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SHAWVILLE, PONTIAC COUNTY, QUE., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5th, 1940

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OMISSION — In our reference to the death and funeral of Mr. Jas. T. Brown in last issue, a floral spray from the Radford Ladies' Aid was inadvertently omitted.

Following several heavy snow storms, sub zero weather has prevailed in this district and those who were not prepared for such a cold snap suffered considerable hardship.

Elmside Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Melvin Stewart on Wednesday evening, Dec. 11th, at 7.30 o'clock. Program: A Christmas story. Roll call—Exchange of gifts.

Shawville Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. R. W. Hodgins on Monday evening, Dec. 9th, at eight o'clock. Program: Social evening. Members are requested to bring a friend. Assisting hostess will be Miss Dahms.

The annual Christmas Tree and programme of the United Church Sunday School will be held in the Theatre Hall on Friday, December 13th, at 7.45 p. m. An enjoyable programme is being prepared; and the usual Christmas Tree and visit of Santa Claus will follow. All children free; Adults 15 cents.

Work Meeting of Hospital Auxiliary

A work meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of Pontiac Community Hospital will be held at the hospital on Tuesday, December 10th. All interested ladies are urged to attend.

Ideal Christmas Gifts

For choice Christmas Gifts that will bring lasting blessing call and see our Bibles, Books, Scripture Text Calendars and assortment of Mottoes. Unsurpassed in value is our Box of Christmas Cards. Each card has an appropriate greeting and also a verse from Scripture. 12 for 50 cents.

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Bad Fire at Wilno Village

The little village of Wilno, situated on Highway 62, about midway between Killaloe and Barry's Bay, was the scene of a bad fire Tuesday evening of last week, when a store and blacksmith shop were destroyed and the village hotel damaged, with a loss estimated at some \$15,000.

Large Shipment of Red Cross Articles Sent to Headquarters

The following articles were forwarded from this group in the November shipment.—218 pairs of socks, 29 sweaters, 12 scarves, 10 pairs mitts, 14 pairs wristlets, 62 slings, 159 pillow cases, 70 abdominal binders, 6 T-binders, and 44 suits pyjamas.—Total, 621.

Refugee articles: 32 quilts, 4 blankets and 75 garments, etc. Total 111.

Units contributing to this shipment are as follows:

Austin:—3 sweaters, 2 slings 32 pillow cases, 33 abdominal binders. Refugee: 5 quilts, 2 garments.

Bristol:—11 pairs socks, 5 sweaters, 5 scarves, 4 pairs wristlets and 30 pillow cases.

Charteris:—6 pairs socks.

Green Lake:—18 pairs socks, 3 pairs mitts, 4 suits pyjamas. Refugee: 2 quilts.

North Clarendon:—15 pairs socks, 4 pairs mitts, 5 suits pyjamas, 8 slings, 22 pillow cases, 3 abdominal binders. Refugee: 5 garments.

Radford 13:—15 pairs socks, 5 sweaters, 2 suits pyjamas.

Refugee: 7 quilts, 1 garment.

Radford 15:—17 pairs socks, 1 sweater, 1 wristlet, 5 suits pyjamas, 2 slings, 6 abdominal binders. Refugee: 2 quilts.

Shawville:—

St. Paul's Church:—19 pairs socks, 1 sweater, 2 scarves donation, 2 suits pyjamas, 16 slings, 2 abdominal binders, 2 T. binders.

Refugee: 2 quilts, 41 garments.

United Church:—51 pairs socks, 13 sweaters, 1 scarf, 8 suits pyjamas, 7 abdominal binders.

Refugee: 2 quilts, 4 garments.

Starks Corners:—36 pairs socks, 1 sweater, 4 slings, 1 wristlet, 11 suits pyjamas, 8 slings, 4 T. binders, 4 abdominal binders.

Refugee: 1 quilt, 4 garments.

Zion:—14 pairs socks, 5 pairs mitts, 7 suits pyjamas, 44 pillow cases.

Yarm:—16 pairs socks, 8 wristlets, 3 pairs mitts, 26 slings, 28 pillow cases, 15 abdominal binders.

Refugee: 3 quilts.

Other organizations:—Refugee Charteris:—St. Matthew's Guild, 1 quilt; Wesley United, 1 quilt; Clarendon Institute, 1 quilt; Parkman, St. Alban's Guild, 1 quilt; Portage du Fort, St. George's Jr. Guild, 1 quilt; Radford Holy Trinity Church Guild, 3 quilts.

T. E. R. Nurse, Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Elliott Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Elliott, celebrated 50 years of married life at their home at Charteris, on Thursday, Nov. 28th.

At the dinner hour, about 40 relatives and friends were present including their four sons, John and Gordon, of Campbell's Bay; Burland, of Winchester, and Russell, on the homestead, their wives and 11 children.

The room was beautifully decorated with white and gold streamers and bells for the occasion.

A pleasing feature of the golden wedding celebration was the presence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Frances Grant, of Campbell's Bay, who, although 92 years of age, was active enough to have taken a large share in the making of the wedding cake that graced the table.

During the afternoon and evening, there was open house, nearly 75 relatives and friends brought their congratulations and best wishes.

It was on November 28, 1900, that Margaret Grant, daughter of the late Mr. John Grant and his wife, the former Frances Ralph, was united in marriage to Albert E. Elliott, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Elliott, all of Clarendon township. The officiating minister was the late Rev. Wm. Wells, of Shawville Methodist Church. They were attended by Thomas A. Elliott and Catherine Smith.

On their marriage they took up residence at Charteris, where they have resided since. Mr. and Mrs. Elliott are well-known in this district where Mr. Elliott is a successful farmer.

All their lives they have been leading workers in the church life of the community, at present being members of the Standard Church.

Many beautiful gifts were received from their friends.

A. B. Palmer Dies In His 64th Year

After a lengthy illness the death occurred Monday, Dec. 2nd, at his home in Clarendon township, near Portage du Fort village of Mr. A. B. Palmer, in his 64th year.

Mr. Palmer was born in Northcote, Ont., a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Palmer. He farmed for some years after his marriage to Isobel Plain, of Scotland, at the homestead at Northcote, and later moved to a farm in Ross township. He came to the present farm at Portage du Fort 25 years ago. He was formerly a member of the Methodist Church at Portage du Fort.

Surviving are his widow; one son, Albert, on the homestead; two daughters, Mrs. P. E. Sullivan, of Renfrew, and Mrs. Roy Elliott, of Starks Corners; one sister, Mrs. Anson Walker, of Lombardy, Ont.; five brothers, John, of Naomim, Alta.; Willard, of Regina, Sask.; William, of Saint Ste Marie, Ont.; Versland and Herbert, of Charlton, Ont.

Rev. A. F. Fokes officiated at the funeral service at the late home on Thursday afternoon. Interment at Rosebank cemetery, Adamston, Ontario.

Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Edward's Parish.

The November meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary was held Saturday afternoon, 23rd, at the home of Mrs. Bart Hannaberry. Nine members and eight visitors were present.

Owing to the absence of the president, the vice-president was in charge assisted by the sec'y.

The meeting opened with a prayer for peace and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Mrs. Murray Smith and Mrs. Thos. Martin, gave a report of the Red Cross Meeting which they attended in Shawville and distributed yarn to some of the ladies present.

Plans were also discussed concerning a Progressive Euchre which will be held in the Parish Hall.

After the usual routine of business, the afternoon was spent in knitting and doing fancy work.

Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her daughters Rita and Inez, and the Misses Mary Smith and Martina Gibbons. After refreshments, an hour was spent playing bridge and euchre.

The invitation of Mrs. Thos. and Miss Beatrice Martin, to hold the next meeting on Thursday, Dec. 12, at their home was accepted.

NOTICE

Eggs and poultry received on Thursday, Dec. 5th.

The Shawville Egg and Poultry Grading Station will reopen for business with David T. Hodgins as manager. Eggs will be received daily, and on Tuesday and Saturday evenings. Dressed poultry will be received on Wednesday of each week.

PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Edna Armstrong is visiting her sister, Miss Evelyn Armstrong in Ottawa this week.

Mrs. John L. Hodgins visited her relatives in Ottawa during the past week.

Mrs. Wm Kirkpatrick, of Ottawa, visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hodgins, recently.

Miss Minerva Sparling, of Ottawa, visited relatives and friends in town and vicinity for the week-end.

Mr and Mrs. Robert Glasper and little son, Garry, of Ottawa, visited relatives and friends in town and district.

Mrs. Walter Granville Smith and little daughter, Beverley, of New York city, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Jas. Masson.

Mr. Wilmer Hodgins, of Carleton Place, Ont., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hodgins.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Grace and children, of Douglas, Ont., were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Grace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Horner.

"Lena Rivers"

To be played at
Shawville Theatre
Friday, Dec. 6th
At 7.45 p.m.

M. J. O'Brien Renfrew's Outstanding Citizen Passes

M. J. O'Brien, Canadian industrialist and founder of various enterprises, passed away at his home in Renfrew on Wednesday of last week.

Born in Nova Scotia in 1851 he was 91 years old. Son of a successful business man he inherited largely later to his success. He began work at the age of 12 and as a boy and young man worked at railway construction work and at 25 took his first big job on his own account when in partnership with the late Wm Chisholm undertook construction of a piece of C. P. R. line between Montreal and Ottawa. The firm later became known as M. J. O'Brien, Limited. Other railroad jobs followed. Next he went into the lumbering later mining also farming and other ventures.

He established the Renfrew Machinery Co., Ltd., also Renfrew Woollen Mills. Other Renfrew ventures received his interest. Perhaps his latest venture was the Ottawa Valley Amusement Co., some years ago, which has theatres in a number of Valley towns.

His activities were many and varied and cannot all be listed. In the Great War he turned his plants into the making of munitions and war supplies. Aside from all this it will be remembered that it was his family which was instrumental in bringing Renfrew into the big league hockey for a couple of years around 1910-12.

One of the richest men in Canada, he lived quietly, did not pose as a philanthropist, but in an unostentatious way contributed to many worthy charities.

Mr. O'Brien was appointed to Canadian Senate in 1918, but retired in 1925.

The funeral mass was sung in St. Francis Xavier Church at Renfrew on Friday morning, by Archbishop O'Brien, of Kingston, in the absence of Bishop C. L. Nelligan, who is in England, with members of the clergy who are with the Canadian army.

SPECIALS IN PERMANENTS—Mrs. S. E. Chamberlain is offering a special in permanents every Thursday from now until Christmas by a Renfrew Hairdresser.

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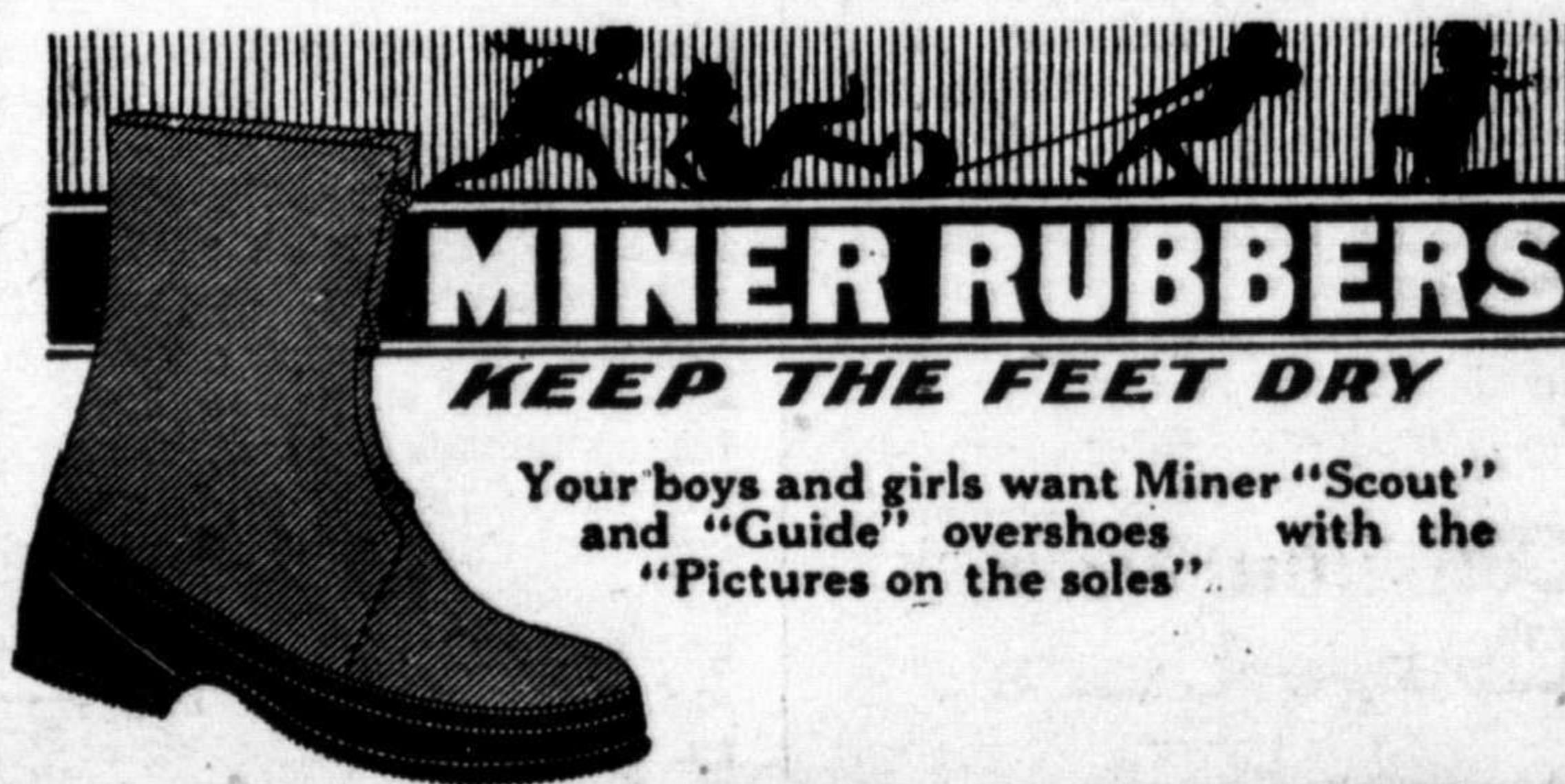
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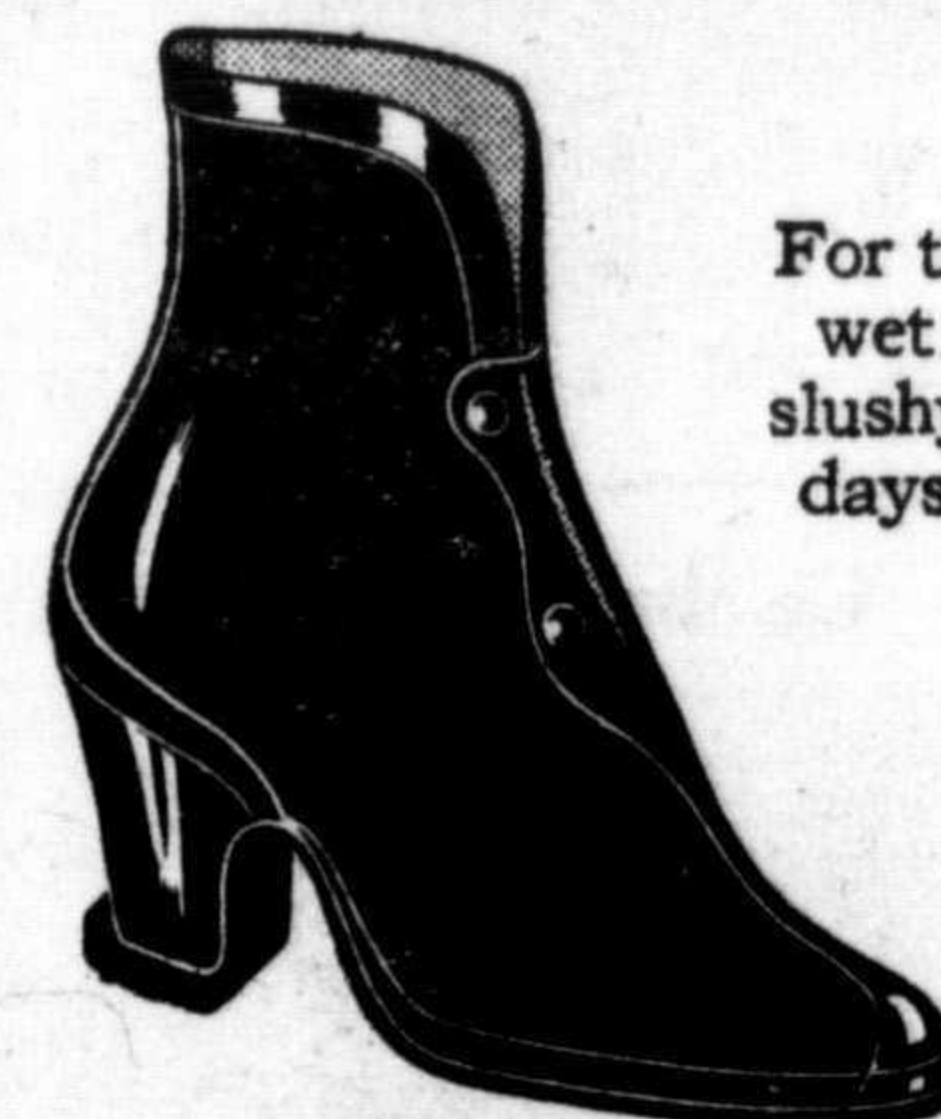
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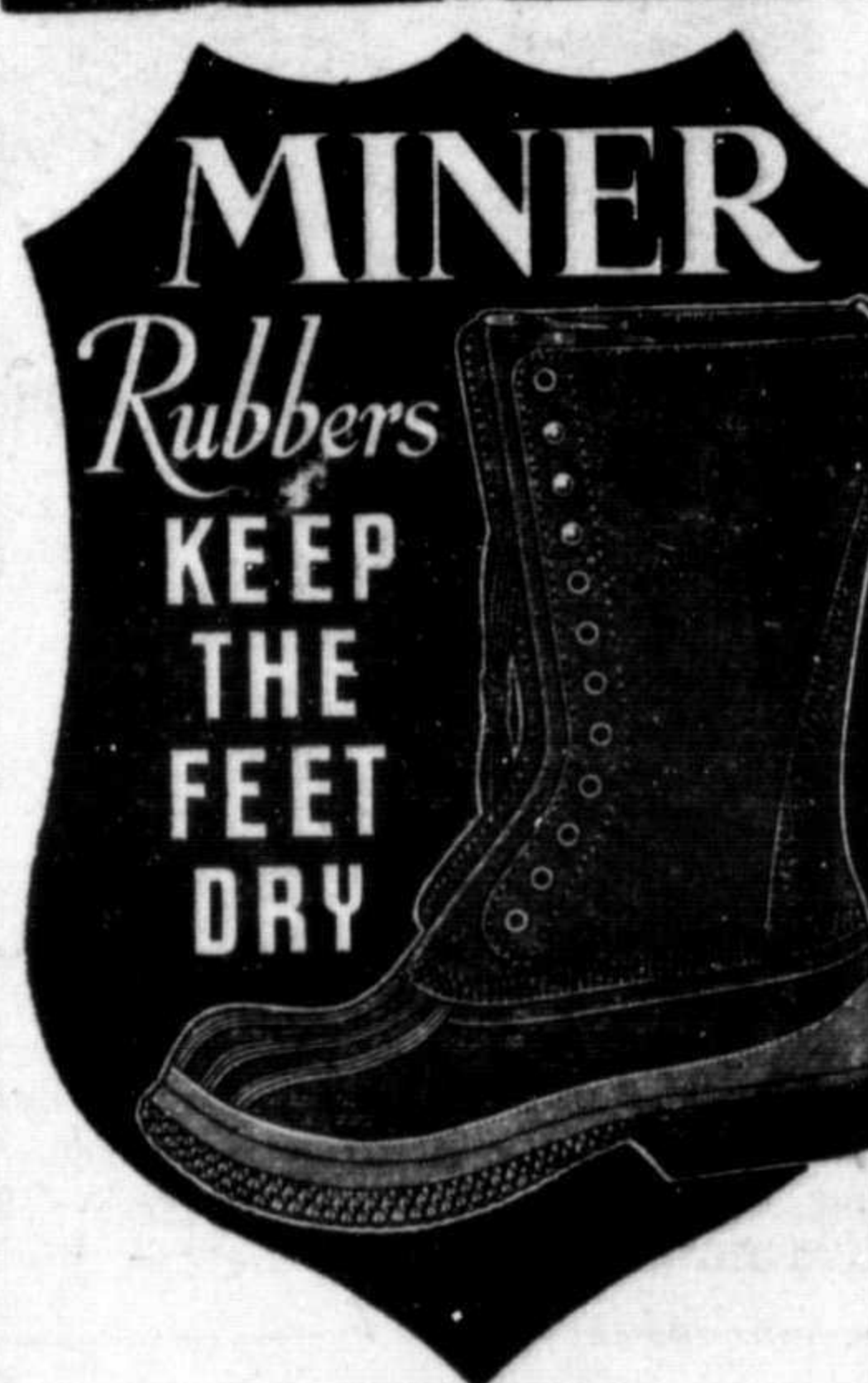


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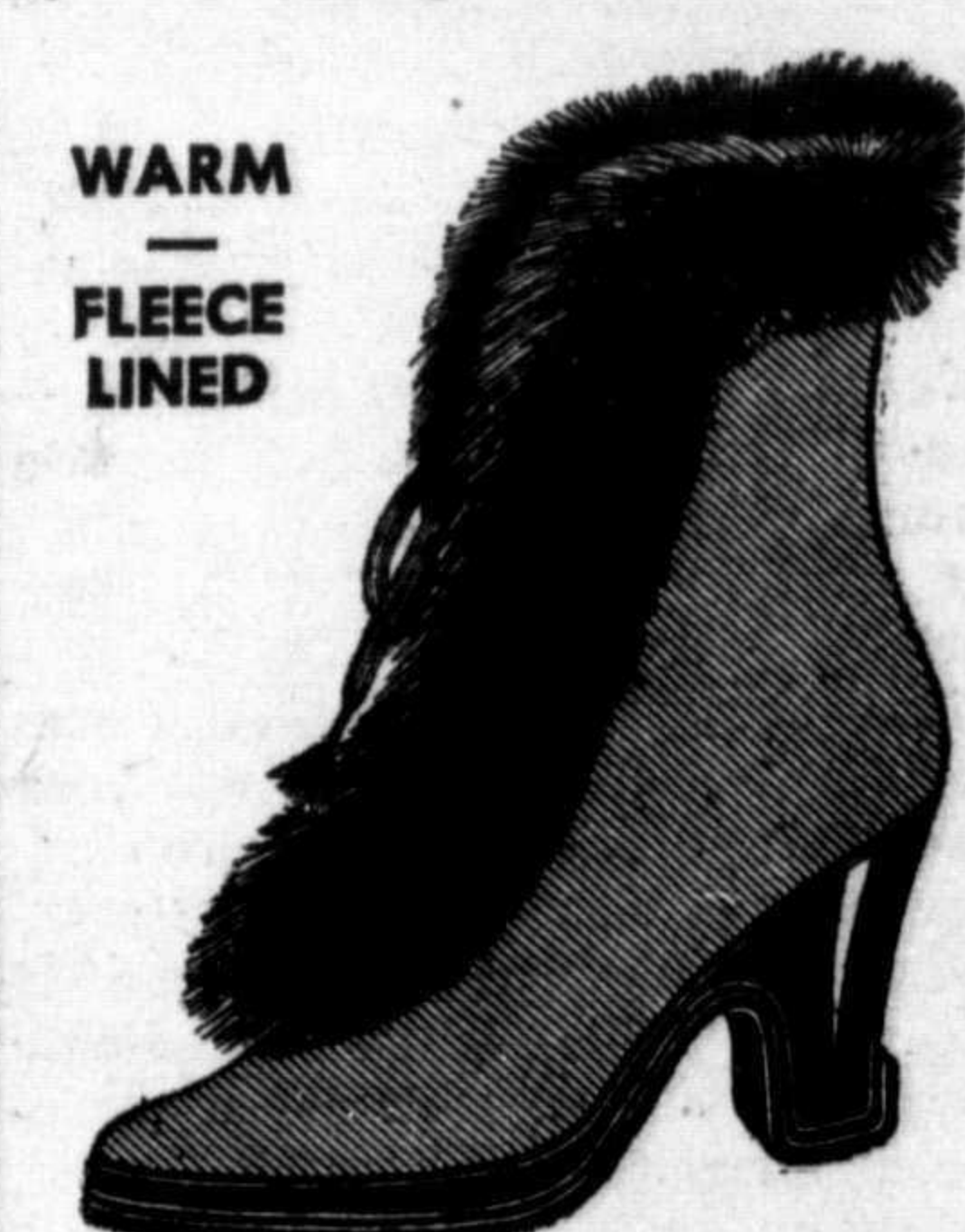


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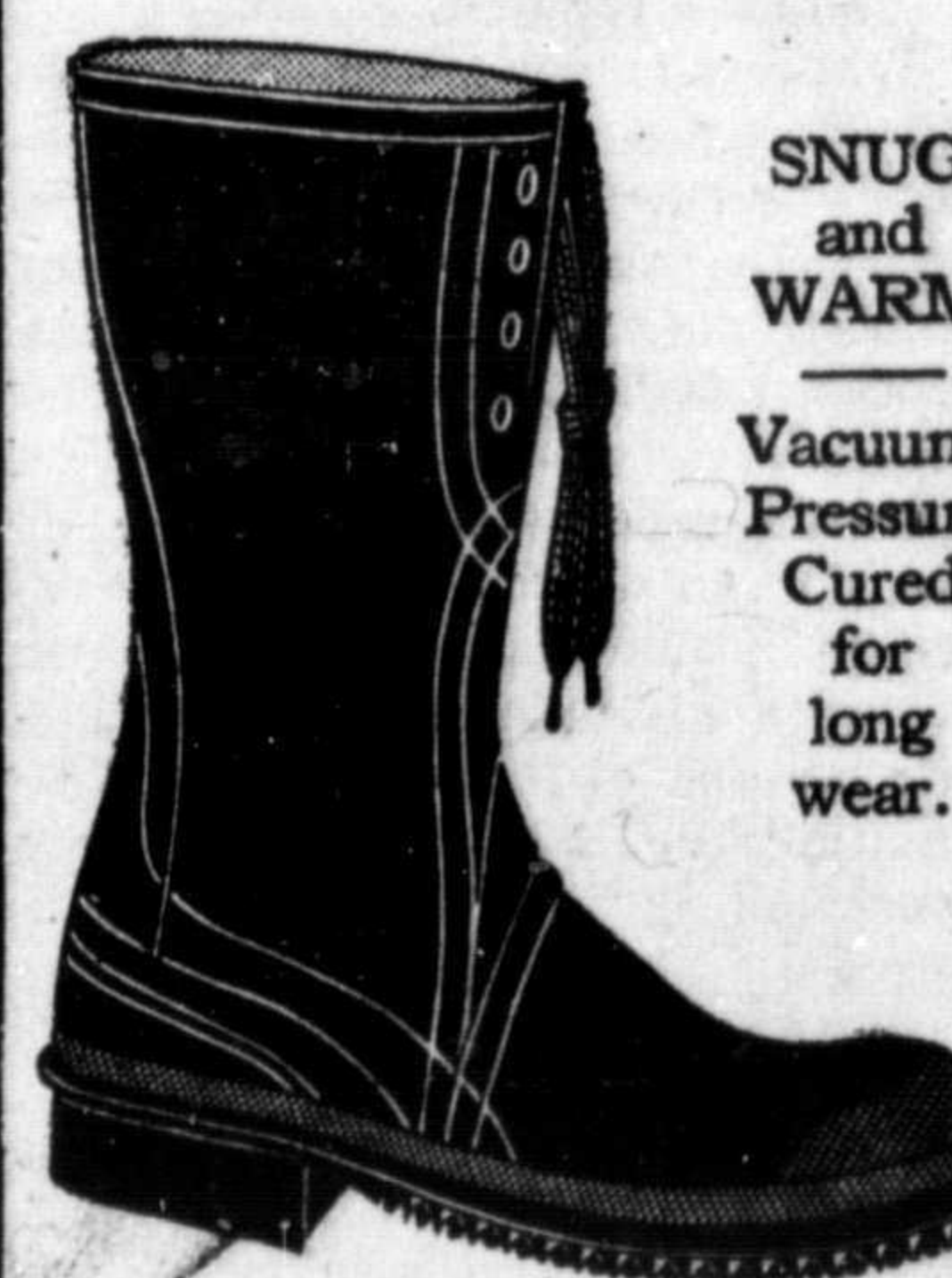
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G. C. TONER,
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(NO. 18)
PAN FISHES

There are a number of smaller fishes that seem to have been put in our waters for the particular delight of the small boy, and for that matter, they often interest his dad. The sunfishes of this group are the most abundant and the most easily caught of the pan fish. A long pole, any kind of a line, a float and a sinker, a fairly large hook; with this equipment one can catch a mess of fish to my mind that are better eating than either of the basses. Properly cleaned, filleted, dipped in flour and fried in deep bacon fat, our sunfish can compare with any of the river fishes of Ontario.

Found everywhere in southern Ontario the common sunfish is a very pretty fish. Its colours are blue, green and lemon yellow with a distinct red patch on the so-called ear. These sunfish live on most all creatures of the water, snails, insects, various kinds of worms; they are one of nature's ways of turning unconsidered material into food that will be available for many larger creatures.

Common Sunfish

The common sunfish constructs a nest in which the eggs are laid. In the shallow water of the sandy or weedy bays the male will clear a small circular patch down through the ooze and debris. Here the eggs are laid by the female and the male remains on guard for several weeks. He protects the eggs from numerous minnows and other enemies and he guards the young fry until they are able to fend for themselves. In fact, the breeding of the common sunfish is essentially the same as the black basses, a fact that would be expected when one knows that both are members of the same family, known to the scientist as the Centrarchidae. So remember, the next time you catch a sunfish that you are taking a cousin of our best known game fish, the black bass.

Common Words Change Usage

McGill University Professor Declares A 1940 Audience Would Have Difficulty in Understanding Shakespeare if He Spoke To Them Today

The rise and fall to which words in the English language are liable was indicated in an address by Prof. Clive H. Carruthers, M.A., Ph.D., professor of Classical Philology at McGill University, in a recent address on "The Romance of Words." He examined for his audience the derivation of certain words, pointing out the way some of them have departed from their original usage.

For example, if you called a man a "silly idiot," he would not realize that literally you were designating him as "one fortunate enough to stay out of politics," the old usage of "idiot" being to indicate a private citizen who did not concern himself with public affairs, while "silly" denoted "fortunate." The lady's "boudoir," now suggesting charm and beauty, was at one time "a place to sulk." A "steward" once meant "a swineherd," and to be "nice" was to be "foolish" or "stupid." You would not please a woman by calling her a "bussy," although the word in its original application meant a "housewife."

VITAL WORDS SURVIVE

Whether or not words survived in the changes by which the language is recreated depends on the vitality of the word, the lecturer pointed out. Some words, in the process of change, ascend, and others deteriorate in their usage.

If Shakespeare were reading his plays to an audience today the listeners would have difficulty in grasping his meaning, and Chaucer's reading of his works would be unintelligible, Professor Carruthers remarked.

Customs-built

Near Newport, Vt., Lawrence C. Parminter's house straddles the Canadian border. For papering the Canadian wall of the house with undeclared U.S. wallpaper, a Canadian magistrate fined him \$50.

Honored Guest

In Lorain, Ohio, police held their annual clambake. Guest of honor was Mike Elich, whom for one reason and another they have arrested 137 times.

It took seven days for the news of the great Marlborough's victory at Blenheim in 1704 to reach London.

AN ITALIAN BOMBER IS DOWNED OVER BRITAIN



One of 13 Italian bombers which were shot down in raids over England on Nov. 11, this crashed bomber is shown as it was examined and guarded somewhere in England.

THE WAR-WEEK—Commentary on Current Events

AXIS POWERS MOVING TO CONSOLIDATE CONTINENT

German and Italian diplomacy, which Axis spokesmen have called "a form of war," appeared last week to be directed toward consolidating all of the continent of Europe into one totalitarian bloc, hermetically sealed against any incursion of British influence. With Austria, Czechoslovakia, Poland, Albania, Denmark, Norway, Holland, Belgium, France, already under the Nazi-Fascist heel, only the loose ends—the Balkans and Spain—remained to be tied into the "new economy."

Hungary Joins Axis

So, King Boris of Bulgaria was bidden last week to Berlin; Foreign Minister Suner of Spain to Salzburg; the chief Ministers of Hungary rushed to Vienna there to meet with Ribbentrop and Ciano and the Japanese Ambassador to Germany, and sign a new treaty of partnership with the totalitarian powers. Only Yugoslavia seemed to have been left out of the Axis' current conference diplomacy, but that Balkan kingdom was swiftly being outflanked, militarily, and from an economic point of view was already within the German-Italian orbit.

Yugoslavia Outflanked

Poor, brave Greeks! Though able single-handed to put the Italians to rout, they could not be expected to counter a big German push through either Yugoslavia or Bulgaria, or through both at once. They might, if Turkey were drawn into the war.

Yes, half a million German

troops last week were poised in Rumania, ready to go against Greece. Through Yugoslavia? They might encounter fierce resistance. Through Bulgaria? That was another question, capable of only an involved answer.

Turkey The Obstacle

Bulgaria's submission to Axis pressure was contingent upon a number of factors, of which these two weighed heaviest: the nation was split into three camps, pro-Nazi, pro-British and pro-Soviet (80% of the population, it was estimated last week, leaned toward co-operation with Russia); again, if Bulgaria attacked Greece, or permitted passage through of German troops, Turkey was pledged to come to Greece's aid.

A move through Bulgaria might prove bad strategy on the part of Germany. Kirke L. Simpson, writing for the Associated Press, said in part: "Bulgarian entry into the war, actively or passively, would expose Germany's most vital war resource, Rumanian oil, to instant British air attack because Britain then would be free to fly across Bulgaria from bases in Greece. One obvious element in Hitler's policy on the Balkan front from the beginning of the war has been concern over security of the Rumanian oil field."

Bidding For Spain

Hitler's reported attempts to buy off Spain with promises of a large section of Morocco were construed by experts to mean that he wished to split the British fleet in the Mediterranean which would have to answer Axis

attacks in the eastern and western ends simultaneously. One of the big forces operating against Axis success in the western Mediterranean theatre was the effort being made by the United States to placate Spain with American dollars or American foodstuffs and keep Franco out of the war.

"Missed Bus" in Earnest

That Hitler muffed his chance to beat Britain into submission September 15, "the last day" of the mass aerial attack on London, was the opinion expressed last week by Ralph Ingersoll, editor of "PM" who had just returned from a fortnight's stay in the British capital. Britain was ready that day, he said, for the knockout blow, but Hitler let the opportunity go by. Although now the Battle of Britain is in its sixth month, Hitler'll never succeed in cracking the British, he declared.

Battle of Atlantic

Another U.S. political observer, Walter Lippman, wrote on the issues of the war: "Now as from the beginning of this war, now as in the first World War, now as in the Napoleonic wars, the outcome depends upon the control of the Atlantic Ocean. In the end the victory will go to the powers which can use the ocean to supply themselves and can cut off their enemies from the non-European world. For Europe cannot be conquered in Europe. Europe cannot live within Europe. Europe cannot be at peace with itself unless it is at peace with the outer world. This is the reason why Hitler's victories on the land of Europe did not finish the war. This is the reason why even the invasion of Britain or the destruction of Britain from the air would only be the means to an end, the means to the control of the Atlantic Ocean. This is the reason why the renewal of his war against British shipping is much the most serious of all his efforts to win the war."

It was indeed becoming more obvious that Britain would have to increase both navy and merchant marine if she were to win the war. She would have to augment her ship-building program at home with further purchases in the U.S. or swaps for bases; and depend more heavily on the Canadian navy for convoy work and mine-sweeping duties.

More Ships for Canada

Last week Canada's Naval Minister Angus L. Macdonald announced the Dominion's new naval policy. Destroyers, perhaps cruisers, Mr. Macdonald declared, would be built in Canadian yards; more merchant vessels turned out; a Canadian Naval College immediately established to train skilled seamen. Canada was indeed preparing to assume a larger burden of naval service.

Drop in Bacon Price

Announcement to the effect that Canada had contracted to supply Britain with \$105,741,000 worth of food in the coming year, exclusive of wheat, was made in the House of Commons by Minister of Agriculture Gardiner... Cheering news; but not at all pleasing for Canadian hog-producers who had to shoulder a 2c-a-lb. drop in the price of bacon... H. H. Hannan, president of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture,

voiced the indignation of countless Canadian farmers who felt themselves discriminated against and called upon to make an unequal sacrifice in the war effort...

Biggest Budget

Canada last week was preparing not only the largest national budget in its history, but an expenditure far larger than anyone would have considered possible a year ago. While Parliament continued to debate in generalities the Government's future war policies, the Finance Minister and his assistants were busy framing appropriations which might total something like \$2,000,000,000...

China Will Wait

After forty months of war in China, Japan was reported to be seeking direct peace negotiations with General Chiang Kai-shek, head of the Chinese Government and army. But Chinese army spokesmen, when questioned, said that China, far from contemplating peace, was preparing for three more years of war if necessary—at any rate she would fight on until a decision had been reached in the New World War.

VOICE OF THE PRESS

NO QUIET SINCE

The first broadcast was put on the air 20 years ago last month. And the world hasn't had a quiet moment since.

—Kitchener Record.

EXPORTS TO JAPAN

If Canada can cut off exports of copper to Japan, she ought also be able to do something about reducing that country's imports of other metals from the Dominion, including the 4,000 tons of lead that are going forward from a smelter at Trail, B.C.

—Brockville Recorder and Times.

WOULD ABOLISH HOMEWORK

Homework today is certainly not as serious a proposition as a few years ago, but there is a wide-spread feeling that it should be abolished.

The school hours provide quite enough seriousness and mental concentration for the little folk. Let them have the evenings free.

—Guelph Mercury.

PUT END TO CONFUSION

There has throughout all these years of controversy been one universal opinion, and that is the Federal Government should either declare Daylight Saving or Standard Time, the one and only time for Canada. The people as a whole are tired of this recurring confusion, and the difference of an hour in time between

the towns and the adjacent rural districts. If Daylight Saving is essential for Canada as a war measure the rural districts would co-operate in that as in everything else, so why not have Daylight Saving Time from one end of Canada to the other for the duration of the war?

—Pembroke Bulletin.

Canada Ships Ten Times More Eggs

Ten Million Dozen Have Moved Overseas in the Past Year — Storage Down

Canada has exported 10,000,000 dozen eggs in the past year compared with 1,000,000 dozen in an average year, John L. Brown of Montreal, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Produce Association, said last week in addressing the produce section of the Winnipeg Board of Trade.

There was every indication that storage egg stocks in Canada were the lowest on record.

"Increased production is being given every encouragement by members of the Canadian Produce Association, believing that an increased supply will be required by the British food ministry, and that helping to provide part of the essential foodstuffs to the United Kingdom is part of Canada's national war effort," he said.

The price of eggs in Canada would be maintained at a satisfactory level despite increased overseas demand.

Factory sales of pig iron, ferro-alloys, steel ingots and castings, and finished products in Canada were valued at \$75,934,481 in 1939, an increase of 27 per cent over 1938.

Canadian Naval Staff Chief



REAR ADMIRAL PERCY W. NELLES
Who is Chief of the Canadian Naval Staff.

Celebrating the 2600th Anniversary of Japan



Emperor Hirohito of Japan shown delivering his message to War Minister Gen. Tojo following the military review held on the Yagokai parade grounds in Tokyo to mark the 2,600th anniversary of the founding of the Japanese empire. The emperor's aide-de-camp, Gen. Ban Huanuma, is directly behind his majesty.

REG'LAR FELLERS — Snow White Duffy



LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"We'd like to go to the Rose Bowl for a Christmas present."

By GENE BYRNES

• SERIAL STORY

FLYING CO-ED

BY MARY KINNAVEY MOORE

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CAST OF CHARACTERS
Anne Norris — wealthy college student, looking for thrills, enrolls in CAA flying course.

Georgette Parker — Anne's friend. Learning to fly is a serious business with her.

Tony Scott — college playboy, son of a gangster, envies Anne's social position.

Captain Dick Douglas — instructor of the student flying course at Midland University.

Last Week: Saved from death by Dick's quick action, Anne is angered when the instructor rebukes her for carelessness. She leaves with Tony as Dick and Georgette take off. Tony begs Anne to drive to North Point to marry him. She agrees, gets her clothes from the sorority house, leaving a note for Georgette. In a few minutes, Anne is on her way to North Point and her wedding.

"Dick, you can get a plane and fly me to North Point in time to stop them." She caught her breath and added, "Can't you realize what the scandal would do to Anne's uncle — Arnold Dwight? It would break his heart."

That decided Dick. "All right, Georgette, I'll do it," he said grimly. "But get this straight, I'm not doing it for your friend Anne. Frankly, I don't think she's worth it. I'm doing it for you and for Arnold Dwight."

"I don't care whom you're doing it for," Georgette said, "but hurry!"

She glanced at her watch. Anne must have driven straight home from the airport, packed hastily, and started on her mad journey. That would have been an hour ago at least, it might have been more. If only she and Dick would be in time!

PLEASED WITH HIMSELF
At that very moment Tony's flashing blue roadster was streaking over the highway toward North Point. Anne huddled beside him. Her stubborn little chin was set and determined, but her lovely face was very pale.

She glanced at Tony. He looked pleased with himself, almost too pleased, she thought. As though conscious of her thoughts, he took one hand from the wheel and began patting her arm with affectionate familiarity.

Almost instinctively she drew a little away from him. At her sudden movement he slowed down the car and looked down at her quickly.

"You aren't afraid, are you, Sweetheart?"

She shook her head. "You shouldn't be. You're mine, my Sweetheart, all mine!"

He stepped on the accelerator and the car leaped forward in a burst of speed. The girl hadn't better change her mind, he thought grimly. For a moment his mind dwelt on what the newspapers would say. This would show some of those stuck-up snobs who'd treated him like dirt. Once he was married to THE Anne Norris, they'd have to accept him. As far as Anne was concerned, he'd be able to manage her all right.

"Tony—"

"What is it, Sweetheart?"

"Tony, don't you think—perhaps we're being hasty?" She drew a quick breath. "Perhaps we ought to wait—"

"If you really cared anything about me, you wouldn't say such a thing," he said, his voice almost sulky.

"But—to run away like this—"

"You said you would. You said you'd marry me today. You aren't going to go back on your word, are you?"

"No—"

"I didn't think you would." His voice was warmly caressing.

TIME TO THINK
Tony had been right in appealing to Anne's stubbornness. Yes, she'd said she would marry him

that very day, and now she meant to go through with it.

At the same time, she had begun to feel uncomfortably frightened. If only she had a little more time to think! She told herself with a grim determination that she loved Tony Scott and that this runaway marriage was a glorious and romantic adventure.

Anyway, there was nothing that could stop the marriage now. The only person who knew of it was Georgette. She was probably just finding the note, and even if Georgette decided to follow her to North Point, she would arrive too late to interfere.

A road sign flashed by. "North Point, 3 miles." Anne glanced at her watch, suddenly very lonely and cold and frightened. Within the hour, she'd be Tony Scott's wife!

CHAPTER IV.

At North Point airport, Dick Douglas helped Georgette from the plane that had brought them from Midland University.

"Dick, do you think we're in time?"

"I hope so. Be a shame to waste all this effort."

She looked around her. "Will we be able to find a cab?"

"Maybe. Never can tell about these small-town airports. We might borrow a car if we need to—"

Luckily, however, a taxi stood near the airport office. Dick told the driver to take them to the marriage bureau, adding, "Don't linger on the way, either. We're in a hurry."

The driver grinned over his shoulder at them as he started his motor. "Don't you want to stop on the way and buy the girl some flowers?"

ARE THEY IN TIME?

Georgette giggled, despite her anxiety. "Dick, he thinks we're eloping." Her face grew serious again. "Oh, Dick, if we aren't in time, what on earth will we do?"

He lit a cigarette, tossing the match out the window. "There are such things as quiet announcements, you know."

"You don't know Tony Scott," the girl told him earnestly. "No quiet announcement for him!"

"Really has his heart set on Miss Norris, has he?" Dick asked casually. "Maybe we ought not to interfere."

"Dick, I don't think he cares a snap of his fingers about Anne."

"Then why drag her off to North Point for a runaway marriage?" Georgette, I always thought you had good sense, but—"

"He doesn't love her," Georgette insisted, interrupting him. "This Tony person — well, he has money, great gobs of it. His father is a racketeer, or something, practically a gangster — race tracks, roadhouses, gambling. You know what I mean. Tony doesn't care anything about Anne's wealth, but he does care a lot about her — well, social position."

"A way of breaking into the upper set, sort of 'muscling into the social racket,' as Tony sees it," Dick suggested.

Georgette grinned in spite of herself. "I suppose that's how he'd explain it. Anyway, that's exactly what he wants to do. Anne is the only person I know who will even speak to him, and he has pursued her ever since they met on the highway when her car had a flat tire and he helped her."

"Well, you are certainly penalizing him because he picked the wrong father," Dick continued to tease.

"Oh, it is more than that," Georgette defended herself. "It wouldn't be so bad if Tony were a decent sort himself. But he is simply awful. His good manners are so overdone, so insincere. His good looks are kind of oily, and he makes my flesh creep."

Dick laughed at her vehemence, but went on, "And still your Anne has fallen for him!"

"She doesn't realize what she is doing," was the heated response. "Tony's new and different, reckless and exciting. That's all. I know the only reason she ran away was because she was so mad. He urged her on and probably dared her."

She glanced ahead through the windows of the cab. "We've got to be on time. We've got to!"

As they hurried up the steps of the courthouse, the cab driver called loudly, "Good luck and a long and happy life!"

(To Be Continued)

Alaska's People

Of Alaska's population of approximately 72,000 people, about 31,000 are descendants of the aboriginal Eskimo, Aleut, and Indian races.

Street Lighting Protects Citizens

Saving of Lives Attributed to Improved Method of Illumination

Improved lighting has saved 100 lives on thirty-one miles of Detroit streets during the past three years, according to a report just published by the Public Lighting Commission of that enterprising city. The new safety lighting, adopted in 1937 and now in process of installation, has actually brought the annual number of fatal nocturnal accidents on one avenue down level with the number of daytime accidents. The experiment is thus conclusive; saving a life per mile per annum is not only worth while, it is an imperative duty, once the way has been found to accomplish it.

Street lighting is one of the arts that have made exceptional progress in the space of a generation. Men who are yet hardy gray can remember the lamp-lighter making his rounds each evening at dusk, touching his burning wand to the sparse gas jets. Each lamp illuminated feebly a small circle of sidewalk, a few yards of curbstone; between them were long stretches of thick gloom through which one stumbled in apprehension of footpads as much as of pitfalls.

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TALKS

By SADIE B. CHAMBERS

STEAMED AND BAKED PUDDINGS

All families seem to be particularly appreciative of hot desserts of this type.

Two of these are cooked in the steamer and the third baked. A good sauce can be served with any one of them — none better in flavor than the brown sugar sauce given here.

Steamed Prune Pudding

- 1 cup flour
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 1 teaspoon mixed spices
- 1 cup finely chopped suet
- 1 cup bread crumbs
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 2 pounds cooked, pitted, quartered prunes
- 2 eggs
- 1/2 cup molasses
- 1/2 cup milk

Sift all dry ingredients together, add crumbs, suet, sugar and prunes. Moisten with well-beaten eggs, molasses and milk. Mix thoroughly; turn into greased moulds. Cover; steam 3 hrs.

Steamed Fig Pudding

- 1 cup molasses
- 1 cup chopped suet
- 2 cups chopped figs
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1 teaspoon soda
- 1 cup sour milk
- 2 eggs
- 2 1/2 cups flour

Mix together molasses, suet, figs and spices. Add soda and milk. Add eggs, well-beaten, and flour gradually. Beat all thoroughly and fill well-oiled mold 3/4 full. Steam 2 hrs. Serve with pudding sauce preferably cold and garnish with whipped cream. This will make two puddings, each of which will serve 6 people. Butterscotch sauce, which has been given several times in this column, is ideal for this pudding.

Spiced Apple Pudding

- 1 1/2 cups flour
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon cloves
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- Few gratings of nutmeg
- 1 cup molasses
- 1 teaspoon soda
- 2 cups chopped apples

Sift all dry ingredients except the salt. Dissolve soda in the molasses and add the flour mixture, stir well. Stir in chopped apple and pour into buttered pan. Bake 35 to 45 min. in moderate oven (350 Deg. F.) and serve with sauce.

Brown Sugar Sauce

- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1 1/2 tablespoons flour
- 1 cup boiling water
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 1/2 teaspoon vanilla

Mix sugar and flour. Add boiling water and cook until there is no taste of raw starch. Remove from fire and add butter and vanilla.

Date Pudding

- 3 tablespoons butter
- 1/2 cup molasses (I prefer corn syrup)
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1/2 teaspoon soda
- 1/4 teaspoon cloves
- 1/4 teaspoon allspice
- 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1 egg
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1 1/2 cups flour

1/2 lb. dates stewed and cut in pieces. Melt butter, add maple sugar, milk, then well beaten egg. Lastly add dry sifted ingredients and dates.

Steam 2 1/2 hrs. It's delicious served with brown sugar sauce.

Miss Chambers welcomes personal letters from interested readers. She is pleased to receive suggestions on topics for her column, and is even ready to listen to your "pet peeves." Requests for recipes or special menus are in order. Address your letters to "Miss Sadie B. Chambers, 73 West Adelaide Street, Toronto." Send stamped, self-addressed envelope if you wish a reply.

Pilots Detect Lights In Practice Blackout

Montreal — The Town of Mount Royal, adjacent to Montreal, which has a highly organized and efficient Civilian Protection Committee, held a practice blackout the other night. Every light in the community was quenched, except three which, unnoticed at ground level, were spotted by pilots of Trans-Canada Air Lines planes passing over. They reported the chinks in Mount Royal's armor of darkness.

Canucks Like English Girls

But Marriages Overseas Are Scarce Among the Soldiers

Casual observation of Canadian soldiers on leave in London, England, reveals the boys from the great open spaces have little trouble in getting their share of attention from England's girls, says a British United Press despatch.

Apparently no khaki shoulder with the neat "Canada" tab need suffer from the lack of a blonde head to rest on it, but the records seem to indicate that nothing very permanent comes of it.

There was some discussion a while ago as to the rapidity with which a portion of the C. A. S. F. was being led down the aisle by the Mother Country's daughters. It now appears, however, that the marriage rate for Canadian troops is far from reaching epidemic proportions.

CAN'T FORGET GIRLS AT HOME

The military statistics branch maintains no special department for matrimonial records. Members of the C.A.S.F. who wish to marry, however, must first receive permission, and the general impression around headquarters is that the number of applications has been a good deal less than excessive.

"There have been only two marriages in my unit in the year we've been here," a major of the First Division told me. "But that doesn't mean the boys don't get around."

"DON'T WAIT TO EAT"

"As a matter of fact," he admitted, "when we arrive at a town, they seem to have all the girls rounded up in no time. They don't even wait to eat."

Many were already married when they came overseas, and a few have brought their wives over to be with them. As for the troops, bored with tedium, a little flattering feminine attention is far from unwelcome.

"Sure," one husky youngster summed it up, "English girls are okay. But after all, you can't beat the girls back home."

Domestic Fabrics Replacing French

British Substitutes Also Found For Continental Accessories And Trimmings

Such commonplace things as nail heads and miniature "rivets" will be part of the well-dressed Canadian women's costume during the winter, and according to the dress trade, the war is responsible.

It looks as though the stock of beads and cut stones heretofore used extensively for dress decoration may not hold out. Until 1938 most of the beads and colored stones came from Czechoslovakia. Nailheads and rivets in silver, gilt and black make good substitutes.

A new kind of sequin which looks like a bit of black mother-of-pearl is catching on while wooden and leather substitutes as well as glass and celluloid novelties are taking the place of the European accessories.

WARTIME MATERIALS

Another result of the war is almost exclusive use of Canadian, British and American woollen materials in daytime gowns, suits and coats. The Canadian Press found. Previously, French mills supplied much of this material for the better afternoon dresses in delicate pastel shades and fantasy weaves.

Tweeds and leathers as English as a cup of tea have caught the approving eye of both Canada's and United States' biggest buyers. Again, the metal nail heads are worked in patterns on belts, gloves and bags.

Craft of Knitting

No one knows who invented the craft of knitting, though Britain, France, Spain, and Italy each claim the honour. But knitting was known long before these countries became civilized, and is mentioned in the Bible. The fishing nets of the Pharaohs were manufactured on this principle, and in the account of the Crucifixion we are told that Our Lord wore a garment "without seam, woven from the top throughout." We know, too, that the Anglo-Saxons knitted, for our word "knit" has an Anglo-Saxon origin, being derived from "enythau," meaning threads woven together by hand. The Scots claim to be the first knitters in Europe, and offer as proof the fact that the French knitting guilds adopted as their patron saint St. Fiacre, a native of Scotland.

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She Had Queer Ideas of Canada

Mrs. A. M. Oliver, wife of a Manchester, England, university professor, said at a welfare meeting in Toronto recently that before coming to this country her "whole picture of Canada was very much like a map of the Arctic before it was properly discovered." She urged Canadians who have British evacuee children in their homes to send the children's parents postcards, snapshots or anything depicting Canadian life to show the children are living in a civilized atmosphere and not a barren wilderness.

Winston Takes a Peek



Through a pair of high-powered glasses Prime Minister Winston Churchill studies defence arrangements in an area where troops of the Polish army now in Britain are stationed. The occasion was a visit the prime minister made to the Polish command.

Lump in Pillow Was Worth \$94

Wilbur Wells of Ogdensburg, N.Y., lost a lot of sleep for three nights, then complained to his wife a "hard lump" in his pillow was the cause of it all. The "lump," Mrs. Wells discovered, was \$94 in bills placed there by her mother 38 years ago.

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CANADA'S WAR EFFORT

A Weekly Review of Developments on the Home Front: Nov. 21-23.

1—Canada's Third War Loan to be floated next summer. Objective of first War Loan, \$200,000,000 of Second War Loan, \$300,000,000. Both oversubscribed.

2—War expenditure rapidly increases. In June, Canada's war expenditures \$40,000,000; in October approximately \$82,000,000.

Between April 1st and Nov. 20th however, Government revenues increased \$145,000,000 over corresponding period last year.

3—To conserve aluminum supplies for airplane manufacture, aluminum foil will not be used for wrapping cigarettes and confectionery after Jan. 1st.

4—Second group of single men called up under Mobilization Act begin 30 days military training.

5—National registration returns reveal Canada's population exceeds 12,000,000 against 10,376,788 at 1931 census. Registrations of persons of 16 and up on Aug. 19, 20 and 21, 1940 totalled 860,470. Subsequent registrations creased the total to 8,000,000.

6—Dominion-Provincial conference opens in Ottawa, Tuesday, Jan. 14th. Governments of all nine provinces to send representatives.

Conference will decide implementing report of Commission on Dominion-Provincial relations. Readjustment of Dominion and Provincial fields of taxation one of the major recommendations in report.

7—Sir William Glasgow, Australian High Commissioner, pins wings on first group of Australians to graduate in Canada under British Commonwealth Air Training Plan.

8—Immediate enforcement of a strict stabilization of wages throughout the country urged in report of Board of Conciliation appointed to deal with differences between Canadian Vickers Ltd. and its machinists, fitters, millwrights, etc. in the engineering department.

10—War contracts awarded by Department of Munitions and Supplies during week ending Nov. 15th number 2,266 and total \$4,935,777.

11—Pacific Mills Ltd., Vancouver, subscribes \$500,000 to Dominion of Canada non interest bearing certificates.

Two previous large subscriptions to non interest-bearing certificates were: Balorne Mines Ltd., \$1,000,000; Molson's Brewery Ltd., \$500,000.

12—First contingent of Canadian graduates under British Commonwealth Air Training Plan arrive in London.

13—Dairy Products Board estimates that shipments through the make to Nov. 30th, 1940 of Canadian cheese to the United Kingdom will total 92,000,000 pounds.

14—Order in Council passed to see that fair wages are paid on Government contracts.

15—Further exports of zinc dross, remelted zinc in slabs or high grade zinc scrap prohibited. Purpose: to conserve supplies of spelter.

16—David Carswell, director general of naval construction, appointed controller of ship construction and repairs.

Clarendon Council

December 2nd, 1940

Clarendon Council met on the above date. Present: Mayor Barr and Councillors Smart, Grant, Hanna, Whelen, and McFarlane.

Minutes of former meeting read, and were confirmed on motion of Councillors McFarlane and Smart.

Request was received from the Thorne Council, for help in repairing the Town Line. The Secretary was instructed to notify road foreman Wm. Tubman, to interview the representative of the Thorne Council, in regard to the matter.

Cr. Judd took his seat at the board. A letter was read from a Committee, interested in keeping No. 8 Highway open for traffic, and asking for co-operation of this Council. The Secretary was instructed to notify the Committee that as this Council have no assurance of a grant from the Department of roads for this purpose they do not wish to take any action.

The following bills were presented or approval:—

Mrs. James Kennedy, potatoes \$ 2 00
Equity, Printers, 28 50
Harper Rennick 6 74
Earl Elliott, loading cedar
and oak 75

Motion by, Grant and Whelen that these bills be paid.—Carried.

Motion by Crs. Hanna and Smart that the following changes be made in the Road foreman for 1941:

W. J. Crick, to William Baird.
James Connolly, to Rexford Wilson.
Victor Findlay, to Lorriss Brownlee.
Lyall Hodgins, to Clifford McLarnon.
W. H. Howard, to Archie Horner.
Milton McGuire, to Fred Rose.
All the others remaining the same as in 1940.—Carried.

Motion by Crs. Judd and McFarlane that the Secretary call for tenders for cedar squares, 6x6 and 8x8, in lengths of 8-12 and 16 ft.; 25 % may be six by 6.—Carried.

Motion by Crs. Whelen and Hanna that we accept the offer of Dawson Armstrong, to furnish gravel at six cents per yard.—Carried.
Meeting then adjourned.

J. A. DEAN,
Sec. Treas.

Modern Agriculture Covers Many Sciences

Dealing with scientific and industrial research in Canada, the 1940 Canada Year Book says with reference to the Dominion Department of Agriculture that since the beginning of the 20th century there has been a remarkable change in the relation of the farmer to the scientist. The scientist has taken his critical methods to the fields; the farmer has brought his problems to the laboratory. To apply the law of science to the practices of agriculture is the function of the research and experimental laboratories of the Department. Trained specialists are continuously at work carrying research projects through various stages of analysis in the laboratory and through testing in controlled conditions in the stable, greenhouse, and experimental plot. Finally, the products of research are tested under practical farming conditions throughout the areas concerned.

There is no one science of agriculture: it is made up of many sciences. The tillage and fertility of soils, the growth and protection of plants, the feeding of animals, and the processing of farm products into human food and clothing presents problems that the research worker solves by reference to the laws of a score of sciences. Because of the great diversity of effort required in reaching a practical solution, research on many problems is not limited to any one unit of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. The major part of the research work, however, is conducted in the Division of the Science Service and the Experimental Farms Service. Units of these two services are located in every province. The research work of the Department is co-ordinated with that of the agricultural colleges and the National research Council, and there is an interchange of personnel and facilities wherever the work will be benefited.

Correspondence

TO THE EDITOR,
THE EQUITY

Dear Sir:—For the last few months I have read in the Citizen and in the Ottawa Journal high praises of our Quebec Prime Minister, Honorable Adélard Godbout. Recently, you were highly elated because on the eve of by-elections, Mr. Godbout spoke about the teaching of English in the Province of Quebec.

As to the teaching of English I think that Mr. Godbout was just playing a little politics because English has been taught very well for a very long time in this Province.

As to the war, Mr. Godbout in speaking about it was trying to get the English vote in Magantic and Terrebonne. I have the impression that Mr. Godbout convinced you that he was a great Imperialist but let me refer you to two instances to show that Mr. Godbout is an Imperialist when he is speaking to English speaking people of Quebec, but not so much so when speaking in the rural part of the Province. The Liberal press of Quebec does not give him so much publicity for these speeches.

During the last general election in Quebec at Ileslet, just to get votes, Mr. Godbout claiming that the Liberal party was the safest to prevent our boys from being sent overseas, declared emphatically that he would oppose any kind of conscription until the Germans had set foot on Canadian soil. He was telling that the surest way to see their boys goto war, was to vote for Duplessis.

More recently again, to convince the French electors of Quebec that the Liberal party was absolutely anti-imperialist, he said: "The government of Canada by its national mobilization law, can no longer conscript your sons unless it is for the defence of Canada. Never had this country a law so anti-imperialist."

Of course, the Journal and Citizen are entitled to their opinion about Mr. Godbout; but, if your editors read more closely all of Mr. Godbout's speeches, they will see that Mr. Godbout is playing the old political game which has been played in Quebec for the last forty years. The Liberal leaders, including Mr. Godbout, Mr. Lapoint, Mr. Powers, Mr. Cardin, etc., are very Imperialistic when they are talking to English Canadians, but when they are talking to French Canadians, they like to declare themselves anti-imperialists.

When we, federal conservatives in this District, and everywhere in the Province of Quebec, declared time and again in the last twenty-five years that had the Liberal party been in power in 1914 they would have participated in the great war and would have acted just as Sir Robert Borden acted, we were called Imperialists by these very same people.

I am not saying all this to speak against participation. I am saying this just to show the political game played by the Liberal party for too long in Que., more especially by Mr. Godbout!!

EDGAR BOUTET
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Minutes of Council Onslow North

December 2nd, 1940

A regular meeting of the Council of the Township of Onslow North was held on the above date. Present: D. B. Farrell, pro-mayor, and Crs. Young and Martineau.

The prescribed time having elapsed and not having a quorum, it was moved by Crs. Martineau-Young, that this session adjourn until Jan. 7th, 1941, at one o'clock in the afternoon.—Carried.

ANDREW FARRELL,
Sec. Treas.

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Minutes of South Onslow School Board

Nov. 8th, 1940

A regular meeting of South Onslow School Commissioners held on above date at the usual place of meeting. Members present: Comrs. Poole, Inglee, and MacKechnie.

On motion Comr. MacKechnie, Athol Inglee was appointed chairman pro-tem.

On motion of Comr. Poole the minutes of last meeting were adopted as read.

On motion Comr. MacKechnie the following bills were ordered paid:—
Long distance telephone.....\$ 93
Montreal Book Room.....4 41

Motion by Comr. Poole that the schools close on Dec. 20 and re-open on Jan. 6th 1941.

On motion Comr. MacKechnie the meeting then adjourned.

JOS. A. STEELE
Sec. Treas

Experimental Tests for Cancer

Speaking before the section of dermatology and syphilology in the Commadore, Dr. Albert Strickler of the Skin and Cancer hospital of Philadelphia, reported recently the first results of an experiment to find a test for determining the existence of cancer within the body.

Dr. Strickler said that after the urine of normal people and those with various degrees of the disease had been treated with ultraviolet rays and injected intravenously into rabbits, there were mostly negative results from the normal people and those with benign tumors. Rabbits injected from cutaneous and mammary malignancy cases, however, showed reactions of strong intensity in more than 80 per cent of the cases.

"It is our belief," he said, "that should an enlarged experience confirm the results we have obtained, the way would be paved for the diagnosis and recognition of malignancy in its early localized state."

Long-Lived Tire

An automobile tire which ran for 80,000 miles in road tests under conditions which wore out an ordinary cotton cord tire in 3,000 miles, was recently announced by William H. Bradshaw, director of research for E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co. The use of a rayon instead of a cotton ply produced the difference, he claimed. The 26-fold increase in length of wear was attributed to the fact that the new rayon is a "continuous filament," while a length of cotton contains "at least 60,000" twisted fibers, which "means 60,000 breaks in the continuity of the structure."

Geologists Study Alaska For Possible Tin Mines

A four-year search for tin mining possibilities in Alaska by the United States geological survey is now in its second year. The investigation is being made by Dr. J. B. Mertle, G. H. Cronin and R. R. Coates.

The party is prospecting for tin in the regions of the York and Brooks mountains and prove a reported lode property in the Lost river area this year.

Last year Dr. Mertle and a small party covered the extreme western portion of the Seward peninsula, including the areas in the vicinity of Tin City, Cape Prince of Wales and Potato mountain.

Alaskan concentrates are said to contain a higher percentage of tin per ton than any other known concentrates. Nine white men and a small band of cliff dwelling Eskimos comprise the only company producing tin concentrates in America today, it is claimed.

On the westernmost tip of Alaska, using Ear mountain and Lost river as a base and Cape Prince of Wales as an apex, there is a triangle of treeless rolling tundra known to contain tin.

Cassiterite, or stream tin, was discovered in this area as far back as 1900 when A. H. Brooks, a federal geologist, advised miners the heavy concentrate in their riffles contained tin.

Later the York Dredging company and the American Tin Mining company installed dredges on Buck creek, taking out more than 1,000 tons of concentrate, 68 per cent pure tin.

Sizing for Rugs

Rugs in constant use frequently lose their shape and just won't lay down because the sizing on the under side has deteriorated. According to the extension service of the University of Nebraska agriculture college, the life of such rugs may be prolonged by resizing them. First thoroughly clean the rug by shampooing and let it dry. Then tack it napside down on the floor and apply a solution of one part glue (one-fourth pound) and eight parts water (two quarts). If the rug is light weight, be sure not to put on so much glue that it penetrates to the right side. After application of the sizing, let the rug dry for 24 hours before relaying.

Accidental Burns

Accidental burns, exclusive of conflagrations, are the only type of home accidents in which more women than men are injured fatally. Fatal burns in the home occur about twice as frequently among women as men.

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Another guide for motorists contains a list of dining places, hotels, auto courts and guest houses. This directory contains descriptions and exact directions for reaching them, with honest and impartial outlines of what each place has to offer. It even tells the type of food and lodging one may expect.

The Deadly Camera

The accuracy of photogrammetry, the science of photographic surveying, is such that it has made aerial reconnaissance very effective in directing parachute landings and artillery fire, according to Paul H. Robbins, instructor in Cooper Union Institute of Technology.

He declares that the flight of the German airplanes over France and Britain last autumn and winter and their flights over the neutral Low Countries were not aimless flights, but were made with the view of making a topographical map of all Holland, Belgium and France, with accuracy to the height of each hill and the depth of each gully without once setting foot in Allied territory.

Train Ticket Problem

Although elaborate systems of ticket checking have been in operation for some time, Indian railways have been unable to cope with the problem of ticketless travelers. The railways claim that nearly 2,500,000 persons annually are caught without any tickets, or with incorrect tickets, and recently the figure shows an increase. The railways lose \$1,250,000 yearly because of unpaid fares, they claim.

I, WILLIAM BLAIR, of Portage du Fort, Que., do hereby publicly apologize to Miss Eleanor E. Dagg, of Shawville, Que., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Dagg, for statements made by me which were detrimental to her character, and I do hereby acknowledge that the statements so made were false and untrue and without any foundation in fact.
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For Discovering Oil

Herbert Hoover Jr., following in his father's professional footsteps, appeared in New York recently to describe an important development of his own in prospecting for oil.

The 37-year-old Hoover said that he and his associates had perfected a modern "divining rod" to discover pools of oil as deep as 10,000 feet below the earth's surface. By adapting the mass spectrophotograph, a scientific instrument heretofore used only in research laboratories, Hoover said he had made it commercially practicable to analyze gases in sub-surface soils. Such gases as butane and octane reveal hidden oil deposits.

So sensitive is the Hoover device that gases seeping up from buried oil can be detected in quantities as tiny as one-tenth of one cubic millimeter, smaller in volume than the head of a pin. A single pint of earth from the ground above an oil pool will yield that much gas. Furthermore, one part of oil-produced gases can be identified in 20,000 parts of methane, ordinary marsh gas given off by rotting vegetation.

When all the gases have been removed from the sample of earth to be tested, Hoover explained, they are shot through a U-shaped tube by electric and magnetic impulses. Gases of heavier atomic weights become automatically separated from lighter gases by centrifugal force. Those indicating the presence of oil can thus be identified.

One drawback to the Hoover process is the bulkiness of the equipment. The device with which he has worked weighs several tons and fills most of a 600-foot-square room. However, he has hopes of reducing it eventually to portable size.

Helpful Suggestions

For Preventing Termites

Prevention is the surest control for termites. Builders recognize that there are many ways to prevent termites from gaining a foothold in the foundations of a house. Since dampness is a favorable condition for termite breeding, the ground around the house should slope away from the foundation walls to assure good draining. Rainpouts should not empty close to the foundations.

If a storm sewer is not available spouts should be emptied onto splash blocks located to carry rain water at least three feet from the building. If a dry well is used, it should be located at least eight feet from the building.

Making the home safe requires a constant check for possible danger points. Since stair rails are in constant use and continual pressure is exerted on them, a check may prove worthwhile. A loose baluster might well be a source of injury, in addition to detracting from appearance. Manufacturers and local supply dealers furnish wood and iron balusters to fit all sizes and types of stairs and balconies.

Concrete floors on porches, stoops, garages, and basement recreation rooms may easily be refreshed with colorful paints. A reliable formula is a primer coat of floor enamel in the color selected, thinned with linseed oil or turpentine in accordance with directions. Allow to dry and then apply a second and third coat of the same enamel full body.



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Gifts for Brother

Overshoes, Rubbers, Brecks, Golf Sox, Belts, Caps, Sweaters, Windbreakers, Scarves, Ties, Pyjamas, Gloves, Mitts, etc.

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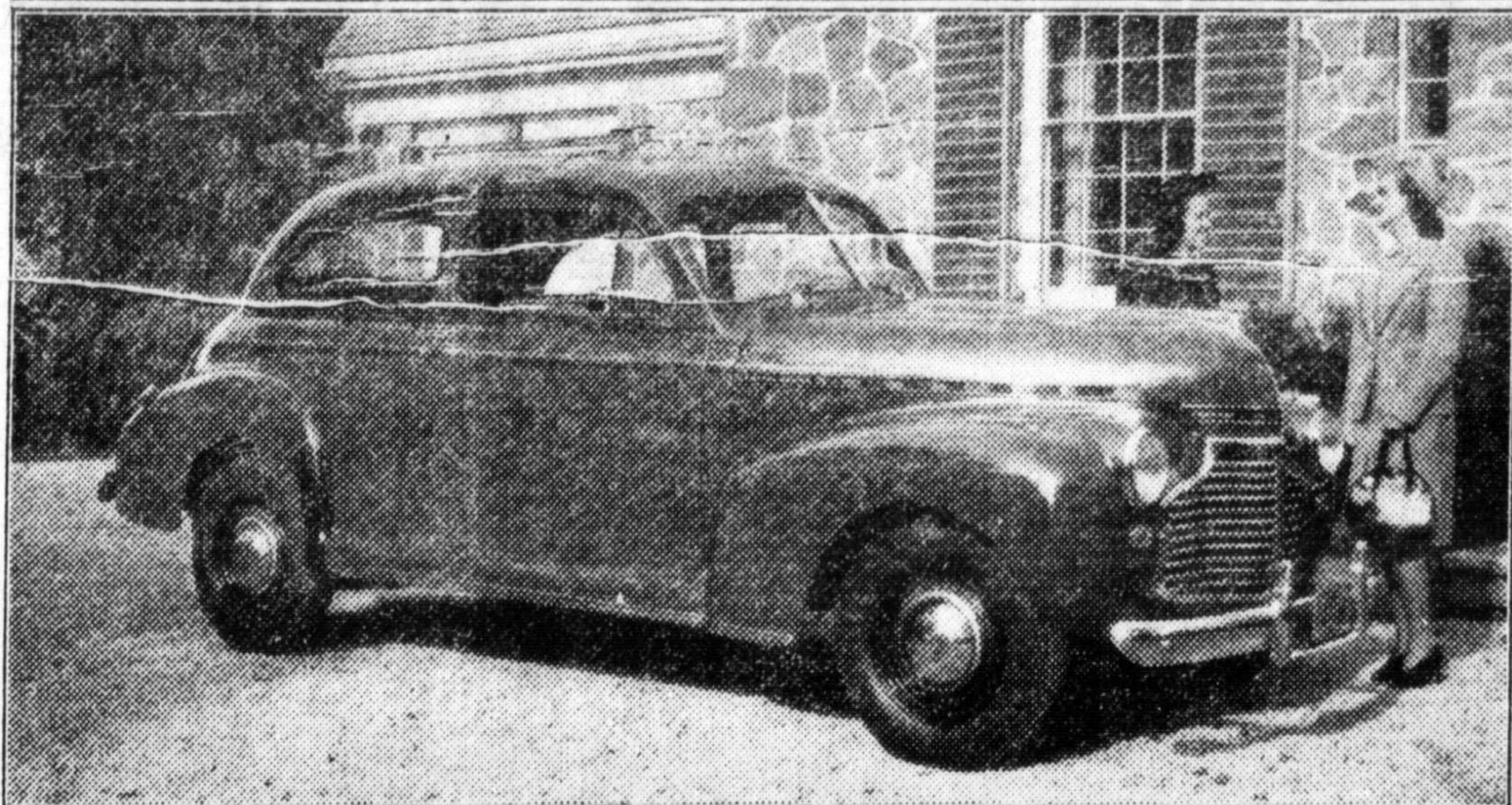
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'Cosmic Phoenix' Steps

Sun From Being Consumed

A few years ago, a new problem in connection with the sun—the fiery body 92,900,000 miles away from the earth—began to trouble many scientists. Astro-physicists figured that in radiating life-preserving heat and light, the sun burns up about 4,000,000 tons of its mass a second.

At that rate, it was at first argued, the sun should burn itself out within several thousand years. But there was strong evidence to indicate that it had been radiating for at least 5,000,000,000 years. As a result, it was concluded that somehow the sun kept burning without being consumed, being a sort of "Cosmic Phoenix" that perpetually reconstructed itself from its own ashes.

The problem, therefore, was to find out how this was done. Diligently, Prof. H. A. Bethe of Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., sought the answer. He announced at the annual meeting of the American Physical Society in Washington that he had found it.

Professor Bethe's story was that the sun utilized its huge store of atomic energy to produce heat and light, and that carbon and hydrogen played the leading roles. As he saw it, the sun went through a six-phase cycle, during which its carbon, though seemingly consumed without pause by hydrogen flames, really emerged at the end of the cycle undiminished in quantity.

Laboratory experiments covering each phase of the cycle, Professor Bethe declared, proved that the sun could eat its carbon and have it too. What creates the sun's energy, he asserted, is the burning of its vast amount of hydrogen gas. The carbon merely acts as the releasing agent for the hydrogen. Thus, in the cycle, which Dr. Bethe estimated continues for 6,550,000 years and then repeats itself, part of the sun's hydrogen mass is depleted but none of its carbon mass is. He said the sun is equipped to radiate for another 12,000,000 years.

In Cricket 'What You

Don't Do' Counts Plenty

Cricket is played by bowling a ball up and down a "pitch" of 22 yards (roughly 66 feet, approximately) at each end of which are set three upright sticks called wickets. A batsman stands just in front of each set of wickets, a little at the side, and with his bat stops the ball from hitting the wickets. If the ball hits the wickets he is out, but otherwise not. Thus if he begins on Monday and his wickets are not hit on Monday he begins again on Tuesday; and so on; play stops all Sunday.

Of course, when you are looking on at a cricket match, you are not supposed to shout and yell the way we do over baseball on our side of the water in Canada and in the States. All you do is to say every now and then, "Oh, very pretty, sir, very pretty!" You are speaking to the batsman, who is about 200 yards away and can't hear you. But that doesn't matter; you keep right on: "Oh, well done, sir, well done."

That day of the county match in England, an American heard an Englishman say, "Oh, very pretty! Very pretty, sir," and he asked the Englishman what was very pretty. But of course the Englishman had no way of telling him. He didn't know him.

A great many things in good cricket turn on what you don't do. You let the ball go past you, for instance, instead of hitting it, and the experts say, "Oh, well let alone, sir." There are lots more balls coming; you've three days to wait for one.

In one game the really superb piece of play was this: The bowler sent a fast ball through the air right straight toward the batsman's face; he moved his face aside and let it pass, and they called, "Well let alone, sir." You see, if it had hit him on the side of his face, he'd have been out.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON IX
AN EXACTING DISCIPLESHIP.—
Luke 9.

PRINTED TEXT, Luke 9: 49-52.
GOLDEN TEXT.—No man, having put his hand to the plow, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God, Luke 9: 62.

THE LESSON IN ITS SETTING
Time.—The commission of the twelve apostles occurred in the autumn of A.D. 28, the immediate subsequent events in the winter of A.D. 28, 29, the confession of Peter and Christ's transfiguration in the autumn of A.D. 29; Christ's journey through Samaria took place in November and December A.D. 29.

Place.—The Twelve were commissioned in Galilee; the events recorded in 9: 10a took place in Capernaum; the feeding of the five thousand is to be located in Bethsaida, at the northeast end of the Sea of Galilee; the confession of Peter and the subsequent teaching are to be located in Caesarea Philippi; the transfiguration probably occurred on Mount Hermon; the events recorded in verses 52 to 56 occurred in Samaria; the concluding teachings reported in the remainder of the chapter were uttered on the shores of the Sea of Galilee.

In this lesson we may gain a profound conception of what might be called the centrality or the absolute supremacy of the Lord Jesus Christ; Christ here reveals himself as supreme over his disciples; he shows himself the central figure upon every occasion when a great need arises, because of his ability to meet that need; he is the one person men ought to believe as the Son of God; he is the one who is supremely worthy of our absolute devotion.

The Gospel Ideal

The ideal of the gospel received through its perfect incarnation in Jesus Christ is not that we should be ministered unto, but that we should minister, bear one another's burdens, love one another, prefer one another, pray for one another, edify one another in the Lord.

Luke 9: 49. And John answered and said, Master, we saw one casting out demons in thy name; and we forbade him, because he followeth not with us. 50. But Jesus said unto him, Forbid him not: for he that is not against you is for you. Even outside the circle of the permanent disciples of Jesus there were men in whom his word and his works had called forth a miraculous power. These sparks, which fell beyond the circle, had made flames burst forth here and there away from the central fire.

Purpose of Christ's Coming
51. And it came to pass, when the days were well-nigh come that he should be received up, he steadfastly set his face to go to Jerusalem, and sent messengers before his face:

52. And they went, and entered into a village of the Samaritans, to make ready for him.

53. And they did not receive him, because his face was as though he were going to Jerusalem.

54. And when his disciples James and John saw this, they said, Lord, wilt thou that we bid fire to come down from heaven, and consume them?

55. But he turned, and rebuked them. 56. And they went to another village. The concluding twelve verses of this chapter of Luke's Gospel give in some detail that which is found more briefly in Matt. 8: 18-22, and Mark 10: 1. This begins what is commonly called the Perean ministry of our Lord, which commences with Christ's final departure from Galilee, here noticed, and ends with his final arrival in Jerusalem. John and James here forgot of what spirit they were, the spirit of both the Old and the New Testaments, and gave way to fleshly desire for revenge. While we must disapprove of the spirit here of the two disciples, as the Lord certainly did, yet we must recognize that their request only sprang from their burning zeal. It must have surprised James and John when Jesus rebuked them. It is true that the village rejected Jesus; but we must ask, Had any special effort been made to win them to Jesus? Had the gospel been preached to them? We must answer no.

Worthlessness of Excuses
57. And as they went on the way, a certain man said unto him, I will follow thee whithersoever thou goest. 58. And Jesus said unto him, The foxes have holes, and the birds of the heaven have nests; but the Son of man hath not where to lay his head. 59. And he said unto another, Follow me. But he said, Lord, suffer me first to go and bury my father. 60. But he said unto him, Leave the dead to bury their own dead; but go thou and publish abroad the kingdom of God. 61. And another also said, I will follow thee, Lord; but first suffer me to bid farewell to them that are at my house. 62. But Jesus said unto him, No man, having put his hand to the plow, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God. This remarkable passage is not to be

U.S.-Canadian Defence Board at Vancouver



Mayor Fiorella L. La Guardia, of New York, and Col. O. M. Biggar, K.C., United States and Canadian chairman, respectively, of the permanent board on defence, are shown as they mounted the city hall steps at Vancouver, where the joint board held a conference during its tour of the U.S.-Canada Pacific coast. On hand to greet them was Dr. H. L. Keenleyside, joint secretary of the board for Canada, shown with back to camera.

found in any of the other Gospels, and is a remarkably rich paragraph for careful study if space allowed. Three types of men are seen in the presence of the enterprise of Jesus, attracted to him, wanting to be loyal to him, desiring to be enrolled under him, wanting to serve him. The first was a man attracted by Christ. The second was a man whom Christ called to certain and definite relationship with himself. The third was a man wanting to serve Christ, but postponing his service. Christ's call is superior to the highest and most beautiful of earth's obligations. That is the cross. Christ had flashed upon him the light of a tremendous enterprise, the enterprise of preaching the kingdom of God; and that demanded the abandonment of the earthly tie when it conflicted with the call of the Lord.

Stones From Sky

Stones are more mysterious than people think. Mr. William Barber, of Iken Cliff, Suffolk, England, has grown stones by watering them every day. They increase in size at the rate of three-sixteenths of an inch every year. The model of a stone bull in Southern India, anointed with oil regularly by worshipful natives, grows constantly in size. Because of this, it is credited with having life. In the West Indies, it sometimes rains stones. Quartz pebbles fall down from the skies without warning, then stop suddenly. Nobody has ever explained this phenomenon, for there isn't any quartz in the vicinity.

RADIO REPORTER

By DAVE ROBBINS

"WHAT'S NEW?"

You learn about the latest foibles and gadgets in the feminine world a program of women's features by Bernice Burns, the personality girl, when you dial in "What's New"—which is heard over CKOC each Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning at 9.45.

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Make 9.45 on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays resting time—and tune in CKOC to hear Bernice Burns and What's New!

THEY LIKE IT OVERSEAS

When the Canadian troops in England were questioned as to what Canadian radio program they would like to hear in England, one of the first programs they mentioned was the "Happy Gang." This is proof of the appeal of this completely happy and generally screwball session with Bert Pearl, Kathleen Stokes and the rest of the happy crew. We think it's a good sign that Canadians still get a laugh out of sheer nonsense and as long as Canada's soldiers can laugh, this Dominion need have no fear. It will take more than Hitler to make Canada's warriors lose their sense of humour. The "Happy

Gang" is heard over the CBC chain each week-day afternoon at one (daylight).

AROUND THE DIAL

We like the story about the would-be musician who appeared at an audition—played a piano number—and then blandly informed the program director it was absolutely original. "Shake Mister," said the radio man, "I never thought I'd see the day I'd be face to face with Beethoven!"

Last Saturday night the old master was back with the NBC Symphony for the weekly program at 10.35—for as the big second hand on the clock neared the deadline Arturo Toscanini, world-famous conductor, took the podium. Toscanini's presence means something to symphony musicians—for it was obvious Saturday night that the members of the orchestra were just a trifle more keen and getting just a trifle more out of their efforts.

If you like the best in music, you should dial in this splendid program—heard in this part of Ontario from 1120 on the radio dial.

For the Kiddies—Santa Claus is on the air each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday night at five o'clock (daylight) from CFRB and CKOC.

Record Corner: The Great Crosby has recorded this theme song, "When the Blue of the Night, etc." and "Can't Get Indiana Off My Mind." Both are okay. We liked Leo Reisman's waxing of "Ferryboat Serenade."

Farm Notes . . .

Short Courses For Farm Boys, Girls

Will Be Held Under Direction of Ont. Dept. of Agriculture From Nov 26 to Dec. 20.

Over 300 Ontario farm boys and girls are expected to attend short courses in Agriculture and House Economics from Nov. 26 to December 20th inclusive, according to R. S. Duncan, Director of Agricultural Representatives, Ont. Dept. of Agriculture. There will be several additional courses of two weeks duration before Christmas, Mr. Duncan said.

These courses which are being held under the general supervision of Mr. Duncan and the personal supervision of Agricultural Representatives, are centered in the following counties—Durham, village of Bethany; Gengary, Moose Creek; Grey, Ravenna; Hastings, Tweed; Huron, Varna; Lanark, Leeds and Grenville, Smiths Falls; Northumberland, Campbellford; Prescott and Russell, Chute Blouin; Simcoe North, LaFontaine.

Start Nov. 26th

A two week's course is being held in Peterborough county at Lakehurst from Nov. 25 to Dec. 6 and at Warsaw from Dec. 9 to 20. A similar course will be held in Bruce county at Tiverton, Dec. 9 to 20.

The boys are taking up such subjects as Live Stock, Field Husbandry, Farm Crops, Poultry, Fruit and Vegetable growing, Weed Control, Farm Management, Insects and Diseases, Cooperation and Marketing, Soils and Fertilizers.

The girls' course comprises lectures on Homemaking, Economics, Foods and Nutrition, Home Nursing and Clothing is being directed by Miss F. P. Eadie, Women's Institute Branch, Ont. Dept. of Agriculture.

There will be no course for girls in Prescott and Russell this month, but one will be held later on in the winter, Mr. Duncan stated. There will be special speakers at every course.

T.B. Death Rate In Ontario Cut

Down 20 Per Cent Since 1935
— New Provincial Control Policy Results Shown in First Survey Report

The tuberculosis death rate in Ontario has dropped 20 per cent since 1935, a degree greater than in any other province, according to the first survey issued by the Department of Health since the new tuberculosis control policy, founded on 1938 amendments to the Sanatoria for Consumptives Act, came into effect in July of that year.

Premier Hepburn recently indicated the results of the new policy had almost exceeded expectations. As Treasurer of the Province, he had given strong backing to Health Minister Harold J. Kirby, Deputy Minister Dr. B. T. McGhie and department heads in the development of the program.

STILL SECOND DEATH CAUSE
Dr. G. C. Brink, director of the division of tuberculosis prevention, only recently in the moderate tone of the medical man, advised "the trend in Ontario certainly gives reason for present encouragement and hope for the future." He added: "However, it should be observed that tuberculosis is still the second cause of death in Ontario in the age group 15-39 years, being exceeded only by accidents."

The new policy was drafted following a survey of the tuberculosis situation by the division of tuberculosis prevention which was established in 1935.

SANATORIUM TREATMENT HELPFUL

It found that not more than 50 per cent of those dying of T. B. had had the benefit of sanatorium treatment. Only 50 per cent of those for whom sanatorium treatment was advised had entered sanatorium within one year of discovery. It was found that in some sections of the Province, the T. B. incidence and death rate were double that of

the average for the Province—for example, the Eastern Counties. In certain of these sections, the degree of hospitalization was "deplorably inadequate." There was a lack of diagnostic facilities in certain sections, as well as a lack of treatment facilities and persons who had received maximum benefit from

sanatorium treatment were discharged with no assurance that the necessary post-sanatorium care would be forthcoming.

The marketed value of canned fish produced in Canada in 1939 was \$15,449,000.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



WE RECEIVE MORE
HEAT AND LIGHT
FROM THE SUN
IN 13 SECONDS
THAN WE DO
FROM THE MOON
IN AN ENTIRE
YEAR

THERE IS NO
WHITE PIGMENT
IN WHITE ANIMALS!

THE WHITE COLOR IS
LIKE THAT OF SNOW
... SIMPLY THE
REFLECTION OF LIGHT
FROM MINUTE SURFACES.



THE AVERAGE
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REQUIRES MORE THAN
ONE TON OF WATER
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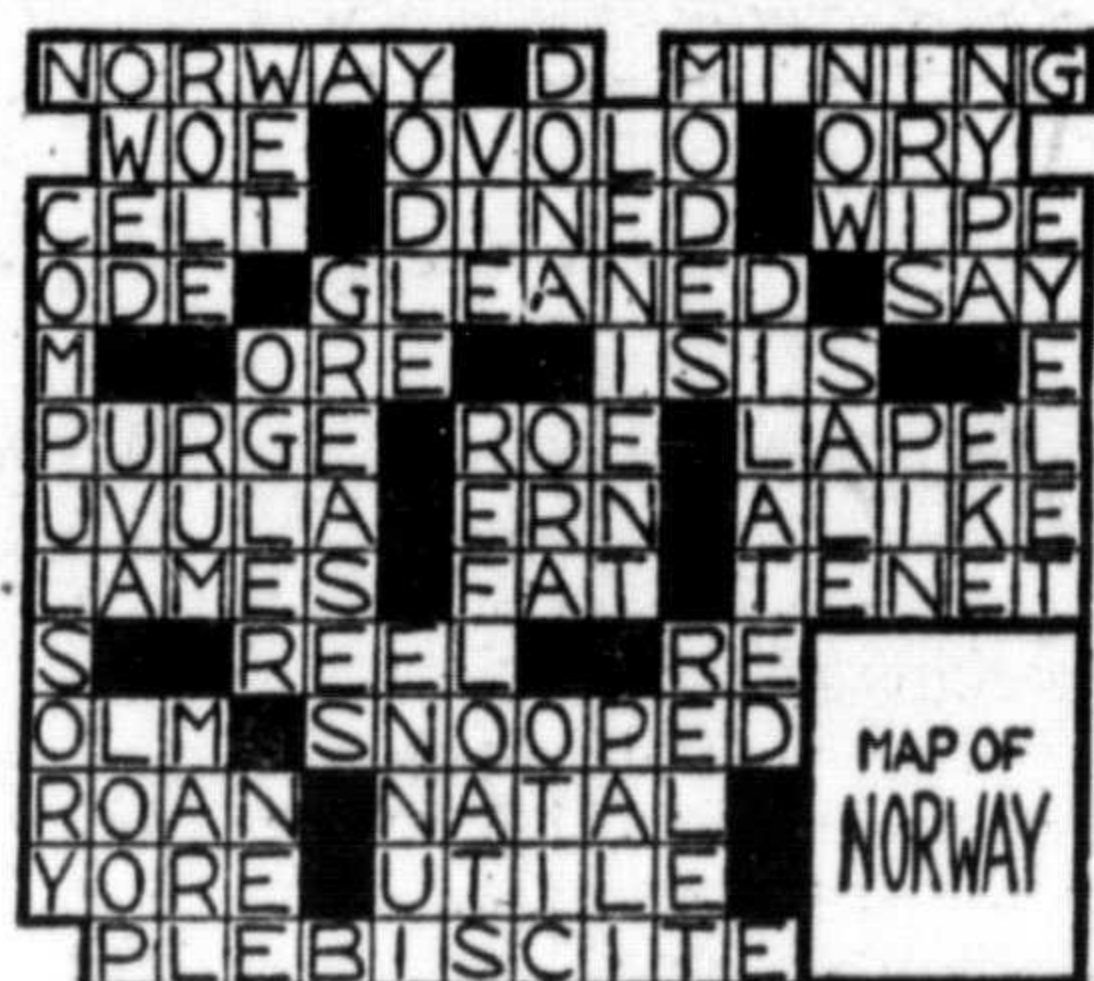
WHERE water is easy to get, we are apt to forget the importance of it in the lives of animals and plants. To produce a bushel of ear corn requires about 13 tons of water, and a ton of alfalfa hay requires something like 86 tons of water.

NEXT: The mammoth that has been sitting for 150 centuries.

BRITISH STATESMAN

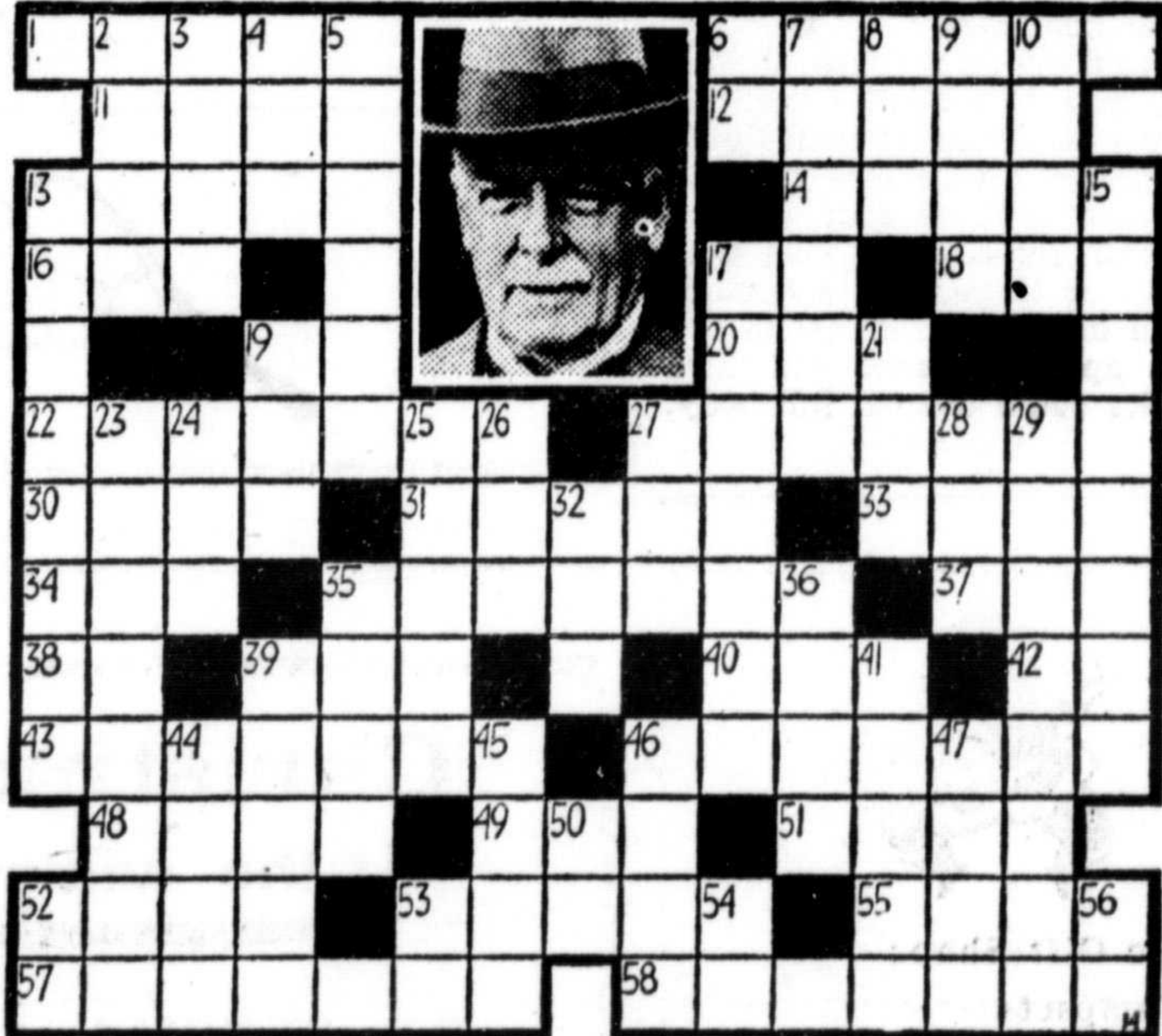
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statesman,
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Answer to Previous Puzzle



11 Superficial
extent.
12 Plant part.
13 Causes to
droop.
14 To stitch
temporarily.
15 Before.
16 To suffice.
17 Tam-o'-
shanter.
19 Whirlwind.
20 Biblical priest.
22 Highlander's
purse.
27 Periodical.
30 Cavity.
31 Suffragist.
33 To make
dejected.
34 Middle.
35 Pertaining to
a union of
states.
37 Not (prefix).
38 While.
39 Male.

15 He gained
— as a
liberal.
17 To disparage.
19 Native metal.
21 Distinctive
theory.
23 One that
poisons.
24 Ancient.
25 Oat grass.
26 To bend the
head.
27 Ever.
28 Electrified
particle.
29 Renegade.
32 To scatter.
35 Banner.
36 To lend.
39 Smallest.
41 Long outer
garment.
44 Buffoon.
45 Sinister gaze.
46 Stated.
47 Pulpy fruits.
50 Railroad.
52 Spain.
53 Southeast.
54 Northeast.
56 Electrical
term.



By J. MILLAR WATT

POP — Say When



They're Enjoying A Canoe Trip in Winter



Boating does not come to an end with the beginning of winter on Vancouver Island, Canada's Evergreen Playground. These visitors to the Empress Hotel at Victoria, B.C., find the mild climate permits enjoyable canoeing even in wintertime. —C.P.R. Photo.

How Can I?

BY ANNE ASHLEY

Q. How can I make a good furniture polish?

A. Mix equal parts of turpentine, spirits of wine, vinegar, and linseed oil. Shake well, and use sparingly.

Q. How can I sharpen a knife?

A. Fold a piece of emery paper in the center and draw the knife blade back and forth several times inside this.

Q. How can I remove soot from a light hat?

A. Do not attempt to rub soot off a light hat, or wet it. Just cover it thoroughly with dry salt, and then brush off with a stiff brush. This will avoid any smear which results from other methods.

Q. How can I make muckage?

A. Mix equal parts of gum arabic and tragacanth. Dissolve in hot water to the proper consistency.

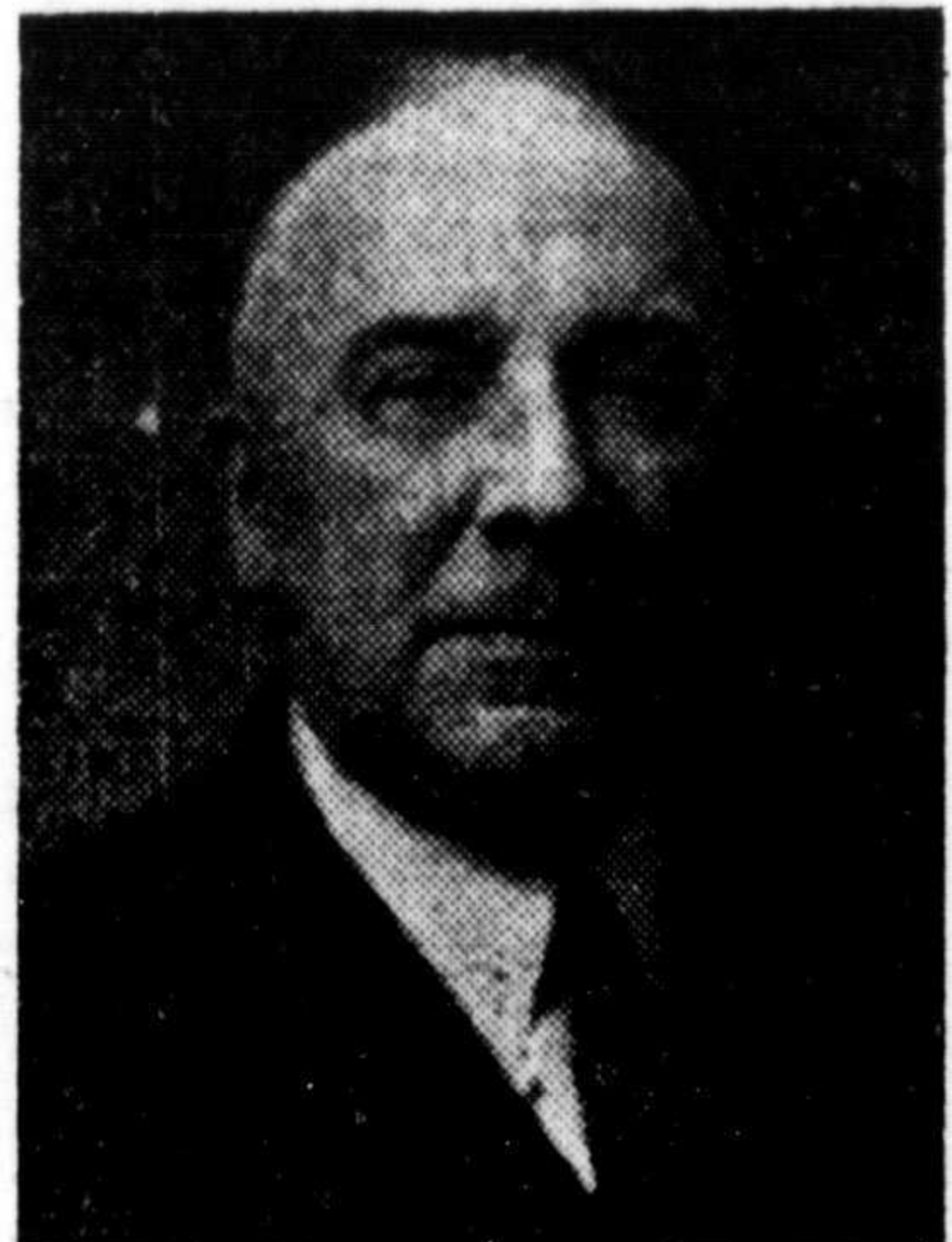
Q. How can I prevent rugs from curling at the corners?

A. Sew a piece of haircloth about eight inches square to the underside of each corner.

Q. How can I take the shine out of a silk garment?

A. Lay the garment on a table and with a flannel wet in cider vinegar rub the shiny place until it disappears. Hang the garment in a shady place and it will look like new when dry.

Freight Traffic Manager



F. P. Nelson, recently appointed C.N.R. Freight Traffic Manager, Central Region, Toronto.

HEALTH TOPICS

Health Conservation In War and Peace

Why should we wait until we are faced with a serious war before we begin to take stock of our human assets?

This challenging question is asked in an editorial in the current issue of the magazine "Health", a Canadian publication.

"Why is the health and welfare of the average young man and woman not an essential objective in peace-time as well as in war-time?" the editorial asks.

When the suggestion was made in peace-time to examine the young men of the nation to determine their fitness or their unfitness the cry was raised "impossible".

Today, with a war on, the editorial states, medical examination of Canada's young men is proceeding apace. Every doctor in Canada is a medical examiner to be paid by the government.

Maintains Health Services What was once considered impossible is now being done, the editorial says.

The editorial goes on: "When one considers that in war the fit are sacrifices on the altars of Mars and the unfit left at home a situation is discovered which should demand the attention of all political leaders."

The editorial commends a recent statement of Hon. Harold Kirby, Minister of Health for Ontario, who called attention to the importance of a concerted health program if Canada is to prosecute the war efficiently.

"One wishes that other ministers of health might present the case with equal vigor", states the editorial. "This journal is of the opinion that if health conservation is logical in peace-time it is essential in war-time, and health service is war service. If civilian morale is to be kept at a high level all health services must be maintained and indeed improved. Education of the public to this end should proceed forthwith."

Modern Etiquette

BY ROBERTA LEE

1. When a husband and wife are calling on friends, which one should suggest leaving?
2. Isn't it poor manners for a person to take hold of another person while talking to him?
3. Should one finish a sentence for another person, or supply a word, when this person seems to grope for the right phrase or word?
4. What is the proper way for a hostess to serve tea?
5. When in company and a person is seized with a fit of coughing, should he apologize?
6. What kind of coat should a man wear to the theatre, in the evening?

Answers

1. Either one may do so by merely asking the other, "Don't you think we had better be leaving?"
2. Yes. The habit of touching, nudging, or patting, is frequently very annoying.
3. No. The hostess should remain seated while pouring the tea, then hand the cups, saucers, and plates to the guests. They may help themselves to sugar, cream, and lemon, as well as to sandwiches and cakes.
4. No. When the coughing spell has ceased one may say "I am sorry."
5. A tuxedo.

Bees As Messengers

The Chinese have made use of the knowledge that as long as the same queen bee rules the hive it can be moved a distance of miles, and all the bees will return to it. This has led to the introduction of the "bee mail," in areas occupied by the enemy. With the help of microphotography, plans and messages can be transcribed on tiny pieces of paper and sent through enemy territory attached to the leg or wing of a bee. The message or plan is photographed and reduced in size, and when it gets to its destination is deciphered with the aid of a microscope. "Bee mail" is highly successful, for these insects travel at hour from thirty to forty miles an hour and, being almost invisible, are far safer than pigeons.

The native queen of the Tonga Islands, a British protectorate in the South Pacific Ocean, belongs to a dynasty that came to the throne in 1064.

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What Science Is Doing

VITAMINS CLOT BLOOD

It is predicted that the lives of thousands of persons, particularly mothers and their new-born babies, will be saved in future years by using a vitamin liquid which looks like cod liver oil.

It is vitamin K, one of the newest of the vitamin family, originally found in putrid fish and alfalfa meal but now made synthetically, which stimulates clotting of the blood.

LIGHT TURNS CORNERS

American scientific wizardry which produced a glass-like substance to make light turn corners is declared to be saving the lives of thousands of Londoners during the current night bombings.

The material, made out of coal, water and air, is synthetic glass, known technically as a methyl methacrylate resin and commercially as Curvite, and has come into wide use in surgical operations.

Light at one end of a retractor used to pull open surgical incisions is carried around the bend of the instrument and directly into the operating field.

VACCINATING BRAIN

An experiment in vaccinating the brain against infantile paralysis is announced to the U. S. National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Inc. The brain is the site of this disease, and damage to brain nerve cells the cause of paralysis. The new method of possible immunizing, is now being tried on monkeys.

Hero of "Jervis Bay"



The name of Captain Fogarty Fegen will take a prominent place among British naval heroes following his heroic action in sacrificing the armed merchant cruiser Jervis Bay to the might of a powerful German raider so that a convoy might slip away to safety. Captain Fegen directed the Jervis Bay in an attack on the raider, and held the German ship at bay for two hours, enabling the majority of ships in the convoy to break formation and escape. With his arm almost severed and suffering from multiple wounds, Capt. Fegen directed the attack until his ship plunged to the bottom.

Express Agents Are Transferred

The appointment of J. A. Kinghorn as express agent at Fort Erie, Ont., vice F. J. O'Reilly, transferred to Guelph in a similar capacity, is announced by G. E. Bellerose, General Manager, Canadian National Express. Mr. Kinghorn, who was born at Cornwall, Ont., March 15th, 1897, entered the service as a clerk at that point on January 13, 1914, serving in that position until October 31, 1915, when he left the Company for military service. He returned to Cornwall as clerk on June 1, 1919, and on September 1, 1923, he was promoted to be cashier at Lindsay, Ont., following which he became Agent at Cobourg, Ont., March 14, 1938, which position he now relinquishes to assume his duties at Fort Erie.



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Explorers, Yes But Wanted Car Heated

J. J. Kearney, recently retired from service as train conductor for the Canadian National Railways terminating 44 years employment with the company, once had in his train a special car carrying Admiral Richard Byrd and his associates returning through Canada from an exploration journey within the Arctic Circle. There was a protest from the Admiral's car, they wanted "some heat". Immediately, there was a demand that the porter get busy, but that functionary was the most amazed man on the train. "Boss," he exclaimed to Mr. Kearney, "That carload of gentle men have come all the way from the North Pole and I've been doing everything possible to keep that car cool for them."

HAVE YOU HEARD?

It was necessary for taxation purposes to decide on which side of the Canadian and United States border a farm which an elderly lady had just purchased, actually lay. Surveyors finally announced that the farm was on the American side of the border. The lady smiled with relief. "I'm glad to know that," she said. "I've heard that winters in Canada are terribly severe."

If there's a newer or better way of getting catsup out of a bottle than by spanking it on the bottom then we'd like to know of it. —Peterborough Examiner.

The Negro parson had been preaching about salvation, and concluded by saying that it was free as water. Immediately after the sermon came the collection.

"But, parson," objected one of the congregation. "I thought you said salvation was free like water."

"So it is, brother, so it is," replied the preacher, "and so is water. We only charge for piping it to you."

Father: "Now try and leave the party at a reasonable hour. No more of this coming home with the milkman, young lady."

Daughter: "Why, dad, of course not. He won't be there."

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A lady was training her Chinese servant to answer the door bell. She went outside, rang the bell, and the servant answered the door.

The next day she was worried by a continual ringing of the bell. At last, when no one answered the door, she opened it herself and found her servant on the step.

"Whatever are you doing, Li?" she asked.

"Yesterday you fool me, now I fool you," was the reply.

"Wouldn't you like to be so famous that you had your face on a thousand-dollar bill?"

"No, but I'd like to be lucky enough to get my hands on one."

Think About Summer When Winter Comes

True the calendar indicates that winter is at hand but there are executives who must project their thoughts into the coming year and prepare for summer. One such is J. Van Wyck, general manager of the Canadian National Railways Hotel System, who is now anouncing opening dates for summer resorts for 1941. Jasper Park Lodge, which will begin the season on June 15 and continue until September 15. Minaki Lodge, in the beautiful Lake of the Woods country, will open June 21 to close on September 8, a week later than usual in order to provide greater refuge from hay fever, an ailment unknown at Minaki. Pictou Lodge in Nova Scotia will operate from June 26 to Sept. 3, while the four chalets in Jasper National Park, at Maligne Lake, Medicine Lake, Tonguin Valley and Shovel Pass, will open on July 1 and close on August 31.

Canadian National Railways Revenues

The gross revenues of the all-inclusive Canadian National Railways System for the week ending November 7, 1940, were \$5,133,061 as compared with 4,716,026

for the corresponding period of 1939, an increase of \$417,035 or 8.8%.

Most Frequently Quoted Papers

For the quarter ending September 30 the Dominion Press Clipping Bureau again places The Ottawa Journal at the head of its list of most quoted newspapers. The Windsor Star is a close second. The leading 10 are:

1. Ottawa Journal1,744
2. Windsor Daily Star1,160
3. Toronto Globe and Mail1,239
4. St. Thomas Times-Journal1,072
5. Montreal Star 920
6. Hamilton Spectator 809
7. Montreal Gazette 807
8. Winnipeg Free Press 773
9. Brantford Expositor 766
10. Toronto Star 729

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TRY IT! EVERY SUFFERER OF Rheumatic Pains or Neuritis should try Dixon's Remedy. Munro's Drug Store, 335 Elgin, Ottawa. \$1.00 postpaid.

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STAMP COLLECTORS—FREE Crown Colony Coronation Set to applicants for approvals at third catalogue or better. Pennell, 364 Brock Avenue, Toronto.

USED CLOTHING FOR SALE

\$3, \$4, \$5, \$6
MEN'S WOMEN'S BOYS' GIRLS' fall and winter overcoats, just released from storage, being sold for charges against them. Big saving to people who must have an overcoat and cannot afford the high price of a new one. 355 Yonge, Toronto. Come in and see us when in the City. No mail orders please.

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McKEE NOTES

The progressive eucie which was held Saturday, Nov. 27th, was a success. The prizes for the highest score were won by Miss Marie Secord and Mr. Thomas Gallagher and the consolation prizes by Mrs. G. O. Finlan and Mr. Bernard McCaffrey.

Miss Bernadette Gallagher, R.N., of New Haven, Conn., spent two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Patrick Gallagher.

Miss Mary Smith, Maryland, left for Ottawa last week where she has secured a position in the Government.

Mr. Arthur Murphy is spending a couple of weeks in Ottawa visiting relatives.

The many friends of Mrs. John Caldwell, who is a patient in the Pontiac Community Hospital, at Shawville, wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Louise O'Connor attended the funeral of Mr. Lyons in Ottawa, last week.

Mr. Merlin McKee will spend the Winter months at Nezhah, Ont., where he has secured a position.

Bruised Hog Carcass Cause of Big Loss

Bruised hogs produce bruised carcasses, and the majority of these carcasses, no matter how suitable in weight, type and finish, have to be discarded in making selection for export. Since bruises, particularly those deep seated, reduce the value of the total production of pork, this is eventually a charge on the industry. Under the old system of live grade payment, this was just as true as it is today under rail grading, with the difference that under the former, bruises were not always detectable in pigs on foot.

Such blemishes are apparent under carcass grading and thus the means is provided whereby the cause may be traced back to its source and the loss borne where it belongs. Bruising may or may not start at the farm. It may occur during transit to market by rail or truck. It may be the result of rough handling off trucks, and it may occur in stock yards and packers yards. Therefore the whole problem of bruise prevention comes very much to the fore, and at once becomes apparent that every step in hog delivery and handling from the pig pen to the rail, should be closely checked and undertaken with care.

Whether the producer is trucking on his own behalf, employs a

trucker or has his hogs shipped by rail, he is primarily interested in preventive measures, such as the discarding of sticks and prods in driving hogs, the use of properly constructed partitions in truck and car, careful unloading, segregation of fighting hogs and other logical precautions which immediately suggest themselves to anyone who has experience with easily bruised live stock. These measures are all inexpensive and quite practical. The united, sustained effort of all parties concerned, farmer, drover, shipper, carrier, commission man, and packer employee would solve the problem almost overnight. The elimination of bruises on hogs would mean more profits to the industry.

Tea No Longer 'Sissy Drink,' Say Statisticians

More Americans than ever before are drinking tea today. And they're drinking it in more different places and different ways.

Actually the statisticians figure 7 out of every 10 Americans drink tea. The United States is the world's second largest tea importing nation. Annually 20,000,000,000 cups of tea slide down American throats.

One of the oddest facts about tea is the way the younger generation is taking to it.

During prohibition naughtiness was fashionable. But prohibition was repealed and America began to change its attitude.

Then out of Washington's social whirl came word that debutantes were beginning to protest against "teas" which were actually cocktail parties. They wanted tea at their teas. The protest struck a popular chord and rose in volume.

Rad, the good old Victorian, was inclined to consider tea a sissy drink when he was in college. But tea has always been a preferred beverage at the college training table because of its pick-up effect and because it is virtually pure liquid and therefore completely digestible.

And today more than 70 per cent of the coaches of winning American football teams serve tea to their gridiron warriors.

What America has done to tea, of course, is typical of what America would do to tea, once it gets around to it. It has gone to the roots of the matter and, in that typical American manner, "discovered" tea (a beverage 4,000 years old).

In Memoriam

HORNER—In loving memory of John W. Horner who died December 8th, 1939. Sadly missed by WIFE and FAMILY.

TELFORD—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Ernest Telford, who passed away December 5th, 1938. The blow was great, the shock severe, We little thought the end was near, And only those who have last can tell The pain of parting without farewell. More each day we miss you, Daddy, Friends may think the wound is healed; But they little know the sorrow! That lies within our hearts concealed We think of him in silence, His name we oft recall, There is nothing left to answer, But his picture on the wall. Sadly missed by Loving wife and children, Edythe and Clayton

Many Mysteries Solved In X-Ray Department

At Parkland hospital in Dallas, Texas, there's a small, prosaic-looking department where physicians, harnessing the mysteries of the Roentgen rays, are battling cancer, locating bullets and knife blades in pain-wracked bodies, finding unsuspected fractures, treating boils and in general making life easier for some 14,300 Dallasites each year. It's the X-ray department, where more than 35 persons, most of them unable to pay, go each day with a cross-section of life's ills.

There were, for example, the recent cases of the two middle-aged men with indigestion. Both appeared at the hospital within a few days of each other, with unmistakable symptoms of indigestion and were referred to the X-ray department for study. Examination in each case showed a large lump, bigger than a man's fist, in the stomach. On questioning, both men said they had eaten green persimmons in December. As there is no digestive juice to dissolve green persimmons, they simply stayed where they landed, collected other food particles and started to cause trouble. Operations promptly restored the patients' health.

Their films show the location of bullets which must be removed by intricate operations. Sometimes their findings, because of the vagaries of the human body, go for naught, as in the case of the man and the moving slug.

This patient was admitted with a bullet lodged in his stomach. The X-ray department determined its exact location and an operation was decided on for the next morning.

When the hour drew near, doctors again examined the patient but no trace of the bullet could they find. The man watched them closely.

Finally, "Looking for this?" he asked, picking up the bullet from a bedside table. He had spat it up during the night.

'Hot Dog Stand' Owner Sets Up Business Creed

Bushy Barnes read in the paper that the U. S. Chamber of Commerce "thinks every business ought to have a creed"—some kind of a motto or declaration of independence—something you hang on the wall. So he wrote himself one, one that he means to live up to and "maybe some other hot-dog stands will be interested." Here it is:

There's nothing scrubby about a well-scrubbed joint.

Hungry people have short tempers. If you gotta growl at 'em, feed 'em well first.

The way I get rid of loafers is to keep bumming them for cigarettes.

It's a funny thing about making change. You lose a customer if you shortchange him, and if you shortchange yourself, he won't come back either—for fear he'll be recognized.

Don't talk as much as you listen. If you gotta have noise, turn on the radio.

Better do a cash business. Most of the folks who come in busted got that way from trusting some other strangers.

People are nice if you'll give 'em a chance to be. And you have to have a sourpuss come in occasionally to remind you how nice most people really are.

Raw Food Craze

The raw-food craze is a form of the roughage fad. The average, normal individual may well eat some raw food daily. But in spite of occasional "freak" cases, the use of an exclusively raw-food diet is not conducive to the best state of nutrition. Many foods are more completely and easily absorbed if cooked. Vegetables are not only made more appetizing by cooking, but what is still more important, the starch cells under the influence of heat burst and permit the digestive juices to reach the contained starch.

The words of the wise man, "To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose," may well be applied to the use of foods. There is a place in the diet for concentrated foods as well as for moderate amounts of roughage. Difficulties result from the overuse of either.

Service Announcement

SHAWVILLE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. A. F. FOKES B. A., B.D. Pastor
Sunday, December 8th
11.00 a.m.—Service at Shawville
1.30 p.m.—Service at Zion.
3.00 p.m.—Service at Stark's Corners
7.30 p.m.—Service at Shawville

BRISTOL UNITED CHURCH
Rev. C. ARMSTRONG-SALES B.D.
Sunday, December 8th
Communion Service, 11.00
Preparatory Service, Friday, evening, 8.00
Knox, Service withdrawn.
Austin, Communion Service, 7.30

ANGLICAN
Sunday, December 8th
St. PAUL'S
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Morning Prayer
7.30 p.m.—Evening Prayer
HOLY TRINITY
3.00 p.m.—Evening Prayer
St. LUKE'S
Service Withdrawn

NORTH CLARENDON PARISH
Rev. K. Bolton, Incumbent
Sunday, December 1st
Thorne Centre, Morning Prayer, 10.30
Greenmount, Evening Prayer, 2.30
Charteris, Evening Prayer, 7.00

New Studies in Infantile Paralysis Are Revealed

Suggesting that the condition of the person exposed to poliomyelitis, commonly known as infantile paralysis, rather than the manner of exposure is a major factor in whether or not a person becomes infected, Dr. William Lloyd Aycock of the Harvard Medical school, Boston, says that pregnancy might render a person more susceptible to the disease.

In testing monkeys to determine their susceptibility to the virus of poliomyelitis, Dr. Aycock found that when substances containing female sex hormone, normally excreted during periods of pregnancy, were injected into the monkeys, their ability to resist the infantile virus was increased. He concluded that susceptibility might lie in some discrepancy of such substances.

He also pointed to an analysis made on the 1939 outbreak of infantile in Detroit as corroborative of his supposition. Out of 528 cases studied, there were four in which the patients were pregnant. This was four times the number that might have been expected from chance coincidence figured on a mathematical basis.

A few years ago the theory was held almost universally that the virus of poliomyelitis entered a person's system only through the nose. Gradually information has been brought to light that makes this questionable, according to Drs. Howard A. Howe and David Bodian of Baltimore.

Dr. Howe told of administration of the virus to monkeys both by mouth and by a special tube that fed into the stomach. In each case the monkeys developed the disease with paralysis. Dr. Howe also called attention to a human case in which there was no evidence of damage to olfactory bulbs in the nose through which the disease was formerly thought always to pass, leaving destruction in its wake.

Government Now Depends On Income, Sales Taxes

A sharp shift from dependence on customs duties and liquor taxes to reliance on income and sales levies characterizes the last 30 years of federal tax history, an analysis by the Federation of Tax Administrators points out.

In 1910 the income tax then levied only on corporations produced only 3 per cent of all federal revenues. Ten years later the tax on corporate and personal incomes yielded 69 per cent of all federal tax receipts and last year it produced 40 per cent—more than any other tax.

Customs revenue, on the other hand, dropped from first to third place among the sources of income between 1910, when it produced 54 per cent of the total revenue, and 1920, when it yielded 6 per cent. In 1930 it was in second place, and last year it stood seventh among the various tax categories, making up 6 per cent of federal collections.

The liquor tax plus the tobacco tax constituted 42 per cent of all federal revenue in 1910, but only 21 per cent in 1939. The government now relies more on other sales taxes, especially those coming from the automobile user through the federal gasoline, motor vehicle and tire manufacturers' levies.

Payroll, gasoline and liquor taxes, none of which were in effect in 1930, accounted for 28 per cent of federal revenue in 1939. Among other taxes, the most productive were those on electrical energy, telecommunications, sugar, processed oils, and the corporate capital stock tax.

Cemetery Donations

Dr. D. J. Campbell, treasurer of the Cemetery Fund, acknowledges, with thanks, the following donations:—

Shawville Women's Institute \$50.00
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Mrs. F. F. Corrigan \$2.00
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Mr. John R. McDowell, Treasurer of Maple Grove Cemetery, acknowledges with thanks, the following donations.

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Sulfamido Cuts Death

Dr. Wallace E. Herrell and Dr. Alex E. Brown of Rochester, Minn., report that the use of sulfanilamide, sulfapyridine and sulfathiazol has cut the death rate of septicemia, or blood poisoning, in half since the drugs were first introduced. Their report was based on 155 cases observed from 1937 to 1939, which were compared with the same number of cases from 1934 to 1936, before the sulfamido drugs were available. Their analysis showed that only 32 per cent of the septicemia victims from 1934 to 1936 recovered, as opposed to a 60 per cent recovery in the 103 patients from the 1937 to 1939 group who received treatment. The other 52 patients in the later group, they said, contracted the infection before the drugs were in widespread use, and the recovery rate in their case was 36 per cent.

More Synthetic Rubber

Since the recent announcement by a large rubber company of the perfection of synthetic rubber, other companies have come to the front with similar announcements. Research on several other rubber substitutes has reached the stage where they can be put into production in this country.

One company claims it has been producing for several years a synthetic material more satisfactory than rubber for many uses, but somewhat more expensive. A subsidiary of a large oil company is working on the buna process originated in Germany, and its chemists claim they have improved and cheapened the German product. This company is building a plant in Louisiana.

Cost is an important factor in the production of rubber. The country's annual bill for natural rubber, of which we use nearly 600,000 tons a year, is about \$250,000,000. Estimates as to the cost of the synthetic product run as low as 20 cents a pound for the cheaper varieties.

Down, But Not Out

Sharecroppers, Okies and the like, are usually looked upon as down-and-outers, but statistics recently released show that they may be down, but they don't stay "down and out."

One hundred families of sharecroppers who composed part of the army of the evicted who camped in mud and rain on the highway near New Madrid, Mo., in 1938, settled on 100-acre tracts, bought with proceeds of a federal loan under the procedure of the Farm Security Administration.

This group has repaid \$95,000 in loans and rent in two years and has an average of \$377 in cash to finance this year's crop operations. Only 5 per cent are behind in their payments.

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