to be the judge of them, and who i

be satisfied with what others decide to

Henry Ford once said: "The yard

dollar a dollar?" The man in the

share prices, of the rocketing franc,

of the jumpiness of stock exchanges,

and the failure of brokers. And the

man in the street can be excused for

thinking that finance has gone crazy.

science has made possible? So long

crazy, too .- London Sunday Chron-

Sporting Comment

By KEN EDWARDS

any don't you try it sometime?

Well, did you get around to an-

swering last week's question? What

wrestler has had his nose broken 23

times? The answer is Little Beaver,

the 24-year-old Cherokee Indian iron

. . . .

"War Admiral" is following in the

foot-steps of pappy "Man o' War."

seems he had a hoof injury last sea

son but now in his first few races he

At the time when the big Owlahoma

oil wells were discovered on the In-

dian reserves, oil was their gold.

hence one old Indian chief appro-

priately named his race horse 'Black

. . . .

fight Harry Thomas, of Chicago, in

December, in New York. Last year

Harry won 13 fights out of 15, with

. . . .

his brother to chop off half of his

ndex finger because of snake bite?

. . . .

Ramsay MacDonald Warns Asso-

ciation For Advancement

Of Science

Former Prime Minister Ramsay

MacDonald, addressing the British

Association for the Advancement of

Science, discussed the effects of mod-

He said China and Spain had shown

the great advance attributable to

science in the destructive forces of

so-called civilization. These would be

repeated with increased horror wher-

Cannot Avoid Worst

avoid the worst that can happen in

warfare," he said, in delivering the

first Radford Mather lecture to the

association. 'But let us not be misled

by thinking scientists as such can

The action of the farmer in growing

wheat and food for war, he continued,

was akin to the engineer turning out

improved flying engines. But it was

false judgment and cowardly for one

Wants Practical Democracy

democracy, but if democracy is to tri-

umph in the attack now being made,

"The plea I make is for practical

to blame them if peace was not

"If we cannot avoid war, we cannot

ern science on warfare.

ever war broke out.

Will Increase

What famous bicycle rider allowed

8 knockouts.

So long-Ken.

War's Horrors

Max Schmeling, the German, will

is walking away well in the lead.

Hello, gang!

Back again from

the old fishing

grounds, and how

they take those

There are plenty

of whitefish in

Lake Simcoe now.

minnows.

But the explanation is simple enough

Crazy World, Crazy Money

Post (London).

CANADA

Not Over Yet

When it is found necessary to open a special prison camp in British Columbia to house unemployed disturbers it is idle to talk about the depression being completely over .- Peterborough Examiner.

Tribute to Nurses

It is a tribute to Canadian nurses that their services constantly are being sought in the United States. fact, Canadians are numerous and highly placed in all the professions across the border. This can have but one meaning; ability and zeal .- Toronto Globe and Mail.

Exemplary Punishment

Last week a man was convicted of manslaughter before Mr. Justice Den-Judge Denis sent him to penitentiary job of sharing the abundance that for seven years. That, we should say, was an adequate penalty, and as the world is crazy finance will be more of the kind would have an extremely salutary effect.— Ottawa

Shin Plasters

What motive inspired the Bank of Canada to abolish the twenty-fivecent note, the shin plaster? Surely no economy was involved. Did anybody find it a nuisance? A good many found it a convenience for small remittances when a postal note or money order seemed hardly worth while. Children loved it.-Saint John Telegraph-Journal.

People Will Demand It

The secretary of the Ontario Medical Association is on safe ground in asserting that state health insurance will come in this country. It will arrive, with or without the assent of the medical profession, because the people at large will demand, as they are already demanding, some relief from the heavy financial burdens accompanying sickness and hospitalization-Brockville Recorder and Times.

Thrill of Plowing

"What was the attraction?" probably the first question many persons asked on reading the news despatch reporting an attendance of 25,000 people on the second day and 45,000 on the third day of the International Plowing Match at Fergus.

Fergus being a town with no great population it would be readily assumed that a large percentage of the people came from outside points. It would be further assumed that only a small percentage of those 45,000 actually took part in the contest.

The answer, of course, would be obvious to anybody who knows anything about plowing. There is nothing like the thrill which accompanies plowing a straight furrow, and when you can't do the plowing yourself the best thing is to watch.-Windsor Star.

Co-ordination Is Necessary Since unemployment is a most urgent social and economic problem, it is extremely necessary that the Dominion and the provinces should get together on this matter with the least possible delay. There should be a central administration under a highly capable executive head, and the different branches throughout the Dominion should be under able directors. The expenditure on relief continues higher than necessary because of lack of an efficient system for placing the unemployed in jobs. Why should this remain so? The great scarcity of skilled workers in some parts of the country will suggest bringing in immigrants of this class. Why bring in outsiders if there are Canadians who are qualified for the jobs, or can be fitted for them? Unemployment insurance will be adopted in some way before long. Then it will be expedient to keep unemployment at a minimum, and this will require a fully organized and aggressive employment service. There is every reason for abandoning the present policy of drift. For the sake of the taxpayers and also of the unemployed, the Dominion and the provinces should lose no time in establishing an efficient, co-ordinated employment service, which can be modified later if necessary .- Winnipeg Free Press.

THE EMPIRE

or justice"? It is easy to say that

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Who Will Guarantee?

it must have method, and I believe the records of the scientific worker and the way he sets about his work "The will for peace." President will steady and clarify the popular Roosevelt declares, "must express itmind not only to complain eloquently. self to the end that nations attemptbut to conclude wisely," the former ing to violate agreements and the Prime Minister declared. rights of others will desist from such A return to bows and arrows, he a course." In that event "the will for peace" takes a curious shape, for what is to be done about the nations which, in the late President Wilson's words, "do not intend peace

added, would not remove the grievances of nations, for which they will fight, or supply the enlightened diplomacy which can keep peace without injury to a nation's sense of injustice.

Skylarks sing, on the average, for 2.22 minutes.

Romantic Trade of Past Thrives in Far Corners

The Ivory Trade Is Carried On In | tusks projecting downwards are in Africa, Chiefly — Used For Billiard Balls and Piano Keys

Commerce in the days when sailng barques, laden with "strange cargoes of ivory, apes and peacocks." "injustices and well-founded grievplied the seven seas was invested ances" should be removed; but who is with a certain glamor. Even today, in this more prosaic industrial age, to guarantee that the aggrieved will a few of the romantic trades of the past still flourish in out-of-the-way be justice?-Telegraph and Morning spots of the earth. One of these the ivory trade, writes Frank K. Linge in Barron's Financial Week-

Africa Chief Source

is always 36 inches, but when is a Africa is now the chief source of the ivory supply. From East Coast street reads of Wall Street slumps in Zanzibar and Mombasa, trading centres for British Kenya Colony and Uganda, and Mozambique, port of Portuguese East Africa, regular shipments are made. Supplies are also obtained in the Sudan and Central and Wost Coast regions, chiefly -a world nervous and ill at ease, the the Congo, Cameroon and Nigeria. Mediterranean full of warships, sol-Russia ships annually a small quandiers of four or five nations fighting tity of mammoth tusks unearthed in in Spain. And on top of it Japan's | Siberia, of an age estimated at 1.000 savage war on China. How can trade to 50,000 years. Siam provides a excused" from knighthood and other with a "hit-and-run" fatality, and flourish or the world get on with its small quota obtained from tame ele- honors which she offered him. Near phants who have died of old age.

Shoot Their Ivory At one t'me practically all the ivory brought on to the market was found dead in the jungle and collected by native expeditions from "cemeteries" where elephants in that region find their way to die. It is estimated that now about 50 per cent are shot, although slaughtering of the animals is strictly controlled.

Hippos Produce It Too Besides the elephant, the ivory produced by some other animals is of commercial value and use. For example, the hippopotamus, or seahorse, has two immense canine teeth or tusks, six others which are curved in the upper jaw, and six straight in the lower jaw. Various species of wild-boar- notably the warthog of South Africa-produce quantities of ivory. Among marine animals there is the sperm-whale, which has immense jaws full of unusual looking teeth, and the walrus whose long

Old English Estates Oyster Produced Coming On Market

Many of Them Have Histories Linking Back to Early Days of England; Some Sold by Auction As Various Factors Enter Into Transactions

Historic British estates which date back several centuries, in some cases even to feudal days, have been comng into the market in large numbers recently.

Changing family fortunes, new designs for living and death have been some of the factors behind the many offerings at auction and private sales of vast holdings once occupied by English nobility.

Many of the time-worn structures figuring in the realty news there lately have in days gone by sheltered members of the royal family or outstanding figures in the literary life | the pearls were exceedingly small and of the nation. Their very walls not of saleable value. whisper of the colorful past.

Known to Dickens and Scott One of these interesting places is the Rokeby Castle in Yorkshire, the home of the Morritt family since the early part of the seventeenth century. More than 1,100 acres comprising the eastern portion of this estate is to be auctioned

Another estate of note which has come into the market is Broughton Place, near Maidstone, in Kent, where Queen Elizabeth once stayed

many instances fine quality ivory, and were at one time extensively

London Central Market

London is the central market of the world for ivory, although the growth of the Congo trade has resulted in moderate quantities being shiped to Antwerp where sales are also held. Buyers from the United States and the continent, as well as purchasers representing the home trade, regularly attend the quarterly sales, which have been held for many years in the commercial sales rooms in Mincing Lane. All the ivory to be offered is stored and exhibited at the ivory warehouses at the London docks where it is inspected by buyers and valued according to quality.

on a visit to that county in the sixteenth century. The man who owned the place at that time was Thomas Wotton, Sheriff of Kent, who enlarged and beautified the house to make it suitable for his distinguished

the house stands an old yew tree, enclosed by a high ragstone wall Tradition has it that the Queen

planted this tree. Held for 400 Years

The Wotton family held this estate for more than 400 years, and then it passed by marriage to the "great" Earl of Chesterfield. Later it became a part of the Kent estates of the Cornwallis family.

Just as in Canada and United States the large estates are difficult to sell because of the limited number of persons who can afford them, so in Britain many fine places "go begging." Many need modernization, taxes on them are high and upkeep

An example of this is found in the recent sale of Rousdon Mansion in East Devon, known as "one of the beauty spots of England." The buyer paid about \$150,000, which was only a fraction of what the late Sir Henry Peek paid to erect it.

Hundred Pearls

But They Were Too Small To Be Put On Sale

A nest of more than 100 pearls was found in a Whitstable native oyster opened at a famous restaurant in

Coventry street, London, England, re-Robert Butler, one of the firm's eight oystermen, opened the oyster.

Scores of pearls rolled on the floor. Mr. Butler has been an oysterman for more than twenty years. He opens an average of 400 a day, so that oysters have no secrets from Mr. Butler. But he has never met such an oyster before.

Million a Year

In case you are thinking of going to Whitstable and starting the oyster rush of 1937, it should be stated that

But, nevertheless, the firm, who sell a million oysters a year, cannot recall anything like it before and Mr. Butler says he has found bigger pearls in the past, but only one at a time. The oyster in question will go down in history and not down someone's throat. It is being exhibited in a win-

It is now a traffic menace in Istanask for a match.

Highlights of the Week's News . . .

by Peter Randal

commodation and the care of over

night tourists will be made available

to all young people interested, by

the Women's Institutes Department

of Ontario in connection with the

National Employment Commission.

Such a training will be of special use

to young people in districts well trav-

elled by tourists which are yet poor

"By All Honorable Means"

heard above the din of European

squabbling and preparing for war:

"We, as a nation, are at peace with

all the world and for that we are

thankful. We have no plans for

conquest. To keep the peace is a

fundamental policy of the United

States. War will be avoided by al

honorable means." Also in his Navy

Day Letter, President Roosevelt

warned that the United States wil

maintain a sea strength sufficient to

Relief List Reduced

show that unemployment and relief

have decreased during the past year

in the Dominion of Canada. In Sep-

tember, 1937, there were 73,479 few-

er people on relief than in Septem-

ber, 1936. Responsible for the drop

are better times, provincial and mu-

nicipal work projects, activities of the

National Employment Commission,

the land settlement plan under which

established on farms.

Jap embroglio.

unemployed are assisted in becoming

Belgian Cabinet Crisis

Premier Paul Van Zeeland resigned

last week from the leadership of the

Belgian Government in order to fight

nents that he was mixed up in a

gesture. The resulting crisis in Bel-

gium forced the postponement of the

nine-power conference which was to

have met in Brussels Saturday to find

an "amicable" solution to the Sino-

New Irrigation Projects

two new projects for irrigating areas

in the Canadian west have been an-

nounced to be carried out under the

Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act. The

work will be done in the Brooks, Al-

berta, irrigation district; and in the

Cypress Hills area of Southern Sas-

katchewan. The Government scheme

involves taking over the land at about

\$10 an acre and reselling it at the

same figure. Land will be used for

placing farmers from poor lands.

Non-Intervention Accord Remote

ropean powers delegates to the Span-

meeting in London which convened

over the week-end, sought only to

avoid the definite break in relations

that might mean the opening of the

French frontier to the passage of

men and arms into Spain. On the

and Russia, demanding the removal

of foreigners from the civil war; on

the other side, Germany, Italy and

Portugal demanding recognition of

the Spanish insurgents as belliger-

ents. The meeting preferred a dead-

tervention negotiations collapse, it

While 100,000 Black Shirts poured

into Rome in ninety-three columns

that tramped through the streets

throughout the night, Il Duce con-

ferred with his subordinates on stern

measures to cope with any situation

arising from a decision by Russia and

France to resume "liberty of action"

Revises Margin Requirements

Federal Reserve Board has announced

a drastic revision in its stock market

margin requirements. The move was

expected by many Washington auth-

orities to bolster sagging security

Deprived of Citizenship

editor of the Berlin Tageblatt, is on

a list of sixty-seven Germans deprived

of citizenship, published this week by

the official Gazette. Wilhelm Ditt-

mann, former Socialist in the Reich-

stag and one of the leaders of the

revolution of 1918 after the armistice,

Sabotage In Palestine

was kept smouldering this week by

new sabotage attempts against com-

munications, railway stations and

An attack was made on the Lydda

The Jerusalem-Hebron road

JERUSALEM.-Unrest in Palestine

BERLIN.-Theodor Wolff, former

WASHINGTON.—The United States

in Spain.

also is named.

police posts.

police stations.

were cut near Rafa.

was learned on excellent authority.

lock to a wide-open split.

Hopeless of agreement, nine Eu

Non-Intervention Committee

At a cost of more than \$100,000.

Latest figures issued by Ottawa

"ensure a righteous peace."

Again the voice from the south

farming country.

Although Nazi officials dendied that any decision regarding Dr. Hjalmar Horace Greeley Schacht, German Minister of Economics, had been reached, Dr. Schacht considers himself discharged from office. The Minister, whose astounding feats of financial juggling the past few years have kept Germany's economic affairs on a workable basis, has long been at variance with certain of the Nazi leaders. Trouble first came to a head with the institution of the four-year plan sponsored by General Goering, the No. 2 Nazi. Asked about the Government's denial that he was leaving office, Dr. Schacht said: "The official announcement of my resignation will be made yesterday, today or tomorrow." The Minister desires also to withdraw from the presidency of the Reichsbank, the Government agency for the control of German banking. What will Germany do

Finance Wizard Resigns

He is said to have "prayed to be | Ontario Trains Tcurist Caterers One of the newer vocations opening up for the young people of Ontario, especially now that the tourist trade is becoming a major industry, is the tourist-catering profession. Starting later this month or early in December, a course in wayside booth selling, advertising proper cabin ac

without him?

News In Review

Ordered to Stand By

LONDON, Eng. - All British warships within wireless range wer asked this week-end, Lloyd's reported to assist the British steamer Stanray the charges of Rexist (Fascist) oppoafter it was fired on and halted by Spanish insurgent trawler in the Bay "national bank scandal." His cabinet of Biscay. resigned with him as a confidence

Prince Michael Honored

BUCHAREST.-His eyes sparkling with joy and pride, King Carol II thi week placed on the shoulders of h son, Crown Prince Michael, who reach ed his 16th birthday, the stripe of second lieutenant in the Rumanian army. A salute of 21 guns marked the occasion, considered here the most important event in the Royal Family since the enthronement of Carol in 1930.

The King Opens Parliament LONDON.-King George, addressing

his Parliament for the first time in Speech from the Throne, pledged his Government to work unceasingly for peace in Spain and in the Far East But he pledged the Government also to maintain the racing pace of its re armament program-with special at tention to anti-aircraft defence that if war comes, the country will be

ready for it. Robed in a mantle of red and black collared with ermine, the King ad dressed members of the Houses of Lords and Commons, the Peers gorge ously attired in their robes of state, from his throne in the Lord's Cham-

New Skyway

WASHINGTON. - Pennsylvania Central Airlines formally opened new skyway this week for passenger mail and express traffic between Washington and Buffalo, a route that is expected to link eventually Ottawa and Washington.

Duce Ready to Plunge

ROME.—Premier Mussolini prepar ed this week-end, on the eve of the fifteenth anniversary of his "march on Rome, establishing fasciem, to bul to stop a person in the street and plunge into the Spanish civil war on a grand scale if the London non-in-

King Congratulates a "Queen"



Prime Minister Mackenzie King is shown here congratulating Miss Anna Neagle, the British screen star, after the premiere of her picture, "Victoria the Great," in Ottawa. At right, Herbert Wilcox, producing director of the film in which Miss Neagle has the leading role.

Volcanos Act Like Pimple

Japanese Scientists Demonstrate It By Measurements

A volcano that is getting read go into action acts very much pimple that is swelling and ready to burst. This has been a strated by accurate measure made by two Japanese scientist Takahasi and T. Minakami, who ducted observations on the acti cano Asama in Japan and have rely published their findings in the tin of the Earthquake Research I tute. They used tiltometers to de the ground movements points on the flanks of the These are instruments similar to a mographs that record earthqual When the ground remains perfer still, the seismograph will record poallel lines uniformly spaced as the cording paper makes its daily revol tion under the stylus. If the grow is tilted these lines have their spacing changed. The distance and direction by which they are displaced makent possible to determine the direct and amount of the ground tilting. Such tilts take place normally every day. The Japanese scientists found that tilting five times the normal amount took place from seven to thirty days before the volcano erupted. The floor of the crater rose before outbursts. The direction of the tilts indicated the whole mountain was swelling be

Freak Humans Sprouted Horns

Museums Now Possess Speciment That Grew From Foreheads of Abnormal People

Franciscus Trovillion spent hood with French charcoal-burners in the woods near his native village, Mezieres. At the age of seven a swelling appeared on his forehead and grew By the time he was seventeen this

horn was the length of a man's finger, at the age of thirty-five it had taken the shape of a ram's horn. In the year 1598 he was exhibited as a freak, first in Paris and then at Orleans, where his death took place. A somewhat similar case occurred

in Scotland, where in 1671, there lived a woman fifty years of age whose head grew a crooked horn several inches long. This horn was cut off in the year mentioned, and is preserved in the Edinburgh Library founded by Clement Little. The horned lady died at the age of seventy without having produced another of these curious ornaments.

Two Pairs

In the British Museum there are two horns which sprouted from the head of a young Lancashire woman. In true deer fashion she shed them at the age of thirty-three, but the remarkable point about her case is that another pair of horns sprouted, and remained with her for five years. At the end of that time they also were shed. Her death occurred in the year 1688 at the ripe age of seventy-

one side were Great Britain, France | Some Apes Smarter Than Certain Men

Psychologist Would Compare Two to Find Out How Much

A "fairly bright" ape could give some humans a half-length handicap and still beat them to the wire in an intelligence derby, Dr. Philip H. Dubois, of the University of New Mexico psychology department, said at Albuquerque, N.M., last week

"There are undoubtedly some apes that can learn more than some men," he said in a Phi Beta Kappa address before a campus cultural group. "In order to find this over-lapping, it is necessary to take for comparison fairly bright apes and very duff humans," the doctor explained

Differences Only of Quantity The differences between man and animals are quantitative rather than qualitative," he said, "Men learn faster than white rats; they learn more complicated things, but the process is

apparently much the same. "It is certainly not learning ability that distinguishes man from the socalled lower animals. Man is closer to the apes in this respect than the apes are to the guinea pig."

Liquorless Night Club

Three hundred patrons made a success of the formal opening of the non-alcoholic night club at the Goo Washington University, Washington Nothing stronger than ginger rle was served. The club, planned managed by students, is similar to several established recently in the Middle West and on the Pacific Coast.

railway station and a military vehicle en route from Namlus to Tulkarem A German workman, served with was fired upon. Twelve telephone the wrong type of sausage in a works wires connecting Palestine with Egypt canteen, threw it out of the winds He claimed that he was entitled to do what he liked with his own sausa The Jerusalem-Hebron road was barricaded near Solomon's Pools and been guilty of unsocial and uncomthe telephone wires cut. Separate radely conduct, and suspended him bands fired on the Ramieh and Lydda from membership of the German i.a. bour front for a year.

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