Canada, The Empire and The World at Large

CANADA

Up in Perth County for a tooth pick it takes away that ines to a royal household when she inmany dinners. In a general way we do London Daily Telegraph. not approve of too many rules. We like to see folk having a good time .-Stratford Beacon-Herald.

Easy When Said Rapidly

is to decide what should be said in feet wide and six inches thick. It has them and then relect words to express a wall space to itself and students the idea in the amount of space avail- have to consult it as it stands in that able.-Lindsay Post.

Life in the Zoo

Many people condemn zoological gardens for their cruelty in locking up in a postage stamp. There was a great confined spaces animals which naturally roam the woods, find their own food and sleep under starry skies. But it isn't such a bad life being a zoo animal after all.

Naturalists says that most animals only live for food and sleep, and that ing are ruining dogs, destroying their it is the necessity of finding food that essential dogginess, and reducing makes them roam. The big carnivorae them to mere shadows of their noble prey on the smaller mammals. Captive | ancesters. Look at the wire-haired animals, they say, are quite happy so terrier. Once he had the heart of a long as they get food and can sleep in lion and the gameness of a bulldog; peace. They do not pine for exercise. today, combed, talcumed, and scented, Indeed, anyone who has watched ani he is a boudoir : nament. So with mals in a zood will have noticed that many other breeds. Dog-breeders now they do not run around their enclos blanc women, who, they say, put ures very much. They are content to looks before the true doggy virtues. A

tats they would have to hunt for their friend.-London Sunday Chronicle. food, often go hungry, and in Winter go without food for long periods, either meat, leaves or lichen.-St. Thomas Times-Jouranal.

town as a smoke nuisance, unless it's Quiet rather than assertive confidence, not having a smoke nuisance.-King human kindness, and unfailing humour ston Whig-Standard.

The Country Doctor

touched upon a question that is of devoted life the Marquis of Aberdeen growing importance in all provinces was the constant servan; of good when he said more medical men are causes; and when his work is measshou'd prefer the cities or towns to the long drives and other difficulties in country districts, some of them sparsely settled, but the need of medigal care is obvious, and is good news that the health department is trying to do what it can to meet the situation. Saint John Telegraph-Journal

He Has To Be

Modern man, says a scientist, much more active than his prehistor ancestors, it is, of course, much mor difficult to dodge a motor can than a bronto aurus -Ottawa Journal.

Farth Adopting Daylight Saving

Prof. Harlan Shapley, o. Harvar Observatory makes the announcement that owing to changes in the moon, the earth is gradually revolving more slowly and the length of our day is be ing increased one-thousandth of a s. century. Just think-in little more than 720,000,000 years we'll extra hour of daylight with out resorting to Daylight Saving! Border Cities Star.

positer.

Divinity Course for Women It is announced that Huron College, an Anglican institution situated in London, Ont., and affiliated with the University of Western Ontario, pur poses admitting women as divinity students and next October will enable them to register for a six-year course. bresumably with an appropriate debe conferred at its close .-Brockville Recorder.

Heavy Increase

During the period September 1 to March 15, 1932-33, a total of 937,893 gross tons of coal was shipped from the Cape Breton mines of the Domin ion Steel and Coal Corporation.

a total of 1,677,566 gross tons shipped from the same mines. Or an increase, this season

against last, of 739,675 tons. The figures speak for themselves .-Halifax Herald.

Without Street Accidents

ent year on streets of large centres that Belleville's record without a fatality in 1933 raised coubts and brought a request for a check-up to Chief Kidd for verification of the report. Fortunately it was true. The chief constable was able to notify the registrar of the motor vehicles in Ontario that there were no motor falalities in this city during 1933.-Belleville Intelligencer.

Worst of the Lot

An orator says we must get rid capitalism, radicalism, socialism, bol- more popular this year than ever.

THE EMPIRE

The King's interest in typewriting is When a man takes his table knife heredftary, as Queen Victoria, in 1890. and whittles a match down to a point was the first ruler to admit the machfrigid formality which kills off a good troduced one at Windsor castle .--

Biggest Book

The world's biggest book is in the British Museum. It is a gazeteer and atlas of the world, printed in Amster-The easiest way to write headings dam in 1556, and is six feet high, four position. The British Museum also has some of the world's smallest books. Some are slightly smaller in size than vogue for these tiny books a century back, and they were carried in the waistcoat pocket .- London Express.

> Even Dogs Going to the Dogs City life, pampering and fancy breed-

lie and sleep with their full stomachs, sad thing has happened to the world If they were in their natural habi if man has lost the best in his best

Lord Aberdeen

A Scot of the Scots, the gentler qualities of his race were dominant in his character. It is notoriously easy to Nothing's as irritating in a factory underestimate the force of such a man. they do not commonly appear as dynacommand esteem and effection, but mic qualities. Yet they may move Chains of Villages Founded The provincial Minister of Health mountains, and in a long, happy, and

> The Dominions and the British Market

control Dominin imports before next inhabitants. June. The whole agricultural position A non-political association calling various sizes of viscera, he forsees a is already under review with the Do- itself the British Empire Develop- possibility of increased health and claim that in varnishing the L.Z. 129, minion Governments. There is thus a ment and Settlement Research Com- longevity. prospect of a comprehensive settle- mittee has been formed, with Sir ment by mutual consent. The situation | Henry Page Croft as chairman to at the moment, however, is thorough- promote this object. Nearly half of ly unsatisfactory. At a season when the 615 members of the British House prices are expected to rise they have of Commons have agreed to support he divided man into two broad classic losing as much as I pounds a beast. Parliament has passed a unanimous y" types. The retrictions on Canadian and Irish resolution declaring that the time led and frozen meat from the Austral- to "get in touch with the Govern asian Dominions arrived in record ments of the Dominions with a view quantities last month . . . It will be to putting forward a scheme for the lamentable if, under the pressure of voluntary redistribution of the white the emergency, this country makes peoples of the Empire and the stimudrastic use of the freedom of action lation of shipping and trade under which she will enjoy next June. Im- the flag." ports can then be cut off; prices can The difficulties to be overcome then be forced up; but it was to avoid is recognized, are great. The world such developments as this that the Ot- slump has reversed the tide of emitawa Conference was held. Since then gration. This tide-so long as times events have moved faster than discus- were good-flowed continuously outsions, and it may be that conditions ward from overcrowded Britain into require some swifter machinery of ac- the less completely peopled world at tion than that provided by consulta- large. Now, so hard has become the A Smithsonian scientist says he can tions between Governments. But in lot of the producers of primary compredict weather twenty-three years the end it is by the system of correla- modities everywhere that for two 's a safe bet that he is tion, which orderly marketing implies, years past more people have returned the rain without his rub and can establish, that the require to Britain than have gone out from umbrella. - Brantford Ex ments of both consumer and producer its shores. can be met .- London Daily Telegraph.

The Problem of Spare Time

Given the conversion of unemployment into leisure how is leisure to be used? Surely the essence of it is that its great Northwest. Few would disthe spare time which science and pute that the Peace River Country technical improvements provide should -if it were fully peopled - would be used for the things a man wishes, afford a market for Canadian and himself, to do. And the tragedy of it is United States goods comparable with that may has not yet learned what he Ontario or New York State itself. really would like to do with his spare time.-London Daily Heraldi

Wings Over the Atlantic

While American and British interthe North Atlantic crossing by air, it Meanwhile a statement by Sir Henry is a different story down around the Page Croft's committee discloses the Frost, 92, of Port Arthur, are the lead-During the same period in 1933-34 Equator, Just now the South Atlantic main lines on which his organization is the scene of intense rivalry between proposes to act. Germany and France to establish the The intention is to promote chains! first trans-Atlantic airmail linking of villages of say 50 settlers each; has been some talk of its being dis-Europe and South America by way of in areas that would not otherwise be Africa. Both countries have already developed. For this purpose a comwith their newest type flying boats, 000,000 on a British Government guarand both are expecting to launch re- antee. This company would take up gular services in the near future; it is blocks of suitable land for which

Popular

Dominion alike by the public and the dramatic clubs is spreading rapidly according to Rupert Harvey, adjudica tor at regional festivities throughout of these dramatic festivals are infinitely shevism, communism and anarchism. Mr. Harvey said, "while competing 000 people. This, it is claimed, would Why not throw in rheumatism?-Re- dramatic clubs display an even greater be a not impossible proposition for

PRINCESS DANCER



Princess Maddevi Eukanthor of Cambodia starred recently Theatre de Paris. She is eight years old.

Britain's Plan For Idle Hands

By Company on Government Guarantee

tlement ventures as those whereby in recently. the past New England, Virginia, New

imports have proved insufficient. Chil- has come for the British Government

Canada Needs Farmers.

Nevertheless the same urge remains to wed idle hands to empty lands. Canada has need of farmers to develop the mighty resources of In Northern Australia are fertile

areas as big as France and Germany combined that are still almost empty Peever, grandaughter of the late Jas. films that shall be entertaining to A British Government report on tune is understood to be in chancery tional in value. ests are together amicably considering the question is shortly to appear. in England.

Form Farming Groups. Farming groups would be then formed, each one with centrally placed village provided with stores, school, meeting hall cinema and market Farm land would radiate outwa 1 from this centre. The settlers would be selected families. Each village would be filled with people from some provide for 40,000 settlers who, with

now incurred by the United Kingdom Smoking Allowed in idleness at home.

Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, Under-Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs, expressed the greatest sympathy World's Largest Air Monster other hand he said that in his per sonal opinion, infiltration in the future, just as much as in the past, would be likely to do more than community settlement to promote those large-scale movement of popu-

Oshawa Reports Brisk Business

Industries are Recalling Former Employes and Some Are Already Working Overtime

awa is rapidly improving with some business establishments working overtime and recalling former employees. Conditions are described as better than in the last two years.

A large number of employees laid measures 367 feet but the completed on the homeward half. off for some time have been recalled length will be 744 feet—some 40 feet A notable aspect of this flight at the General Motors of Canada longer than the Graf Zeppelin. plant. Some divisions of the factory are working 12 hours a day, and in length, however the L.Z. 129, will tended for the record-breaking at virtually all production departments have almost double the gas capacity of tempt. It had originally been planemployees are working three nights the Graf Zeppelin. overtime a week.

a plating and assembly unit. This pared with the Graf's 105,000 cubic the Pelican carried on. since its inception here three years largest in the world. ago. Sunday work has been found necessary in some cases to keep up

It is expected the number of families on relief will be greatly reduced by the end of this month if improved conditions continue.

Diet Theory May Mean Longer Life

gimens to Conform With Different Sizes of Viscera

London.—A movement is afoot in human boiler may keep the body's ma. of helium gas, hitherto used only in needed in the country districts. It is used a noble record will stand against Britain to repeat in the empty spaces chinery clicking for five years beyond American airships. of the Etitish Empire such mass set- the present normal life span, was told The Zeppeline works have specifically

Brunswick and New Zealand received C. H. McCloy, is based on the size of silk or artificial silk is not sufficient-This country is not in a position to some of the forbears of their present the "boiler" or viscera—man's digest- ly waterproof, while wool is lacking in ive system. By developing diets to fit elasticity.

versity of Iowa, is a professor of science of anthropomethy (man measurements.) For purposes of comparison, Movies Safe for fications, 'long lean" and "short stock-

Obesity Theory

"The long lean man can eat more Motion than the short stocky one without getting fat," he said, "because he has a small boiler" and does not absorb so much of his food intake.

"On the other hand, the short man with the big trunk has larger viscera and absorbs a great deal more of what he eats. This absorption contributes to fat in middle age.

"In older years, the long lean group people of other countries, Mrs. August tend toward diseases of the digestive Belmont stated at a luncheon of the and pulmonary systems while the Motion Picture Research Council here. short stock group finds its troubles in the kidneys heart and circulatory sys- ing of the council program for better- Pedestrians' Association in a memo- solution of technical problems is enor-

Native of Quebec May Inherit Many Millions of Dollars

Mrs. Jane Peever, Now Living in Vancouver is Granddaughter of Late James Hudson

ver woman is not the least bit excited about her prospects of inheriting many millions of dollars. She is Mrs. Jane Hudson, fur-trader, whose vast for children and where possible educa- declared it hat been shown the ma-

Mrs. Peever, and her brother, Moses ing claimants to the fortune.

"I have known of the estate for years and every once in a while there bursed" Mrs. Peever said today. "It in the United States, said Mrs. Bel- vision of the Highway Code and the additional expenditure of \$100,000 myself ate the only direct descendants | cause of its degrading effects.

was said to be worth \$30,000,000," she sident of the New York Neurological do so.—Thurston Macauley in the road and rail, so as to connect up added. "Goodness only knows what it Society, declared that the sensational, be imposed for "dangerous driving."

Record Fruit Crop

rentrille, N.S .- Nova Scotia's fam-. uit beit, the Annapolis Valley. ic through with a record outOn New Zeppelin

Nearing Completion in Germany-Hot. Cold Water

Friedrichshafen-Passengers on the new Zeppelin, L.Z. 129, now nearing flight of the Dutch mail plane Pelican completion in a hangar not far from from Amsterdam to Batavia and back the shores of Lake Costance, will have some time ago has focused attention many comforts that have never been here on a new machine which expected provided hitherto on any Zeppelin. | to go far toward turning the record

sister ship of the Graf Zeppelin, the vice. dirigible that has worked services a- Prospects have been opened up erica with clockwork regularity.

auxiliary ribs, with a total length of Oshawa, Ont.—Employment in Osh- 363 feet, was finished as far back as by more than 50 per cent the norma last July.

with its complicated steering appara- and back. The actual times were tus, remains to be set in position. 4 days, 4 hours, 40 minutes for the

Despite the only slighter greater old type of plane which was not in-

Nearly Finished

Meanwhile the interior construction is progressing rapidly The passenger cabins are nearly finished. They will contain hot and cold water pipes, which are now being laid. The waste water will not be discharged, but run into a special tank to serve as ballast,

Other innovations to be installed in the airship will be an electric lift to facilitate loading and unloading cargo and huge heels fixed to the pilot gondola and the lewer fin, to assist Scientist Would Develop Re- landing operations. These wheels can be turned in any direction.

The airship will be the first German airship on which smoking will ! permitted. This has been made pos-St. Paul-A new way of stoking the sible owing to the use in the airship

barred silk or wool as covering mater-The new method envisioned by Prof | ial. Long experience has shown that

they have greatly improved on the McCloy, on the faculty of the Uni- mixture used for the Graf Zeppelin. sengers.

Picture Research Council Seek to Provide Satisfactory Films

New York-Of the current motion Air Orient are expected to join. picture productions in the United States about 25 per cent. are a menace to America's youth and a bot or American character in the eyes of the The occasion was the public launch-

ment of films, with special relation to entertainment for children. The council now starts a nation. The high speed of motor traffic resources to our import and export

ment was not undertaking anything at any moment or gives audible or "our greatest waste is in the intellecin the way of censorship. The intent- visible notice when the limit is beion was to seek the co-operation of ing exceeded. the film industry in carrying out Vancouver-An 82-year-old Vancou- these three objectives of the council.

1. To decrease the amount of objectionable material in films.

Some 38,000,000 minors attend the towns and villages. motion picture theaters every week not, it won't worry me. There is no that is harmful in its mental and which make for safety and which are

"Forty-seven years ago the estate Dr. Frederick Peterson, former precriminal and vulgar suggestion of too In order to enable pedestrians to Mrs. Peever was born in Fort Cou- many questionable motion pictures cross streets in safety there was need longe. Quebec, and was married there tends to produce "nervous disorders in built-up areas. the memorandum to John Peever, who died 36 years ago. and moral disintegration." Mr. Her stated, for many more refuges, and After his death she came west and now bert Houston, former publisher of the provision at suitable places World's Work; Mr. William H. Short, well-marked crossings where the safedirector of the council, and Dr. John ty of pedestrians would be assured.

A splash of lime-water accidentally stration of the existing law, particthe 1933-34 season. The approx- hitting the blind right eye of James ularly by a wider exercise of the boom and sold them at a profit. imate upple crop totals 2,750,000 bar. Morren, a 30-year old employs of an power of disqualification of drivers. their families, would constitute 160, rels, according to figures released by Elgin distillery, restored its sight with a view to eliminating from the the Dominion Atlantic Railway, which after twelve ears of blindness. A roads those who prove themselves clo ed its "apple shipping books" on specialist affirms that the lime burnt away an unsuspected film.

Dutch Lines Plan 9000-Mile Flight

Plane Carrying 16 Fares Under Construction for East Indies Service

Amsterdam. - The double record The L.Z. 129, is a bigger and better dash into a scheduled passenger ser-

cross the South Atlantic to South Am- a daily service in the near future linking western Europe and the East The middle section of the new air- Indies with British and French extenship consisting of eight main and 24 tions to China and Australia.

The Pelican, or Fokker F. 18, cu flying time for the 18,000-mile trip At present only the stern skeleton from here to the Dutch East Indies Without the stern section, the ship outward journey and 10 minutes less

that it was achieved by a three-yearned that a new Fokker three-engined Its circumference will be 41.20 met- machine, F. XX, should make the dash

> largest aircraft ever built in the fact, he though, spoke for itself. miles an hour and a cruising speed of council to date."

130 miles an hour. The machine will have a crew of four, namely two pilots, one mechanicsteward and one wireless operator(while being able to carry 32 passengers in Europe. On the India lines. it will carry 16 passengers, each having a sleeping berth. As long disveloping in the non-stop direction, flying night and day, there are also two sleeping berths for the crew.

The machine is of the cantilever monoplane type. The wings is placed on the fuselage. The plywood cover ing on the under surface of the wing has been removed from the center section, and the hollow space thus exposed forms the upper part of the sulted, and it goes on accumulating cabin. The wing has a width of 110 The cabin is divided into four compartments each for eight pas-

In constructing this huge plane, which carries every possible convenience for long distance flights and red the latest automatic piloting devices, the designers had in view the ex-For Children pected rapid development of long-diseight to four or 31/2 days, after which grain trade said to me the other day two departures each week from each that this piece of work alone was side are contemplated, in which British Imperial Airways and the French

British Walkers Seek Footpaths

London, Eng. - Provision of footpaths alongside . Il main British high. pare for the future. ways was demanded by the British "The waste in industry awaiting the randum sent to the Mini try of Trans. mont. It amounts to tens of millions

wide movement in which all friends of was cited as the most prolific cause trade to see what technical difficulan improvement of social values in of accidents. For the checking of ex- ties must be overcome has hardly been films are asked to join. Among those cessive speeds by vehicles subject to toucled. We talk like immature childpresent was Mrs. James Reosevelt statutory limits, it was suggested that ren about our natural resources and and an honorary vice-president of the all should be compelled to carry a then let it go at that, device visible to any paster-by, Mrs. Belmont stated that the move- which either records the actual speed

Highway Code be revised and made more widely known. Safety rules which are observed by careful drivers should be enforceable with a penalty ready to undertake the solution for their infringement, it was stated. should be a speed limit applicable to solution of national problems.

sociation states that the offence of "careless driving" should be abolished. , had the effect of rendering nugatory the severe penalties which can

H. Finley, of the New York Times, Finally, the association recorded its strong opinion that much might be done towards increasing the safety of the roads by a stricter admini-

New Wheat Saves **Farmers Millions**

As Regular Trip Dr. H. M. Tory Says Loss of \$20,000,000 Checked By New Seed - Addresses Teachers

> Toronto-Elimination of an annual \$20,000,000 loss to the wheat farmers of Manitoba and Saskatchewan has been effected by the Research Bureau of Canada through the development of strains of wheat which are immune to rust, according to Dr. H. M. Tory, head of the bureau.

Addressing the high school principals' section of the O.E.A. in the parliament buildings recently, Dr. Tory emphasized that this research conducted by the council, the federal department of agriculture and the three prairie universities, cost only \$250,000.

It was estimated that since 1915, the total loss from black rust, the spores of which are blown into Canada from the United States, had amounted to \$600,000,000. Dr. Tory was speaking on "Why is Science Worth While?". and pointed out that to overcome this tremendous loss the research was be-

Justifies Expenditure

Within a short time, said Dr. Tory Overtime also is being worked at res (134 feet) and the new airship will to Batavia with Christmas mails. A tributed to the rust-infected areas. He these new wheat strains would be disthe Coulter Manufacturing Company, carry 200,000 cubic metres of gas com- disabled motor blocked this plan, but asked the section to compare a cost of firm has the largest staff working metres. The new airship will be the And now enters the F XXXVI, the tion of a \$20,000,000 annual loss. The \$250,000 for reasearch to the elimina-

Netherlands. It is a very advanced "Recently," Dr. Tory asserted, when type, having, it is claimed, the most I was challenged to justify the expen favorable aerodynamic shape, namely ditures made I stated that I was prethat of a drop of water. This machine pared to demonstrate to any body of has four Wright Cyclone engines of reasonable men that we had already horsepower each, a total weight repaid to the people of Canada in work of 16.2 tons, a maximum speed of 170 done, the total cost of the research

Further justification was offered by the speaker when he referred to an other successful research. It was in connection with the fishing industry of the Maritime provinces in which, it was estimated, there was an annual loss which amounted to \$500,000 due to deterioration of the processed product, and the consequent loss of price because of fear of deterioration "Estimate the loss at half the sug-

gested amount-\$250,000 per year. At a cost of less than \$5,000 that problem was solved and the loss completely eliminated. In the 10 years since that work was done a saving to that industry of not less than \$2,500,000 has re-"Some years ago during a teries of wet years a serious problem arose

Western Canada, due to damp and

tough grain being put on the market." Dr. Tory went on. "A consequent fall in price due to imperfect drying occur "We joined the producers and deal ers in an attack upon the problems solved and eliminated a loss which tance flying, reducing the Amsterdam. was estimated some years as high as Batavia flying time gradually from \$3,000,000. A man prominent in the

> worth more than the total cost our research organization to date." The public of Canada has not ye sensed the significance of scientific declared. They had not yet seen material character that could be done in this time of depression was to pro-

annually. The relation of

Trained Men Needed

"But, gentlemen," Dr. Tory stated tual material that is available for the in my last annual report that we could have used 50 additional men on prob lems urgently needing solution. The

"I can conceive of no greater loss to jority of fatal accidents took place the country than the body of intellect 3. To promote new types of edu- in built-up areas, and the association ual men, technically trained and ready cational films with the co-operation of submitted as a first step in a national to undertake either for themselves the industry and the public school policy of speed control that there or under the guidance of leaders the Dr. Tory stated emphatically that

In the course of its care for a re- ne ventured to suggest that for an doubt, however, that Mr. Frost and emotional effect should be stopped be- observed by careful drivers," the ased advantegously to the country by

Claim Prince Lucky In Insull Stocks

Chicago-The Daily Times placed the Prince of Wales at the head of list of eminent Britons who invested it Insulf securities and were able to pull out before the crash, Investigation has disclosed the

Times said, that the heir to the British Throne bought Middle West utili ties and other Insu'll stocks during the

Girls are better sleebers than boys, 22,000 telegrams and 1,620,000 postal letters and packets since taking off.ce about a year ago - which may and the first the second of the second second

Have You Heard

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except making a He-"I feel like time I kiss you." She-"Well you to heaven in one

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his impatience. Fi a salesman's attent Customer (sharply trap. A good one, a for I want to catch Salesman-I regr

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