

"Lone E" hopes that all the Lone Scouts of Ontario will have a very Happy and Prosperous New Year! What will be YOUR New Year Res lution for 1932? If you are already a Scout, he hopes that you will re solve to make your Scout Programm full of activity and advancement, and if you are NOT a member of the Boy Scouts Association, he hopes that

without delay. In any case, Good Scouting to you all!

PATROL NEWS.

We are glad to hear from Lone; Scout Dalton Woodward of Canning-ton to the effect that the Lonies in place have organized themselves into the "Owi" Patrol. If they use Into the "Owi" Patrol. If they use the wisdom popularly attributed to that well-known bird, we know that the "Owi" Patrol will be a success. We wish them lots of fun and good

The "Hounds" at Milford still continue to do good work, and they keep "On the trail" through thick and thin. We notice that they turned out in full force to a Remembrance Day Parade recently.

The Patrol at Lucan will soon be a Assistant Scoutmaster, who has started in to acquaint himself with the Tenderfoot and Second Class Tests Good work, Lucan Lonies:

SCOUTS BECOME DOCTORS.

Records at Dominion Headquarters, Ottawa, show that 50,830 Canadian Boy Scouts have taken First Aid Training, and 15,631 have qualified for the Advanced First Aid "Ambulance

The diversified training which the The diversified training which the Boy Scout Programme gives to a boy for membership in the Lone Scouts frequently enables him to decide on the career for which he is most fitted. the career for which he is most fitted.

BOY SCOUT COWBOY.

When unable to capture a hors tawa District Boy Scout Headquartpromptly succeeded in lassoing the horse. This farmer had seen an ex-

hibition of Scout Larlat work at the Ottawa Fair.

FIRST AID FOR DOGS. Whilst a Lonie's First Aid training s not primarily intended for use in nimals it works just as well.

you will resolve to join the great splints, used a handkerchief and World-Wide Brotherhood of Scouts necktie for bandages, and carried the necktie for bandages, and carried the dog to a veterinary, where the leg was placed in a cast. We believe that Doggie is well on the road to recovery.

> ANOTHER WORLD JAMBOREE Arrangements are being made for some 25,000 Boy Scouts from 45 countries to attend the next World Scon Jamboree in Hungary in 1933. The Jamboree will be held at Godollo, the former estate of the late Empore Francis Joseph L, which has been placed at the disposal of the Scouts by Admiral Horthy, the Regent of Hangary. We wonder if any Ontario Lone

> Scouts will be there? The Camp equipment of a certain

The Camp equipment of a Alberta Scout Troop this summer included a cow. She went along to the "Safe Milk" problem. We The Patrol at Lucan will soon be a solve the "Safe Milk" problem. We full-fledged Troop, we think. They have already recruited themselves an Assistant Scoutments where the morning to milk her? to milk her?

SCOUT STATUES. Two Foy Scout Statues appear over a corner window of the new Govern-ment "Confederation Block" at Ottawa. They commemorate public serv ice rendered by Scouts, including the location of decoration of the graves of the Fathers of Confederation for the Diamond Jubilee of 1927.

Returns which are coming in to For quite a number of Scouts this Lone Scout Headquarters at Toronto training has proven the first step to show that these columns are being read with interest by many boys

If you are not already a Scout and would like to be one, why not write at once to the Lone Scout Department, Boy Scouts Association, 330 that had been on range all summer, Bay Street, Toronto. They will be an Ontario farmer applied to the Ot- glad to send you particulars. Lone tawa District Boy Scout Headquart-ers for a Scout roping expert. The towns and villages and on rural boy was taken out to the farm and routes, where there is no regular Scout Troop.

A bicycle dealer has utilized the

happy thought of presenting a pair of

A fashionable young lady accidental

At a recent duel near Vicksburg, the

Jawson: "How did your autor

Dawson: "Beautifully! Although

ran over two pedestrians and three

bicycles and knocked two wagons into

At a certain theatre not long age

a gentleman asked a lady friend in front of him if she had any objection

to removing her Gainsborough. She had not, and gladly obliged him. The

podge, and after the first act the gen

ileman said, "Thank you greatly, but

won't you please replace your Gains borough? I prefer the hat." There

have been a good many times in a long

theatrical experience, when a disclaim

jured, and I arrived just on time."

ourney turn out

"LONE E." smashed a \$50 mirror in attempting to climb upon the bureau.

Jokes of the Past

A celebrated dandy was one evening in company with a young lady, and ob-serving her kindler favorite poodle he advanced an I bogged the like favor, remarking that she ought to have as remarking that she ought to had she had shown to the dog. "Sir." said the belle. "I never kissed my dog when he belle. "I never kissed my dog when he self: "Confoundedly ridiculous fashion." much charity 101 m... shown to the dog. "Sir." said the to go home. belle, "I never kissed my dog when he self: "Confoundedly ridiculous fasmon, was a puppy." The fellow took the those trains in the street! Make a man look like a fool, cutting up such man look

John Bull has a rooted objection to everything "new fangled." When the Act was passed requiring owners of "common stage-carts" to place their crutches and a box of court plaster to names upon their vehicles in letters of each purchaser of a bicycle. He is a given size, by a curious oversight monopolizing the trade.—Dec., 1886, no clause was inserted to secure that these names should be legible, and every advantage was taken of the cir-cumstance to circumvent the new law. In her opera box the other evening. A wag of a baker at Guildford, in Sur- and greatly frightened her beau, who, rev. scattered his name all over the on seeing it, thought it was his mous cart, placing a letter in each panel.

The most ingenious device, however. was that adopted by an Acton man.

What he was required to put on his parties discharged their pistols withcart was "Amos Todd, Acton: a stage- out effect, whereupon one of the sec-cart." He re-grouped the letters in onds interposed, and proposed that such wise that they read: "A most the combatants should shake hands

A young lady said to her lover: "William, how far is it around the world?" "About twenty inches, my larling," replied he, as his around the world?" "About twenty inches, my circled her waist .- Dec., 1881.

A fashionable lady witness fainted deed away while giving her testimony. a ditch, my motor was not at all inand the doctor who was summoned said it resulted from her corset being April, 1901. too light. The incident was very properly entered upon the minutes of the case as "a stay in the proceedings."-Feb., 1883.

A man will carry twenty sovereigns in his waistcoat pocket, but a woman needs a morocco purse as large as play proved to be a miserable hodge one's fist, and too heavy to be carried in the pocket, to escort five shillings, a couple of postage stamps, a recipe for making curry-powder, and two patterns of dress goods.-Feb, 1882.

E333 are cheap in the Shetland Is lands. A young man went there, and after a day's walking thought he would like some dinner. They had nothing but eggs at the house. He said, "Bring 1? ats worth." They brought two dozen and told him the others would come presently .- Aug., 1882.

"Someone has sugget 'ed that if the inventor of the phonograph would bring out a little machine to be attached to the door which would say when the landlord called for the rent "Come again next month!" it would have a good sale. So it would: and it he wanted a name for it he might It the postphonograph.—Sept., 1832.

Two brave young ladies, whilst alone one evening recently, were re hearsing how they would dispatch a burglar if one suddenly appeared in the room. One of the heroines was armed with her brother; sword, and the other flourished a hatchet. In the midst of a rehearsal a "frightful monster" in the shape of a mouse rar across the floor, when one of the girls incontinently fainted and the other

At a recent dinner party in Paris the host provided a novelty which may, possibly, become a feature of dinner parties in the electric age. Beside each plate was a telephone, which was connected with a distant salva, where a superb orchestra was playing. The guests were thus able, between the urses, to pass the time pleasantly in listening to good music instead of making obvious remarks about the weather.—Aug., 1832.

ing critic would much "prefer the hat."

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When a Winnipeg Scout's collie was

run over by a truck and had a leg
broken, his young owner improvised
br the knob. If you do not get an ans wer in fifteen of twenty minutes, push it again."—Sept., 1333.

New Invention May Eliminate Explosion

Device Perfected by O. A. C. Professor May End Threshing Blaze

Hamilton.-After many years of ex perimental work, the professor of phy sics at the Ontario Agricultural College. Guelph, has perfected a contrivance for testing threshing machine which will practically eliminate the danger of fire, providing certain pre-cautionary measures are carried out, Fire Marshal Heaton announced during the special Wentworth fire inquiry at Rockton.

The mechanical device has been in the possession of officials of the University of Toronto for some considerable time, and has been found to be satisfactory after thorough inspection. Mr. Heaton said that efforts were made to have the product available for the present threshing season romised that the apparatus would be available early next year. The attach-

ment records operations of the separ-

ator, and detects defects which might result seriously. Static electricity within the blowe was the cause of many Ontario farm fires last year, Fire Marshal Heaton added. Just what caused this peculiar condition he could not say, but the feeling has been expressed that ma-chines should be grounded. The official thought the speed of the mechan ism within the separator might pro duce the current, and said that it many places officials had demande that ground connections be made, re

gardless of whether threshing was done inside the barn or in the fields. The fire marshal suggested that it might be advisable for farmers to thresh in the field rather than run the risk of losing their barns, and said Gentleman (who has stepped upon her dress): "A thousand pardons, madam." Lady (pleasantly): "It's of no consequence, sir." What she said of him: "Awkward, stupid fellow! My tors into the barns, and expressed the matter are all torn out and I've roll continue that some other means should wather are all torn out and I've roll continue that some other means should opinion that some other means should be found to haul separators.



Bessie-"What do you think of higher education?" Bert-"It's all right, except in the colleges where they let it take up too much time from football prac-

TOUGH JOB

Los Angeles. - Police were faced with one of the toughest jobs they've had for a long time—but it wasn't any tougher than that of the thieves they were sent out to capture. The crooks had stolen seven pet skunks belonging to R. N. Bawman, and the cops were sent out to locate and bring back the animals. Gas masks were part of the equipment taken along.

Uninvited Guest

A policeman dashed into a church rhile a wedding was in progress.
"Is there a man called Dashington Binks being married here today?' he asked the verger. "He's being married now,"

the reply.
"Well, I have a warrant for arrest," said the officer. Friends of the bridegroo side of the right-hand

Chicago's Leading Girl and Boy



Mary Rico of Keewatin, Minn., and Charles Brown of Battle Ground, Ind., with Sir Thomas Lipton trophy cups awarded at 4-H club congress in Chicago as "outstanding girl and boy."

Arctic Route Declared

Most Practical Air Link London.-The Arctic route is the ost practical air link between Great Britain and North America, according to H. G. Watkins, leader of the British Artic air-route expedition. Winnipeg would be the Canadian terminus of the route, although he declared it would be some time before it could be used com-mercially because of the lack of geographical and meteorological know edge.

From London, the most likely route would lie over Northern Scotland, the Faroe Islands, Iceland and across Greenland about the latitude of the Arctic circle. From that point the route would be over the lower portion route would be over the lower portion of Baffin Island and down the west side of Hudson Bay to Winnipeg. Over the entire route there would be no sea jump longer than 700 miles.

The Canadian end of the route has een investigated thoroughly, said Mr. Watkins, bu the central portion is particularly inaccessible. The east coast of Greenland is mapped only roughly and knowledge of flying weather and conditions in that region is practically negligible.

In the Air

A well-known bishop was giving eligious address from the London broadcasting studio. His peroration concluded: "... And if we obey these laws ... we shall all meet in Heaven"

The listeners were surprised to hear, lmost without a pause-"I don't think!" It seems that the bishop, immediate

ly on concluding his address, turned to the announcer and said, "I don't hink I spoke too long, did I?" but the announcer did not "fade out" until the words: "I don't think—" had been transmitted.

There came a knock at the don The cottager opened it. "Good morning!" said the shabbily dressed visitor. "Is it here that you are offering a reward for a lost dog?" "Yes," said the cottager anxiously. "I'm offering ten shillings. Can it be that you have news-of my poor little Fide?" The other shook his head. "No, not yet," he replied. "But as I was just going in search of the dog I thought you might let me have a little on account.

A sportsman who was a very bad shot but very free with his tips, was one day accompanied by a keeper who was anxious to keep on good terms with him. Soon after they were posted a rabbit appeared about ten yards in front of them. Bang, bang, went the sportsman's gun, but the rabbit darted away. "Did I hit it?" asked the sportsman "Wall it it?" asked the sportsman. "Well, sir," replied the keeper thoughtfully, "I couldn't exactly say you hit 'im, but I never seed a rabbit wuss scared!"

Brass Brain" May **Predict Weather**

By Recording Changes in Strength of Sun Rays

Washington.-The goal of succes ful long-distance weather forecasting may be brought nearer through the inention of a "brass brain" designed to figure changes in the sun's heat.

The "Brain" was exhibited for the first time at the annual meeting

regents of the Smithsonian Institu-It was invented by Dr. Charles G.

Abbot, secretary of the Smithsonian, and calculates and evaluates changes in the amounts of radiation or heat to the earth from the sun, on which all life depends.

The radiation apparently rises and falls over regular cycles. Dr. Abbot says these cycles seem to be the cause of changes in the weathr.

Tasty Bait

The city visitor was supercilious and fensively amused at its rustic simplicity. In the course of his meander ings he came upon a native fishing in a stream. The old fellow was gazing intently at an apple which dangled from the end of his line.

The city man approached.
"I say, old fellow, what are you do ing there?" he asked, obvious!

"Fishin'," said the native, withou looking up.
"Well, what's the apple for?"

"Bait? Aren't you using a worm

"Well, where is it?" "In the apple."

Spain Projects Tunnel To Connect With Africa

Madrid.—A decree creating a gov-ernmental commission to study pro-posals for a-tunnel to connect Spain with the African coast has been apuel Azana.

The tunnel would be inder the Straits of Gibralter, according to plans which have been dis cussed unofficially. Like the proposal for a railroad tunnel under the Brit sh Channel, connecting the Britis Isles with the Continent, the Gibralta scheme has been studied by engineer for many years but never has been seriously contemplated by the govern ment.

Half Moose, Half Elk

The first known specimen of a cross between a moose and an elk was recently killed in the Deerlodge National Forest, in Bear Gulch. The animal ha body and horns that were half elk and half moose, and was known by United States forest rangers as "the elk with the funny horns."

Millions Signing For Disarmament

Mammoth Petition Circulating Throughout World Gains Headway

London.-A gigantic disarmam declaration, launched in all five con-tinents by the Women's International League, is gathering momentum a the day for the world conference on this great question approaches.

London is supplying 4,000 signatures daily to the document, which is de-signed to provide sufficient head of steam to drive the statesmen of the world forward on the path of peace. Every adult in a village in Montgomeryshire. Wales, has signed. So has the entire population of several frontier villages in France.

The league section in Tunis has ren dered the document into Arabic and is hard at work collecting signature among the natives. India, Japan, Indo-China, among the eastern countries, are participating.

In Canada the goal of 500,000 signa-tures appears in sight. A transcon tinental caravan tour which traversed the United States has visited 125 cities in 25 states and collected 125,000 sig-

Holland, where the press has circu lated a slightly different petition, has quickly amassed 2,500,000 signatures The whole population only numbers 8,000,000.

With less than two months before the Disarmament Conference is due to begin, the league is redoubling its energies throughout the 45 countries in which the petition has been circulated. The declaration on disarma-ment which the friends of peace are asked to sign came into being at a meeting of the Women's International League at Prague in August, 1929. It runs as follows:

The undersigned men and women rrespective of party, stand for world disarmament.

"They are convinced that competition in armaments is leading all countries to ruin, without bringing them security; that this policy renders further wars inevitable; that wars in the future will be wars of indiscriminate destruction of human life; that the governments' assurances of peaceful policy will be valueless so long as those measures of disarmament are delayed that should be the first result of the Pact for the Renunciation of War."

1,200 Species of Bird Life Habitants of N. America

There are more than 1,200 known birds on the North American continent. Scientists have now found and recorded the eggs of all of these speies. The last to be found were those of the Harris sparrow. That bird is so clever at concealing its nest and eggs that ornithologists were unable to find either despite more than 100 years of searching. Dr. George Sutton, Pitts-burgh ornithologist, however, wouldn't give up the search. He led an expedi-The city visitor was supercilious and tion into the ley wastes on the western inquisitive. He was wandering about shore of Hudson Bay. There some 40 the little country town, noisily and of miles north Churchill, Manitoba, he discovered several nests and eggs the elusive Harris sparrow. nest, he reported, contained five tiny eggs smaller than those of the robin. They are pale green in color, with mottled brown marbling. Most of them were found in small bushes near the ice.—"Animal Life."

Millionaire Class Shows

Big Shrinkage in States New York.—A decrease of 23,496 in the millionaire list is shown according to a report issued by the U.S Treasury Department. In 1923 statis tics showed 43,184, while after the stock market collapse the number had shrivelled to 38,650.

And last year, so heavy were the inroads made by the depression, only a mere 19,633 were left. The Treasury Department defines

nillionaire as a person with an income of \$50,000 a year, representing at 5 per cent. a capitalization of \$1,009,000.

Throwing further light on the tre mendous losses suffered by the rich. the statistics show that while 511 persons had incomes of \$1,000,000 or more

Dogged!

in 1928, there were only 149 in this

category in 1930.

The housewife answered the door bell's ring. At her heels were two poodles. A policeman stood on the

step.
"I see you have a couple of dogs," ie remarked. "Have you licenses fo

"Oh, no," she replied, "they're too roung."

The poodles frisked round the po liceman, and he patted them. "Nice, friendly little things, aren't "Yes. You'd never think they were

, mother and dau The summons arrived in due time.

Sunday School Lesson

Spread of Christianity in Europe Isalah 11: 1-10. Golden Text-The kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of his Christ; and he shall reign for ever and ever.—Revelation 11: 15.

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For six months we have been following the studies of the spread of Christianity after the departure of Jesus. In the resurrection the little band of followers became aware of the living and eternal Christ and they weat everywhere spreading the message and the power of his gospel. As we have looked again upon the faith and the cou.age of these early followers of Christ, and realize something of the price they paid in new outlooks and heroic endeavors, risking and sacrificing all that they had, we feel that we have entered into a rich heritage indeed. We are constrained to ask ourselves whether we have been as faithful witnesses.

The past Quarter's lessons nave shown us Christianity moving out into new areas, the extension of the missionary activity of the church to include Europe. Help the class to see the enlargement of view as well as of area that has taken place. This part of the review you might gather up under the heading, "Jewish vs. Universal Christianity." Recall with the group the Judaizing tendency of a certain group. They egarded Christianity at first as exclusively for Jews and within the Jewish church. When did this idea get its first challenge? Recall Peter at Joppa. But who was the real champion of the larger view? It was Paul who "tore the gospel from its Jewish soil and rooted it in the soil of humanity." Call to mind his experience on his first and second missionar; journeys and his call into Europe. Review the circumstances of his praching in Philippi, Thessalonica, Berea, and Corinth. Note especially that Paul was demonstrating all the while that Gentiles could enter into the faith and life in Christ equally with Jews and it was not necessary for them to accept the unfamiliar ceremonial of Judaism in order to be good Christians. But it was very hard for the Jews to see this, as is evidenced by the bitterness with which they opposed Paul and the Gentile mission. The matter of consequence is that the Christian gospel demonstrated itself as a universal gospel rather than for a mereiy Jewish sec

class attempt to estimate what we to Paul in this.

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Another topic for discussion might be "Three Jerusalem Councils." Have some one tell of the first, where Paul and Barnabas came to report on the Gentile response to the Gospel and to get the council's approval and assurance of a tolerant attitude toward Gentile Christians. Some one else may tell of Paul's last visit to Jerusalem and the attitude of the council and of the Jewish community. Then have another tell of the Jerusalem Conference in 1928, when representatives another tell of the Jerusalem Confer-ence in 1958, when representatives from all the continents took counsel together on the basis of racial equal-ity and human brotherhood. How far was Paul's thought of the universal-ity of the gospel vindicated by this, last conference? How much of the old recial antinethy are contained.

ast conference: How much of the old racial antipathy and sectarian narrowness has still to be overcome?

Onother interesting topic for discussion here would be Philemon's Reply to Paul's Letter, taking for granted that Philemon was as good a Christian as Paul believed him to be.

Historic Expeditions

Two scientific expeditions are now earthing for the fossil bones of strange animals that once lived in Montana and Idaho. The Montana expedition is hunting for the bones of distant ancestors of the camel and rhinoceros that lived there millions of years ago. Under the direction of Dr. Charles W. Gilmore, of the National Museum, this party also has an eye open for the bones of animals that no onger exist The other expedition under the direction of N. H. Boss, also of the National Museum, is centering ts operations in the Snake River Valley of Idaho. There it is seeking the lossil remains of an extinct species of horse believed to be the link" between modern horses and the three-tood steed of ancient times.

The Dole in Australia

Sydney Bulletin: "The dole will not last long. In effect it means that hose who are in work have to main tain those who are out of work; and the time will inevitably come when those who are carrying the burden will tell those who are unemployed to get work and support themselves.

That virtue which requires to be ever guarded is scarcely worth the sentinel.



