RIVAL OF NIAGARA FOUND IN AFRICA

DISCOVERED BY LIVINGSTONE IN 1855.

Victoria Falls, 400 Feet High, Lie Under Route of Cape-to-Cairo Aerial Service.

"While Niagara Falls will continue to hold its own as a mecca for honeymooners and other travelers it must henceforth submit to comparison with another natural wonder, the Victoria Falls of the Zambesi, as Africa becomes frequented by tourists," says a recent writer.

"From being a place of mystery, so feared that Livingstone, who discovered the falls in 1855, had great difficulty in persuading his followers to accompany him, the falls now is visible from a railway that crosses that river half a mile below, and lie under the proposed route of the Cape to Cairo aerial service which is to be established this autumn."

Louis Livingston Seaman describes a visit to Victoria Falls and contrasts them with Niagara, as follows:

"Our approach was made by rail from the Indian Ocean at Beira, near the mouth of the Zambesi (that hotbed of micro-organisms, described by James Bryce as the most deadly in Africa), and across the narrow belt of swamp up the gradual slope of the volcanic plateau that forms the real continent of Africa.

Never-to-be-Forgotten Sight.

"By morning an altitude of nearly 6,000 feet was reached, and a transition from the excessive heat and moisture of the lowlands was experienced that was most grateful and exhilarating.

"This section still abounds with antelope, elephants, lions and other large game which find excellent cover in the tall elephant grass or the dense forests and jungles, while in the river hippos still gambol and flounder in ungainly herds and the floating islands of rank vegetation of Nile reeds and papyrus.

"With the altitude, however, came another and less grateful change. The forests were no longer in evidence, but in their stead were vast areas, birdless plains, with parched and hungry vegetation whose anamic and stunted growth bears witness to the scarcity of moisture that so severely affects Rhodesia and the great stretches of veldt far away to the Transvaal.

"Early in the morning of the third day we were suddenly awakened by the guard and treated to a scene of beauty never to be forgotten. Some ten miles distant five enormous columns of vapor were shooting their roseate-tinted shafts hundreds of feet heavenwards, while the faint roar of the Falls told up the Mosioa-Tunga—the smoke that sounds—was no longer a mystery.

"Each moment increased the beauty and vividness of the scene. With the first rays of the rising sun came a picture of color of wondrous loveliness. It shot higher and higher, ultimately disappearing as virgin clouds in heaven, while the ever-increasing thunders of the waters lend an added solemnity to the view.

Contrast With Niagara Falls.

"Hardly could we wait to reach our destination, so great was our enthusiasm. But our hopes were doomed to momentary disappointment, only to be more than realized after a study of the environment; for, notwithstanding their magnitude, the first view of Victoria Falls is decidedly disappointing.

"Although nearly a mile in width and 400 feet in length, the grandeur of their proportions is eclipsed by the sudden disappearance of the river, as it plunges into a narrow, rocky fissure extending across its entire width. Only at a single central point is there a breach in this fissure through which the Falls can be seen and appreciated in their full proportions, where the converging waters rush madly to the zigzag canyon below. So restricted is this view that there is an entire absence of that awe-inspiring and almost paralyzing effect which strikes the visitor dumb with wonder and amazement when Niagara bursts on his near vision. On first sight of the Victoria Falls one involuntarily exclaims, 'Oh, how beautiful!' but they lack the majesty of our grand Niagara.

No single visit can adequately reveal the fullness of their charms, but repeated excursions must be made to their islands and precipices, their grottos and palm gardens, their rain forests and projecting crags, their rainbows and cataracts and many-sided views of their exquisite setting in the emerald frame-work of tropic forests, before their indescribable beauty can be appreciated. The fascination of discovering new and hidden charms from different points of view grows on the visitor and becomes one of the greatest attractions.

"Had the Falls been in America, the Indians would surely have named them Minnehaha, Laughing Water; for like a coy maiden are their fascinations, half concealing, half betraying their beauties, and requiring much wooing before revealing all their loveliness of hidden treasures and charm."

One cultivation a week is generally sufficient to keep the weeds down.

Training a boy to say "No" at the right time is more important than teaching him to read Latin.

A MOTHER'S TRIALS

Care of Home and Children Often Causes a Breakdown.

The woman at home, deep in household duties and the cares of motherhood, needs occasional help to keep her in good health. The demands upon a mother's health are many and severe. Her own health trials and her children's welfare exact heavy tolls, while hurried meals, broken rest and much indoor living tend to weaken her constitution. No wonder that the woman at home is often indisposed through weakness, headaches, backaches and nervousness. Too many women have grown to accept these visitations as a part of the lot of motherhood. But many and varied as her health troubles are, the cause is simple and the cure at hand. When well, it is the woman's good blood that keeps her well; when ill she must make her blood rich to renew her health. The nursing mother more than any other woman in the world needs rich blood and plenty of it. There is one always unfailing way to get this good blood so necessary to perfect health, and that is through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills make new blood abundantly, and through their use thousands of weak, ailing wives and mothers have been made bright, cheerful and strong. If you are ailing, easily tired, or depressed, it is a duty you owe yourself and your family to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial. What this medicine has done for others it will surely do for you.

It Has Come True.

As Jerusalem, previous to being captured by the British in December, 1917, had been under Turkish misrule for four hundred years, it was thought by the natives of Palestine it would forever remain in the hands of the Turks. Hence the old saying common amongst the inhabitants of the Holy Land, which runs: "When the waters of the Nile flow into Palestine the Turk will be ousted from Jerusalem."

As geography tells us this is impossible, it is interesting to know it actually did happen. What seemed impossible was effected by the Engineers of the Egyptian Expeditionary Force. After overcoming great difficulties, they succeeded in laying a large water pipe across the bed of the Suez Canal near Kantara. Through this pipe flows water from the River Nile. The water eventually finds its way through the Sinai Desert and into Palestine. Thus it came to pass Jerusalem was taken two months after "the waters of the Nile flowed into Palestine."

O Little Folk.

O Little Folk, the summer sun is waning;
On bush and tree the leaves are turning fast.
O Little Folk, the winds will be complaining
Of winter soon and sighing for the past.

Then copse and dell and every hazel hollow
Will see no more your little twinkling feet
In mazy dance, and, lonely, I shall follow
The olden trail and find it bittersweet.

O Little Folk, no more the lilt of laughter
Will shake the dew from the anemone,
And moons shall come and moons shall follow after
Ere life and love shall kiss each waiting tree.

—Ernest H. A. Home.

The Workings of Conscience.

The American who was touring England had been boasting again in the village inn.

"Talking of scarecrows," he said, "why, my father once put one up, and it frightened the crows so much that not one entered the field again for more than a year."

He looked triumphantly round his audience. Surely that had settled these country bumpkins!

But he was to meet his match.

"That's nothing!" retorted a farmer. "A neighbor of mine once put a scarecrow into his potato patch, and it terrified the birds so much that one rascal of a crow that had stolen some potatoes came next day and put them back."

CHILDHOOD CONSTIPATION

Constipated children can find prompt relief through the use of Baby's Own Tablets. The Tablets are mild but a thorough laxative which never fail to regulate the bowels and stomach, thus driving out constipation and indigestion; colds and simple fevers. Concerning them Mrs. Gaspard Daigle, Demain, Que., writes: "Baby's Own Tablets have been of great benefit to my little boy, who was suffering from constipation and indigestion. They quickly relieved him and now he is in the best of health." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a bix from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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ROYAL PROCLAMATION

"Fire Prevention Day" for Canada on October 9, 1919.

Whereas it is shown by reliable statistics that the amount of the average annual loss of property by fire in Canada exceeds twenty million dollars, the loss for the year 1918 being in excess of thirty million dollars, and that there is in addition a large annual unappraised loss from forest fires which, if unchecked, threatens to greatly impair, if not to entirely destroy, our heritage of forest wealth;

And whereas, there is also every year in Canada a deplorable loss of human life as a result of fire;

And whereas, it is desirable for the well-being of the nation that a greater regard for the sanctity of human life be inculcated; that the material wealth of the nation be so far as possible conserved, and that every agency which tends to needlessly dissipate or destroy human life or property be vigorously opposed;

And whereas, it is authoritatively estimated that at least seventy-five per cent. of the fires occurring are preventable by the exercise of proper care on the part of individual citizens, and that therefore a corresponding proportion of the annual loss from fire can be avoided;

And whereas, it is desirable, in order that the attention of the public may be directed to the extent of the preventable loss of life and property from fire and the best means of controlling it, that one day of the year be set aside and properly designated for the dissemination of such information and the giving of such instruction on fire loss and fire prevention as may be practicable;—

Now know ye, that we, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council of Canada, have thought fit and do appoint Thursday, the Ninth day of October in this present year, as "Fire Prevention Day" and we do recommend to all our loving subjects that, on that day,—

1. All dwellings and their surroundings be carefully inspected by their occupants and all conditions likely to cause or promote the spread of fires removed.

2. All public buildings, stores and factories be inspected and cleared of rubbish.

3. Fire drills be held for the children in all schools and for employees in all large stores and factories.

4. Special instructions on the subject of fire prevention be given by the teacher and by municipal officials in the schools and that such appropriate literature as may be made available be distributed to the pupils.

5. All legislation and regulations enacted or issued by Dominion, provincial or municipal authorities dealing with fire prevention be given publicity by the municipal officials, and that by public meetings or otherwise as may to them seem most fit, they endeavor to impress upon the citizens the national importance of safeguarding life and property from loss by fire.

MOLASSES IN THE RATION.

There is quite an interest displayed by breeders and dairymen all over this country in molasses as supplementary feed. There is no question but that its use on the farm is spreading in such proportion as to make it interesting for our readers to know something about the feeding value of molasses, its effect on the live stock, etc.

First of all, it must be borne in mind that molasses may be divided into as many classes as hay. Simply to say molasses is not saying much. There seems to be very little of beet molasses used in straight form as a feed for live stock as in the case of sugar cane molasses. It seems that beet molasses contains too much ash, and it acts as a purgative. There is also sugar cane molasses which does not quite come up to standard of a feeding molasses. There is the re-boiled molasses with a good deal of sugar extracted. There is the domestic molasses with sulphur dioxide marked on barrel. It seems that the safest molasses is the original pure sugar cane molasses. A good molasses should test 52 per cent. sugars and not over 6 per cent. ash. The flavor of the molasses is also important. It may often happen that the same testing molasses is not the same tasting.

It would seem that the most important use of sugar cane molasses is in connection with the disposal of roughage on the farm. It is surely the most practicable way of making feeds palatable and digestible. The usual method is to thin the molasses with water so that it runs as freely as cream and to pour it over dry corn fodder, straw, old hay, etc. A sprinkling can with the holes enlarged, often proves very handy. Some find it well to grind up their roughage and mix the molasses with roughage and grains. This is the best method, for, besides the grains which may be substituted pound for pound to that of molasses, the roughage also replaces much of the grain.

Of course the handling of molasses is different from that of other feeds and for that reason a number of live stock owners refused to feed it, but those who are aware what benefits can be derived through the judicial feeding of molasses will soon find a convenient method of feeding it, and will not be without it.

About three pounds a day is the average amount prescribed for cows. Horses are fed from 2 to 6 pounds per day according to the amount of energy or work required from them. Swine benefit on ¾ pound per day per 100 lbs. of live weight. Calves are fed from ½ to 1 cupful per day.

A good molasses will please the animal and make it more fit for maximum production whether it be flesh or work. It will keep the bowels in good order and prevent ailments due to indigestion. It produces a sleek coat. A progressive live stock owner should always have some on hand. —Michigan Business Farming.

Save Some Seeds.

Every grower of vegetables should make an effort to select some specimen vegetable plant from the crop and mark it especially for seed purposes. In England and France it is a general practice among growers and small holders to save some seed. Seed taken from the best specimens will generally give a good percentage of yield the following year. Some species of vegetable will not produce seed in Canada as the seasons are too short and muturity cannot come to perfection, but carrot, parsnip, lettuce, peas, beans, raddish, squash, corn, marrow, pumpkin, onions, can be relied upon if the seed is selected from the first crown and not the latest seed vessels.

Pillar and rambler roses should have liquid manure to encourage new growth.

When singing "What is home without a mother," it would be in place to give mother a lift in the kitchen.

A Call to Every Former Student of the University of Toronto

Among the pages of Canada's history that will tell the story of sacrifice and devotion so remarkably demonstrated by young Canadians in the World War, none will illustrate more clearly the spirit of Canada than those devoted to the sacrifices made by men and women who were formerly students at the University of Toronto. Deeds of heroism on their part are not to be recorded here, but it is well known that they played their part fearlessly and well.

To perpetuate the memory of the Varsity men and women who died in defence of civilization during the Great War it is proposed to erect a Physical Memorial, and also to establish scholarships and a War Memorial Lectureship. A memorial tower built in architectural harmony with the surrounding buildings, containing a beautiful chime of bells, will connect the west wing of the University of Toronto with Hart House, the magnificent new gymnasium and students' union, the centre of undergraduate life in the university. Adjoining the tower will be a memorial hall, and in it the names of all students and former students who served in the war will be recorded in a worthy setting.

The establishment of the scholarships, however, will take the larger portion of the $500,000 to be secured. These will be apportioned among the different faculties for the aid of those returned soldier-students and their children who are in need of help, and will be given to soldiers who were alumni and to their dependents. Loans will also be made to soldier-students who could not otherwise complete their education. The decision to use the funds in this way was reached after a thorough canvass was made throughout Canada.

Every graduate and former student is to have the opportunity of contributing to the fund. As far as possible the canvass will be by personal solicitation. In some centres this has been started and in others it is about to be undertaken. By the latter part of October the campaign will, it is hoped, be in operation throughout the world and will have become the biggest thing of its kind ever attempted, having regard to the extent of the field to be covered.

In Ontario the county unit will be used and organization along these lines is proceeding rapidly. The county canvass will centre in logical places and in this way it is hoped to reach practically every graduate and former student.

Counties and local communities have the privilege of establishing a scholarship for their own students provided that a sufficient amount is raised.

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Seeing on the Water.

At a height of one foot from the water an object can be seen at 1.32 miles; at six feet elevation the range of vision is increased to 3.23 miles, while at 10 feet the horizon is increased to 4.16 miles. This in clear weather put great limitations upon the sight of a submarine periscope, as all merchant vessels were keenly on the lookout for such.

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