

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned will be received until 4 p.m. Thursday, May 11, 1911, for the supply of hardware, brushes, manilla rope, packing, paint and oil, hose, wire, rope, oil and steam fittings for the departmental dredging plant.

Each tender must be sent in a separate envelope and endorsed "Tender for Hardware," "Tender for Brushes," etc., as the case may be.

Tenders will not be considered unless made up and in accordance with conditions contained in forms furnished by the Department.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works for the amount mentioned in the tender.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary,
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, May 2, 1911.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Public Building, Seaford, Ontario," will be received until 4 p.m. on Monday, May 29, 1911, for the construction of a public building at Seaford, Ont.

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained on application to H. J. Lamb, District Engineer, London, Ont., at the post office, Seaford, and this Department.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, making their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works equal to ten per cent. (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tenderer has not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary,
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, May 1, 1911.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

ANY PERSON WHO IS THE SOLE head of a family or any male over 18 years of age may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. Homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 40 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister. In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price, \$1.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price, \$1.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$100.00.

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STAMINA IN MEN AND HOW TO POSSESS IT.
(From "Man's Maladies.")

A prominent physician being asked the question: "What are the things in life a man needs most?" answered: "Physical health, strong nerves, mental efficiency, money and social success. Any man possessing these five attributes is a success. Any man possessing the first three can be a success and have the other two. Possession of a sound body with strong nerves is really the requirement which men need most. Men need stamina, courage, staying qualities, endurance and perseverance but in order to have these qualities the nerves must be strong and keenly sensitive to every emotion. When a man has forebodings, sensations of fear, timidity, accompanied with such symptoms as trembling hands, limbs, weak voice, nervousness, sleeplessness, numbness, anxiety, heart palpitations, restlessness, forgetfulness, melancholia, weariness without cause, and many others of a similar nature, it cannot be expected that he will be a success financially, socially or otherwise.

Strong virile magnetism comes only to those whose nerves are properly nourished in a sound body. Nature in her wisdom has supplied certain elements necessary to derive the most out of life in all its various phases.

For the benefit of those temporarily deficient in nerve strength the following ingredients can be obtained of any good druggist and prepared in the following manner: Purchase three ounces of syrup sarsaparilla compound in a six ounce bottle. Add one ounce of compound of syrup sarsaparilla compound in a six ounce bottle. Add one ounce of compound of syrup sarsaparilla compound in a six ounce bottle. Shake and let stand two hours. Then add one ounce of compound of syrup sarsaparilla compound in a six ounce bottle. Shake well and take a teaspoonful after each meal and one when retiring. All distressing symptoms will soon vanish and a complete restoration to normal follow.

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DIVIDING THE HOUSE

HOW MEMBERS OF COMMONS REGISTER THEIR OPINIONS.

The Vote on a Big Question Usually Comes Late at Night or in the Early Morning, and it is a Moment of Real Excitement—During the Assembling of the Members a Singer is Requisitioned.

Except when members get careless with the epithet "liar" or a scandalous disclosure is in progress, the House of Commons routine is rather a dull thing, but there is one time when hearts are dancing and nerves are tightly strung. That is when a long debate reaches an end and a momentous division is imminent.

The house has sat all day, and the speaker after speaker has had his say. Six o'clock comes and the speaker making is not yet at an end. By a standing rule the House then rises for the dinner recess. There is no adjournment. When the hour arrives the speaker rises, interrupts the proceedings, saying, "It being six o'clock, I now leave the chair," and is succeeded by the Sergeant-at-Arms bearing the mace, he marches off to his apartments, and the members pour out into the vestibule.

At eight o'clock the galleries are again filled. The speaker takes the chair; he calls, "Order," and the member who had the floor at six o'clock takes up the thread of his speech where it was broken by the dinner recess.

The night wears on, the big bell in the lower solemnly rings out mid-night, but the end is not yet. And then follow the most wearisome portion of an all-night sitting—the time between two o'clock and four. These hours always seem to drag, and sleep seems ever to be beckoning the members to rest. At an ordinary all-night sitting many do sleep, curled up in their chairs, with their heads pillowed over their eyes, or with heads pillowed on their arms reclining on their desks. But not so on a great division night. Nerves are then too tightly strung and interest too keen. The House may be weary, but it is very wide awake.

The night wears away and the grey light of the early spring morning begins to pour in through the beautiful, stained glass windows. The end is at hand. The speaker is always ready to put the question should the talker cease, and now his opportunity comes. The last debater resumes his seat, no one rises to follow, and an instant the speaker is on his feet, prepared to put the question.

The speaker puts the question "The vote is now on the amendment," he says, if such be the case. "Those in favor of it will say 'aye.'" A shout goes up from the supporters of the question; and when it has died away he asks those against it to say "no." There is another shout, this time from the opponents of the question. The theory the speaker is supposed to decide according to the volume of sound is in practice, he really decides that the shout of the majority is the louder, and he, therefore, gives his opinion that the ayes or the "noes" have it, as the case may be.

Then it is the time for the minority, or at least the opposition which the speaker has given an opinion in favor of. A shout goes up from the supporters of the question, when the votes of the members will be recorded by name. This is done by the members desiring a division rising to their feet. It must be demanded by at least five members.

The speaker then orders a division. The order always being made in these words—"Call in the members."

Near the door at the lower end of the gangway, which runs across the middle of the chamber, is a small cupboard containing an electrical apparatus, somewhat like a fire alarm. Under instruction from the Sergeant-at-Arms, a messenger unlocks the cupboard and sets running the mechanism. Instantly loud-voiced gongs are sounding throughout the rooms, the party of the building—in the parlour, the smoking-room, the library, the restaurant, and in the new wing—and no one in that part of the building with ears that can hear, can remain in ignorance of what is going on.

The party whips scurry about to make sure that the scattered members of their flock are answering the summons; and in two and three they hurry into the chamber and take their seats.

During the wait the chamber is a scene of noisy and often boisterous confusion. The members from the opposing sides make social remarks to one another, call of patron and even blue books are hurled about, usually to the damage of several hard hats. If the House contains a good singer, whose talent is known, he is called upon for a song, and he strikes up some familiar air with a ringing chorus, in which all can follow a tune, join heartily. The harmony of the singing contrasts most conspicuously with the discord of the debate that has just closed, and the contented array of the division that is to follow.

And now the clanging of the gongs ceases; through the door opposite the speaker's chair enter the whips who bow to the speaker and take their seats. Their flocks have been gathered in, and all are ready for the vote. The singing ceases, order is instantly restored, and the issue of the long-drawn-out fight is at hand.

"Those in favor of the amendment will please rise," orders the speaker. Supporting the amendment to be supported by the Opposition, the first vote recorded will be that of the leader of that side of the House, then that of the member sitting beside him, and so on down the front row. Then row after row of members will vote until the votes of all on that side have been recorded.

In voting some members rise to their feet, others simply bow or raise their hats, if they happen to be wearing them.

Now the Clerk of the House, seated at his table, has before him a large sheet of cardboard, on each side of which is a list of the names of the members alphabetically arranged, similar names having opposite them, the names of the members' constituencies, so as to make identification certain.

When those in favor of the amendment have voted, the speaker calls

POINTS ABOUT POISON.

New Fashionable Folk Used to Remove Their Friends.

"What! Not another poisoning case?" exclaims Mr. Grundy over his morning paper.

And, indeed, the number of poisoning crimes that have occurred lately in various countries almost suggests that a wave of secret poisoning is passing over the world, just as it did in the 17th century. Then the art of the poisoner became a recognized branch of education with those who professed astrology and a knowledge of the occult sciences.

There is the instance mentioned in the memoirs of Henry, Duke of Guise, of a soldier who when requested to get rid of an enemy of the duke, shrank with horror at the mere idea of killing him, with a dagger, but administered poison with quite an easy mind!

It was some time after this occurrence that poisoning became so frequent in Rome that the clergy broke the obligation of secrecy attached to the confessional, and informed Pope Alexander VII. of the state of things.

It was found that numerous young widows, who had recently "lost" husbands, assembled at the house of a reputed witch and fortune-teller of the period, who made it her business to supply them with a clear, slow, and insidious poison. This was guaranteed to kill in any given time, according to the purchaser's wishes. The witch and thirteen companions were tried and hanged.

In England we have never had anything that will compare with the poisoning era of Italy, although the secret poisoner was held in such terror in the reign of Henry VIII. that an act was passed declaring the crime high treason, and ordaining that those who were found guilty should be boiled to death.

At the present time, although we may have a wave of poisoning crimes, like those of other offences, it would be impossible for such a state of things as obtained in the 17th century to occur again. For at that time they knew next to nothing of chemical analysis. Now science has advanced to such an extent that there is no poison, however obscure, that the skilled pathologist cannot detect. Science has, however, sometimes been at fault with curious results. In the case of Dr. Smethurst, who was tried in 1859 for the murder of a Miss Bankes, from whom he had expected arsenic was suspected, and what is known as Reinsch's test was applied. In Smethurst's case arsenic was discovered, but after his conviction it was proved that this was contained in the wire gauze used for the experiment, and he was at once released by the Home Secretary.

STIRRING UP NESTS.

Gerald White, M.P., Inquires After France's Hens.

Gerald White, of Benfrew, who when he is not advocating the building of the Georgian Bay Canal, likes to poke about in the House of Commons, has been particularly active of late in asking "egg" questions. By dint of much probing he elicited from the genial Minister of Agriculture the information that so far this fiscal year, no less than 453,949 dozens of "hen" fruit were imported into Canada. The Chinese who have pitched their laundries on our soil, seem to run to eggs of the homeland variety, for they imported no less than 30,000 dozens, while from Germany there came 48,000 dozens, with more on the way. During the whole of last year France only sent 103 eggs (not dozens, mind you) into Canada, and this year she has sent none. What is wrong with the French hen? Why should her product not come on to the Canadian breakfast table, especially since the treaty engineered by our Science man, however, sometimes been at fault with curious results. In the case of Dr. Smethurst, who was tried in 1859 for the murder of a Miss Bankes, from whom he had expected arsenic was suspected, and what is known as Reinsch's test was applied. In Smethurst's case arsenic was discovered, but after his conviction it was proved that this was contained in the wire gauze used for the experiment, and he was at once released by the Home Secretary.

Using the Raw Material.

When the late Hon. A. G. Blair was leading the local Government of New Brunswick, he was once defeated in his home county of York, and subsequently returned for the County of Queens.

During the succeeding sessions of the Legislature, Mr. H. H. Pitts, who had been on the winning ticket in York, never missed a single opportunity of assailing Mr. Blair, and on one occasion he began a particularly savage attack with these words: "Mr. Blair, having killed the chicken of York, I shall now proceed to eat his hide."—Saturday Night.

In Search of Beauty

Every man and every woman has an individual idea of what constitutes beauty.

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Playing Cricket in the Snow.

Lord Hawke is a direct descendant of the great admiral who defeated Cornwallis of Belle Isle in 1759, and he himself has kept up the fighting traditions of his family in a small way by having served as an officer in the 3rd Battalion Yorkshire Regiment. But it is as a cricketer that Lord Hawke is best known, and quite recently he was entertained at a private dinner to mark his retirement from the active captaincy of the Yorkshire eleven.

Ever since he was a boy he has gone in for the game heart and soul, and his long connection with county cricket has earned for him a reputation almost world-wide. He has played his favorite game in India, South Africa, the United States, and Canada, and once in Ottawa he had the curious experience of taking part in a match in the snow.

The Oak of Beaumarhais.

The famous oak of Beaumarhais, which flourished on the Quai d'Orsay, has fallen to the woodman's axe. The spot is historic, for in days past it was the locus of the residence of the author of the "Barber of Seville." The tree has seen vicissitudes. It was under its spreading branches that Beaumarhais instructed the daughter of Louis XV. in music, and there were heard the harp of Mme. Victoire and the violin of Mme. Adelaide. In later times the sweet strains of music gave place to the fumes of a tobacco factory which was situated on part of Beaumarhais' lands.—London Globe.

Bishop's Interest in Games.

Dr. Crozier, Bishop of Down and Connor, the new Primate of Ireland in succession to Dr. Alexander, is fifty-seven years old, is a good horseman and whip, and he was one of the earliest members of the Wanderers' Rugby Football Club, Dublin.

He has never lost his interest in football and cricket, and his athletic exercises have kept him remarkably active and vigorous. He was Bishop of Ossory from 1897 to 1907.

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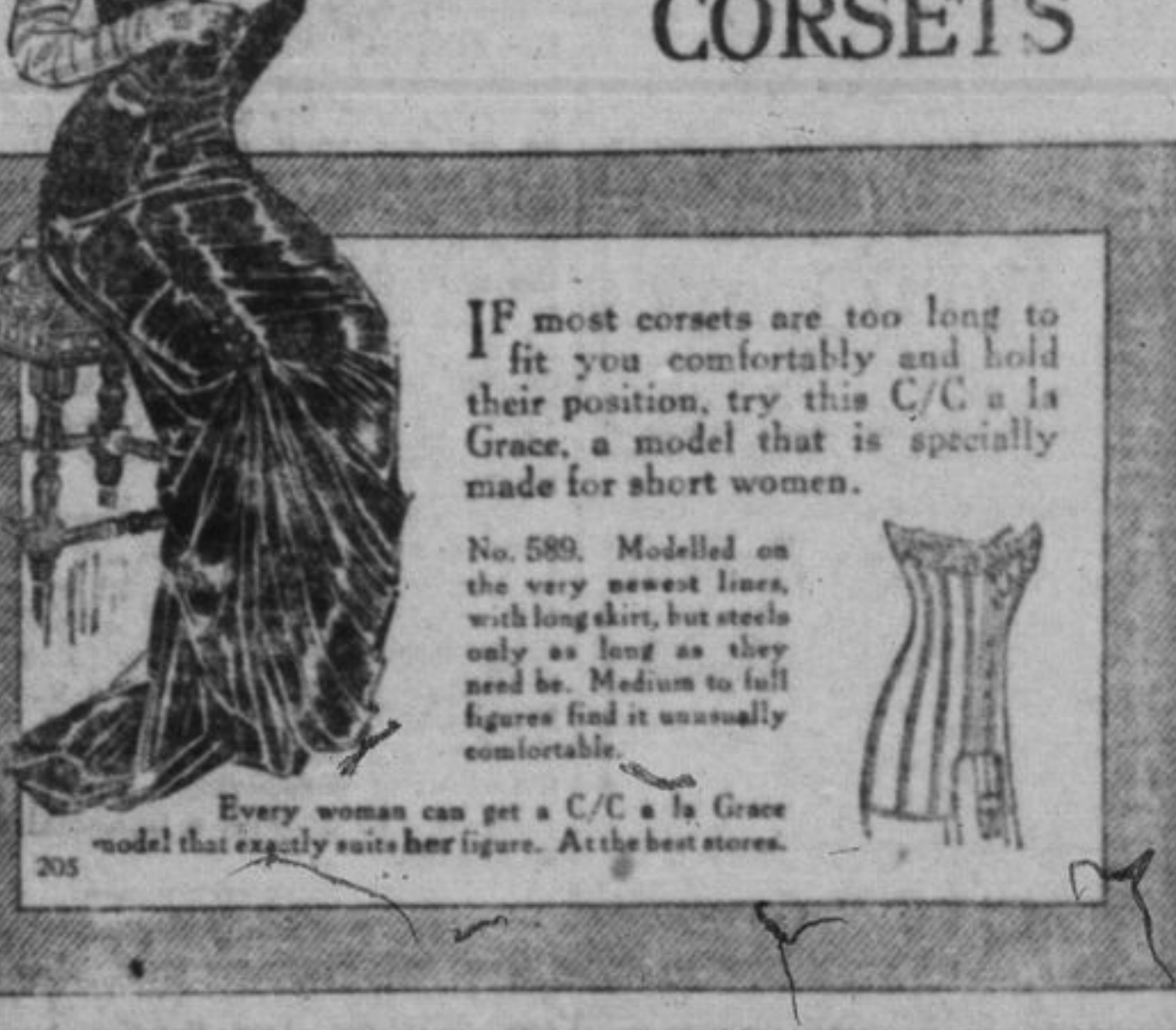
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