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Farm Topics

We have recently received the report of the Division of Botany for the year 1927. This is not belated, for the results of the various experiments must be correlated and tabulated before any statement can be issued and that takes time.

We may here call attention to the valuable work carried on by our esteemed fellow citizen, Prof. R. R. Hurst. In the Report just mentioned, Mr. Hurst tells of the various projects carried on at the Laboratory of Plain Pathology.

Mr. Peppin of The Laboratory reports upon the seed inspection work of the Province. The progress has been phenomenal; in 1920, 523 acres of seed potatoes passed the test.

In Prince Edward Island all the cattle in the province, 94,772 head, have been tested and only 0.59 per cent. was found tuberculous.

For the making of lawns there is probably no grass superior to what are known as the Bents, of which there are two varieties of outstanding value—Prince Edward Island Bent, botanically known as Agrostis tenuis, and Velvet Bent, Agrostis canina.

CO-OPERATION The President of the California Prune and Apricot Association strikes

that there will be no doubt about the quality of that held for seed. Certain fields on the farm will grow plumper seed than others, and the seed from these areas should be set aside.

AGRICOLA

GRAIN FOR SPRING SEEDING

The need for good vigorous seed for seeding purposes is now well recognized, and it is wise to set aside the best seed grown on the farm so

Another Banner Year For Canadian Sheep

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 2.—(By The Canadian Press)—In the main Canadian sheep owners have experienced another banner year, state officials of the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers in summarising the 1928 results.

The sheep population of the country has shown a steady increase, with excellent gains in the four Western Provinces and Ontario. Practically all good females have been retained for breeding purposes, and there seems to be an increasing tendency on the part of grain growers to follow the Australian example of adding sheep to their farm operations.

The buying season for wool opened very briskly last spring with many bidders in the field and as a result

A FINE LAWN GRASS

is highly resistant to what is known as "brown patch". In its native habitat the Bent grass grows well on lands ranging from dry to moist, and from light soils to clay loam, and even on soils that are strongly acid.

PANMURE ISLAND SCHOOL EXAMINATION

On Friday afternoon, Jan. 25, about twenty-five people gathered at Panmure Island School to attend the semi-annual examination. After an opening address was read by Evelyn Campbell the classes were heard in their different subjects.

BRINGING UP FATHER



is very much to see so many happy countenances with us this afternoon we are especially glad to have Father McCabe with us. We trust you shall not be bored with our afternoon's proceedings and that you shall not find the time too monotonous.

It was quite evident that co-operation and harmony exist between pupils and teacher for in no other way could pupils make such progress in school.

All were highly pleased with the good work carried on in the school. A vote of thanks moved by A. Langigan and seconded by P. Cairns was tendered the teacher, then a very successful examination was ended by singing the National Anthem.

While it pleases us very much to see so many happy countenances with us this afternoon we are especially glad to have Father McCabe with us.



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Road School. By the prompt and correct answers of the pupils one could not fail to be impressed with the result of the careful training they must have received during the past half-year

It was quite evident that co-operation and harmony exist between pupils and teacher for in no other way could pupils make such progress in school. A pleasing feature of the afternoon's programme was the reading between the lessons. The pupils were generously treated to candy, jelly-beans and oranges while the visitors satisfied themselves with home-made candy.

Rev. Father, dear parents, and kind friends. We have invited you here this afternoon to attend our semi-annual examination and we take this opportunity of welcoming you all to our school. While it pleases

us very much to see so many happy countenances with us this afternoon we are especially glad to have Father McCabe with us. We trust you shall not be bored with our afternoon's proceedings and that you shall not find the time too monotonous.

We have endeavoured with the painstaking efforts of our teacher to make good use of our time in school, yet we well know that we are going to give incorrect answers to the many puzzling questions which shall be asked us this afternoon, for young heads cannot be expected to remember anything. We hope you shall be lenient in your criticisms remembering that you yourselves were one in our position.

In concluding, we hope you shall all enjoy your afternoon and shall again soon visit our school. We thank you for your kind attention. Signed Teacher and pupils of Panmure Island School.

Thousands including many internationally known players tried in vain to defeat the "mechanical man." The robot in reality was Hill, masked and disguised. An expert chess player, he sat in the museum for nine years, shifting the pawns on his board with jerky, mechanical movements, maintaining silence and keeping his secret from those with whom he played.

DRIVES NAIL INTO HIS OWN HEAD IN SUICIDE ATTEMPT

MARIETTA, Ohio, Feb. 2—Physicians equipped with a claw hammer and a pair of pliers saved Frederick Bender from his suicide attempt yesterday. Bender, becoming despondent, stood in front of a mirror and drove a tenpenny nail into the top of his head. The nail penetrated an inch and a half, and the blow knocked Bender down, but he got up again with nothing worse than a headache. Physicians said the nail passed between two lobes of Bender's brain.

DEATH REVEALS SECRET OF "MECHANICAL" CHESS PLAYER

WORCESTER, Mass., Feb. 2—The secret of perhaps the strangest "robot" ever exhibited in America has been revealed with the death of Peter J. Hill. Thirty years ago in New York city the proprietors of a dime museum astonished their customers with an "automaton chess player," for probate.

TWELVE TEACHERS TO GO ON EXCHANGE

TORONTO, Feb. 2—Twelve teachers in Toronto public schools—only one man among them—are named by Chief Inspector D. D. Mosher in the exchange list for next summer, in a report made to the school management committee today. Seven of them are to go to Great Britain, three to other British Dominions, and two to other Canadian Provinces. Twelve will come in exchange to Toronto schools.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2—The \$50,000 estate of Mrs. Helen M. Ruth, wife of Babe Ruth, goes to her "beloved charge and ward, Dorothy Helen Ruth at one time known as Marie Worthington." Babe Ruth, Mrs. Ruth's mother, her four brothers, and three sisters, are given \$5 each under the terms of Mrs. Ruth's will filed here for probate.

—By George McManus

