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THE FARMER'S PROBLEMS.

MARKET movements these days are so rapid and uncertain that both farmer and dealer are kept constantly at their wits ends. From Ontario comes the report that farmers in that province have discovered that hogs do not pay and they are swinging around to beef and dairy cattle and sheep.

For a number of years the Canadian farmer has been catering for the British bacon market and has held his own against the keen competition of many European countries. Canadian bacon secured high prices, but in late years there has been a falling off in demand.

The question naturally arises have we overlooked the demands of the larger and more profitable home market in catering for the smaller export trade? This, of course, is a question which requires expert investigation.

THE OCTOBER HEAVENS

Few there are who, on a clear, starlit night, do not look wonderingly and reverently at the heavens. Those worlds, like our own, spinning around the sun with the regularity and precision of a great clock, each planet indicating the time of night almost as accurately as do the hands of a clock.

ed by actual measurement to be 150,000 light years away.

Mercury is Evening Star for October but, being south of the sun is not very bright. Venus is Morning Star for the month, and is brilliantly beautiful.

MECHANICAL AMUSEMENT.

THE complaint is often heard from pulpit and press that the activities of mankind in these modern days are becoming commercialized.

Similarly, we are becoming mechanical, not only in our useful and necessary occupations in almost all of which the machine is a principal factor but we are letting the machine invade even our amusements.

"To hear disembodied voices and instruments played by unseen executives, to study from a dark auditorium the exaggerated emotions of unreal phantoms cast on a silver screen, to see natural beauty only through the artificial tints of cinematography—and to judge in such recreation after a day spent at some mechanical task demanding no thorough craftsmanship—is to miss from life what should be one of its keenest satisfactions."

EDITORIAL NOTES

For Heaven's sake don't say, "I done," "you done," "he done," or "I seen," "you seen," "he seen," or anybody else "done" or "seen." These are among the most common mistakes and the most unpardonable.

The Exhibition management are to be congratulated on the evident success of this season's exhibition. The traffic police also deserve much praise for their excellent management of the traffic, keeping the streets safe for cars and pedestrians.

One marked difference between this year's Exhibition and those of former years was the number of automobiles in evidence. Hundreds of farmers, many of them from long distances, drove to the Exhibition, remained a few hours and hurried back to their grain and potato fields practically losing no time, and time this season was very valuable.

It is recalled that in former years the Charlottetown Exhibition was always held on the last Tuesday in September and we are informed that in a period of nineteen years there was only one rainy day during the Exhibition week. This year the Exhibition was opened on the last Tuesday of September and every day from the opening to the close was gloriously fine.

Notes by the Way

FASTER and faster the aeroplanes wing their way. It seems but yesterday that they began to soar aloft, fulfilling Tennyson's marvelous vision recorded in Locksley Hall.

How fast can an airman wing his way through the air? Only the other day there was an international contest between seaplanes at Venice. Seaplanes are not the swiftest aircraft, being amphibious like water-fowl, fitted to float in the water, rise out of the water and alight in the water.

The victor proved to be Flight Lt. Webster, of the British air force, who covered the course in 46 minutes 20 seconds, at an average speed of 281 miles an hour. This smashed all speed records for seaplanes.

Eighty-five per cent. of the immigrants who reached Australia this year were from the British Isles, while in Canada only 40 per cent. were British and 60 per cent. came from foreign countries.

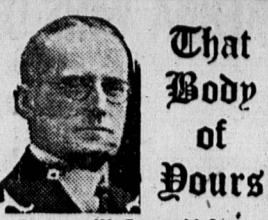
Liberal party strategy made Mr. Forke, who was previously a Progressive, a Cabinet Minister with a portfolio, just as it made Mr. Raney, another Progressive, a Judge in Ontario. In the latter case no one is objecting.

At the rate of more than a thousand cars daily the wheat from the Prairies is being rushed to the head of the Lakes for water transport eastward before the close of navigation.

THE SEAT OF AUTHORITY.—The Lord hath prepared his throne in the heavens; and his kingdom ruleth over all. Psalm 103:19.

DAILY LESSONS IN ENGLISH By W. L. Gordon

WORDS OFTEN MISUSED: Do not say "a quarter of five" to express time. Say "quarter to five," which means "towards five."



By James W. Gordon, M.D.

GETTING TO SLEEP

This business of being unable to sleep may become very serious at times, and as mentioned before, an organization is now devoting its energies toward the investigation of the nature of sleep.

Some one has said that this wakefulness is due to the fact that as the person is alone, in the dark, and everything quiet, that little feelings and sensations that he wouldn't notice in the day time, when he is active or busy with his work, now assume larger proportions.

Worry is a great cause of wakefulness, not only because the individual is interested, but because worry interferes with all the body functions including stomach and intestine, with resulting uneasiness.

Now although we do not know the exact nature of sleep, there is no question but that there are some simple methods of helping to induce sleep. The bed should be "comfortable," the temperature of the room should be right, with adequate ventilation, and quietness obtained if at all possible.

HOUSEHOLD SCRAP BOOK By ROBERTA LEE

Spattering Grease Sprinkle a little flour in the frying pan and it will stop the popping at once. Also try inverting a colander over the pan, removing it only when turning.

To Remove Tan Mix one-half ounce of glycerine, one ounce of rosewater, the juice of one small lemon, and apply. Or try buttermilk applications.

Faded Dress A faded dress can be whitened by boiling it in cream of tartar water.

Squeaking Shoes Place the shoes in a pan of water at night, just enough water to cover the soles.

Daily Selections FOR Guardian Readers

OCTOBER 1, 1927 THE ANGELIC HOST.—Bless the Lord, ye his angels, that excel in strength, that do his commandments, hearkening unto the voice of his word. Psalm 103:20.

OCTOBER 2, 1927 PRAYER.—O Lord, we bless Thee, that Thy praise is sung and Thy commands obeyed, in every realm of light.

THE CALL OF THE WIND In whisper's gentle wooing Like wild dove's tender cooing, A silent finger beckons me away, I answer to the calling And to the lure enthralling, I must the wildwood's sylvan voice obey.

That Body of Hours Happenings of The Week

TOMORROW.

No matter what today may bring. Of sorrow, care or joy. There always is one certain thing. Today cannot destroy. There always is a morrow That holds we know not what Of future health and happiness.

The hundreds of visitors who have crowded the city for Exhibition week have been cordially welcomed. The many and varied attractions and private functions arranged for their benefits have passed a busy and jolly week. The lovely weather, the fine

FOR THE SCRAP BOOK

Archbishop Whateley was at a drawing-room in Dublin Castle when a lady entered with an extremely decollete gown. "Did you ever see anything so unblushing?" whispered a companion. "Never," said the Archbishop—"never since I was weaned."

Censorship rests upon the very dubious proposition that all that is flesh is evil. It is the natural fear of a sex-ridden personality. When Shaw wrote, in his paradoxical way, that "to the pure all things are clean," he was stating this psychological truism in characteristically simple terms.

Ev. Dr. E. H. Ramsay, of this city, was the officiating clergy at the marriage of two intimate friends on Saturday last at the stately residence of Col. Thomas Cantley, M.P., and Mrs. Cantley, Mountain Road, New Glasgow, N.S., known as "Bonnie Brae," when their only daughter, Marian, was united in marriage to Thomas Hayden, son of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Hayden, of Sydney.

The Land We Love By Frank Yeigh

Canada's Universities Q. How many Universities has Canada? A. Canada has 23 Universities, with an enrollment in 1926 of 44,483 students. The teaching staffs totalled 4,126,500 of whom are women.

heart's beat count. Can poignant memories bore me. With sylvan-like gems before me. While leaf's vibrate to peacans of the birds?

In avened sweet vista Is lost the heart's burn blister. From contact with the flames of heated strife.

Through gleeful vales I wander. And all my troubles squander. To ripple's smile, and laughter in the trees. Upon my car as stealing The wildwood's joybells pealing, And all life's ills are wafted on the breeze.

exhibits with wonderful racing events, left little to be desired for a fair week.

Capt. and Mrs. Cook, of Parrsboro, N.S., are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Gordon Hughes during fair week.

Mrs. Alexander Campbell, of Summerside, is visiting her son, Mr. Clair Campbell and Mrs. Campbell, Prince St.

Tea hostesses at the Golf Links this afternoon are Mrs. Morson, Mrs. F. E. Morris, Mrs. J. O. Hyndman, Miss Haviland.

Mr. Blackwood, of Montreal, is spending a short holiday with his father-in-law, Dr. Warburton, and is being most cordially welcomed.

Mrs. Sonnaman, of Summerside, spent the week in the city, the guest of Mrs. D. Stewart, Kent St.

The sympathy of many home friends will go out to Mrs. Allan Parsons and family, of Montreal, in the sudden death of Mr. Parsons announced yesterday.

Mr. James Simpson, of Bayview, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. A. Stewart, Brighton. It is forty-seven years since Mr. Simpson first visited Charlottetown Exhibition, and at that time he was a first prize winner.

Rt. Rev. Dr. W. Leslie Clay, Moderator of the General Assembly, will be the guest of the Hon. the Chief Justice and Mrs. Mathieson over the week-end.

Many friends here will be interested to know that Mr. C. E. McLaggan, local manager of the Royal Bank of Canada at New Glasgow, received word last week from the head office at Halifax that after November 1st, he would be retired on a pension. Mr. McLaggan has been in the employ for thirty years.

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Mrs. McLellan, wife of Judge McLellan of Truro, N. S., who has been spending a few days with relatives here returned home yesterday.

Mrs. (Dr.) Jack Jenkins and Miss Stephanie Jenkins leave this morning on a short visit to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jenkins who have been visiting their parents here leave for Paris, France, this morning. They entertained their numerous friends at dinner and a supper dance at Beach Grove Inn on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Sawyer, of Portland, Maine, are the guests of Mrs. Sawyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Inman, Crapaud.

Miss Nan Brow, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Brow, left Tuesday on return to New York.

Miss Norah Logsworth left to resume her studies at McGill University after a delightful holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. B. Longworth, Hillhurst.

Judge J. L. Ryan, Mrs. Ryan, Mrs. J. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robertson, of Bathurst, N.B., were among the visitors coming by car to spend a week at the Exhibition.

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Tidmarsh leave this morning for Montreal and New York. Dr. Tidmarsh purposes taking a postgraduate course while in New York.

After forty years of faithful service, Mr. W. J. Hunt is retiring from the Bank of Nova Scotia as manager of the branch at Windsor. Mr. Hunt went to Windsor from the Halifax branch in 1914 and has since made a host of friends there, who regret his retiring from the active business of the bank, but who are pleased to learn that he is remaining to reside there, he and Mrs. Hunt, both being pleased with Windsor as a place of residence. Mr. Hunt will be succeeded by Mr. M. A. Glevin, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia

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Modern Etiquette By ROBERTA LEE Q. How should a napkin be placed on the table? A. Folded, at left of the plate. Q. Who decides what costumes the attendants at a wedding should wear? A. The bride. Q. What gifts, if any, should one take to the hostess of a house party? A. A book, candy, cigarettes, or magazines. Angry Teacher—Tommy, if you don't behave I'll have to write a note to your father. Bright Boy—You'd better not, Ma's as jealous as a cat.

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