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Notes and Comments

Where Can You See The King and Queen ?

Their itinerary calls for them to reach Ottawa on Wednesday, May 17th and remain there until 6 p.m., Saturday, May 20th. Then they go to Toronto arriving there on Monday, May 22nd at 9.30 a.m. and leaving at 6 p.m. on their trip north and west. On the return trip, they will come down from Bracebridge on Tuesday, June 6th, with short stops at Guelph, Kitchener and Stratford; will be at London on June 7th, from 9.30 a.m. to 10.30, then travelling via Ingersoll, Woodstock and Brantford to Hamilton, where they will stay from 1.10 to 2.40 p.m., then to St. Catharines and Niagara Falls. Looks as if Toronto will be Stouffville's closest port of call.

People who pay fines in Newmarket and Toronto county police courts may imagine they bear the brunt of maintaining the police court but a perusal of the money spent for the administration of justice will show that many thousands of dollars are demanded. How much of this is returnable in fines, etc., we do not know but no doubt it will fall far short of the total outlay.

The county this year is asked for \$50,000 for expenses of the Children's Aid Society. Since the new organization formed only a few years ago got underway, the costs of the Society have been mounting in a conspicuous manner. It stood for two or three years at \$40,000, but is now advanced to \$50,000, and there are whispers that the management have in mind an organization set up that will run ultimately double the present costs. We have heard this statement made now on several occasions. At first we laughed at the idea, but perhaps there's something in it, anyway, the way the indicator points lends strength to the argument. It's a grand organization with expert management, and if kept in bounds, will always be protected and cherished in the county.

"It Is My Home Town And I Am Part of it."

My town is the place where my home is founded; where my business is situated and where my vote is cast; where my children are educated; where my neighbours dwell and where my life is chiefly lived. It is the home spot for me.

My town has the right to my civic loyalty. It supports me and I should support it. My town wants my citizenship, not my partisanship; my friendliness, not my dissention; my sympathy, not my criticism; my intelligence, not my indifference. My town supplies me with protection, trade, friends, education, schools, churches, and the right to free, moral citizenship.

It has some things that are better than others; the best things I should seek to make better, the worst things I should help to suppress. Take it all-in-all, it is my town, and it is entitled to the best there is in me.

(Municipal World).

Filling a Country Woodbox

In an old farmhouse a big woodbox was built at the side of the huge fireplace or the wood burning kitchen stove. Ten baskets of wood filled it.

During the past summer two different men have had the job of keeping the kitchen supplied with wood. The first man brought in wood only when he was asked to do so by his wife, the cook. Usually she had to call him from some other task. He would bring in one armful, toss it down, and say "There, I guess that will do you until I get around to bringing in more." The kitchen workers would then have to reach far down into the box to get what they needed.

A more sensible system was used by the second man. First of all he had the woodbox thoroughly cleaned. The bark that had accumulated at the bottom was taken out and burned. Then he brought in basketload after basketload until the box was filled. Then he merely kept it filled, bringing in no more than one or two loads at a time.

Should the second man be busy at other work, or absent for several days, the kitchen workers do not have to worry about their supply of stove wood. They always have more than they need. There's a reserve supply on hand.

The two men represent the people of the world. There are those who are improvident, who live from hand to mouth, who never think ahead, who cannot even think in terms of building up reserves, who make no savings, whose work is always crowding them, who are hard workers because they are bad planners.

Then there are the people with forethought. They think ahead. They plan to make their work easier. They work hard to build up reserves so that they are prepared for emergencies. They are like the wise farmers who work hard during the growing season to provide food with which to stock the cellars.

We are always a bit suspicious of people who talk about being overworked. Overwork is usually the result of inefficiency and inefficiency is the result of sloppy thinking. The first men, who never kept the woodbox filled, was always rushing hither and yon. He was the busiest person. Anyone seeing him moving about would be tempted to exclaim, "There is a real worker. Watch him hustle around." The fact is he was no good at all and had to be discharged for his utter incompetence.

Not always does great activity result in great accomplishment.

Let us all clean out the woodbox of our business and fill it to the top with what we need. The time to do the hard work is now. Let us get our equipment in shape, our supplies where they can be handled efficiently, and then go to more important tasks with minds that are free to be concentrated on what is most profitable.

Agree on Market Stall Rentals

Good Corner Stall Costs \$1.11 for a Saturday Under New Schedule

TOLL GATE ECHO

York county council last week authorized with Toronto to license stalls in the St. Lawrence market. The agreement is the culmination of agitation started by the city last year to get some revenue in return for the services it supplies to the farmers and producers who use the stalls in the section of the market north of Front Street.

The charges for stalls are dependent on their location in the market and range from seven to nine cents per foot frontage. Corner stalls and centre aisle stalls in what are considered choice locations are charged for at nine cents per foot. Side stalls are charged eight and seven-cent rates.

In the schedule of weekly charges stalls ranged from 35c, which would be for a five-foot stall at the seven-cent rate, to \$1.11, which is the complete charge for one Saturday for a good corner stall.

The chief regulations governing the new arrangement state that a permit must be obtained from the market superintendent for a stall. Eight weeks' service charge must be paid in advance by the lessee, and two months' notice must be given if a stall is to be given up. Charges must be always paid up two weeks in advance for a vendor to continue holding the stall. The permits granted are personal and are not transferable and the permit expires if the stallholder does not use the stall two weeks in succession.

THE LONG AND SHORT OF IT

Whether it was a frame-up among some wags in a neighboring town or just a coincidence that helps give a touch to the variety of life, has never been established, but be this as it may an elongated transient of the six-footer type struck this particular burg the other day in such dire need of a replenishment of trousers that it didn't need the trained eye of a policeman to realize that much of his rear-guard was missing, probably through the dogs of the community being experts in their way.

In the search for a replacement the gentleman of the road was either directed to or stumbled upon a home where the head of the house was a mere half-pint in stature, and when he knocked at the door to request a pair of trousers the tall chap was abashed when confronted by the midget, and the humor of the situation appealed to them both when he shot in an order for a pair of pants.

If I had an extra pair, which I haven't they couldn't be much use to you unless you had kilts to go with them and that would not be so good in this sub-zero weather," said the man of the house as he bowed the stranger adieu.

SHRIEK OF FREEDOM



Arriving in Toronto from Windsor with her hitch-hiking husband, Cecile Vannini demonstrated how she yelled her way out of the Windsor jail, where police had placed the penniless honeymoon couple from Amos Que.

BRINGS HORSES TO FAIR GROUNDS

Harry Davis, who last year drove Walter Grattan, is bringing a string of four horses to winter at the local track. Two are colts. Harry is breaking for the Hon. Earl Rowe. Mr. Inglis moved his horses to Peterboro after a week's sojourn here. Express Herald, Newmarket

OFFICERS IN ONTARIO RIDINGS

The new returning officers in case of a federal election in Ontario-Muskoka are William Litchfield of Uptergrove, and for South Ontario, J. P. Mangin, Oshawa.

LOWEST RATE IN COUNTY HISTORY

York County Council last week struck a 5.4 mill rate for 1939, which is the lowest in the history of the county.

The new rate is eight-tenths of a mill lower than the 1938 tax rate, which on the 1939 equalized assessment of \$132,000,000 is a saving to the ratepayers of \$105,600.

Treasurer W. W. Gardhouse says this is the lowest tax rate in the history of the county, and this is accomplished at a time when we are reducing our debenture indebtedness from \$1,137,843 to \$1,054,060.

Estimate Budget
Total budget for the year was estimated at \$712,800. This is made up as follows: Expenses, Children's Aid Society, \$50,000; miscellaneous grants, \$5,300; Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court, \$9,800; Mothers' Allowances and Old Age Pensions, \$4,100; municipal government, \$23,000; registry offices, \$11,000; hospitalization, \$120,000; House of Refuge, \$9,000; county property, \$8,000; interest \$7,317; administration of justice, \$95,000; treasury office, \$9,000; clerk's office, \$5,600; miscellaneous, \$10,000; reforestation, \$500; roads and bridges re county, \$2,500; schools, miscellaneous expenses, \$37,000; debenture instalments, \$145,683; board of county valuers, \$3,500; contingencies, \$3,000; Toronto and York Roads Commission, \$175,000; revenue, fines and fees police court, \$6,000; licenses, \$500; Division Courts, \$500; registry offices, surplus and mortgage fees, \$14,000.

SCHOOLS WILL DISTRIBUTE TWO MILLION MEDALLIONS MARKING MONARCH'S VISIT

Ottawa, Feb. 4.—The Dominion Government will distribute to school children about 2,250,000 bronze medallions commemorating the visit of the King and Queen to Canada next summer, it was announced by Prime Minister Mackenzie King. The medallions, about an inch in diameter, will be distributed free to all school children through the agency of the provincial educational authorities.

In addition, silver and bronze medallions will be placed on sale at the leading post offices of Canada "at reasonable costs," as souvenirs of the royal visit, scheduled to start May 15, when Their Majesties disembark at Quebec from the battle cruiser H. M. S. Repulse.

All medallions will be of the same design, though of several sizes. On the obverse side there will be superimposed effigies of Their Majesties and on the reverse side there will be an outline map of Canada, showing the route of the royal tour, with the Canadian coat-of-arms engraved near the top of the map. Latin inscriptions on the medallions will be: A mari usque ad mare (from sea to sea), and Regem et reginam Canada salutata (Canada salutes the King and Queen).

It was announced there will be an official but limited distribution of medallions in gold, silver and tombac, a combination of copper and zinc, which takes a fine tone.

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NOTE FOR FAGS IS NOT SUFFICIENT

A recent article in the weekly press of a neighboring town raised quite a furore in the ranks of juvenile males, when it was made known that smoking was becoming quite prevalent in the ranks of primary school boys.

It appears that some vendors are under the impression that a note from a father is sufficient to warrant his giving smokes to a youngster, but this is not the case as the Tobacco Restraint Act definitely states that everyone is liable to a fine who directly or indirectly sells, gives or furnishes to a person under the age of sixteen years any cigarettes, or cigarette papers whether his own use or not.

As a restraint for the youngsters, who strive to ape their seniors, the Acts further provides that everyone is liable to summary conviction who, being under the age of sixteen, smokes or chews tobacco in a street or public place or purchases or has in his possession, whether for his own use or not any cigarettes or cigarette papers, or tobacco in any form.

In the past citizens in general have not been sufficiently conversant with the law concerning the giving of tobacco to minors, but the knowledge that the youthful purchasers, as well as the vendors, are transgressing the law and liable to be fined should go a long way toward preventing the promiscuous use

THE WESTVIEW

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of fags among the rising generation, and thus prevent to a considerable extent the acquiring of the tobacco habit by boys during minor years.

It was mentioned in the papers that a daughter of the King of Italy has been married. Pictures show she is a nice looking gal but we'd almost forgotten there was a king of Italy.

BOGUS BILLS ARE "POOR IMITATIONS"



More than \$4,000 worth of counterfeit \$10 Canadian bills were seized by police in a black suitcase in a Windsor bus terminal following the arrest of Alphonsis Sopchuk. A taxi driver complained to police he had received one of the fakes in payment for a taxi fare. United States secret service men uncovered two more caches of the phoney money, which they described as "poor imitations." Additional paper and photographic plates for printing the counterfeits were seized.