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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Coal is not a mineral but a rock, according to the British director of Fuel Research. It is, he says, simply a portion of the earth's crust. We will have to revise our dictionaries.

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Record catches of trout are being reported from some parts of the Georgian Bay district, but the fish which were captured are as nothing compared with the monsters that got away.

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It is announced that the measure to change the radio system will not be proceeded with in the present Dominion Parliament. This is as it should be. It is doubtful anyway if radical changes would be an improvement upon the present arrangements, though doubtless changes will be made as time passes. Meantime let some shrewd mechanic earn the thanks of many thousands by the discovery of means to efectively overcome static.

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Taking off trains, because of decreased traffic, freight as well as passenger, is proceeding in Great Britain as well as in Canada. If people prefer travelling by bus or auto instead of by train, and if they patronize trucks instead of railway cars, for the transport of freight, they cannot expect the railway companies to run non-paying trains. Nor can they hope to escape paying heavy rates for the wear and tear of the highways by the innovating vehicles.

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The public throughout Canada appear to have received with calmness, if not indifference, the news that a General Election for the Dominion Parliament will be held during the ensuing summer. The members at Ottawa seem to be the most excited, no doubt with good cause, for history is likely to repeat itself, and not a few will either voluntarily retire at dissolution or be retired by the electors at the polls. The fight is, however, likely to be a strenuous one, and the issue, in view of the latest complications, by no means a foregone conclusion. The standing of parties in the House now in Session is as follows:—Liberals, 119; Conservatives, 90; U. F. A., 11; Progressives, 12; Liberal Progressives. 8; Labor, 3; Independent 2; Total 249.

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John Masefield, "hobo," humanitarian poet and story writer is the new pooet Laureate of Great Britain His expressed determination not to grind out poetry to suit any occasion (as some of his predecessors did) will meet with general approval. We were at first inclined to doubt the propriety of the selection, when we found that Bernard Shaw, that censorious critic, declared that the king could not have named a better man. Were he not dead, or if a Canadian had been eligible, our first choice would have been McIntyre the Ingersoll versifier, whoes poetic praise of Oxford's, "mighty cheeses, over fanned by our mighty breezes" electrified the world in the last days of the nineteenth century. Too bad Mac had no successor!

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Before he goes to Toronto next month, to visit the massive performances of the Shriners, a correspondent desires to know just who these chaps are. This is one of the great secret societies of the world, the full name of which is, "The Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine." It was first established on this continent in 1872, but it is claimed to have been first organized at Mecca by the son-in-law of Mohommed about A.D. 646. We are not prepared to deny this. There are many members of the Order in Canada, but its greatest strength is in the United States, from which country the brethern in Toronto are expecting over 200,000 uniformed men, with all their variegated paraphernalia, camels, and kindred live stock. We doubt if this district can contribute to the colossal demonstration as membership is restricted to Knights, Templars and 32 Freemasons and our crop of these distinguished uniformed dignitaries is rather slim. Anyone, however, can go to Fleet street, look and admire.

J. T. Clark 50 Years In Newspaper Game

Toronto, May 12th, 1930.

I write you to-day because to-day is the 50th anniversary of my leaving Flesherton to enter newspaper work—12th of May 1880. I went to the Review in Durham to "learn the printing", and you had just finished your apprenticeship there, and I succeeded you at the Review. On that morning, 50 years ago, as I climbed up on a load of furniture for ride to Durham—Johnny Campbell was moving over to start a woollen mill there in the old Cochrane foundry and Mrs. Campbell was my mother's sister—about the last person to say good-bye to me was W. J. Bellamy who happened to come along and he had just shortly before been made clerk of the township.

Well, I think I shall keep on in the newspaper business. I like it as far as I've gone and don't think I'll change now.

Yours Sincerely,
JOSEPH. T. CLARK

WATSON-WEATHERALL

The home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Weatherall of Osprey was the scene of a very pretty wedding on May 3rd, when their daughter, Myrtle, was united in marriage to Harvey Densmore Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Watson of Portlaw. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. F. Bamford in the presence of the immediate relatives.

The bride, who was given away by her father, entered the living room to the strains of the wedding march played by Mrs. H. M. Grummett sister of the bride, and took her place under an arch of evergreens. The bride was prettily gowned in navy georgette over silk with shoes and stockings to match. She carried a shower bouquet of sweetheart roses and maiden hair fern.

After the congratulations the guests repaired to the dining room to partake of a dainty wedding luncheon. The bride and groom were the recipients of many beautiful gifts. The groom's gift to the bride was a cabinet of silverware and to the pianist a bar pin.

The young couple left amid showers of confetti on the evening train for Toronto, the bride travelling in navy wth grey accessories. On their return they will reside on the groom's farm near Portlaw.

CARD OF THANKS

I desire to thank the ladies of the L. O. B. A. for the lovely Easter lily, also the ladies of the Baptist Mission Circle for the gift of a beautiful calceolaria, given me in honour of my 80th birthday. I greatly appreciate these kindly remembrances.
—Mrs. Sarah A. Roy.

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Miss E. Shannon Dies

After suffering from a stroke since last Wednesday Miss Elizabeth Anne Shannon passed away on Tuesday morning, May 13th, at the age of 65 years, 4 months. The funeral will take place on Thursday, May 15, when service will be held in St. John's United church at 2.30 p.m, interment to take place in the Irwin cemetery, Artemesia.

The late Miss Shannon has been in poor health for some years and has been tenderly nursed and cared for by her brother, Mr. W. G. Shannon. Two years ago Miss Shannon and her brother moved to town from their old home at Vandeleur, where they had lived for many years. Next week we will give full particulars.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Owing to the funeral of Miss Shannon the W. M. S. of the United church will not meet this Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Semple of Islington were week end visitors in town with Mr. and Mrs. S. Sutton.

Mr. Wes. White and Mr. Ballantyne of Toronto spent the week end with the former's brother, Mr. Ben White, on the West backline, Artemesia.

The Presbyterian W. A. will hold a cake sale on Friday afternoon, May 23,, in Mrs Wright's old stand. Homemade baking and other articles for sale.

Mr. Alex McDonald of Weston spent the week end with his wife and daughter, who are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. Cairns.

The Oratorical Contest for group 1 of the Young People's Union of Grey Presbytery will be held in Flesherton United church, Tuesday evening of next week, May 20th, Everyone is welcome.

The following ladies attended the Grey Presbyterial held in Hanover on Thursday of last week: Mesdames W. J. Scott, Murray, Mitchell Hickling, Inkster, Wilcock, Bryce, Tremp Blackburn, Henry, J. McMillan and Holland, Misses MacMillan, Aleda Mitchell and Allie Norris.

The annual meeting of the W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Henry on Wednesday May 7 when the following officers were elected: Pres. Mrs. Cargo; 1st Vice Pres, Mrs. McCauley; 2nd Vice Pres., Mrs. Boyd; Secy Treas, Mrs. Ed. Best; Dist. Director, Mrs. McAuley; Dist. Rep., Mrs. R. Best; Directors, Mesdames, Inkster, J. Wilson, Turney, Wes. Armstrong; Auditors Mrs. Hawken and Mrs. T. J. Fisher; Program Committee, Mesdames Dargavel Bryce, and Hickling; Social Com Mesdames Henry and Inkster.

On June 5th a wedding is to take place at Montclair, N. J. which is of local interest, when Miss Katherine Mueller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mueller, of Montclair is to be united in marriage to Harold Beppler oof Lonk Island. The bride's mother was formerly Miss Ida Rutledge, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Rutledge of Flesherton and also a niece of Mrs. Mary Jamieson of town. Mr. Mueller is a retired business man, having made a fortune in the upholstery business, catering to the elite of Montclair. Montclair is the seat of culture of New Jersey, as Boston is to Massachusetts.

Woman customer, after clerk had pulled down all but one of the blankets on the shelves,—"I don't really want to buy a balnket to-day. I was only lioking for a friend.

Clerk—"Well madam if you think your friend is hiding under the other one I will gladly take it down for you."

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NEWS AND INFORMATION FOR THE BUSY FARMER

A large frame barn, with its contents, including eight head of cattle and a team of horses, was destroyed on the farm of Peter Smith, former provincial treasurer, just south of Stratford. The damage has been estimated at approximately $10,000, only a portion of which is covered by insurance. The eight purebred Jersey Cattle were valued at about $3,500. Thirty tons of hay, a large quantity of potatoes and considerable grain was destroyed. Harness and implements were also lost. When the Stratford fire department arrived the building was a mass of flames.

With a surplus of $6,000 from last year, the Newmarket town council has been able to reduce the tax rate by four mills and this year the citizens will pay only forty mills on the dollar.

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Flesherton has progressed in the past because the merchants of the town and other civic enterprises have received the support of the residents. On the continuance of this patronage depends the future success of the community. If the merchants are not supported they will retire from business and your money which should go to building up the town will go to other cities to place them in front of Flesherton.

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