

THOMAS RENTON APPOINTED

INSPECTOR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

He Will Inspect All Materials That Enter Into Composition of the Standard Hog and Cattle Feeds. The provincial department of agriculture has entered into a contract with the James Richardson Co. of Kingston for the purchase of all the material required for the manufacture of standard feeds for hogs and cattle.

Inspector of Feeds. Thomas Renton, formerly of Kingston, has been appointed by the Department of Agriculture as inspector of all the materials that enter into the composition of the standard hog and cattle feeds.

A big beautiful wing is to be attached to the west side of the Hawthorn Mill, Carleton Place. It is to be of brick and glass.

To Keep Fit

The best work is demanded from all at this crisis in the world's history. We can't do our best when the system is full of poisons. The liver and kidneys must be kept active so that the blood will be properly filtered.

WILL YOUR EYES CARRY THE LOAD? At forty man is in his prime, yet his eyes begin to fail at this age. If your eyes need help, let us fit you with proper glasses. J. J. Stewart Opt., D. Eye Specialist, Opp. Postoffice, Kingston.

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FOOD LIKELY TO BLAME PLANS TO FIX THE PRICES

FOR THE OUTBREAK OF FEVER LAKE TYPHOID.

Chatham Has a Large Number of Cases—Thought to Be Gastro-Intestinal Infection. Chatham, as well as Kingston, has a typhoid outbreak. A despatch from that town says: "There is some difference of opinion among medical men as to the cases of suspected typhoid fever being that of being cases of gastro-intestinal infection of some sort."

Testing the Ice Cream. Acting for the medical health officer, Sanitary Inspector Nicholas Timmerman, on Wednesday, took samples of ice cream sold by local vendors, and the samples have been sent to Queen's University, to be tested.

THE TUSSOCK MOTH PERIL NOT SERIOUS PERIL Queen's University Botanist Does Not Fear Depredations of the Moth. Speaking with the Whig, Prof. W. T. MacClement, head of the botanical department at Queen's University, stated that he had been assured by the Government authorities that they did not anticipate any serious damage from the tussock moth.

A CITIZEN IS ANXIOUS. To Have Ten-minute Street Car Service the Year Round. A citizen has asked the Whig if some arrangements could be made with the Street Railway Company to give a ten-minute service all the year round.

Child's Welfare Station. Mrs. R. Robinson, nurse in charge of the Child's Welfare Station, reports forty-five visits paid to the station during July, and is pleased at the interest mothers are beginning to take in the institution. The nurse is especially delighted at the improvement in the babies brought once a week and hopes the good work will go on.

Shepherd-Armour Wedding. The marriage of Ethel Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armour, Perth, with John Edward Shepherd, Clinton, was quietly solemnized at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday morning, July 31st.

The Tennis Tournament. In the semi-finals of the doubles tennis tournament at Queen's grounds, A. G. Leitch and W. A. McWilliams and J. J. Evans and C. R. James and T. W. Costes and E. D. Hendry and N. J. Thomas are in the second net.

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AN AGREEABLY like coffee in flavor But with none of coffee's disagreeable effects. INSTANT POSTUM

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COAL DEALERS TO SHOW PREVAILING PRICES.

They Are Allowed to Include Only Moderate Amount For Own Salaries—The Latest Arrangement.

At Ottawa regulations regarding the importation, sale and delivery of coal have been issued by the Fuel Controller. Among other things they require that every coal dealer shall post in a prominent place in his office a conspicuous typewritten or printed notice containing a list of prevailing retail prices of all classes and sizes of coal handled by him, including discounts, if any.

Dealers conducting a retail as well as a wholesale business are required to apportion their overhead expenses and fixed charges to each branch, and this apportionment must bear reasonable comparison with the average overhead expenses and fixed charges of dealers who are engaged entirely in retail or entirely in wholesale business.

FIRST AMERICAN GAS MINISTER



Brig.-Gen. W. L. Sibert.

THE HARVEST FIELDS.

Thousands of Men Required in West. Thousands of men are required to help in the work of harvesting the western crop. The C. P. R. has completed arrangements to transport to the west this great army of workers.

Going Dates. August 20th and August 29th—All stations in Ontario, west of Smith's Falls, up to and including Toronto, on Lake Shore Line, and Havelock-Peterboro line, also from stations Kingston to Renfrew Junction, inclusive, and from stations on Toronto-Sault line. From stations on Sault line, Marie branch. From stations on main line, Beauceville to Franz, inclusive. From stations, Bethany Junction to Port McNicoll and Burketon-Bobcaygeon.

Adam's Skull. The myth of Adam's skull has its origin in the ancient tradition according to which the first man is buried at Golgotha, beneath the very spot on which later the cross of Christ was erected. It is for this reason that, in the presentations of the crucifixion, painters and sculptors were wont to place a skull at the foot of the cross.

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MILLIONS ON LAKE'S BED.

Project to Drain Colombian Lake Has Been Abandoned.

For hundreds of years the belief has prevailed that gold dust and gems to the value of £1,120,000,000 were buried at the bottom of the sacred lake of Guatavita, in Columbia, a territory once occupied by Indian tribes renowned for their fabulous wealth. The aboriginal Indians of that locality had a custom of casting all their vessels and ornaments of precious metal into the waters of the lake as offerings to their gods, and the knowledge of this custom led to the belief that has been handed down through the ages that it was the burying place of fabulous wealth.

In 1900 an English company undertook the work. They proceeded to drain it by digging a tunnel through the adjacent mountains, bringing it below the level of the surface of the water. The lake was not emptied until 1903, but it kept refilling on account of the heavy rains and the presence of springs. A great number of jewels and ornaments found in the mud of the lake bed seemed to indicate that the search for the hidden treasure was to prove successful. Then the mud dried hard and fresh difficulty was thus encountered.

Mastery of the Air.

We remember how when in our youth the first steam traction engine brought into a certain rural district, the local farmers said that it would never be able to move itself, and when it did move itself, they declared that it would never be able to ascend a certain hill. When it did both these things, the local wisdom was that the engine would never plough. When, however, it succeeded in ploughing, the agricultural community was at once converted to a belief in the new power, and there is no district in England where traction engines have been more fully used. We are reminded of this experience by what has happened in the case of airplanes. At first the world doubted whether the airplane could be made to stay in the air. Now the airplane has shown an almost unquenchable desire to stay aloft. Obviously, however, in spite of its wonderful performance, it is still far behind the bird in its achievements; but Prof. Bell, the well-known inventor of the telephone and a great student of aerodynamics, has all kinds of hopes for the future. He says that the day when the flying machine will fly so fast that wings will be unnecessary. It is even possible, he thinks, that the mystery of moving through the atmosphere may be so fully penetrated that locomotion may be found possible not only without wings, but without an engine. It is certainly true, as he says, that "all other things that fly, fly without engines, the albatross without the movement of its wings easily overtaking a ship against the wind."

Can You Answer? "Do you know what happens to your skin when you bathe?" If a person asked us this impudent question, we would reply, "No, and we don't care." But the fact of the matter is that you can't bathe without answering. There are a lot of other things that you take for granted and cannot explain. Here are a few simple tests: Do you know why your foot goes to sleep? Do you know what science has to say about eating cooked and uncooked breakfast foods alternately? Do you know how many cubic inches there should be between the top of your head and the crown of your hat? Do you know what happens when the air goes out? Have you ever thought about the psychology of general house work? What would you do if you found yourself alone in the dark? Do you swing your arms when you walk? Do you read the right-hand columns of your newspaper first, or those at the left? Could you draw a diagram of the plumbing in your apartment? Adam's Skull. The myth of Adam's skull has its origin in the ancient tradition according to which the first man is buried at Golgotha, beneath the very spot on which later the cross of Christ was erected. It is for this reason that, in the presentations of the crucifixion, painters and sculptors were wont to place a skull at the foot of the cross. The fact that a skull embedded on a natural rock could be seen behind the iron gate of the Church of the Holy Cross at Jerusalem, was calculated to give credence to the tradition. It has, however, been discovered that the skull in question was artificial, made of brass and painted over with gray color to give it the appearance of a natural skull.—N. Y. Tribune.

Fed Semi-Annually. Gladys, the 20-foot python in Lincoln Park, Chicago, received her semi-annual meal recently. Twelve keepers, with the aid of a sausage-stuffing machine and a five-foot pole, treated her to 30 pounds of ground beef, followed by a 12-pound piece of beef.

An Emery Wheel. A hand-operated emery wheel which can be clamped to any tree has been invented to sharpen the tools of men working in forests.

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\$3.00 LADIES' WHITE CANVAS PUMPS High and medium heels. These are new goods just received. Special Price \$3.00 Abernethy's Shoe Store "Where the Pretty Shoes Come From."

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