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One Better
Judge: "Speeding, eh? How many times have you been before me?"
Speeder: "Never, your honor. I've tried to pass you on the road once or twice, but my bus will do only 55."

The Saboteur
Lady: "How did you find the penny I gave you so quickly?"
Beggar: "I'm not the blind man—I'm just sitting here while he goes to the movies."

These Fat Names
Office Boy: "Excuse me, I think somebody wants you on the telephone."
Chief: "Now, what is the use of saying you think I am wanted? Am I wanted or not?"
Boy: "Well, sir, somebody rang up and said: 'Is that you, you old idiot!'"

EMPRESS Re-Designed for Cruises.



By the installation of a permanent tiled swimming pool, increased deck space, and a Lido Cafe, the Empress of Australia, famous former world cruise liner of the Canadian Pacific, is being fitted for her three months West Indies cruise season in 1936.
The whole after-end of the 11,000 ton, three-funnelled liner is now being remodelled in England, and the structural changes being carried out will result in the addition of many square feet of deck space on "A" deck, an enlarged shelter promenade on "D" deck, and a spacious cafe facing a tiled open-air pool, which will be the central feature of the new sports deck.
The tiled swimming pool will have an area of 750 square feet. It will be 25 feet long and 30 feet wide. Day umbrellas and comfortable lounges will be dotted about the deck for sunbathers, and provision is being made for an additional full-size deck tennis court. The Lido deck extends to the stern of the ship.
1936 schedules for the Empress of Australia, in addition to the West Indies season of five cruises, leaving New York in January, February, March, and April, provide for a number of Scandinavian and Southern cruises during the summer. To provide additional comfort during the months the Empress of Australia's passengers will spend in tropical temperatures, additional ventilation is being provided for. Bathrooms are being added to a number of the bedrooms.
The Empress of Australia's West Indies cruise departures from New York will be January 23rd, February 12th, February 20th, March 21st, and April 9th, for cruises of 18 days, 16 days, and 10 days in length.
Photographs show a merry tea party, a before-dinner gathering on the new shelter deck, and a deck quiz game.

OBITUARY

MRS. JOHN NEAR
Over one hundred friends attended the funeral services of Mrs. John Near, a resident of Orton for forty-five years, who died at her home at 1111 St. George Street, Orton, on Sunday, Dec. 8, 1935. Her husband, John Near, died in 1911. Mrs. Near was born in Orton, Ontario, and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Smith. Her husband predeceased her twenty-six years ago. Mrs. Near was the founder of Orton United Church and built and completed it in 1901. Dr. Spence conducted the services at 1:30 p.m. on Sunday. Her remains were taken to "Work for the night is coming." During the service, Mrs. Wellington Entwistle and her daughter, Mrs. Hatley of Woodstock, sang, "Abide With Me." The pallbearers were Messrs. James H. Reed, Acton; Len Avery, Hillsburg; Les. Woods, Marville; Albert Smith, Toronto; John Near, Toronto; and John Reed, Toronto. All members of the deceased. The remains were interred in Grove Cemetery, where a short service was held. Mrs. Near was survived by two sisters, Mrs. T. W. Smith and Mrs. Thorne of Detroit; and two brothers, Messrs. Wellington Entwistle of Woodstock, and Thomas Entwistle of Orton. Friends were present from Toronto, Hillsburg, Georgetown, Woodstock, Orton, Perth, and Hamilton. Orangeville, Acton and Hillsburg.

TOURIST AUTO TRAFFIC DECLINES

A serious decline in the number of American tourist automobiles coming to Canada in the four-year period 1930-34 is shown in the latest Dominion Bureau of Statistics figures and opponents of the gasoline tax believe there is some connection between this decline and the rising trend of gasoline taxation.
In 1933, 110,100 tourist automobiles came in for a period not exceeding 24 hours and 1,297,000 for a stay of not more than sixty days. In 1934 these figures dropped to 3,373,634 and 887,871 respectively.
By province, the decreases between 1933 and 1934 were as follows, taken in the order of automobiles admitted for a period not exceeding 24 hours and for a period not exceeding 60 days:
Maritime Provinces, 343,375 to 137,631; P.E.I., 33,816 to 23,016; Quebec, 358,238 to 304,870; 300,000 to 220,885.
Ontario, 3,470,580 to 3,124,207; 603,807 to 523,155.
Manitoba, 35,043 to 24,136; 19,801 to 10,658.
Saskatchewan, 20,577 to 15,421; 5,734 to 4,603.
Alberta, 21,345 to 15,623; 6,174 to 4,648.
British Columbia, 47,633 to 30,603; 137,720 to 70,000.
—Retail stores in Canada employ approximately 650,000 persons, including proprietors and partners as well as employees.

MILTON

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Willmott, who have been residents of Milton for several years, left on Friday last for Toronto, where they will spend the winter.
Gordon Turner, of Trafalgar, underwent an operation at Guelph General Hospital on Monday. His many friends hope he will have a speedy recovery.
M. J. Carton of Equeusling township, appointed by the late Bennett Government, is receiving for Milton county under the Farmers' Creditors Arrangement Act, has received notice that he has been relieved of his position and that the office in future will be linked with Peel county under the supervision of the supervision of Gordon B. Jackson, K. C. formerly of Milton.—Champion.

ERIN

Miss Rachel McLachern of Woodville is visiting with her uncle, Mrs. Ronald and Malcolm McLachern.
Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wilkinson attended the funeral of the former's sister, Mrs. Morrison, of Forest Hill, on Monday.
Mrs. Halmon visited with her son and daughter at Guelph on Monday, also attending the students service at Convocation Hall.
The funeral place to the Gross cemetery on Monday, of Mrs. John Near, a pioneer resident of Orton district, who passed away on November 29th in her 81st year. Dr. H. J. Brown conducted the service.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davidson, who celebrated their wedding anniversary on Sunday, December 1st, when they were guests at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hector Pankyr, Messrs. Andrew and Robert Hunter were also guests at the festive board.—Advocate.

ACTON

A native of Acton, Miss Margaret Hynde, sister of the late George Hynde, passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital in Victoria, B.C., on November 11th, at the age of 81 years. She had been a resident of Victoria for the past thirty-seven years.
N. O. Lindsay and Robert Kerr of Acton, were again among the prize winners with honey horses at the Winter Fair at Guelph.
Mrs. F. J. Browning of Toronto, who with her sister, Mrs. Robert McPherson, who, friends will be pleased to learn is recovering nicely from her recent illness, and was able to return from the hospital last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Day, Mr. Geo. Day, who has been several weeks in Guelph General Hospital, Miss Margaret Thomas of Rockwood, and Mr. Fred Day of Hillsburg, and Mr. Woodcock, visited at the home of Mrs. H. H. Wainwright on Saturday.
On Tuesday evening, November 5, a few friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cross in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes of Acton. The evening was spent in games and dancing.
A Christmas card was sent to an address was read and many miscellaneous gifts were presented to the group, to which the guests responded. At the close of the evening a social time was spent by all.—Free Press.

TAKE PRECAUTIONS AGAINST FIRE

At this particular time of year, when houses and business places have to be heated by furnaces or stoves, residents of Georgetown should make it a point to have their heating systems checked and in perfect condition. The dangers of pipes, and escaping coal gas from a defective furnace or stove, are all too prevalent during the winter months.
The local fire brigade has, on a number of times, been summoned to homes in which the furnaces or stoves, had either fire occurred during the night, or had long since become a danger to the occupants. The day after the recent earthquake in Piquette, found his old dependable spring, upon which he relied for his water supply, was completely dried up. In order to supplement the deficiency he recently had his old well near the house drilled. This well was formerly 12 feet in depth only giving a very meager supply of water. After being drilled to its depth, a gusher was struck which raised a column of water to a height of 10 feet above the surface of the ground.

A FAT WHICH THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

Butter is one of the foods which has been widely used for many centuries, but whose true nutritional value has only recently been brought to light according to Laura C. Popper, of the Dairy and Cold Storage Branch, Dominion Department of Agriculture. Recognizing the importance of adequate amounts of fats in diet and the valuable contributions made to health by butter, modern scientists uphold the generous use of this superior fat.
Palatability and high food value are the two qualities which earn for butter the distinction of being "the fat for which there is no substitute." Pats recommended for their tasteless properties hold little or no interest for the woman who prizes herself on her cooking. She knows it is butter that makes cream sauce look and taste so rich. It is the butter used in cakes and cookies that evokes praise from friends; and, similarly, it is butter that insures that the butter used in colour in many dishes prepared for the family table.
For food value, butter is a concentrated energy producer, yielding 2 1/2 times as much heat in the body as the fat in the body. This is a strong argument in favour of using plenty of butter, particularly in the winter when the body requires extra heat. Butter is easily digested and readily and completely assimilated by the body; it contains small quantities of lime and phosphorus, and in addition has a high content of Vitamin A, which distinguishes it from other fats. It is also a rich source of Vitamin A, which builds up resistance to disease and promotes normal health and growth. Butter is also one of the few foods which provide Vitamin D, the sunshine vitamin, necessary for the development of bones and teeth.

LOW FARES TO CANADA'S PACIFIC COAST PLAYGROUNDS

Incidents of Eastern Canada will have an opportunity this winter of travelling by low, round-trip excursion fares offered by the two Canadian railways to Canada's Evergreen Playgrounds on the Pacific Coast, according to an announcement by C. V. Hiddell, Chairman, Canadian Passenger Association. Protected from the winter cold by the great mountain ranges, and with a climate tempered by the warm waters of the Japan current, British Columbia is yearly attracting an ever increasing number of visitors from Eastern Canada who are anxious to avoid the rigours of winter.
In order to meet this demand, both railways will place on sale low round-trip first class fares from Port Arthur, Armstrong and all stations east thereof in Ontario, and in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, to destinations in British Columbia, Oregon and Washington. These fares will be good going from December 1 to February 15, with return movement good any time up to April 30.
Round-trip privileges will be allowed at all stations on going or return trips. Various optional routes will be in effect for these excursions without additional charge, including passage through United States territory and also optional routes on Canadian lines or by other various routes with slight additional cost. Special winter rates will also be available at Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle.
The cities of Vancouver and Victoria have special facilities for winter sports. Vancouver has a winter golfing in Canada, including the Winter Golf Tournament at Victoria from January 17 to 27, also fishing, tennis and other non-sporting winter sports, which are all-year round pursuits. While visitors with a flair for winter sports can have a day with sled or toboggan by taking a short drive from Vancouver to the mountains.

THE WISE DECLARE

"The old Germany is not dead. It merely lies in wait for its resurrection."—Adolf Hitler.
"I am an invincible optimist about the twentieth century."—Robert La Follette.
"The conspiracy of two and two to make four is bound to be, in the long run, successful."—Ezra Pound.
"The darkness and ignorance in the life of the masses has so far been the most glaring drawback of civilization."—Bertrand Russell.
"Organization is the most delicate and difficult of all arts, always liable to perversion in the hands of those who practice it."—J. C. Holland.
"Recent events have made it plain that there is one man who can defeat the President. His name is Franklin D. Roosevelt."—Walter Lippman.

NO RECENT REFORM HAS DAUGHTED

so much as that just announced in Poland, where election meetings and addresses are now made criminal offences."—Bernard Shaw.
"The only palmists I will allow to read my hand are travelling gypsies. There is something more than a rehearsal of Othello and Sullivan in prospect."—Dr. William J. Elliott of Harvard University.
"Statesmen today are like chauffeurs in high society. In 1916 they were like chauffeurs who did not know what a kidnapping was."—Sir Arthur Walford.
"No nation can be destroyed while it possesses a good home life."—J. C. Holland.
"It looks very much as though the industrial and social warfare of the last generation will narrow down to one between Fascism in some form and Communism."—Harry Elmer Barnes.
"After twenty-five years the reciprocity pact between Canada and the United States has at last come into actual operation."

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Welcome once again to gaiety, to friendliness, to the happy spirit of Christmas—caught up for all of us in the jolly person of Santa Claus. This year, more than ever before, he is a symbol of hope and a promise of good things to come. And as we recapture the twinkle in his merry eyes and hear in fancy the pattering hoofs of his reindeer, we know that dreams come true. That the world's a happy place when everybody smiles and says, "I wish you a merry Christmas!"

Specials



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2 lb. New Pitted Dates 25c
New Mixed Nuts, per lb. 20c
2 lb. pkg. Falcon Brand Pure Cocoa 29c
5 lb. Bag Blue Highland Flaked Wheat 23c
Fresh Bbl. fine Baking Molasses, per lb. 4c
No. 2 1/2 tin Gold Medal Tomato Juice 10c
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