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**CANADIAN FISHERIES.**

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The average prairie dweller has his eyes filled with trains of wheat. It would be a revelation to him if he could stand at Mgrave, on the Atlantic, or at Prince Rupert, on the Pacific, and see the "fish specials" starting out for the heart of the continent.

There are no other fisheries in the world that can compete with the resources of our Pacific salmon fields, and our Atlantic Banks.

To show how undeveloped we are on the eastern seaboard, Canso, N.S., which has been called the "fish pier of North America," is without a railroad, and yet this port is the key to the greatest banks fishing in all the world.

The period of the war gave us our first large conception of the possibilities of this business. With the European sources of production cut off, Canada expanded her markets in Cuba and South America, while our shippers sent huge supplies of salmon and lobsters overseas.

The war showed us what we could do. At present, we are suffering from a shocking slump. We hear so much about hard times through which the farmer has been passing, it might surprise them to know that the fishermen have experienced even more untoward conditions. Our rivals in Europe, especially Norway, coming back into the field, disorganized foreign exchange, and the door of the Fordney tariff banged in our faces. These are some of the causes of depression.

The 1922 catch netted our fishermen practically no profit. As a result many left the fisheries, and the 1923 catch was far below the average. This is the dark side of the picture.

The bright side of our proximity to an inexhaustible mine of wealth whose fringes have not yet been touched.

The air to-day is reeking with the word "Economy." Every politician for the moment has seized upon the parrot cry, "Spend Less." That's cheap talk from a rich, young country. Instead of broadcasting the "Spend Less" slogan, why can't we have that vision which in hard times will exhort us to "produce more."

With acres of newspaper space filled up with purely negative philippics against waste, would it not be better if in a positive way a little of this same space could be given to the consideration of potential fields of wealth that might be developed and extended.

As a case in point, I submit that Canada beyond doubt could supply the world with fish. The problem is to accelerate production by finding markets. Why can Norway "beat us to it" in Australia? Why is our home market stricken with infantile paralysis? We need the American market, they need Canadian fish. Why, then, can't our respective statesmen give us a trade agreement drawn up according to the basic needs of hungry stomachs? To consider problems like this, in a positive way, is surely more worthy of a young, rich country, than infinite reams of monkey chatter on "the carnival of waste at Ottawa."

The fisheries of Canada are at present in the doldrums.

To-day, with thick gloom pervading this industry like a Grand Bank's fog, I was glad to hear the faith of one of our recognized authorities. Said he, "The fishing industry, with us, is in its primary stage. I look for a day when we have fisheries colleges, just as we have agricultural colleges. The Dominion Government in recently appointing a biological board to carry on experimental work in the smoking, canning and curing of fish, is moving along sound lines.

"Canada, to-day, occupies the third position among the fish producing nations of the globe. Taking into consideration our almost inexhaustible resources on the Atlantic, and on the Pacific, with the application of the principles of science and co-operation, it is only a matter of time till we shall be first in fish, as we are now first in wheat."

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<p><b>SILK VESTS</b> To-night \$1.75 each Trico-Silk Vests in colors Mauve, Flesh and White—regular \$2.25 each.</p>	<p><b>BRASSIERES</b> To-night ..... 49c. 15 dozen Flesh Colored Brocade Brassieres, in sizes 32 to 42. Regular 75c. each.</p>	<p><b>CHILDREN'S SOCKS</b> To-night .. 25c. pair 300 pairs three-quarter length Socks, in colors Black, Brown, Romper and Sand. Sizes 5 1/2 to 8.</p>

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**MISSES HER VICTIM AND KILLS CARETAKER**

**Jealous Young Woman Fired on Wife of Man She Wanted to Marry.**

Chicago, April 25.—Wanda Elaine Stoppa, aged 24, distinguished for her mental achievements, a United States court law clerk and a lawyer of ability, took the law into her own hands yesterday when she tried to kill a wife whom she thought stood in the way of marrying a man she loved. Her three shots at the invalid wife, missed the mark by inches, but the girl killed Henry Manning, 60, a caretaker at the home of Yereenia Kenley Smith, wealthy advertising man, who lives in Palos Park.

The aged man fell dead after he had pushed her out of the Smith home and the girl dashed to a waiting taxicab and started for the city, announcing she intended to kill Smith, with whom she was infatuated. The invalid wife, just recovering from a severe attack of influenza, warned her husband by telephone and the police were summoned to guard him and the Palos Park home.

Combined efforts by county, city and state police and scores of deputy sheriffs failed to locate the girl, or a man who was waiting for her in the taxicab. She formerly lived at Hotel Albert, in New York, and it is believed she may have caught a train at some outlying station and is headed east.

Smith says the girl has been annoying him for two years, trying to induce him to divorce his wife and marry her. She has a husband, Ted Glasgow, and he and Smith have had several conferences, trying to solve the problem of what to do about the serious "quandrangle."

**KISSED AND MADE UP.**

Justice Mowat Settles Alimony Case at St. Thomas.

St. Thomas, April 25.—When a young married couple named McFadden appeared before Mr. Justice Mowat yesterday afternoon in an alimony case, at the non-jury sittings of the Supreme Court, his Lordship looked intently at both parties for a moment, and then said: "There is no reason why two bright young people like you should not be living together amicably. You go out there in that anteroom alone and make up and the first thing I want you to do is to kiss each other." Smiling their embarrassment, the young couple obeyed his Lordship's unexpected order, and a few minutes later E. T. Essery, counsel for the defendant, George McFadden, a railroader, of London, returned to the courtroom and announced: "You are something of a divine healer, your Lordship. I have to report that your effort at reconciliation has been successful."

Smiling broadly, his Lordship admitted his mediatory qualities, but he disagreed with Mr. Essery when he stated that "Eve had conquered again."

The plaintiff in her pleadings stated that she had been forced to live with her mother-in-law, and that they did not get on agreeably. His Lordship said he did not blame any girl for not wanting to live with her mother-in-law, no matter how fine a woman that mother-in-law might be.

**Body of Belleville Woman Found Floating in Lake**

Belleville, April 25.—A body floating in the water off the shore of Ship Island was discovered Thursday afternoon and notification was at once forwarded to the city police.

The body, which is in an advanced stage of decomposition, was identified as that of Mrs. J. Wigglesworth. A party of the provincial police, an undertaker and the coroner brought in a large motor boat the corpse to the city.

Mrs. Wigglesworth disappeared from her home two months ago, and had not been seen since. At the time of her disappearance efforts were made for some days to locate her in the river, but without result. She was in a highly nervous state prior to her disappearance, and it was feared that she had thrown herself into the river.

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Herbert E. Burgham, Superintendent of the House of Industry, Athens, died on Thursday in a Brockville hospital. He was superintendent for three years. He was born at Yonge Mills, fifty-three years ago.

The Ontario government has made a grant of \$3,000 to assist in putting on the U.E.L. celebration at Belleville in June.



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