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Wonder of Potential Wealth Being Brought to Light in This Wide Country

The Toronto Mail & Empire says:-

None of the constituent Provinces in this Dominion has more substantial reason for faith in itself than Ontario To every Province Nature has been lavish of her gifts. Which one of them will be found to be the most highly endowed in the matter of natural resources no one can now say. Wonders of potential wealth are being brought to light in this wide country, as treasure-land after treasure-land is discovered in rapid succession. What has given the impulse to the spirit of enterprise now abroad in the vast wildernesses of our Northern latitudes? Nothing but the spur of suc-

cess. The prospectors' claims that have been turned into mines of largescale production in this Province have started the search after minerals in other Provinces, notably in Quebec ores of gold, copper, lead, zinc and other metals have been found, and are certain to be the sources of immense wealth production. Ontario has set the pace. It has given a start to an JOHN E. HAMMELL PLANS industrial activity of a new order in what were unknown regions in this country, an industrial activity whose During the past couple of years who can say?

mineral production to which Ontario has attained, and which ought to give Ontario a forward movement exceeding that any part of this country has hitherto experienced. The expanding primary industry maintained by our miners ought at once to become the sub-structure of flourishing secondary industries, working up the material obtained from our mines and developing the series of industries that spring up from activities based on the raw material output. In his address before the Canadian Club the other day Hon. Charles McCrea, Minister of Mines, expressed the hope that "with not smoke, chew, drink or swear. ledge of the business side of a slipper, the development which is now started, But murder was a habit that was to take charge of a four-year-old boy her weight during her first year. particularly in the lead and zine rapidly getting hold of this "clean- who has a double dose of original And tries to halve it during her forareas; and the large quantity of raw living" boy.

time.

material which will be making itsel known within a few years, our business men, our manufacturers, will be ready either with new business or with expansion of present business, to absorb as a market, in a bigger way than we are now doing, these mining products. If we are going to get the full advantage of them we should have the greatest possible develop-In an editorial article last week | ment, not only as raw material, but as finished material in our country."

As we have said more than once the Provincial Governments of this country have been the real stays of Canadian industry. Had they been inattentive to the possibilities of production within their area of jurisdiction, to what depths of depression might this country have sunk under the policy of tariff reduction and tariff instability maintained at Ottawa! Why should the beneficial effects of wise Provincial policy not be enjoyed by our own people instead of being so largely transferred to people in the United States to whom the Canadian home market has been so largely conceded by the King Government? Out of the efforts of the Provincial Governments to foster production and find employment for Canadians at home and the opposing and in Manitoba, where large areas of efforts of the Dominion Government to foster United States trade in this country, Canada has to take its chance of making progress.

AIR FLEET FOR NORTH

output will in the next few years ex- Mr. John E. Hammell, the noted Norceed that of what were before our thern Ontario mining man, has had foremost sources of production. Ac- considerable experience with the use customed as the Canadian people have of airplanes in the Patricia district become to marvellous discoveries of in the work of prospecting and mineral lands in their country, they mining in distant areas. He is one of are prepared now for revelations of the far-sighted Northerners who early further and perhaps still greater se- realized that the airplane is an ideal cret reserves that have been kept lock- transportation medium in this land of ed up throughout the ages. What to- great distances. In his prospecting lace, commissioner of mines, elicited menace. Dr. J. M. Robb (Algoma) morrow may bring forth in this way work in the far North he has made the information that these regulations declared that in his district the deer considerable use of the airplane and will be drafted as soon as the labors | had almost disappeared, due to the The people of Ontario have special few are in position to judge its value of the prsent session permit the offi- ravages of the packs, which were bereason to have faith in their Province in more expert and experienced way. cials responsible for the framing of coming more daring every day. because of what has been already as- Now, Mr. Hammell is planning the new regulations to devote their attencertained and proved about the na- organization of a Northern Aerial tion to them. Upon completion, the the committee to the fact that the tural resources here. Other Pro- Exploration Fleet. The nucleus of drafted legislation will be submitted deer were most plentiful in the very vinces have been found to be similarly this fleet according to semi-official and to the mining operators of the pro- districts from which the largest wolf blessed-whether in greater or less or nouncements, will be four Fokker vince and subsequently put into force returns had been made. equal degree remains to be seen—but planes and four Moths, captained by by order in council. Dr. Wallace "The wolf roams from district to they have yet to reach the stage of H. O. Oaks, who has been piloting stated further that the Ontario regularity district," Dr. Robb pointed out, "and out, Gold Pines, Red Lake, Woman the Manitoba regulations, with amend-Lake and other points in Patricia district during the past couple of years. The new fleet of airships, as the name given to the fleets suggests, will be used primarily in the work of prospecting and exploring and developing the wide stretches of the North where mineral wealth is believed to be gathered, waiting discovery and

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MANITOBA CONSIDERING THE HOLLINGER DISASTER

Safety in Regulations in Mani-

The recent disaster at the Hollinger regard to the mining industry in old dates." Manitoba are now in course of pre- "A mistake was made," he added, paration. The list of questions form- 'and we will be only too glad to rectially asked in the Manitoba legislature fy it." are given below, together with the an- The committee, the first act of swers by the Minister:-

against disaster, such as has occurred jects which are to come under conthose outlined in the Mines Act, Chap- bounties, the advisability of introductions are now in process of drafting, and duck-shooting. The first deputato this Act last year.

vided for when the new regulations ests. come into effect.

contained in the Workmen's Compen- | plain that the Government was not sation Act to cover losses from disas- favourably disposed to any increase in ter of fire or explosion or other acci- the wolf bounties. "It so happens," special disaster reserve fund confer- more wolves to-day under the \$15 arred upon the Board by the Act.

Question-What provision does the with the larger bounties. Workmen's Compensation Act make In 1923, he pointed out, when the to cover mining disease? Answer- bounty was \$40, there had been 1,904 The mining disease known as Ankylo- sent in. In 1924, with the switch to stomiasis is covered by the provisions | the \$15 plan, and the return of the of the Act. The matter of including skin to the trapper, 1,922 wolves had other mining disease is now being been taken. The following year the studied.

tions, covering both accident and in- end of the fiscal year, it had already dustrial diseases, and how does the reached 4,000. government propose to enforce these the jurisdictions of mining inspectors. the rate was the same as

(Manitoba) Herald made the follow- of the western provinces.

ing comment:planes between Hudson, Sioux Look- lations are being used as the basis of he will follow the deer." ments where experience in the former province has shown such to be de-

> Duluth Herald:-How much more pleasant bridge would be if people would be dumb, instead of acting

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SHORTER OPEN SEASON FOR THE HUNTING OF DEER

Special Consideration Being Given to Government Not Disposed to Grant Any Increases in the Bounties on Wolves

The Fish and Game Department of is being noted by the Manitoba Gov- the Ontario Government will adopt ernment in drafting up new regula- again the shorter open season for the tions in connection with mining affairs | hnuting of deer in the province, says in that province. In the Manitoba The Mail & Empire. Last year follegislature some days ago, in questions lowing representations made by certo Hon. W. J. Major, K.C., the attor- tain sections, the season was extendney-general, reference was made to ed from 15 days to 30 days. At the the fire underground at the Hollinger first meeting of the Fish and Game these United States; it is perhaps a and it was evident that the Manitoba Committee, last week, however, Hon. mere coincidence that that is also the legislators were anxious to profit by Charles McCrea, Minister of Mines, length of the usual after-dinner any knowledge or experience gained announced that the new deer season speech. in Northern Ontario mines. Hon, W. had not worked out as satisfactory as J. Major made the statement that new had been hoped, and that the Governand more up-to-date regulations in ment would restore "practically the

which was to elect Hon. Joesph Question-What mining regulations | Thompson (St. Davids), chairman for are at present actually in force to pro- the present session, confined itself tect miners and mining property to a preliminary discussion of the subat the Hollinger Mines? Answer- sideration, including the wolf menace, The regulations at present in force are and the advisability of increasing the ter 128 of the Revised Statutes of ing a closed season for muskrat, and 1913. New and up-to-date regula- the situation with regard to fishing as provided in the amendments made tions of the session will be heard on Wednesday of this week, which has Question-Have any mining inspec- been set aside by the committee for tors been appointed by the Govern- consideration of the needs of fisherment to date, if so, who are they, and men. A further meeting on Friday if not, why not? Answer-No. It is of this week will hear deputations of expected that inspection will be pro- duck-shooting and fur-trapping inter-

Hon. Mr. McCrea, in his customary Question-What provisions are now address to the committee, made it dent? Answer-Power to levy for a | he explained, "that we are getting rangement, than we did previously

total had increased to 3,819. From Question-What is the policy of the November 26th, 1926, to the end of Government regarding adequate regui last year, there had been a total 5,514, lations for safety in mining opera- while for the four months from the

The Province of Ontario, he believregulations? Answer-The new re- ed, could not raise the bounty without gulations now being prepared will running the danger of having wolves contain safety provisions in respect turned in which had never during of accident and dust in minss. These | their lives set foot on the territory of regulations will be enforced through the province. At the present time, In regard to the matter, The Pas that in Quebec, and higher than most

William Newman (Victoria North) "Enquiries made of Dr. R. C. Wal- and Dr. J. M. Robb spoke of the wolf

The Minister drew the attention of

H. V. Harcourt (Parry Sound) advocated the plan used in the United States, where inspectors were appointed to take care of the situation. When reports of wolf ravages were received, the inspectors would make investigations, and if they saw fit, would placard townships, laying the necessary lines of poison. He believed this system might be more effective than the present bounty plan.

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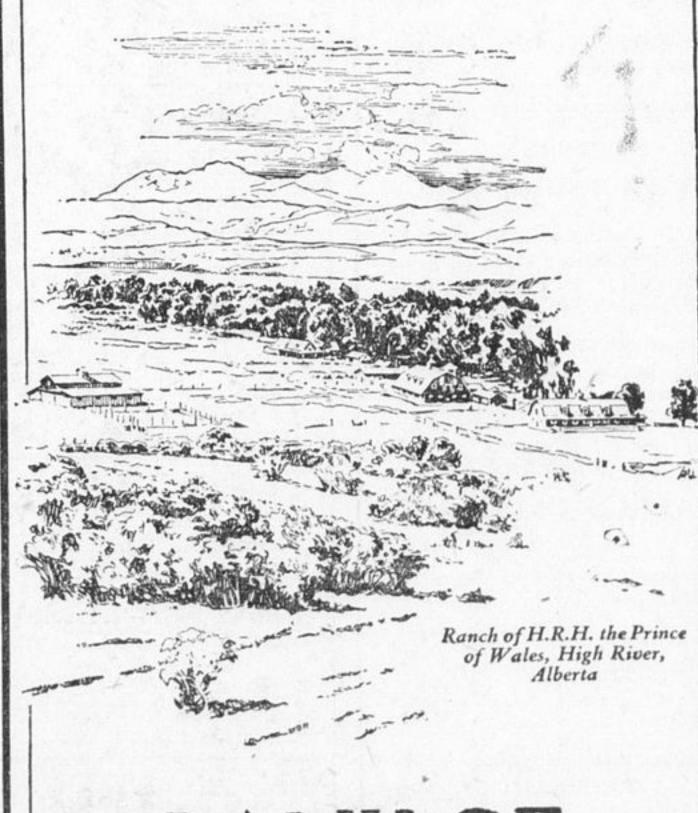
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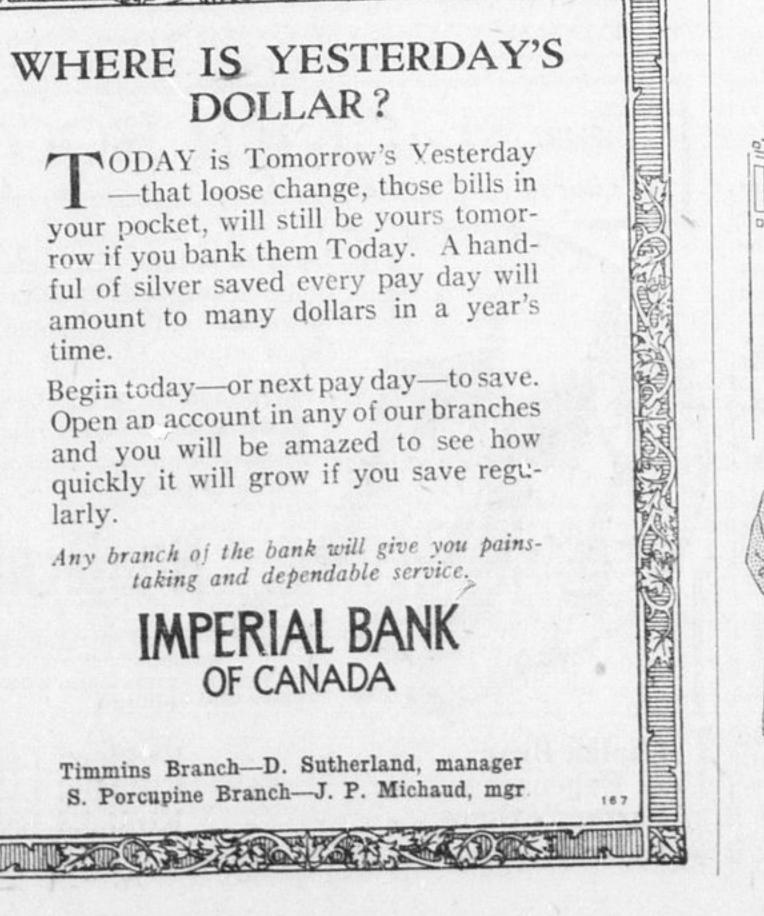


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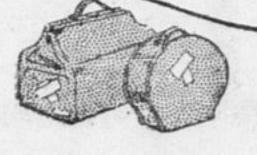


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