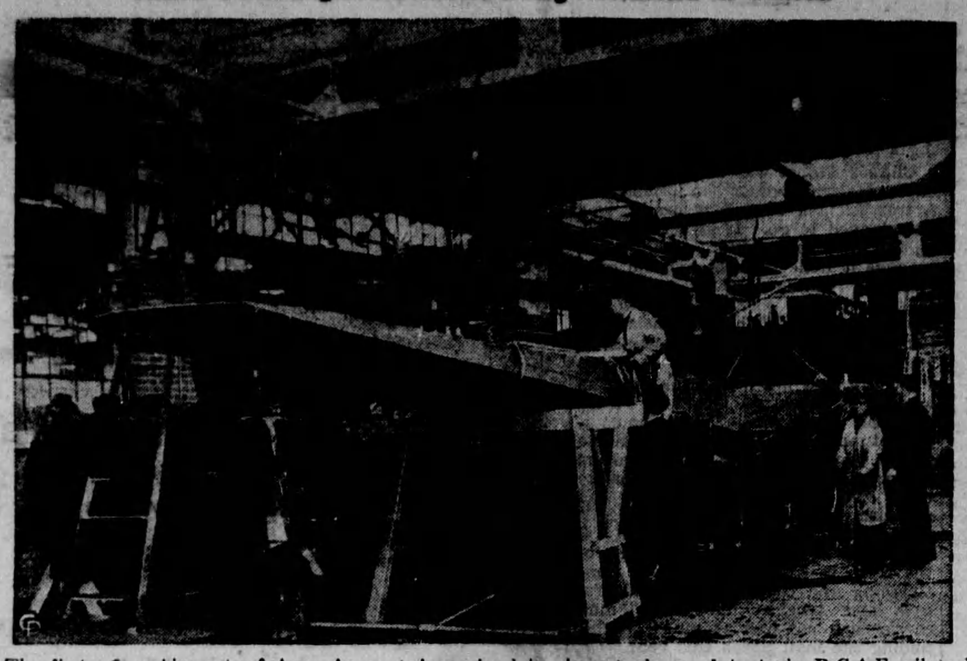
Anson Twin-Engined Bombers Being Assembled In Canada



The first of a shipment of Avro Anson twin-engined bombers to be used to train R.C.A.F. pilots have arrived at the DeHavilland Aircraft plant in Toronto. A continuous stream of Ansons will arrive in Canada until there are more than 1,600 of these fast bombers for use in the commonwealth air training scheme. Nine flat cars were required to bring the crated planes to siding for unloading in Toronto, where they will be assembled.

Sunday School Lesson

LESSON X

GETHSEMANE: TRIUMPH THROUGH SURRENDER.—Matthew 26: 30-56.

PRINTED TEXT, Matt. 26: 36-46.

GOLDEN TEXT.—Not as I will but as thou wilt. Matt. 26: 39.

THE LESSON IN ITS SETTING.

Time.—Thursday, April 6, A.D. 30.

Place.—On the way to Gethsemane and in the garden of Gethsemane.

Matt. 26: 36. Then cometh Jesus with them unto a place called Gethsemane. (This garden was located on the Mount of Olives, beyond the river of the Kidron; the name itself means "oil-press"). And saith unto his disciples, Sit ye here, while I go yonder and pray. 37. And he took with him Peter and the two sons of Zebedee. All the disciples, except Judas, went with the Lord as far as the outer part of the garden. Here Jesus requested eight of them to sit down and wait, but James, Peter, and John, his three most intimate disciples, the only ones who were with him on the mount of transfiguration, he took with him deep into the garden, that these three sympathetic souls might be with him during the time of extreme sorrow and agony that he knew he was at this time entering upon. And began to be sorrowful and sore troubled.

The Agony

38. Then saith he unto them, My soul is exceeding sorrowful, even unto death. Christ here was experiencing the limits of human endurance. Abide ye here, and watch with me. 39. And he went forward a little, and fell on his face, and prayed, saying, My Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass away from me; nevertheless, not as I will, but as thou wilt. The Lord separated himself from his three close companions who had thus far accompanied him, and he goes deep into the garden to pour out his soul to the Father alone. The "cup" is not merely the physical suffering Jesus has to endure; but the whole experience, the betrayal, the trial, the mocking, the scourging, the cross, the grave . . Jesus was not asking that the cup should pass from him regardless of consequences or God's own will; he was asking that God's will be absolutely carried out, and, if possible, in this carrying out of God's will that the cup should pass from him.

Watch and Pray

40. And he cometh unto the disciples, and findeth them sleeping and saith unto Peter, What, could ye not watch with me one hour? There is a tone of sad disappointment here. 41. Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation: the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak. "Watch" refers primarily to keeping awake, but also suggests mental alertness. The flesh here means not simply the body as opposed to the mind, but the body as representing our sinfulness, while the spirit represents what is better in us. 42. Again a second time he went away, and prayed, saying, My Father, if this cannot pass away, except I drink it; thy will be done. 43. And he came again and found them sleeping, for their eyes were heavy. 44. And he left them again, and went away, and prayed a third time, saying again the same words. Perhaps nowhere is the true humility of our Lord more manifest in the Gospel records than in his thrice-uttered petition made to his Father this night in the dark of Gethsemane.

Betrayal and Arrest

45. Then cometh he to the disciples and saith unto them, Sleep on now, and take your rest; behold, the hour is at hand, and the Son of man is betrayed into the hands of sinners. 46. Arise, let us be going: behold, he is at hand that betrayed me. Jesus' mood of pensive reflection gives place to rapid decision. These last words in Gethsemane throb with the willingness to yield himself up, and to empty to its dregs the cup which the Father had given him.

In this lesson we realize that the only absolutely holy person that ever walked this earth, who never did anything wrong, was forsaken by friends, betrayed by one whom he had continually befriended, all without the slightest justification, and all of this was allowed by God to happen. Just why God allows sorrow, distress, tragedy, to come into our lives we do not always know; but if Jesus endured such experiences as these and never lost faith in God, we, who are sinners, can surely endure any experience he sends, and still trust him through them all.

RADIO NOTES AND NEWS

By MADGE ARCHER

KNOW CANADA FIRST

The Canadian Broadcasting Corporation during the past few months has, through the facilities of its Features Department, developed a form of broadcast that concerns itself with the life of the individual Canadian and at the same time emphasizes the importance of the life of this individual in the life of the whole Dominion. With this in mind CBC has planned and broadcast a number of series of programs which brings listeners from coast to coast word pictures of national life in different parts of the Dominion. "Carry On" broadcast on Sundays from 9:00 to 9:30 p.m. is the latest of the series to join such programs as "This Canada" a series of talks about the customs and economic and social life of various parts of the country and heard on Monday evenings at 10:30 p.m., the Farm Broadcasts heard in each individual Province with news and market trends pertaining to each, every day at 12:30 p.m., the present Dominion Election Broadcasts, "Canada's Merchantmen" heard on Fridays at 8:00 p.m., and most interesting of them all to those whose sons and fathers and husbands have gone to England with Canada's First Expeditionary Force, a regular series of broadcasts "With the Troops in England" which often brings to some lonely person the sound of the voice of one of their loved ones.

NOTES AND NEWS

A message by President Roosevelt to the farmers of the U. S. will be heard over all networks on Friday, March 8th, from 10:00 to 10:30 p.m. . . . The King's Men quartet will be the featured vocalists on the new Rudy Vallee program which will be heard over the NBC network beginning March 7th, at 9:30 p.m. . . . H. V. Kaltenborn who brought such prestige to CBS with his coverage of events abroad during the crisis periods, is leaving that chain to join NBC . . .

TO BE HEARD

March 8, 8 p.m., CBY, CBC, House of Variety . . . CBL, Cities Service concert . . . 10:45 p.m., CBL Dominion Election Broadcast . . . March 9th, 2:00 p.m., CBL, Metropolitan Opera . . . 9:00 p.m., CBL, Toronto Maple Leafs vs. Chicago Blackhawks . . . 10:00 p.m., CBY, and 10:35 CBL, NBC Symphony Orchestra . . . March 10th, 2:00 p.m., CBL, Hart House String Quartet . . . 3:00 p.m., CFRB, N. Y. Phil. Orch. . . 4:30 pm,, CFRB Pursuit of Happiness . . 5:00 p.m., CBL, The World Today Reviewed by Edgar McInnis . . . 8:00 p.m., CBL, Chase and Sanborn Hour . . . 9:30 p.m., CBL, Appointment With Agostini . . . March 11, 4:15 p.m., Dominion Election Cast . . . 8:30 p.m., CBL, With the Troops in England . . . . 10:45 p.m., CBL, CBY, Dominion Election Cast . . . March 12, 8:00 p.m., CFRB, Tig Town . . . 8:30 p.m., CBL, Information Please . . . 9:00 p.m., CBL, Top Flight Tunes . . . 10:00 p.m., Les Concerts Symphoniques . . . 10:30 p.m., CBL, Dom. Election Cast . . . March 13, 4:15 p.m., CBL, Dominion Election Cast . . . 8:30 p.m., CBL, Serenade for Strings . . . 9:00 p.m., CBL, Dom. Election Cast . . . 10:30 p.m., CBL, "France This Spring" discussed by Professor Felix Walter . . . 10:45 p.m., CBL, Dominion Election Broadcast . . . March 14, 8:30 p.m., CBL, On Parade . . . 9:00 p.m., CBL "The Shadow of the Swastika" (new series) . . . 10:00 p.m., CBL, Bing Crosby and Bob Burns.

Live Static

Screeches and howls in Andrew Ross' radio set at Rochester, N.Y., last week, sounded too realistic for sound effects, too piercing for static.

Ross investigated. A grey cat was sitting on the tubes. He tried to move her, but couldn't. Police were called and they put the cat out.

Canada's Sugar Output Speeded

More Than Double What It Was In Early 1939

Judging from a report from the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Canadian sugar refineries have been pouring out sugar this year at more than double the pace of early 1939. Official report said Canada's ten sugar refineries manufactured 50,728,000 pounds of sugar during the first four weeks of 1940. Of this, 47,790,000 pounds were granulated and 6,938,000 pounds were yellow and brown.

Both grades have been produced at more than double the early 1939 pace. Granulated during the first four weeks of 1939 amounted to 15,432,000, and yellow and brown amounted to 3,142,000, or a total of 18,575,000 pounds.

The first four weeks of 1940 turned out more than for the first eight weeks of 1939, as the second four-week period last year produced 23,004,000 pounds.

FARM NOTES

BUY SEED NOW

The supply of registered seed in Canada is rapidly growing less by feeding and by sale through the grain trade. This is particularly true of the rust risistant varieties of wheat and oats, says the Agricultural Supplies Board and urges that it is important that orders be placed without delay for any registered seed required for spring planting.

CATTLE BREEDERS

The Ontario Cattle Breeders' Association have re-elected H. A. Dolson, Brampton, president; B. B. Warrnica, Barrie, vice-president; and L. E. O'Neill, Toronto, secretary.

FIGHT HOG PLAGUE

Experimental areas with a view to obtaining a clearer conception of the livestock disease problem in this province was suggested in a report adopted by the agricultural committee of the Ontario Legislature.

The report came from a special committee vested with the responsibility of studying recommendations brought to Toronto by Harry Wilson, Charing Cross farmer, on behalf of the Southwestern Ontario Swine Breeders' Association.

Serious aspects of spread of disease among livestock were cited by the committee, particularly in view of the increased production of bacon necessary to meet the weekly supply exported from Canada to Great Britain.

Canada's Famed Scientific Men

Dr. F. B. Gurd, of McGill University Reviews Work of Eminent Medicos of Dominion — Osler, Banting and Best, Collip, Etc.

"Medicine has been an international subject, but the contribution of Canada to it has been such as we need not be ashamed of," Dr. Fraser B. Gurd, associate professor of surgery at McGill University, told a Montreal audience last week. The achievements of Osler, Banting and Best, Collip, Archibald, Sheppard, Henri Lafleur and others were detailed as outstanding among the contributions of Canada to the science.

OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION

Dr. James B. Collip, who came to McGill in 1928, had been referred to by an eminent American surgeon as the man who had done more for humanity than any other man during the past 20 years. In his collaboration with Dr. Banting and Dr. Best he had purified the pancreas extract so that it might be used with safety in the treatment of diabetes.

Dr. Gurd cited the famous case of the French-Canadian, Alexis St. Martin, and Dr. William Beaumont, the young American doctor, and told how the gunshot wound in the stomach of St. Martin had enabled Beaumont to watch digestive processes and through a series of experiments greatly develop the knowledge of these processes.

OSLER'S BOOK IMPORTANT

Sir William Osler, the "bad boy" of the school, who at the age of 21 came to McGill to study medicine, wrote "The Practice of Medicine," which became the bible of the medical profession throughout the entire world. Canada could also take some credit for the founding of the Rockefeller Institute and the Rockefeller Foundation, he suggested, for it was by the reading of Osler's book and his remarks on the need for greater knowledge of disease that Rockefeller was inspired to establish them.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

THE new 200-inch telescope will, it is hoped, be able to penetrate space for a distance of 7,200,000,000,000,000,000,000 miles. It will have a seeing range of nearly four times as far as the 100-inch telescope of the Mt. Wilson Observatory.

NEXT: What color is the blood of insects?

PATRIOTIC SONG WRITER

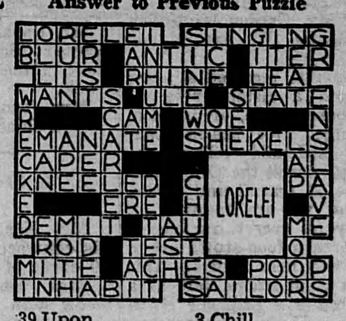
HORIZONTAL

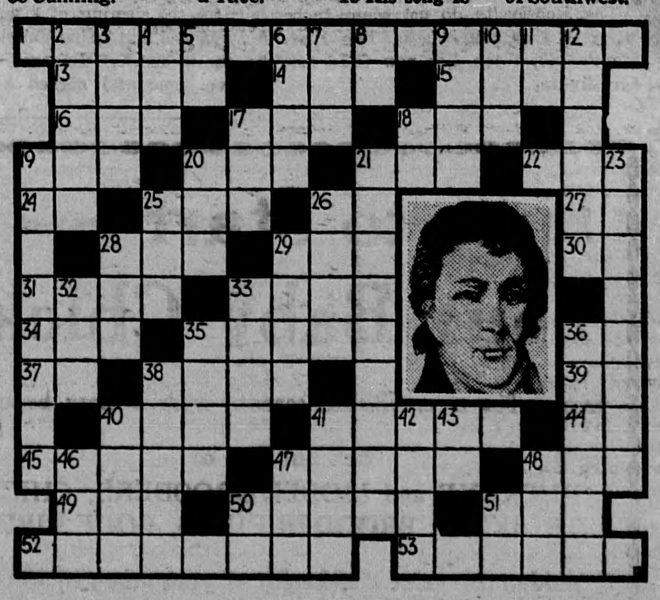
1 Author of "The Star-Spangled Banner."
13 Dyeing apparatus.
14 Humor.
15 Chamber.
16 To slash.
17 Soft food.
18 Raven's cry.
19 Born.
20 Barking of dogs.
21 Gypsy.
22 Eye.
24 Paid publicity
25 Sable.
26 Pronoun.
27 To tolerate.
28 Twenty-four hours.
29 Force.
30 Type standard
31 Portrait statue.
33 Chinese sedge.
34 Uncle.
35 Edible fungus.
36 Musical note.
37 Nay.
38 Cunning.
39 Upon.
40 Quickly.
41 Blue.
44 No good.
45 Dangles.
47 Wiser.
48 Twice.
49 Garden tool.
50 Grudge.
51 Drunkard.
52 He was an —— patriot.
53 He was a —— by profession.

VERTICAL

2 Competed in a race.
3 Chill.
4 Fishing bag.
5 Credit.
6 To swing.
7 To drink slowly.
8 Court.
9 Street car.
10 To pull.
11 Chinese measure.
12 To become manifest.
17 Nominal value.
18 Company.
19 His song is the U. S. A. —— anthem.
20 To purchase.
21 Elastic.
23 He wrote his song during the —— of Fort McHenry (pl.).
25 Ventilating machine.
26 Minute object.
28 Monastic title.
29 To diversify.
32 Dove's cry.
33 To shed feathers.
35 To fail to hit.
36 Blasting substance.
38 Cavalry horse.
40 Floating ice field.
41 Ache.
42 Roll of film.
43 Senior.
46 Electrical unit
47 Health spring.
48 Youth.
50 South Carolina.
51 Southwest.

Answer to Previous Puzzle





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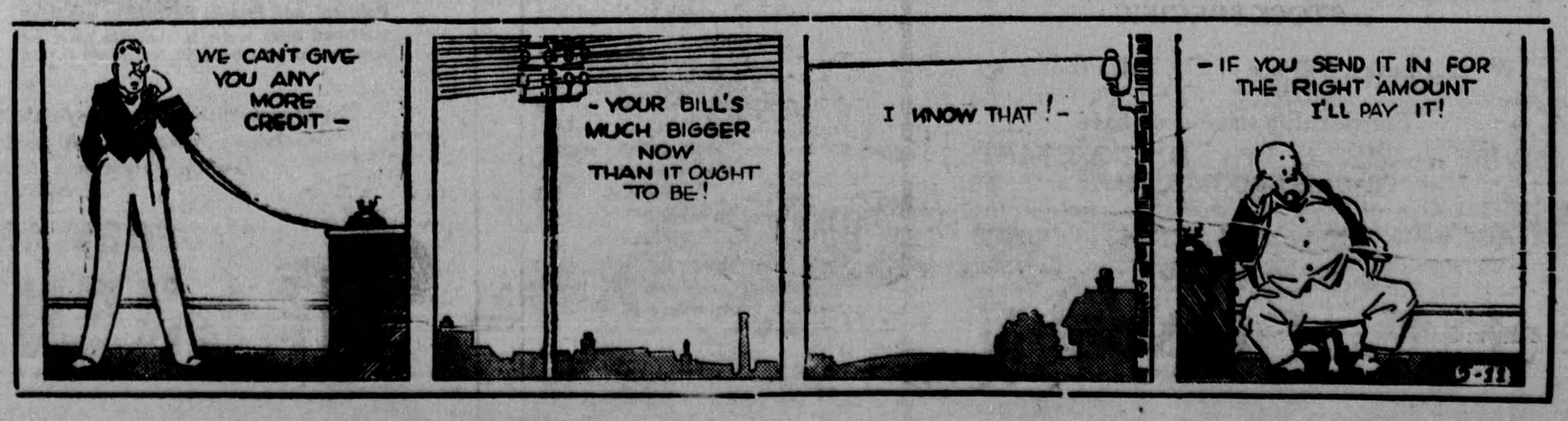
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