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Huge Potential Markets
The Dominion Atlantic Fisheries Experimental Station at Halifax has completed a survey into actual and potential markets for Nova Scotia fish products...

Another important point made in the report is that low fish consumption is due to quality. Putting fresh fish on the market for inland centres has been difficult because of transportation problems...

A Critic in Ermine

As a rule aristocrats are not much given to literary or musical criticism. But according to St. Thomas Times-Journal, there is one member of the Royal Family today, who takes a deep interest in "high-brow" music...

Federal Aid To Education

News of growing support for Federal aid to education should be welcomed by the public as well as by the Canadian Teachers' Federation, suggests the Ottawa Citizen. First-class schools are so important to Canada today, and Federal revenues have become so large relative to those of the Provinces...

education belongs constitutionally to the Provinces, as indeed it does. But it is of national concern as well, and the nation can assist without interfering with the provincial systems.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Old Home Week
The Provincial Exhibition.
The City Hall has shown a commendable example in flag flying and bunting for the week of weeks here.

To be caught high and dry on a falling tide is one of the more embarrassing experiences for a yachtsman and must have been particularly so for H.R.H. the Duke of Edinburgh when watching a regatta off the Isle of Wight.

The Hamilton Spectator expresses surprise that a common weed, Queen Anne's Lace, should be popular with florists who dye various colours, even black. What is equally astonishing is that flowers should be dyed at all.

Canada's new \$100,000,000 issue of 25-year 2 3/4 per cent bonds for sale in the United States should serve not only to save high interest charges on the bonds it replaces but also to help to provide a market for future issues.

The continued scarcity of new cars is at least partly to be explained by the Canadian government's restrictive quota for auto makers which, according to the Financial Post, works out to \$230 U. S. per car produced in a basic period.

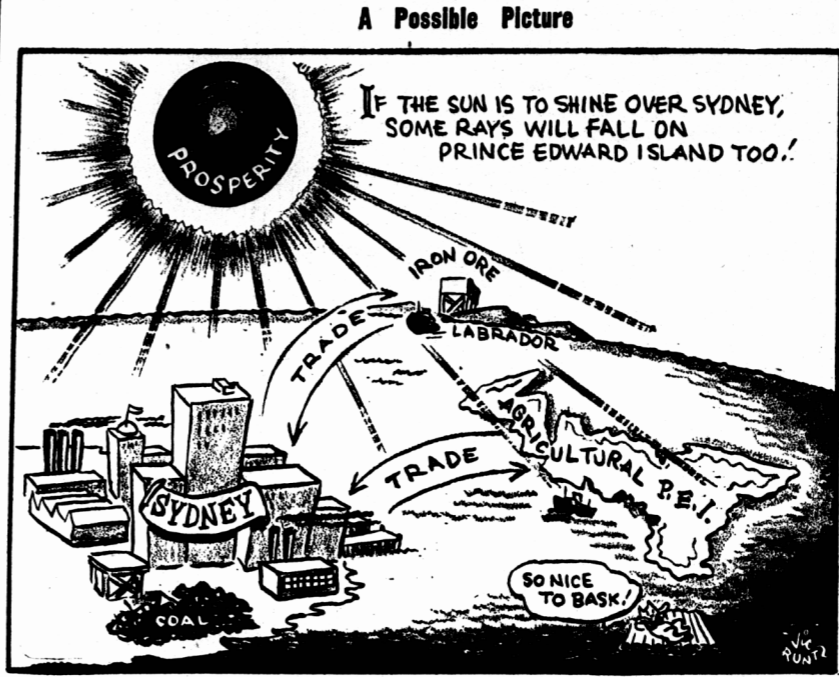
Andrew Marvell, English poet, died this date 1678. Was a keen Royalist, but at the same time admired Cromwell. Was a member of parliament and a diplomat, which he must have been able to carry on smoothly with both contending parties.

The world in all, both but two nations bear, The good, the bad, and these mixed everywhere.

While it is quite true, as Hon. Mr. Winters states, that the housing situation here is not so acute as in industrial centres, still we are feeling the pinch, and it is largely by overcrowding that we have been able to meet the demand.

The Bureau of Statistics reports that although production of creamery butter in Canada dropped slightly in the first seven months of this year, stocks on hand at Aug. 1 were higher than they were a year ago.

Six years ago, on the morning of Aug. 16, 1943, in the wake of American troops which had landed the previous day, units of the 13th Canadian Infantry Brigade landed unopposed on the bleak rock-bound shore of Kiska, in the north Pacific.



The Poet's Corner

AD CINCERARIUM
Who in this small urn reposes, Celt or Roman, man or woman, Steel of steel, or rose of roses?
Whose the dust set rustling lightly In its hiding-place abiding, When this urn is lifted lightly? Sure some mourner deemed immortal What thou holdest and enfoldest, Little house without a portal!

Old Charlottetown

EXHIBITION DEVELOPMENT
"Ten years ago if any one told us that productions of the North-West would be on exhibition here in this year of grace, he would be regarded as a visionary; and yet we see it has actually happened, and specimens of the various agricultural products of that distant region to which a few years ago was the home of the buffalo, and visited only by the Indian hunter and the fur trader are now ranged here beside your own for your inspection.

"The land on which the show is held is the property of whomsoever may happen to be the Lieutenant Governor for the time being. It is part of the farm attached to his residence, to which he has as much right as he has to the Government House itself during the time he holds office, and it is unfair to him to retain it for such a purpose. The space is entirely inadequate to present requirements for the comfort of stock and exhibits generally.

PUBLIC FORUM

This column is open to the discussion by correspondents of questions of interest. The Guardian does not necessarily endorse the opinion of correspondents.

POTATO SUPPORT PRICE

Sir,—On July 18th, two weeks after having started, I finally had my storage bins cleaned out (5,000 bushels of Government Support Price potatoes). One regret I have is that the local Prices Support Board chairman who recommended and insisted on farmers holding potatoes until July 9th could not have been compelled to sit and witness in my cellar with us, the conditions under which we were compelled to work for days. (The worst of it is that the insistence on holding potatoes until this late date gave an opportunity to those who were bootlegging potatoes to do so for such a long period of time.)

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the newspapers report that Fire has destroyed a Home or Business premises, a car victim sues for \$10,000, or more, Burglars make \$5,000 haul, a travel or other accident has happened causing serious injury or death. Adequate insurance is the only protection against serious losses from such hazards.

made by May 30th, 1950.
8. That after May 30 the farmers be allowed to dump or otherwise dispose of all potatoes held by the Board.
9. That only bona fide farmers owning and living on farms be eligible.

Freeing all potatoes to the farmer May 30 would mean that those who fail to support the policy and who are able and willing to gamble individually will not be supported and encouraged at the expense of those who do support it as they were the past season. It also might mean a lot of cheap and wholesome food to the consumer because if the potatoes had been released earlier the past season the price on the retail markets here certainly would have been much lower than it was, and without loss to the taxpayer of Canada.

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Notes By The Way

Four men in Eastend, Saskatchewan, are digging today at the edge of a ravine for bones that will turn back the pages of history about forty million years. They are searching for fossils of animals that roamed the prairie millions of years after the dinosaurs had died out, and the great inland sea which once covered the prairies had receded to the Gulf of Mexico.

There is a lot of eating in a whale, and every year a hungry world is taking this famous mammal more and more seriously as a food supply. Britain's Ministry of Food, struggling with the task of supplementing decreased rations, has recently summoned representatives of butcher shop organizations to discuss methods of pushing the consumption of whale meat. Some 250,000 tons of the meat is available in a leviathan hunted in most of any kind. Whale meat differs widely, but the fact that in Norway, Russia and Japan the meat is an accepted article of food would indicate that when properly processed and correctly cooked, whale might actually make its appearance on British tables now so short-rationed in meat of any kind. Whale experts say that a young whale from northern waters makes the best eating, the meat being tender and of better flavor.—Stratford Beacon-Herald.

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