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EDITORIAL

Opportunities of Canada's Fisheries

The potential wealth of Canada in fishery resources is forcibly portrayed in a map of the fishing banks of the Atlantic which was recently been issued.

Enforcing the New Liquor Enactments

Premier Drury has declared that no effort will be spared in enforcing observance of the bone-dry conditions that will prevail in the Province with the coming into effect of the Canada Temperance Act in accordance with the referendum.

The Sun Says the Farmers are Doing Things

The last issue of the Farmers' Sun in somewhat of a boastful spirit announced the following accomplishments of the U. F. O. since organization: "In six short years the Organized Farmers of this Province upstart a Government, established a Co-operative Company which is now doing a business of \$35,000,000 per annum, secured their own paper which has a circulation of over 40,000 and now their own Government is establishing Key Industries."

A New Enterprise for Georgetown

The ratemakers of Georgetown will vote on the twenty-third inst., on a by-law to authorize the Council to bonus a sheep skin tannery enterprise to the extent of \$30,000.

Adult Children to Aid Dependent Parents

A new bill which has much to commend it is likely to pass the present session of the Legislature. It provides for the maintenance of dependent parents by their children.

British Editors' Opinions of Canada

The Free Press has received an interesting booklet entitled "What British Editors Say About Canada," which has just been issued by the Canadian Department of Immigration and Colonization.

A Lesson in Practical Christianity

The voice of Ontario has been heard definitely. Now it will be Ontario's duty to see that the law it has voted to adopt is enforced fearlessly and rigorously.

Perilous Utterances with Insolence and Disloyalty

Prof. Leacock, of McGill University, deserves every word of the following caustic estimate of his Toronto address, which appeared in last issue of the Presbyterian Witness: "Now that the Referendum Campaign is over in Ontario and the victory happily won, it is not necessary to dwell on the discussions that took place, or the arguments made both pro and con."

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Red Cross Membership Enrollment

Interest in the Red Cross Membership Enrollment is rapidly growing and the indications are that practically every community in the Province will have a Membership Enrollment Campaign during the week beginning May 22.

A Worthy Ontario Weekly Journal

It took the Powassan News to put that town on the map in the Parry Sound district, and Joseph B. Lake is the energetic newspaper man who accomplished it.

Gamblers at the Fall Fairs

The law forbidding gambling at fall fairs which has been practically a dead letter, is to be strictly enforced hereafter. Fairs will be closely watched in the future.

The Press Has Rights at Meetings

The Board of Education of Burlington has been holding meetings at which the representative of the local paper has been excluded.

"Keep Your Dollars Working in Canada"

With this significant appeal as the subject of his address at Convocation Hall, Toronto, a week ago, Sir Henry Drayton dwelt upon the most likely methods of bringing our exchange up to its normal value and providing employment for those out of work.

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"IF I HAD A MOTHER"

It was a drowsy afternoon, a beautiful day in May, and the city streets were filled with shoppers.

WHO AM I?

I am more powerful than the combined armies of the universe. I have destroyed more men than all the wars of the world.

DO IT NOW

"I plan to build a mighty shack," the thoughtful boy sighs, "when the times again come back, and could not do it while the times were good."

IMPROVED ROAD MAKER

Within the past few years a new method of treating roadways, in order to enable them to resist the destructive effects of motor traffic, has been used in France.

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The Red Cross Carries On—Why?



- 1. Because of demands made upon it in dealing with the terrible aftermath of disease and suffering which always follows war.
- 2. Because of the serious health conditions revealed by the war—more than half of our Canadian young manhood unfit for combatant military service.
- 3. Because an international conference of medical experts, realizing that voluntary organizations were necessary as an aid to Governments in solving the world's health problems, decided that "no other organization is so well prepared to undertake these great responsibilities as the Red Cross," and that "no movement deserves more the hearty and enthusiastic support of all people than does this."

ONTARIO ENROLLMENT, MAY 22-28

Enroll with your local Red Cross Branch or Enrollment Committee, or, if there is none in your community, with the Ontario Provincial Division, 410 HURON STREET, TORONTO.

Canadian Red Cross Society Ontario Division



T. E. Gibbons - Mill St., Acton

War Bond Coupons Cashed Free

The Merchants Bank will cash all War Loan coupons or interest cheques when due, on presentation, without making any charge whatever for the service.

THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA

Head Office: Montreal. Established 1864. ACTON BRANCH, GEORGETOWN BRANCH.

Long Distance Service Is Now Classified

The Classification on long distance telephone calls in effect from midnight, April 20th, are of interest to all users of that service.

Station-to-Station Service

Station-to-Station service should be used when you are willing to talk to ANYONE at a distant telephone—that is, when you do not need to get a particular person on the line.

Person-to-Person Service

When you make a call specifying that conversation is desired with a particular person at a given number, Person-to-Person service is used.

Examples of Different Rates

Table with columns: Miles, Station-to-Station Rate, Person-to-Person Rate. Rows: 0-12, 12-28, 28-32, 32-40, 40-48, 48-56, 56-64.

The Bell Telephone Company OF CANADA

Business Directory

- DR. J. A. MONIVEN, Physician and Surgeon. Office and Residence—Dorner House Avenue and Mill Street, the residence space formerly occupied by Dr. M. Henderson, Acton, Ont.
- DR. E. J. NELSON, Physician, Surgeon, Obstetrician, Acton, Ontario. Successor to the late Dr. Gray. Office and Residence—Frederick St. Office Hours—2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.
- DR. C. F. W. HOBB, Physician and Surgeon. Mill St., Georgetown. Phone 22. Ex-House Surgeon Grace Hospital, Toronto. Special attention to Diseases of Women and Children and Infant Feeding.

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Clearing Sale! OF WINTER GOODS

No used goods to Guelph for dollar days. You can make a dollar when you buy at Guelph. Overalls @ \$2.50. Work shirts @ \$1.75. Winter caps @ \$1.75 and \$2.00. And other goods in proportion. Come in and see us for bargains. Ship Packing Neatly Done.

E. K. Cook MILL STREET ACTON

J. JONES ENGRAVING CO

133 BROADWAY TORONTO, CANADA

The Old and Reliable Granite and Marble Dealers

We are manufacturers of all kinds of monumental and decorative work. We sell direct to our customers at wholesale prices. We have the best granite and marble in the Dominion, and we are the only manufacturer in the Dominion who can supply the most complete line of granite and marble. We have the largest and best stock of granite in the Dominion, and more than any three dealers in the Dominion. We are legitimate dealers and employ no agents, and do not employ any peddlers by sending out ignorant agents soliciting orders—we employ only mechanics and stone cutters.