

Canada from Coast to Coast

S. John's Nfld.—The Notre Dame furs form the greater part of the merchandise which has been received, a large percentage of Labrador, Peace River, and Alaska furs being noticeable in the list.

Ottawa, N.O.—Canadian flours, because of their quality, are offering effective competition on the markets of the Dominican Republic, according to a report submitted to the Dept. of Trade and Commerce by G. R. Stevens, Canadian Trade Com'r's, in Kingston, Jamaica. The need of advertising and exploiting a trade mark in this business is stressed by Mr. Stevens in his report.

Winnipeg, Man.—Consideration of a scheme for retaining in Canada the 7,000-harvesters brought out from the British Isles to help in the harvest fields will be one of the principal subjects for discussion at a meeting of the directors of the Canada Colonization Association. This is the first full meeting of the board of directors since its reorganization two months ago.

Regina, Sask.—A trial shipment of several thousand boxes of Alberta and Saskatchewan butter will be exported to the United Kingdom shortly by way of British Columbia and the Panama Canal. If the trial shipment is satisfactory, it is said, the transportation of dairy products from the Prairies through British Columbia will develop into large proportions.

Edmonton, Alta.—Since the Lesser Slave Lake was opened for fishing July 15, thirty cars have moved to the fish market of the provinces in Canada place New Brunswick; in the fleet rank of the provinces in Canada, in the certified seed potato growing industry.

Montreal, Que.—Five valued at \$2,000,000 and totalling in all over 750,000 lbs. will be offered for sale by the Canadian Fur Auction Sales Co. at their September sale. Canadian Exporters,

OCEAN FREIGHT RATE ON APPLES REDUCED

Big Increase is Expected in Canada's Fruit Exports to Britain.

A despatch from Ottawa says: A large increase in the fruit export business between Canada and Great Britain is expected as a result of a substantial reduction in the ocean freight rates on apples, moving between Atlantic ports and Great Britain, word of which was received by the Canadian Horticultural Council here last week.

Apples are now to be carried in ordinary stowage at a rate of 90 cents per barrel and 30 cents per box as compared with former charges of \$1.25 and 45 cents respectively. The refrigerated stowage rate will now be \$1.30 per barrel and 50 cents per box which represents a similar drop in prices to that of the ordinary cargo.

Rest and Change.

Best means nothing unless it comes after hard work, change counts for nothing when it comes.

From those whose life is filled with boredom, in themselves and in one another, much is heard of plans for doing enmii and defeating the terrible fate of having nothing to do.

Sometimes those who are devoted to busy men and women, whether as friends or in the circle of the family, are heard so wish devoutly that they, who work so hard, had less to do. But it will usually be found that those who are busily engaged have formed a congenial habit of hard work, love what they are doing and would be really miserable if they were separated from the task and made to twiddle their thumbs in idleness.

What a man's idea of vacation is hard work in a time of sorrow! The work cure for many things is just as important as a rest cure for other things. Work is an antique that has no evil after-effects. "Give me work to do or I shall go crazy," says many a man, whose mind is raw and bleeding from a recent bereavement.

The busy man's idea of vacation is not to water flowers and read the thermometer. You must give his robbing, restless, achieving spirit something to do, you must put it in the way of new ideas to acquire. If you expect him to travel, do not expect him to move with his eyes shut and all his other senses inoperative. Wherever he goes he will be noting a good idea to apply when he gets home.

The real vacation is not sitting like a Hubbard squash in a market, gazing at a man who carries an inquiring disposition where he goes there are no dull times. He sees a drama, whether it be comedy or tragedy, in a railway station or a trolley car or a ferryboat.

The greatest writers of fiction are the clearest observers of fact. Life is just as beautiful and just as interesting as we are willing to let it be; and yet there will always be those to whom living is a dull thing, because they are such selfish, silly people, who do no work and cannot even amuse themselves.

Liverpool Woman Rides Motorcycle at Record Speed

A despatch from London says:—At Wembley Park, a short distance outside of London, an array of men, tailoring over a vast timber and metal strung area of a building under construction for the great Empire exhibition next year.

Fully 2,600 men already hard at work on the grounds, and by next winter that many more will be employed. The contractors are ahead of schedule, and at the present rate it is expected that all the buildings will be finished early in 1924.

The Canadian section will be one of the first completed, probably early in November. But it will be tenanted by the Indian pavilion, which will be done month before, and will constitute the exhibition's finest feature.

One of the most interesting sections will be that of West Africa. It will reproduce the conditions under which the natives live. Four compounds are being erected to house more than seventy picked craftsmen of the Yoruba, Fanti, and Mendi tribes.

Japanese Royal Wedding Will Probably be Postponed

A despatch from Tokio says:—The wedding of Prince Regent Hirohito and Princess Nagako, which was to have taken place in November, may be postponed indefinitely as a result of the earthquake and its accompanying misfortune. It has been learned.

The projected naval manoeuvres have been canceled. The combined Japanese fleet, led by the flagship Nagato, has arrived at Yokohama, and the first, second and third fleets are speedily toward that city.

The losses of Tokio banks have been surprisingly small. The banks are making payments of less than 100 yen, but recouping the right to a moratorium of six days on all demands of more than 100 yen.



THE GUIDING HAND IN ITALY

Italy's need, according to one Italian newspaper which supports Premier Mussolini.—From Il 420, Florence.

Natural Resources Bulletin

The Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa says:

In the interior provinces of Canada the public are accustomed to find on sale and in the more conspicuous places the larger species of fish, such as the halibut, cod, haddock, etc., but down by the sea one of the most useful fish, and the one of which the largest catch is made, is the herring. For the first six months of the present year 81,051,000 pounds of herring was taken. How this enormous quantity was disposed of is interesting: 17,730,000 pounds was consumed fresh, 3,635,200 pounds was smoked, 6,500 barrels were pickled, 7,242,300 pounds was used as fertilizer. Probably the most important use made of the herring, however, was as bait for the larger fish we are familiar with. For this purpose 72,423 barrels, of 200 pounds each, was used. Thus it will be seen that while the herring is one of the smaller fish, it is probably the most important.

SECRET DOCUMENT CAUSES SENSATION

May Help to Justify Mme. Fahmy at Trial for Husband's Murder.

A despatch from London says: Interception of a secret document into the case of Mme. Marie Fahmy, beautiful French woman on trial at the Old Bailey for the shooting of Ali Fahmy, her young Egyptian millionaire husband, may go far toward justifying her act in the eyes of the law.

The document was drawn up by her Commander Edward Griffiths, R.N.R. It read:

"I, Marie Marguerite Fahmy, of full age and sound body and mind, do formally accuse in case of my death, violent or otherwise, Ali Bey Fahmy of having contributed toward my disappearance. Yesterday, at three o'clock in the afternoon, he took his Bible or Koran or whatever it is called, in his hand, kissed it and swore to revenge himself on me to-morrow or in eight days, or in a month or three months, and said that I must disappear by his hand. This oath was taken without any reason, neither jealousy nor any bad conduct on my part."

"I desire and demand justice for myself and my family. To-day he wanted to take my jewelry from me. I refused, hence a fresh scene."

This document, deposited with her attorney and its production in open court made a sensational impression. With it she concluded the evidence, having been on the stand in her own defense through a severe cross-examination for a day and a half.

TOKIO TO RISE FROM ITS ASHES

Drastic Measures Not Only For Restoring But For Further Developing Japanese National Capital.

A despatch from Osaka says: An imperial rescript dealing with the reconstruction of the national capital has been promulgated. After dwelling on the disastrous nature of the earthquake which was characterized as an unprecedented national calamity, the rescript appeals to the nation for a supreme effort and drastic measures to restore confidence and also emphasizes the necessity not only for restoring, but for further developing Tokio, which it says is the political and economical centre of the country and the main source of national civilization.

Tokio, says the rescript, reminds the national capital, although its outward structure is destroyed. It further states that a special organization has been established for the revival of the capital and concludes by calling for a united effort by the Government and the people for the valid support of the suppression of dissident movements and the revival of the national strength.

First Snowstorm of Year in Portage District

Princess of Orleans Wedded in Versailles

A despatch from Portage La Prairie says:—Reports received here Thursday from points south of the Assiniboine River in the Portage district record the first snowstorm of the season. At Oakville and other points south of the river it began to snow during the night and when daylight came it showed to be about two inches on the ground, a real wintry day.

La Rochefoucauld,

Weekly Market Report

TORONTO: Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern

Manitoba barley—Nominal.

All the above, track bay ports.

Am. corn—No. 2 yellow \$1.08.

Barley—Nominal.

Rye—No. 2, nominal.

Wheat—Del., Montreal freights.

bares—Track Bay ports per ton, \$28.

shorts, per ton, \$21; middlings, \$27.

good feed flour, \$2.10.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, nominal.

Hops—30-lb. bags, 11 to 12c per

lb.; 12 to 15c per dozen, \$3.75 to \$4. No. 2, \$3.25 to \$4.50.

Smoked meats—Bacon, med. 27 to

29c; cooked ham, 48 to 46c; smoked

rolls, 22 to 24c; cottage rolls, 23 to

27c; breakfast bacon, 30 to 33c; spe

cial brand breakfast bacon, 34 to 35c;

bacon, 33c; ham, 33c to 35c.

Cured ham—Pork, clear bacon, 50

to 70c; ham, 33c to 35c.

bares, 33c to 35c.

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Lard—Pork, hams, 16 to 16c;

bares, 15c to 17c.

bares, 15c to 16c; parts, 16 to

16c; bacon, 15c to 15c.

Hams—Pork, 33c to 35c; bacon, 33c to

35c; ham, 33c to 35c.

bares, 33c to 35c.