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John Bracken — The Man

John Bracken, the son of a farmer Ephraim Bracken and his wife, Alberta, was born in a log cabin in Ellisville, Leeds County, Ontario, on the 22nd of June, 1883.

Here, briefly chronicled, are the main events in the life of John Bracken:

- 1898 - Student at Brockville Collegiate, Ontario.
- 1902-5 Student at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. He won four scholarships, the Governor-General's Medal, was top honours student and class medalist. Here, too, he met Alice Wylie Bruce.
- 1906 - Young Bracken went to Winnipeg as representative of the Seeds Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture.
- 1907 - In the neighbouring Province of Saskatchewan, John Bracken became Superintendent of Fairs and Farmers' Institutes and Secretary of the Provincial Livestock Association.
- 1910 - John Bracken was appointed Professor of Field Husbandry at the new University of Saskatchewan. He took the first train to Guelph, Ontario, married Alice Wylie Bruce. Four sons were born — three of whom are now on Active Service with the Navy, Army and Air Force.
- 1920 - Already the author of two books on agriculture, John Bracken became President of the Manitoba Agricultural College.
- 1922 - John Bracken accepted the leadership of the Progressive Farmer Government, was sworn in as Prime Minister of Manitoba.

Now began the political life of the most continuously successful political leader the Empire has produced in this century. Since that day — from 1922 to 1942 — John Bracken has never been defeated.

- 1932 - The Liberals joined John Bracken's farmer government.
- 1940 - All the other political parties, including the C.C.F. and Social Creditors, threw in their fortunes with a great leader forming a wartime Coalition Manitoba government.
- 1942 - The year of John Bracken's great decision. John Bracken, the Progressive, accepted the national leadership of a great resurgent people's party — The Progressive Conservatives.

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Know John Bracken — the Progressive Conservative

NEW RECIPES FOR RHUBARB USING MINIMUM OF SUGAR

Rhubarb, sure sign of spring and first fruit of the garden, is at its best now. Green, pink, or rosy-red, it adds colour to meals and a tangy flavour to desserts.

Straight from the garden to the pot — that's the ideal way to handle rhubarb. If it has to be purchased, be sure the stalks are crisp and firm so that the rhubarb will be tender and appetizing. Wilted flabby stalks will become stringy, poor-flavoured rhubarb when cooked. Stalks from 3/4 to 1 inch are best.

Never peel rhubarb. Peeled rhubarb loses its colour and eye appeal.

The home economists of the Consumer Sect'on, Dominion Department of Agriculture, offer some rhubarb recipes which will not make too great a dent in the sugar ration.

To prepare Rhubarb—
Pour boiling water over cut rhubarb, let stand for 5 minutes. Drain and cook without additional water. Two tablespoons of sugar to 1 cup of diced raw rhubarb is usually sufficient for palatability when rhubarb is very young and mild. The sauce will taste sweeter if the sugar is not added until after the rhubarb is cooked.

Rhubarb Sauce

- 6 cups rhubarb
- 1/8 teaspoon salt
- 3/4 cup sugar

Wash rhubarb, cut in 1-inch pieces but do not peel. Cover with boiling water, let stand 5 minutes, drain well. Complete cooking by using one of the following methods.

Double Boiler Method: Cook rhubarb with salt in a closely covered double boiler for 35 minutes. Remove from heat. Add sugar, stir and let stand until sugar is dissolved. Chill. Six servings.

Oven Method: Cook rhubarb in a covered casserole in a moderately hot oven, 375°F. for 30-40 minutes. Remove from oven, add sugar and stir. Cover and let stand until sugar is dissolved. Chill. Six servings.

Sunset Snow

- 4 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup cold milk
- 1 cup boiling water
- 2 egg whites
- 2 cups rhubarb sauce

Mix cornstarch, sugar and salt. Add cold milk slowly, stirring until smooth. Add boiling water and cook in the top of double boiler, stirring constantly until mixture thickens. Cool slightly and fold into stiffly beaten egg whites. Turn into a wet mould and chill. Unmould and serve with rhubarb sauce. Six servings.

Rhubarb Bread Pudding

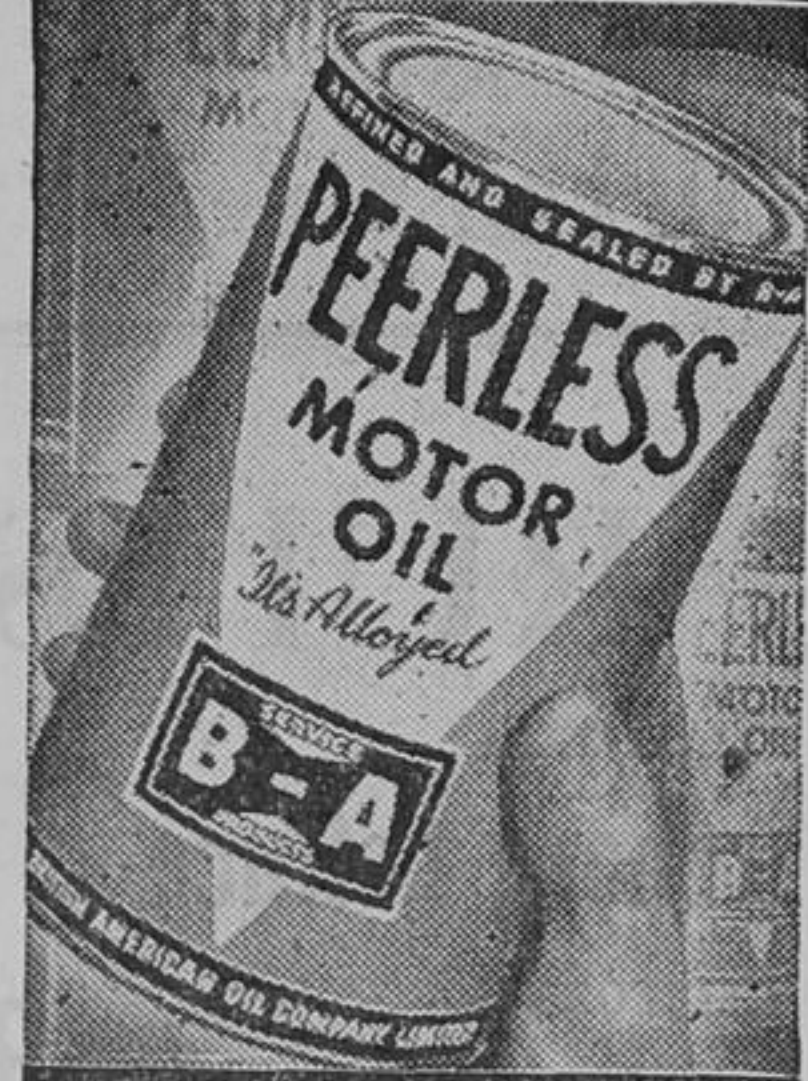
- 2 cups diced rhubarb
- 2 cups boiling water
- 4 tablespoons sugar
- 1/8 teaspoon salt
- 1 egg yolk
- 1 cup milk
- 2 cups bread crumbs
- 1 egg white

Pour boiling water over diced rhubarb and let stand for 5 minutes. Drain. Add sugar and salt and let stand for 10 minutes. Beat egg yolk, add milk and pour over bread cubes, then add rhubarb mixture. Fold in stiffly beaten egg white. Turn into a greased baking dish and bake in a moderately hot oven, 375°F. for 1 hour. Six servings.

Men are more accountable for their motives, than for anything else; and primarily, morality consists in the motives, that is in the affections.—Archibald Alexander.

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Two Men In A Free Society

By R. J. Deachman

"They succeeded because the opportunity was these and they grasped it. Would their contribution to human progress have been as great if they had been born in a controlled economy, their future in the hands of the state?"

In the City of Toronto there is a very able journalist and business man. He directs the destiny of one of its greatest newspapers. I refer to Mr. J. E. Atkinson of the Toronto Daily Star. His picture hangs in my office, for the simple reason that he has constructive capacity, and I like men who build things, build them high and strong and with ample foundations under them, so that they may endure for ages. We need more men of that type, men who live constructive lives, tireless at the tasks they love so well.

In a Star editorial of March 2nd, 1945, there appeared this quotation from Sir William Beveridge's new book, "Full Employment In A Free Society":

"Experience in peace has shown that the desire of men who are already above want to increase their profits by investment is not a strong enough motive or sufficiently persistent in its action to produce a demand for labour which is strong enough or steady enough."

This is a mistaken conception. Great builders, artists, writers, do not cease to build, paint, or write because they stand high on the ladder of fame. They keep on because they love their tasks. The trouble is that under a controlled economy there can be little freedom. Size becomes a crime, the successful business will be taken over by the state. Would genius strive so mightily if the goal of success were failure?

Then this question arises. Would Mr. Atkinson be permitted to attempt the task under a controlled economy? Those in command might say that Toronto had no need of more papers. They might even recognize his ability and offer him a position as general manager of state publications. If that had happened would his contributions to the life of the nation have been as great? Can we afford to chain the energy of a giant, deprive him of initiative, black-out the dreams which a fervent imagination gives to a man of that type, and then expect his creative value to be as high as it would be under free enterprise?

Turn now to another man. Henry Ford planned to build a car. He could have built for the few, a luxurious car. He had broader ideas, he wanted to put the nation on wheels, take it into the country. It was a dream, to the average man an impossible dream. Men were not earning enough to enable them to buy cars and use them. Ford had a scheme for that too. He would develop their capacity to produce, and because they would produce more, they would earn more. He was the first to grasp that simple fact.

What would have happened if, in these moves, he had to haggle and discuss each step with a government board while his unfettered mind was soaring far beyond their ken. This board would be political. It would take into consideration the affect of this proposal on the prospects of the government. The farmer would protest, the horse breeders would be up in arms. Delegation would wait upon the government. The churches would speak. They would point out that this would take the boys and girls away from Sunday school, the men and women away from church. The instincts of free people are far more likely to be right than the wisest judgments of our self appointed planners.

Then why stifle the creative instincts of free men. Let them dream dreams and live to see them realized. Freedom in chains cannot survive.

NO TIME FOR OSTRICHES

May 8th, 1945 lies behind us. Its excitements, confusion, cheering and occasional sorrows belong to history.

What's ahead is the future, a future we still have plenty of time to make or break. For six years we have stared straight ahead at the necessity of fighting a hard war and keeping a strict watch on our home front economy. It's true we can relax a little now.

But if we think we can blissfully shrug off the shaping of the peace (when we still haven't finished ALL the war), if we as civilians, for instance, think that we can ignore the storm of threatened inflation that would break over us at the least opportunity, why we're just fooling ourselves.

An ostrich never wins by burying his head in the ground. All he does is get sand in his eyes.

Mrs. Cora Casselman, Canada's woman delegate to the San Francisco conference and first woman to win a seat in the Canadian Parliament as a Liberal nominee, was elected to represent a western constituency vacated by the death of her husband in 1941.

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