

Coming to Teach Eskimos How to Drive Reindeer

Laps on Way to Aklavik Have Job of Instruction from the Government

Halifax, N.S., Sept. 1st—Bound for Aklavik, in the North West Territories, there to teach the Canadian Eskimos how to care for reindeer herds, ten Laplanders arrived here on the Swedish American liner Gripsholm, and left by Canadian National Railway for Winnipeg. From there they will proceed to the far North to undertake their novel teaching task.

The Laps have been brought over by the Canadian Government under three years contract to instruct the Eskimo in the care of reindeer. For many years, the Eskimo in that section of the North have been regarded as a dying race, living precariously by trapping and fishing. A number of conferences have been held at Ottawa between Government officials and experts on the Eskimo question and as a result this reindeer experiment is being made. Two years ago the Minister of the Interior was authorized to purchase 3,000 head of reindeer for establishment of experimental herds in Northern Canada. Under the direction of the Laplanders, a number of Eskimos will take a course in the care of the reindeer, the Government furnishing food for these reindeer students for a term of three years, then follows a period of four years contract with the Government, after which the Eskimos are expected to become self-supporting by means of their reindeer herds. The Laps in this party are excellent linguists, speaking Norwegian, Finnish and Lapp, and they propose to learn the Eskimo tongue in order to properly instruct their pupils.

Attired in their picturesque native costume, the visitors attracted much attention on their arrival here. The men in the party are excellent herdsmen, owning many head of reindeer in their native country. Included in the party are several women and children.

Two Trains per Week Now on Silver Centre Branch

Train service on the T. & N.O. Railway between Cobalt and Silver Centre has been reduced to two trains per week, owing to the decreased traffic on that branch of the line. The mid-week train which served the mining town on Wednesday has been cut off and now only the Monday and Saturday service is being maintained.

When the branch was first opened, during the time of the boom among the silver mines in South Lorrain, a daily service was given. This was later reduced to three trains per week, owing to changing conditions in the mines.

Coming Attraction at the Classic Theatre, Cobalt

The attraction at the Classic Theatre on Friday and Saturday of this week is Will Rogers in "Young As You Feel". The screen's greatest jester in George Ade's uproarious comedy, with Fifi Dorsay and Lucien Littlefield, Will Rogers makes the funniest comedy he has made yet. On the same program will be Charlie Chase in a comedy called "One of the Smiths" and Bobby Jones will show you how to play golf with the Medium Irons, in the fifth of his golf series.

"Forbidden Adventure" is the feature attraction at the Classic on Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 7 and 8. The cast includes Mitzi Green, Edna May Oliver, Louise Fazenda and Jackie Searles. This is a hilarious comedy with a cast of foremost child and adult comedy stars in talking pictures.

Heading the double program Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 9 and 10, the famous "It" girl in "Kick In," a thrilling story with a gorgeous dramatic Clara Bow in a story of love versus the law, with a brilliant cast, including Regis Toomey, Wynne Gibson and Juliette Compton. On the same program "Transatlantic" with Edmund Lowe, Lois Moran, John Haliday, Greta Nissen and Myrna Loy, in a story of glitter and glamor, of the fast set on the fastest of ocean liners. "Transatlantic" is a picture you will remember.

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaelis

RESTLESS

I who was tranquil once am restless now,
For me no more the placid ways of ease;
But daring storms like some proud vessel's prow
My being plunges through tempestuous seas.
Escape from tumult I no longer ask,
My spirit needs life's swift and rude impact;
Let toil be ceaseless, to no meagre task
I bring a strength which, until now, I lacked.
It is too hard, the burden which is mine,
The restlessness, the urge which does not cease?
Each toil is like a draught of potent wine,
Each hardship makes endurance still increase.
Now I am restless, tranquil days have flown—
But out of trial strength has, strangely grown!

Perfection is not won by man, so he
Whose hands caress the keys
May sometimes miss the master's melody
And spoil rare harmonies.

Sometimes a sharp discordant note may jar
Upon the ears that wait,
And with its strident tone all sweetness mar,
All beauty violate.

So, also, through the toil of nature runs
At times a fault, a flaw,
Yet age on age the systems and the suns
Have marched beneath the law.

In matchless harmony the planets spin
Their ordered way through space;
Such force that draws the tides now out, now in
Holds all in its embrace.

And if in some dark hour a discord rings
Through any life we see,
We must remember then how all life swings
Through space in harmony.

-and add this to your profits

NO ONE can deny a man the right to spend his dollar where he chooses. It is his privilege to make his dollar produce the utmost in value. The decision as to where that value is to be found is, whether right or wrong, his to make. A tip on how to make a dollar go farther is permissible, however, and we suggest that you think about this:

The lowest price does not always mean the best buy; in fact in most cases it does not. Comparative quality and many other things enter into the transaction. But let us take two identical articles—one here—at home—the other out of town. Let us suppose the out of town price is lower delivered to your door, by 5c or 75c, than the purchase you can make at home. But it is not the most economical buy. That money is gone for good; it will never return to you, whereas if spent at home—well, here's an illustration:

A Shoeman owes a Baker \$2.00 and gives him \$1.00, discharging fifty per cent. of his debt. The baker owes a farmer \$2.00 for potatoes, so he pays the farmer half his debt with the dollar. The farmer purchases a pair of \$2.00 shoes, paying \$1.00 down. The shoeman uses the dollar to cancel his debt to the baker, the baker to the farmer, and the farmer pays for his shoes. The shoeman has paid his debt, made a sale and still has his original capital. So have the baker and farmer. That's community business. Three persons have made a profit on \$1.00 and it's still in the community to make more. The dollar that goes farthest is the one that stays at home.

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FAMOUS BRITISH BAND ARRIVES IN CANADA



The famous St. Hilda's Band is pictured above arriving in Canada en route to the Canadian National Exhibition at Toronto, where it will play daily during the two week's exhibition period. This is noted throughout Europe and the British Isles as being one of the best group of band experts in existence.

CHINESE FIGHT FOR FOOD IN HANKOW



Desperate scenes as this are being enacted in Hankow, China, as thousands of starving Chinese struggle to obtain food for themselves and their loved ones. But reports from areas in China stricken by flood and famine indicate that there isn't much food for which to battle. Thousands are reported dead, due to present floods in the Yantze River valley.