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Canada's Best Customer

The British Isles is now Canada's best customer, a distinction held for several years by the United States. In 1932, domestic exports to the British Isles totalled \$178,171,680 in value or \$15,540,901 more than to the United States.

A Lesson to Learn Young

A noted educator who died a few years ago, at one time informed himself regarding the childhood of over four thousand American millionaires. He found that with the exception of twenty they began life as poor boys.

Canada's Gold Mining Industry

More than 10,000 persons were engaged in the gold-mining industry in Canada in 1932 exclusive of over 5,000 who worked on placer deposits in British Columbia. The total annual payroll for those engaged in this industry is about \$17,000,000.

Two of a Kind

The people who give grudgingly and reluctantly deserve to be paired off with those who receive with a critical attitude. There are some people, whose chief use for gifts, apparently, is finding fault with them.

Senseless Destruction

The other evening, before the skating carnival was over, the decorations which had taken a great deal of time and effort to put in place at the Arena, were, torn down and a number of them destroyed.

EDITORIAL NOTES

There seems to be several methods available for countries to go off the gold standard. Some announce it publicly and others go off in a roundabout way.

An experience no one wants to try is the indefinite banking holiday that our neighbors are having in the United States. Truly the established order is in rather a chaotic condition.

The decrease in the Government sale of intoxicating liquor is truly alarming to the Moderation League—judging by the frantic appeals for freer sale they are putting through the mails these days.

The convention in Toronto last week showed that those interested in the promotion of temperance principles were awake to their duties to seek for greater restriction of the sale of intoxicating beverages.

No one thought for a moment that the banks in Canada would not be open for business on Monday morning. That's another place where Canadians are not willing to follow the example of the United States but prefer to look to England.

Exports from Canada to the British Isles in the calendar year 1932 were valued at \$178,111,680, an increase of \$6,636,858 over the 1931 exports' value.

Since the Boy Scout movement was inaugurated in Canada 24 years ago, 400,000 boys have enrolled. The present enrolment is 62,000. The Boy Scout movement was introduced into the British Isles by Lord Baden-Powell of Gilwell 25 years ago.

During the month of February there were 2,733 accidents reported to the Workmen's Compensation Board, as compared with 4,023 for the same month last year, and 4,643 in January, 1933.

Of the 10,362,833 persons who form the population of Canada, exclusive of the Yukon and the Northwest Territories, only 3,289,507, or 31.7 per cent. live on farms.

Chronicles of Ginger Farm

Written Specially for The Free Press by GWENDOLINE F. CLARKE

Since I started comparing living expenses on a farm with those in town, I have been expecting a few brick-bats to come my way but up to the present they have not arrived.

This week I want to write about "Shoes," and if you who read think I cannot make up a whole column on the subject of shoes, it just shows wherein you err.

Shoes simply cannot be counted in with ordinary clothing, expenses because they are such a mighty item in themselves, especially on a farm, and more especially for goloshes—walk through the mud with feet!

But in the country... well, I wish you could see our boot rack; then I wouldn't need to say any more—you would surely think you had walked into a cobbler's repair shop.

slippers, also dress boots, because even a farmer has occasion to wear dress shoes once in a while. New long rubbers will generally last for a year, but work boots are usually done for in a season.

Then there is my footwear. To feed hens and go to the barn, I, too, must have rubber boots. Then there are Oxfords and slippers for the house—it is poor economy to wear down at heel dress shoes for housework.

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some little distance to the school in their section or to high school in town, and the shoes they wear out is appalling. How can it be otherwise, when they have to walk three or four miles, over rough, stony roads? Very often they start out with footwear that is quite unsuitable by the time they get to town—gum rubbers, when kiddies in town are wearing Oxfords, often without rubbers.

It is impossible to economize on footwear. If necessity demands it, one can make Junior's school pants out of father's old ones, when the darns and patches have become too conspicuous, or make daughter a skirt from Aunt Mary's coat.

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J. Cadesky

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