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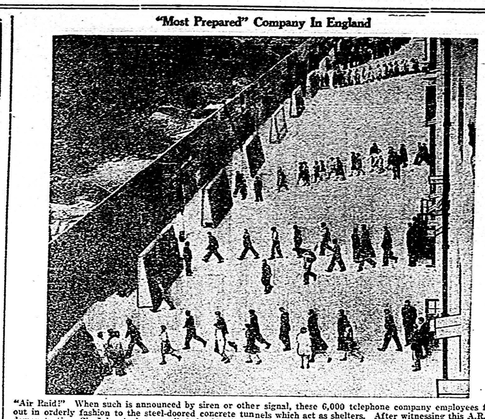

"Air Raid!" When such is announced by siren or other signal, there 6,000 telephone company employees file out in orderly fashion to the steel-doored concrete tunnels which act as shelters. After witnessing this A.R.P. demonstration Sir John Anderson called the Standard Telephones and Cables Ltd., the "most prepared" firm in London.

ROYAL AIR FORCE: On the anniversary of Louis Blériot's history-making flight across the English Channel thirty years ago, Britain sent 249 of her most modern bombing planes roaring over France last week. It was the biggest warfare flight ever made in history and was an impressive demonstration of the progress in aviation since Blériot made the crossing three decades ago.

Although the flight was merely a demonstration, the Axis powers will have no doubt now regarding Britain's power in the air and it is almost significant to learn that Hitler on the day of this demonstration was suffering from nervous shock.

NEW FARMING UNIT: In Dearborn, Michigan, Henry Ford exhibited before 400 newspapermen and agricultural experts recently a new mechanized farming unit which he predicted would revolutionize agriculture and "make draft animals economically obsolete." Said he: "It will displace the horse on the farm just as the automobile displaced him on the road." Mr. Ford's horse-displacer consists of a small lightweight tractor with detachable implements embodying new tricks of coupling and operation developed by an Irish engineer named Harry Ferguson. The Ford-Ferguson tractor unit has many revolutionary virtues and costs about $555.

BRITAIN'S CANNY MOVE: When Britain decided to extend credits totalling $300,000,000 to her potential allies for the purchase of munitions and other war materials she made a canny move. More potent than threats of force is the threat of economic resistance to fascist plans of conquest. While relative military strength has been debatable—England and France are undeniable in the field of finance—and Hitler knows it. Thus the more important result of the British decision is its moral effect—for British credits are more convincing evidence of future intentions than British promises.

150TH BASTILLE DAY: July 14th marked the 150th anniversary of the fall of the Bastille. The celebration took the form of a tremendous military pageant on this year and not since recent war scares has France seen such a gay, self-confident and joyous Bastille Day, compelling observers to note that in the war of nerves the Republic has won a great victory.

To most of us Bastille Day has much more significance than just as National holiday. To Frenchmen and to the rest of the world it is a memorial to the "principles of 1776 and 1789", to ideas common to Western democracy. When we think of the storming of the Bastille we realize that it was an act of defiance against vested authority, a dramatic and concrete assertion that men can and will overthrow a government with which they are dissatisfied.

Don't Get Sun In Your Eyes

Protect Them With Dark Glasses or a Crop of Wrinkles Will Result

It's a common enough impulse to fling protection to the winds, or whatever winds blow before the sunshine came along, but that doesn't do away with the commonsense fact that your eyes need it, your hood needs it, and most certainly your beauty needs it.

First, it's be sensible about your eyes, and mix the sense with fun. Gone are the days when dark glasses were either a sign of defective sight or an attempt at disguise.

Today, on a sunny day, they are as indispensable as lipstick, and even more useful. An afternoon's snubath, without glasses, can undo all the good that a year's care ever did. An hour's squinting into the sun can produce a finer crop of wrinkles than a decade of time.

Detroit Red Wings' Star Is Golf Champ.

Pete Kelly, of Charlottetown, star with the Detroit Red Wings in the National Hockey League, successfully defended his golfing crown during the New Brunswick-Prince Edward Island championships on the Algonquin Country Club links at St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, N.B. Kelly had a gross of 309 and net of 281 for 72 holes to lead the field of Maritime golf experts. Swimming at Katy's Cove and parties at the Algonquin Hotel added to the fun of the tournament at the famous resort.

ONTARIO OUTDOORS

By VIC BAKER

SKEET AND TRAP SHOOTING

The ten zone winners in the Dominion Marksmen 1939 national skeet and trap shooting championships, who emerged victorious over some 400 of the country's leading clay-pigeon marksmen competing on 30 skeet teams and 24 trap squads, were announced recently from the headquarters of the Dominion Marksmen headquarters in Montreal.

The first renewal of the Dominion Marksmen national shooting championships, this year's shooting tournament will give some 2,000 skeet marksmen throughout Canada their second championship team since the sport was introduced to this country at St. Stephen, N.B., in 1929. For trap shooters the competition marks only the second time that a national trap title has been at stake since Jack Trotter, old-time Winnipeg marksman, invented the clay-pigeon more than 60 years ago.

Dominion Skeet Championship

Defending the Canadian Skeet Championship in the Dominion finals held at the end of July is the York Skeet Club team from Toronto. This team posted the highest score among the skeet zone finalists. The Toronto team scored 236 out of a possible 250 points to successfully defend its Central Zone title against six other entries representing Hamilton, Copper Cliff, London, Levack and Toronto. The other skeet zone winners were: St. John Skeet Club, Montreal Skeet Club, Medicine Hat Gun Club and Trail, B.C., Trap and Skeet Club.

Dominion Trap Shooting Championships

In the trap shooting championships, the defending national titleholders from the Saskatoon Gun Club successfully defended their Mid-Western Zone title after a very thrilling shoot-off against a crack five-man squad from the Medicine Hat Gun Club. The two teams tied in the regular zone shoot with a score of 242 out of a possible 250.

In the shoot-off the Saskatoon men outshot their rivals by a single point after putting a score of 242 out of 250. The Medicine Hat team fell to second place among the other three entries from Calgary, Edmonton and Saskatoon who represented the 25 registered gun clubs in the Mid-Western Zone. The other four trap zone winners were: Dartmouth, N.S., Rod and Gun Club, Grand Trunk Riverside Gun Club of Montreal, Sandringdale Gun Club of London, Ont. and the Vancouver Gun Club.

Ban Is Placed On Dog Carts

Quebec Sounds Knell of Picturesque Conveyances to Aid Traffic

Present-day demands for greater safety on the highways have caught up at last with Quebec province's picturesque and historic dog carts.

Road Minister Antoile Carignan announced last week that Quebec's habitants no longer would be allowed to use their dogs to draw carts. The ban was placed, the minister said, "with a view to promoting safe traffic conditions."

Since Days of New France

In some sections of the province, dogs have been used since the days of New France to deliver milk and other produce in rural districts. Recently, however, they have become more and more an attraction for tourists.

Dogs, wearing spectacles, fedoras and with a pipe in their mouth and attached to small two-wheeled carts are a familiar sight to visitors to the province, especially to those who travel "Beauport Road" from Quebec to the famous shrine at Ste. Anne de Beaupre.

Many go through life as rivers go to the sea, taking the easiest course.

Deny Ice Water Does Any Harm

Popular Belief of Summertime Is Exploded

Ice water is not harmful, as many persons believe, the journal of the American Medical Association said last week.

"There is no reliable evidence that ice water (water from 37 to 50 degrees F.) causes chronic injury to the alimentary tract," it reported.

May Slow Down Digestion

"Taken in large quantities with a meal, it probably, through coolness, slows down gastric digestion for a few minutes. But this is probably of little significance."

The Journal said that although tepid or warm water meets the real need of the body, many people prefer ice water because it tends to produce the impression that the real thirst is stopped almost at once.

Back-To-Work Aid

Fractured bones often heal better if the patient is allowed to go back to work, than if he is kept in hospital.

This was the statement of Alexander Gibson, F.R.C.S., of England, practising in Winnipeg, before a section session of the Canadian Medical Association.

He declared that surgeons had been quick to see that an injured man may be permitted fairly quickly to go back to his job in certain cases and if certain precautions are taken.

Dr. Gibson described these cases, warning that this treatment is by no means suitable for all types of fractures, but stated that in proper cases the bones had healed better from both anatomical and functional standpoints than if the patients had been kept in hospital until the healing was complete.

Books And You

BY ELIZABETH EEDY

SUMMER READING

When the mercury rises and our brows bead with the heat of summer we turn to the more amusing in the realms of literature. For summer reading we find that the shorter stories and human anecdotes of some of the popular essayists are delightful.

Among the favorites we have selected three to recommend. One is that little masterpiece from the pen of Cornelia Otis Skinner, "Excuse It Please," in which the author carries you along through a series of her amusing experiences, such as meeting old school friends and not having one thing in common with them, and learning to ride a horse.

One of the best collections which has not received the attention it deserves is Harold Nicholson's "Small Talk." Many are familiar with the Hon. Harold Nicholson, M.P., in "Punch" magazine but they should be more familiar with these witty essays. "Small Talk" is a tonic!

The third to come to mind at this season is one that is listed among the new books. Dorothy Parker, favorite of many has released a new collection of her short stories entitled, "Here Lies." Mrs. Parker in all her works shows perfectly, certain situations common to the lives of millions of human beings of all classes, races and nationalities. Her wit is at times barbed and again she writes with compassion but at all times she is penetrating.

We guarantee that one or all three of these will prove entertaining and will leave the reader chuckling and refreshed.

Many Motorists Are Night-blind

15 Per Cent. of Drivers Suffer From Insufficient Supply of Vitamin A — Night-Driving Is An Increasing Hazard

The greatest holiday danger nowadays is automobiles.

The increasing hazard in motor accidents nowadays is night driving. Fifty to 60 per cent of all motor accidents occur at night, and 75 per cent of these are caused by the glare of headlights.

On the subject of night accidents, a new physical handicap has been discovered in night blindness. This occurs in about 15 per cent of drivers in varying degrees. In this condition vision is abnormally decreased by glare. This is the result of inadequate regeneration of visual purple in the retina. Normally rapid regeneration of visual purple can take place only if there is an adequate supply of vitamin A.

They Learned By Daylight

"Most motorists obtain their experience and training under daylight conditions; the problems that arise at night have not been sufficiently impressed on drivers and traffic engineering has not kept pace with the attention."

Dogs and Dog Days

You may be cruel to your dog in hot weather without meaning to be, says a veterinary adviser.

"Exercise dogs early in the morning and evening. Don't take them shopping round about midday on the pavements, where they will get jostled and trampled on.

"Most houses are cooler than kennels, so dogs should be allowed in the house.

"Keep them on a reasonably light diet. Change their drinking water four or five times a day. A piece of rock sulphur in it is not a cure-all, but it does help a little.

Death rates between the ages of one and five went up 12.5 per cent. for girls and 20 per cent. for boys between 1932 and 1936. — Ottawa Journal.

HARK JUNE BRIDES

Average June bride, according to statistics, requires $32 for her trousseau. Which wouldn't be so bad if she didn't refuse to wear the same clothes a month or so later. — Sherbrooke Record.

"A VERY WICKED MAN"

A daughter of Charles Dickens is quoted as saying that the famous author was "a very wicked man" and that his family led the very Dickens of a life with him. — The Stratford Beacon Herald.

Man must love and be beloved. We must subdue self or service.

VOICE of the PRESS

FOR HOME AND COUNTRY

We never lose an opportunity to say a good word about Women's Institutes for of all the organizations rendering public and unselfish service in a community, we place these at the top. Their activities are sensible and practical, mostly of a humanitarian character carried on without fuss or show to relieve and give comfort and happiness to those less fortunate than themselves. — Bowmanville Statesman.

THINGS WE LEARN

From John Gunther's "Inside Asia," you learn that the Japanese Prime Minister's salary is $5,282 a year; a bath following a meal in Nippon is a compliment; an average of 29,000 persons are picked off the streets of Shanghai each year, dead of starvation, yet in the same city one may dine at restaurant where a dinner costs $600, that American cigarettes sell at a lower price in India than in the United States. — New York Post.

WHAT HITLER HAS DONE TO GERMANY

We hear much of what Hitler has "done for Germany." We hear less of what he has done to Germany . . . to German human beings.

What he has done to German human beings is disclosed in part by an analysis which the New York Times has made of German vital statistics. Thus:

Since Hitler came to power in 1933 cases of diphtheria and scarlet fever have virtually doubled; of spinal meningitis they have trebled. Food poisoning cases increased from 1,565 in 1933 to 3,764 in 1937.

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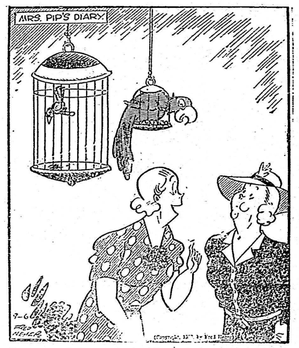
LIFE'S LIKE THAT

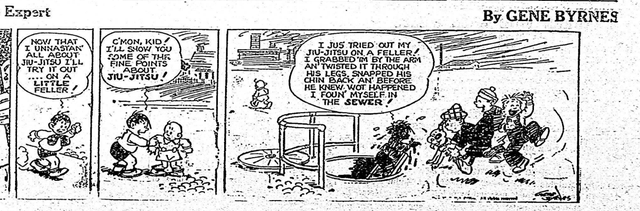
By Fred Neher



"I tossed a coin to see who ate the large egg, and the poorest lost."

REG'LAR FELLERS—The Expert

By GENE BYRNES



Sunday School Lesson . .

ELIJAH: A LIFE OF COURAGE.

I Kings 18:1-46

Golden Text.—Jehovah is far from the wicked; but he hearetth the prayer of the righteous. Prov. 15:29.

THE LESSON IN ITS SETTING

Time.—The exact year when these events took place we cannot determine; the late Dr. Willis J. Beecher suggests the year 909 or 908 B.C., and this is near enough.

Place.—Mount Carmel is that great mountain range midway along the Mediterranean shores of Palestine and Syria, rising from the western side of the plain of Esdraelon. The river Kishon flows past the northern base of Mount Carmel, emptying into the Mediterranean near the city of Haifa.

1:30: And Elijah said unto all the people, Come near unto me; and all the people came near unto him. And he repaired the altar of Jehovah that was thrown down.

Without a word of previous information regarding Elijah, we are simply told that "Elijah the Tishbite, who was of the sojourners of Gilead, said unto Ahab, As Jehovah, the God of Israel, liveth, before whom I stand, there shall not be dew nor rain these years, but according to my word." Ahab, King of Israel, was called to one of the most fickle periods of history, Jezebel was the high priestess of every abomination . . . the notorious practice from her native home in Syria using human sacrifices in her cult of Baal. These priests were bitter opponents of such a prophet of God as Elijah was known to be. And so Elijah commanded the king to bring the prophets of Baal before him at Mount Carmel where Elijah dared them.

31-37: And Elijah took twelve stones, according to the number of the tribes of the sons of Jacob, unto whom the word of Jehovah came, saying, Israel shall be thy name.

And with the stones he built an altar in the name of Jehovah; and he made a trench about the altar, as great as would contain two measures of seed.

And he put the wood in order, and cut the bullock in pieces, and laid it on the wood. And he said, Fill four jars with water, and pour it on the burnt-offering, and on the wood.

And he said, Do it the second time; and they did it the second time. And he said, Do it the third time; and they did it the third time.

And the water ran round about the altar; and he filled the trench also with water.

Elijah's Prayer

And it came to pass at the time of the offering of the evening oblation, that Elijah the prophet came near, and said, O Jehovah, the God of Abraham, of Isaac, and of Israel, let it be known this day that thou art God in Israel, and that I am thy servant, and that I have done all these things at thy word.

Hear me, O Jehovah, hear me, that this people may know that thou, Jehovah, art God and that thou hast turned their heart back again.

In this solemn and earnest invocation of God—the name "Jehovah" describing God as he is himself—the one eternal, self-existent Being—is united with the name which shows his special covenant with Abraham and Isaac and Israel. In his own nature incomprehensible to finite beings, he yet reveals himself in moral and spiritual relations with his people, through which they "know that which is past knowledge." The prominence of the name Jehovah, thrice repeated in this prayer of Elijah, is significant of the special mission, symbolized in this very name, so also of his immediate purpose. He desires to efface himself. The God of Israel is to show himself as the true worker, not only in the outer sphere by miracle, but in the inner sphere by the conversion of the hearts of the people.

The Sign

38: Then the fire of Jehovah fell, and consumed the burnt-offering, and the wood, and the stones, and the dust, and licked up the water that was in the trench.

The doom of the false prophets, the life of Elijah, the future of Israel, and the honor of God are all involved in what should happen following Elijah's prayer. This miraculous and supernatural fire falling from the heaven convinced the people that Jehovah was the true God.

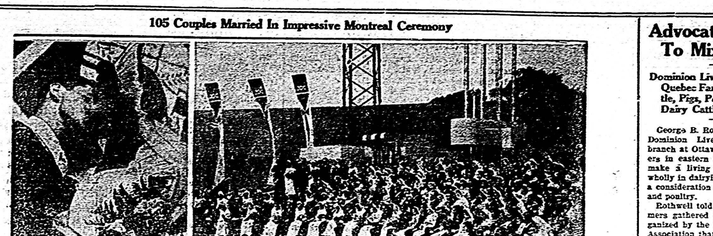
39. And when all the people saw it, they fell on their faces; and they said, Jehovah, he is God; Jehovah, he is God.

Thus the great fire was the emblem of Jehovah, and the sign of his acceptance of his people's service. And so Elijah had the priests of Baal put to death, not so much from revenge as queen Jezebel had murdered the prophets of the true God, but to carry out the fundamental law of the Old Testament kingdom of God, which prohibited idolatry on pain of death.

40-46: When the last priest of Baal had been put to death Elijah turned to the king and told him to go up to his house and eat and drink for an abundance of rain would soon fall upon the fearfully parched land. But the prophet himself went up to Mount Carmel and cast himself down upon the earth and "put his face between his knees." Thus a solitary man brought back rain to Israel. His prayer was abundantly answered.

There are certain characteristics in Elijah's prayer, which should form the part of all true prayer. It was based on the promise of God. It was definite. It was earnest, humble and full of expectant faith.

105 Couples Married In Impressive Montreal Ceremony



Two scenes following the mass marriage at Montreal Stadium show, LEFT, Henri Lepage, one of the grooms, saluting his bride and RIGHT, 105 happy couples gathered together following the ceremonies. The founder and chaplain of the Jeunesse Ouvriere Catholique, sponsors of the mass marriage is Father Henri Roy, O.M.I.

RADIO NOTES AND NEWS

By MADGE ARCHER

NELSON EDDY RETURNS TO THE AIR

Thousands of the admirers of Nelson Eddy in Canada and the United States will cancel all engagements on Sunday night, August 13, to welcome the return of the popular baritone and film star to the Chase and Sanborn Hour. Mr. Eddy resumes his place on the program after a prolonged absence on a concert tour. Donald Dickson, his substitute, is returning to New York to rejoin the Metropolitan Opera Company.

"It is difficult to overrate Nelson Eddy's popularity in the entertainment world. This year he was nominated "star of stars" in more than one radio poll. He is equally successful in the concert hall and on the screen as he is on the air.

Eddy is a Rhode Islander and he was born at Providence, in 1901. It was while he was a newspaper reporter in Philadelphia that he discovered that he had a baritone voice of unusual beauty and masculine strength. He made his debut in Philadelphia with an amateur theatrical group and, later, in local performances of the Gilbert and Sullivan operas. From these he graduated to the Ethiopheliphia Grand Opera Company and sang roles in French, Italian and German.

"REQUIEM" DIRECTED BY TOSCANINI

The next important Toscanini date is set for Wednesday, August 16th, when a performance of Verdi's "Requiem" directed by the great Maestro will be broadcast from Lucerne, Switzerland. Three of the four soloists will be familiar to those who listen to the Metropolitan Opera broadcasts during the winter. They are Zinka Milanov, soprano; Kerstin Thorborg, contralto; and Nicola Moscona, bass. The tenor has not yet been named.

The broadcast will last from 4:00 till 5:45 p.m.

Other Lucerne events include a concert by the choir of Strasbourg Cathedral, on Sunday, August 12th, from 4:30 till 5 p.m. and one by the Sistine Chapel Choir under Dom Lorenzo Perosi on Sunday, August 27th from 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. All are being broadcast over the NBC-Blue network.

TO BE HEARD

Farm Broadcasts, CFRB, 1:05 p.m. Monday to Fridays; Farm Broadcasts, CBL 1:30 p.m. Mondays to Saturdays. August 4 11:45 a.m. CBL Actuality broadcast Deep Sea Fishing in Nova Scotia . . . 9 p.m. CBS CFRB Raymond Paige . . . 9:30 p.m. MBS CBL Take A Note (new) . . . August 5. 10:30 a.m. NBC CBL Bright Idea Club . . . 7 p.m. CBC CBL The Little Review . . . 8:15 p.m. CBL Actuality broadcast from Green Island off Nova Scotia coast . . . 10 p.m. CBS Benny Goodman . . . August 6th, . . . 2:30 p.m. CBL Devotional Services . . . 3 p.m. CBS CFRB Columbia Syn. . . . 6 p.m. CBS CFRB Gay Nineties . . . 6 p.m. CBL Grenadier Guards Band . . . 8 p.m. CBL Chase and Sanborn Hour . . . 9 p.m. CBL Appointment With Agostini . . . August 7, 5 p.m. CBS CFRB Accent on Music . . . 8:30 p.m. NBC Magic Key . . . 10:30 p.m. NBC CBL Chicago Symphony . . . August 8, 3 p.m. CBS CFRB Human Adventure . . . 8:30 p.m. NBC CBL Information Please . . . 9 p.m. CBS CFRB We, The People . . . 10:30 p.m. CBL My Home Town . . . August 9, 8 p.m. NBC CBL Ransom Sherman . . . 9:00 p.m. CBL Songs of the World . . . 10 p.m. CBL Roy Shield's Orchestra . . . August 10, 8:30 p.m. CBL CFRB Serenade for Strings . . . 7 p.m. CBC CBL Toronto Fam. . . . 10 p.m. CBS CFRB Columbia Workshop . . . 10 p.m. NBC CBL Kraft Music Hall.

Learned To Fly In A Single Day

Ottawa Young Man Makes His First Solo Day of First Lesson—First Time Feat Accomplished in Canada

Saxon Cole, 26-year-old Department of Agriculture worker, Ottawa, can fly an airplane but he didn't know a thing about it the day before he flew solo. Cole learned to fly between dawn and dusk, first time the feat has been accomplished in Canada in the memory of government civil aviation officials.

Had 5½ Hours Instruction

A flight with a friend decided Cole there was something to flying. He joined the Ottawa Flying Club, and reported to instructor William Nixon at seven a.m. In 15 minutes they were in the air in a dual-controlled light monoplane. After 5½ hours of instruction, with time out for lunch and dinner, Instructor Nixon nodded approvingly and sent Cole up alone.

It was nine p.m. and dusk was falling as Cole went aloft for his first solo flight. He flew around the field 15 minutes with increasing confidence and then made a creditable landing.

Asks Permission To Print Bible

At Present Printed in England For Distrubition Throughout Empire

The Authorized Version of the Bible, known generally as the King James edition, is printed only in England for distribution through the British Empire, and under license which is vested in the crown. This was explained by officials recently commenting on the petition which Canadian locals of the International Typographical Union are circulating asking for permission to have the Bible printed in Canada.

King Has Right To Grant License

Close control was imposed in order to preserve the accuracy of the text. At present the copyright is vested in the Oxford University Press, the Cambridge University Press, and the King's Printer (Eyre and Spottiswoode).

The King has the right to grant a license to any other printing company, but in so doing the license must be published on the title page of every Bible printed, with the number of copies included in the license.

Germany Smokes

In a decree regulating the taxation of tobacco issued by the Reichsminister of finances it is revealed that Germans, to save on imports, must smoke tobacco mixed with dried stinging nettles, lemon skins, lavender, cherry leaves, salted rose leaves, thyme, valerian roots, woodruff and violets-root-powder.

Labels Must Indicate Contents

Every package of cigarettes, cigars or pipe tobacco must indicate the kind and quantity of ersatz material it contains, so that every smoker may choose what he prefers. Some smokers may have a special liking for stinging nettles, others might prefer lemon skins.

Advocate Return To Mixed Farms

Dominion Live Stock Men Tell Quebec Farmers To Try Cattle, Pigs, Poultry, As Well as Dairy Cattle

George B. Rothwell, chief of the Dominion Livestock Production branch at Ottawa, said many farms in eastern Canada, seeking to make a living without remaining wholly in dairying, are returning to a consideration of beef cattle, pigs and poultry.

Rothwell told more than 600 farmers gathered for a field day organized by the Quebec Beef Cattle Association that the beef cattle industry needed an easing away from increases in milk production.

Also required, he said, were efforts to develop districts which also could be depended upon to supply other parts of the province with reasonably good beef cattle and feeder cattle; more good Shorthorn Hereford and Angus bulls; and a study of possibilities of such development by beef cattle groups in the province, provincial government livestock experts and Dominion livestock fieldmen.

Petunia Wind

This is no ordinary breeze.
But freighted so with purple scent
From some petunia settlement
My mind's eye accurately sees
The ruffled velvet blooms profuse
And nodding.—So, of what good use

To me were a petunia mass
Unless to send the perfume down
the winding street, across the
town,

To someone else when zephyrs
pass?

Better Butter

How To Keep Butter Fresh and Sweet In the Home

No matter how good butter may be when purchased, care should be taken to retain its sweet, delicate flavour. Butter should be stored in a cool, dry place away from any foods which have a distinct odour or flavour as it readily absorbs foreign flavours. It should be kept in a covered container or be left in the parchment paper in which it is purchased.

The best place to keep butter is in the refrigerator. If one is not available the butter should be stored in as cool a place as possible. Butter melts quickly at high temperature and during the hot weather, in the absence of a refrigerator, the suggestion is given to tie a cord securely around each print of wrapped butter to keep the wrapper in place. Then put the butter in a crock or other container and cover with a plate, weighted down with a stone or brick. The next step is to make a brine of salt and water, used in the proportion of 2 cups salt to 1 gallon of boiling water. Cover the butter with the cold brine and place the crock in a cool room. Add more brine, if necessary from time to time, to keep the butter covered with the salt solution.

Another suggestion for storing a few prints of butter for a short time is to wrap the paper-covered prints in cloths wrung out of a salt and water solution and keep the butter in a cool place. Butter may also be stored satisfactorily by packing it in a well-sealed crock or jar, covering the butter with a clean white cloth wrung out of boiling water, then spreading a thin layer of salt over the cloth.

When You See A Red Light

The Law Says A Driver Must Come to a Full Step—Making a Right Turn

The State of Michigan will make it illegal, after September 30, to make a right turn against a red light anywhere in the state. There are centres in this province where pedestrians would welcome such a regulation, because the present law is not being respected, says the Sudbury Star. Some Sudbury motorists are serious and continual offenders in this respect. The Sudbury bylaw reads:

"Whenever a red signal light is displayed, every person in charge of a vehicle shall bring the vehicle TO A FULL STOP before it shall have entered the intersection and shall keep such vehicle stationary until the green light is displayed in place thereof, except that a right-hand turn may be made into the intersecting street subject to the safety of pedestrians using the cross-walks, or vehicle using the intersecting street."

Many pedestrians, taking advantage of their rights to cross with a green light showing, have been placed in jeopardy of their lives because a driver has ignored the rule that he should stop before turning right against a red light.

"Alouette" Suits Everyone's Taste

It is interesting to read in a news despatch that one of the Queen's favorite songs is that lilting old French novelty "Alouette" with its interminable catalog of descriptive anatomy, says the Halifax Chronicle.

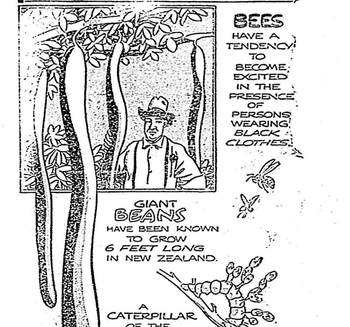
Bouncy Strains

The song, one realized, was one of those universal favorites like "Sweet Adeline" or "Home on the Range" which appeal to all corts of people in all sorts of places. There is a peculiar quality about such music, a folk-song appeal, that seems to over-ride the whims of personal taste and endear the songs to everyone.

The bouncy strains of "Alouette" ring out in all sorts of places. One hears it from French-Canadian choirs on concert stages presentations. It echoes merrily in noisy Paris cafes. It is a favorite in quiet parlor scenes around the piano of a Sunday night. It is almost inevitable when a few over-indulgent merrymakers gather in an all-night restaurant. It crackles in the frosty night air on many a sleigh drive in Old Quebec.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



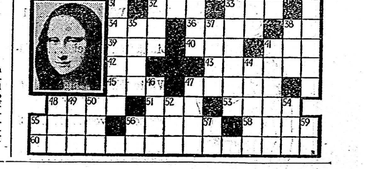
INSECTS of the tropics have many curious ways of making themselves inconspicuous. The caterpillar holds flower buds in its front legs while covering them with silk, then twists its head around and attaches them to its body.

WORK OF ART

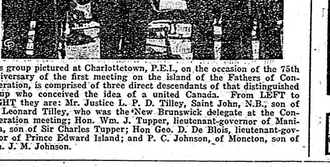
HORIZONTAL
1,9 Famous painting pictured here.
5 The pictured lady's smile is outstanding.
12 Sailor.
14 Yellow-skinned fruit.
16 North Britain.
17 Digit of the foot.
18 To sink.
19 Above.
21 Over.
23 To scold.
25 Encountered.
26 Professional golfer.
27 Snare.
28 Native African village.
30 God of the sea.
32 Ozone.
33 Reddish-brown.
34 Grain.
36 Worn shoes.
38 Senior.
39 Rubber tree.
40 To skip.
41 Powerful snake.
42 Go on (music)
43 Perennial plant.
45 To soak flax.
47 To emit vapor
48 To grasp.
51 Fish eggs.
53 Pretense.
55 Officer's assistant.
56 Inn.
58 Market.
60 Artist who painted it.

VERTICAL
2 Umbrelle (bird).
3 North Africa.
4 Work of genius.
5 Prying spy.
6 Myself.
7 Pound.
8 Artist's frame.
9 To loiter.
10 Within.
11 Long-beaked fish.
13 Electrified particle.
15 Wood demon.
16 Negative word
20 It was painted as a
22 Sun god.
24 Furnace basket.
25 Morass.
26 To handle.
29 Sloth.
30 Cloth.
31 This painting hangs in the
33 Child's game.
35 Wings.
37 Throng.
38 Sun.
41 To make mean.
44 Ragout of game.
46 Stepped upon.
47 Ovule.
48 Crawat.
49 Stir.
50 Cognizance.
52 Indian.
54 Part of a circle.
55 Mordin dye.
56 Hour.
57 Musical note.
59 Lilaceous tree.

Answer to Previous Puzzle



Descendants of "Fathers of Confederation"



This group pictured at Charlottetown, P.E.I., on the occasion of the 75th anniversary of the first meeting on the island of the Fathers of Confederation, is comprised of three direct descendants of that distinguished group who conceived the idea of a united Canada. From L. to RIGHT they are: Mr. Justice L. P. D. Tilley, Saint John, N.B., son of Sir Leonard Tilley, who was the New Brunswick delegate at the Confederation meeting; Hon. Wm. J. Tupper, lieutenant-governor of Manitoba, son of Sir Charles Tupper; Hon Geo. D. Le Blois, lieutenant-governor of Prince Edward Island; and P. C. Johnson, of Moncton, son of Hon. J. M. Johnson.

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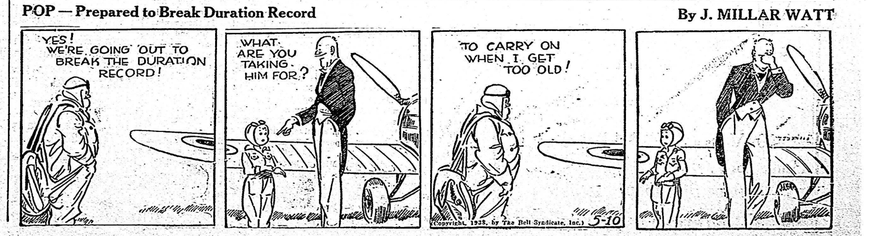
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