



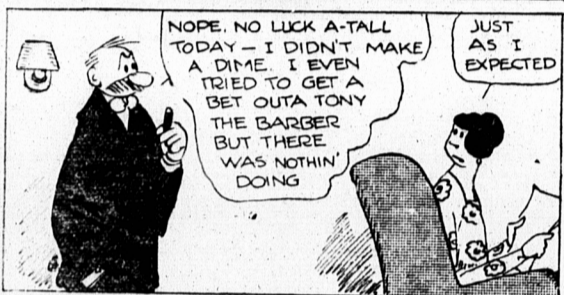
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GUARDIANS ON SALE at the McNeill Building, Summerside every day. GUARDIAN OFFICE.—The Guardian's Western Office is now located in the McNeill Building, Water St., Summerside, where subscriptions, news or advertising will be received. The phone number is 233.

AULD LANG SYNE and Housewife's Calendars have been received at the Guardian's Western Office, McNeill Building, Summerside. These calendars will be given to those subscribing or renewing their subscription to the Guardian.

WELL KNOWN RESIDENT.—The death took place on Sunday morning, after a long illness, of Mr. William Woodside, only son of Mr. and Bert Woodside of Summerside, at the early age of 23 years. Although not of a robust constitution he was able to be of considerable assistance to his father in the blacksmithing business and was a general favorite with his associates. There are left to mourn, besides his parents, one sister, Miss Ella. The funeral took place on Monday morning at St. Paul's Church and Cemetery, Rev. Father McCabe officiating.

Hunter River And Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Silliphant are spending a few days with Rev. Bruce and Mrs. Carew at the Parsonage, Bladford.

Miss Ruby McDougall, stenographer with Messrs McLean & McKinnon, barristers returned to the city on Monday, after spending the holiday with her parents.

Miss Marion McDonald, Boston, Mass., is visiting her father Mr. D. M. McDonald Hopedale.

Mrs. E. Fraser was a visitor in Cavendish last week, being a guest at the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Darnley Clarke on Wednesday.

Miss Katherine MacLeod, R. N. New Bedford, Me., has arrived on a six weeks visit to her home in Bradabane.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballingall Charlottetown, are spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Houston, New Glasgow.

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London Letter

THE OFFICE OF THE HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR CANADA IN LONDON WEEK BY WEEK, 17th DECEMBER, 1925.

The Unveiling of the Cross of Sacrifice and dedication of the headstones erected in memory of the soldiers who are buried in Ripon Cemetery, York, shire, took place on Sunday last, December 13th.

The Ceremony was attended by the Mayor of Ripon, the members of the Corporation, Military detachments, representatives of the local societies, and large numbers of the general public.

The High Commissioner was represented by Mr. E. B. Cotworth, Canadian Government agent at York, who also represented the Imperial War Graves Commission responsible for the care of the Graves in this cemetery, where 23 Canadian Soldiers are buried.

The Hon. Secretary of the Executive Committee of the National Disasters Relief Fund, which administers the Funds subscribed in aid of the "Empire's Islands" victims, informs the High Commissioner for Canada that it has been decided to make a grant by way of a bonus, equal to one month's allowance, to all dependants, on the 15th December, 1925.

There are several dependants of this Fund resident in Canada.

The s.s. "Pie Jensen" which is being especially adapted for the carriage of large numbers of cattle and will shortly commence service from Canada, has been re-named the s.s. "Ontario".

The High Commissioner and Mrs. and Miss Larkin received at the Canadian Building on Friday the 18th December a number of representative people asked to meet the four young University Graduates who are shortly proceeding to Canada, Australia, and New Zealand as a debating team under the auspices of the National Union of Students.

Among the invited guests were the Prime Minister and Mrs. Baldwin, the Earl and Countess of Clarendon, Lord and Lady Chapman and their daughter Dr. Chapman, Mr. Philip Kerr, Secretary of the Rhodes Trust, Lady Strathcona and Lady Mountstephen.

Five consignments of Canadian Cattle numbering 1,702 head, arrived at United Kingdom ports during the past week.

The High Commissioner's Office circulated this week a Press Bulletin dealing with the Canadian Automobile Production and Export during the past 20 years, as well as Canadian Official Mining Statistics for British Columbia, Mineral Production; the purchase of the National Silver Mine in British Columbia by a South Africa Mining group, and with the recent developments at the Trail Smelter in British Columbia. The Canadian Official Mining News Letter sent out was based on an extract from the Report of the Department of Mines for the year ended March 31st last, containing Dr. Charles Camsell's review of the recent growth of the Canadian mineral industry.

The High Commissioner's Office is informed by the Canadian Trade Commissioners in the Great Britain that they have received the following enquiries for Canadian goods during the past week:

A London firm of manufacturers' agents are desirous of securing the representation of Canadian manufacturers and shippers of Hardware (Wire and Cut Nails, Enamelled Ware, Woodware, Household utensils, etc.); Produce (Butter, Cheese, Canned Fruits and Vegetables, Canned Salmon, Condensed Milk, Syrup, Macaroni), Dry Goods (Woolen and Woolen Knitted Goods, Artificial Silk Piece Goods), Lingerie, Fabric Gloves and Silk Stockings.

A Belfast firm would like to effect a connection with a good oatmeal mill in Canada.

A Belfast firm of wholesale footwear merchants and agents, with branch in Dublin, is enquiring for successful exporters of Canadian manufacture—various brands.

A Belfast firm of timber merchants wants samples of Canadian slate, 24" x 12", 24" x 14", and 4" or 6" square strong, durable, and unfading, with a view to business.

A Belfast firm wishes to import Fibre Flaxseed from Canada.

A Belfast firm wishes to effect a direct connection with a good exporter of Coloured Cheese of Bellville, or Ingersoll make.

A Belfast firm wants to get in touch with Canadian exporters of Paper used in the Grocery trade, including wrapping Paper, either as a buyer or commission.

Full details of these can be obtained from the Commercial Intelligence Branch of the Department of Trade and Commerce, or from the Canadian Trade Commissioner, The Canadian Building, Trafalgar Square, S. W. 1.

INSECTS AS PETS.

The lure of the insect pet is difficult for the average man to comprehend—but tens of thousands of men, women and children all over the world succumb to it, writes Bassett Dylis.

The Japanese, I believe, were the first race to keep insects in cages as we use to keep canaries. The Chinese, indeed, too, have had the custom for some time. For many centuries, the little men and women of Nippon have derived an aesthetic delight in listening to the thin, metallic chirring of various species of cicadae (insects related to the grasshoppers). The most prized is the "suzumushi," the sound made by which is like that of a tiny silver bell. The katsuma makes a sound that the Japanese will tell you resembles a tiny fairy horse clapping his little lid.

Two species of katsuma are kept captive, a yellow one and a pale green one. A good "singer" often fetches a surprisingly high price.

In the south of China I found children catching and keeping as pets beautiful metallic sparkling little soldiers. They had no boxes, but by bending a strip of reed in three places, and tearing a "tongue" catch, they made a pouch in which the spider was quite comfortable.

Money in Caterpillars. In Britain thousands of boys keep insect pets. Usually these are caterpillars, bred through the entire life cycle from eggs to imago (the final winged stage). It would surprise some of the thoughtless squanders of every caterpillar.

PERSONALS

Mr. Thomas Hinton, who has been indisposed at his home in Summerside for some weeks, left for Montreal on Saturday last to undergo special treatment.

PEAT AS FUEL

The experimental plant at Alfreton, Ontario, on which the Peat Committee, appointed jointly by the Ontario and Dominion Governments, expended \$350,000 in demonstrating the commercial possibilities of producing peat fuel, has been placed on a commercial basis and is now in full operation.

Under the management many improvements have been made, including a change from steam to electric power with very favorable results. Operations are conducted on a 144-hour week with a production of 6 to 8 tons of market fuel per hour. The estimated production for 1925 is 6,000 to 8,000 tons, despite a very late start with about 2,500 tons in storage at present. It is hoped that this fuel will be sold at a price not exceeding \$6 per ton on the car at Alfreton.

In view of this interesting development in the conservation of our fuel resources the following facts about the use of peat fuel are pointed out by the Dominion Fuel Board at Ottawa.

Peat is valuable as an auxiliary to coal in the furnace and for general uses in cook stoves, grates and surface heaters.

Peat burns freely leaving seven per cent. of ash and does not clinker. It is very easily ignited with paper and kindling, requires a small draft except during the ignition period and furnishes an intense heat steadily for a comparatively short time. Peat is therefore particularly applicable to cooking and baking operations where high temperatures are required for short periods only. To secure best results for cook stoves it is advisable to start a fire using small pieces to form a complete covering in the fire box and the larger blocks on top. A good draft should be used until the peat is burning well after which the draft may be almost entirely turned off and fresh fuel added as needed.

Peat may be used in fireplaces instead of canne coal or wood with excellent results. It burns quietly with a yellow flame, later subsiding into a cheerful red glow and does not scatter sparks and soot throughout the room.

Peat is not adapted to replacement in furnaces during severe weather because of its free burning qualities but it is excellent for maintaining a furnace fire during mild weather, for kindling coal or reviving a fire when low.

In surface heaters peat is burned in very small quantities in a coke of wood. With stoves of the air tight type a small amount may be kept alight for a considerable period as a block of peat once ignited will burn until entirely consumed even when drafts are completely closed off.

The two principal rules to be observed in burning peat are:—Do not put on too much fuel at a time and allow the fire to get well started before closing drafts.

Successful events results have been obtained from experiments with an incubator in which the eggs receive more heat from above than any other direction, imitating nature's action.

The government of Egypt will erect a \$15,000,000 dam across the White Nile about 50 miles south of Khartoum and a barrage costing \$10,500,000 north of Assuan for irrigation purposes.

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Has no equal for prompt results. Takes but a moment to make. Saves about 5¢.

You know that pine is used in nearly all prescriptions and remedies for coughs. The reason is that pine contains several peculiar elements that have a remarkable effect in soothing and healing the membranes of the throat and chest.

Pine cough syrups are combinations of pine and syrup. The "syrup" part is usually plain sugar syrup. To make the best pine cough remedy that money can buy, put 2½ ounces of Pinex in a 16-oz. bottle, and fill up with home-made sugar syrup. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, you make 16 ounces—more than you can buy ready-made for \$2.50. It is pure, good and pleasant—children like it.

You can feel this take hold of a cough or cold in a way that means business. The cough may be dry, hoarse and tight, or it may be persistently loose from the formation of phlegm. The cause is the same—irritated membranes—and this Pinex and Syrup combination will stop it usually in 24 hours or less. Splendid, too, for bronchial asthma, hoarseness, or any ordinary throat ailment. Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and is famous the world over for its prompt effect upon coughs. Beware of substitutes. Ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Toronto, Ont.

Mid Winter Sale Of Seasonable Merchandise

Look Over this List Carefully and Save Money MONEY-SAVING VALUES FROM OUR LADIES' READY TO WEAR DEPARTMENT.

- 35 Ladies' Winter Coats values up to \$30.00 to clear at \$12.00. The balance of our ladies' better quality coats, about 30 in number to clear at one-third off. Values up to \$60.00. A few of last year's coats to clear at the very special price of \$7.98. Ladies' fine silk knit scarves clearing at .69c. A line of ladies' black wool gloves. Special .25c. A line of wool gauntlet gloves, sand and white and brown. To clear at .75c. Ladies' dogskin gauntlet gloves. Very special \$1.75. A few silk lined Suede gloves to clear \$1.75. The balance of our ladies' Hand Bags 20 p. c. off.

BARGAINS FROM OUR MEN'S DEPT.

- Men's fleece lined underwear 69c per garment. Men's Wool underwear 95c per garment. Men's Braces to clear 25c each. Men's Working Shirts 75c, \$1.00 and up. Men's Overalls, 10 dozen in lot to clear at \$1.00 pair. Men's Wool Aviation caps to clear at 75c each. Men's Heavy Winter Caps 75c each. Men's Fleece lined combinations \$1.33 a suit. Men's Flannelette Pyjamas \$1.69 a suit. Men's Heavy Work Sweaters \$1.59 each. Men's Knitted ties to clear 25c each. 42 Men's Suits, sizes 36 to 46. Prices \$18.00 to \$22.00, to clear at the low price of \$15.00. All Men's Winter Overcoats clearing at low prices. 25 young Men's Suits \$22.00 to \$30.00 clearing at \$18.00.

BIG VALUES FROM STAPLE DEPT.

- 34 in. White Flannelette, special 25c per yd. 27 in. Cream Flannelette, special 17c per yd. 34 in. Cream Flannelette, special 25c per yd. 27 in. Striped Flannelette, special 22c per yd. 34 in. Striped Flannelette, special 25c per yd. 1000 yds. 36 in. Unbleached cotton special 10c per yd. 1000 yds. 36 in. Unbleached cotton heavy, special 15c per yd. 500 yds. Crash towelling 12c per yd. 500 yds. Print cotton 19c per yd. Cashmerette Dress goods double width 25c yd. All Wool Dress Serge, black and navy, 54 in. 98c yd. Donegal Tweed, 54 in, wide special 98c yd. 1 Web heavy Grey Tweed 54 in. to clear 98c. All wool dress serge, navy and colored 49c yd. 20 dozen ladies' Silk and Wool winter hose all colors 98c pr. 15 doz. English all wool wide Rib Hose to clear 50c pr. 30 doz. Ladies' winter fleece lined hose to clear 35c pr. 40 doz. Small children's vests for winter to clear 2 for 25c. 10 doz Children's Winter mitts to clear 25c pr.

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lar they come across, under the quite erroneous impression that all plants are grist to the caterpillar's digestive mill, what considerable sums are paid for prized species. Half a guinea a dozen is frequently obtained for the little larvae seldom met with in the woods and hedgerows, but especially bred year after year for collectors.

Stick insects imported from the tropics, praying mantises, stag beetles, and even centipedes are among other insects often kept in England as pets.

Centipedes are most dashing fellows, quietly resting under a scrap of bark, or a damp dead leaf day by day, but coming out of cover after dark to hunt down their prey—small insects and worms—with the ruthless and grateful energy of the leopard. Some kinds of centipedes are phosphorescent. They remind one of lifted trees seen in the distance at night as they glide about their glass jar.

"MOTHER OF THE BRITISH ARMY" THANKS. The Baroness de la Grange, "the French mother of the British Army," who earned that title because of her friendship for the British officers and men in France during the war, has written a letter to a London paper expressing her gratitude for the warmth of her recent reception in England.

A few weeks ago the Baroness, who is a member of a family of ancient lineage, was entertained to a luncheon given in her honour in London and over which Lord Albeny presided.

"Not only have I realized," she says, "the very great pleasure I hoped for of meeting again many distinguished British officers whom I had the privilege of entertaining when my home, the Chateau de la Motte, was one of your Army's headquarters, and whom I now count among my closest friends, but I have met with a gracious welcome on all hands which I had no reason to expect."

"It has touched me the more deeply because I cannot take it to myself, but must regard it as an expression of that mutual sympathy between our countries which has had too few opportunities of showing itself.

"Every Frenchwoman would have been as proud as I to have had the honor which the fortune of war conferred upon me of sheltering your soldiers, and every Frenchwoman would have been as grateful to them as I that my home, shelled and ruined as it was at the end was preserved from the actual entry of the enemy.

"Alternate fields of French soil have been sanctified as the resting place of the best and bravest of England and

France. Hundreds of these holy places have thus become in the words of Rupert Brooke, 'for ever England.' May we who live and owe our freedom to those noble dead never forget that that ideal of freedom will only endure upon the foundation of friendship between our countries, laid and cemented by their sacrifice."

2 dozen clams 1 cup water. 1 onion Parsley. 1 quart milk Celery. 2 small red pepper. 2 aspic berries. 2 corns. 2 tablespoons butter. Whipped cream or margarin. 2 tablespoons flour.

Boil the clams in their liquor and water until the edge curl, chop and simmer with the spices for a half-hour; then strain. Blend the butter and flour together, stir in one pint of the milk, and cook until smooth and thick; then add the remainder of the scalded milk and the clam mixture. Serve in bouillon cups with whipped cream on top.

If fresh clams are used, steam in the water until the shells open easily, and then remove them from the shells and chop very fine.—From The Designer Magazine for July.

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