Teachers' Federation during their trans-Canadian tour, which will take place August 4th-12th over the main lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway, in a train specially provided for their accommodation. Fort William, Port Arthur, Winnipeg, Regina, Moose Jaw, Calgary, Edmonton, Banff, Lake Louise, Vancouver and Victoria are all planning festivities. The Canadian Pacific is preparing to give the teachers a royal time at their beautiful Rocky Mountain resorts and the people of Victoria, where the subsequent convention will be held, will also help to make their stay in that city a memorable one.

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NOTICE**Re HENRY GRIFFITH, deceased**

Notice is hereby given that all creditors having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of Henry Griffith, late of Agassiz, in the municipality of Kent, Province of British Columbia, who died at Agassiz aforesaid on the 24th day of March, A.D. 1924, are requested on or before the 12th day of August, A.D. 1924, to send or deliver to A. S. Nichol, of Agassiz, aforesaid, executor of the said Estate, particulars, duly verified, of their claims, and their full names, full addresses and occupations.

After the last mentioned date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which he shall then have notice, and that he will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim notice was not received by the time of such distribution.

Dated this 15th day of July, A.D. 1924.

A. S. NICHOL,
Executor.

Here and There

Comparative figures on the hydro power installed in the United States and Canada show that the latter is far in the lead in respect of horse-power installed per 1,000 of population. The United States has 10,455,000 h.p. of installed water power against Canada's water power installations of 3,227,414 h.p. The horse-power per 1,000 of population in the United States is 95, but in Canada it is 350.

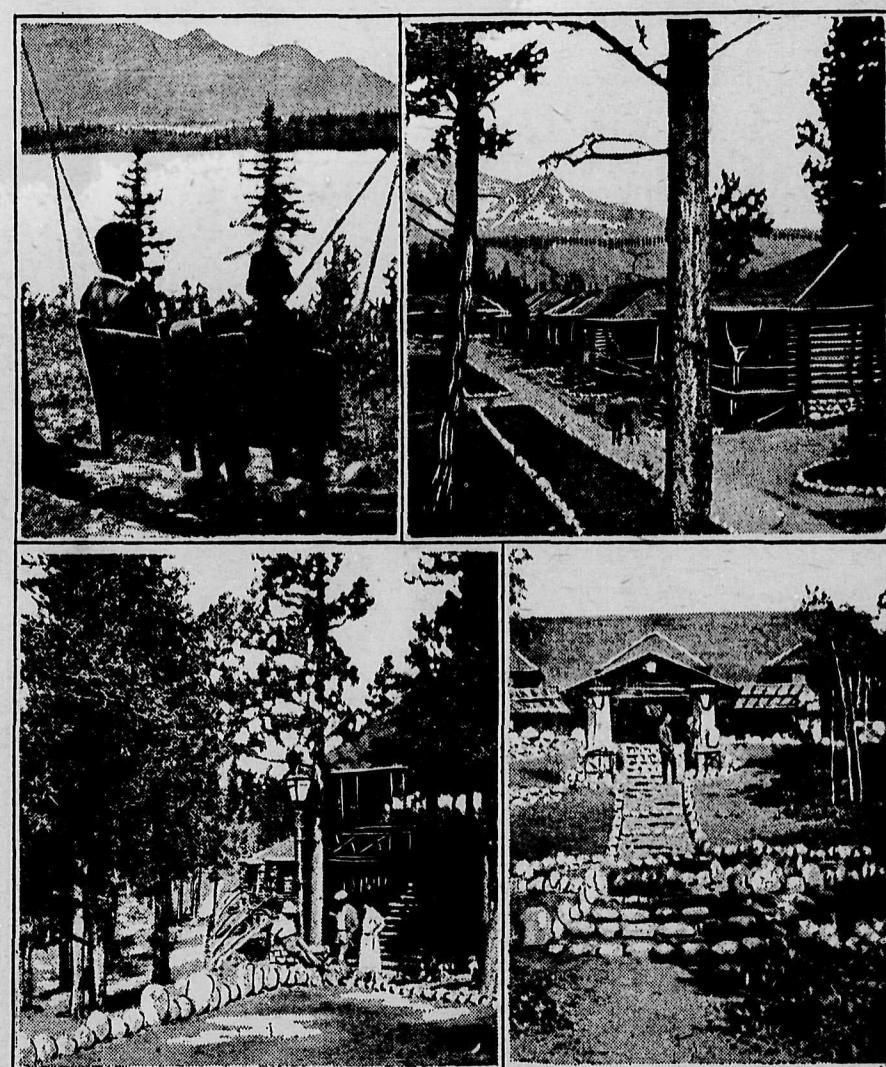
A steady increase in the volume of wheat exports from Canada is noted in the monthly statement issued by the Bureau of Statistics. In April, 1924, 6,085,465 bushels in all were exported, as against 5,143,304 in April, 1923. Included in these figures are 32,805 bushels sent to the United States, 2,972,460 to the United Kingdom and 3,080,191 to other countries.

Approximately 80 per cent of Manitoba's wheat acreage has been seeded, despite the general lateness of work on the land occasioned by unfavorable spring weather. Practically every district correspondent reports a reduction in the wheat acreage, with corresponding indications that barley and flax acreage, in particular, will be increased.

Alberta provided the bulk of the wool sold by the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers' Association last year, 1,062,613 pounds, of the total of 2,843,365 pounds of the 1923 clip, coming from this province, according to a statement made by the general manager of the Association. Ontario growers took second place, with 636,076 pounds, followed by Manitoba-Saskatchewan, 459,583 pounds. Sundry shipments totalled 345,599 pounds.

The value of the building permits issued in 56 Canadian cities showed a large increase during April, as compared with March, 1924. Representative cities authorized buildings to the value of \$13,452,359, as compared with \$9,162,763 in the previous month. Nova Scotia, Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba and New Brunswick registered increases in the value of building permits issued.

Except in sheep, Canadian live-stock and livestock products show an increase in shipments to the United States all along the line in the January-February period of this year, compared with the corresponding months of last year. Cattle shipments in the period were 11,190, compared with 10,310; beef 923,400 lbs., compared with 443,800 lbs.; bacon 81,769 lbs., compared with 80,100 lbs.; pork, 165,800 lbs., compared with 90,300 lbs., and mutton 2,400 lbs., compared with 700 lbs.

CANADA'S NATIONAL PLAYGROUND

CANADIANS are fortunate in their National Parks, in that they have within their borders Alpine scenery which is not equalled anywhere on the continent, and more and more they are realizing that holidays in Canada hold for the lover of out-of-doors all the thrills that could be found anywhere in the world. Jasper National Park in the Canadian Rockies, contains many high peaks, eternally snowcapped, and on the sides of the mountains are glaciers which have stood the test of ages. Millions of tons of ice, stretching in some instances, almost as far as the eye can see, lure the adventurous

climber to new attempts, while in the calm, peaceful valleys wild game of all kinds live at peace with mankind and the world.

Additional bungalows for the accommodation of guests are to be erected at Jasper Park Lodge, the log-cabin hostelry of the Canadian National Railways at Jasper National Park in time for the opening of the 1924 season, it is announced by officials of the Hotel Department, Canadian National Railways. During last season the popularity of Jasper National Park was so great that the capacity of Jasper Park Lodge was taxed, and the additional bungalows being

provided this year will take care of almost fifty per cent. more guests.

Four 4-room bungalows, each room with bath, and two 12-room bungalows, each room also having private bath, are being erected. In addition, a double-deck boathouse, with the upper floor for conventions, and dancing, is being constructed, and an octagonal curie building is being built near the main Lodge. Four new buildings are being erected to serve as employees' quarters, the kitchens are being extended and the main lounge is being extended to provide for a ladies' reception room and for a men's billiard and card room.

ONE OF NATURE'S WONDERS**The Devil's Potholes**

MALIGNE CANYON, in Jasper National Park, is one of the natural wonders of the entire Rocky Mountain region. A vast cleft in the solid rock, reaching a depth of some 200 feet, and so narrow in places that one may step across it easily, draws from the tourist expressions of awe and wonder at the power of accumulated forces of water.

Tumbling headlong down the narrow gorge goes the Maligne River, mysterious as to its source and for part of its length a subterranean stream, on its way to join the quieter waters of the Athabasca far below. At times on its passage through the narrow gorge, it tumbles more than one hundred feet in a sheer drop, its eddies being churned to foam as the waters beat a tattoo against

the rocky sides of the canyon on their downward leap.

From the footbridges which span the narrow gash in the solid rock, tourists watch entranced the effect of the waters on the rocky sides. Here and there, seemingly tired of the effort to stand upright through the centuries, the sides of the gorge appear to have leaned toward one another, until an intervening rock cast itself into the narrow space and held the walls apart. Trunks of trees and jutting rocks form footbridges across the chasm a hundred feet below the tourists' feet, as they stand admiring the glint of the noon-day sun upon the falling water.

Maligne Canyon is a mecca for visitors to Jasper Park Lodge, the splendid log-cabin hostelry of the Canadian National Railways. In addition there are the snow-capped peaks on every side; the glaciers of Mount Edith Cavell and

Entrance to Cave, Maligne Canyon

turial rock formations to equal in interest those found in the canyon. The Devil's Potholes, curious indentations in the solid rock over which the Maligne River flowed before the Canyon was worn to its present depth, are holes worn deep in the surface rock by the action of swirling flood waters, when a large stone has been whirled round and round in an untiring circle until the stone itself was worn small and round, and deep circular holes have been ground into the surface of the rock, remaining as mute testimony to the power of rushing waters.

Maligne Canyon, while one of the most wonderful formations to be found in the Rocky Mountains, is but one of the many natural attractions of Jasper National Park. In addition there are the snow-capped peaks on every side; the glaciers of Mount Edith Cavell and

the mountains surrounding Maligne Lake, the Hoodoos of the Cavell motor highway and hundreds of others. Wild animal life is abundant, and the calm peace of the out-of-doors is assured to the tired holiday-seeker.

And in addition to the natural beauties of the Park, a commodious log cabin bungalow hotel; with excellent cuisine and all the comforts of the modern city hotel, provides a starting point from which parties may radiate by motor or pack-horse or afoot to travel by motor road or pack trail into the very heart of the wilderness. It was the edition of the comforts and conveniences of Jasper Park Lodge to the beauties of Jasper National Park which caused one noted American traveller to exclaim: "At last, I have found the place, where God and man go fifty-fifty to produce perfection."