A NEW WAY TO WRITE A

It is almost impossible to get away from the conventional form in writing a marriage notice without trespassing on the routine methods adopted for other forms of news. In proof of this, herewith is submitted an alleged new type of marriage notice from a recent issue of The Humourist, of London, Eng .:-

A marriage took place at 8.30 a.m. in London recently. We understand that the bridegroom partook of a hearty breakfast, joked with his guards, and walked steadily up the

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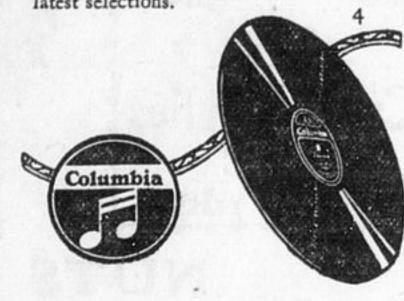
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WAY TO WRITE A REPORT OF A WEDDING LETTER IN REGARD TO PROVINCIAL LAND TAX

Settler from Cane Expresses Opinion | Wonders of Industrial and Mining on Working Out of the Legisla-

Last week The Advance published an article from The New Liskeard

Cane, December 7th, 1927 To the Editor of Liskeard Speaker Dear Sir:-After reading in your paper of December 1st, "Provincial Land Tax Act Misunderstood," I am of the opinion that even the New Liskeard Speaker don't understand all the mysteries in connection with the working of this Act. Time will not permit me to go in detail. I am only going to refer to your statement of exemption bona fide settlers. Sec. 4 of the Act reads, "nor in respect of lands, the owners of which are declared by the Lieut.-Governor in Council to be exempt from such tax as being bona fide settlers engaged in bringing the land under cultivation or otherwise developing the agricultural resources thereof," all land in unorganized territory is to be taxed exempt by Order in Council.

You explain in yyour paper that a settler has to apply to Mr. Ryan, Government Tax Collector for a form to be filled in by the Clergyman or J.P. certifying that the person is a

Who is a bona fide settler? That uestion has been a live one in Temiskaming for 25 years. The Minister of Lands employs a Homestead Inspector to report on lots.

Sec. 6 of the Act reads as follows 'The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may appoint an officer to be known as the Lad Tax Collector and may appoint such other officers, clerks and servants as may be deemed necessary for the administration of this Act. Why impose on clergymen and J.P.'s the doubtful honour of certifying that persons are bona fide settlers. Why don't the Minister of Lands trust his Homestead Inspector to give him the information? The Homestead Inspector is paid for that work. they propose running the collecting of the tax as a charitable insitution

It is not necessary for me to make any further comment on the Act, as the farmers discuss it when they meet at threshings and the country store. Yours truly,

Herb. Bennett, J.P.

ADVERTISEMENT BRINGS LARGE NUMBER REPLIES

A large wholesale house in Timmins last week placed an advertisement in The Advance asking for a young lady or gentleman for office work. Replies were to be addressed to a box care of The Advance. There were no less than 27 replies received over the week-end, showing once more that The Advance want advts. bring results. The drawing power of the want advt. page of a paper is generally recognized as the best indication of the standing of a newspaper in its community. This is geerally recognized in the newspaper world. Accordingly The Advance has no cause for complaint in this particular case, nor in any other case in regard to "want advts." The wholesale house is equally pleased with the results obtained, having secured a noteworthy list of applications from which to make a selection. The position has been satisfactorily filled.

Maple Leaf Theatre Schumacher

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SOUTH SHOULD INCREASE ENTHUSIASM FOR NORTH

Development of the North Should be More Widely Known.

Intelligent publicity for the North Speaker on the Provincial Land Tax, Land will always be a good thing. It which is objected to by so many set- is for this reason that The Advance tlers in unorganized areas. Last week has so persistently repeated the elo-The Speaker published a letter from quent addresses on this country by Mr. Herb. Bennett, J.P., Cane, on the men like Hon. Chas. McCrea, Minister subject. This letter will be of inter- of Mines, and Hon. Mr. Finlayson, est to readers who are concerned with | Minister of Lands and Forests. Elsethe tax in question. Here is the let- where in this issue will be found a report of an address by Hon. Mr. Finlayson, given to the Empire Club at Toronto last week. This address is well worth wide publicity, emphasizing as it does the idea, so often stressed by The Advance, that every dollar spent on the development of the North Land is a dollar well invested, and that will return many times its amount to the province at large. Equally worthy of attention is an editorial in The Mail & Empire prompted by Hon. Mr. Finlayson's address. The Mail & Empire said:-

"When questions of great importance to the community fail to excite public interest the remark is often made that the people need to be educated. That remark does not reflect upon the average citizen's grounding in the subjects taught in our schools. It is simply a way of saying that before the public can be expected to take a keen interest in a matter that concerns them they should be informed about it. In these times there is no lack of means for communicating information to the people. Facilities therefore were never so abounding as they are to-day. Because they are not made the most of by those who are entrusted with the administration of public affairs the people are kept in the dark about many things in regard to which, consequently, public opinion, instead of being strong and active, is almost non-existent.

"In old Ontario, where the mass of people of the Province live, there should be a high degree of popular enthusiasm about the proved and the promising mining ventures and the striking industrial achievements in our North, an enthusiasm that would be a real driving force in the progress of that part of the Province. We regret to say that the people of old Ontario give too little evidence of a conception of the wonderful resources and astonishing output of production there and of the works established there by men of capital and enterprise. In the very lucid and altogether admirable address delivered by Hon. W. F. Finlayson at the Empire Club luncheon yesterday facts were given which many of those present never grasped the magnitude of before. They heard from him about the power plant and the paper mills at the Iroquois Falls with the surprise that might be felt over the marvels of industrial development in some far-away country. What he had to tell them about the riches of the Kirkland Lake district and the operations there, as well as of other mining fields of the North, brought things home to them of which they ought to have been spreading the fame for the last two years. The administration of that region, the Government expenditure thereon upon railway extensions, good roads and other services, were the more interesting because Mr. Finlason's account of them came to many of his hearers as

"The mass of the people may be open to criticism for not catching the spirit of progress in their own North and "telling the world" what a country it is. Had Ontario's people taken up the tale and kept it going, more capitalwould have been enlisted in the North and still more progress have been made. Public men can do more than they suppose in the work of educating the people upon questions and developments of the day. Speeches of the type of that made yesterday by Mr. Finlayson, ministers should take every occasion to deliver. The people of Ontario would be more interested in information about the substantial progress the Government is doing its part to promote than in the squabbles of party politics. A Government that labours hard for the public good in this Province of great areas of treasure-land should often speak to the people about the realities for which public policy is to be credited, and in this way help to bring into the forward movement the tremendous force of which informed public opinion is

KIRKLAND LAKE CHINESE PAY FINES FOR NARCOTICS

The Kirkland Lake Northern News ast week savs:-

"Three Chinese paid fines of \$100 each and costs, while eight more of their countrymen each paid fines of \$40 and costs, in the weekly police court held in the Union Hall at Kirkland Lake last Friday. The evidence presented showed that three of the men were found smoking opium, while their companions were on the premises A quantity of the "dope" was found by the police and sent to Toronto for analysis. The charge was laid under the Narcotic Drug Act. In the case of the eight ordered to pay \$40 fines the charge was reduced to "being

Sudbury Star:-It is estimated that there are seven million dogs in the United States, not counting the

found in a resort," contrary to the

statutes."

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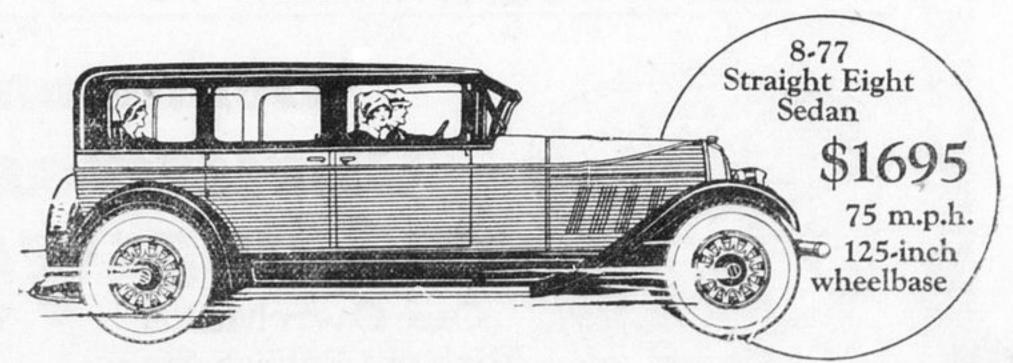
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