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NEWSPAPER WORK SHOULD BE CONDUCTED DECENTLY

There are newspapers and odd people

who would introduce into Canada a type of journalism that has been a cross between a joke and a curse in the United States. The Advance has alism is the so-called virtue of snap possible. the picture gave she might just as well wire. low-brows. Another example of this speaks for itself; and, as in the applisame type of journalism is referred to cation of electricity, the development in 'The Boston Herald of recent date of the oil furnace necessitates the use ceived sentences of three months each in the house of correction for breaking into and entering the Huntingdon boys' room in Drayton hall, Cambridge, got what they deserved. There are definite limits to which a newspaperman may ethically go in search for news. This pair very clearly overstepped them. To argue that they were trying to find clues to the identity of the murderer (if the case is one of murder) is hazard in the home is protected by asfoolish. The boys' rooms had already bestos insulation, another product of been thoroughly searched by both the mine. In cooking we utilize alucers and everything which might relate are nickel-plated, both products of the to the case had been removed. To put mine it plainly, they were after letters or "Our beautiful silverware and brassbaser instincts of their paper's read- origin, and so it is with our radios, our

Wilfrid Laurier had to get rid of Israel basic industry, serving our necessities, Tarte. Sir Robert Borden had to get our luxuries, and even determining the rid of Sr. Sam Hughes. Both of them were rocking the boat, and it had to be a case of safety first. And Mackenzie WEEKLY NEWSPAPERMEN King would do well to call the attention of the Hon. Mr. Veniot to these

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both depend upon the mining industry for existence. Clothing? Well, how could clothing be cut and sewn on modern lines without the mining industry? And all colours would need to be practically abandoned along with the mining industry. Mr. Ross H. Mowat deals effectively in a recent article with the basic nature of the mining industry. Mr. Mowat says:-

it is the supposedly staid and respect- without the prior development of the able newspapers that are in reality the science of mining and metallurgy, the more truly enterprising. Yet the only application of electricity in its varied argument in favour of "yellow" journ- and multitudinous ways would not be

and smartness. The lengths to which "Consider first the illumination of our

What anyone would want to see the Whether heated by electricity, oil fursane person, but the faith-breaking of such artificial heat. The importtrick was considered clever by some ance in the national life of coal mining as follows:-"The two reporters of a of copper and other metals, all having New York tabloid who yesterday re- their origin in the bowels of mother

"What of sanitation and refrigeration? Plumbing employs lead, zinc, and other base metals, and in electrical refrigeration we again utilize the necessary copper metal and its alloys.

"The very paint on the house possesses ingredients derived from the mine, in one form or another, such as lead. Fire Cambridge and Connecticut police offi- minum utensils and our cooking stoves

pictures which, might appeal to the ware adorning the table have a metallic vacuum cleaners and other labour-saving devices. In every direction modern civilization utilizes to the full the pro-Pembroke Standard-Observer:-Sir ducts of the mine. Mining, then, is a basis of our buying power through our

TO MEET AT LONDON, ONT.

The annual convention of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper's Association is to be held at London, Ont., on July 4th and 5th. Weekly publishers from every province in the Dominion will foregather for the purpose of renewing friendships and discussing business methods.

Since 1859 there has been an association of weekly publishers. The strength of the association has grown with the years, and the improvement in the printing and publishing business has kept up with the advancement in other professions and business, due in part to the activity of the association, and in part to the willingness of its members to progress.

The meeting at London is to be addressed by some outstanding men in the editorial, printing and publishing departments, and as is usual some delightful social events for the delegates is being provided. The newspapers association conventions have been held in Vancouver, Toronto, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Ottawa, Halifax, Bigwin Inn, with attendances around three hundred. In 1921 the members toured the west in a special train; the east in 1923, while 170 of the association toured the British Isles and the continent in 1924. The Porcupine Advance is a member of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association.

The presiding officer for the coming convention is Mr. H. B. Anslow of The Graphic, Campbellton, (N.B.)

Toronto Mail and Empire:-There is an old story to the effect that a hotel run on the American plan placarded its dining-room with notices to the effect that in order to prevent fruit being carried from the table no fruit would be put on the table. This comes to mind when pondering the excuse of the library board for not opening branches on Sunday. It explains that if it opened one it would have to open all in fairness to the public. So in fairness to the public it will not open

Increasing Importance of the Mining Industry

In an editorial article last week The Toronto Mail and Empire discusses the growth of the importance of the mining and metallurgical industries, as

metallurgical industries are yearly council of Cobalt, and Mayor Sullivan, After dinner orators often refer to gaining in importance in the indus- dealing with a visit paid to Premier mining as one of the basic industries, trial life of Canada, Mr. Charles Cam- Ferguson by himself and Councillor but it is doubtful if people in general sell, deputy minister of mines of the Boughton, said the premier had told realize how vital mining is to modern dominion, comments in his introduc- C. H. Fullerton, Deputy Minister of living conditions. Think of any com- tion to the latest annual report of his Northern Development, to take over the fort or convenience in modern life to- department. It has been said, he notes street as a special grant to the town of day and it will be found to depend di- that mining may soon rank as the Cobalt, and that A. J. Kennedy, M.L.A. rectly or indirectly upon mining. Some second of Canada's primary industries, for Temiskaming, who accompanied one may suggest, for instance, that it and, he adds, a study of the fields over them, was warned this action was not is another basic industry of the North which it is so rapidly expanding makes to be regarded by other towns as a prethe the realization of this prophecy appear world is indebted for habitations. The not altogether impossible. "Mining operations," he asserts, "are now a no longer had any financial interest matter of vital concern to "three Canadian provinces, of prime importance to street crossing, now that the streets two others, and are becoming of increasing importance to the remaining "Of the increasing importance of the

mining and metallurgical industries in the industrial life of Ontario, the report ust issued, upon the value of the mineral output of the province in the first quarter of 1929 is evidence. The value of that production in the period reached \$19,780,780, an increase "Do we realize, in the enjoyment of nearly 25 per cent. over the output of the comforts and luxuries of our mod- the corresponding quarter of last year. ern homes, the part that mining plays The value of the gold mined in the in contributing to these necessities and province in the three months of 1929 showed a slight decrease when com-"It has been stated that we live in an pared with that of the gold mined pointed out on several occasions that electrically mechanized age. True, but in the same months last year. While that was so, the value of the output of silver and of copper and nickel in the first quarter of 1929 was more than double the value of the output of the same metals in the like period of 1928. Mr. Camsell notes in his report that in 1927 Ontario led all the provinces in this type of newspaper enterprise will homes. Without the mining of copper mineral production, with British Colgo was indicted some months ago and the utilization of copper alloys umbia second, Nova Scotia and Alwhen a so-called newspaperman claim- such as brass, we would be back in the berta almost equal, Quebec fifth with ed that he smuggled a camera into the days of kerosene lamps or tallow can- a rapdily-increasing production, and death chamber, after promise to avoid dles. The pleasing soft glow of the Manitoba, New Brunswick, the Yukon all such acts, and that he thus secured home, or the brilliant lighting effect of and Saskatchewan following in the a picture of a woman sitting in the the ballroom are achieved through the order given. He mentions that develelectric chair. For all the information transmission of electricity by copper opments in Quebec and more recently in western Manitoba and in Saskatchehave been sitting in an old apple tree. "What of the heating of the home? wan have thrown a new light on the mineral resources of these provinces. gruesome picture for would puzzle a nace, or coal, mining forms the basis The developments to which he alludes have directed attention to the extent to which the mineral-bearing geological formation known as the pre-Cambrian shield covers northern Canada. The result has been a great increase in ac-

GOVERNMENT TO MAINTAIN MAIN STREET OF COBALT

Announcement was made last week by Mayor Sullivan of Cobalt that the Provincial Government would maintain the main street of the town as an incorporated part of the Ferguson highway. The announcement was made "Upon the fact that the mining and at the regular meeting of the town

> Although the Mayor said the town in the suggested bridging of the Lang were taken over, he declared a conference would be held at Cobalt at an early date with regard to this crossing. At this meeting, the Northern Development Branch and the T. & N. O., through Mr. Fullerton and George W. Lee, respectively, had announced they would be represented and the mayor was appointed by council to appear for Cobalt at the discussion.

that great territory in the past few

"Mr. Camsell points out that vast areas that have been hitherto entirely unexplored or which have been only hurriedly prospected have been made more readily accessible by airplane The search for minerals, he says, is to-day contributing more than any other agency to the exploration of unmapped territory, and the map of the dominion is being unrolled northward with remarkable rapidity. Enough is now known of the resources of the north, asserts the deputy minister of mines of the dominion, to enable one to foresee the establishment, within a comparatively short space of time, of important mining and metallurgical centres throbbing with life and movement, and contributing materially to the greater economic development of the dominion. Such an assertion from such a source must be gratifying to Canadians who desire to see their country progress and prosper.'

Newark Ledger:- "Still, maybe your wife would be as wonderful as that one in the movie if she had a husband as tivity in the search for minerals in wonderful as that one in the movie."

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