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EDITORIAL NOTES

Capt. Angus Walter and his Bluenose from Lunenburg, Nova Scotia, won the sailing race off Boston from the Gertrude L. Thebaude, American owned. Both are fishing vessels that ply the waters of the Grand Banks off the Atlantic Coast and the race created great interest throughout the country. Canadian boats are still supreme on the Atlantic coast and all honor should be accorded Capt.. Walter and his gallant crew.

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Great plans are being made for the welcoming of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth when they make an official visit to Canada next summer. An invitation has been extended for the King to unveil the Grey County memorial at Owen Sound, but acceptance of this has not yet been made. The question of entertainment for the Royal couple is a delicate matter, as it is not the purpose to give private people a chance to benefit socially through their visit, hence the decision to reside in their suite in a special train while visiting in any province where there are not any vice-regal residences. For political purposes Ontario has no accommodation for Royalty as these were discarded by the Hepburn government when the present Lieutenant-Governor took office. However, we expect that the King and Queen will be received with wide open arms and great acclaim, and the absence of an official residence will be forgotten in the excitement of their arrival and visit.

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A letter to the editor appears on the front page of this issue which states that our article in the issue of October 19th was misleading as regards expenditures for Artemesia High School. The letter is self-explanatory and we quite agree with its contents. Due to the fact that the meaning of the act passed by the Provincial Government changing the taxes in high school areas and non-high school areas, the County Rate was lower last year than in 1936, but was raised again this year and the same amount of money collected as two years ago. Our statement might have been misunderstood, but the fact remains that the ratepayers are raising more money for educational purposes that in 1937, and the rate is raised considerably more in three school sections in the township that did not make a levy last year. Our purpose in that article was to show that while the rate had advanced in certain sections, all the advance could not be attributed to the extra cost of the road system undertaken by the township this year. Our comparisons were made between the tax bills of 1937 and 1938 and not to any year before. Education in Artemesia township is not costing more than in years gone by, no more money is being expended, but it is a fact that due to various causes education is costing Artemesia township more this year than it did last.

VANDELEUR

An interesting and well attended meeting was held in the church on Friday evening when the pastor, Rev. S. E. Annis, showed a large number of slides dealing with missionary work in China. After some discussion it was decided to form a young men's club and to hold meeting during the winter.

The W.I. held its October meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Davis when a large number were in attendance. Mrs. Annis gave a splendid talk on Chinese customs and also displayed some Chinese clothing. The November meeting will be held at the school house when the men will put on the program.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Graham attended the Temperance convention held in Owen Sound on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morrow, Kathleen and Bobby of Massie and Mr. and Mrs Lorne Caesar of Owen Sound were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Graham.

Messrs. Frank Davis and Howard Graham were among the guests at the Rotary Club at Markdale on Friday evening. Prof. Bell of the Ontario Agricultural College was the guest speaker of the evening.

Small Potato Crop

According to the first estimate just issued, the 1938 potato crop in Canada is placed at 36,643,000 cwt. This is the smallest crop on record since 1915, and is fourteen per cent. below that of 1937. Short crops in recent years were 38,000,000 cwt. in 1935, and 39,000,000 cwt. in 1932 and 1936. The October first estimate of the 1938 United States potato crop is 373,275,000 bushels, decrease of 20,014,000 bushels in 1937

Shower For Bride

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mrs. C. Doupe Thursday when the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Smith from Springhill district presented the newly married couple with a cabinet of silverware. The presentation was made by Messrs. Roy Best and Rhesa McClean while the following address was read by Miss Elsie White.

Dear Irene and Allen,

We have gathered here tonight to enjoy a few hours with you. It may be our last chance to join you in a long time but we hope to see you again soon. We beg you to accept this small gift as a token of our regard for you. Please do not judge us by the value of this gift for after all it is the feeling that goes with the gift that counts. Wishing you a long and happy married life we are ever your friends.

Signed on behalf of the community, Roy Best, Delmar McClean, Rhesa McClean and Fred Conking.

ROYAL WINTER FAIR

This year's Royal Agricultural Winter Fair which opens at Toronto on November 15 is to be still more extensive in scope, with greater variety and larger prizes than in any former year.

On account of the improvements made in the Royal Winter Fair classes, judging time and accommodation a larger display of livestock is anticipated, and entries from new competitors, notably in dairy cattle and sheep, have been received. Also it is expected that with herds from Prince Edward Island and British Columbia, all the nine provinces of Canada will be represented.

The new Seed and Grain Show promises to assume an importance commensurate with Canada's international status in grain growing, and, as a result of the improved crop and economic conditions, the entries from the Prairie Provinces promise to create a record. The space devoted to poultry has been largely increased and practically a whole floor has been taken for what will prove to be an outstanding industrial exhibit by the combined efforts of the poultry industry of Canada, the Dominion Department of Agriculture and the egg producers and the manufacturers of supplies.

READ THE "SMALL ADVTS".

New Hockey Rules Will Speed Up Game

Hockey fans will hear less of the referee's whistle this season if all the new rules in the book are lived up to.

Because the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association agreed on the alterations, every rink in the country will have to make its blue lines one foot wide and paint the goal posts all lines except zone lines red.

The wider blue lines and one other item are designed to cut down off-side plays. A player will not be considered off-side unless his skates are over the blue line edge nearest the goal. This means he may reach over the line with his stick for the puck as long as his skates don't cross before he touches the rubber.

A minor penalty will be imposed on any player except the goal tender who holds the puck against the boards unless he is being checked by another player. A penalty shot will be awarded if the goalie holds the puck more than three seconds, drops it into his pads or throws it into the crowd. These things formerly called for a painful whistle blast and a face-off. Now they come under the head of "stalling" and should occur less often.

An off-side will be called when the defending team ices the puck from its area and the rubber crosses the penalty-shot line in the other team's area; formerly the puck had only to cross the other blue line to be called "iced." The referee, however, will not call the play until he is sure a goal cannot be scored on an iced shot.

LADY BANK

(Intended for last week)

Mr. Joe Cooper is at his home here suffering with an abscess on his arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Semple and two daughters visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. Semple.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Allison and Joe and Mrs. M. Moore of Markdale visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Semple.

Mr. Ernie Fenwick is recovering from an attack of blood poisoning in his hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Semple spent a day last week with friends in the Kimberley valley.

That a man is pretty fond of good cooking doesn't make him any more pleased to be the victim of well cooked plans.

Canadian Apples Exported To European Countries

Of the total of one million, three hundred and sixty-nine thousand barrels and two million, three hundred and fifty-two thousand boxes of Canadian apples shipped direct to Europe during the 1937-38 season, one million, two hundred and seventy-five thousand barrels and two million, three hundred and thirty-five thousand boxes were sent to the United Kingdom, while ninety-four thousand barrels and seventeen thousand boxes went to the continent. In addition to these direct shipments, a certain quantity is usually shipped to the continent via ports in the United States. No details of these assignments are, however, available, but in most seasons they are unimportant. All the direct shipments to the Continent in 1937-38 went to Hamburg except for five thousand boxes to Havre, France.

HIS MOTTO

Pat: "And to what do you owe your extraordinary success as a house-to-house salesman?"

Mike (the salesman): "To the first five words I utter when a woman opens the door, 'Miss, is your mother in'?"

FOWL SUPPER
AND ENTERTAINMENT
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Thursday, November 3rd
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