On March 4th Herbert Hoover took prompt settlements. the oath of office as President of United States and the sphinx-like Coolidge moved back-stage into retirement, or as reports state, to write

articles for magazines. endeavor to put them into effect. He is an ardent champion of peace and will, no doubt, exert a tremendous in- as soon as they extend credit. fluence in that direction, but not so great (the rest of the world believes) as he would if the United States were a member of the League of Nations. His ambitions to create a respect for other obligations.—Northfield News. law and to put down crime will lead to many disappointments, though we hope, to utimate triumph; but we cannot wish him the same success in the endeavor to bar Canadian agricultural products from United States markets by piling more bricks on the tariff wall.—Farmer's Advocate.

Are Fall Fairs Functioning?

An analysis of 44 fall fair prize lists tion by fair boards. The Fruit Branch mending a list of 7 varieties and another organization working under the parental care of the same Government endorsing a list of 80 varieties!

Too many varieties of apples is the can and should do something to correct the situation.

that is surely sufficient to cover all contingencies of climate, markets and (Wells): local prejudices. Why have the fall "You have stood upon a mountain permission of the Board of Railway Another long distance record was set fairs not followed the advice sent and viewed the whole panorama of Commissioners as to amount to be is-

apple tree in their backyard and a the dreamers—all the billions of hu-flock of chickens which annually tears that have lived and loved work something like this: The Bell Wright, at Ktity Hawk, N.C. It flew

portunity to point the way to better the earth. In this vast army what of the stock is \$100. The Board might carried in the air by a mechanical marketing methods, which, after all, are based on producing what the market demands. By giving prizes to market demands. By giving prizes to 80 varieties of apples, 60 at least of solutions are checked and undesirable. The stock is \$100. The Board linght device—the first real conquest of the allow the Company to sell its stock to allow the Company to sell its present shareholders for \$140. or \$100 to allow the Company to sell its stock to allo which are obsolete and undesirable, What half dozen men among them all be required to pay 8% on the par value public and misinforming the producer. deserve to be called great?" the fairs are confusing the buying -Farmer's Advocate.

Prompt Payments

Why is it-That telephone bills promptly?

That checks are sent at once for gas and electric light accounts?

without delay? very day they become due?

ment at the specified time. The tele- himself to the betterment of his mil- Kay, Chairman of the Agricultural phone companies, the concerns which lions of subjects. Think of the host furnish gas and electricity, the installment houses and the banks all time are formed described to the best formulated to the book of the host of the stallment houses and the banks all ting over figures, denying their gener- Parliamentary language, "power to feel that they are justified in enforc- ous instincts, cheating and grasping widen the subject of reference". This ing the terms of the original con- and worrying. Yet no millionaire is motion was debateable. John Evans

customer is pressed he will take his "The tumult and the shouting dies, It is, of course, argued that if a trade elsewhere. But do banks oper- The captains and the kings depart."

merchandise that banks sell, immed- endured, he finds the message of a And where men choose, they cast their

ful figure than either Collidge or the public to the prompt payment of re- They did not get, they gave; and, in late Mr. Harding. The policies he ad- tail bills, it is necessary for all stores the giving, gained eternal influence." vocates are, we believe, his own; and to live up to the letter of their agreeit will be the Hoover dynamo that will ment with patrons precisely as if they were banks-which they actually are

Until this is done merchants must reconcile themselves to taking "what's left" after customers have paid their

Dempsey's Ballyhoo

devious ways for obtaining his pub- not stop there. I will. It isn't accordthere is such a thing as legitimate ballyhoo. But Jack Dempsey's "shooting" episode two days before the Stribling-Sharkey scrap was so amateurish that it raised nothing but a Company has withdrawn the applica- flown by Commander Read, arrived at varieties of apples worthy of recogni- lot of guffaws over the country. We tion asking for the privilege of in- the Azores in condition to continue on. don't know who inspired it. Floyd creasing their capital from two to four The first attempt at a non-stop Atat Toronto and the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association endorse a list of only 7 varieties for commercial plant- ity that he might be suspected. It of the Courts to see if they have not the right under their Charter, to in- ity that he might be suspected. It is the right under their Charter, to in- ity that he might be suspected. The Fruit Branch is a part of was a puerile attempt to gain a little crease the capital as desired, without ing forced down at sea 1,000 miles the Department of Agriculture and is, of course, maintained by the Government. The fall fairs are supported ernment. The fall fairs are supported ernment. The fall fairs are supported the consent of Parliament. The Sun publicity for a bout that didn't need it. Life Company was once two companies with a capitalization of two milby the same Government through the ing to attend the fight, anyway. If lion each. One of the companies lap- foundland June 14, 1919, and landed at Department of Agriculture to the ex- Jack is going to succeed in this pro- sed. They now want to revive it. If Chiden, Ireland, June 16th—time 16 at the limbs of these shameless city their share bours 12 minutes tent of \$85,000, and the Minister is Jack is going to succeed in this pro-tent of \$85,000, and the Minister is Jack is going to succeed in this pro-they can they will give their share-hours, 12 minutes.

The first non-stop flight across the would think you'd never seen legs grant to \$100,000. Here we have one his advisory board. That 5.30 a.m. pay dividends on both. This is known American Continent was made in May, would think you'd never seen legs Branch of the Government recom- nightmare was too raw for even the as slicing the melon. Fine for the 1923, by U.S. Army Officers Kelly and "Ice most credulous.—Chicago Referee.

"The Man Nobody Knows" The author of the wonderful volume continue to pay enough to allow a New York, May 21, flying all alone, a bane of the industry. The fall fairs with the above title, Bruce Barton, substantial dividend on the doubled record in itself, and made a perfect records that after Mr. H. G. Wells' capital. The Agricultural Societies Branch book, "Outline of History" had been has passed the Committee, but the How his feat startled the world and recommended a list of 20 varieties, and published, he said to that great writer interest of the public has been pretty made him a deathless figure in the

them from headquarters?

The agricultural side of our fall fairs is meddled with too much by town people who think they know all about farming because they have a Duchess apple tree in their backyard and a likewed the whole pand the prophets. You have seen the kings, the princes sued and the terms and conditions of sued and the terms and conditions of ling from New York, landed his Bell-sisue. The Board of Railway Commissioners as to amount to be issued and the terms and conditions of ing from New York, landed his Bell-sisue. The Board of Railway Commissioners is the body that allows the Bell sisue. The Board of Railway Commissioners is the body that allows the Bell sisue. The Board of Railway Commissioners are likely and the prophets, the scientists and which will yield an 8% dividend on carrying gasoline driven aeroplane was apple tree in their backyard and a likely and the whole pand the prophets. You have seen the busy commissioners as to amount to be issued and the terms and conditions of ing from New York, landed his Bell-sisue. The Board of Railway Commissioners is the body that allows the Bell whole prophets, the scientists and the prophets, the scientists and which will yield an 8% dividend on carrying gasoline driven aeroplane was apple tree in their backyard and a likewed the whole pand the prophets are commissioners. flock of chickens which annually tears up their neighbor's garden.

The fall fairs have a wonderful opportunity to point the way to better the certh. In this wast army what the first army what of the character of the certh. In this wast army what of the character of the certh. In this wast army what of the character of the care of the character of the care of the care of the character of the care of

Jesus of Nazareth Buddha Asoka

Aristotle Roger Bacon Abraham Lincoln.

Think of the thousands of emper-ors who have battled for fame; who Harris Company, The Fleischmann That the installments on furniture, have decreed themselves immortal, national Nickel "were among those automobile, radio and the like are met and fashioned their immortality into present" at the melon-slicing party. monuments of brick and stone, says The division bells rang; the mem-That mortgage interest is taken Mr. Bruce Barton. And yet there is bers came rushing in and then the care of and notes are taken up on the only one emperor, Asoka, on the list; can change its mind, though it never and he is there not because of his had in twenty years, until a few days The answer is not difficult to find. and he is there not because of victories, ago. Mr. Robb, Finance Minister, told Each and every one of its creditors has but because he voluntarily abandoned effective means of compelling paywar, after his success, and devoted bells rang. And why now? Mr. Fred ment at the specified time. The teles on the list, excepting again Asoka. of Rosetown, Sask., spoke and made charge against the Board of Grain The stores, on the other hand, stand Who sat in the throne in Rome when Commissioners. The Western Farmer in such terror of the bugaboo of "lost Jesus of Nazareth hung upon the had lost confidence in the Commisbusiness" that they permit bills to lag for months, without taking action when Aristotle thought and taught? When Aristotle thought and taught? which would secure payment and avoid Who was King of England when dismissed and a new and larger Board the expense of long drawn-out ac- Roger Bacon laid the foundations of appointed, having one member residmodern scientific research?

ate on that principle? If one bank And when the historian, looking over demands the prompt payment of a the field where they contended for the

iately transfer his account? No, be- teacher, the dream of a scientist, the cause he knows every bank in the vision of a seer. "These six men stood city would be equally insistent upon on the corners of history," said Wells Now old Winter's grim ranks draw in his picturesque way. "Events hinged Why should it be different with on them. The current of human thought was freer and clearer because The defeated hosts go. The fault is general, but the remedy they had lived and worked. They took is individual. In order to educate the little from the world and left it much. Men forget Winter's joys, Winter's

### The Dominion **Parliament**

By A. C. Macphail, M.P.-

"What happened to the Sun Life bill?" I inquired of a member of the Tex Rickard employed many and Committee. "It's shot." Well, he did devious ways for obtaining his put ing to Hoyle to go on, but one must licity, but he did it legitimately, if admit the clarity of the explanation is BRUSH UP ON YOUR lessened, by not giving all his words. The Sun Life Bill was fought in the two sessions previous to this. So great was the opposition to it that the Bill was made May 8, 1919, by three U. S. was talked out. Now the Sun Life Navy seaplanes. Only the N-C-4, million dollars. They are now going lantic flight was made by two Englishshareholder, but poor business for the Macready. Their time from Mitchell policyholder who has paid enough in Field, Long Island, to the Coast, 2,700 premiums to force the growth of the miles, was 26 hours and 60 minutes. melon to the slicing size, and then Colonel Lindbergh hopped off from

well safeguarded. Before the Company history of aviation is known to every-"You have stood upon a mountain can issue any stock it must secure the one. (\$100). The Company would have that he does not hit his wife any more \$140. to use for extention and improvements; the public would pay for

the use of \$100. It is fashionable now for companies -when their dividences get so large good-den she can't show it to de that they are positivery indecent, to Jedge." split the stock, giving two or three or even four shares for every one held that the whole grading business be investigated, and that the power of the commissioners to inforce their rulings be made clear.

Hon. James Malcolm, under whose Department this matter falls, crossed the floor, consulted with Hon. R. B. note, does the customer for the only prize, seeks for something which has Bennett, and then moved the adjournment of the Debate. E. J. Garland, Bow River, acting for the Farm and Labor Groups, said we would not support adjournment. Many back benchers in both parties made it plain to Mr. Bennett and Mr. Malcolm that they were going to vote against the adjournment. Things looked bad. Hastily a conference was called. Mr. Malcolm, Mr. Bennett and Mr. Garland conferred at Mr. Bennett's desk. Would Mr. Garland call off the vote if a full dress debate was allowed next day on the whole grading bus-iness? He would, and so stated from his place in the House. The vote was called off. The Budget debate was set aside next day, and the Grain Business given the floor for two days, and the end it not yet. Ottawa, March 22, 1929.

## The Rhyming **Optimist**

The Road There is a road where many pass And upon one side there nes A stretch of weird, mist-wreathed

Beyond, great trees arise.

Through all that forest dark and Lurk grisly, shapeless Things of Fear!

But, bordering the other side
Are sunlit hill and plain,
And gleaming lakes and meadows With fields of waving grain; And here, while flying seasons go, The sturdy farm hands plant and hoe.

Some travellers at the close of day, Tell tales with muted breath Foreboding pain and death;
Of dreadful things along the way,
Of phantoms peering through the mist,
Of forest where grim ghouls keep

And others tell, instead, of joy, In many a harvest field; Of laughing lass and toiling boy,
And patient hopes revealed.
Through foul and fair the roadway

Song Before Spring Cloud and cold, sleet and snow; Growing thinner and weaker each day.

As they gaze to the south; To the south, whence gay spring will With a rose in her mouth.

For their hearts have grown weary of And they thirst for the sheen Of the slim willow-buds that unfold Their pale, shimmering green.

And their ears are all straining to hear Robin's song on the air, They wait, breathless, for Spring to draw near, With a rose in her hair.

FLYING HISTORY

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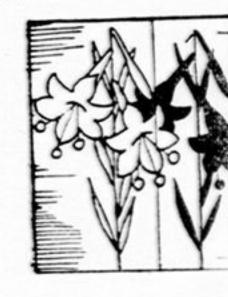
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Bells of Easter

-Ruth Raek

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Peal forth. O bells of Easter.

Your glorious message tell.

Let all earth's choirs triumph

The mighty chorus swell.

Far on the wind's swift pinion

Let the glad word be sped.

"Christ, who was laid within to

Has risen from the dead.

Earth's shadows lift and vanish

The risen Christ is God.

When Easter sings across the

I like to think men bulla

New dreams in memory of Or

I like to think that kinder we

Whose dreams were never k

To weary folk are said, Because Christ toiled up Cal

With tired, down-bent hea

Early Easter morning when t were very still.

Little flowers opened on an

Flowers, blue and yellow, flo

less city slept Little flowers waking, a fait

Very small and wistful, very

They made a shining pathwa

Saviour's feet.

Early Easter morning IIe ca looked at them.

All their tiny petals touched

Humble, small and lowly, yet

Early Easter morning on an

Easter means springtime wi

Like the Christian faith ri

So let us each one on this brig

Give praise from the heart in

To our Saviour, who lived in

That faith, hope and love in

An Easter Thought

Christ long ago;

Resurrection

and white. Early Easter morning in the

Easter Flowers

Hope animates the clod.

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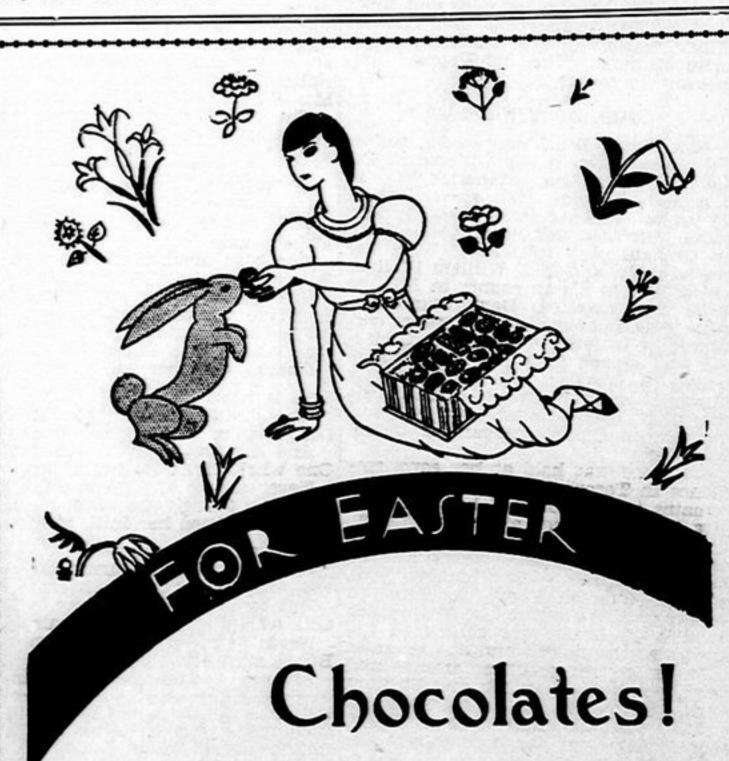
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