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INVENTED FOUNTAIN PEN.

Canadian Druggist Was Pioneer In Now Huge Industry.

Books of reference, even dictionaries, name and describe the fountain pen, but in such a way as if it had been the product of spontaneous creation. None of the writers seem to know the name of its inventor. Watt, Morse, Howe, Bell and other names of inventors and discoverers are household words, but no one apparently is familiar with the name of the inventor of the fountain pen. This can scarcely be said of the inventor of any other instrument of equal utility. Yet the personal element is most interesting in all spheres of human action. The fountain pen is now made by scores of competing manufacturers the world over, and the business has risen into millions. All since 1876, when patents were issued at Ottawa and Washington to the inventor.

Duncan Mackinnon was born in the township of York, county of York, Ontario, in 1838, and died in 1882. He received a liberal education in his native county. After teaching school for a short time he took up pharmacy, and the year 1874 found him the proprietor of a drug store in the city of Stratford.

About this time he read a paragraph in The Scientific American asking some inventive genius of the world to produce a "fluid pencil," that is, a writing instrument much like a lead pencil, substituting ink for the lead. Mr. Mackinnon was at once seized with the importance of the suggestion and was soon at work, using the metal penholders of the time for his experiments.

The chief difficulty lay in securing control of the inkflow. This was finally accomplished by putting an air tube in the centre of the fountain. This was, and is to-day, the most essential part of the mechanism. Without it there would have been no fountain pen. Before final results were reached Mr. Mackinnon made trips to various cities in search of skilled artists, including Providence, New York, Philadelphia, and Cincinnati.

The pen was first made in soft metal. This experiment failed, for the ink corroded the metal, and the points soon wore off. Hard rubber was next chosen and proved so successful that it is still the material used. There was still one difficulty to overcome, and that was to secure a hard metal point. This, too, was finally accomplished by the use of iridium, the hardest of all metals, and with which the gold pens now attached to the fountain are tipped.

It will be noticed that what the inventor kept steadily in view was the production of a "fluid pencil." He had not thought of attaching an ordinary pen to the fountain. This fluid pencil, although still in the market, is not suited to fine penmanship. Others soon discovered this. Cross was the inventor's manufacturer. This gentleman conceived the idea of substituting an ordinary pen for the point, and proceeded to manufacture and sell, regardless of business ethics, or possible infringement, calling his pen the stylographic. Other makers, the world over, followed in quick succession. The rest is present-day history.

Like many other inventors, Mr. Mackinnon plowed the field and sowed the seed, but others reaped the harvest.

A Chinaman's Oath.

A Chinese oath was recently administered in British Columbia with all the ceremonial accompaniments that are observed in China when an oath is taken in court. Seven Chinamen were charged with rioting, and one, Moh Quong, a witness, was to testify.

The oath was taken on the lawn at the rear of the courthouse, in the presence of the full court and many interested spectators. It was written in the Chinese language, to which the witness affixed his signature. The charge against the seven men was read to the witness by the interpreter, whereupon the witness took the following oath:

"Being a true witness, I shall enjoy happiness, and my sons and grandsons will prosper forever. If I falsely accuse, I shall die on the street, heaven will punish me, earth will destroy me. I shall suffer adversity, and all my offspring will be exterminated. In burning this oath, I humbly submit to the will of heaven, which has brilliant eyes to see."

After the witness had signed his name to the oath, a young white cock with red comb and yellow legs was brought forth. Three punk sticks and a pair of Chinese candles were stuck in the ground and lighted near a block of wood. Next the oath was read by the interpreter to the witness, after which the latter wrapped the piece of paper on which the oath was written round the joss paper. The witness then laid the cock on the block and chopped its head at a single blow. After that he set fire to the oath with a candle, and held it until it was wholly consumed.

And Out He Went.

Corporation Counsel Reginald Geary, of Toronto, tells of a funny experience on his last trip to London, Eng. Those who have visited London know that the number of passengers carried on certain busses is limited by regulation.

Mr. Geary was riding in one of these one day, and the kindly Irish conductor, though quite aware that his 'bus was full, had permitted a young and sickly woman to squeeze in. The 'bus had not proceeded far before the usual crank spoke up. "Conductah!" he exclaimed, "you've one over your number, y'know!"

"Have I, sir?" asked the conductor with affected concern. Then beginning to count from the opposite end, leaving the complainant until the last, he repeated: 'Wan, two, three, four, foive, six, sivin, eight, noine, tin, 'leven, twelve, thir—so I have, sir, an' be the Lord Harry, ye're the wan. Out ye go!"

And out he did go.—Star Weekly.

TO STUDY FISH.

Prof. A. B. Macallum Establishing Research on Pacific Coast.

Dr. A. B. Macallum, professor of biochemistry at the University of Toronto, has been in Vancouver recently in connection with the work of the Board of Biological Research, under the Department of Marine and Fisheries, of which he is secretary-treasurer without salary.

Two biological stations are maintained by this board in Canada, one at Nanaimo and the other at St. Andrew's, N.B., while it is planned to establish another at Hudson Bay. Their subject matter is halibut, salmon, herring, lobsters and oysters, on the economic side, and their object is to adduce the facts regarding these sea denizens in accepted scientific form, so that governments may govern themselves accordingly.

Take the matter of halibut, for instance. It is said that halibut are becoming scarce in Pacific waters. Is it true? That it what the biological board wants to know. Very little is known of the habits of halibut. Its eggs have been obtained only in limited stages, its time of spawning is unknown, its food is not definitely recognized.

The greatest living expert on halibut is Dr. Hjort, head of the Norwegian fisheries, only forty-six years of age, but internationally famous. It is the intention of the board to engage Dr. Hjort to devote his time to the investigation of the life and habits of halibut on the Pacific coast. He is expected here about the end of September.

Another question that the biological station at Nanaimo is grappling with is why the herring are disappearing from Pacific waters. Has it anything to do with the movement of the planxtone life of the sea, that is the microscopic animal life on the surface of the water? This planxtone life may give indications of the migration of the halibut constantly further north.

The sea salmon has never been definitely described as to nativity, maturity and death. Many have guessed at these problems, and Prof. Gilbert has made important discoveries. These are being verified if possible, and when scientifically demonstrated the facts will be used to conserve the salmon.

The reason why oysters do not seem to thrive when transplanted from the Atlantic to the Pacific, whether it is due to the scarcity or the plentifulness of brine in the sea or to the temperature of the water; why lobsters reproduce their species, but their growth seems to be arrested, whether they shed their shells or not —these are some other problems to be worked out.

Prof. Willy of McGill University another member of the biological board, is going out there on a tour of investigation in April, and Mr. Macallum plans to return in June for a longer stay. Both will go out to the halibut banks with the halibut fishermen and get first-hand information.

Dr. Macallum has been interviewing officials of the Provincial Government and the Dominion Fisheries Department and co-operating with them in their work. He sees much good to be done for the conservation of the Pacific fisheries in the work to his hand.

Must Be Bonded.

A curious feature of the Quebec marriage laws and one which, it is maintained, should not be struck from the code, is the fact that the happy couple must be bonded. The bridegroom going to the issuer of licenses is astounded, if he has not learned the law, to find that he must bring two householders who will go bond for him for $800 each, to show that there is no reason why the marriage should not take place. It is to prove that neither of the parties has previously been wedded, that they are of age, or if not, that the consent of the parents has been obtained. It is merely a matter of form. There is no records known of any bondsmen being sued for the amount of the bond by the province or by an irate parent. Nevertheless, the bond must be given.

Has Health Inspection Act.

British Columbia is the only province in the Dominion having provincial legislation governing and controlling medical inspection of schools. The "School Health Inspection Act" provides that the Board of School Trustees of every city, town, and district municipality shall appoint one or more School Health Inspectors. Many of the other provinces have medical inspection, although not perhaps so well organized. Ontario is making notable strides in this direction. The rural schools are not to be neglected. It is felt that in the past they have too often been supposed to be entirely healthy institutions.

Alberta Joins Movement.

The days of rough trails and roads built merely for pioneer purposes in Alberta are now numbered. The public works department of the Provincial Government is co-operating with the various municipalities throughout the province for the purpose of constructing main truck roads between the principal market centres. Half a million dollars which has been set aside out of current revenues for road construction by the public works department this year will be spent largely in improving the most important traffic roads and with a view to completing, in the course of the next few years, a system of main trunk roads.

Canada's Shipping Record.

Capital estimated at $26,908,950, invested in 8,545 Canadian vessels, while 43,968 men and boys are employed in the marine service, according to the annual report just issued by the registrar of shipping. The number of vessels registered is 8,545, and the tonnage is 896,965, an increase last year of 344 vessels.

CANADIAN SLEIGH SONG.

(By James Lewis Milligan.)

The setting sun, like an artist bold,
Paints the snow on the billowy wold,
The shadows are blue and the lights are red,
Deeper they grow as he sinks his head;
Afar, where the pine-clad hills arise,
'Tis purple against the saffron skies;
While I step in my sleigh
And drive away
Fifteen miles at the end of day.

'Tis cold! They say it is ten below,
'Twill be twenty-five in an hour or so;
I cover my ears and muffle my chin,
And tuck my feet all cosily in;
I speak to my horse, as drivers do,
And she seems to understand me, too.
We're off, I tell her, to fourth-line,
She coks her ears as a knowing sign,
While her hoofs beat time
To the sleigh bells' chime.
And my heart indites this swinging rhyme.

The fires of day burn low and red,
The stars are bright'ning overhead;
I ride alone on the top of the world,
The woods and streams in sleep are furl'd;
O'er hill and dale, through rocky glade,
I glide like a ghost — a wand'ring shade—
What more am I? as I came I go,
I glide through life as over the snow;
The shapes fly past ere they're half-discern'd,
The years slip by and to dreams are turned,
And nought remains but these stars that rise
Like a wall of gems before my eyes—
A bright enigma, a dream too high,
Which lures me upward, I know not why,
As I sit in my sleigh
And drive away,
Ever on till the dawn of day!
—From The London Graphic.

SAM HUGHES, MINER.

The Minister of Militia Recounts His Adventures In Diamond Fields.

One of the most popular speakers at the annual banquet of the Canadian Mining Institute, held recently at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel in Montreal, was Hon. Sam Hughes, Canada's doughty Minister of Militia. Col. Hughes was in a jocular vein, and his comments and anecdotes were hugely enjoyed by the members of the Institute.

"While not a professional miner," said the gallant Minister, "I have had some slight connection with the industry. For one thing, I, on several occasions, borrowed money from confiding friends to invest in gilt-edged propositions. I know there is money in mining, for the money I put in is still there, but so long as my friends are willing to lend, I am willing to risk more of their money.

"One of my rural constituents came into my office in Lindsay one day and dumped on my desk a small sackful of specimens showing bright yellow specks.

"'There, what do you think of that?' he asked. 'Ain't they fine?'

"'Very fine,' I answered. 'As fine iron pyrites as I ever saw.'

"'Iron?' he shrieked. 'Do you mean to tell me it isn't gold?'

"'Just plain iron pyrites, more popularly known as fool's gold,' I told him.

"'Well, I'll be jiggered,' he exclaimed. 'Just to think that I've married a widow with nine children because I discovered she had a mountain of that on her farm!'"

No speech by the brave Colonel would be complete without a reference to his participation in the South African campaign, and the expected allusion was forthcoming.

"One day," said Col. Hughes, "I was out near the German colonial border with a patrol, when I saw something glistening in a clay bank. I sent a Dutch scout after it, and he brought back two or three pebbles, one of which turned out to be a diamond of good size and quality. I afterwards showed it to the De-Beers people, and they half-jestingly and half-seriously threatened to invoke the Illicit Diamond Buyers' Act to make me give it up and divulge where I found it, but by pointing out that the operation of martial law suspended all civil legislation, I was able to get away with both the diamond and the secret of the place where I found it. I marked the spot carefully, however, and some day when I get the time I mean to go back and locate that diamond mine."

All Going To Farms?

The immigration figures for the month of March show that 3,819 Britishers came to Ontario during that month, making a total of 5,408 for the first three months of the year, or about 1,200 less than for the same period last year.

Supt. Birmingham states that April records when they are compiled should show as many as in April last year, when 50,000 arrived. He believed that the end of the year would show as high a total as 1913, which would mean that more than 50,000 newcomers from the British Isles will make their appearance in Ontario this year.

Of the 5,400 British immigrants who have come to the province this year, Mr. Birmingham says that almost without exception they had been placed with the farmers of the province. None had remained in Toronto. To this he could add that as far as was known not one of these new arrivals was out of employment.

Navigation Aids on Hudson Bay.

The Canadian Minister of Marine has announced that his Department is making active preparations to improve the aids to navigation on the Hudson Bay route this season. Twelve new lighthouses will be established from the South Strait to Port Nelson, and a wireless station will be established somewhere on the strait. A boat has been sent up to locate and start work on the lighthouses and place the necessary buoys in the strait and at Port Nelson harbor.

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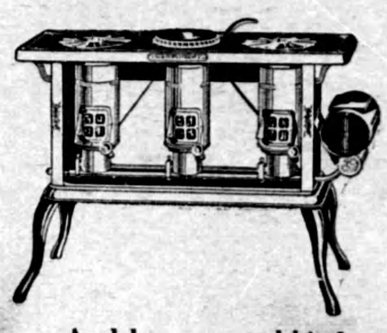

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