Restrictions For Settlers Detailed

Department Says People of Only One Country Barred

Ottawa.—Any restrictive regulations regarding immigrants to Canada as affecting peoples of Southeastern Europe, do not apply to Polish farmers or those of any other nationality so long as they have the capital to set themselves up on the land, it was stated at the Immigration Department recently in regard to some questions which have been raised.

As a matter of fact, Canada bars the people of only one country—China—and even from its population certain can be admitted. All other nations who want to come in as farmers and have the money to establish themselves, are admitted providing they measure up to the physical standards.

Where a restriction is applied is to single men from those Eastern countries coming in as farm laborers. As a rule they have no capital. They are not excluded but the number who may be brought in is a quota of the previous year. It was much less this year than last—about a third of the former total—and the same rule will be applied next year.

The experience, it is claimed, was that many, so admitted, either failed to go to the land or else drifted back to the cities after a sojourn in rural parts. Families, materially equipped, may, as stated, come in unhindered if physically sound.

The number of Mennonites seeking admission to Canada was first placed at a thousand families but it is now thought to be double that number. A new development in the situation is the intervention of Dr. Nansen, who is in charge of refugee work for the League of Nations. He has interested himself on behalf of the distressed people and the German Government did previously.

The information here is to go slowly. The situation might be different had there been a bigger crop in the West, but though grading high, it is lacking in volume and conditions are not favorable to an influx of people at a season when their relations have no work to put them at. No decision has been reached pending negotiations with the Prairie Governments but the outlook for a Mennonite movement before spring, if there is any movement at all, is not now very promising.

Relief Extract Found in Seed Of Watermelon

High Blood Pressure Lessened by Cucurbocitrin, Recent Test Indicate

San Francisco.—The lowly watermelon seed has come into its own. Recent experiments tend to show that an extract from these annoying appendages of an otherwise delightful dessert offers dependable relief for many cases of hypertension or high blood pressure.

Drug Called Cucurbocitrin.

The technical name of the watermelon seed is Cucurbita citrullus. The extract found by Dr. Barksdale has been named cucurbocitrin. In medical terms this extract is characterized as a physiologically active glucoside saponin. In plain English it is a drug which when given to patients suffering from high blood pressure, a frequent trouble of people approaching old age reduces the pressure of blood coming from the heart by more than ten millimeters in 73 per cent. of the cases. In thirty-nine patients showing symptoms definitely traceable to high blood pressure relief by use of cucurbocitrin was obtained by 82 per cent. of the cases.

Drs. Althausen and Kerr carried out their tests chiefly in the clinic of the university treating a group of forty patients ranging from twenty-eight to seventy-seven year old of whom thirty were more than forty years old.

Takes Effect Immediatly

They found that cucurbocitrin has an immediate lowering effect on the pressure of the blood proportional to the size of the dose taken. They found that continued treatment brought continued relief but that better results were obtained, on an average, with younger patients, and with those who had been suffering the shorter length of time.

Vote "Wet" to Secure Trade

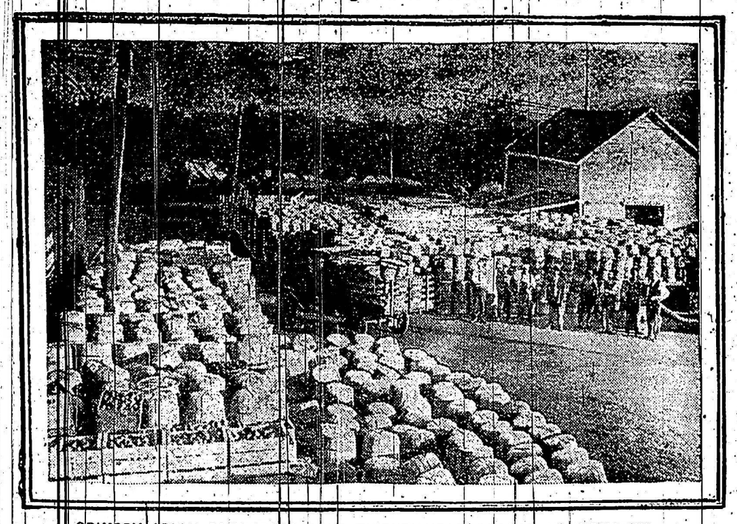
Greenwood, B.C.—Within a few months it is probable that British Columbia will all be wet following the plebiscite here that decided by more than four to one in favor of beer parlors.

Greenwood voted dry during the plebiscite which placed this province in the wet column, but residents after seeing how trade and tourist traffic favored towns that voted wet decided to try to share in the increasing prosperity of wet centres.

Hubby: "Well, what was there to Mrs. Jones' evening gown?"

Wife: "Very little besides style, my dear."

If Boxed and Sent to England or Toronto. What?



GRIMSBY APPLE CANNERY CRACKS TWENTY-YEAR RECORD IN INDUSTRY

Twenty thousand bushels of apples in yards of Grimsby canning plant. This season this firm will can over million and a quarter pounds of apples, record for over 20 years in Grimsby and apples 5¢ each at Toronto.

Machines Open New Farm Era, Engineers Told

Labor Reduced, Production is Increased, Social Changes Brought by Science in Agriculture

Tokio.—Agriculture is becoming mechanized rapidly and the use of mechanical power on the farm marks distinctly the beginning of an engineering epoch, said Professor H. B. Walker, of Davis, Calif., addressing the first world's engineering congress here on the subject of "Engineering as Applied to Agriculture." Professor Walker, head of the agricultural engineering division of the University of California, is representing the university on the American Society of Agricultural Engineers at the congress.

"Engineering in agriculture related to the engineering problems of an industry," said Professor Walker. "In this respect it is similar to mining engineering, but in practice it must differ, since the basic sciences in agriculture are largely biological. For this reason an appreciation by the engineer of the importance of the biological sciences is essential.

Move Gains Impetus.

"Engineering in agriculture has attained great impetus through the extensive use of mechanical power. This has influenced the urban and rural population ratios. In colonial days more than 90 per cent. of the people were directly dependent upon agriculture in contrast to 24 per cent. to-day.

"There have been three distinct power epochs in the agriculture of this nation, viz., human, animal and mechanical. The first was characterized by hard work and little social progress for the worker. The second marked the beginning of the machinery age in agriculture, resulting in the breaking down of traditions and the beginning of scientific agriculture. The third period, just beginning, is exerting a great influence on production methods, as well as on the social environments of the worker. It is distinctly an engineering epoch.

Animal Power Wanes.

"Animal power reached its peak of application in the United States about 1918. The rate of decrease in such power is rapid, amounting to practically 500,000 animals a year.

"Agriculture is becoming mechanized rapidly. Statistics in the United States show that in 1921 16,000,000,000 horse-power hours were used by farmers, 16 per cent. of which was supplied by steam and gas tractors. In 1923 18,000,000,000 horsepower hours were utilized, 23 per cent. of which was supplied by steam and gas tractors. The total number of farm tractors in 1921 was 150,000, increasing to 708,825 in 1923. Similar trends in agricultural power are taking place in Canada, Argentina, Australia and British South Africa.

Politicians and Their Responsibilities

Louisville Courier-Journal: Let the law impute to a candidate responsibility for what his representatives at an election do in his behalf and punish any who presume to act for him without his consent. The candidate is entitled to protection against the conduct of volunteers; but he stands in the relation of principal to agent with reference to his own chosen representatives. A man in business is bound by the actions of those he empowers to represent him in a transaction, though they may be unfaithful to him and disobey instructions. Their actions are his actions. The law wouldn't permit a business man to receive the benefit of their misconduct and disclaim the obligations and responsibilities attached to their methods. There is no justice in applying a more liberal rule to politicians than to business men. Election laws should be revised to conform to the theory that it is not a private competition between individuals for the power and emoluments of office, but a public affair in which the interests of the people are superior to those of the individuals concerned.

"They say Auction Bridge is responsible for a lot of nervous breakdowns."

"I know it. It won't be long before we'll have to go to an asylum for a really good game."

SHARING HAPPINESS

There is no greater mistake than that made by the man who is selfishly seeking any kind of happiness at the expense of others. If he search for it through his whole life he will never find it. To diminish the welfare of his neighbors will add no mite to his own store. On the contrary, happiness increases as it is shared, and diminishes as it is selfishly grasped.

We read in a big daily that the Japanese want the submarine retained "as an instrument of naval warfare." We wonder why, when they could commit hari kari.

Big German Plane Overturns in Sea

Rohrbach-Romar Seaplane Turns Turtle When Starting Flight

Berlin.—One of the three great Rohrbach-Romar type seaplanes, exceeded in size only by the Dornier DO-X, came to grief near Travemuende on the Baltic recently, in its first attempt to fly to Spain.

After being towed from Travemuende to Groetmitz, the machine's propellers were set in motion by 6.30 a.m. Everything went smoothly until half an hour later, when the hydroplane started ploughing its way through the rather choppy waters of Lubeck Bay. After travelling a few yards, it turned turtle before it gathered sufficient momentum to rise into the air. The crew were able to save themselves only with the greatest difficulty. The plane was later towed back, keel uppermost, to Travemuende by tugboats.

The accident occurred at approximately the same spot where another Rohrbach-Romar flying boat sank on Sept. 11 in 60 feet of water after crashing from a height of 100 feet. The 12 passengers and crew in that accident also escaped.

The machine which met with this last disaster passed its trial flights a year ago last August. Seventy-two feet long, it was designed to accommodate 12 passengers and a crew of five. On July 2, with its two sister ships, it was taken over by the Lufthansa Company for a projected trans-Atlantic service by stages between Europe and South America.

ISOLATION

The evil of isolation belongs not exclusively to the one transcendent genius, or to the favored few who have gained the highest eminences of thought or labor; those who have advanced only a little way beyond their acquaintance in literary, artistic, or scientific attainments, are not a little proud of their acquisitions, and sometimes set up for much greater people than they really are; they claim privileges to which they have but a very slender title, if any, and becomes boastful, presumptuous, and overbearing.—Dickens.

WISHES

Happy the man who learns the very wide chasm that lies between his wishes and his powers.—Goethe.

Hotel Garage Man (to fussy little baby car owner who has been giving him very minute instructions): "Awl right, awlright—I'll see it's refilled, and washed, and polished, and if yer like, I'll 'ave it left outside yer bedroom door with yer boots in the mornin'!"

Canada to Show Goods to World

Will Exhibit at British Fair and at Buenos Ayres

Ottwa.—A meeting of representatives of Canadian Pacific Railway, Canadian National Railway, Canadian National Steamships, Canadian Manufacturers Association and other bodies has been called by H. C. T. O'Hara, deputy minister of Trade and Commerce, to confer with J. O. Turcotte, exhibition commissioner, at Buenos Ayres, with a view to furthering plans for the participation of the Dominion in the Buenos Ayres trade fair to be held early in 1931.

Questions regarding freight rates and the assembling and shipment of exhibits will be dealt with, and Mr. O'Hara states that already the Department has received assurances of hearty co-operation from manufacturers and exporters throughout the country to make Canada's part in the exhibition productive.

Britain's recent negotiation of a trade treaty with Argentina, and Canada's subsidized steamship service to the River Plate, are other indications of the British endeavor to take every possible advantage of the growing commercial opportunities in South America, where already there is a most favorable public sentiment. A strong movement originated by the powerful Argentine Rural Society, composed largely of the wealthy ranchers and farmers of Argentina, to encourage the buying of goods from those who buy from the Argentine Republic, is also a big factor in favor of Canadian and British business.

Plans are now being prepared by Mr. Turcotte for a Canadian building at the Buenos Ayres exhibition, and a considerable sum will be provided by the Dominion Government for this purpose. Following the meeting to be held here, a circular will be sent to Canadian manufacturers and exporters informing them of the shipping facilities to be available, also the exhibit space to be placed at their disposal.

Australian Budget Springs Surprise

Graded Super-tax on Incomes to Make Up Big Deficit Will Make Living High

Canberra, Australia.—A dynamite bombshell was exploded when Hon. E. G. Theodore, commonwealth treasurer presented the new Labor government's budget. Henceforth the government will levy a supertax on incomes, varying from 2½ per cent. of incomes above $1,000 to 22½ per cent. on incomes over $50,000.

Increased duties are imposed on cigars, textiles, metal manufactures, motorcar bodies and other parts and motor chassis.

There was no time to prepare an entirely new budget statement and therefore he had to accept some of the proposals laid down by his predecessor in the Bruce government, Mr. Theodore stated.

As the former government left a deficit of $10,000,000 he would have to get $6,000,000 more from customs and excise, and the remainder from the supertax, Mr. Theodore explained. The new government, he continued in making the statement to the house of representatives, was convinced there were defects in the present system of credit control. These militated against the best use being made of credit resources. The organization of credit, which was one of the nation's great services, would therefore be controlled by national institutions.

The government would also consider shortly remodelling the commonwealth bank to increase its scope, the treasurer said. He was unable to make any provision or liquidation of the accumulated deficits of former governments. "We inherited an empty treasury but we do not view the future pessimistically," he said.

When starting in to paint old furniture, get an extra can of paint to finish off the few spots on the floor you miss.—Life.

Canada Timber Near Depletion, Commons Told

Forest Resources Due to Fail in 30 Years, British Parliament is Warned

London.—The House of Commons has unanimously approved a resolution that "the present shortage of commercial soft wood timber demands the serious attention of his majesty's government." It was moved by Sir George Courthope, Conservative, who called attention to the serious shortage of timber resources within the empire.

Every unit of the empire except Canada depended on imported wood, Sir George said. Britain imported 97 per cent. of her requirements. Canada's forest resources, at the rate they were being used up, would not last more than thirty years.

Puts United States in Same Position

He thought the United States would exhaust her timber supplies in about the same time, and then she would compete in Europe with Great Britain, which was already buying 97 per cent. of its requirements from Europe.

"The effect of such competition on prices is best left to the imagination."

Britain's Forestry Commission, completing its twentieth year, has planted 140,000 acres of soft wood and 6,000 acres of hard woods. Private companies and municipalities have dealt with another 60,000 acres and about 23,000 acres are planted annually.

Greatest Program in World

Sir George said that this was the planting program of any country in the world, and urged the government to promote and expedite search. He emphasized that limitation should be placed on rapid examination of timber in parts of the empire.

W. R. Smith, parliamentary to the Board of Trade, [illegible] the extent of the empire [illegible]

Mr. Baxton, minister of [illegible] London daily newspaper [illegible] 100,000 a year of wood [illegible] placed.

Afforestation had a prominent place in the [illegible] programme. Mr. Baxton continued the next decade they [illegible] to spend $15,000,000 for planting 100 acres. The Conservative [illegible]

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An educational campaign [illegible] the life of the country's [illegible] ply is also being conducted [illegible] partment stated, and a [illegible] provement in this direction [illegible] noted.

The Stock Market and the Tariff

Springfield Republican: [illegible] fact is that, whatever [illegible] the cause of the stock [illegible] lapse, the business and [illegible] tion' has been so far [illegible] tariff revision should [illegible] point of view considered [illegible] from the earlier point of [illegible] determined just how the [illegible] islation should be [illegible] tured. The situation [illegible] changed even since the [illegible] threw the Republican [illegible] September. To [illegible] tariff bill would be a leap [illegible] Time is now needed for [illegible] tion of the securities market [illegible] a careful and dependable [illegible] of the new economic factors [illegible] shaped conditions not [illegible] cerned before any new [illegible] tion affecting seriously [illegible] the finance of the country [illegible] judiciously undertaken. [illegible] with this judgment the President [illegible] be expected to ignore the [illegible] coming annual message, [illegible] if that legislation on [illegible] mended by him [illegible] not been [illegible]

Little Ab[illegible] [illegible] tendency was [illegible] to deliver something [illegible] nature study, which he [illegible]

"The man who [illegible] hen

Must be a real [illegible]

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I always get the [illegible]

W. H. Stayton the anti-prohibition leader was criticizing in Boston the methods of certain prohibition officers. "These methods are sinister," said Mr. Stayton. "They make me mistrustful. They remind me of the dry missionary. This missionary, you know, made, one day, a tour of inspection in a model box factory. 'What's the big idea, anyhow?' one factory hand said to another when the missionary started on his rounds. The second gave a cynical laugh and answered: "It seems somebody told him the girls work in shifts."

Sunday School Lesson

[illegible] 25. Lesson XI—The Christ[illegible] Ministry—Deuteronomy [illegible] Thessalonians 6: 5-9; 1 [illegible] Golden Text—As [illegible] should do to you, [illegible] likewise.—Luke [illegible]

[illegible] TIONS—[illegible] no demand for justice [illegible] times in the Bible, [illegible] prophets it becomes [illegible] with the demand [illegible] righteousness in all the [illegible] the poor man who [illegible] very is not forgotten [illegible] Exod. 21: 1-6; [illegible] There was a time [illegible] when to hold a man [illegible] only as a [illegible] 40. The freemen [illegible] revolted against [illegible] of forced labor and [illegible] them by Solomon in [illegible] enterprises, 1 Kings [illegible] Jeremiah used strong [illegible] against another king [illegible] Jehoiakim's service with[illegible] [illegible] him not for his [illegible] Micah rebukes the [illegible] house of Israel that [illegible] an pervert all [illegible] up Zion with blood, [illegible] iniquity," (ch. 3: [illegible] Micah has strong words [illegible] princes who, he says, [illegible] devouring the prey, to [illegible] destroy souls, to get [illegible] ch. 22: 27. The [illegible] rulers selfish and hard[illegible] in words that [illegible] of the laborers, who [illegible] your fields, which is [illegible] by fraud, crieth; and [illegible] which have reaped [illegible] the cars of the Lord [illegible] And Peter de[illegible] spirit which should [illegible] as all other relations [illegible] "Be ye all of one mind, [illegible] one another, love [illegible] courteous." [illegible]

[illegible] Exod. 1: [illegible] 11, 15; Amos [illegible] 16, 17.

[illegible] could never [illegible] based hominem [illegible] treatment by Pharaoh [illegible] in their memory [illegible] oppressive [illegible] in the land [illegible] had been made [illegible] Bad made [illegible] have pondered [illegible] Pharaoh [illegible] the Jews. We [illegible] 5: 1-19. [illegible] remembrance [illegible] was that it [illegible] debate, in after years [illegible] subject to the [illegible] Deut. 5: 14, 15; [illegible] 24: 18-22. A [illegible] law protection [illegible] who [illegible] the wage [illegible] Deut. 24: 1, 15, [illegible] has liberal [illegible] simply that [illegible] part [illegible]

[illegible] Wages, Matt. 20: [illegible]

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[illegible] NO SERVANT, [illegible] 12: 1-9; Eph. [illegible]

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