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### Letters to the Editor

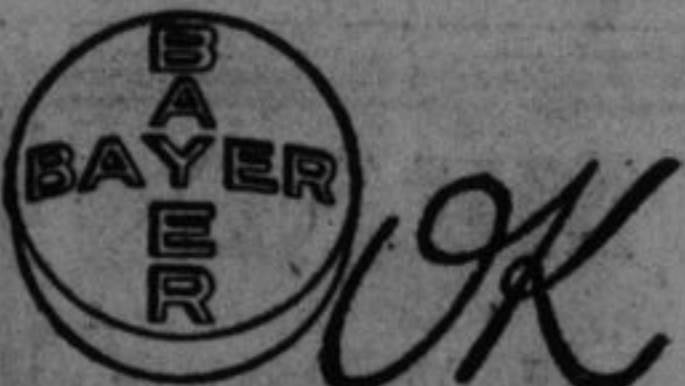
Mr. Bushel to Dr. Edwards. Bath Road, June 20.—(To the editor): Replying to Dr. J. W. Edwards under date of the 15th inst., I can say he first starts out with a quotation of Emerson's, "What you are speaks so loudly I cannot hear what you say." Some more of his abuse. But as his calibre is along that line in the House and out of it, what can one expect? If I am to infer that his hearing is defective, I would suggest that he consult a specialist. We have them in the city. He refers to state where I misrepresented facts as abuse. I ask the Doctor to state where I misrepresented facts. The general public cannot see. Possibly the Doctor's eyesight is also defective. He states I got my first gentle tap to a response of an unprovoked attack. The farmers have been provoked for some time, but more so the past four years. As I am standing behind the farmer I submit the attack was quite provoked, so the statement there falls to the ground. The Doctor says he will not ask for quarter nor give any. I never asked for any, do not expect any, so go ahead, Doctor, with your venomous attacks, thereby evading the questions under discussion. He says I voted for him in 1917 but talked against him. I do not and never did talk one way and vote another. If he is correct in that statement how inconsistent to say I changed by political allegiance to the Farmers' party when said party was not known in Frontenac county. He charges also that I changed for herbage more luxurious. I think I made it quite clear in my last letter that I can make my profession and calling successful to maintain my family, without the aid of Government pay. As to the gaoler position, I can say that I was an applicant for the position, but upon being advised that a returned man was in the field I at once withdrew my application, which stand is not taken by some of the Doctor's supernumeraries whom we find parading the streets of our cities in all the pomp and glory of a commanding officer about to enter the field of battle.

The Doctor refers to my readiness to play the part of scavenger at Ottawa. I am determined to start at Frontenac county first. He states his invitation was broad enough to include Mr. Preston. Mr. Preston delivered his challenge in person to the Doctor. Why does not the Doctor do the same with Mr. Preston? There is only one conclusion, fear of his opponent and not having the protection of the House to permit the Doctor to vent his venom. The Doctor again evades East Elgin, Peterboro and Frontenac and the part he took in those contests, but refers only to Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick. Deny it or admit it, Doctor, do not use the tactics of a wily politician by evading the question! The Doctor is an old school teacher. He gives me two months to learn a geography lesson. As the time given is lengthy, I have not taken the subject up yet, but I must confess that some of his phraseology in his last article was confounding, especially the word sycophant. In consulting Webster I found it to mean parasite or one living upon the nourishment of another. I therefore leave it to the public as to who is the greatest sycophant, Dr. Edwards or Bob Bushel.

The Doctor refers me to the 5th chapter of Acts, where I will learn of a certain man who acquired unenviable fame through audacious trifling with the truth. I defy him to refer to any part of any of my letters where I distorted facts or evaded the issue. The public cannot see it. He refers to me as being a pursuer upon a passenger boat, and also as Manager of the Fair. He states facts this time. I was a pursuer on a boat and made things go, and also as vegetable grower made things go, and then took over the fair and made it go, notwithstanding the fact that the Doctor tried it for fifteen years and could not make it go, and said upon retiring that no man could make it go. And last but not least I am going to make the Doctor go.

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He still likes to refer to me as a huckster. What about huckstering political speeches throughout the county? He refers to my attitude in 1911 when I opposed reciprocity. That is true, I found the late Government was going to put vegetables upon the free list, and let the manufacturer off with a reduction of tariff. I took the stand that it was unfair to ask the vegetable grower to give \$1 worth of tomatoes for 65 cents worth of wagon. Therefore I went to Ottawa with a deputation of over 1,250 to make an effort to be placed the same as the manufacturer, but we were told we were too late. But, behold, the manufacturers went down two weeks later with 80 strong and were told they were on time. In order that the vegetable grower might be made more peaceful, what was done? "We will reduce the tariff for you, gentlemen, a little," we were told. As the Doctor in all his replies evades the questions, substituting abuse, I fall to see any reason that you, Mr. Editor, should so generously give the columns of your valued paper for a continuation of this controversy. If, however, the Doctor wishes to continue his tirade of abuse towards me, it is only left to me to become ungentlemanly also, and let the public know more about the political huckstering of the past. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, I remain, respectfully yours,  
R. J. BUSHELL

### WILD MEN OF BORNEO.

They Are Not So Wild as They Used to Be.

There are fewer wild men of Borneo, and they are not as wild as they used to be before British and Dutch came into control of the island and began changing the habits of the natives.

In those days there were two kinds of wild men, the Water Dyaks who lived along the coast, and the Land Dyaks who lived in the interior, and active enmity between them was perpetual. They met sometimes to trade, but with weapons in one hand and goods in the other. Those days are past. The land Dyak is free to visit the coast, the sea Dyak has sometimes moved back and settled in the interior; practically there is only one kind of wild men of Borneo left. But these are still wild enough. British and Dutch officials have not yet obtained complete prohibition of the ancient custom of head-hunting; and one traveler tells us that the Dyak who would a-wooloo go still goes secretly a head-hunting first that he may be regarded by the fair as a true wild man of Borneo.

And still the "sumitan" or blowpipe is his favorite weapon and his way of making it a wonder to the traveler. Six or seven feet long, the sumitan is made by drilling a straight hole with a pointed iron rod through a log of hard wood, and for days and days the patient wild man polishes the first drilling and perfects it with ramrods of rattan. Then he attacks the log and cuts it down until he has a finished blowpipe less than an inch in diameter. Time, however, is of little value to him; and it takes time also to acquire the knack of blowing the dart with speed and accuracy. A sharp, explosive puff from the very bottom of the lungs does the business, and if the dart merely touches the subject at which it is aimed the wild man of Borneo has achieved his purpose. Wild enough he still is, and perhaps, after all, it is just as well that the world supply of wild men is diminishing.

### New Panama Canal.

Undoubtedly there will have to be a second canal across the narrow neck which joins North and South America. Growing traffic will demand it. But the route is a puzzle. To parallel the present Panama Canal with a second one seems the most obvious thing to do; but there are serious engineering difficulties, especially in relation to the cut through the mountain divide. Landslides would make endless trouble. And there are even obstacles in the way of duplicating the locks.

The Nicaragua route has the advantage of cheapness. Half of its length traverses the great sheet of fresh water called Lake Nicaragua, 100 miles long and forty-five miles wide, which is separated from the Pacific ocean by a land strip only twelve miles broad.

Lake Nicaragua is connected with the Caribbean Sea by the San Juan river, three-fourths of which is ready-made canal. For the balance the ditch would be dug through lowlands. And at the Pacific end there is no important obstacle, the Cordillera backbone of the continent offering there a gap only 155 feet above sea level.

The digging across Nicaragua is so easy and the lake and river so helpful to the project that, although the route is 168 miles long, a canal would cost less than half as much as the \$175,000,000 spent for the Panama ditch. The only serious objection to it is danger from earthquakes. But, on the other hand, it is urged that the canal would be far to the south of the earthquake zone.

The third possible route is by way of Darien, where the continental backbone is too high to be cut.

### EXPERIMENT IN PAPER

Newsprint Is Made From Southern Spruce Pine. Birmingham, Ala., June 21.—The Birmingham Age Herald yesterday was published on paper manufactured from southern spruce pine, which grows along the banks of the Warrior river and in the hilly sections of north Alabama, covering many thousands of acres.

The paper was manufactured from wood shipped to northern mills and is declared by experts to be the equal in every respect of the newsprint made from Canadian spruce. The Alabama pine, which is unfit for lumber, contains an unusually fine fibre, has a very thin bark, virtually no heart, and contains only a trace of resin. It requires one ton of wood to make a ton of pulp.

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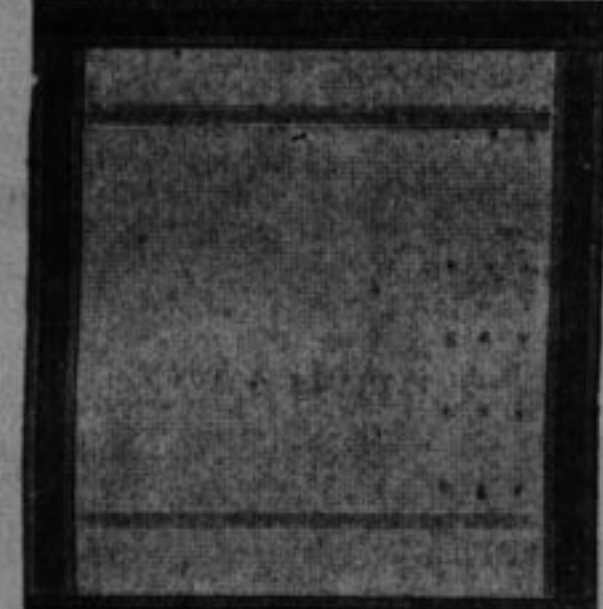
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