

Personals

Mr. Wm. E. Hamden, of Buffalo, spent the week-end here. Mr. and Mrs. D. Taylor spent the holiday in Toronto. Miss Laura Wilson has been visiting for the past week in Montreal. Miss Emma Robinson visited at her home in Kenilworth yesterday.

George Wallace CLOTHES SHOP 123 Yonge St., Toronto (Opposite Ryrie-Birks)

Notice to Creditors

Parties having claims against the Estate of the late Mrs. (Ellen) Macdonald, late of the Village of Acton, in the County of Halton, Widow, who died on the Twenty-seventh day of March, 1937, are required to send particulars and proofs thereof to the undersigned Solicitor or before the Sixteenth day of October, 1937, when the assets will be distributed among the parties legally entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims which shall have been filed as aforesaid pursuant to Section 51, Chap. 150, R.S.O. 1927.

Notice to Creditors

In the Matter of the Estate of Dorcas Easterbrook Hemstreet, late of the Village of Acton, in the County of Halton, Married Woman, Deceased.

Notice to Creditors

The Creditors of Dorcas Easterbrook Hemstreet, who died on or about the Twelfth day of September, 1937, are required to send to the undersigned Solicitor their full names, addresses and descriptions, full particulars of their claims and proofs thereof, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them.

Notice to Creditors

In the Matter of the Estate of Agnes Niven McLean, late of the Village of Acton, in the County of Halton, Widow, Deceased.

Notice to Creditors

The Creditors of Agnes Niven McLean, who died on or about the Twenty-third day of March, 1936, are required to send to the undersigned Solicitor their full names, addresses and descriptions, full particulars of their claims and proofs thereof, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. George Thompson wishes to convey to her neighbors her sincere appreciation of their kindness and expressions of sympathy in her bereavement.

WILD ANIMALS GO ABROAD

From the parks area of Western Canada a shipment of wild animals consisting of two female buffaloes, a pair of bears and a pair of beaver is now en route to England. Donated to the Dudley Zoological Society of Dudley, Worcesterhire, England, by the National Parks Bureau, Lands, Parks and Forests Branch, Department of Mines and Resources, the buffaloes were taken from Elk Island National Park, and the bears and beaver from Jasper National Park.

After their capture, the animals were subjected to medical tests and all were given a clean bill of health. Special crates were prepared for the travellers and they were shipped by rail from Elk Island Park, Lamont, Alberta, to Montreal, accompanied by a park warden and sufficient food for the train journey. From Montreal they sailed on the Canadian Pacific S.S. Beaveron, under arrangements that they would be fed and tended by a member of the ship's crew during the ocean voyage.

The crates were stored on the deck of the steamer, and attached to each was a tag, giving full instructions for the feeding and care of the occupant. Each of the buffaloes requires sixteen pounds of hay per day, while the bears have a more varied menu, consisting of two loaves of bread, a pound of apples, and a pound of carrots daily for each of them. Five poplar sticks, about two inches in diameter by about seven feet long and a quarter of a cabbage is the daily fare of each beaver. Before sailing from Montreal a supply of provisions, including faggots of fresh poplar wood, were put on board the vessel.

The conservation and protection of native fauna is one of the primary functions of the National Parks of Canada, and under the watchful eye of the park warden service wild life in all its forms is being preserved for the benefit of this and future generations.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT

The following is the semi-annual report of the Children's Aid Society of the Counties of Peel and Halton, covering the period from April 1st, 1937, to September 30th, 1937:

Table with 2 columns: Category and Amount. Includes: Cases open on April 1st, 1937 (68), New complaints (37), Re-opened cases (10), Cases closed (39), Cases open at September 30th, 1937 (76), Number of visits (576), Number of office interviews (85), Number of court attendances (18), Permanent commitments (3), Temporary wardship extended (1), Number of children involved (74), Adoptions completed (7).

Table with 2 columns: Category and Amount. Includes: Investigations, adoptions and foster homes (106), Visits to homes, where children placed (387), Office interviews (29), It is now over a year since the Society closed the Shelter and adopted the boarding home scheme. This type of care for the children is proving quite satisfactory. They have readily adapted themselves to their new homes and without doubt have a bright new outlook on life.

MINING ACTIVITY IN THE MACKENZIE DISTRICT

Canada's northern mineral front is the scene of great activity according to reports on mining developments in Mackenzie District, Northwest Territories, Mines and Resources.

In the Great Bear Lake District, Eldorado Gold Mines Limited have 105 men employed at the mine on LaBine Point. The mine hoist, pumps and part of the mill are now operated by electrical power of 687 volts, generated by an engine using fuel oil. To supply this oil an 8 1/2-mile pipe line is being constructed along the Bear River rapids, and when completed oil tank barges and the pipe line will transport the oil from the wells below Norman to the eastern end of Great Bear Lake. Approximately 1,700 tons of freight have been carried east across Great Bear Lake this season. In Gordon Lake area, diamond drilling is being carried on by the Subsidy Diamond Drilling Company for Mining Corporation on claims at the southeast end of the lake, where the original gold discovery was made during the summer of 1936. A crew of thirty men are employed making preparations for the installation of a Diesel oil engine and mining plant. Sun Bear Mines Limited, Alexander Prospecting Syndicate, Borealis Syndicate, McVitt-Graham Syndicate, Norwest Exploration Company, and a few independent prospectors are prospecting and trenching their holdings. Aerial exploration work over a wide area is being conducted by Territories Exploration Company. The Government wireless station is in operation at Mining Corporation camp, and aerial transportation companies are active carrying freight.

At Yellowknife Bay, Ryan Gold Mines Limited are engaged in trenching and diamond drilling three veins that have been traced across their "P" and "Q" mineral claims. Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company Limited of Canada are also doing some diamond drilling on the adjoining "Oon" group of mineral claims, and are installing a Diesel engine plant and erecting a modern frame camp on the lake shore. At Prosperous Lake surface work is being carried out on a number of claims lying to the south of Yellowknife Bay. Mining Corporation have a wharf and two large warehouses. The settlement is the terminal of the winter road to Gordon Lake, and several cabins are being erected. Approximately two hundred people are in the district. Canadian Airways Limited and Mackenzie Air Service Limited have wireless stations at Yellowknife settlement, and a Government station will be in operation in the near future.

A TIME FOR CAUTION "My friend" remarked the physician, "you are suffering from a chronic complaint." "I know it, Doc, but please lower your voice," cautioned the patient. "She's in the next room."

Obituary

THOS. C. POSTER, Erin Thomas C. Poster, 58, well-known citizen of Erin Village, died on Saturday at the Private Patients' Pavilion, Toronto General Hospital. Mr. Poster went to Erin in 1912 from Chatsworth. For many years he conducted a general store. He was a member of Burns' Presbyterian Church, Secretary of Wellington A.P. & A.M., No. 271, and a member of Erin L.O.L. 112. An ardent sportsman, he was a member of the Erin Bowling Club and the Shamrock Hockey Association. He had served as Auditor of the Erin Village Council, the School and the Agricultural Society.

NATHAN R. DREDGE Nathan R. Dredge, son of a pioneer family of Eramosa Township, passed away after a lingering illness at the Homeview Sanitarium, Guelph. Mr. Dredge was born on lot 1, concession 4, Eramosa Township. He was the third generation that occupied the farm which was deeded to his grandfather, Nathan Dredge, from the Crown, over one hundred years ago. He farmed very successfully on the homestead until about six years ago, when, owing to ill health, he was forced to retire. He was the eldest son of the late Robert and Elizabeth Dredge. In politics he was a staunch Liberal.

GEORGE W. THOMPSON The Ballinfad community was indeed saddened by the passing of George W. Thompson, on Monday, September 27th, at the age of sixty years. Mr. Thompson had been about as usual a few days prior to his death, and was in the St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, for treatment for only two days. Born on the Thompson homestead, at lot 2, sixth line, Erin, where his father had also been born, he spent his entire life there. He was a son of the late Comfort Thompson and Mary Ross. He was highly respected throughout the entire district. Besides his wife, who was, before marriage, Miss Sadie Sinclair, he leaves two sisters, Mrs. A. B. McLean, Acton, and Mrs. J. McEachern, Guelph. Many friends extend sympathy to all those who have been so sadly bereaved.

THE FLATTERER He—"I prefer the English to the American mode of spelling." She—"Indeed!" He—"Yes. Take 'parlour' for instance. Having 'U' in it makes all the difference in the world."

IN NO HURRY Green—"Now that your son has graduated, has he decided where he is going to work?" Brown—"Where? He hasn't even decided when!"

WIFE "Henry, you were talking in your sleep last night." Henry—"Was I? Sorry to have interrupted you."

WIFE BEASTS "There is enough nicotine in a cigar to kill an elephant," we are told. And that, best beloved, is why elephants never, never smoke cigars. — London Punch

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK



THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE POEM

My first is in which and also in what, My second in drink, but not in soap; My next is in plate, but never in dish, My fourth in a logging but not in a wish, My fifth is in error, but not in mistake, My last not in hot, but always in rags, My whole is a name often seen in the papers, The possessor of which cuts quite a few capers.

USE COUPON Solution _____ Name _____

CANADIAN BUSINESS CONTINUES UPWARD

The first half of 1937 witnessed a greater measure of prosperity in Canada than any year since 1930, according to a review of business conditions by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The index of physical volume of business gained 12.1 per cent. during the first six months compared with the corresponding period a year ago, and the index of industrial production was up by 14.2 per cent. Wholesale prices showed a betterment of 18.1 per cent., while the index of common stock prices advanced 18.5 per cent. An exceptionally progressive half-year was enjoyed by the mining industry due to the relatively high level in the prices of copper, lead and zinc and the heavy demand for metals in British and foreign markets. Canada now holds first place in the production of nickel, third in copper and fourth in zinc. Gold shipments from the mines of Canada increased by 13 per cent., while silver shipments gained by 3.2 per cent. Nickel exports showed an increase of 27 per cent. in quantity, the total having been 112 million pounds against 88 million. Copper exports advanced 3 per cent., totalling 88 million pounds in the first six months of 1937, while lead production reached a new maximum with an increase of 13 per cent. Zinc exports amounting to 138 million pounds, recorded a decline of 5.5 per cent. The output of coal increased from 6,885,000 tons to 6,994,000 tons.

Operations in the forestry group were greatly expanded, the production of newsprint at 1,782,000 tons reaching a new high point in history. Timber sawed in British Columbia was about 1,276 million board feet, a gain of 1.7 per cent. The export of planks and boards at 863 million feet was 19 per cent. greater than in the preceding year. The forest industry is one of the largest employers of labor and working forces in logging showed a gain of 28.5 per cent., while sawmilling and paper industries recorded advances of 13 per cent. and 12 per cent. respectively. The index of manufacturing production, based on 30 factors, indicating the trend in the principal industries showed a gain of 13.6 per cent. The index of employment computed from returns received from plants having fifteen hands and over averaged 9.8 per cent. greater. The construction industry with awards of new business amounting to 110.4 million dollars experienced a gain of about 42 per cent. Total exports of merchandise from Canada during the first half of this year were nearly \$526 million, an increase of 24 per cent. Imports amounting to \$381 million, gained by 29 per cent.

JOYS OF SCHOOL

"Well, Annie, do you like going to school?" asked a visitor of a girl who had never been famous for devotion to her books. "Ye-es," said Annie, hesitatingly, after some consideration, "I really think I like it very well." "That's good. And why do you like it?" "Well, there are so many pleasant things about it," said Annie, with a smile over remembered joys. "Walking to the schoolhouse in the morning, you know, and talking with the girls at recess, and coffeeing some at noon and night. Oh, yes, I really think I like to go to school."

INEQUALITY

Jack: "There's a lot of favoritism in our house." Uncle: "Why, Jack, what do you mean?" Jack: "Well, I get punished if I bite my finger nails and when baby puts his foot in his mouth, they think it's cute."

GOOD TESTIMONIALS

Foreman: "Do you think you're fit for really hard labor?" Applicant: "Well, some of the best judges in the country have thought so."

FULL SIZE CONTRACT

"Shine, please, boy," said the six-foot-five soldier to the bootblack. The boy looked down at the vast expanse of boot before him. Then: "Bert," he called out to another boy, "Oh, me an' 'nd—I've got an army contract!"

New Management Dan's Cafe Dan's Cafe, Acton has been purchased by Herbert Lee, who is now operating this popular Cafe. Accounts owing by the former management must be received before November 8th. After that date the new Management will not be responsible for any unpaid account. Our Menus Will Please — We Invite Your Patronage. Dan's Cafe

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NOTICE! RE POLL TAX Notice is hereby given to all persons liable for Poll Tax within the Municipality of Acton, that the amount due must be paid on or before Wednesday, October 20th After that date summonses will be issued and the amount collected in the course prescribed by law. R. J. McPherson, Collector

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