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THROUGH THE NEEDLE'S EYE

The seizure of nearly a thousand gallons of illicit liquor at Malpeque last week will cause some surprise to those who still believe that it is as difficult for a rum runner to land his goods on Prince Edward Island as for a camel to enter a needle's eye.

responsible parties, what do the authorities purpose doing about it, and what precautions beyond the farcical measures of last summer are they taking to ensure that similar cargoes will not be landed this year?

A STATESMAN'S ATTITUDE

The usual uncertainty hangs around the coming election in England, and the usual political expedients are being employed by the three parties.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The importance of tourist traffic and the growing recognition of this importance are indicated by the announcement that there is to be a national conference of tourist, convention and publicity organizations in Montreal on the first two days of October.

Notes By The Way

In the English-speaking world political parties are rather singularly divided. In Great Britain there are three parties, Conservative, Liberal and Labor, and this division seems likely to continue indefinitely.

FOODS PREVENT DECAY IN YOUNGSTER'S TEETH

I often wonder if as parents we give enough attention to what our youngsters eat. They seem healthy enough, get outdoors to play, and certainly eat enough food, and yet there seems to be an early decay of the teeth.

THE LABOR PARTY IN GREAT BRITAIN

The labor party in Great Britain grew up rapidly until it gained a brief term of power, and although defeated in 1924, it still retained sufficient voting strength in the House of Commons to remain second only to the dominant Conservative party.

A SIGNIFICANT FEATURE OF THE CAMPAIGN

A significant feature of the campaign is that while both the Conservative and Labor leaders now claim confidently that their respective parties will have a majority over all opposition in the new House, neither Mr. Lloyd George nor his supporting press has made any such claim.

MR. RAMSAY MACDONALD

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald the Labor leader is reported as saying in every speech that "the Liberal party does not count."

THE ONE THING CERTAIN

The one thing certain in the outcome of the election is the certain defeat of more than two thirds of the 1,870 candidates, with the loss of many deposits. The feminine vote, including that of the "flappers" newly enfranchised, exceeds by more than a million the number of men who have votes, but it does not follow that a majority of the nearly three score and ten of the lady candidates will be elected.

THE PARLIAMENTARY SESSION

The Parliamentary session at Ottawa draws rapidly to its close, leaving a large overhang of unfinished business and unsettled problems.

NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE GALLONS

Nine hundred and eighty-five gallons of rum is a considerable quantity to find in one barn in a Prohibition Province where there are so many barns.

"A NEW SPIRIT OF OPTIMISM"

"A new spirit of optimism," we are told prevails in the Maritimes. How much of it has all along been buried in the hay?

THE LAND WE LOVE

BY FRANK YEIGH

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

Q. What are the chief facts regarding the Canadian Pacific Railway?

BARBARA YOUNG

corporations. It employs many thousands and carried in 1927, nearly 14 million passengers and 34 million tons of freight.



Dr. James W. Barton, M.D.

That Body of Yours

The main features of the plan we have in mind are as follows: (1) The formation of a marketing board to have full control of marketing Prince Edward Island potatoes in Cuba.

THE PUBLIC FORUM

This column is open for the discussion by correspondents of questions of interest. The Charlottetown Guardian does not necessarily endorse the opinions of correspondents.

MARKETING P. E. I. POTATOES IN CUBA

Sir,—We have been requested to make some suggestions regarding the formation of a plan whereby the Prince Edward Island potato growers, in return for producing an article which is wanted by every family in Cuba, may secure the very best prices possible.

THE POETS' CORNER

Time is a stumble-stone for limping men. It is a page for fools to scribble on. It is the season of the plow and seed.

HEALTH SERVICES OF CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

Does Public Health Pay? From time to time, the expenditures of public health departments are questioned on the grounds that the improved health conditions, which are admitted, are not the result of the work of the Health Department, but are due to other factors.

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The Individual Note

(The Gazette Montreal)

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ALTHOUGH WE REALIZE THAT THE PLAN

As outlined is very crude yet it offers something tangible upon which to build and as it is growers who would receive the greatest benefit from such a scheme we would like very much to have an expression of opinion from them regarding this plan suggesting improvements or additional features which might give better results.

I AM, SIR, ETC.

J. C. MANZER, P. O. Box 2138 Havana Cuba

During the months that the low duty is in force the city of Havana requires about 35,000 sacks of ninety pounds weekly while the other ports of the Island require between 12,000 and 15,000 sacks weekly. In other words, one complete cargo could come to Havana each week, while another complete cargo divided between Havana and the north ports could come one week and another divided between Havana and the south ports could come the following week, as noted hereunder:

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