Death at the Wheel

(Ontario is not alone in voicing concern over the rising toll of road fatalities. The following selection of editorial opinions on dangerous driving and traffic problems is taken from recent issues of American newspapers published in nearby cities on the Atlantic seaboard.)

THE AMERICAN TOLL

New York Journal: Before 1934 is ended, about 35,000 persons will have been killed in the United States in automobile accidents, as the National Safety Council believes, results from: Relaxed law enforcement; use of old vehicles rendered unsafe by wear or neglect; greater speed of new cars; increased use of cars by motorists. Every auto driver should keep these four things in mind, if he cares to live.

RECKLESS DRIVING (Baltimore)

Baltimore Sun: The statement of Judge Robert F. Stanton that, in dealing with cases of motor-vehicle drivers convicted of manslaughter in future cases, he will not yield to pressure for probation, should serve as a stern warning to reckless drivers of the possible consequences of their indifference to human life. ... When the week-end toll of casualties in the city and vicinity is noted, Judge Stanton's attitude needs neither excuse nor apology. It is not possible to persuade the public that the toll of death on the highways is due in large part to reckless driving. And there is much reason to believe that if fatal accidents could be promptly followed up—as they are should be some time in the future—motorists would find themselves brought up on charges of manslaughter, which courts and juries are treating with increasing severity.

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Most despicable of all motorists is the hit-and-run driver. He flees the scene of his accident by the highway, not knowing whether the person is alive or dead, leaving whether life could be saved by prompt attention. No effort is spared in hunting down such offenders.

IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia Inquirer: Highways in the business district have been so arranged that reckless drivers who run through red lights with impunity encounter a synchronized signal lights system. Red lights at all intersections, in addition to painted traffic lines, direct the course of travel. Two highways and one-way streets, jumbled parking rules that add to the general congestion of traffic, all play a part in the deadening traffic control system. Street accidents continue to take their daily toll; the toll of drunken driving is on the decline.

RHODE ISLAND

Providence Journal: During the first six months of this year an increase of forty-six per cent. over the corresponding period of 1933 has been recorded in the number of automobile fatalities occurring on Rhode Island highways. The total for this year is greater than that for any period of twelve months' total for any year since November and December of 1931, when the 1934 fatality mark took a jump to the highest point reached in the past four years. The situation which this record makes evident the necessity for a fresh, thorough study of the problem with a view to a complete revision of strategy or application of fresh efforts in the direction indicated.

...TS AND REPEAL

Washington (D.C.) Post: The increase in the number of fatalities, shown in October, is still under investigation. All factors contributing to it must be examined and so far eliminated. ... The theory that it is responsible for a decrease in local automobile accidents is somewhat undermined by the October figures, which show traffic deaths last month compared with fifteen in

Park Damaged

...ee that of Sunday ...t would be necessary ...outs for visitors to ...take refuge in. But ...orms came often, we ...e no Stanley Park. ...m, it is estimated, ...0 trees, great and ...'s 900 acres. It will ...e clear up the debris ... And it will be al... ...to repair the damage. The chairman ...Park Commissioners ...he opinion that it ...red men throughout ...the park back in... ...an exposed position ...es, ... decades ago ...ing half a century ...ding influences of ...growing more and ... It is becoming ap... ...all not be able to ...s. Whether we like ...Park will have to ...Vancouver Province.

DO YOU KNOW?

SIGN OF A FAIR DAY

That red in the western sky in the evening is supposed to be a sign of fair weather the next day.

"Evening red and morning gray
Is the sure sign of a fair day;
Evening gray and morning red
Sends the shepherd wet to bed."

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INDIAN SUMMER

Do you know the origin of "Indian Summer?

Funk and Wagnalls New Standard Dictionary describes Indian Summer as "a period of mild weather occurring in the autumn, with hazy atmosphere usually along the horizon, and a clear sky." Indian Summer is a term usually applied to any period of exceptionally fine weather occurring during October or November, but the weight of authority seems to place it in November. It is impossible to define it by exact dates. This short period of warm or mild autumn weather is characterized by an almost cloudless sky, a hazy or a smoky atmosphere, and a temperature which is mild in the daytime, but cool at night. It is preceded by "Squaw Winter"—a cold spell when the thermometer first dips below the freezing point. The name is of American origin, but is now used also in Great Britain and corresponds to the British St. Martin's Summer (St. Martin's Day being November 11) when the period occurs in November, and to St. Luke's Summer, or Little Summer of St. Luke (St. Luke's Day being October 18) when it occurs in October. In Germany it is known as "Old Woman's Summer." There is no foundation for the popular belief that the Indian Summer weather was predicted by the American Indians in conversation with the first European settlers, or for the legend that the term "Indian Summer" was employed by the early settlers at all. Neither this term or anything corresponding to it is to be found in any Indian language.

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HOUSE THAT JACK BUILT

Do you know the author and complete nursery rhyme "The House That Jack Built?"

Nobody knows who originated the rhyming story called "The House that Jack Built." It is described by the Funk and Wagnalls New Standard Dictionary as "an old English nursery story told in cumulative form, every preceding statement being repeated with the introduction of each new one. Similar tales occur in the Hebrew, among the native tribes of Africa, etc." Following is the nursery tale: "This is the house that Jack built. This is the malt that lay in the house that Jack built. This is the rat that ate the malt that lay in the house that Jack built. This is the cat that killed the rat that ate the malt that lay in the house that Jack built. This is the dog that worried the cat that killed the rat that ate the malt that lay in the house that Jack built. This is the cow with the crumpled horn that tossed the dog that worried the cat that killed the rat that ate the malt that lay in the house that Jack built. This is the maiden all forlorn that milked the cow with the crumpled horn that tossed the dog that worried the cat that killed the rat that ate the malt that lay in the house that Jack built. This is the man all tattered and torn, that kissed the maiden all forlorn, that milked the cow with the crumpled horn, that tossed the dog that worried the cat that killed the rat that ate the malt that lay in the house that Jack built.

Newspapers Used For Saturday Night Bath

Newspapers have a variety of uses besides furnishing news and helping the manufacturer dipose of his products through advertising. In many countries they are used extensively for wrapping parcels, while in Mexico they furnish fuel for the Saturday night bath. Water is heated in cylindrical wood-burning water heaters which have a small storage capacity and fuel ranges from old newspapers to wood kindling. Cooking is done generally over charcoal burners, which is practically the only cooking stove used by the poorer classes, while practically all of the homes of the higher-income classes are equipped with grates for charcoal fires. There is no use of coal for domestic purposes and wood is only employed in open fireplaces and water heaters, and, therefore, coal and wood stoves are unknown except in the area near the American border. Oil stoves are coming into greater use in recent years, the Mexican Government endeavoring to change the cooking and heating methods of the people in order to conserve the forests which have suffered serious depletion as a result of the tremendous consumption of charcoal. Electrical stoves, ovens and other heating appliances are used only by the more wealthy classes.

"The man I marry must be as brave as a lion, but not forward; handsome as Apollo, but not conceited; wise as Solomon, but meek as a lamb; a man who is kind to every woman, but loves only me."

"How lucky we met!"

You've been wanting to try Kruschen . . . do it NOW at OUR EXPENSE!

If you've been one of those who have been intending to try KRUSCHEN but haven't, then take advantage of this limited time offer. Go to your nearest druggist and ask for the Kruschen Giant Package. You get the regular generous 75c bottle *plus a Free Trial Bottle.*

Use the TRIAL bottle first. You'll find, like the people of 119 different countries have found, that there's nothing else quite like Kruschen.

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Kruschen costs only a few cents a week to use. Your druggist has a limited number of the Kruschen Giant Packages now in stock. And remember, if you are not thoroughly convinced of Kruschen's merits after using the trial bottle you are at liberty to return the unopened Regular package to your druggist who will redeem it at full value.

SPIRIT OF CANADA

Special Day to Each Province Feature at Royal Winter Fair.

Each Canadian province is celebrated at the Royal Winter Fair by a "day" specially dedicated to showing its products and exhibits. This linking of all Canada through common interests in agriculture and nationality was instituted at the first Fair in 1922 and has been continued uninterruptedly ever since. It catches "the spirit of Canada."

The days with their mottoes are:

Wednesday, Nov. 21—"All Canada Day, also Children's Day.

Thursday, Nov. 22—British Columbia, "Our only Pacific Province."

Friday, Nov 23—Maritime Day, jointly, "The three Atlantic provinces."

Saturday, Nov. 24—Quebec Day, "Quaint French-Canada."

Monday, Nov. 26—Alberta Day, "Rugged as the Rockies."

Tuesday, Nov. 27—Manitoba Day, "First of the Prairie Provinces."

Wednesday, Nov. 28 — Saskatchewan Day, "Golden West of Wheat."

Thursday, Nov. 29—Ontario Day, "Last but not least."

"Provincial days are observed," says Colonel Harry McGee, President of the Fair, "because they continue the policy of the Royal Fair, of promoting agriculture and fostering a spirit of broad Canadianism. The increasing interest being given by all the provinces to this feature is a matter of much satisfaction.

"Canadian Day, the first day of the Fair, is devoted to showing broadly and nationally the essential unity of Canadian farm interests from coast to coast. The above mentioned Fair days are devoted to focusing public attention on special features of one or other of the provinces."

"In this way," Colonel McGee added, "every province and locality receives from it benefits otherwise unobtainable for it is an axiom that all local agricultural effort logically leads upward to the Royal; and, just as logically, the influence and benefits of the Royal flow outward to the nine provinces and to their regional subdivisions."

If You Eat Starches Meats, Sweets *Read This*

They're All Necessary Foods — But All Acid - Forming. Hence Most of Us Have "Acid Stomach" At Times. Easy Now to Relieve.

Doctors say that much of the so-called "indigestion," from which so many of us suffer, is really *acid* indigestion . . . brought about by too many *acid-forming* foods in our modern diet. And that there is now a way to relieve this . . . often in minutes!

Simply take *Phillips'* Milk of Magnesia after meals. Almost immediately this acts to *neutralize* the stomach acidity that brings on your trouble. You "forget you have a stomach!"

Try this just once! Take either the familiar liquid "PHILLIPS'", or, now the convenient *new* Phillips' Milk of Magnesia Tablets. But be *sure* you get Genuine "PHILLIPS'".

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Phillips' Milk of Magnesia Tablets are now on sale at all drug stores everywhere. Each tiny tablet is the equivalent of a teaspoonful of Genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia.

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It does not pay to display the best apples on top of a basket for sale when the apples underneath are of inferior grade. At least Harry Brown of Ottawa, when he was found quilty of false representations as to the content of a basket of apples. The charge was held by Emmerson Paige, of the Department of Agriculture staff and the accused was fined $25 and $2 costs.

Registrar of Marriages (to youthful bridegroom): "The young lady is not a minor, is she?"

Bridegroom: "Oh, no; she works in a fish shop!"

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"I should love to," said Miss Comely, but they insist on cash."

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Remember when the freight trains which drew complaints here for the blocking of traffic were all on the railroads and not on the highways?

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Young Man—Mr. Smith your daughter has promised to become my wife.

Father—"It was your own fault—what else did you expect if you kept hanging around here every night?

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There's nothing new under the sun. But for that matter there is some pretty old stuff going on under the moon.

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Young Man—"Darling, I've lost all my money. Haven't a penny in the world.

Sweet Young Thing—That won't make any difference to our love, dear I'll love you just as much—even if I never see you again.

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An optimist is a man who, after he grows bald, consoles himself by rejoicing that he will never have gray hair again.

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Man—"Why does he always refer to his wife as "The Weather?"

Friend—"Because she is just as changeable and hard to control he says."

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In some deserts there are small green spots called oasis. How often is life like a desert.

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Mrs. Grouch—"It tells here in the paper of a man who sold his wife for $700. Would you sell me for that?"

Mr. Grouch—"What chance would I have?" The fellow probably would demand double that from me for taking you off my hands.

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If the Government dictated to women as fashion does, there'd be war.

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Miss—"How did you enjoy your visit on the farm?"

Boy Friend—I was afraid of the butter out there?"

Miss—"The butter? Was it so very strong?

Boy Friend—"I'll say it was—and I never saw a meaner billygoat in all my life."

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There is a possibility too that the cost of living will advance out of all proportion to its value.

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Son—"Daddy when you went to school, did they have a board of education?"

Father—"No, son. The teacher used a hickory switch.'

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When a man is in a jam he refers to news stories as "Notoriety." When he's helping a good cause he wants "Publicity."

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She—"That radio next door nearly drives me crazy."

He—'Me too. There are times when I've wished those neighbors had such bad luck they couldn't keep up the payments on it and the dealer had to take the darn thing back".

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One of the biggest things people have to contend with these days is the ordinary cranks who are against everything.

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Small Boy—"My Dad's got a new set of teeth.

Friend—"What are they going to do with the old ones."

Small Boy—"I spose they'll have save 'em and cut 'em down for me.

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There are two kinds of wives. The kind who help a man find his place in the world and the kind who put him in his place.

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Young bucks these days find that in order to put a dent in a girl's heart you have got to put a dent in the bankroll oo.

Jealousy is a tree that bears the most bitter of all fruits.

Prehistoric Dwellings Unearthed Near Berlin

Berlin—The setting up of the Olympia village in Doberitz, a remoter suburb of Berlin, has had unexpected consequences. Near the Berliner Chaussee, the foundations of five dwelling places from 2000 to 2500 B.C., have been unearthed, as well as two ash-pits containing bones and fragments of earthenware bowls. A stone-ax from the Neolithic period and an anchor have also been found. This latter find rouses great interest, in that it may be taken as proving that this sandy plain of Brandenburg was once the scene of fishing. Those who are familiar with the sandy lakes and soil of Berlin, the capital is built on sand, will be particularly interested in this explanation.

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RETURN TO SCENES OF WAR TIME

British Members of Hospital Units in Serbia Re-Visit Country Where They Were on "Active Service"

Three British ex-V.A.D.'s, who served in Serbia (now part of Yugoslavia) during the war and after the Armistice, returned recently after 12 years' absence, on a pilgrimage to see the places and people they knew on service. The visitors were Miss Vera Holme, from Birkdale, near Liverpool; Miss Margaret Greenlees and Miss Margaret Ker, from Scotland.

Both Miss Holme and Miss Greenlees were members of the Scottish Women's Hospital Units on active service during the War and after the Armistice, both in Serbia and on the Salonika front. Miss Ker took part in relief work in Serbia after the war.

All three left Belgrade for the last time in 1922, when their relief work came to an end. But they compacted to return together some day, and this year the opportunity came. It was before the assassination of King Alexander of Yugoslavia in Marseilles.

ROADS CHANGED.

Miss Holme, who was an ambulance and lorry driver on the Balkan and Bessarabian fronts from early 1915 until late 1917, said her first impression on re-visiting Belgrade was the changed condition of the roads.

"Those war-time roads!" she exclaimed. "When we were here practically no roads existed such as you have today—just tracks in the mud. Sometimes we were stuck all night in the mud, miles from anywhere. Sometimes the roads were so bad and full of holes, one actually tried the open country instead. Do you remember those roads, Margaret Greenlees? ..... And now today, the roads everywhere are fine, modern ones, and Belgrade is simply unrecognizable for new buildings."

SERBIA'S PART

"We love Serbia," declared Miss Holme, "and that is why we have come back. Somehow many people in England seem to have forgotten all about Serbia and the brave, gallant things she did in the war. But we have not forgotten.

"Not everybody remembers either today what British women did out here. Some thousands of British women must have served on the Serbian fronts during the war. Figures like Dr. Elsie Inglis, Lady Berry, the Hon. Evelyn Haverfield — all of whom are dead now—and Dr. Emslie-Hutton, and Dr. Katherine plish this purpose. Every drivers' licensing law, moreover, might well require that a record of any convictions of the licensee for unsafe driving be written on his card. This record need not be presented in court, but it does afford pertinent information to a traffic officer and will result in greater certainty of reporting habitual offenders to the licensing authorities. Now it may be that some of these persons are not willful offenders but merely incompetent drivers. That distinction does not lessen the damage they may inflict. Such persons should resolve either to improve their driving or else forego that privilege. For driving is a privilege, and should be treated as such.

U.S. Newspaper Advertising Gains in September

Chicago—An increase in retail advertising of nearly 5,000,000 lines was the big feature of September in the newspaper advertising field, an analyisis by Advertising Age of figures based on advertising activity in 77 cities reveals.

The total volume of advertising in the newspapers compared in September was 135,068,000 lines, a gain of 4,132,000 compared with the corresponding month of last year. But classified, which gained over 1,100,000 lines, another reflection of increased business activity, was the only classification besides retail to show a gain.

General advertising declined slightly to 23,000,000 lines, the loss being less than 1 per cent., however. Automotive advertising, which made a big increase in August, was off 10.5 per cent., the total for September being 6,527,000 lines. Financial was also slightly below last year with a total of 1,860,000 lines, a decrease of 5.5 per cent.

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Take half a teaspoonful of Minard's in molasses. Heat Minard's, inhale it. Also rub it well into your chest.

You'll get relief

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New size, tablets 50 cts., liquid $1.00. Large size, tabs. or liquid, $1.35. All druggists.

Write Dr. Pierce's Clinic, Buffalo, N. Y., for free medical advice.

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