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## Abbotsford Auction Market

Owing to harvest being in full swing I will postpone all dates of the Abbotsford Auction Market until harvest has been completed and will announce in the paper when same will start again.

**ALAN M. BROKOVSKI**

AUCTIONEER

Office Next McPhee's Stable

P. O. Box 34

### AGED RESIDENT OF ABBOTSFORD DIES

The death of Mrs. B. Stapledon took place at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Rudge, Abbotsford, on Friday morning. The aged lady suffered a stroke of paralysis about two years ago from which she did not fully recover, although she was able to enjoy life and sometimes took a short drive in the automobile of Mr. and Mrs. Rudge. A few days before her death she suffered another severe stroke from which she did not rally, but with remarkable vitality lingered for nearly a week, although she did not respond to medical treatment. Her remains were removed to Victoria and the funeral service was held from the home of her late sister, Mrs. S. W. Conyers, Victoria. The service was conducted by the Rev. W. L. Macrae on Monday, the 24th inst. Mr. J. G. Brown sang with impressive sweetness the solo, "Peace, Perfect Peace," which he had sung seven years ago at the funeral service of her husband, and the interment was in Ross Bay Cemetery, Victoria, where her late husband was buried seven years ago. The late Mrs. Stapledon was in her 77th year and had enjoyed excellent health until recent years. She was a lady of kindly dignity, of a cheerful disposition, very sympathetic to all in need and was greatly loved by her family and friends. She leaves to mourn their loss her son, Mr. S. J. Stapledon, Victoria, her daughters, Mrs. F. W. Rudge, Abbotsford, with whom she made her home for thirteen years; Mrs. R. Johnston, Inverness, Skeena; Mrs. May Moody, Vancouver; Mrs. H. M. Berryman, Abbotsford; her grandsons, M. Bert Stapledon, Seattle; Mr. W. G. Rudge and Mr. G. O. Rudge, Abbotsford; Messrs. Jack and Harry Berryman and Mr. Robin Stapledon; and granddaughters, the Misses Reta and Florence Johnston and Miss Morna Stapledon. Also one brother, Mr. W. B. Skillen, Victoria.

The funeral services were deeply impressive and besides all the members of her family and a large number of friends were present to pay their tribute of love to the memory of one who was very dear to them. The floral offerings were beautiful, suggestive of the life of the dear lady who had gone.

### WHONNOCK'S PRIZE LISTS AVAILABLE

WHONNOCK, July 18.—The prize list of the third annual fall fair at Whonnock is being distributed by Secretary L. E. Bartlett. The fair is held under the auspices of the Whonnock and District Farmers' Institute, the president being N. M. McKay, with J. H. Rainby as vice-president and T. C. Crowe, D. Philpot and H. Warrington as directors. The annual event will be held this year on Friday Sept. 9.

### REVERSING OF TIRES ADDS TO MILEAGE

After the rear tires have been worn considerably interchange with the front tires. It is also good to reverse sides. The tractive strain on the rear wheels makes it advisable to place new tires on the rear wheels moving the old ones forward. Some of the greatest mileage records known have been gained in this way.

### CHOOSE FRED STORK TO CONTEST SKEENA

PRINCE RUPERT, July 14.—After a protracted session the Liberal convention Tuesday night nominated Fred Stork to contest Skeena riding at the next federal election in the convention was for delay and three ballots were taken out before it was finally decided to nominate. No other name was before the convention.

Mr. Stork was the Liberal standard-bearer in the last election. He defeated Col. Peck in the constituency but the soldier vote overseas reversed the decision. Before choosing a candidate a Skeena District Liberal Association was formed with Hon. W. L. MacKenzie King and Hon. Oliver as honorary presidents; Hon. Alex. Manson, president; H. F. Kergin of Alice Arm and Louis Devor of Smithers as vice-presidents; F. G. Dawson, secretary; J. McNulty, treasurer, and additional executive members ex-Mayor Thomas McClymont, Dr. W. T. Kergin and Mr. Carrigan. Speaker Manson presided at the convention and P. G. Dawson was secretary.

### TWO DATES FOR FALL FAIRS THE SAME

(From Fraser Valley Record)

It has come to the attention of this paper that the dates for the Masqui Fall Fair and the Abbotsford-Sumas Fall Fair fall on the same dates, viz: Thursday and Friday, September 23 and 24.

The secretary of the Abbotsford-Sumas Association was communicated with over long distance, and it appeared a surprise to him. He stated that in arranging the dates he had advice from the department that the two dates were vacant and he chose them. The Matsqui secretary could not be gotten over the phone.

It seems a great mistake that both these fairs should be on the same date as the districts join each other. It means the failure of one or both of them and the dates should be immediately changed for the best interests of both districts.

President Hutton-Harrop seen today does not think that the date of the Abbotsford-Sumas fair coming on the same day as the Matsqui fair will 'cut very much ice' owing to the fact that the Abbotsford-Sumas prize list is to give out more money in prizes than the Matsqui fair.

There are others who regret that the dates clash.

The C. G. I. T. gave a social on Thursday evening in the Masonic hall. It was well attended and was a great success. The proceeds are for the True Blue Orphanage.

New Song by some girls—"Where is my wandering boy (you know) 'till he drives a truck) to-night. Oh do not forget to come back."

## PERSONALS

Mrs. Beatty and Miss Ireland of Moose Jaw are the guests of Mrs. Ferris.

Miss Annie McPhee spent Saturday at her home here.

Rev. Robertson and Mr. A. McCallum attended Presbytry in Vancouver on Tuesday.

The Misses Steeds have returned from their vacation at White Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Nixon of Vancouver, Miss Anna and Thelma Nelson and Miss Audrey Mildmay spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. B. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Coult and family are spending their vacation at White Rock, Ladner and other points.

DIED: Mr. Authier, Sir. At the home of his sister, Mrs. Prefontaine, Vancouver, on Saturday. Interment took place at Ocean View Cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Coogan attended the funeral, Mr. Coogan acting as one of the pall-bearers.

Dr. Swift, Mrs. Swift and family are touring Vancouver Island for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Waterston, Huntingdon, celebrated the Glorious Twelfth by receiving a new baby Orangeman.

Miss Helen McCallum of Abbotsford is spending her vacation at Mission City, Vancouver and Victoria.

### FLATS TO BE DYKED RICH LAND ON KOOTENAY

VICTORIA, July 18.—Governor Baker, of Idaho, accompanied by W. G. Swendsen, commissioner of reclamation for Idaho, arrived here recently to commence preliminary discussions with Premier Oliver and the Hon. T. D. Pattullo, minister of lands concerning the reclamation of 190,000 acres of rich agricultural land in the Kootenay flats area. Thirty-five thousand acres of the area under consideration for the reclamation scheme is in British Columbia, near Creston. The rest is in Idaho.

Both the British Columbia and the Idaho men declare that the land is some of the finest on the continent. It cannot be turned to production because it is subject to overflow from now because it is subject to overflow from the Kootenay. If area is reclaimed: it was pointed out, British Columbia and Idaho between them would be able to take care of several thousand settlers who would rush for holdings in this favored area.

### MAY BUILD MODEL TOWN

OTTAWA, July 16.—A model town for tubercular returned soldiers may be established on a 7000-acre tract of land across the north Thompson river at Kamloops, B. C., as a result of the investigations of the sub-committee of the special parliamentary committee on soldier's civil re-establishment. The report of this sub-committee indicates the feasibility of the scheme and Thomas Adams, town planning adviser of Ottawa, are collaborating in an endeavor to have plans mapped out for presentation to the main committee on re-establishment at the next session of parliament. The reserve comprises 32,751 acres, and is valued at near \$1,000,000.

### MEETING OF TRUE BLUES

A special meeting of the True Blue lodge was held in the Orange hall on Saturday evening. Mrs. Green, the provincial grand organizer, and Miss M. Burns, provincial grand treasurer, were present. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. A. Bates, M. Harvey and others of Mt. Lehman. Some general business was transacted and important and inspiring addresses were given by the visiting grand officers.

Hope is revived that the White-Rock-Crescent Highway will be commenced this summer. Last week Mr. Alex. Paterson, M. L. A., accompanied by a government engineer, paid a visit to the proposed route and endorsed it, especially approving the easy grade.

### ABBOTSFORD FORMS BRANCH OF POULTRY ASSOCIATION

The poultrymen's meeting called by the board of trade and district last Friday evening was well attended by a representative gathering of poultrymen and others.

The meeting, which was held in the G. W. V. A. club rooms was addressed by Mr. Chas. Good, provincial government inspector of poultry husbandry for the Lower Mainland.

Those attending found the lecture most instructive and interesting, the lecturer demonstrating many points in his address with live birds furnished for that purpose. Mr. N. T. Hill, president of the board of trade, was in the chair, and introduced the speaker. At the close of his address a hearty vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Good for his excellent address.

Then Mr. J. L. Preston, being called upon, addressed the meeting on the advisability and feasibility of forming a branch of the poultrymen's association for B. C. On a vote of the meeting being taken, it was unanimously decided that a branch be formed, and Mr. J. L. Preston was elected temporary president, with Mr. A. George as temporary secretary. Practically all the poultrymen present handed in their names as prospective members. After passing a motion that a meeting be called for Friday, the 29th inst., for the purpose of completing the formation of the branch, the meeting adjourned.

### WANTED BADLY IN MISSION CITY QUICK

(From Fraser Valley Record)

Mr. Clouthier, formerly salesman for Stuart Motors, left the country on Saturday evening in one of Stuart's motor cars, accompanied by a young lady it is supposed as she disappeared about the same time and has not been seen since.

Before departing that gentleman forged Stuart Motors name to several cheques which he cashed—two of \$50 and one for \$65.

It was not noticed for a few days that the cheque-artist had been busy and it was only by accident. Two of these cheques reached the bank but the third was too late.

Every effort is being made to bring him back. There will be several charges to answer besides the cheque incidents.

Mrs. Clouthier was here from Vancouver on Saturday last.

Services will be held in St. Matthew's Anglican Church at Abbotsford every Sunday night at 7:30. Rev. T. E. Rowe, vicar.

# Mid-Summer Clearance

- Ladies' House Dresses, dark and light prints to clear at ..... \$1.50
- Other qualities to ..... \$4.50
- Child's Wash Rompers in a dozen different patterns. Sizes 2 to 6 years to clear at ..... 75c
- Whitewear, Underwear, Vests and light weight Combinations at Give Away Prices.
- Ladies' Voile Waists, Balkan Middies and other new styles, to clear at ..... \$2.35
- Girl's Straw Hats. We have a particularly large stock in a great variety of Styles to clear at Half Price.
- Children's White and Black Stockings sizes 6 to 9 1/2 to clear at, pair ..... 29c
- Ladies Corsets, Heavy White Coutil, low bust, exceptional value at ..... \$1.95
- Ladies' Fine Georgette and Crepe de chene blouses at very special clearing prices.
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## Spots on the Sun!

Spots that a few of them will have some time in chasing. Eh. The readers of the Vancouver morning paper were pleased to see that that paper took up the question of the Sumas dyke. A million to reclaim the dyke and nothing to protect Nicomen Island!

Reward for electing Oliver in 1916.

## STOP THE WASTED EFFORT

Compared with most countries, Canada has been free from serious industrial disturbances resulting in strikes and lockouts. In this respect, indeed, the Dominion has been most fortunate, and it is not only a matter for national congratulation, but it speaks well for the sanity, commonsense and general goodwill prevailing in this country, and an indication of the fair-mindedness of both employer and employee.

Recently, however, the printers of Regina went on strike to enforce compliance with certain demands made by them and which the employing printers felt constrained to refuse in view of the present business conditions and the steady decrease in living costs now taking place. Among the demands made by the journeyman printers was that a 44-hour week should be adopted but that the old scale of pay for 48 hours work should be continued. Other demands were for the adoption of certain restrictive shop rules which would have the effect of decreasing production.

One such rule was a further extension of a very vicious rule already in force—a rule which, while not benefitting the worker, imposes a burden of expense, not on the employers, but on the general public. It is a rule which makes a demand for the doing of positive and absolutely waste work. To explain: If a merchant inserts an advertisement in a paper and at the same time orders say 500 or 1,000 copies run off as a poster, the Union rules prohibit the use of the same type for the double purpose. In other words, the identical job has to be set up in type twice, whereas once would, and should, suffice. Thus double cost is entailed, and the public have to pay for it. The Union is laboring under the crazy delusion that they are thereby creating work for printers and providing employment for a larger number of men. They forget that as the workers constitute the great bulk of the buying public they themselves are forced to pay for this waste.

As a matter of fact they are not creating more work and providing more employment; indeed experience has proven they are restricting both work and employment, because by reason of the increase and unnecessary cost of work there is less done.

Any process of labor which does not produce something of value is economic waste, pure and simple. The production of something for use is the only way to increase wealth, and it is only through the increase of wealth that more employment can be provided. That is to say, wealth is production. There may be prospective wealth, enormous potential wealth, in the soil, in the mines, in the forests, and in many latent forms but such wealth is not worth so much as a brass farthing to the people of the world until labour is brought to bear and this natural wealth is converted into things men require. And if men's energies are devoted to work which produces nothing they need, which is work merely to make work and serves no good purpose, then the source of wealth are not increased but decreased. The whole world suffers, but most of all the workers themselves.

The workers of the world need to learn the lesson that the first requisite for the payment of the good wages they demand, and have a right to receive, is that the employers make enough money to be able to pay good wages. Wealth, let it be repeated, cannot be distributed until it is created, and whatever interferes with the creation of wealth interferes with the distribution of wealth in wages as well as in profits. When Union rules interfere with the creation of wealth they interfere with the welfare of labor as much as they interfere with the welfare of capital.

As a matter of fact, they interfere with the welfare of labor a great deal more than they interfere with the welfare of capital, because about ninety per cent. of the wealth created is distributed in wages, and capital is well content with anything like ten per cent. of the wealth created. It should, therefore, be the intelli-

gent purpose of the labor unions to meet any depressed situation in business by increasing productivity and profits. Whenever labor, by restrictive rules, or capital by curtailing production, interferes with the material creation of wealth, it interferes with the material development of the race and with the common possession of the advantages of modern productivity as far as each restrictive act is operative.

There are, says an American writer, two fundamental facts to be recognized: First, that productivity is necessary for permanently high wages and second, that high wages are essential to general prosperity. The less the productivity, the less there is to be distributed in profits and wages. That is reasonably obvious.

And since the vast majority of the people of this or any other country perily depends upon the prosperity of the mass, it is equally obvious that only liberal wages will create general prosperity and the general purchasing power, which, in turn, means the prosperity of every individual and of every individual business.

Therefore, let there be good wages paid for good work, and let good work—really productive work—be given good wages.—EX.

## EGG LAYING CONTEST FOR 1921—22.

## One To Be Held At Agassiz

1. Each entry or pen shall consist of ten birds of a standard variety; each bird must be typical of the breed, and free from standard disqualifications as laid down in the Standard of Perfection.

2. Each contestant will be allowed to keep his pen of 10 birds up to strength throughout the year. In the Canadian Contest, two reserves intended as substitutes, must accompany the original birds and will be housed with them in the pen. The ten birds for the original pen must be specified before the Contest begins. Further substitution will be allowed as deaths occur. In the provincial Contests substitutes will be accepted when deaths occur.

3. The accommodation being limited, any entry may be refused and preference will be given:

1. To breeders who have had their flocks entered in Record of Performance.

2. To breeders who enter birds by themselves.

3. The Inspector's report of the flock.

4. The time of application.

4. Pens for which applications have been received are subject to inspection between August 15th and September 30th, and those that prove to be amongst diseased flocks or kept under unsanitary conditions will be rejected. Those that do not promise to mature satisfactorily or those that may mature too early, may be rejected.

5. Each entry of a pen, and each additional entry of a male or female, must be accompanied by a declaration stating that the bird or birds come from a flock that has not been affected with chicken-pox or tuberculosis for at least three months previously.

6. The birds may be banded by the owner with his own bands before shipment, but will be rebanded with the sealed contest bands upon arrival at the contest, and the original bands removed. The Contest numbers corresponding to the owner's numbers, will be supplied him.

7. The birds must be delivered at the Contest, when notified by the management, express prepaid. This will be from the 15th to the end of October. Address the shipping crate plainly with the address of the Contest as given in the announcement, and on each crate put your own address, which must be the same as the address under which the application was made.

8. The management reserves the right to refuse any entries, to reject and return to the owner, those which are in any way unsuitable for the contest. To destroy birds suffering from contagious or infectious diseases, to clip the wings of any bird that may be troublesome, to reject all birds that show impurity of breeding or standard disqualification, and to return to the owner, pens from which eggs have not been received by December 15th.

9. After February 21st the owner will be allowed to send a suitable male to mate with his pen, and any or all eggs from a mate pen, from March 1st to April 18th, may, at the request of the owner, be shipped to him, or to any single address which he may designate. If he so desires, the owner may designate individual birds from which he wishes to have eggs for breeding. All eggs will be shipped in bulk, but only to the

one address throughout the breeding season. As the mating of the pens is optional, it will be noted that, in the case of post of production awards a proportionate reduction of feed will be made in the pens having a male bird.

10. Eggs so shipped will be charged at a price to cover market value plus extra cost of handling, and will be shipped express collect. A bill will connect each shipment, which must be paid, before the next shipment will be forwarded.

11. While in the Contest the birds will receive the best of feed and care; and the system of feeding will be mixed grain in litter morning and evening, and dry mash in a hopper before them all the time. Green feed, grit, shell and beef scrap or green bone will also be supplied. They will be kept in houses having glass and cotton fronts.

12. The Contest shall be decided by the total number of marketable eggs laid by each pen. Exceedingly bad shaped eggs, soft shelled eggs or eggs weighing less than 20 ounces to the dozen will not be given official credit.

13. All eggs laid during the Contest become the property of the Department of Agriculture, and those not shipped as breeding eggs will be sold at Market prices.

14. A report of the trap-nest weekly record of each bird, and a weekly and total record of each pen, will be issued at the close of each week. Copies of this report, along with a six months summary will be sent to each Contestant, and to all papers that will publish them.

15. If no notification as to the return of the birds has been received by October 1, 1922, the birds on the completion of the contest will be sent by express collect, to the owner's address from which the shipment was made. Should any of the pens not be laying towards the close of the Contest, and appear not likely to lay before the end, they will be returned earlier, so as to make room for birds entering for the next Contest.

16. No recognition will be made of any sale or transfer of birds during the Contest, nor shall any entry be withdrawn during the Contest, except for reasons stated above.

17. All birds in the Contests, not otherwise disqualified, whose eggs average 24 ounces to the dozen and that in 52 consecutive weeks lay 150 eggs, will receive certificates of Record of Performance AA, and those that lay 225 eggs, will receive certificates of Advanced Record of Performance AA.

18. While every precaution will be taken, neither the management nor any official of the Contest will be held responsible should loss occur.

19. In all cases, the decision of the management shall be final.

## OUR INSECTIVOROUS BIRDS

It may appear startling, but it is a fact that if all the insect pests ravaging our crops could be suppressed, and all the plant and tree diseases eradicated, and the increased revenue derived by the country thereby could be turned into the Dominion Treasury, there would need to be no question of taxation. This idea is largely substantiated by the fact set forth by the Entomologist of the Dominion Department of Agriculture that a conservative estimate of the annual loss in Canada to field, orchard and garden crops due to destructive insects is upwards of \$200,000,000. As our authority says "To this huge devastation must be added the enormous annual destruction caused by forest insects, stored produce insects, etc." Upon this statement the Entomologist founds a well-sustained argument in favor of the protection of insectivorous birds, such as the prairie horned-lark, the robin, the somewhat despised crow, the red-breasted Nuthatch, the western Tanager, the Myrtle Warbler, the Chickadee, grouse, gulls, and many other kinds. In the state of Iowa it has been estimated that tree sparrows annually devour something like 895 tons of weed seeds! Speaking of the robin, an investigator in Toronto found that a single bird in confinement ate 165 cutworms in one day. Another authority states that a brood of prairie horned-larks consumed 400 cutworms in one day. The same authority, namely, Mr. Norman C. Stille, Dominion Entomologist for Manitoba, declares that six crows are capable of consuming three hundred grasshoppers in one season. It is recorded that in certain places in Manitoba areas of growing grain have been saved from destruction by the pestilent grasshopper owing to the presence of large flocks of gulls. In light of these facts it is gratifying to be informed by the Dominion Entomologist, Mr. Arthur Gibson, that the importance of protecting our useful birds is becoming more and more recognized, especially by farmers and fruit-growers.—Dominion Department of Agriculture.

Canada's share of the reparations which Germany is to pay the British Empire has been fixed by the prime minister's conference at \$300,000,000.



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## CLASSIFYING HIGHWAYS

VICTORIA, July 18.—Hon. J. H. King, minister of public works, is busy making classifications of municipalities under the 1920 amendment to the Highways Act. So far the minister has covered Burnaby, Coquitlam, Matsqui and Chilliwack with the object of determining what classification the highways should be placed in so that determination of the extent of government assistance in construction and maintenance may be arrived at.

Success brings success. If the industries already located here prosper, others will come and more employment will be available for the workers of British Columbia.

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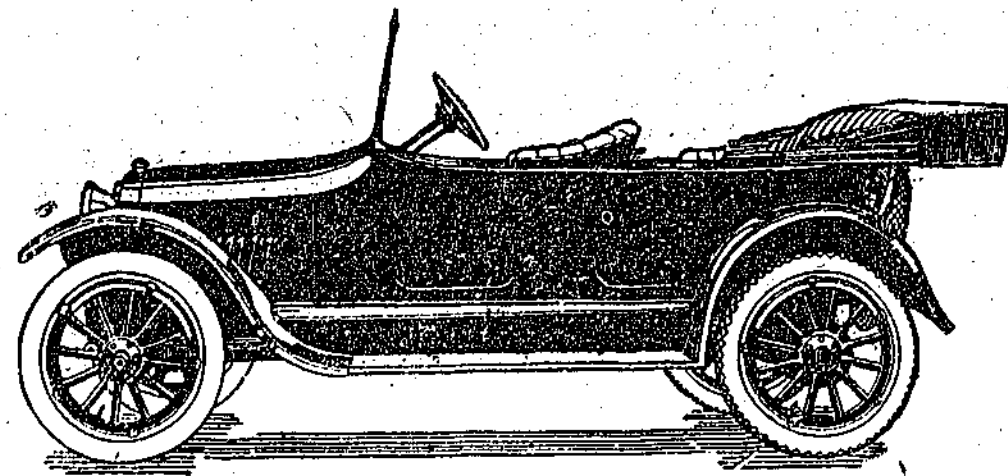
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### DO NOT KNOW OF ROAD PROMISES

CHILLIWACK, B. C. July 15.—At the monthly luncheon of the board of trade at the Royal Hotel on Monday the after-dinner discussion dealt chiefly with letters from the minister of public works and the minister of agriculture in reply to letters of the board of trade re the paving of the road between Sardis and Rosedale.

In his letter, Dr. King said that he had no knowledge of any promises made by the department of public works re the paving of the road. In any case certain preliminary work had to be done such as had been carried out this year, and the work would probably be proceeded with next summer.

The Mission City W. I. flower show will be held on August 18th.

### COLORED GASOLINE

A pre-war idea of coloring gasoline has been revived in London.

The purpose is to let the motorist be sure he is buying the right grade of fuel.

As far back as 1909, the Austrian government used a ping coloring matter to differentiate between free and taxed gasoline. Fuel for commercial purposes was free of duty in those days, while a tax was placed on that used in passenger cars. The easiest way to distinguish one from the other, when the oil was shipped, to her service stations, was to color the fuel intended for passenger car sales.

By the use of cochineal, an insect dye, the strength of the original gasoline is not diminished, automotive engineers say. It is only when aniline or mineral coloring matter is used that a sediment is produced and the effectiveness of the fuel is lessened.

### MAUD MULLER (Localized)

Maud Muller on a summer's day  
Is picking berries for her pay.

Clad in her overalls of brown,  
Which she has brought with her from town,

She looks quite chic, for Maud you know,  
Is city bred, and likes to show

That she can work and yet look smart  
Enough to break a rustic's heart.

Singing she picks, while all around  
Each unfamiliar sight and sound

Of rural life takes her attention,  
A few of which I briefly mention.

"Say, Si! what came of that there bucket  
Of skim-milk for the calf? "I took it

And give it to the pigs; you said  
As how the cows had all been fed."

"Oh! Christie! Mabel's found a snake,  
All black and green!" "For mercy's sake

"Don't touch it." "I once knew a gink  
Who seen a lot, but they were pink."

"Hey girls! cut out that talking,  
quick,  
What d'ya think this is, a picnic?"

"Aint he a grouche, he's always kickin',  
I can talk and keep on pickin'."

"How many baskets you got May?"  
"I dunno: I spilled some. Say!"

I'm as hungry as a bear, I wish  
They wouldn't always give us hash."

"What kind of bug d'you suppose  
this is?"

"I dunno: aint these measly berries"

"There goes the dinner bell, let's  
beat it!"

"I'll tell the world I'm ready for it!"

And so it goes, and in the evening,  
Maud dances or she goes in swim-  
ming.

Yes after all is said and done,  
Berry picking's lots of fun.

And after Maud gets back to town,  
Her nose all peeled, her face all  
brown,

She'll say, as she applies cold cream,  
"I'm glad I went, it might NOT have  
been."

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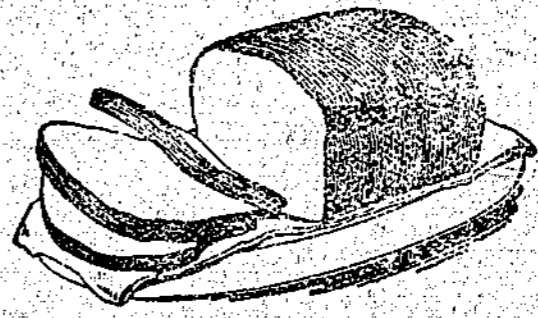
### THE FUTURE OF THE ANIMAL

The question is often asked us, "What do you think about a hereafter for animals?" The only answer is to say that whatever we may think we know nothing. Even our own future is wrapped about with so much mystery that our hope of it is a matter of faith. It does not admit of an unanswerable demonstration. Humanity seems to have clung to a belief in immortality from the earliest days of which we have record. The world's wisest and best have gone their way facing the darkness at the close of life's day with this hope more or less brightly burning, like a lamp with which they trusted to find the threshold of a house not made with hands.

Not a few whose names have been written high on the scroll of fame men like Butler and Agassiz, men of fine intellectual power and unswayed by sentiment, have found nothing in philosophy or science to prevent their belief in a future for the animal as well as for us. Conscious of the limitations of our knowledge, we still say that if love, fidelity, devotion, pertain to that in the human life which cannot die, why should we doubt its persistence wherever we meet it? And then, unless there be some future where the unmeasured sufferings of the animal world shall find compensation for the undeserved evils under which they, innocent of wrong, have lived out their too often sad and tortured lives, does not the eternal justice stand impeached at the judgment seat of humanity's noblest sense of right?

### HARRISON HOT SPRINGS

HARRISON HOT SPRINGS, July 18.—For some time past a large Curtis flying boat has been operating in this vicinity, with headquarters at the Harrison Hot Springs, for the purpose of choosing triangulation stations for more detailed survey work. The work is being done by Messrs F. H. Lambert and R. Tuttle for the Dominion Geodetic Survey. Pilot E. L. MacLeod of the Jericho station, who is in charge of the plane, states that Harrison lake is an ideal seaplane station on account of the excellent protection and the expanse of water.



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### CONFERENCE OF PREMIERS OF GREAT VALUE TO EMPIRE

The London correspondent of the Canadian Press sums up what the Conference of Premiers of the Empire has achieved:

1. It paved the way for and made possible the great disarmament conference of the world powers.

2. Its deliberations resulted in the decision that the Anglo-Japanese alliance must be brought into harmony with the covenant of the League of Nations, which means that the military clauses of the treaty must be eliminated, and it prompted the idea of a conference on Pacific problems, which, if it be successful, will make the Anglo-Japanese alliance unnecessary.

3. It created the atmosphere favorable for the step toward the settlement of the Irish question and through General Smuts, rescued the negotiations from failure at an extremely critical juncture.

4. It enabled the statesmen of the dominions to arrive at full knowledge and comprehension of the principles underlying the British foreign policy and of the effect which the application of such principles produced upon the international situation.

5. It settled the important question of the distribution of the German reparations among the various portions of the Empire in a way satisfactory to all.

6. It reaffirmed and defined certain principles of the empire's constitutional development and cleared up misconceptions and misunderstandings regarding a number of questions such as, for example, the decision to appoint a Canadian minister at Washington.

7. It discussed and passed useful resolutions upon such important problems as overseas settlement, development of aerial transportation improved wireless and cable communications and shipping.

The death occurred on Monday, July 18th, of Kenton Hougou of Matsqui. The funeral took place on Wednesday.

John D. Rockefeller celebrated his 82nd birthday lately.

### WANT COLUMN

Advertisements under the above heading cost 25 cents per issue. Leave copy and money at The Abbotsford Garage.

LOST—Black, Female Cocker Spaniel. Finder notify Dr. McKinley of Sumas, Wn., or leave word at Shortreed's, and receive reward.

### ICE PLANT WORKING TO FULL CAPACITY

(From Fraser Valley Record)

The ice plant at the Farmers' Cold Storage at Hatzic is working to capacity in order to supply sufficient ice for the car lots of berries that are being shipped east. At the present time four to five cars of berries are rolling daily to points on the prairie. The quality of the fruit is excellent and from reports received as far east as Winnipeg, the berries are arriving in fine condition and the trade is well satisfied.

Prices are not as high as the growers anticipated. Latest reports state that the selling price is around \$3.25 and \$3.00 at destination. At this figure the grower will net around \$2.00 f. o. b. warehouse at point of shipment. With cost of picking at 85¢ to \$1.00 per crate, crates at 22¢ plus hauling, and packing and cartage to be deducted, there remains only a small margin for the grower. It has been estimated that it costs from 75¢ to \$1.00 to produce a crate of berries under present conditions. This is actual cost and does not include an allowance for interest on the investment or depreciation. If the berry business is to be placed upon a paying basis there must first be a wider and more efficient method of distribution. Berries should be graded and paid for on their merits and only first grade stuff be labelled.

Second—the cost of labour and picking should be reduced at least twenty-five per cent. Boxes are too high and can be manufactured by the Association in a plant of their own at a cost to the grower of 22¢.

Third—Loyalty to the Association. It is the only medium that will ensure permanency and stability for the industry.