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MAY CELEBRATE DIFFERENT DAY

FESTAL DAY SUCCESS THOUGH RAINY

Creston Again Defeats Port Hill---Score 16 to 11

For the reason that for the last three years, rain has put a damper on Creston's Labor Day celebration, the business men are agitating the changing of the time of its festal day to one of the spring holidays, possibly May 24, which will give the ranchers an opportunity to attend, it being before strawberry season.

This year, in spite of the rain, the celebration was a succes. The downfall was light and intermittent and at no time was it necessary to stop the sports. No great records, however, were made on account of the slippery condition of the grounds, and many more people would have attended had not the sky been so threatening. The baseball game between Creston and Port Hill ended a victory for Creston with a score of 16 to 11.

The game was made interesting by a number of good catches and double plays. George Mead, who played second base on the local team, had his leg badly cut by the spikes in the shoe of a base running. He, however, remained out of the game only long enough to have the wound bandaged. Cranbrook Junior Baseball team failed to make an appearance.

The automobile race was not pulled off on account of the dangers of skidding on the wet roads.

The results of the Caledonian sports were as follows:—

Standing broad jump—R. Reid, first O. Arrowsmith, second.

Running broad jump—Arrowsmith, first, Reid, second.

Standing high jump—Arrowsmith, first, List, second.

Running high jump— List, first Arrowsmith, second.

Hop, step and jump—E, C, Hunt, first Reid, second.

Sack race—Arrowsmith, first, Pollett, second.

Hundred yard dash—P. Ward, first Reid, second.

Race, 220 yards—P. Ward, first, E. C. Hunt, second.

Single ladies race, 50 yards—Miss Palmer, first. Miss Vera Hancroft and Miss Whitney tied for second place and in racing off the tie they touched the line again at the same time. The prize was divided between them.

Hurdle race—Ward, first, Angus McClure, second.

Married ladies race—Mrs. South, first, Mrs. Maxwell, second.

Horse race—P. Hurry, first, Price, second.

Pony race—P. Hurry, first, Ike Lewis, second.

A number of the contests were close and the decisions disputed. In one of the horse races, Floyd Rodgers covered the stretch first but as he rode an Indian pony which was barred, he was counted out of the race. He was told before the race that the pony belonged to one of the ranchers.

The line-up of the baseball teams was as follows:—

Port Hill		Creston
Martin	lf	Hunt
Salles	cf	Telford
G. King	rf	Tucker
Skovington	ss	McPeak
McMarvell	1b	Bayle
Frye	2b	Mead
Thompson	3b	Olson
List	c	Hayes
R. King	p	Ward

Umpire—Jim English, of Port Hill

Beside to the contrabutions of the local people the Labor Day celebration owes its success largely to the following firms who made some generous donations: Father & Leiser, Vancouver; Ellison Milling Co., Lethbridge; McLaughlin Carriage Co., Calgary; Cranbrook Jobbers Co., Cranbrook; Thorp & Co., Nelson; Nelson Cigar Company, Nelson; Hudson Bay Co., Nelson; Nelson Hdw Co., Nelson; Robert Simpson Co., Toronto; T. Eaton Co., Winnipeg; Sirdar Hotel; Erickson Hotel; Cranbrook Herald; Old Sport Cirgar Co., New Westminster; Arrabelli Cigar Co., Vancouver; Imperial Oil Co., Nelson.

HERE AND THERE

A mass meeting of the graduate nurses of the province will be held in Christ church school room Vancouver, Tuesday September 10th at 3 p. m. The object of the meeting is to organize a British Columbia Graduate Nurses Association for the purpose of obtaining registration for the nurses of the province. It is hoped all who can possibly attend will be present.

The Vancouver cadets traveling in Australia have run out of funds and have cabled home for money. Vancouver has been asked to raise a thousand dollars and the provincial government has been asked to give the same amount.

S. Pu Yi, the young deposed emperor of China has had his queue cut off. Members of the young China Association think that this is the most hopeful sign of the submission of the Manchus to the popular government.

Two hundred and eighty-two lots at the Prince Rupert government auction last Wednesday sold for the sum of one million one hundred and ninety-one thousand and sixty dollars.

A commission is examining the records of Captain Amundson on the South pole expedition and soon will publish its report. It is stated that there is no doubt that he got within a quarter of a mile of the pole.

The people of Germany mailed in a year one billion and a half of post cards Japan stands next in numbers, then Great Britian whose people mailed 845,000 000 cards.

The Doukhobors reason for not registering berths in compliance with the law was brought out at the trial at Nel last week, is that they fear the government will have opportunity, if births are recorded, to know the number of men available for military service, which is in opposition to their religious belief.

Mr. Cooper have shown 1,000,000 disease germs on the body and legs of a single fly.

Work will soon be commenced on a new $10.000 Great Northern depot at Rossland.

The seven-year-old daughter of J. C. Parker of Bonners Ferry was killed by the accidental discharge of a 22 rifle. The gun was in the hands of the childs mother.

LOCAL NEWS

C. C. S., SIGNAFIES CRANBROOK CO-OPERATIVE STORES.

Floyd Rodgers will leave Sunday for Spokane where he will resume his studies at Gonzaga University. On Thursday evening about 15 of his friends gave him a surprise party. A pleasant evening was spent with games and music.

—The C.C.S. Company, of Cranbrook is disposing of several branches of their business, and bargains galore, is the order of the day in Cranbrook. Creston folks should get on the inside, a letter to the C. C. S. will bring all the information necessary regarding the special prices. Iron beds are selling at $2.75 any size. Dressers and stands at $11. Linoleum 55c sq. yard. Tapestry Rugs size 9x9 $6.00. Mens suits $6.85. Hundreds of pairs of mens shoes going at half price. Real closing out prices on everything. $5 00 will do the work of $10 don't overlook this opportunity to buy at less than manufacturers prices. Very special prices on lace curtains, arch curtains, window fixtures, all sale prices are F. O. B., Cranbrook, no charge for packing.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Young of Chapleau, Ont., are visiting friends and relatives in Creston and vicinity.

—We carry all kinds of spices for the pickling season. S. A. Speers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crompton entertained a number of their friends last evening at their home on Victoria avenue. Among the pleasures indulged in were dancing and music. The following were among those that were present; Mr. Osman Arrowsmith, Miss Arrowsmith, Mrs Cherrington, Mr. C. D. O. Dewar, Mr. and Miss Callander, Mr. and Mrs. Burton, Mr. Lyne, Miss Munns, Mr. and Mrs. McMurtrie, Mr. Leslie McMurtrie, Mrs. Barton, Miss Howarth, Mr. Frank Jackson, Mr. Keddell, Miss Pound, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. M. Young.

—Economy Can Sealers, finest in the world, for sale by the Creston Hardware & Furniture Co., sole agents in the Kootenay Valley.

Rev Sarkissian, Presbyterian minister of Rossland, formally of Creston, spent last Friday and Saturday in Creston. He is taking his vacation, spending some of his time fishing at Kitchener. On Wednesday he stopped off the train here on his way to attend the Presbytery at Nelson. At Kitchener he had the misfortune, in stooping to pick up his fish basket, in the dark, to hit a chair in such a way as to break one of the lens of his glasses into his eye, badly cutting the white.

—Good Doherty organ for sale Price reasonable.—Apply Drug Store

The case against the Indian for theft at McNellie was dismissed for lack of evidence.

—Just arrived, new stock of rubber boots and shoes. A. Mirabelli.

A couple of trees caught on the ferry cable on Saturday preventing operation much to the inconvenience of the ranchers who had started to town.

—We are unloading a car of new Timothy Hay. First Class Quality.
S A. Speers.

H. N Birch and family went to Spokane Monday for a weeks vacation.

—All kinds of vegetables and fruit for sale. I will deliver your order. Jim Kee Creston.

Dr. Primrose Wells and Miss Mona Wells went to Spokane Monday.

—Mrs. Attridge of Erickson is now prepared to do dressmaking of all kinds. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call at the home of M. R. Palmer. 38-tf

The Creston-Erickson Civilian rifle association will hold its third shoot for the Dominion plate Sunday, September 8, 1912. All members are requested to be present.

—We have ground and whole spices, also peppers, bay leaves and celery seed for the pickling season. S. A. Speers.

A number of the Labor Day visitors in Creston were:—Joe Grafton of Fernie F. E. Shantz, of Lethbridge, T. F Hughes of Calgary.

—Get your coriander and mustard seed, your Tunneric, Chillies and ginger for the pickling season at S. A. Speers.

Captain Orr and Fred Conway, steward and chief engineer of the Steamer Kuskanook were in town Wednesday looking over Mr. Conways ranch and other orchards in the valley.

—Full stock of whale oil soap and quassia chips at the Mercantile

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Mawson and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibbs of Weyburn, Sask., arrived in Creston on Friday last. They intend to make their homes at Canyon City.

—You get five per cent discount at THE CASH STORE.

A surprise party was given to Miss Anna Hamilton by fifteen of her Creston friends last Friday night. Refreshments were taken by the participants and an enjoyable evening was spent at numerous games and dancing. Miss Hamilton in soon leaving for Medicine Hat where she will attend school and the party was given in honor of her leaving. Will Smith was also the recipient of some of the honors, as he is leaving Creston on Tuesday for Stettler, Alberta. Both of the young people were presented with books.

—Full stock of whale oil soap and quassia chips at the Mercantile.

The bridge crew has completed its work at Duck Creek and has been removed to Kitchener.

—Best vinegar for the pickling season at the Cash Store.

Jim Crawford, better known as White Man Jim, of Kitchener was in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Geo. P. Powell of Cranbrook is in town on business.

R. M. Leib who has been prospecting up Goat river came to Creston Monday.

Joint Meeting For Saturday

A joint meeting of the Farmers Institute, The Fruit Growers Association and the Fruit Growers Union will be held Saturday night to see about the sending of an exhibit to the Cranbrook Fall Fair F. A. Russell, manager of fair this year came to Creston Wednesday to stir up interest in the matter.

Correction of Game Law Statement

Owing to confusing the Game Laws in the various districts of the Province the Review made a mistatement in the article printed last week. In this district the bag limit of grouse or any other game bird is not limited to six pe day as was stated last week. Pheasants are protected.

Mrs. L. A. Charest of Rosalia, Wash arrived in Creston, yesterday, for a few days visit with friends.

The ladies of the Methodist church gave a very pleasant surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dickson, on Thursday evening. Mr. Dickson was presented with a gold fob and Mrs. Dickson, with a silver cake dish. The Dicksons will leave next Tuesday to make their home in Drew, Ontario.

Walter Jackson made a business trip to Cranbrook, Friday returning Saturday.

Over in Nelson just now the society butterflies are taking lessons in deportment, and learning how to say duke with the proper accent. Even with all their practice some of them Connaught yet say it with the correct intonation.—Greenwood Ledge.

Don't forget Saturday, Sept. 7th Mr. E. Lorraines Company appear at the Mercantile Hall in Rip Van Winkle, a good company and a good production. Seats on sale at Post office.

Mrs. R. M. Reid entertained a number of her friends on the evening of August 31, in honor of her guest Mrs. D. W. McLeod of Toronto. Among those present were Mrs. G. B. Henderson, Mrs. W. G. Blake, Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. W. K. Brown, Mrs. J. F. Rose, Miss Bessie Munns, Mrs. J. Cherrington Mrs. J. W. Dow, Miss Jessie Dow, Mrs. R. S. Bevan, Mrs. J. M. Barton, Mrs. S. A. Speers, and Mrs. H. S. McCreath.

The evening was spent in music and games, Miss Bessie Munns, of Regina playing a number of splendid selections and also winning the prize for doll-dressing contest.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Barton, Wednesday Sept. 11 at 3 p. m. A full attendance is requested for election of officers.

A horse race is soon to be run between Ike Lewis' horse and F. K. Hurry's pony, for a purse of $100.

Mr. Muer left Wednesday for Corn Creek where he will work out the assessment on M. J. McPeak's copper mining claim.

Who caught Grimes' goat?

INDIAN INJURED IN CONTEST

BRONCHO FALLS AND ROLLS ON RIDER

Taken in Precarious Condition to Cranbrook Hospital

The enjoyment of the Labor Day sports on Monday, was suddenly brought to a termination by the serious accident to Indian David of Fort Steele, who was thrown from his falling horse and rolled on, in the broncho bucking contest before the crowd of spectators. On Wednesday He was sent to the Cranbrook hospital still in a semiconscious state.

The accident happened in a peculiar manner. The horse apparently slipped on the ground, wet from the occasional rain, throwing the Indian from the saddle so that he struck the ground heavily with his head and shoulder. The horse then fell with almost all of his weight on him, injuring him internally. He was removed from the field to the Burton Hotel, remaining unconscious for over twenty-four hours.

Dr. Henderson, who has been attending the Indian, says it is not yet possible to determine the extent of his injuries and that there is no certainty that he will live. His squaw and and children were at the park at the time of the accident and Wednesday they accompanied him to Cranbrook.

Joe Brown and Mr. Olson went to th Stampede at Calgary last Saturday.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening gave a surprise party to Mrs. J. Foster, who left yesterday for Ontario. They presented her with a fine cut glass cream pitcher and sugar bowl. Mrs. H. S. McCreath gave the presentation address and Mrs. J. W. Dow presented the dishes.

Mrs. D. W. McLeod who has been visiting Mrs. R. M. Reid, left Tuesday for Winnipeg.

E L. T. Taylor went to Calgary Saturday to attend the Stampede.

Clarence Bundy, C. P. R. agent at Ryan was in Creston on his vacation from Thursday of last week until Tuesday of this week when he departed to Winnipeg for a visit with his mother.

Will Taylor and Joe Jackson left Monday for Calgary to attend the Stampede.

Geo. Pacey went to Cranbrook Monday.

Dr. S. F. Tolmie and party, of the Dominion Department of Agriculture have engaged rooms at the Burton Hotel and will arrive in Creston today.

Guy Lowenberg went to Bonners Ferry Saturday, in his automobile.

[illegible] of Sirdar Point was in town Wednesday.

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CHAPTER XL.

Caught

Raymond Copley went away from Haredale Park with every ounce of fight knocked out of him. Never for a moment had he anticipated a development like this. He had gone there in his most truculent mood. The whole world seemed to be prospering for him. It seemed that he had only to hold out his hand and everything would drop into it. He had no fear Sir George would defy him. Rather had he taken a journey across the fields in order to show his power.

There had been no actual necessity for Sir George to put his colt out of the betting yet; indeed, it would have been diplomatic to wait for another fortnight. He could not realize it. He was not disposed to regard Sir George's story as a deliberate lie, for it bore the imprint of truth. The only way to settle the thing once for all was to ask for absolute proof. But if this were done, Harry Fielden would certainly protest, and if he did so, then the public would have to know what was going on. Taking it altogether, the risk was too great.

He would have to find some other way out of his difficulties. And now as far as he could see, he was face to face with the ruin of all his plans. He had laid against the Blenheim colt thick and thin. He had literally piled the money against it with the comfortable assurance that it would never run at all, and that he was about to net a huge fortune without a pennyworth of risk. That prospect had vanished at a blow. If he stayed in England he would have to pay those debts, or the turf would know him no more. And if posted at Tattersall's his social career was at an end. There would be no more chance of making money in that way. He would have to start an entirely new plan if he meant to keep up his role of millionaire. But millionaires do not repudiate their racing debts, and Copley could see no light in this direction.

There was worse behind, too. It was disturbing to know that in some mysterious manner, Aaron Phillips was mixed up in this business. But he had made no sign. He had not come near Copley, nor had he attempted to extort money from him. And here was Phillips actually a sort of partner with Harry Fielden, who had taken service with Copley under the name of Field. The more Copley thought over the matter the less he liked it. He had know Fielden by name, although they had never met. He realized for the first time that he had a deadly enemy under his roof, so to speak. Now what did these two know? he wondered.

Well, it wouldn't be difficult to find out. He would send for Fielden directly he got back to Seton Manor. He would pump the young man judiciously. He found Foster awaiting him with the air of a man who finds the world a good place to live in. He looked uneasy, however, as he noted the expression of his employer's face.

What's the matter? he asked.

Matter enough, Copley growled. It's all, my friend. You can say goodbye to your dreams of fortune. If we can get away with a whole skin we shall be lucky. As far as I can make out, we have made ourselves liable for thirty or forty thousand pounds, and have nothing to pay it with.

Well, that's all right, Foster said. Oh, is it? I supose you will admit that if the Blenheim colt turns out fit and well for the Derby there is nothing to beat him.

If he does turn out. But he won't. Oh, yes he will. But I'll tell you the story and if you can show me some way out you are a cleverer man than I take you for.

Foster listened with deepest interest. He looked just as anxious and haggard as Copley by the time the story was finished. For a long time he sat gloomily gazing into the fire.

It's a facer, he said presently. I admit it's a facer. And that horse will run, and he'll win, too, unless we can find some means of preventing him from starting. We must find some means.

Copley waved his hand impatiently.

What's the good of talking that rot? he said. The age for getting at horses is past. That was done with fifty years ago. Even the sporting writer wouldn't dare to use a situation like this. You must think of something better than that, at any rate, so far as our betting transactions are concerned. And if the worst comes to the worst we've got a few weeks to turn round between now and Derby day. You see, there's no getting away from the fact that Sir George owes me about forty thousand pounds. And I must get that without further delay. It is no use thinking anything more about May Haredale. With that money we may be able to cover our loss or we can hedge our bet so as to bring it down to a trifle. We shall have to be contented with what we make over the Mirst Park Meeting. So long as Rickerby and that lot are not suspicious.

I begin to fear that they are, Foster interrupted. As you know, we ought to have had a big cheque last week, but it hasn't come, though I wrote a sharp letter about it again the day before yesterday. I don't know whether Rickerby suspects something, or whether he is going to refuse to pay, but in the face of what you have learnt the non-receipt of that cheque is alarming. And I am bound to confess I don't like what you say about Phillips and this chap Fielden. Phillips is a dangerous man and owes us a grudge. Let's have Fielden in. We may be able to bully something out of him.

Copley jumped at the idea. He rang the bell and sent for Fielden, who appeared presently cool and collected, and ready to answer any questions.

Look here, Copley said in his most aggressive manner. I've been hearing things about you. I am told that your name is not Field at all, but Fielden. Is that so?

That is quite correct, Harry said calmly.

Then, what the devil do you mean by coming into my service under false pretences? No honest man—

I'll thank you not to take that tone with me, Fielden said. We don't want to discuss the ethics of honesty. It is a subject on which you are not an authority. But I see you have found out everything, and I may as well be candid with you. For one reason I entered your service because I had nothing to do. I assumed the name of Field because I found nobody in my own neighborhood recognized me, and I didn't want any of my old friends to know what I was doing. I suppose I am correct in assuming that you have just been to see Sir George Haredale, and that he has told you everything. Probably he has informed you that my partner in South Africa was Aaron Phillips. I need not ask if you know Aaron Phillips, because that would be superfluous. I never met either of you till I returned to England, but I know about you. Phillips knows more. I am also aware of the conspiracy for preventing the Blenheim colt from running in the Derby, but that scheme is frustrated. Have you any more to say?

This is a nice way to speak to an employer, Copley protested.

It would be if I were still in your employ, Fielden retorted. But then you see, I no longer consider myself your servant. There is no occasion for me to remain with you. Perhaps the next time we meet—but never mind about that.

Fielden turned curtly on his heel and left the room. The other two exchanged significant glances.

Pretty cool, wasn't he? Foster muttered.

Yes, and pretty sure of his ground, too, Copley replied. I don't like it, Foster. I don't like it a bit. I have a feeling that those fellows know everything. It frightens me to think that Phillips has been lying low for so long. You may depend upon it he is up to some mischief. And now that you tell me you have not received Rickerby's cheque I feel all the certain of it. Don't you think it would be as well to go over to The Nook and remove that telephone? It always struck me as a dangerous thing to leave it on the roof. You never know what inquisitive people there may be about. And if anybody acquainted with racing only saw it they would be sure to ask questions. We had better take the car and run over there before it is dark. What do you say?

Foster had no objection; in fact he rather liked the idea. Half an hour later the car was crossing the country, and before dusk the two reached their destination. They were later than they had expected in consequence of a breakdown on the road, but they seemed to be in time, for the house was quiet and deserted and, as far as they could see nobody had been meddling with the telephone. Foster proceeded to pull down the thick blinds and light the gas. It had not occurred to him, as a precautionary measure to lock the front door. There was no occasion for hurry and, after procuring a chest of tools, he started on his work, which presented few difficulties.

Then the door opened and two men walked deliberately into the hall. Copley turned with a snarl to face them.

(To be Continued)

Jones ran his motor into a building yesterday.

I knew that idiot couldn't drive. Was it a shop?

No, a motor garage.

SKIN SUFFERERS

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FOR ALL SUMMER SORES.

Beautify Farm Homes

With the settlement on the land of an increasing number of emigrants each year, the beautifying of the farm home claims some attention. To many the subject may be of little interest, the cultivation of produce being their primary object. This is only natural and as may be expected. In cases, however, where the farmers have made good this question should receive their very careful consideration. The appearance of most Canadian farms is not at all prepossessing, the lack of trees or shrubbery giving one the impression of barrenness. This could be so easily altered by planting a few trees or shrubbery which would not only make the farm homes beauty spots but would considerably enhance the value of the farms themselves. This fact is, unfortunately, too often lost sight of by the farmers when the question of beautifying the farm homes is put up to them. They look at it from the domestic standpoint only and do not realize that commercially it is of even greater value.

The uses which trees would serve can only be realized by practical experiments. As a shelter from wind storms both to stock and crop they are very valuable. Of even greater importance, while it is not a practical use, is the effect they would produce on the landscape. The scene which today can only be described as uninteresting would become pleasing to the eye. The miles of rolling prairie without a single tree to break the vista becomes monotonous in their sameness and the advent of trees and shrubbery as home beautifiers would be a happy relief.

The expense need not be large and when the farmers realize the advantages which the planting of a few trees would bring, there is little doubt but the practice of improving the outlook of the farm homes will be so universally accepted that a few years from now will see few Canadian farms which have not each their quota of trees and shrubbery.

Used according to directions, Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial will afford relief in the most acute form of summer complaint. Whenever the attack manifests itself no time should be lost in seeking the aid of the Cordial. It will act immediately on the stomach and intestines and allay the irritation and pain. A trial of it will convince anyone of these assertions.

MANY DEER IN HIGHLANDS

Outlook for Coming Stalking Season Better Than Usual

The Scottish deer stalking prospects for the coming summer are good.

In all districts without exception the red deer are more numerous than their average numbers during the past three years. For one thing there have been fewer deaths this year than for some years back. The past winter and spring have been all too mild to please the older race of keepers, who are never satisfied unless the deer have to pass through a winter of prolonged hardships—weeks of hard snow-covered hillsides.

Such conditions, they hold, thin out all the weaklings in the herds, leaving only the vigorous stags and hinds to carry on the best traditions of the Highland forests. As a result of the milder conditions of the past winter and spring, all sorts and conditions of both stags and hinds are now to be seen in the corries, which today carry—it is generally allowed—more red deer than ever before. In the circumstances there is scarcely a forest in the three northmost counties which would not be vastly bettered by quite a wholesale removal of heads and haunches during the coming autumn.

In all the Balmoral corries the red deer are in excellent condition and the best of sport is promised for the coming season, during which the King is to have a full round of sport in the Aberdeenshire corries. The Prince of Wales is to join his father on this occasion and arrangements are being made for a series of extensive deer drives and stalks in which a number of distinguished guests are to take part.

Balmoeaan, leased for so long now by Bradley Martin, and Glenquoich, so long also in the hands of the late Lord Burton, who did so much to improve the herds of red deer, are both of them showing well at the present date.

BABY'S GREAT DANGER DURING HOT WEATHER

More little ones die during the hot weather than at any other time of the year. Diarrhoea, dysentry, cholera infantum and stomach disorders come without warning and when a medicine is not at hand to give promptly the short delay too frequently means that the child has passed beyond aid. Baby's Own Tablets should always be kept in the home where there are young children. An occasional dose of the Tablets will prevent stomach and bowel troubles, or if the trouble comes suddenly the prompt use of the Tablets will cure the baby. Mrs. Adelore Ouillette, St. Bruno, Que., writes: "My baby was troubled with his bowels, but Baby's Own Tablets soon set him right again." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Dramatic Snap

A number of players and playwrights at the Lambs' Club were discussing the question of what constitutes the snap so persistently demanded of the dramatist by the manager of today.

I have talked to so many managers on this subject, said one writer, but none has been able to give me any very definite notion as to just what snap is.

I can help you out, said Eugene Walter. I have an idea for a one-act play that justs bursts with snap. I'll give it to you. Here it is:

Play opens with man and woman in drawing room, seated side by side on a sofa and embracing each other passionately.

Enter to them a man with a suitcase and an umbrella. He is of course to all intents, husband unexpectedly returned.

Husband no sooner takes in the situation than he yanks out a revolver and shoots both, man and woman.

Then he takes out his glasses, puts them on, looks about him, and suddenly gives a start.

Merciful heavens! he exclaimed. I'm on the wrong floor.—Lippincott's.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows

Appreciates Walt Mason

A Free Press reader in far-off Belfast sends this apppreciation of Walt Mason's philosophy:

You have a chum upon yoour staff
Who gives us many a merry laugh,
You'll bear with me on his behalf,
A little while.

Walt's racy style and winsome way,
His fling at crank, and croak and jay,
The sound advice and skilful play,
The hours beguile.

I see he doesn't care two sticks
For the wild war of politics,
Not blarneyed by the party tricks,
Of grassy guys.

Now could your bard ideas spin
To show a way out of the din,
Show saner methods, that we win
A chance to rise.

I do not flatter when I say
Walt's full serio-comic lay,
Is but the common spate of play,
He turns new soil,
That being so, could he suggest
A way into some haven blest
From out the present mad unrest
And storm—some oil.

To calm a nation's mad display
When time ticks off election day,
To saner wisdom show the way,
Net wisdom's sum.

Conquers Asthma. To be relieved from the terrible suffocating due to asthma is a great thing, but to be safe-guarded for the future is even greater. Not only does Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy bring prompt relief, but it introduces a new era of life for the afflicted. Systematic inhaling of smoke or fumes from the remedy prevents re-attacks and often effects a permanent cure.

FOR THE ANGLERS

Queer Materials Used in Making Artificial Flies

The makers of flies for fishermen are constantly devising new and ingenious forms. All manner of queer material enter into the manufacture of these flies such as bears eye-brows and mouse whiskers.

The business done in mouse whiskers is very considerable, for these are an important factor in the making of a fly, known as the grey gnat. Trout rise very much better, it is claimed, at whisker flies than at the same gnat dressed in jungle cock-hackles, although they look very much alike.

Bears' eyebrows, for the reason that they are stiff and have exactly the right line, are employed in the making of a fly that is extensively used in salmon fishing. These eyebrows are taken from the Himalayan brown bear and are expensive.

Fly makers employ agents all over the world to look for birds that will supply material for the best fly hackles. One of the most sought after skins is that of the rare screamer, an African bird about the size of a hen, that shows a tiny bunch of feathers on each shoulder, worth about $15 a bunch to the fly maker. One of these birds will, it is estimated, supply feathers in sufficient quantity to make only half a dozen flies.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.
Sold by Druggists, Price, 75c. per bottle.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Tomtit a Lamplighter

For several weeks past one of the public street lamps at Green ford, near Ealing, has been found alight nearly every day, although the lamplighter extinguished the light each morning.

Suspecting that some youthful imp with mischievious propensities was at work, the lamplighter set himself to capture the culprit who was giving him so much trouble. While waiting in hiding to pounce upon the offenders he was amazed to see the lamp apparently light itself.

Investigation revealed the fact that a tomtit had built a snug nest in a corner of the lamp and was in the habit of hopping on to the ring attached to the chain of the incandescent by-pass, thus turning on the light.

Easily Understood

Host—Excuse me. That's my phone. At Phone! Oh, yes. What's that? You can't give me the hour you promised I could have tomorrow? It doesn't incommode me in the least. Any other time will do. Don't mention it. Good-by.

Friend—That must have been your dentist.

Host—It was.

Conforms to the high standard of Gillett's goods.
Useful for five hundred purposes.

GILLETT'S PERFUMED LYE

The Northern Trusts Company

HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG
This company acts in the capacity of
TRUSTEE, EXECUTOR, ADMINISTRATOR
and we shall be glad to forward copy of our Booklet, "Something about Trusts, Trustees and Trust Companies," on request.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM PROPERTY AT CURRENT RATES OF INTEREST

More About The Loading Platform

The present generation of Western farmers will never know the difficulties and vexations experienced by their predecessors in the earlier years when no one could get a carload of grain shipped in bulk except by loading it through an elevator. The system forced the majority of farmers to sell their grain to the elevator owners at arbitrary prices, and oft times to submit to heavy dockage and other annoyances, causing continual dissatisfaction. Now, however the distribution of cars as fixed by the Grain Act, and the use of the loading platform, provide facilities which enable the farmer to secure satisfactory treatment in the disposal of his grain, and the highest market prices at time of sale. Every farmer therefore, should more and more endeavor to use the loading platform in shipping his grain to the terminal elevators. It is the safeguard of the farmers' freedom in disposing of his grain to the best advantage for himself. If farmers refrain from using the loading platform freely, it might result in its being done away with, because railway companies and elevator owners are strongly opposed to it. It is easy to understand why elevator people desire the loading platform abolished. The railway people on their part say it delays the loading of cars and helps to cause car shortage. This we know to be nonsense, because frequently after cars are loaded whether with grain, coal lumber or other merchandise, they are sidetracked for days and even weeks instead of being promptly moved forward to destination. It is engine shortage and shortage of competent train men that mostly causes grain blockades on railways and not lack of cars. Let every farmer therefore, do all he can to use the loading platform and become an independent shipper. In subsequent advertisements we will state in detail the savings and other advantages of direct loading into cars, compared with loading through elevators.

We handle the farmers grain strictly on commission, make liberal advances on car bills of lading, supervise the grading at time cars are inspected, secure the highest prices at time of sale and make prompt returns when sold. Write us for shipping instructions and market information.

Thompson Sons & Company

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Most Excellent Reason

It was a gala occasion at the school, and the young lady principal was very anxious that her pupils should show off to the best advantage before the many ladies present.

So to the first scholar she said:

Now, Grace, where was Mary, Queen of Scots, born?

At Linlingow, answered the pupil.

And who was Mary born there? asked the teacher.

And sweet little Grace promptly answered:

Because, ma'am, her mother was staying there.

There are Others

Diggs—What do you think of that idiot Jones? He always answers one question by asking another.

Biggs—Does he?

Mrs. Henpeck—You know the saying. Unlucky in love, lucky at cards.

Henpeck—And yet you won't let me play.

A Brave Challenge

Mrs. Rebecca Kissick, aged 104, of Philadelphia, wants to run a foot race with any woman over 50 in her home city. Address General Delivery.

When you want to clear your house of flies, see that you get

WILSON'S FLY PADS

Imitations are always unsatisfactory.

THE 'ALBERTA' HOTEL

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A few doors south of C.P.R. Depot

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Cuisine unexcelled

Hot and cold water in every room

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All Outside Rooms

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. It SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN; CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHŒA. It is absolutely harmless. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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Boilers of all kinds—Engines, Pumps, and Heavy Plate Work

Write us for Prices

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If you want to purchase a carload of

Good Ontario Apples

Communicate with

H. H. DAWSON

90 Colbourne Street, Toronto

A Puzzle

Ma caught pa kissing the hired girl. What's she going to do about it?

That's the trouble. She doesn't know. She can't make up her mind whether to get rid of pa or the hired girl. Sometimes she says she thinks she can get a new husband easier than she can get a new servant.

Near Dorchester, England, there are the remains of a Roman amphitheatre capable of holding 13,000 people.

Senor Gonzales Garza, under-secretary of the interior of Mexico is a matter-of-fact man who has the habit of holding his mouth open.

The other day Secretary of the Interior Gonzales walked into Garza's office and exclaimed: Old chap, you have your mouth open!

I know it, replied Garza, not looking up from his writing. I opened it myself this morning.

When Simpkins read in the newspaper about the cricket club, he confessed that he didn't know that the cricket carried a club.

We egotistically imagine that the things we do make the world go round. But isn't the world round anyway?

Everybody knows that Methuselah was the oldest man, but even the Bible is reticent about the oldest woman.

A very absent-minded professor was busily engaged in solving a scientific problem when the nurse hastily opened the library door and announced a great family event.

The little stranger has arrived, Professor

Eh? said the professor.

It is a little boy said the nurse.

Little boy, little boy, mused the professor. Well, ask him what he wants.

Within the last ten days telegraphic communications have been established for the first time between the town of Fort George situated on the section of the Grand Trunk Pacific's main line west of the Rockies which is still under construction and the outside world. It is difficult for those who have never known the lack of these facilities to realize just how an important event this is in the life of a new town.

Windsor Berkshire, England, has been the home of England's Sovereigns for more than eight centuries.

CAT'S PAW RUBBER HEELS

Tread softly—Step safely.

CAT'S PAW RUBBER SOLES

Embody the patented features of Cats Paw Heels.

MARRY YOUNG

The Rev. C. H. Grundy Gives Some Matrimonial Advice

Early marriages are better for morality, better for the State, better for society, for domesticity, for the growth of personal character, and better for the children, who will thus, when growing up, rejoice in parents who can be keen and interesting companions.

Thus said Rev. C. H. Grundy, M.A., well-known as a lecturer and the popular vicar of St. Peter's Brockley, England to a representative a few days ago.

But do not therefore think, he went on, that I am encouraging the youthful folly of improvident marriage, which so often leads to misery.

At the same time, why should people want to start married life on a grand and showy scale instead of being content to work their way up by degrees. The real fault is the extravagance of bachelorhood. The word economy is not in the dictionary of many men until they think of marriage. All men should begin to prepare financially for marriage the moment they begin to earn money. The habit of thrift thus formed will be quite as valuable and helpful as the money saved.

You say that perhaps a girl has been brought up according to standards of comfort that necessitate a certain salary in the man she is to marry, in order that she shall not suffer by the contract; and I made it a big point at one of my recent lectures that a register should be kept containing the names of young ladies who are willing to take husbands who possess particular incomes. Thus the men would know which are the $1500 or the $1700 a year girls, and comprehend in which section to look.

That proposal was not received with favor by some of those present, but I may say that my matrimonial bureau—which is really designed to do nothing more than bring young couple together by correspondence—has proved successful beyond my expectations. Already I have had 140 letters—some from the Colonies—and one happy pair will be leaving shortly to make a home in Australia.

Do I advocate State encouragement or regulation of early marriages? No sir, I most emphatically do not; we cannot have the policeman to control our love affairs. But what I do wish to insist upon is that parents might do much more than they do to foster early marriages. For the longer I live the more I am shocked at the selfishness of parents; they not only keep the girls about them in the home instead of letting them earn their livings, but too often they seem to take a selfish delight in opposing their natural matrimonial yearnings.

The father likes to take his charming daughter about with him, or the mother is anxious to make her assist in the household management—and, in any case, they do practically nothing to help her to meet eligible partners. And yet it is often the case that such home-staying girls know next to nothing of practical domestic work or economy—how to market wisely, how to test the goodness of articles before buying what quantities of things are requisite for varying numbers of people, and so on—and thus they go on and on, immersed in petty pursuits, until they are really not eligible as wives.

In my opinion, parents can hardly begin too early to train their children for marriage. What? No, I don't think I go quite so far as Lecky, who advocated child-marriage, under certain conditions and strict supervisions; but I do think every man ought to marry the moment he has sufficient means, and a sense of responsibility and has found Miss Wright.

Yes, I am aware that child-marriages have been allowed in Turkey, and that in Spain and Switzerland, for example, a girl of twelve is considered of marriageable age. But I do not make a point of age so much as of the fulfilment of the above conditions; and when I hear people saying that marriage is too responsible an undertaking, and that it may handicap a man in his business career, I tell him that it is only when a man is faced by the imperative necessity for effort that he puts his best foot forward.

No, sir, I am not a relation of that ancient kill-joy, the world-renowned Mrs. Grundy! Nor am I by any means a kill-joy. You may sum my motto up in a phrase: Prepare the young with all possible care for the matrimonial plunge!

Hot-Weather Housewifery

It is every woman's ambition to look spotlessly fresh and dainty in warm weather. To do this she must have a constant supply of clean blouses, and if she be thrifty, these she will wash herself.

For this soap-jelly will be found to be invaluably economical and simple. The soap should be shredded into a basin, and allowed to melt until clear of lumps. It should then be run off into a jar. When using, in a quart of water a quarter of a pound of the soap-jelly will be sufficient.

Then, too, nothing looks more dowdy than a gown which has faded. A little salt in the water will set blue, while alum helps green to retain its color. Ox gall is infallible for grey and brown, and hay water will prevent tan or brown linen and holland from changing their shades.

It may not be known, also, that white washing gloves should always be allowed to dry with a little soap in them. This prevents undue stiffening. They should be drawn over the hands slightly damp to pull them into shape.

White veils, when washed, should neither be mangled nor ironed. Carefully stretched, they should be wound tightly round a tube of cardboard or paper, while still damp. When dry, they will be observed to have suffered neither from tears nor stiffness.

Injured

I find that my husband has been having the office boy to call me up every day and mumble terms of endearment. That's a nice way to fool his wife. He's been away from the office himself.

How is it that you didn't notice the voice?

Well, I'm busy at bridge every day, and I've been having the cook answer the telephone.

COCKSHUTT PLOW COMPANY LIMITED

For Straightaway Plowing, hour after hour, without troubles or stops, COCKSHUTT PLOWS are the most economical on the market.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

The Fresh Air Fund

Mrs. Noopop—Charlie, what do you think? Dad's just sent us a $100 cheque for our new baby? Wasn't that good of him?

Mr. Noopop—I should say so! I'll write at once and thank him for his contribution to the fresh air fund.

Within the past few days a fifth survey party has been sent out of Vancouver by Chief Engineer Callaghan of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway. This latest expedition is made up of 18 men in charge of Mr. F. G. Ashe an experienced operator on location work in mountain country. Its field of action will be southwest of Lillooet and is said to be the roughest district covered by the projected railroad. Those already at work are near West Vancouver and northeast of Newport at the head of Hove Sound.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gentlemen,—In June, 98, I had my hand and wrist bitten and badly mangled by a vicious horse. I suffered greatly for several days and the tooth cuts refused to heal until your agent gave me a bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT, which I began using. The effect was magical; in five hours the pain had ceased and in two weeks the wounds had completely healed and my hand and arm were as well as ever.

Yours truly,
A. E. ROY,
Carriage Maker.

St. Antoine, P.Q.

Entirely Original

Do you consider Wobbleton's humor original, Binks? asked Dubbleigh.

Sure it is, said Binks. Absolutely. I don't believe there is any humor in existence that antedates Wobbleton's jokes.

Requisite on the Farm.—Every farmer and stock-raiser should keep a supply of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil on hand, not only as a ready remedy for ills in the family, but because it is a horse and cattle medicine of great potency. As a substitute for sweet oil for horses and cattle affected by colic it far surpasses anything that can be administered.

Not for Him

Jones—I dare you to go over and speak to that lady over there.

James—Not on your life. That's my wife, and, besides, we ain't speakin'.

Did you know that Miss Belle gave Jones some apparel? How odd. How was it? Well, first she gave him the mitten and then she gave him the sack.

After we acknowledge that there are several sides to every question we cinch our mental narrowness by aggressively adhering to our own.

Insulted

Visitor—Never say die!

Boston Boy—I commonly refer to the dissolution of the vital force.

In trotting up the total we find that we've always got our share of the close decisions!

After all there is this to be said for Jonah: He was not fishing on his own hook.

Mr. E. Farrington, chief clerk in the trainmaster's office of the Grand Trunk Railway at Ottawa has accepted the position of chief clerk and secretary to Mr. J. P. Kirkpatrick, Grand Trunk Pacific Superintendent at Regina. Mr. Farrington has left for the west accompanied by Mc Roy Delisle, formerly a clerk in the Board of Railway Commissioners who is also entering Mr. Kirkpatrick's office.

Have you made any sacrifice to demonstrate your patriotism?

I have, replied the St. Louis man. I bet on the home team regularly.

THIRTEEN YEARS

Unlucky Number for Dakota Woman

The question whether the number "13" is really more unlucky than any other number has never been entirely settled.

A So. Dak. woman, after thirteen years of misery from drinking coffee, found a way to break the "unlucky spell." Tea is just as injurious a coffee because it contains caffeine, the drug in coffee. She writes:

"For thirteen years I have been a nervous wreck from drinking coffee. My liver, stomach, heart—in fact, my whole system being actually poisoned by it.

"Last year I was confined to my bed for six months. Finally it dawned on me that coffee caused the trouble. Then I began using Postum instead of coffee, but with little faith, as my mind was in such a condition that I hardly knew what to do next.

"Extreme nervousness and failing eyesight caused me to lose all courage. In about two weeks after I quit coffee and began to use Postum, I was able to read and my head felt clear. I am improving all the time and I will be a strong, well woman yet.

"I have fooled more than one person with a delicious cup of Postum. Mrs. S. wanted to know where I bought my fine coffee. I told her my grocer had it and when she found out it was Postum she has used it ever since, and her nerves are building up fine.

"My brain is strong, my nerves steady, my appetite good, and best of all, I enjoy such sound, pleasant sleep." Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont. Get the little book in pkgs., "The Road to Wellville," "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

The Worst Case

The worst case of mixed metaphor known, said a teacher of English at the University of Pennsylvania, was the output of Sir Ellis Ashmead Bartlett, who belonged to a Philadelphia family. Sir Ellis once wrote to the London Times:

The concert of the powers in China is a mere delusive screen, agreeable in sound, very tickling to the ignorant ear, calculated to draw the cheers of the groundlings, but which really serves only as a blind to ourselves, as a cover for ministerial inaction as a sounding board to tell our foes of our plans, and as a lever wherewith they are enabled to checkmate our policy.

Imagine, ended the instructor—imagine a screen doing all that!

TEACHER CURED OF BARBER'S ITCH

TELLS OF CURES AMONG HIS PUPILS THAT WERE REMARKABLE

Raw, Inflamed, Itching Skin is Soothed and Healed by

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT

Barber's Itch is a form of Ringworm, which when once started, is most annoying and unsightly, and most difficult to cure. Barbers often refuse to shave anyone having this disease, for fear of passing it on to other customers.

But you can cure Barber's Itch and keep the skin wonderfully soft and healthy by applying Dr. Chase's Ointment. Just read what this teacher has to say about the healing power of Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Mr. Chas. C. Poirier, Upper Caraquet, N.B., writes—"Two years ago while teaching at Shippegan I caught Barber's Itch. A friend told me Dr. Chase's Ointment would cure me, as it had him. When I went for a box I thought it dear, but when I found how good it was I thought it cheap.

"Not only was I cured by that single box, but it also cured two of my pupils, and this too quickly to be believed. One of them, a girl, had a running sore on the chin, which the doctor had tried in vain to cure. The other had a sore on the ear. I can certify to the cure of these cases."

Wherever there is itching skin or a sore that refuses to heal you can apply Dr. Chase's Ointment with positive assurance that the results will be entirely satisfactory. The soothing, healing power of this great ointment is truly wonderful. 60c. a box, at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Oldtimer—Is your married life one grand sweet song?

Newlywed—Well, since our baby's been born it's been like an opera, full of grand marches, with loud calls for the author every night.

No fewer than nine newspapers are published in Waterford, Ireland, which is the equivalent of one for every 3000 inhabitants.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

The prima donna who can reach the high notes is able to reach also the high bank notes of the manager.

A Standard Medicine.—Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, compounded of entirely vegetable substances known to have a revivifying and salutary effect upon the digestive organs, have through years of use attained so eminent a position that they rank as a standard medicine. The ailing should remember this. Simple in their composition, they can be assimilated by the weakest stomach and are certain to have a healthful and agreeable effect on the sluggish digestive organs.

That Mocha Myth

Twenty coffee experts testified in Judge Landis's court in Chicago, that the world it is 200 years old. The last shipment from Mocha of local grown coffee took place that many years ago.

This is no news to those who know coffee. We have oft been told that the cute Brazilians raise a special Mochaesque bean, which they ship to Aden, whence it is re-shipped to the world under the magic name of Mocha. The world has looked blandly on at this, has bought coffee, drank it and tractably called it Mocha. Other coffee countries may have similar schemes.

In a word Mocha coffee has ceased to be a geographical name and has become a mere trade name for a trade article.

Different

Why did Mrs. Hugh Main leave the room right in the very middle of her argument about the cruelty of killing song birds?

Oh, she went into the kitchen to show the servant how to drop a live lobster into boiling water.

Johnny—Ma, may I go down to the creek?

What for, my son? I want to drown a worm.

A teacher in a suburban school hearing a smothered laugh inquired who dared to be so rude.

Please, sir, it was me, answered a loud voice, but I did not mean it.

Did not mean to do it? queried the now angry teacher.

No, sir, I laughed up my sleeve but I did not know there was a hole in my elbow.

Our vision could have wider range. If W. M. could this arrange—

Millennium!

J. M. Olboy

Belfast, Ireland.

WHAT ARE YOUR KIDNEYS FOR?

To filter poisonous acids and waste matter from the system. What happens if the kidneys are not in perfect condition? They cannot properly filter the poisons from the blood. What then? First backaches, pains in the joints and muscles, frequent headaches, then spots before the eyes, rheumatic pains, then chronic kidney disease in which—at great expense—only temporary relief can be had. Finally, constant suffering ending in premature death.

The alternative, when the kidneys begin to warn of their unhealthy condition, is to take DR. CLARK'S SWEET NITRE PILLS. They will help the kidneys and keep them healthy for the future. Sold everywhere at fifty cents a box or mailed direct by

THE MARTIN, BOLE & WYNNE CO., WINNIPEG, CANADA

A Stick for a Hump

Swing a stick to cure a hump, physical or mental. A well known physician recently stated that fewer round shoulders would be observed in our young men of to-day could they but cultivate the habit of carrying a stick. As will easily be seen, the use of a walking stick inevitably pulls back the arm. And so, quite naturally, too, the chest is pushed forward, thus allowing of its expansion. Whereas the man who carries nothing is invariably nervously conscious of his hands. And to hide them away somewhere puts them in his pockets. What happens? By the very action of thrusting his hands in his pockets he brings his shoulders into the line of a slouch, and so to a stoop. But to be at all efficacious the walking stick carried must be of ordinary size—that is to reach as far as the hip. A shorter stick fails in its mission. For either it is swung in the hand, with the other hand in the pocket, or it is carried high under the arm, with both hands buried deep.

Clarice—Why, you proposed to May last night, with those same words.

Vance—Oh, darling, that was only a tryout, this is the first professional performance.

He coaxed her one morning to fly;
They fell from half way to the sky.
When asked to explain
She replied with much pain:
It almost killed he and I.
—Chicago Record-Herald.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

What's the Use

Hub—I observe by the newspapers that Governor Wilson has gone to Seagirt.

Wife—To see Gert who? I suppose you mean some relative.

Might Mean That

Mrs. Exe (with newspaper)—Here is an awfully funny typographical error. It says Mrs. Rich awoke about four o'clock and heard strange noises in the house.

Exe—How do you know it's a typographical error? Maybe it means that she heard her guests snoring.

A Richmond woman has in her employ a colored cook who has managed to break nearly every variety of article that the household contains. The mistress' patience reached the limit recently when she discovered that the dusky servitor had broken the thermometer that hung on the front porch.

Well, well, sighed the lady of the house in a most resigned way, you've managed to break even the thermometer, haven't you?

The maid replied in a tone equally resigned:

Yessum; and now we'll have to take the weather as it comes, won't we?

Sovereign

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Cheap Living

A European correspondent of The New York Evening Post writes that paper as follows:—I am constantly forced to observe cases where great harm is done by the continuance of the old idea that living is cheaper in Europe than in America. It is still true, though less so than it was even five years ago, that almost everybody in Europe does live cheaper than people of the same class in America; but that is not a matter of economics but of human nature.

An American and a Scotsman were discussing the extent of frost experienced in the north of Scotland.

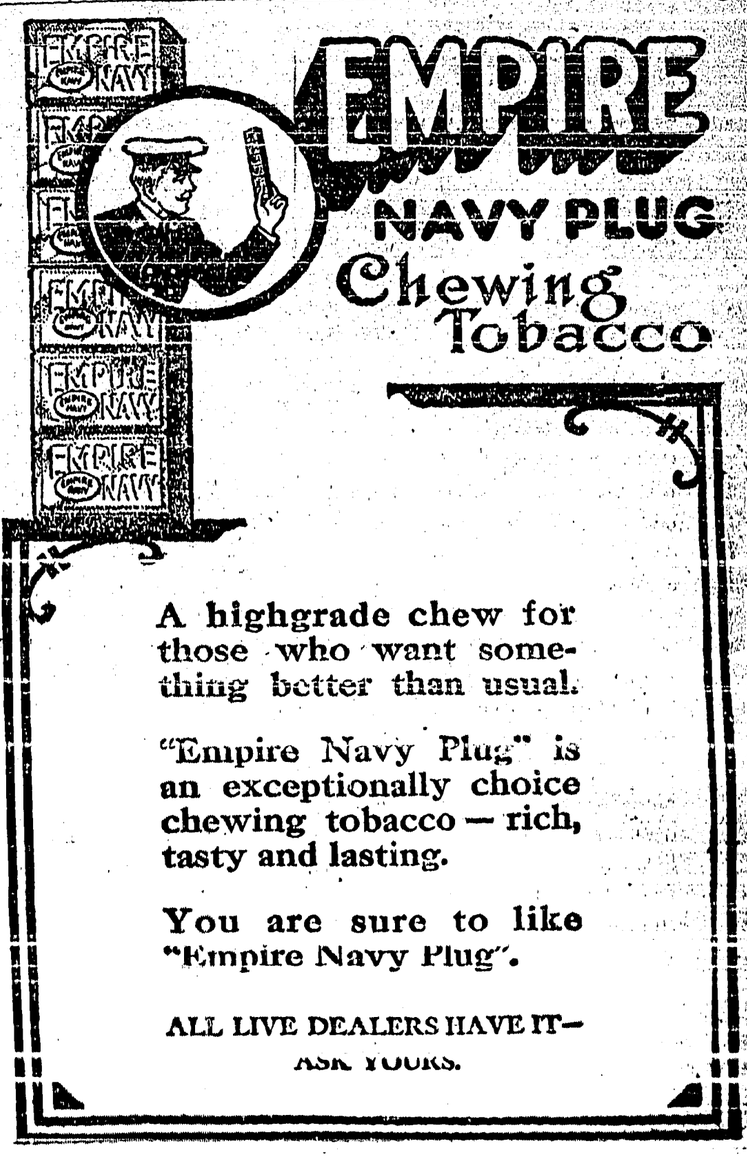
Why, it's nothing at all compared to the cold we have in the States, said the American. I recollect one winter when a sheep, jumping from a hillock in a field, became suddenly frozen on the way and stuck in the air like a lump of ice.

But man, explained the Scotsman the law of gravity wouldn't allow that.

I know that, said the American, but the law of gravity was frozen too.

Queenstown, Ireland, was formerly known as The Cove of Cork, but when the late Queen Victoria paid a visit there in 1849, it changed its name.

Is Jones a wise man? Sure. He is just running over with wisdom. Why he even carries sound cents in his pockets.



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THOS. W. WILBY STARTS AUTOMOBILE TOUR

Expects To Make Trip In About Six Week

Halifax, N. S., August 28—At three o'clock yesterday afternoon Mr. Thomas W. Wilby started from the city hall on an automobile trip which he plans to end on the western coast of Vancouver Island about six weeks hence, thereby demonstrating the practicability of the Canadian Highway. He is the official representative of the Canadian Highway Association, and flies the pennant of that organization on his automobile. Tnis, and the flag of the Automobile Club of Canada, are the only decorations which he sports.

For several months preparations have been going on for this first cross-Canada journey. Co-operating with the energetic pathfinder, the officers of the Canadian Highway Association have prepared maps, plans, charts, etc., which will be invaluable to Mr. Wilby. A chain of pilots has also been provided across the continent. Those in Eastern Canada, as far as the Great Lakes, have been selected by different automobile clubs in these districts, while west of this point the men have been appointed by the Canadian Highway Association In most cases the pilot is a member, frequently an officer, of the association, and it is his intention to accompany Mr. Wilby for at least one hundred miles on his journey, resigning his services as guide when the district served by another officer is reached.

There are, of course, great difficulties to be met with on the journey. For weeks it seemed as if the trip would have to be abandoned as there seemed no possibility of getting beyond the Great Lakes, short of shipping the car over the railroad or on one of the boats plying on the inland sea, but a few days ago Mr. Wilby was advised that a party which had been sent out to thoroughly investigate conditions in that locality, had reported that a route which appeared to be passable had at length been located.

Before leaving Halifax for his western destination, Mr. Wilby was presented with a number of letters to be delivered en route, these being from acting Mayor Martin to representative western men. One of these letters is to His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, patron, and another to Mr. W. J. Kerr, President, of the Canadian Highway Association.

Valuable assistance is being given by Victor Parker, editor of the Modern Power Magazine, of Winnipeg, who has volunteered to pilot Mr. Wilby for 100 miles outside of Winnipeg. Mayor Fleming, of Brandon, has arranged for a pilot from his town for a considerable distance westward, where he will relinquish his task to the Regina pilot. Members of the Medicine Hat Automobile Club are to take charge of Mr. Wilby in Alberta and convoy him to the British Columbia boundary, where he will be met by Mr. Guy Lowenberg, who will have charge of him as far as Castlegar, where Mr. John D. Anderson, another vice-president will undertake to pilot the car as far as Grand Forks from which point Mr. Wilby will have the assistance of Mr. Jeff Davis. At Princeton an experienced packer will be waiting with horses which it is expected will be necessary in crossing the two divides on the Hope mountains. This part of the trip it is believed, will be the most difficult of the whole undertaking, and, in the event of Mr. Wilby negotiating this obstacle, he will be met at the town of Hope by President W. J. Kerr, who will escort him to Chilliwack and across the Fraser Valley to Westminster and Vancouver, stopping at Westminster long enough to entertain the pathfinder at a luncheon to be given in his honor.

From Nanaimo to the western coast of Vancouver Island no great difficulty is to be encountered, the roads as far as Sproat Lake being in excellent condition. An attempt may be made to reach the coast at Long Beach, but if this is not feasible, the journey will come to an official end at Strathcona Park.

CANYON CITY NEWS

Miss V. McLeod, teacher of the Canyon City school spent labor day at Nelson.

Con Hall is erecting a fine new house on his property here.

Geo. Hurry was called to Nelson, Wednesday by the serious illness of his wife.

Mrs. Willis arrived Sunday from Spokane. Mr. Willis is the mill foreman and has been here about two months.

T. H. Hickey and family moved to Creston yesterday, where he has charge of the Mercantile Livery.

Many reports have been received of the residents here killing some fine deer this season. R. Chambers and G. Leach being the first lucky ones on the list.

The work of stumping and clearing the site for the Canyon City school is nearly completed and work will soon be commenced on the new building.

Born, at Nelson, Monday September 2, to the wife of Geo. Hurry, a daughter.

DUCK CREEK NEWS

J. Blinco of Creston agent for the Coldstream estate nurseries was down one day last week taking orders for nursery stock.

Paul Ofner made a trip to Calgary on Sunday returning Wednesday.

Although the weather was far from what could be desired a large crowd took in the labor day celebration at Creston Monday.

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NELSON - B. C.

Miss Beaulah Clarke of Creston is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Embree.

Misses Annie and Etta Johnson left for Calgary Thursday.

Paul Hagen made a trip to Creston Thursday.

EXTENSION OF TIME

NOTICE is hereby given that the time for the reception of tenders for the construction of the Victoria Harbour, B. C., Breakwater, is extended to Wednesday, September, 18, 1912.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
—27452 Ottawa, August 23, 1912

W. P. Holmes, formerly of Creston, and D. L. Allen of the Canadian Bank of Commerce of Cranbrook spent Sunday and Monday in Creston.

T. M. Edmondson has on display in S. A. Speers window, six onions which weigh 16 pounds 3 ounces or an average of 2⅜ pounds a piece.

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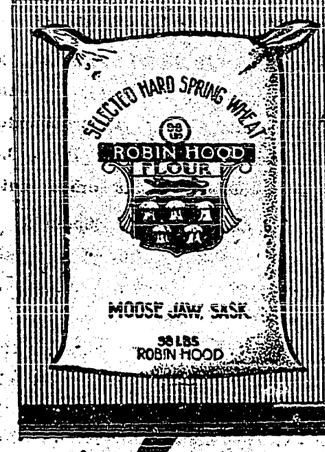

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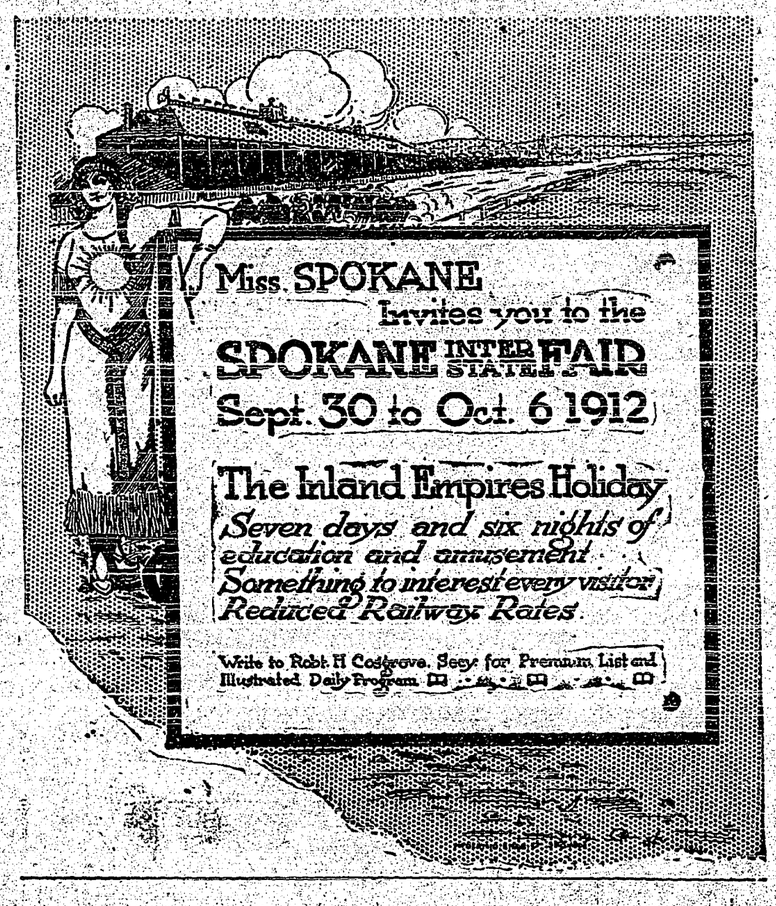

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Write for our private address.

Many Attractions For Nelson Fair

Progressiveness has been the motto of the committee of this year's Fair at Nelson, B. C., Sept., 23 to 28th, and with that idea in view, they have for many months been planning novel features which will be introduced here for the first time. These features not only include many new exhibits, races and prize contests but also an entirely new brand of free attractions. The committee has this year selected some of the most famous vaudeville acts that are to be seen on the stages of America or Europe. Selecting their acts as they do from the biggest vaudeville headquarters in the country, they have secured some novel, interesting and highly diversing features, which will be absolutely free to all who attend. Acrobats of marvelous skill, comedians who can make a mummy laugh, the best of music and many other novelties will be introduced.

All these attractions are absolutely free to those who attend the Fair. They will see performers that are seen in the biggest theatres or circuses in the United States, a highly interesting day, full of wholesome amusement can be had by all who attend. Do not fail to mark the date, and last but not least, do not fail to attend.

No doubt the chief attraction will be the Aeroplane, Aviator Edwards has been secured at considerable expense, to make daily Aeroplane flights from the fair groudds.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for the Construction of a Breakwater in Victoria Harbour, B. C." will be received at this office until 4:00 p. m., on Thursday, September 5, 1912, for the construction of a breakwater at Victoria Habour, Victoria, B. C.

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of W. Henderson, Resident Architect, Victoria, B. C.; C. C. Worsfold, Esq., District Engineer, New Westminster, B. C.; J. G. Sing, Esq., District Engineer, Toronto, Ont.; J. L. Michaud, Esq., District Engineer, Montreal, Que.; A. Decary, Esq., District Engineer, Quebec, Que; and on application to the Postmaster at Vancouver, B. C.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupation and places of residence. In the case of firms the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Honourable Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10%) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

R. C. DESROCHERS,

Secretary.

Department of Public Works,

Ottawa, August 8, 1912.

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Before Miss Mary went away for her summer holiday somebody asked her when she was going, and how long she would be away. And this is what she said:

When it is the day after to-morrow I shall start a week from yesterday and I'm not coming back until the day before five weeks after a fortnight and three days before the day after a couple of days before I start.

How long will Mary be away?

Speaking of the referendum, Johnny is unalterably opposed to having mother refer the account of his behaviour to father.

An English Greeting

How are you? says the Englishman.
I hope you are well; eh, what?
How are your children and your wife,
And all that baily rot.

Mary of the Dainty Socks

Mary drew a pair of socks on her little feet;
Mary's skirt was very scant and her face was sweet;
Mary was a modest maid, but the day was hot;
Who will know I'm wearing socks? modest Mary thought.

Mary donned a wide-brimmed hat that became her well,
Then set out for places where people buy and sell;
Mary thought the people stared cause her face was sweet,
But the meager skirt and socks had declined to meet.

One-half of the world does not know how the other half lives and, more's the pity, doesn't care.

Good for Evil

Tommy returned sobbing from school with a very bad black eye. But I'll pay Billy Blobbs off for this in the morning, he said.

No, no, replied the mother, you must return good for evil. I'll make you a nice jam tart, and you must take it to Billy Blobbs and say, I told mother how you'd punished me, and she says I must return good for evil so here's a nice tart for you."

The following morning with tart in one hand and his books in the other, poor Tommy hastened joyfully to school, only to return in a sadder plight than the day before, saying, between his sobs: Mother I gave your message and tart to Billy Blobbs, and he blacked the other eye, and says he wants you to send him a pudding.

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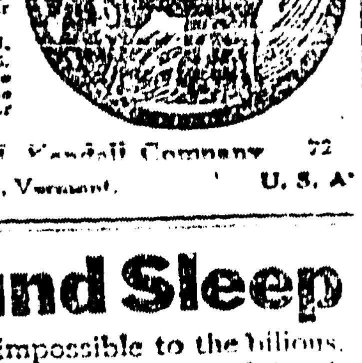

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THE STEWARDESS

What Life Aboard Ship Means to a Woman

Many women are inclined to think that to become a stewardess on board ship is the easiest thing in the world, whereas, in reality, the work is by no means easy nor are such positions lightly obtained. For the right woman, the life of a stewardess is fascinating to a degree, giving opportunities of travel which otherwise would be debarred to the ordinary woman; but it is most essential that only the right kind of woman shall attempt to take up such work.

Mere love of travel is not sufficient qualification. The stewardess must have some practical knowledge of travelling, must be physically strong, and a first-rate sailor, and, above all, must at all times be unfailingly cheerful and tactfully sympathetic.

The stewardess needs also to possess the gift of reticence, since rarely a voyage passes without the stewardess being made the recipient of the confidences of some women travellers. Preference, too, is always given to women who have had some hospital training. One line, at least, makes this an indispensable qualification for their stewardesses so that it is worth while any woman thinking of adopting the work first to take a short hospital course.

The stewardess gets splendid opportunity for travelling about the world but this is by no means synonymous with seeing the world. During a voyage there are few people on board who have to work harder than does the stewardess, and she gets very small time for sight-seeing. As a sort of compensation, she has fine opportunities for studying character—especially female character—and obtains a very diversified knowledge of human nature by the time she has taken a few voyages.

As a general thing, it is preferred only to appoint experienced women as stewardesses. The Peninsular and Oriental Steamship Line, for instance only appoint women between twenty-five and thirty-five in this capacity, and this age-limit can be taken as a very fair average.

The pay of a stewardess varies from two pounds a month upwards. There are, of course, no expenses to be incurred while sailing, though between voyages the stewardess has to keep herself entirely, since it is the general rule to sign on afresh for each voyage. Beyond actual wages, a stewardess makes a lot of money by tips, since it is the recognised thing for women passengers to reward the stewardess. The amount varies, but a stewardess reckons to make from five to twenty pounds on a single voyage.

Most steamship companies have their stewardesses dress in a sort of hospital-nurse way while on duty. Indeed, the life of a stewardess may be compared to that of a hospital nurse: it is equally strenuous, mentally and physically, full of an infinitude or all sorts of duties, and often calls for most self-sacrificing effort.

The stewardess must always think of others before herself, and, whatever the irritation must not suffer herself to lose her temper. Lost temper usually means lost work.

Shades in the Sea

Although it is common definition to call anything sea green, most people hesitate between blue and sea green when asked to say the color of sea-water. As a matter of fact the quantities of blue and green sea water are pretty equally divided. By nature green, sea-water grows blue according to the saltness of it.

Thus, the Arctic waters are as green as the grass of Ireland, while the Atlantic is decidedly blue—though not as blue as the Mediterranean Sea, which receives practically no fresh water at all. Beyond blue and green it is no unknown thing for sea-water to be otherwise colored. Frequently stretches of the sea will turn a radiant snow-white, and no scientist yet has been able to give a reason for it.

Equally unsatisfactory are the reasons given for the sudden changing of sea-water to an inky-black shade, as happened a few years ago in the Bay of Santa Cruz. Red and yellow sea-water is comparatively well known through the Chinese Yellow Sea and the Red Sea.

Various interesting reasons are given for the waters being such colors, but scientifically the shades are declared to be due entirely to peculiar vegetable growths beneath the respective waters.

Hats and Heat

That a hat is cooler in hot weather than no hat at all, is somewhat paradoxical. Yet it is perfectly true.

Recently an enterprising gentleman experimented with different headgear to prove the exact veracity of above statement. At the same time each day and when the full heat of the sun registered precisely 92 degrees, he sat for a quarter of an hour wearing hats. Inside each of these a specially sensitive thermometer had been fixed.

In this manner it was ascertained that the coolest head-covering on record was a hat made from the best kind of Panama. This registered only 78 degrees. The straw Homburg and ordinary straw ran it fairly closely with 80 and 82 degrees respectively. After which came the white felt Homburg at 86 degrees. The silk topper reached 89 degrees as to the bowler and mortar-board's higher score of 92 degrees. Whilst outside the heat limit altogether were the tweed cap, policeman's helmet, and yachting or motoring caps rising to a very warm 94, 97 and 98 degrees.

Life is real, life is earnest,
Sate the poet long ago;
When [illegible] put in plainer language
Means you must get up and go.

I am going to put some white in the yoke, said the young lady, referring to her gown.

Won't that scramble it? inquired the young man.

Gabe—Has Jones a good memory?

Steve—Should say he has. Why he can name you the last six vice-presidents of the United States.

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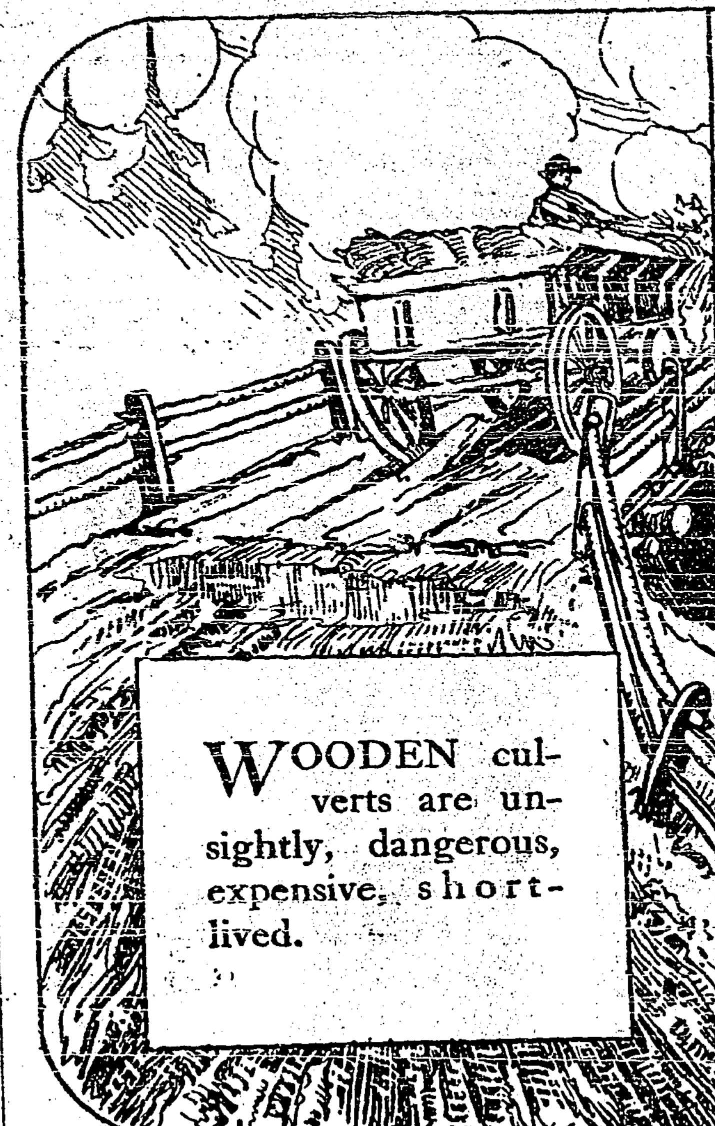

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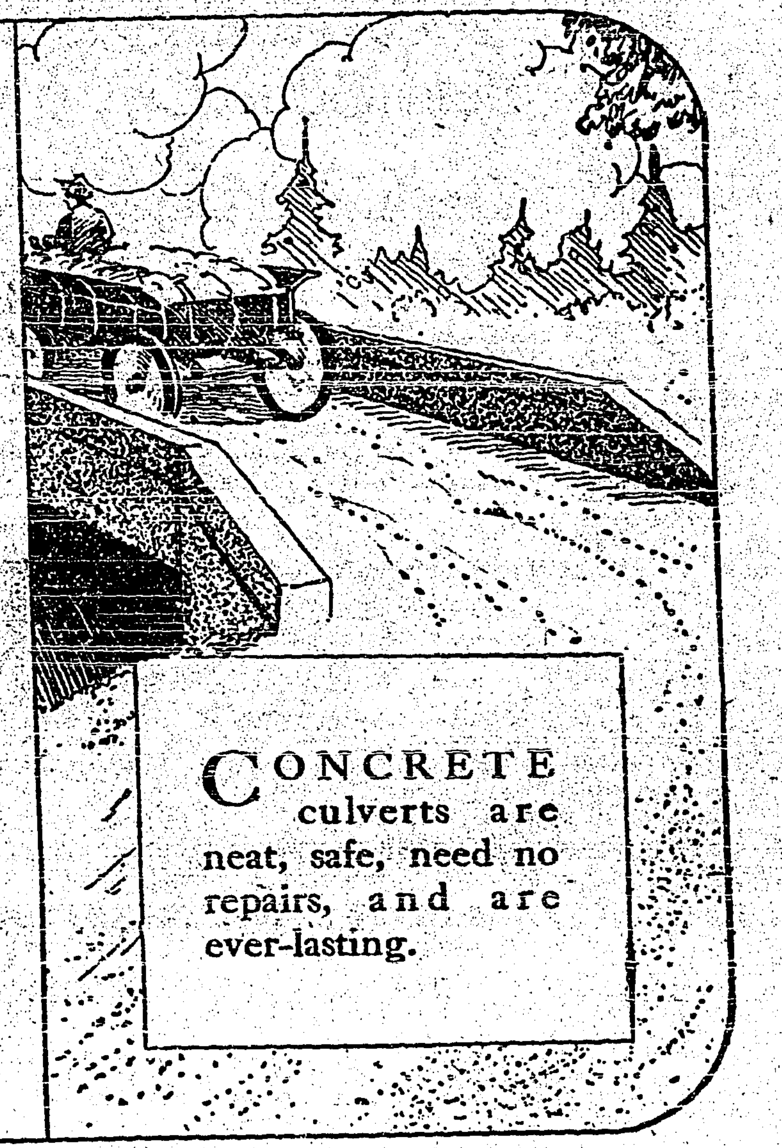


Sunrise

A hush is over all more than terrene,
The ray wind squadrons of the night grow still
As if stayed by the lifted hand of one strong will,
To listen all for foemen yet unseen;
Where ancient trees in vocal groves convene,
No voice of old is heard; the mute-lipped hill
Stares at the fading stars with presage chill;
The whole earth listens, waits, with breathless mien,
A solemn hour is this for all earth's kin,
When time gives birth to one immortal day,
Within whose bounds all evil deeds be done
Forever scarlet with the stain of sin,
And noble deeds whose worth shall last alway,
Till in the skies burns out the dimming sun!

Arthur Wallace Peach

Little Elsie—What is the Dead Letter Office mamma?

Mother—Your father's pocket.

Some folks tell all they know, which is bad enough; but they keep right on and tell a lot of things they don't know, and that is worse.

Prison Missionary—Don't you ever regret your past?

Hardened Convict—No, it's my present that worries me most.

Why was Jonah thrown overboard?

I'm not sure, but I've always thought he was the first man to rock a boat.

May I count on getting your vote, Miss Peake? Oh, I shan't be old enough to vote for two years yet.

When the man who has been hit by the motor car at last opened his eyes a sigh of relief went up from the crowd.

It's a wonder you weren't killed, said one of the bystanders. Your luckier than most of the fellows who get hit.

I certainly am, replied the victim, rubbing his bruises, I got his number just before he struck me.

An Uncle Tom's Cabin company was starting to parade in a small New England town when a big gander from a farmyard near at hand waddled to the middle of the street and began to hiss.

One of the double in brass actors turned toward the fowl and angrily exclaimed:

Don't be too quick to jump at conclusions. Wait till you see the show.

From the Jester's Wand

Yes, they were married last Friday in East Liverpool.

He is a champion golfist I understand.

Yes, he's a champion golfist.

And the girl?

Is a champion bridge-player.

Where do they propose to live?

With the bride's father. He's a champion bricklayer.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

Furious

First Deaf Mute—He wasn't so very angry, was he?

Second Deaf Mute—He was so wild that the words he used almost blistered his fingers.

Was your father ever a brave soldier?

Why, my father was only in the army two weeks when he saved the whole regiment. He shot the cook.

Where It Began

The ancient king had cast the Israelites into the fiery furnace.

Is it hot enough for you? he yelled.

Whereupon he became known as the cruelest despot in history.

Falmouth, England, has a harbour ten square miles in area.

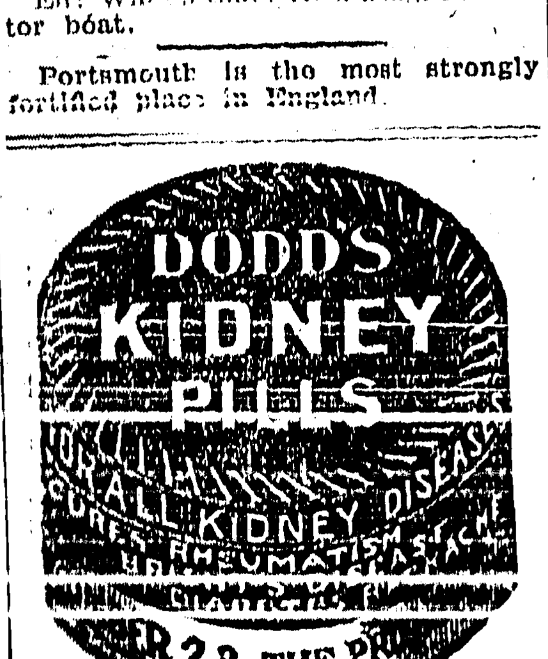
Swansea Docks can berth the largest vessels afloat.

The total area of the Channel Islands is 73 square miles.

Dumley asserts that he has found a cure for tyre trouble.

Eh! What's that? He's bought a motor boat.

Portsmouth is the most strongly fortified place in England.



To Remember You by

My life was a garden of flowers that day,
When you gave me a rose and I still hear you say
Very softly, and in your own dear girlish way,
To remember me by.

And that evening long past together we spent,
When your voice to that song a new glad meaning lent,
Which I carried with me, as homeward I went,
To remember you by.

And now tho' hard Fate has ruthlessly cast
Our lots far apart, yet we both have the Past;
And your memory sweet I shall have till the last,
To remember you by.

H.E.

Corns cause much suffering, but Holloway's Corn Cure offers a speedy, sure, and satisfactory relief.

Something About Salt

The chief thought about salt in the minds of all holiday-makers will be in connection with the sea; but it has other uses and significance.

Most people think that spilling salt is unlucky. This superstition has been handed down from the ancient Romans. Two or three hundred years ago all the servants of the wealthy sat below the salt to show their humble origin, and this custom was observed not so very long ago in Scotland.

Salting a coffin is still prevalent among some nations, but the most curious use to which salt is put to-day is in Abyssinia and Tibet, where cakes of salt are employed as money.

Missing the Change

Hotel Manager—Oh, yes, after a big night in the dining-room we miss quite a lot of silver.

Reporter (slyly)—But very little of the paper money gets away, eh?

Doctor—Well, I hope you profited by my advice.

Patient—Yes, doctor, but not so much as you did.

The man who lives on the top of the hill may be said to have a bright prospect no matter how his crops may turn out.

A sure way to break up a sitting hen is to run her through a thrashing machine. That will do it effectively.

Time to Do It

Heckler (to orator)—Hi! guvnor, do you support early closing?

Orator—Certainly I do, my friend.

Heckler—Then shut up.

Maude—Mrs. M. is very literary, isn't she?

Estelle—Yes, indeed. Even when she sent her baby's picture she wrote on the back: With the compliments of the author.—Satire.

A pleasant medicine for children is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, and there is nothing better for driving worms from the system.

Pa, why do you always insist on me singing when Mr. Spoozleton comes here?

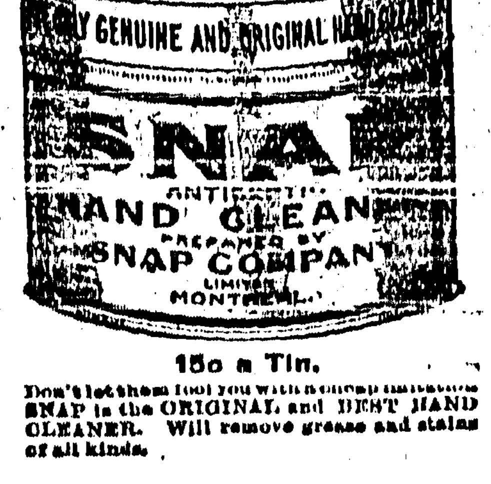
Well, I don't like that fellow and yet I hate to come right out and tell him to go.

First Things

The man to propose the establishment of a penny (two-cent) post, a postal money order system and post office savings banks was Sir Rowland Hill, who died in London thirty-three years ago today. The founder of the modern postoffice was born in 1795. His penny postage plan was suggested to the British Parliament in 1837, and went into effect in England in 1840. In the same year his money order scheme was put into effect, replacing an antiquated system that had been little used on account of expense. Stamped postage covers another innovation suggested by Hill and which also came into use that year.

The first ascent ever made in a balloon filled with hydrogen gas was made at Paris by M. M. Robert and Charles, 129 years ago today.

CLEAN HANDS



15c a Tin.

Don't let them fool you with a cheap imitation. SNAP is the ORIGINAL and BEST HAND CLEANER. Will remove grease and stains of all kinds.

MORE GERMAN PERIL

SIR ARTHUR LAWLEY SEES A REAL DANGER

Believes that the Most Potent Factor in the World's Peace is the British Navy —Sir Wilfrid Laurier Says Bad Arbitration is Better than Successful War

Ottawa —At a luncheon given to visiting British financiers and legislators at the Chateau Laurier, the guests included several members of the Dominion cabinet and the former Liberal government, among them Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. F. D. Monk, Crothers, Hon. W. B. Nantel, Hon. J. D. Reid, Hon. W. J. Roche, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux and Hon. W. S. Fielding.

In proposing the toasts to the guests, Sir Wilfrid Laurier in pointing out how Canada's differences with the United States had been settled during the past hundred years, without resort to arms said a bad arbitration was better than the most successful war. Touching on the race for armament in Europe, he said:—

Thank God, Canada shall never go into it to settle her differences by such a race. In England you think of armament and wars; in Canada, we think of canals and railways, and public works.

As to the German peril Sir Wilfrid believed that Germany was only seeking territory for colonization. He believed there was enough for Germany without embroiling Great Britain into a national war. He mentioned the present Panama canal dispute to say that he believed that British and Canadian diplomacy would be able to settle it to the satisfaction of all concerned.

Sir Arthur Lawley, a formerly governor-general of South Africa, said he had recently taken part in the reception to the Canada premier at the Royal Colonial Institute in London. He said that Mr. Borden told of his work in welding together a nation in Canada. He stirred the heart of every Englishman, however self-centred, un-emotional and insular he might be. Our welcome to Mr. Borden, he said, was no mere act of courtesy, but it was the hand-grip of citizens of a common empire.

Touching on the matter of imperial union, Sir Arthur said that at the present time, the union of the British self-governing dominions was being promoted for the purposes of defence. He proceeded to justify this way of looking at the world situation. Europe was just now a vast armed camp. Germany, the world's greatest military power and the second greatest naval power, was arming herself prodigiously with no ostensible reason. At any moment England might find herself embarked upon a colossal fight, and he would not insult the intelligence of his auditors by pointing out the inevitable effect on Canada of a great continental war.

It is more comfortable at the present time to prattle about perpetual peace, said the speaker. But the most potent factor in the world's peace today is the British navy.

SOUTH AFRICA TO HAVE FAST ARMED LINERS

Union Will Follow Canada's Lead in Augmenting the Empire's Fleet

Capetown.—The South African government has taken advantage of the opportunity afforded by the mail contract, which has just been negotiated by Sir D. P. de Villiers Graaf, in London, to make new and important arrangements regarding the South African contribution to imperial naval defence.

There is every indication that the union has decided to follow the lead of Canada and to provide a fleet of fast armed liners, which will be convertible into naval auxiliaries capable of holding the east-bound trade route in time of war.

This is suggested by the announcement that the new contract provides for the complete replacement of the existing union castle fleet, during the currency of the contract, by bigger and faster steamers, following Sir D. P. de Villiers Graaf's recent secret conferences with Mr. Churchill, wherent the subject of armed liners was discussed.

It is anticipated that the money contribution for the navy will be withdrawn, and that the saving thus affected will help to make up the difference between the old and new contract price. The arrangement is likely to be received very cordially in South Africa, where it is fully realized by Dutch and English alike that the present contribution is wholly inadequate.

It is understood that the imperial authorities are fully satisfied with the arrangement.

No Favors From Canadian Roads

London.—The proposal to hold the next annual conference of the Institute of Journalists at Montreal was discussed at a recent meeting, a resolution to that effect being carried by a substantial majority.

Robert McDonald, president-elect, and editor of the London Chronicle, considered the proposal neither practical nor expedient on the ground of expenditure of time and money.

The members of the Institute were not missionaries or commercial travellers, he said, but working journalists.

Again, it would be below the dignity of the Institute to accept the hospitality of great Canadian railroad corporations, against whom the Canadian journalists themselves were generally fighting.

Israel Zangwill supported the resolution remarking that he saw no reason why they should object to Canada helping the Empire.

Probe Meat Trust

Toronto.—A petition to the governor-general asking for the appointment of a royal commission to investigate the alleged meat trust operating in Canada has been drafted by the city council. Copies will be presented to various municipalities for the purpose of securing their co-operation.

OFFICIAL PROTEST BY BRITAIN

Will Appeal to Hague Unless Settlement of Canal Matter is Reached

Washington.—Great Britain has reaffirmed its protest against the Panama Canal Bill. In a note filed with the State Department by A. M. Innes charge of the British embassy here, it was stated that if a satisfactory agreement could not be reached Great Britain would appeal to the Hague tribunal for arbitration.

The note submitted, says Great Britain will give careful consideration to both the bill and the message President Taft sent to Congress regarding discrimination in favor of American coastwise shipping in the canal. If after due consideration, it is found that no satisfactory agreement can be reached in the matter, Great Britain declares that it will be necessary to appeal to arbitration.

Strathcona On Panama Bill

London —Lord Strathcona interviewed on the question of the Panama canal deprecated too much public discussion pending further developments. If the bill, he said, had been passed as originally intended, a bill so that every nation should have a free unrestricted use of the canal, it would have been a great benefit to every country doing trade with the west coast. It would have facilitated and cheapened the transporting of passengers and of light goods which form so large a proportion of the traffic of railways. If these discriminating provisions, however, in favor of the United States should come into operation they would seriously hamper the other nations which carry so much of the overseas trade. We look upon it as absolutely wrong, declared his lordship, especially in Great Britain that this interpretion should have been put upon the treaty. The foreign office doubtless will put the matter before the American people in the proper light and we have the assurance that a very large body of American opinion is not satisfied that it should be left as it now stands.

Big Reform in New Zealand

London.—A Wellington, N.Z., correspondent says a measure aiming at the destruction of political patronage has been introduced.

It provides for the appointment of a commissioner, having whole control of all the chief departments, except the railways.

This official may be suspended on the ground of incompetence or misbehaviour, by the governor, but can be dismissed only by the House.

His decision will be subject to review by the appeal board and applicants soliciting support of members of parliament for appointment of promotion in the public service will be disqualified.

Thinks Government of China Will Not Last Long

Vancouver, B.C.—The present government of China will be of short duration, in the opinion of Commander C. J. Eyres, R.N., formerly commander of the British squadron at Hong Kong. The commodore passed through Vancouver enroute from Hong Kong to England. I look for another uprising in China soon, he said. The idea seems to prevail over here that every thing is lovely in China, but the reverse is the same. The present government will be of short duration and the overthrow will come when we least expect it.

Bounties or Lead Case

Ottawa —Canadian lead bounties have ceased, for the present at least, to be paid by the government.

The reason is that the price paid for Canadian lead in London has reached the $90 a ton mark when, according to the statute bounties must automatically cease.

The bounty is $15 a ton.

In addition to the passing of the lead bounty at least temporarily, the bounty of 9c. a ton on pig iron and sixty cents on electrically treated steel will terminate permanently at the end of the year.

AIRMEN FIRED AT

Basket of Their Balloon is Struck With Bullets

Geneva.—Several aeronauts who left Lucerne for a voyage in the Alps in the Aero Club's balloon Theodore Shaeck narrowly escaped being shot.

They were forced to descend near Nidwald., where three Swiss, armed with rifles, took aim and fired, with the result that the basket of the balloon was struck several times with bullets.

Several of the bullets passed near the passengers, who are intensely indignant at the outrage. One of the men have been arrested.

Reduce Rates on Suez Canal

London.—The directors of the Suez Canal have formerly announced their intention to reduce from January 1 next the transit dues of the canal by 50 centimes, thus making the tariff for loaded ships 6.25 francs and for ships in ballast 3.75 francs per ton. For three successive years the company has made reductions of 50 centimes, or a total reduction in the tariff for the period mentioned of about 20 per cent.

G.T.P. To Use Oil In Mountain Section

Victoria, B.C.—President E. J. Chamberlin, of the G.T.P., announces that his company has definitely decided to use oil as locomotive fuel on the mountain section. The company is in possession of large areas of oil lands which will give it a perpetual supply. Eventually it is hoped to use oil on the National Transcontinental section of the road.

Curate Rescued Dog

London —In order to rescue a dog which appeared to be drowning in a pond with steep sides, the Rev. P. R. Hobsons, a curate of Ogmore, Vale, plunged into the water and pushed the dog before him to the bank.

London —Lord Tennyson's poem 'Dora' has been arranged as a Cinematograph play and will shortly be produced in London.

VIEWS OF BOURASSA

SAYS CANADA WILL GET WORST OF CANAL DISPUTE

Leader of French-Canadian Nationalists Draws Parallel With Certain Other Events in Canada, and Says Britain Will do Anything Rather Than Risk War with U.S.

Montreal.—In the "Devoir," Henri Bourassa, leader of the French-Canadian Nationalists, deals with the attitude of the English and Canadian press with regard to President Taft's message on the Panama Canal legislation.

It may be taken for granted that this turmoil will end all previous Anglo-American imbroglios at Canada's expense—for it is Canadian sea traffic that will suffer most from the discrimination made in American coastwise trading.

It will be settled as the Maine and Ohio boundary dispute, the Atlantic fisheries, the Alaska boundary, the Clayton-Bulwer treaty were all settled.

From my first stay in London in 1901 and from personal conversation with various British statesmen and publicists, I have come to the definite conclusion that the Imperial Government, with any party in power, will stand anything rather than risk a conflict with the United States.

I am not, however, to be counted among those Canadians who charge their statesmen with criminal negligence or cowardice, because of their passive, and even at times, submissive attitude towards the arrogance of the Yankee.

They believe, and rightly so, that even, if victorious, Great Britain would gain nothing by war with the States, while she would make tremendous financial losses and run the risk of famine and social revolution at home.

This is known in Washington better than Ottawa, Montreal and Toronto, where we lay deep in the narrow quietness and childish pretentions of our colonial irresponsibility.

No wonder, therefore, that American rulers, indifferent as they are to all precepts of international honor and integrity, should laugh at England's protests.

As to Canadian wailings, they mind them no more than the complaints of the remnants of Indian tribes.

The writer then says that England has encouraged the United States in its cynical attitude by giving it its moral sunport in the war with Spain, and by its spoilation of the Boer republics in the Boer war and concludes:

Then, if international compacts are important to preserve peace and good order in the world, engagements between provinces and races of a confederacy are equally essential to social and national honor.

The Canadian Confederation rests on the terms of the agreement accepted by the former provinces, and especially of the compact between the Anglo-Protestant majority and the Franco-Catholic minority.

How has the plighted faith been kept? The words of honor respected? The laws of national integrity observed?

A country in which the notion of moral rights and good faith to minorities is weakened, soon loses the secret of necessary strength to have its material rights respected by others.

An old French proverb says that treachery always pays back its master.

Let the frantic denunciators of Taft in Canada meditate over the maxim.

THE MARKET REPORT

Weekly Grain Letter Supplied by Thompson, Sons & Co., Grain Merchants, Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, August 21.—There has been practically no change in the wheat market situation during the past week either in prices or sentiment. It has been something of a waiting market, steady with narrow fluctuations in the quotations, but at the end prices are a shade higher than a week ago although the feeling is not noticeably stronger. The weather during the week over Western Canada and North Dakota has been slow, cloudy and lacking sunshine and in some parts there have been intermittent showers of rain more or less heavy, just the kind of weather to delay ripening and cutting without being so serious as to cause actual damage. The temperature has been moderately high and there has been no near approach to the frost line reported from any point and no rust damage. A little farther south than the middle of North Dakota there has been more rain than north here in Canada, and some damage to grain in stook may have been caused by the rain, but the chief complaint is about delay in getting threshed by having to wait until the grain has dried out again and there having been an absence of breezy winds, the drying out takes several days. There is no doubt that the whole of the country between the Rocky Mountains and the Red and Mississippi rivers needs a spell of dry, windy, sunny weather to favor ripening of uneut crops and allow harvest work to proceed continuously, but recent and present weather is not in our opinion specifically unfavorable except for the delay which might leave portions of the crop in danger of weather damage later on. It is reported that the bulk of the grain crops in the northern half of Alberta and Saskatchewan, is still very green and will need good weather into September before much of it can be cut, but in Manitoba, southern Saskatchewan and southern Alberta, crops are much further advanced and cutting has been well started at several points and with dry weather would keep steadily going ahead. Under such weather as we have been having, grain must have been filling well, and at time of writing we think the prospect is good for a full average yield of milling wheat of high average quality, wheat that the miller will rejoice to see in quantity. It is of course quite probable that some of the latest of the crop will get nipped by the frost, but when the grain is almost matured and gets a nip of the frost it may be even in quality and only slightly depreciated. We think European buyers and millers may look forward to getting a very satisfactory grade of wheat from western Canada this crop season with little or none of the terribly low grade stuff we raised last season, which was perished by cold and wet and frost and snow before it was half way to maturity, the like of which we never had before to such extent. We have already received some rubbed out samples of winter and spring wheat from southern Alberta and prettier wheat it would be hard to find in any season. Had the weather been steadily favorably for allowing harvesting to proceed south of the line, and a larger movement of wheat to set in to Minneapolis, markets would almost surely have eased off another cent or two. In the four western markets, Chicago, Minneapolis, Duluth and Winnipeg the contract grade of wheat for September delivery in the United States markets and the October in Winnipeg is running very nearly the same price, the lowest today is Minneapolis closing at 91¾c., and the highest is Duluth at 93½c., this is for No. 1 Northern. Cash wheat of the old crop for immediate delivery still keeps at a good premium over the new crop, as it runs from 10c. to 14c. over the September and October futures, but by the time the new crop is beginning to move freely, the premium will fade from the old wheat. At around 92c. to 93c., the level of price for the new crop which the markets are stayed at, we think we may expect to see a certain stability and steadiness. The 90c. level wont be easily broken through except temporarily, for it is safe to say that 90c. for wheat today is relatively no higher than 75c. was ten years ago. The level of value has been permanently lifted unless a time comes when production largely over-runs requirements, and that time is not going to be this crop year. On the other hand with favorable weather the spring wheat crops will move freely and largely, and until supplies fall off, or prospects develop pointing to smaller crops, later on, there will be no incentive for speculative buyers to invest largely in wheat and so advance prices, and certainly the millers and consumers will not do so. At present, therefore it looks as if prices in store at terminal points would be doing well if they range between say 90c. and 95c. The only thing that would cause any important advance in the near future would be the early setting in of a spell of very unfavorable weather for harvest over western Canada and North Dakota, and we don't think this will happen this season. A little later the progress of the Argentine and Australian crops will be a leading influence on the market. At present these crops are in the early stages of their growth and prospects for them are quite favorable. While we write in this strain, we would not forget that owing to very wet and unseasonable weather in England, France and Germany, the wheat crops in these countries have sustained much damage and loss and that will cause a good demand for foreign wheat between now and December, just the opposite to what occurred a year ago when their harvests were early and wheat in prime condition owing to a long spell of dry, warm weather. The statistical position over the world is also very strong compared with a year ago. The American visible supply is 18,000,000 bus. against 47,000,000 bus. a year ago, and the European visible is only 51,416,000 against 74,400,000 bus. last year. The demand for flour is also good, and the invisible supplies of wheat known to be small. The Russian crop is moderately larger than the small crops of the two previous years, but what with wars and rumors of wars in southeastern Europe and the Italian-Turkish war liable to interfere with Black Sea shipments, the export from Russia may be very moderate for another year. Thus, while bearish sentiment and a large run of wheat on this side in the next three or four months may keep prices easy, there is not yet any strong reason why they should go below present level and stay there.

Our Winnipeg market has been quiet during the week. Trading in the future deliveries is not active. There is a good demand for cash wheat but quantities of the different grades are getting into small compass and dealers find it very difficult to fill orders, sometimes having to pay a sharp advance to get spot wheat on short notice. There are offers for cash wheat for October delivery at about ½c. over the option price. To-day's cash prices for old wheat are 1 Nor., 106½c.; 2 Nor., 104¾c.; 3 Nor., 100½c.; No. 4, 89c.; No. 5, 72c, No. 6, 61¾c.; Feed, 59c.; No. 3 Alberta Red Winter, 97½c.; No. 4, A. R., 90c. Futures closed October 92½c. December 89⅝c.

Oats—

A strong demand for cash oats has sprung up during the week and advanced prices 2c. to 3c. per bushel. Export demand is good. To-day's cash prices are No. 2 Can. Western, 4?c.; 3 C.W., 39c; Ex. 1 Fd. 40c; 1 Fd. 39½c; 2 Fd., 36c., The October option closed today at 35½-⅝c.

Barley—

There has been a little inquiry for barley at 50c. for No. 3 and 46c. for No. 4.

Flax—

The flax market is about steady with very little change in prices. The demand is quiet. To-day's cash prices are 1 N.W., 170c; 1 Man., 168c, Rejected, 157c. The October future closed at 158c.

Prices quoted above are on basis of delivery in store Fort William, Port Arthur and Duluth.

Need 2,000 More on G.T.P. Work

Vancouver, B.C.—E. J. Chamberlain, president of the Grand Trunk Pacific states that two thousand more men were needed on construction work on his line in British Columbia. Unless an adequate number of men could be obtained it would take much longer to complete the railway than had been anticipated.

NO ALBERTA GRAIN BLOCKADE

More Cars to Move Crops, Empty Elevators and Two Weeks Earlier Harvest

Calgary.—The grain committee of the Calgary board of trade, which has been inquiring into the possibilities of the grain blockade this year presented its report.

The report states that the danger is reduced to a minimum, basing it on three contingencies known, more cars in which to move the crop, empty elevators at country points and a two weeks' earlier harvest.

The committee asks owners of grain in Alberta to bend every effort to get the grain ready for market at the earliest possible moment and also requests railways to have equipment on hand ready to receive early shipments.

Over ninety per cent of the elevators are empty and ready for the 1912 crop.

From figures compiled by the committee it was learned that last year Alberta received its proportion of cars as compared with the two other prairie provinces.

The report urges all parties concerned to unite in one common effort to dispatch as much grain as possible before the close of navigation, as this governs considerably the effect afterwards and will undoubtedly prevent a congestion this year and enable elevators to maintain an ingress and flow of grain through the markets.

Copies of the report were ordered sent to Messrs. Bury and Price of the C.P.R.; W. J. Tregilus, president, and E. J. Fream, secretary of the United Farmers of Alberta; and to L. P. Strong, president of the Calgary Grain Exchange.

Homestead Entries

Ottawa —During the first six months of 1912 homestead entries for the four western provinces recorded by the officials of the interior department numbered 19,591, as against 18,509 for the same period in 1911, an increase of 1,082. For Manitoba the entries totalled 1,710, as against 1,459 in 1911 and for British Columbia they increased from 124 to 138. Both Saskatchewan and Alberta show decreases. The entries for Saskatchewan for the six months stood at 9,340, as against 10,409 for the first half of 1911, while the Alberta entries fell from 7,585 to 7,336.

The nationality returns show that the Americans headed the list with 1,087 entries. English homesteaders numbered 540; Scotch, 101; Irish, 122; Russians, 126; Norwegians, 146; while 242 Canadians from Ontario and 95 from Quebec took up land in the west.

TECHNICAL WORK IN WINNIPEG SCHOOLS

Future Generations to be Taught Practical Accomplishments

Winnipeg.—We are going to teach the future mothers of the city how to cook, make their own dresses and trim their own hats and we are going to teach the future bread-winners to shoe a horse, build a house, make a dynamo, manufacture furniture and do all the other necessary and practical things that are in demand.

This is in effect the edict of the Winnipeg school board in its announcement to the Winnipeg public of the technical work outlined for the new school year. All of this technical work will be taught in Winnipeg's two new magnificent high schools, and is further evidence that from the standpoint of progressiveness the Winnipeg school board takes rank with the best on the continent.

WOULD HONOR KAISER

California Professor Considers German Emperor Should Get Nobel Prize

Victoria.—In an address before the Canadian Club here, Professor Benj. Wheeler, of the University of California, made the novel suggestion that the next Nobel peace prize should be given to the German Emperor.

For twenty-five years, he said, he has had a mighty war machine under his hand and has never used it.

After regretting the strained Anglo German relations he said that it was not territory, but protection against arbitrary interference with the progress of German development, which had caused the growth of the Kaiser's navy.

BACK FROM FAR NORTH

Traces of Mineral Wealth—Fires Devastating Great Areas

Prince Albert, Sask.—R. G. Munroe has just arrived from a two-year prospecting trip in the northland.

He has been operating in the country around Lac Du Brachel, about 1,200 miles north of Prince Albert.

He found traces of lead, silver and copper and in a number of streams, free gold, but not in paying quantities.

He was reported lost last winter and the Mounted Police were searching for him about a month before they found him but he says he had only gone away from the regular trail.

Fires are continually raging up north, he says, devastating great areas and driving game farther north, threatening a famine among the inhabitants.

Catch Many Whales

Matamo, Que. — The Canadian Whaling company, Ltd., organized in Montreal by Bannell Sawyer, some two years ago and operating in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, is reported to be prosperous this season. The company has two steam whaling boats operating and over 70 whales have been caught this season. Most of the money in the business was secured by Mr. Sawyer in Norway, and the leading operatives in the company are Norwegians.

Tokio.—Two statuettes of clay, pronounced to be dolls of 2000 years ago have been found in a field at Kawano, Japan, and sent to the Tokio Imperial University.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

THIRD QUARTER, FOR SEPTEMBER 8, 1912

Text of the Lesson, Matt. ix, 35 to x, 15. Memory Verses, 7, 8.—Golden Text, Matt. x, 40.—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

If we consider the full portion assigned by the committee for the lesson today we begin with ix, 35, "Jesus went about all the cities and villages teaching in their synagogues and preaching the gospel of the kingdom and healing every sickness and every disease among the people" (almost identical with iv. 23), and end with, "When Jesus had made an end of commanding His twelve disciples He departed thence to each and to preach in their cities." Thus is summarized the daily life of Jesus and His followers, telling of the kingdom and showing how our mortal bodies will then be affected. It seems to me that there is a great difference between teaching people how to reach heaven when they have to leave these mortal bodies and telling them of a kingdom of peace and righteousness on this earth over which we shall reign with the Lord Jesus Christ in bodies like His glorified body and never again be weak or weary or sick or die.

The work of the devil has been so long manifest in the result of sin and the curse that it is generally accepted as the normal condition, and no other is looked for. Jesus had ever before Him the joy and glory of this kingdom of which He loved to tell and give samples of it, and looking upon the earth bound multitudes who knew not of it. He was filled with compassion upon them as He saw them grovelling and no one to tell them of the glory and how to get it. A plenteous harvest to be reaped, but few laborers. Therefore ask the Lord to send forth the laborers. It sounds a little strange to ask the Lord of the harvest to see to His own affairs. It is His harvest, and He cares, and yet we are to ask Him to send forth the laborers. In Isa. vi. 8, He asks, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us? And it is for the willing ones to say: Here am I. Send me. The question there seems to be that of 1 Chron. xxix, 5, "Who then, is willing to consecrate his service this day unto the Lord?" This of our lesson seems to refer the matter back to the Lord, but there is at least this in it: We cannot honestly ask Him to send forth laborers unless we are willing to say: Here am I. Send me. This seems to be implied also in what He then did, for He called the twelve unto Him, gave them power over unclean spirits and all manner of sickness and disease and sent them forth to do as He had been doing—preach the kingdom of heaven as at hand, heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out devils and, as they had freely received the power, so freely bestow the benefits (verses 1, 7, 8). Miracles had been wrought through Moses and Elijah and Elisha, some of judgment and some of mercy, but never before had a commission just like this been given equally to all, even to Judas Iscariot. They were His, all but Judas, who betrayed Him, and the power was His, all was of Him and they were His messengers.

As the Father spoke through Him, and wrought through Him so He would speak and work through them. They were for Him; He was for and with them and He would see to the results. So it is or should be still—God working in us to will and to do of His good pleasure (Phil. ii, 13).

The great question to any good work is generally that of funds to carry it on, but He told them not to be anxious about that, as He would see to it. Matt. vi. 33, stands always, or as some one has put it, Make thou His service thy delight; He'll make thy wants His care. As in Deut. xx, 10, 12, they were to carry peace everywhere, leaving it to the people to accept or reject it. There was one seemingly strange thing about their commission. They were not to go to either gentiles or Samaritans but only to Israel, and He said to the woman of Tyre and Sidon: I am not sent but unto the lost sheep of the house of Israel" (Matt. xv. 24). It was not until Israel had rejected Him and crucified Him and He was risen from the dead that He gave commission to go into all the world.

There are truths in this chapter which apply to the whole of this age, while some have special reference to the sending forth of the twelve. He is always the same, and the world will be the same as long as it has its present ruler, whom He will send to the pit when He sets up His kingdom. Those who are truly His and filled with His spirit must expect to find themselves as sheep in the midst of wolves, hated for His sake, persecuted, treated as He was, for the disciple is not above his Master. In emergencies, when under arrest, we can trust the Holy Spirit to speak through us (verse 20), and we should be so filled that He can speak through us at all times. He is always ready to make true to His messengers Ex. iv, 12; Jer. i, 7-9. Those whom He sends must be without fear of any kind, even of death. See the three fear nots of verses 26, 28, 31, and the comfort to be obtained by considering even sparrows. Note in verses 37-39 the whole hearted, self renouncing devotion to Himself which He expects and in verse 42 the reward for the smallest service.

Commander Evans Going South

London.—Commander Evans, R.N., second in command under Captain Scott of the British Antartic expedition, left England to resume his command of the Terra Nova which will proceed to the Polar regions to meet Captain Scott and his party.

Congregation of One

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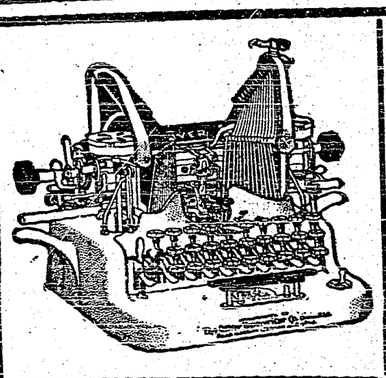

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This notice was posted on the ground the 31 day of July 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water recorder at Nelson.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

A. Miller (Applicant)

Water Notice

For A Licence To Take And Use Water

NOTICE is hereby given that Egbert Louis Tom Taylor of Creston B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use ¼ cubic foot of water out of tributary of King Creek which flows in a westerly direction through Block 9, Lot 802 and empties into King Creek near Block 11 of Lot 892. The water will be diverted at the S. W. corner of Block 9, and will be used for domestic purposes on the land described as Block 9, Lot 802 (S. W. 10 acre block). This notice was posted on the ground on the 20th day of August 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Nelson.

Objections may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Building, Victoria, B. C.

E. L. Taylor (Applicant)

YAHK ITEMS

Jas. Taylor, manager of the Yahk Lumber Co., at Yahk, left on Saturday for a trip to the east. He intends taking in the stampede at Calgary on his way.

Now that the hunting season is on many sports from different parts may be seen getting off the train every day with gun in hand and taking to the tall timbers in search of the big red deer for which Yahk is most famous.

Joe Stick of Port Hill, Idaho, who has been working for the King Lumber Co., the past four months went to Creston for labor day and returned again on Tuesday seemingly well pleased with his trip and an all around good time which he enjoyed while in Creston.

S. J. McCartney the Yahk merchant and postmaster, is now painting his store a very pretty shade of green which gives it a very attractive appearance.

Ben Riley, proprietor of the Yahk Hotel has bought himself a new repeating shot gun. Ben says he is going to do something to the grouse this season.

KITCHENER NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess have just returned from a trip to the coast.

Mr. Guimont, who has been relieving Mr. Burgess, left last week for Ryan to relieve Mr. Bundy.

Rev. Sarkissian of Rossland and Mack Boyd of Creston spent a couple days fishing and hunting around Kitchener both made a good catch of the speckled beauties.

E. Askins paid Kitchener a visit Sunday.

Miss Leatham of Nelson is spending a few weeks with Mrs. G. Hunt.

Arch Deacon Beer of Kaslo spent a few days vacation in Kitchener.

Messrs J. Searson, Johnson and Bevan made a record trip between Creston and Kitchener last week, covering the distance in forty-five minutrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Andeen have returned from visiting in Cranbrook.

Arch Deacon Deen of Kaslo, B. C., conducted service in Kitchener on Sunday.

W. P. Taylor, C. P. R. tie inspector of Yahk was in town the first of the week.

Ike Lewis and family of Squaw Point spent the fore part of the week in Cres-

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST MINING REGULATIONS

COAL—Coal mining rights may be leased for twenty-one years, renewable at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres can be leased to one applicant. Royalty five cents per ton. In unsurveyed territory the tract must be staked out by the applicant in person, and personal application to the Agent or sub-Agent of Dominion Land for the district must in all cases be made and the rental for the first year must be paid to the agent within thirty days after filing application

QUARTZ—A person eighteen years of age and over, having made a discovery may locate a claim 1,500 feet by 1,500. Fee, $5. At least $100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the Mining Recorder When $500,0 has been expended or paid and other requirements complied with, the claim may be purchased at $1 an acre.

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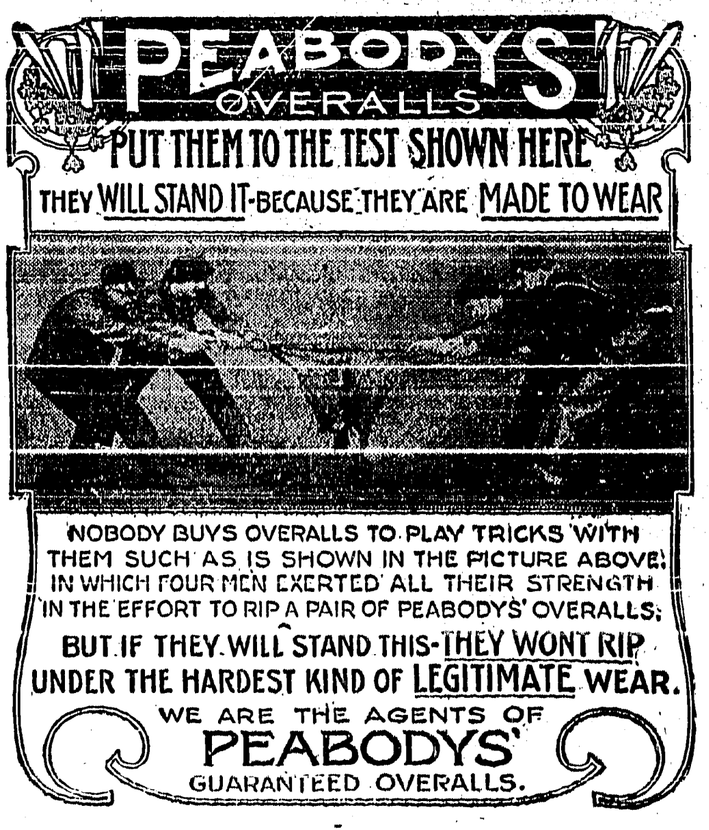

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