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Have You Heard ?

An enthusiastic politician was asked by his wife to lay aside politics long enough to dig up the potatoes in the garden.

He consented, and after digging for a few minutes went into the house and said he had found a coin. He washed it, and it proved to be a quarter. He put it in his pocket and went back to work.

Presently he went to the house again and said he had found another coin. He washed the dirt off it and this time it was a fifty-cent piece. He put it in his pocket.

"I have worked pretty hard," said he to his wife. "I think I'll take a short nap."

When he woke he was not surprised to find that his wife had dug up the rest of the potatoes and that she had found no coins!

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"Then she isn't exactly one of the sympathetic sort?" said Smith.

"Sympathetic!" snapped Brown.

"Why, that woman wasn't born, she was quarried!"

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Arriving at a strange hotel, a fussy woman thought she'd better know where the fire-escape was. So she started exploring.

During her tour, she opened a door and found herself in a bathroom occupied by an elderly gentleman.

"Oh, I'm sorry," she twittered, "I was looking for the fire-escape."

Continuing her search, presently she heard the pad of bare feet behind her and a shout made her turn. It was the elderly man, clad in a bath-towel.

"Wait a minute!" he gasped. "Where's the fire?"

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David loved bread and jelly. His mother usually purchased sliced bread. One day she bought a loaf of unsliced bread. When he saw her apply the butcher knife, he asked: "What's that bread all stuck together for?"

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The two friends were discussing motoring as they sat in the club. "I was once buying second-hand car from a garage owner," said one. "Of course, he praised it up, as I was a novice. But I found a way of discovering absolutely all its faults."

"How?" asked the other.

"Why," went on the first, "I had it on trial, and took it to another car-dealer and asked him to buy it."

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Who remembers way back when
A man in debt got out again?

Feathered Hats Quite Popular

Feathers, made into colored oak leaves and butterflies in natural colorings develop several smart shapes, while a "half hat", to be posed over a veil-draped head, consists of 48 tiny colored birds. Burned goose, ostrich and coq are strongly endorsed. An ostrich model stemming from Victorian inspiration trails more than a yard of tied willow ostrich down the back. Coq feather hat and muff ensembles are observed, while coq and various other types of feathers, including quills, wings and birds accent many of the colored suede hats.

Large Increase C.N.R. Revenue

Rise of $3,643,203 Marked for Month of September, 1939

For the month of September the Canadian National Railways had a net revenue of $6,304,642, an increase of $3,643,203 over the corresponding month of 1938, according to the monthly statement of the earnings for the all-inclusive system issued at the railway's headquarters. Operating revenues showed an increase of $4,795,674.

Operating expenses increased by $1,152,471. Operating expenses last month were $22,645,303 and operating expenses $16,340,661.

Up for Nine-Month Period

For the nine-months period ending September 30th, there was an increase in operating revenues of $11,908,503 and an increase in operating expenses of $2,800,895, resulting in an improvement of $9,107,608 over the nine-months period of 1938. For the period up to September 30th this year, operating revenues amounted to $142,246,937 and operating expenses of $135,593,583, resulting in a net revenue of $6,652,354.

The summaries follow:

Month of September	1939	1938	Increase or Decrease
Operating Revenues	$ 22,645,303	$ 17,849,629	Increase $ 4,795,674
Operating Expenses	16,340,661	15,188,190	Increase 1,152,471
Net Revenue	$ 6,304,642	$ 2,661,439	Increase $ 3,643,203

Aggregate to September 30			
Operating Revenues	$142,246,937	$130,337,434	Increase $11,908,503
Operating Expenses	135,593,583	132,792,688	Increase 2,800,895
Net Revenue	$ 6,652,354	$ 2,455,254	Improved $ 9,107,608
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How Can I?

BY ANNE ASHLEY

Q.—What is an inexpensive way of serving scrambled eggs?

A.—Try using three crumbled soda crackers and two tablespoons of milk to each egg. Mix thoroughly, and then scramble in hot butter.

Q.—How can I prevent burning when there is not sufficient batter to fill all the pans, when making muffins?

A.—Fill the empty pans with water. This will not only prevent burning, but the muffins will bake more evenly.

Q.—How can I set colors in cotton goods before washing the first time?

A.—Soak the goods for twenty minutes in cold water, to which a handful of salt has been added.

Q.—How can I prepare a good skin whitener?

A.—An application of equal parts of rose water and lemon juice acts as a skin whitener.

Q.—How can I prevent articles from going down the furnace register?

A.—Insert a piece of wire netting inside the register hole, replace the register plate, and it will prevent many articles from going down the pipe. This is particularly advisable if there are children or babies around the house. Remember, however, that this wire netting should not be of a fine mesh, or it will retard the heat that comes through the pipe and has a tendency to burn out the scored suede hats.

German Diet Found Scanty

California Student Tests The Reich's Rationing; Loses 10 Pounds

After five days of a "bare necessity" diet, Bill Laffoon, San Jose State College senior, quit the "wartime basis."

Four seniors, including two co-eds, decided to experiment for a week to determine their mental and physical reactions to a "bare necessity" diet they understood to be imposed on the German people.

Five days later Laffoon said he had lost 10 pounds, felt "terrible" and quit.

Rations for the week included one pound of meat, four ounces of margarine, potatoes, a limited amount of cereal but no eggs, chocolate or cocoa.

Publisher Dies

Joseph Moore, publisher of the Georgetown Herald for many years, died at his home in Georgetown, Ont., last week. He is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. R. Douglas, Toronto.

Where Many Canadians Spend A Pleasant Winter

Scenes like this are common on Brentwood Bay, near Victoria, B.C., all winter long, with particular emphasis this fall and winter when Canadians are keeping Canadian dollars in Canada. Grilse, like the 12 pounder just brought to gaff, and salmon in the tidal waters, coupled with keen fly fishing in "up island" streams combine to make the west coast a sportsman's paradise. Reports flowing into Canadian Pacific offices, and reservations at the Empress Hotel, indicate a heavy vacation travel to Victoria this winter.

Getting Ready For Christmas

Not Too Early To Start Making Some Gifts

It's not too early to begin thinking about Christmas gifts for the beauty-minded woman on your list. Start thinking in terms of the holiday right now and you — as well as the recipients of your gifts — will remember 1939's Christmas especially pleasantly.

For the friend who has confided that she no longer likes her dressing table, a present deluxe would be a new one. Less expensive, but sure to please, would be a new skirt for her present dressing table and you can't go wrong with organdy or net, regardless of the period in which her bedroom is furnished. That is, unless you completely disregard the room's present color scheme.

Others sure-to-be-appreciated gifts in the beauty category include jewelry and makeup cases which are even simpler to make than dressing table skirts.

Cover Poses

One reader reports that she is covering plain, inexpensive boxes with hinged lids with white leatherette, and some with pale blue satin. Between Leatherette or satin she uses a thin pad of cotton.

With scraps silk or satin from the rag bag, and a container of sachet, charming sachet pillows or balls are quickly fashioned. When making handkerchief or larger lingerie cases, put sachet between the lining and outer layer of fabric.

Farming Found Greatest Asset

Governor-General Speaks At Plowing Match on Contribution of Canadian Agriculture

Canada's greatest asset always has been and always will be agriculture, the Governor-General Lord Tweedsmuir said in a short address before an estimated 20,000 persons at the international plowing match near Brockville.

"Speed The Plow"

Plowshares are far more powerful than swords, Lord Tweedsmuir said in referring to the war. The conflict must be fought with the entire strength of the nation and a great task lies ahead of the Canadian farmers.

"Speed the plow" must continue to be the adage of Canada, Lord Tweedsmuir said in wishing the Canadian farmers every possible happiness and prosperity.

90 Per Cent. Of Fires Preventable

London Fire Chief Lays Blame Chiefly on Careless Smoker

Robert McRonald, London, Ont.'s, new fire chief, told a meeting of the Industrial Accident Prevention Association in a recent address that 90 per cent. of fires are preventable.

"The greatest menace of all is the careless smoker," declared the chief. "He may toss a cigaret behind a machine or knock the burning ashes from his pipe and cause a fire that will result in heavy loss."

Dangers in Handling Gasoline

Chief McRonald outlined the dangers of handling gasoline, paint and other things that might start a fire.

"I hope you will remember that a fire truck pays dividends only when it is standing in the firehall," declared Chief McRonald. "The men at the firehall would like to see acquainted with all you people. However, I suggest you drop around and see us. We would rather meet you there than at a fire."

Livestock of all kinds represents seventy per cent. of the agricultural output of Great Britain corn being only about twelve per cent.

What Science is Doing

HEALING WOUNDS QUICKER

It has been discovered during recent surgery that certain foods containing vitamins and proteins substitute for medicines and drugs.

For several days before and after operations, patients were given diets high in vitamins, proteins and vitamin concentrates.

Abundant production of this "cement" apparently speeded healing of wounds, for in animal tests the walls of wounds lacking the vitamins were only one-third normal strength.

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EYE REVEALS DEATH NEAR.

A new photo-electric eye which detects the approach of death in changing color of the skin is reported.

The eye gives warning in time to administer lifesaving oxygen.

The new eye looks virtually into the blood itself. This is done by placing a strong light behind the ear. Some of the rays pass through tissues and blood. The electric eye picks up these rays and detects changes in the blood color too slight for the human eye to see.

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PAIN OF ANGINA RELIEVED

A new method of surgery appearing to give the first "uniformly complete relief" from angina pectoris, which causes pain in the region of the heart, is announced in the journal of the American Medical Association.

The operation requires an incision in the upper part of the back along the spinal column and cutting the nerves which carry impulses resulting in the painful heart spasm.

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The President of France may not go to the races unaccompanied; he must never appear in public in uniform or send telegrams containing political opinions.

BRINGS INSTANT EASE from PAINS, SPRAINS BRUISES, BURNS RHEUMATIC ACHES
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Modern Etiquette

BY ROBERTA LEE

1.—When a bride has received a gift from the office force, consisting of perhaps a hundred employees, how should she acknowledge it?

2.—What is a frappe, and how is it pronounced?

3.—Is it correct to say to a woman, "There is a man I want to introduce you to"?

4.—What is the correct way to use a finger bowl?

5.—Should one apologize for writing a letter to a friend on the typewriter?

6.—Should a hostess provide new cards for use at a bridge party?

Answers:

1.—Write a personal letter of thanks to her employer, or the chief clerk, or the person she knows had charge of the contribution towards the gift, asking this person to thank the others. 2.—It is an iced or frozen mixture or drink. Pronounce fra-pa, first a as in ask, second a as in pay, accent last syllable. 3.—No. The man is always presented to the woman. One should say, "There is a man I want to introduce to you." 4.—Dip the ends of the fingers, not the entire hand, in the water, then dry them on the napkin in the lap. Do not lift the napkin above the table and use it as a hand towel. 5.—No. Many people today write all their correspondence on the typewriter, excepting the most formal social notes. 6.—Yes; this is customary.

Hitler — "Madman In Despair"

Literary Refugee Asserts "Madman" Cannot Win and He Knows It

Reichfuehrer Adolf Hitler is a "Madman in Despair," Klaus Mann literary refugee from Germany and son of the 1933 Nobel peace prize winner, Thomas Mann, declared last week.

Mann added "Hitler is not going to win this war, and he knows it."

"Otherwise, why should he be so anxious for acceptance of his so-called peace proposals. Hitler is not only a madman, but a madman in despair.

"Beginning of the End"

"The Soviet Russian-German pact may be historically significant but for Hitler it was the beginning of the end. Hitler finds himself dependent on Stalin and is his prisoner."

Asserting Hitler does not represent the "true feeling of Germany" Mann predicted that after the "destruction of Hitlerism" a reorganization of Europe would bring a "real federal federation of states working with each other."

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A Doctor Urges "Eat Fish Raw"

Well-Known Halifax Physician Declares We Lose the Real Good in Fish By Cooking It

Nova Scotians, Canada's leading fishermen, were given some advice last week on how to eat the commodity of which they are such prolific producers.

"Eat it raw," was the counsel given to members of the Nova Scotia Economics Association by Dr. H. B. Atlee, Halifax physician.

Lots of Vitamins

"The trouble with our fish is we cook it," he continued. "We should eat it raw. Raw fish and a little bread and butter would give us lots of vitamins. You lose the real good in fish by cooking it.

This province, endowed as it is with an abundance of fish and apples, is capable of producing the healthiest race in the world from a dietetic standpoint."

Movie Evidence Against Drivers

Tipsy drivers arrested in Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, now must submit to "screen tests."

As soon as a tipsy driver is arrested, he is taken to the sheriff's office, where he is forced to walk a painted "line" four inches wide and 25 feet long to the accompaniment of a whirring camera.

When the suspect goes into court Sheriff Edward J. Miten's visual "evidence" goes with him.

Canadian National Railway Revenues

The gross revenues of the all-inclusive Canadian National Railways System for the week ending October 21, 1939, were $5,192,453, as compared with $4,630,298 for the corresponding period of 1938, an increase of $562,156.

Trained Bees

Bees do not collect honey from flowers indiscriminately. Some flowers they like, others they apparently do not. So the scientists of the Soviet Union are training bees to mend their ways. A spot of "conditioned reflex" is established. That is, the bees are fed on a syrup obtained from flowers that they would not ordinarily frequent. After having acquired a taste which to them must be like ours for snails, frogs' legs, oysters and the like, the bees are no longer so finical. This work is important because bees cross-fertilize plants by dragging pollen from flowers to flowers. On 230 collective farms, pollination has been multiplied tee to twenty times and crops correspondingly by bees with acquired tastes.

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NEWS PARADE...

For whatever reasons—religious, political or commonsense—the people of Quebec voted to turn Premier Maurice Duplessis out of office, the results of the recent provincial elections were undeniably gratifying to Federal Liberal leaders. And whether or not Duplessis' defeat on October 25 could be interpreted as a sweeping victory for Quebec participationists, the position of the Dominion Government taken with respect to the war in Europe was immediately strengthened. That day saw Canada present a united front along with the other countries of the Empire. And from that moment on, we were in the war in earnest.

The vote in the United States Senate, 67-22, in favor of repealing the arms embargo clause of the Neutrality Act polished to an early assent by Congress to President Roosevelt's bill. The adoption of the revised Act, with its "cash-and-carry" clauses, will be of indirect but vastly important aid to the Allies; these clauses may bring the United States a step nearer to participation in the war.

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Of the situation on the Western Front, John O'Donnell of the "New York Daily News" wrote: "The war is a washout—figuratively and actually." Heavy rains, alternating with sleet and snow, made the lines a mass of mud, and military operations on both sides were again almost at a standstill.

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On the political front, biggest news of the war's eighth week came when Benito Mussolini sensationally dismissed seven of his pro-German Cabinet Ministers. The secretary of the Fascist party and the chief of staff of the Italian army. Before the full effect of this shakeup on his former Axis-partner Hitler could be appraised, the world turned in watchful waiting to the sessions of Russia's Supreme Soviet from which a declaration of the U.S.S.R.'s foreign policy was to come forth, clarifying Germany's position, whether of strength of or weakness in the war. Many puzzling questions were expected to be answered: how far Russo-German co-operation extended in the economic, diplomatic, military fields; what Russia's new policy meant as regards the Baltic republics, and the war in general.

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In the Far East, all eyes were on India. Native leaders there (Nehru and Gandhi in particular) felt it unjust that India should be called upon to fight for democracy in Europe while being denied independence herself. Mahatma Gandhi's National Congress Party which controls eight provincial governments in British India threatened resignation of all its Cabinets. This would force the Government to call upon leaders of the opposition to form new governments, while Gandhi followers, retaining a majority in the Legislatures, could vote down the new Cabinets one after another. A civil disobedience campaign, inaugurated again in India, would be as serious a threat to the British Empire's existence as Adolf Hitler's war machine.

How Daylight Saving Began

As A War Measure "Summer Time" Came Into Force In Britain In 1917

A great many things have been blamed on war, but those who are opposed to daylight saving time believe that is the greatest piece of confusion left in the wake of the last Great War. Daylight saving time was adopted in Britain during the last war, in the spring, summer and early autumn months, in an effort to save fuel ordinarily used in heating or lighting. The encyclopaedia Britannica says that "in the second year of the Great War nearly every country in Europe adopted the device of putting the clock forward one hour during the spring and summer and autumn months. The motive was to get the people to bed an hour earlier and out of bed an hour earlier, to save fuel for lighting and heating."

The first suggestion of a daylight saving scheme was made in England in 1907 by William Willett. In 1908 a bill was introduced into the British House of Commons but it was not adopted until 1916 when the British Government set up a committee to study ways and means to save fuel.

The United States adopted daylight saving time in 1918 but it was repealed in 1919 because of considerable opposition. The move was adopted in Canada in 1924 but was later left with each municipality.

Mushroom Harvest

The unusually high temperatures of the first 10 days of October accompanied by heavy rains have been a combination of conditions that have produced a big crop of field mushrooms in Ontario.

Many people, especially those living in the country districts, have been able to obtain this food delicacy in quantity. Members of the Sarnia Indian Reserve band have been selling mushrooms from door-to-door.

Aerial View of the British Fleet Off the South Coast of England

This picture, showing an excellent air view of the British fleet off the south coast of England, was passed by the British censor, who, however, deleted the exact location of the fleet from the caption. Note the countryside over which the plane is flying. Neat English hedges divide the plots of ground with uniformity.

Women Becoming Motor Mechanics

Ontario Cities Have Large Classes In Technical Work

Twice a week 31 Toronto girls forget their business careers, and climb into overalls or smocks and delve into the mysteries of spark plugs and carburetors.

They are learning about cars from the inside out in a course of motor mechanics so they will be prepared if they are needed to drive ambulances or take men's places in mechanical jobs during the war.

Cars From Inside Out

For six months the girls—school teachers, stenographers, store clerks and all with jobs — will spend three hours or two nights a week at the northern vocational school. Ordinarily women are excluded from the motor mechanics' class at the vocational school and applicants have been few in past years. But when feminine demands for instruction became numerous G. E. Mahaffey was put in charge of a class for women. The class was originally planned for 20 and now has 31 students.

A similar class for women mechanics has been organized in the Ottawa Technical School.

Failed To Win Seat

Paul Gouin, son of a former Premier of Quebec province, and leader of the Action Libérale Nationale party went down to defeat in the recent elections. His party failed to secure a single seat in the Legislative Assembly.

Fall Is Time To Fix Lawn

If You Would Ensure A Good Growth of Grass Next Year

Proper attention to the lawn in the fall will help to ensure a good growth of grass the following year. Lawns should be allowed to go into the winter with a considerably longer growth than is maintained all during the summer. The cutting bar of the mower should be raised and clipping should be done less frequently than during the earlier part of the season when growth is more rapid. Mowing should stop altogether before the weather turns cold.

Stop Mowing Altogether

The use of a fertilizer mixture containing a small percentage of nitrogen but considerable amounts of potash and phosphorus is recommended at this season. Such treatment will help to build up the strong root systems. All fertilizer should be watered in immediately after application as otherwise the burning of the grass may result.

Don't Cover Grass

On no account should coverings of straw, leaves, brush or manure be applied to protect the grass during the winter. These treatments usually do more harm than good to the grass. Whenever possible, attention should be given to drainage so as to prevent the accumulation of water on the lawn in the late fall or early spring.

South Africa is hoping to seize the Canadian-American maize trade from South America. Shipments to Montreal, clearing port for the American market, have this year exceeded the Argentine mark.

ONTARIO OUTDOORS

By VIC BAKER

DUCK DATA!

Now that shotgun shooters in Ontario and the rest of Canada are blazing away at those fast flying ducks, a word or two on what has helped to increase the flocks these last few years would not be entirely out of place.

The answer lies in two directions: the establishment of refuges and the curtailment of shooting through regulation. Howard Zahniser, of the United States Bureau of Biological Survey, is inclined to place the enforcement of regulations above sanctuaries. This, from one of the United States recognized waterfowl experts, has real significance in view of the demand forwarded by some duck hunters that greater liberties be taken with regulations as there are again enough ducks to warrant increased shooting.

Ducks Produce Ducks

In answer to the hunters' plea of increased flocks, Zahniser admits more ducks wing north now than a few years ago, but points out that there are still fewer waterfowl than 10 years ago, and there were not many then. Over 4,000,000 acres of waterfowl refuges have been acquired by the Survey during the last four years. This should be increased by at least 7,500,000 acres, Zahniser avers, to achieve the minimum requirement for waterfowl.

'Only ducks can produce ducks, so the greatest credit must go to the reduced kill of recent years. If the presence of the ducks on the refuges provided is to be insured, hunting must be kept within safe limits. Because the flocks are increasing does not mean that the waterfowl question is solved. If for two seasons the guns claim more than the annual increase, we will be right back where we started!

Cure Canines Of Car-Chasing

A great many people ask me how to stop your dogs from chasing the motor-cars, writes the noted dog expert, Albert Payson Terhune. And more of you have come forward with suggestions for such cures. Here is the latest of the many I have printed. I do not even vouch for its efficacy in all cases. What will cure one dog may not cure another. G. C., of San Francisco, writes me:

"We used to sit on the porch of our Honolulu house. Our dog, Sunny, would chase every automobile down to the corner, then come on back to wait for the next. Immediately we tied him up and kept him tied up for an hour. The next time he chased a car after he was untied, we did the same thing all over again.

Soon Learns Lesson

"I forgot how long it took to cure him of car chasing and making him understand there always was that penalty to pay. But my impression is that we had to tie him only for about four times, before he got the idea. After that, he would stare longingly at passing cars. But he never chased one of them again. He was a pointer and very intelligent. But I can't believe he was different from all other dogs. I do think no dog which values his freedom will have to be tied up very often before learning his lesson."

Canadian Hog Quality Better

Say Oil Supply Is Ample Here

All Canada's Requirements Can Be Met Inside The Country — Turner Valley Deposits Some of World's Biggest

All Canada's oil requirements could be supplied by her own oil fields, according to Col. Nelson Spencer, Vancouver business man and director of the Home Oil Co. at Turner Valley, Alta. Col. Spencer was recently interviewed in Montreal.

"Distribution is the main problem," he declared. "The Government is interested, especially since the high exchange rates with the United States came into force after the start of the war. Pipelines have been discussed, but the people in the West feel that a reduction in railway haulage rates would solve the problem. Pipeline construction is a very expensive and long business."

Distribution Is Big Problem

Prospects at the present time, Colonel Spencer continued, pointed to the Turner Valley being one of the biggest oil deposits in the world. The present wells were producing a limited supply of 20,000 barrels of high grade oil a day, but that could easily be stepped up to 50,000.

With wells which are being drilled to the north, production would be greatly increased. There should be producing early next year.

Quality Of Wheat Inferior In 1939

Western Crop Not Up To Standard of Recent Years, Report States

A report on the quality of Western Canada's 1939 wheat crop, issued at Winnipeg by the Board of Grain Commissioners, indicates the top three grades of prairie wheat, although of good milling and baking quality, do not attain the high standards set in recent years.

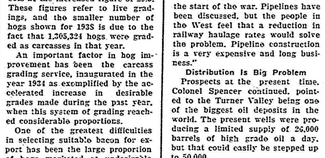
The report said a large proportion of the crop weighs 62 to 65 pounds a bushel, and protein content, index to milling quality, averages 14.2 per cent. The protein content is 2 per cent. above the final value recorded for last year's prairie yield.

Flour yield and loaf volume in Nos. 1 and 2 Northern and No. 1 Hard wheat are a little lower this year. Analysists also report that the gluten in No. 1 Hard and No. 1 Northern, though considered very good, is less elastic and extensible than usual.

Imitation resin is said to be the latest material used for making artificial teeth in Germany.

MICKIE SAYS—

Here's The Latest Addition To The Canadian Navy



The latest addition to his majesty's Royal Canadian Navy, H.M.S. Kempenfeldt, has been renamed Assiniboine and passed to the control of the Canadian government. The flotilla leader is 335 feet long with a displacement of 1,390 tons and a speed of 35½ knots.

VOICE of the PRESS

"SUB" SOLUTION

If rain didn't return water taken from oceans by evaporation, science reports, they would dry up in 3,000 years. Here, at last, is the solution to the submarine problem.—Guelph Mercury.

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DEATH AND TAXES

They're called death duties in Britain, succession duties in Ontario, and inheritance taxes in the States. But under any other name they'd smell just as badly to the heirs.—Toronto Star.

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TRAINED YOUNG PEOPLE WANTED

Again the trained mechanic is coming into his own. Canadian industry needs him; and industry realizes the folly of not training more young men in the trades during the hard years.—Globe and Mail.

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PRESERVE THE ELK

All honor to Canada for what she has done to preserve the Elk from extermination! Reckless slaughter nearly wiped them out as it did the buffalo. How many would be left in a few years if the average hunter were let loose to do his will?—Our Dumb Animals.

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SAVE THE BEES

The position of Canadian apiarists, due to the sugar shortage, is one that demands the attention of governmental authorities. Scores of bee keepers throughout Ontario are worried as winter approaches because they require large quantities of white cane sugar to carry their bees through the winter and early spring. The bee keepers are likely to see many of their hives ruined, unless sufficient cane sugar is made available before it is too late.—Kitchener Record.

Abitibi Area Growing Fast

Increase of 125,000 In Population Expected by 1941

Abitibi district in Northwestern Quebec will show a population increase of more than 125,000 when the decennial census is taken in 1941, A. J. Pelletier, head of the Bureau of Statistics census branch, estimates. Population of the district in the 1931 census was only 23,000, but there have been great strides in mining.

Get Ready For Census

Preparatory work for the Dominion census is going ahead in spite of the war and it is expected that once again in 1941 the population of Canada will be counted.

New questions will be asked in the next census. To be dropped are the questions "Can you read" and "Can you write." In their place will be the record of the years' schooling of each individual. There will be new questions to determine occupational trends and one regarding receipt of relief.

Acreages sown to wheat in the Prairie Provinces this year total 25,813,000 as against 24,946,000 acres in 1938.

Plan Wool Supply For Canada Needs

Ottawa Takes Steps to Conserve Home Product

Plans to meet any possible Canadian demand for wool, either from the United Kingdom or Australia, are being made at Ottawa by the Canadian wool administrator, David C. Dick, on the basis of recently completed surveys of supply and demand, it is announced by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

From England and Australia

Adoption of a wool control administration in the United Kingdom has temporarily interrupted arrival of Canadian supplies, it was stated, but the Canadian wool administrator is in daily contact with the British wool controller with a view to obtaining at the earliest possible moment adequate shipments of wool from both England and Australia, where the crop is abundant.

A crop of 1,000,000,000 pounds of merino type, the kind principally required for civilian use, is awaiting shipment from Australia and every effort is being made in Canada, England and Australia to try and speed release of part of that wool for use in Canada, the announcement said.

The entire Australian wool crop this year was purchased by the United Kingdom, creating a situation which resulted in appointment of a wool administrator.

Figuring Out The Dairy Bull's Value

Many a valuable dairy bull has been butchered before any one knew his worth. Cows are on record where a bull's daughters have developed into wonderful cows after their young sire has been consigned to the shambles. The point is: If we have a well-bred bull, and we think enough of him to use him in our herd, why not keep him long enough to determine his value as a sire. We don't stand much of a chance of gain by discarding him and taking on another untried sire. You cannot tell for sure whether a dairy bull is a great sire until he is about seven years old. Figure it out for yourself.

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LIFE'S LIKE THAT

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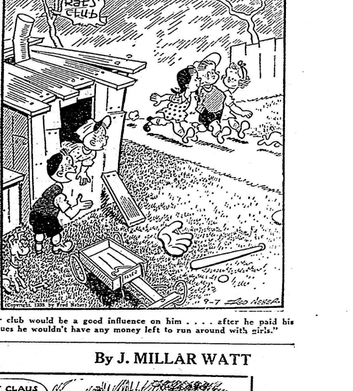
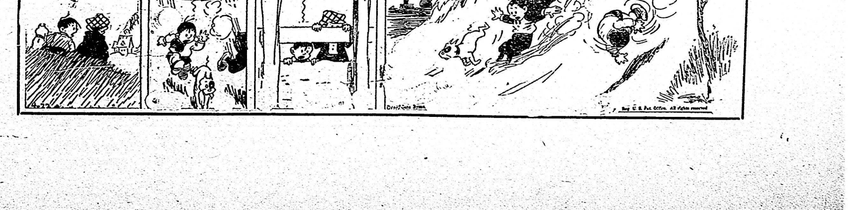


"Our club would be a good influence on him . . . after he paid his dues he wouldn't have any money left to run around with girls."

REG'LAR FELLERS—Well, Pleasant Dreams!

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