

# Killed 33,592 Injured

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"I expect she wore her coat and hat. She took the dog with her."  
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SPRING'S APPEAL  
I like the flowers, birds, and bees, The tender grass and budding trees, I like all springtime, to be sure, But, best of all, the temperature.

When a man has a birthday, he takes a day off. When a woman has one, she takes a year off.  
Boss—I'm surprised at you! Do you know what they do with boys who tell lies?  
Office boy—Yes, sir! When they get enough the firm sends them out as salesmen.

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Seven Airport Sites Purchased In B.C.  
Ottawa—The Government has acquired seven sites in British Columbia for air service purposes, Minister of Defence Grotte Stirling told a questioner in the House of Commons recently. These are situated at Boston Bar, Hope, Kitchener, Saimo, Yakh, Midway and Princeton.

# ALL FOOD MADE HER ILL

Caused by Acidity—Corrected by Kruschen  
"It is only fair to pass these facts on," writes a nurse. "I was suffering from over-acidity and flatulence to such an extent that I was completely ill. I couldn't take food. When I actually forced myself to take something, I would be wretchedly ill. I have now taken Kruschen for 12 months, and I have no doubt that it has righted my digestive system. I am now quite fit and able to work with vigor again."—Nurse E. S.

Indigestion is caused by a failure in the flow of the gastric or digestive juices. As a result, your food, instead of being assimilated by your system, simply collects and ferments inside you, producing harmful acid poisons. The immediate effect of the six mineral salts in Kruschen is to promote the healthy flow of the vital juices of the body. As you continue with the "little daily dose," it ensures the regular and complete elimination of all waste matter every day. And that means a complete end to indigestion.

AN APPEAL TO THE CITIZENS OF ONTARIO  
King George V. Jubilee Cancer Fund Inaugurated  
A message to the citizens of Ontario from His Honor, Dr. Herbert A. Bruce, Lieutenant-Governor:—  
"His Excellency the Governor-General inaugurated recently the King George V. Jubilee Cancer Fund in Canada. The citizens of every Province in this great Dominion are being invited to assist in bringing about the ultimate conquest of a deadly, relentless enemy whose shadow falls across all our lives—CANCER. I need not say how eagerly I seized this opportunity to appeal to the citizens of Ontario to do all they can to make this Jubilee year of His Majesty's accession to the throne forever glorious, forever a year of grace memorable for all time as the year when we all, in massed formation, began a well-planned attack upon cancer—the most elusive, the most secretive and the most inexorably cruel of mankind's enemies.

"The terrible annual toll cancer exacts in this province must be checked. Each year four thousand people die of Cancer in Ontario, and for every one that dies there are usually three more who are suffering from this painful, malignant disease. That makes 12,000 cases of cancer annually in Ontario. The ratio of deaths from cancer has increased from 70.9 in 1914 to 114.7 in 1933—an increase of 43.9.

"The results obtained today in the treatment of cancer are so very much better than formerly that those who notice a lump or have unusual symptoms should not be deterred from consulting a doctor because of the fear that he will diagnose their case as cancer.

In early cases surgery is still the best form of treatment, either alone or in combination with X-ray and radium. In certain regions, however, X-ray or radium is preferred, and good results are obtained. Even in late cases the use of X-ray or radium will relieve pain and delay the inevitable.

"The crying need is for more research, more institutions with facilities for the scientist in his great work of investigating the cause of cancer and the discovery of a specific for its cure. There must be a "specific" but the cause of cancer must first be discovered by exact, painstaking medical research. This research will only be possible if we all help to provide the necessary funds. When this fund is established it will enable Canada to take her place with her sister Dominions, thus making the campaign inaugurated in London twelve years ago a truly British Empire Campaign against cancer in its scope.

"However, I should make it clear that all money collected will be spent in this country.  
"I appeal to all citizens in this Province to contribute \$1.00 or more to the King George V. Silver Jubilee Cancer Fund for Canada.  
"Will you please send your contribution direct to Lady Bessborough, who will acknowledge it. Her address is simply, Ottawa, Ontario. The chartered banks are receiving contributions for transmission to Her Excellency as a convenience to the public."

# SCOUTING Here There Everywhere

Great preparations are under way in Scouting circles throughout the Dominion for the coming visit of Lord and Lady Baden-Powell. They will arrive in Victoria April 9, and after big rallies of Scouts and Girl Guides at Victoria and Vancouver, will proceed eastward attending similar gatherings at designated centres in the various provinces.

The rally centres and dates for Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec are as follows: Brandon, Thursday, May 2; Winnipeg, Saturday, May 4; Fort William, Wednesday, May 8; Sudbury, Thursday, May 9; Toronto, Saturday, May 11; London, Tuesday, May 14; Ottawa, Saturday, May 18; Montreal, Friday, May 24; Quebec, Monday, May 27.

Chatham, Ont., Scouts participated in a Rotary Club crippled children's campaign by operating a "Lost and Found Bureau" of Rotary members, who had to contribute something to the fund on being "found."

Honorary membership in the Peterboro' Fish and Game Protective Association was conferred upon every invested Boy Scout of Peterboro' troops at a big joint meeting of Scouts and Rovers and members of the Fish and Game Association executive, in celebration of the Chief Scout's birthday.

The turning of a game of stalking into the real thing was the unique experience of Scouts of Nelson and Willow Point, B.C. The two troops had combined for a Saturday programme, and were playing a game of stalking through bush, when they discovered a small boy who had been lost.

One of the largest assemblies of Scouts and Cubs recorded in many years at the "Lakeland" gathered at Fort William to celebrate the birthday of Lord and Lady Baden-Powell with a programme of competitions, winding up with a big sing-song. Some 250 boys participated, representing troops and packs in Fort William and Port Arthur.

Since the inauguration of the campaign to increase the number of Scouts in Canada to 100,000, in response to the expressed wish of His Excellency the Governor-General, Ontario has registered 38 new Scout troops with a membership of 951.

During February 11 new Scout Groups were organized and registered, as follows: 3rd Galt, 4th Kingston, 5th Kingston, 1st Wellington; 1st Bobcaygeon, 6th Oshawa, 1st Kakabeka Falls, 1st Merlin, 1st Kingsville, 1st Alliston, 3rd Mimico.

Scout Lawrence Parker of the Border Cities Sanatorium Post Troop, although unable to leave his room, has passed his Second Class Scout tests. Boys of these hospital and sanatorium units are among our keenest and cheeriest Scouts.

Thirty Toronto Scouts assisted at the Service of Witnesses held in Maple Leaf Gardens on the evening of March 5.

# the day when the Bank of France has a governor bold enough and when the French investor is readier to expose his nose to cutting economic winds.

There exists a slight doubt, a very slight doubt, as to the willingness of the Punta Felguera; they might prefer to make its terminal point at Oran or Algiers.

The third line, a continuation of the present rail route from Tangiers to Marrakesh, would skirt the Atlantic seaboard as far as Dakar, in Senegal. Aviation has already given Dakar geographical dignity; it is the starting point both of the German air mail and of the French air and ship mail services to South America.

The fourth line, brushing the Mediterranean coast line, would prolong the French railway which now comes to a humiliatingly abrupt stop at Italy's colony of Tripolitania.

Such, then, is the vision; how possible is its realization? Economic means and technical possibility are questions that await final pronouncement. Apart from them there is that small but annoying difficulty of the seven-inch difference between the Spanish and French railway gauges. Alteration of the present Spanish track would be too costly; the construction of a new trunk route in Spain is impracticable.

What, then, can be done? Container cars might solve the problem offered by freight traffic, and there are not lacking systems permitting passenger trains to be adapted to varying gauges. Perhaps one of them will enable this subsidiary difficulty to be overcome.

What, lastly, of the international consequences of a realized Gibraltar tunnel? To Britain a British-controlled Gibraltar would acquire a new significance. To France, French colonies in Africa would be of enhanced military importance; black troops could be rushed across to Europe in a matter of hours. Spain herself would recover a meed of long-lost European prestige.

But glory has its price. Spain has liked to remain aloof from European troubles; she might still wish to do so; but a neutral Spain possessed of a Gibraltar tunnel would be a passive ally of France. Are Spanish "tunnel enthusiasts" to be checked by the thought?

The Home Merchant  
The home merchant, who is he? He is the chap who gives you credit when you are financially broke, and carries your account until you are able to pay.

He is the chap who gives you back your money or makes exchanges when you are not satisfied with what you have bought.

He is the chap who stands behind the guarantee and makes restoration of all losses that you may sustain on the goods you buy.

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Fine tobacco, aged and ripe.  
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# DIXIE PLUG SMOKING TOBACCO

British Ford Pays Dividend Of 5 Per Cent.  
London, Eng.—The Ford Motor Company of Great Britain, Limited, has announced a dividend of 5 per cent. for the past year of 48,669,000 (\$43,250,000) of ordinary shares of capital. No distribution had been made for the previous three years.

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THE WOLF BOUNTY  
Louis Johnson, trapper of Felix, Ont., thinks the bounty on wolves should be higher than it is. Indeed he advocates one of \$50 instead of the present \$15 and declares that this Spring a very large number of deer have been killed by wolves.

Pig's Stomach Patches Man's  
Geneva, O.—In the midst of news about upside-down stomachs and disarranged organs, H. P. Williamson, 68, of Cork, near here, has come forth to proclaim that for 23 years he has been digesting his food with a stomach part of which was once a pig's.

RELIEVE PERIODIC PAIN  
If you suffer periodic pain and discomfort, try Lydia E. Pinkham's Tablets. In most cases they bring welcome relief. As Mrs. Caroline Newman says, "They ease the pain."

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