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"The Strongest Memory is Weaker than the
Weakest Ink."

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Hemp To Be Grown?

The question of production in Canada of
hemp fibre—banned for the past four years
under the Narcotics Act, is now before authori-

Reason for the order is the shortage, caused
by Japanese expansion, of rope and twine for
military and essential civilian purposes through

In 1940, the question of growing hemp in
Canada was raised when an inquiry came from
the British government. This was in the form

The economics of hemp production have been
vastly altered by developments in the war since
December, 1941. Canadian production in the

All these details point to prospects for hemp
growing in Canada next year. Where production
will be undertaken is not disclosed, but upwards

As a source of marihuana, hemp production
was prohibited in Canada in August, 1938. Called
hashish in the Orient, hemp was placed under

No change has been made in this arrangement
since 1938.

The First Objective

There is a great deal of talk and even acrimonious
dispute, about postwar objectives. A socialist
writer in England recently attributed Mr. Churchill's

"I should hope that . . . we shall be able to
make better solutions, more far-reaching and
more lasting, of the problems of Europe at the

"It is not much use pursuing these speculations
further at this time, for no one can possibly
know what the state of Europe or the world will

This, surely, suggests the Ottawa Journal, is
common sense, even though many of good heart
and brain seem to disagree with it.

Wartime Packing Problems

Munitions, tanks and other materials of war
are useless unless they are delivered to the fighting
fronts. What is perhaps not so widely appreciated

packing materials, delicate machinery must be
protected against damage in transit and the utmost
economy in the utilization of shipping space must

The packing industry, which is a growth of
the last forty years, also faces serious problems
on the civilian front from shortages of materials

EDITORIAL NOTES

Perhaps some readers had mail destroyed in
the fire on board ship the other day—better send
another letter or parcel in case.

It has come true, and Prince Edward has the
credit for it: Do you recall?
"Pigs might fly, but they're very unlikely birds;
Pigs might fly, but they're very unlikely birds;
That is as likely as to see a hog fly."

At the St. Andrew's Society St. Andrew's
Day banquet, Moosejaw, the toast of "The Day
and a' what honour it," was proposed and responded

In the current issue of Saturday Night there
is a series of pictures of Canadian Mounted
Police, conspicuous in which is one of Corp. C.
J. F. Pooley (Charlie), son of Captain C. F.
Pooley, Upper Prince Street. He is also seen

A young Polish pilot attached to the R.A.F.
wished to send a message of goodwill to a friend
in a squadron detailed for a special job. The
message he wanted to give was "God preserve you,"

There is no evidence yet the Army is getting
all the men it needs. The lumbering industry
is suffering from lack of men. The base metal
industry is in the same serious position, and

Joel Chandler Harris, American novelist and
folklorist, born this date, 1848; a man of many
occupations but primarily a novelist; his reputation

Have we money to spend, to save, to lend? Following
are figures for cash income from sale of farm
products during the first nine months of this year,

The London Evening Standard gives the following
explanation of "Hallowed Ground." Canadian N.C.O.'s

Will it be \$163,000 or \$3,000? Mr. Justice
Eugene Real Angers, Montreal, is presiding at a
special sitting of the Exchequer Court to hear a

Librarians carry a responsibility, says
Elmer Davis, "such as they have never carried in our history.
They are combatants from this time on." Librarians doubtless have

NOTES BY THE WAY

Research workers in the field of
rubber production are producing
that automobile tires in the future
made of synthetic rubber will be
capable of outlasting the motor car

These amazing war reporters who
keep on writing through the battle's
dia could work in Hollywood's conception
of a city roan.—Winnipeg Tribune.

Mich Hepburn, at 46, is most unlikely
to content himself permanently
with the role of onion grower,
and he is too young to be a "retired"
statesman.—Ottawa Journal.

Canadians restricted to one bottle
of liquor: a day don't know anything
about hardship. Consider the plight
of coffee-drinking folk in the United
States who may have to get along

Rev. Alfred Abraham, rector of St.
Andrew's Church, London, Ontario,
had a good reply to the suggestion
presented to the General Missionary
Association in that city that a protest

The granting of an honorary degree
by Queen's University to Cardinal
Gardiner was in recognition
of an eminent Canadian and one
who has thrown his influence

A tragic fact of this terrible war
is the frequency with which
boats carrying the wounded have
been launched from torpedoed ships.
Lack of the full complement of

Secretary of War Stimson has
very properly muzzled a retired
army colonel who wrote disparagingly
of the navy. At the same time,
he retracted a report that officers of
the army and navy are great

After censorship what? Truth, we
hope. Bad news or good, we can
take it our stride, and if the commander-in-chief
will only allow us to
his confidence a little more. We
do not ask, nor do we have any
right to demand, that the military

What price synthetic motor car
tires? It would seem that the literal
answer to that question is much
easier than the more essential question
about synthetic rubber, of which
the most important, of course,

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Victory Bonds you think possible,
suggest Bonds of smaller denomination

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(2) It is a gift when it comes
due.
(3) It is a gift to the next generation
for whom it helps secure the
priceless heritage of freedom which

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Negative Defence

Undoubtedly there has been
much argument over cost of living
figures issued by the Dominion
Bureau of Statistics. It is to the
interest of the Wartime Prices
and Trade Board to set the public

The title of the pamphlet is, in
itself, a factor in adding fuel to
the flames. "The Cost of Living
Index Phoney?" It asks, a perfect
example of negative phraseology

The fact is, of course, that the
cost of living index figures are
arrived at by the exact use of
statistics. They give a true and
dependable picture of average
conditions throughout the Dominion

Secret Burial Place

To Premier King of Canada has
been entrusted by the British government
the secret of the burial place
of the famous Coronation Stone.
Many travellers have seen

The stone, of course, lent the full
resplendent contribution of brilliance
of an ancient lineage to the coronation
of a King or Queen. When
crowned by the Archbishop

Tradition has it that the stone
came originally from the Holy Land.
From the Holy Land it was
carried to Ireland. There it was
brought to the coronation of King

Decorations For Bravery

Enquiries are often made as regards
decorations bestowed by the
King. In general, it appears that
those for valor, gallantry or bravery
interest the public most.

The Victoria Cross has long held
pride of place. The valor for which
it is awarded is such as goes beyond
the demands of duty and the act

The Distinguished Service Order
is an order having one rank only
and is bestowed on commissioned
officers for special services in action
but not necessarily for bravery.

Hope To Boost Farm Production

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