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FIELD DAY AT ILLUSTRATION STATION NEAR ST. PETERS

Large Attendance of Farmers Interested - Demonstrations and Lectures Given by Experts of Charlottetown Experimental Station.

The farmers from St. Peters and many of the surrounding districts gathered Saturday at the Illustration Station on the farm of Mr. Adolphus McEwen about one mile west of St. Peters. They were much interested in the demonstrations and lectures given by Superintendent J. A. Clark, Mr. B. F. Tinney and his assistants at the Experimental Station at Charlottetown. Mr. E. A. G. Peppin, Chief Inspector for Certified Seed Potatoes, Division of Botany, Experimental Farm, Charlottetown.

The field comprising the Illustration Station at St. Peters consists of ten acres of land, divided into four sections, for the following purposes: being followed by Mr. Hoed crop, and there are on this section splendid crops of Irish Cobbler potatoes, Bangholm Selected (resistant to club-root) turnip, corn and sun-flowers for the first year of the rotation. Banner oats for the second year. This year was seeded out with 8 pounds of clover, 2 pounds of Alsike and 10 pounds of timothy and at present has a heavy stand of oats and a great showing of clover. Clover hay in the third year and mixed hay in the fourth year. The evidence of a heavy crop of hay is shown in the splendid aftermath of clover on both these sections. The yield on the new meadow this year was 3 tons, 295 pounds and on the second year 4 tons 283 pounds of well mixed timothy and clover. These crops and those not harvested show the excellent response that this land has given to systematic crop rotation, good cultural methods and the best seed obtainable for the different crops.

Superintendent Clark who conducted the Field Day gave a detailed record of the rainfall at St. Peters and the other seven Illustration Stations in the Province and at the Experimental Station at Charlottetown for the months of June and July. St. Peters and Montserrat had the least rainfall for June 1.2 and 1.31 inches, respectively and West Devon had the greatest 2.9 and 2.84 inches. Charlottetown and West Devon had the least rain in July 2.53 and 2.17 inches; Rustico and Roseveall had the greatest 2.99 and 3.85 inches. There was, however, sufficient rainfall everywhere to produce good yields of all farm crops. He spoke of the great meteorological records and the weather forecasts to the farmers as published in the press and posted in many of our post offices and other public buildings. He had Mr. Clifford McEwen, Operator of the Illustration Station, who has done the amounts of manure and fertilizers in previous years at the Station and showed how heavy applications of fertilizer paid when the crop could be sold for \$1.00 and sometimes did not pay when it had to be sold for 30c or less per bushel. He explained the purpose and outlined the method for the control of weeds and complimented Mr. Adolphus McEwen from all his fields. He mentioned that Mr. McEwen had the cleanest field of clover that he had seen this year. It was so good that a colony of bees were taken out



Capt. G. K. Singleton-Gates, who exposed the Kitchener body hoax. He was formerly engaged in newspaper work in Canada.

Eight Lives Believed Lost

(Canadian Press)
NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 29.—Eight lives are believed to have been lost in the sinking of the tugboat *Mississippi* near Convent, La., in Wednesday night's hurricane. The body of Mrs. George Theis, wife of the Captain has been recovered and her husband and six members of the crew are missing.

Prison Guard Killed by Convict

(Canadian Press)
KINGSTON, Ont., Aug. 29.—Earl Jenkins, a guard at Portmouth Penitentiary, was fatally injured yesterday when he was struck on the head by a crowbar in the hands of a convict named Thomas McCoskey, a Russian, who was sentenced at Toronto to two years for theft and who has only a short time to serve.

ULTIMATUM SENT TO MEXICAN GOVT.

Nicaragua Charges Mexico With Outfitting Naval Craft As Filibusterer - Smaller Nation Also Appeals to League of Nations for Protection.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Aug. 28.—The Nicaraguan government has sent a note to Mexico declaring it has irrefutable evidence that Mexican authorities equipped, armed and manned with men in Mexico's military service an auxiliary ship of the Mexican navy, the *Conceit*, which sailed from Salina Cruz, Mexico, on an filibustering expedition to Nicaragua.

The note of protest, which is signed by foreign minister Daniel Gutierrez Navas, says the expedition was arranged by the Nicaraguan exiles and financed and supported by the Mexican government. It declares such action manifestly violates the principles which govern civilized nations and which Mexico has repeatedly proclaimed as a fundamental principle of its international policy.

"Nicaragua," says the note, "although a weak nation, will know how to defend even with sacrifice its menace to its independence and sovereignty and it leaves to your government the grave responsibility that shall fall to it before the world and history for such illegal conduct."

A copy of the note was sent to the League of Nations and all foreign diplomatic and consular officials in Nicaragua.

The government is sending the protest to the League of Nations (desiring to call the attention of the world to the alleged illegal acts of Mexico) and is reserving the right to make claims in the future against Mexico.

"The U. S. cruiser *Galveston* has arrived at Bluefields, and landed North Star, enroute home from a cruise around Newfoundland and Labrador. The yacht cleared later in the day for Halifax, cruising via the Bras D'Or Lakes.



Lady Drayton, wife of Sir Henry Drayton, acting prime minister, who officiated in Ottawa Thursday at the unveiling of the founders' tablet on the site of the Women's Memorial Building. The building is sponsored by ladies from each province.

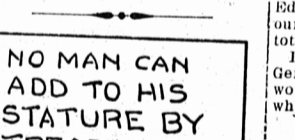
Earthquake Jars New England

(Canadian Press)
BOSTON, Aug. 28.—Another earthquake, the 3rd this year and the twelfth within two years, has jarred New England. This time it was felt in a belt running through western Maine toward Canada.

As in most previous earthquakes in New England the tremors apparently were not severe enough to cause any damage to property or life. Reports indicated that the shock was felt simultaneously in Oxford, Franklin and Somerset counties, and in the northern part of Androsoggin at about four p. m. yesterday.

Yachting Party Call at Sydney

(Canadian Press)
NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., Aug. 28.—Dr. J. E. Goldthwait, Boston surgeon, and party arrived here today on Dr. Goldthwait's yacht, *North Star*, enroute home from a cruise around Newfoundland and Labrador. The yacht cleared later in the day for Halifax, cruising via the Bras D'Or Lakes.



NO MAN CAN ADD TO HIS STATURE BY TREADING ON OTHER PEOPLE'S TOES

(Special to the Guardian)
TORONTO, Aug. 28.—In a stirring speech which brought cheers from a crowd of over 4,000 visitors in front of the main band stand this afternoon, the Diwan formally opened the Canadian National Exhibition. He stressed the fact that bonds of unity between Canada and India should be developed.

One of the largest crowds that has ever faced an official opening of the world's largest annual fair was on hand when the Diwan began his address sharply at 2.15.

"So great are the benefits of your hydro electric system (tario) to India which has been developed to make arrangements for taking back to India with me a Canadian engineer for the purpose of developing some of the great water power of India." So intimate the Diwan today.

Meighen Greeted by Own Home Town

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, Man., Aug. 28.—Premier Meighen was welcomed last night to his own home town of the prairies which sent him to Parliament.

"Though the electoral battle might be easier for me elsewhere," Mr. Meighen said at the outset, "I could not be satisfied personally if I did not feel I had been loyal to Portage La Prairie, Portage La Prairie was the right constituency for me as a young man seeking a place in political life. Surely it is the constituency I ought to serve now while in a position better able to serve it."

Mr. Meighen declared that Mr. MacKenzie King, following his appointment as Liberal leader, had uttered a tirade against the establishment of the National Railway System, a tirade especially against the inclusion of the Grand Trunk in the National System. "Mr. King," Mr. Meighen proceeded, "that the inclusion of the Grand Trunk was a mistake."

"Who denounced the whole creation of the National System out of bankrupt elements which were bringing chaos into this country?" Mr. Meighen asked. "This man," Mr. Meighen added, "who denounced the whole creation of the National System out of bankrupt elements which were bringing chaos into this country?"

Mr. Meighen said he is the only person in the country to be trusted to see that the system lives. It is E. A. Bisailon, about whose activities I am amused, is laughable."

Envy vs. Prosperity

Some deplore the number of millionaires in savings banks, yet forgetting these things about them: \$53,400,000,000 or \$509 for every working man, woman and child in that country. It is Protection that can make possible the large undertakings that mean mass production and lower prices, or lower real cost of living. The same conditions that make millionaires give the world a chance to own their own house, and have a bank account. Millionaires do not keep

ANOTHER WOMAN WINS WAY OVER CHANNEL

Mrs. Clemington Corson Completes Long Swim in 15 Hours and 28 Minutes.

(Canadian Press)
DOVER, Eng., Aug. 28.—Mrs. Clemington Corson of New York, the mother of two children and well known as a long distance swimmer, today swam the English Channel.

Mrs. Corson's victory was the most impressive in as much as she swam the distance in 15 hours and 28 minutes. She started with her last night and swam most of the way in her trail, and a half from the English coast after being in the water more than fourteen hours.

Except for the record of 14 hours and 31 minutes made by Miss Ederle, Mrs. Corson broke the records of the previous five men Channel swimmers, her time being 15 hours and 28 minutes.

Swam 50 miles in All

DOVER, Aug. 28.—V. In successfully swimming the English Channel today, Mrs. Clemington Corson swam 50 miles in all owing to the swelling tide.

Because of the criticism that followed Miss Ederle's swim no tug accompanied Mrs. Corson. She was towed by a large motor boat, which always kept 50 to 100 yards away.

Her husband, Clemington Corson, rowed a small boat which kept a few yards away from the swimmer throughout the trip.

Cleared Up \$100,000.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Walter Lissberg, local dealer, financed the English Channel swim of Mrs. Clemington Corson during her training period and then placed a bet of \$5,000 with Lloyds at London that she would succeed by September 1. He got odds 20 to 1 on his bet, so he cleaned up \$100,000 as a result of her victory, he said today.

He issued a challenge on behalf of Mrs. Corson "to everybody, Miss Ederle included," to swim around Manhattan Island for a purse totaling the amount he won.

Dudley Field Malone, counsel for Gertrude Ederle, said Miss Ederle would consider "such a challenge when it is received."

Death Roll Reaches Nineteen

(Canadian Press)
NEW ORLEANS, La., Aug. 28.—The list of the known dead from the result of the tropical hurricane, of last week, Wednesday night, stood at nineteen tonight with more than a dozen others missing. At least nine of those were believed to have perished, including seven persons who were aboard the tug *Patagon*, which sank in the Mississippi river near Convent, La.

Aviator Killed

(Canadian Press)
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—Commander John H. Rodgers, who escaped death after being lost for nine days on the Pacific coast last year, died here after an unexplained mishap in which his plane crashed into the Delaware river just as he was about to land.

SCOTTISH CHILD IS ATTACKED BY BIG EAGLE

CLACKMANNAN, Scotland, Aug. 28.—An eagle attacked two-year-old Betty Patterson five times while she was walking with her mother and a woman friend, just outside the town. On each occasion the women had the greatest difficulty in preventing the bird carrying off the child, and it was not until workmen came on the scene with sticks that it was driven off.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc

- *St. Margaret's Wednesday, moving pictures, greatest show this year. Everyone welcome 1590-8-28-29
- *Come to the Souris Tea on Tuesday, August 31st. A good time in store for all. Dancing booths and usual games and amusements. 1595-28-31
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- *The Catholic Womens League Convention will be held at Kensington, Sept. 7th, 8th and 9th instead of Sept. 1st to 3rd as previously published. Delegates will kindly note change of date. 1564-8-27-31
- *Come and hear Rev. J. J. MacDonald, S. Side, lecture on his trip to Europe, at "Stella Maris" chapel, North Rustico on Tuesday, Aug. 31st. Not fine come the following evening. 1532-8-26-31

The total acreage under inspection in the East this year which includes, UpState New York, Vermont, Maine, New Hampshire, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island totals eight million 233,000 acres. Of this amount, Maine has approximately 50 per cent very much less in all these states with that of ordinary table stock, and unless the grower is likely to get paid, and well paid, for his labor in growing Certified Seed he will soon quit growing that crop and cater more to the table stock market. Such a state of affairs would be calamitous in as much as this is Prince Edward Island's chance to get in strong in a market where we have already established ourselves, with not a little effort on the part of all concerned in the business. We simply must hold this market, prices are bound to adjust themselves and the grower who keeps his fields practically disease free and who puts up quality stock will eventually and profitably before very long, reap the benefit of the market. The grower down South must purchase seed stock every year, and that preferably in the North. Why not then in E. I. ? It is entirely up to the growers of this Province, then, with our help and assistance, of course.

There is one subject worthy of still greater attention and that is spraying with Bordeaux Mixture. Last year was a blight year and the losses sustained by the growers would, if tallied up, represent a staggering figure. In fact sufficient to purchase spraying machines and materials for all the acreage under inspection this year. There is some blight this year. I know of some fields which are even now almost dead with blight and look as black as your hat, as the saying is. Such a crop is, of course, practically ruined if we get heavy rains in the near future, to say nothing of the loss in yield already sustained. We must spray early and thoroughly all through the season. If we get all the pressure you can, and through lack of finances you must use a hand machine then be sure to get all the pressure you can, and the greatest profit can be derived site directions at each spraying feeding and rearing young chicks date, in order to get on as many as used at the Experimental Farm, gallons per acre as the larger mash consists of a dry mash method. By spraying early you cover those leaves, which are now this mash contains all the ingredients, covered up with newer growth and lents necessary for the require-

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