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EARTHQUAKES.

THE recent violent earthquake in Chile recalls a similar and even more devastating occurrence there in August, 1906, which visited Valparaiso and the surrounding district, and resulted in the inauguration of a national earthquake service.

shown to be vastly greater in value than our exports. This is noticeably true of our trade with United States. Our imports from that country have increased enormously in value during the past few years and are steadily increasing.

AN IMPORTANT CONFERENCE.

AN important conference was held this week in Halifax between representatives of the Maritime Provinces Association of Toronto and prominent citizens of Nova Scotia for the purpose of promoting a better understanding between the Maritimes and Central Canada.

Behind the movement are several hundred of former Maritime people now resident in Central Canada and deeply interested in the welfare of their native Provinces. Conscious that the Maritimes have been left behind in Canadian development, they realize the necessity of enlisting the interest of the other Provinces in order to preserve the unity and progress of a united Canada in which the Maritimes shall hold their proper place.

THE ANSWER.

THE questions are being repeatedly asked: What is wrong with Canada? What is wrong with immigration? Why do Canadians leave their own country? The Government has given the answer to all of these in plain, unmistakable figures.

Why do not immigrants come? Because we cannot provide them with labor. Why do Canadians go to the United States? Because they do not find employment at home.

Notes by the Way

THE two great railway systems of the Dominion afford an index of national prosperity. Both of them appear to be having the best year in their history.

Freight traffic is the larger source of revenue on both systems and freight has never been so abundant along the Canadian railways as it is this year.

The Canadian National has considerably greater mileage than the Canadian Pacific—22,000 miles against 20,000.

Voting is going on today in Victoria, B.C., to fill the seat vacated by the resignation of Hon. J. C. Tolmie. Mr. Tolmie was elected there in 1926 by a majority of 2,750 votes.

Congress has opened at Washington in what is called a "lame duck" session, the last that the present Congress can hold.

What is but "economic slavery" to which we are subjected if Canada continues to buy from the United States twice as much as she sells to her neighbor, under a tariff that is 50 to 100 per cent. higher against Canada than our tariff is against the States?

Continued mild weather prevails in the Maritimes, and we have had some fair sleighing on the smooth streets of Charlottetown.

Scissors and shoe horn have been combined in a device for which a New York man has obtained a patent.

That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

AFTER A GUM BOIL, WHAT? You have had a tooth that has given you trouble and some morning you notice a lump on the gum surrounding it.

What has happened when a gum boil forms? The nerve of the tooth dies, due to decay, the nerve becomes infected and breaks down.

However Dr. W. M. Gardiner, of Cleveland, tells us that the process has only become chronic, and drainage of the infection, the pus, instead of being into the mouth is now into the system.

This infection, absorbed into the blood vessels, can be carried by the blood to all parts of the body including the lining of the heart itself.

That where there is a gum boil, that you do not delay seeing your dentist. He may open it up so as to let it drain into mouth.

Now the tooth itself may appear to be quite all right, and you do not like the idea of losing it, nevertheless in the light of what our dentists are now telling us, don't take a chance by leaving it in if your dentist wishes to extract it.

Modern Etiquette

Q. How long should the bread and butter plates remain on the table? A. Until after the salad has been served.

Q. Are the water goblets filled before dinner is announced, or after? A. They are filled before the guests enter the dining-room.

Q. When inviting guests, is it customary to state the time of their departure as well as their arrival? A. Yes, it is the custom.

The Land We Love

By Frank Yeigh

Canadian Apple Winners Q. How does Canada stand as an Apple Winner? A. Canada continues to win many important prizes for its apples at the Imperial Fruit Show held in England, the largest in the British Empire.

Daily Selections for Guardian Readers

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HIS FOURFOLD SUFFERING—But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed.—Isa. 53:5.

PRAYER—For Thy mercy that provided for us and suffered for us, we thank Thee, O God.

AGE AND LIFE I love this life, its laughter, even its tears; The gale upon my cheek, though I am old. Ah, that I might live a thousand years And know a thousand Winters—brilliant, cold; A thousand Springs, a thousand Summers' heat; And run and walk ten thousand glowing miles; Rest in the shade, to ease my tired feet; Hear childhood's laughter, note its sunny smiles. The brown earth, too, I love, the rocks on the hill; The blue of heaven above, the infinite sea; Night, with its stars and moon, and the world so still; The glow of dawn in the East, and its witchery. Alas, I must leave, so soon, all of these. The crimson and gold of Autumn, the fields and trees. —Frank Houghton. (1862-1928).

BUILDING UP THE FARM

Historicus

Although farming on P. E. I. is done on a comparatively small scale it deeply interests every farmer to learn some data of the progress making in both east and west.

For quality of grain and yield in cash we consider P. E. I. the high liner in Canada, but in quantity she takes her hat off to the West. There are other aspects, however, in which P. E. I. is able to press the button ahead of them all.

We are throwing some light over the mountain tops today on matters "out west" in order to prepare the way, say, in about five years for this new revelation in due course of time.

Building Up the Farm

The ownership of a successful farm is the desire of most men engaged in farming. Every progressive farmer should have in mind an ideal towards which his efforts should be directed.

Within a uniform region the success of the farm is due to many factors, but to none more than that of size. For each kind of farming, within each district, there is one size which is the most efficient operator.

Complete ownership of a farm of efficient size is not usually obtained all at one time. The efforts made by farmers throughout the century to obtain the farm of most efficient size can usually be observed in the study of the farm businesses of any region.

In 1882 the Canadian Pacific Railway built its main line through Moose Jaw and at that time the first settlers arrived.

Farming operations in the Belbeck district began with the homestead. Fifteen of the present operators started their farms by homesteading 160 acres of land during the period from 1887 to 1906.

By 1901 most of the available homestead land had been appropriated. The population had grown rapidly, and was already reported as 8.3 per square mile for the two complete townships included in this study.

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The increase in population continued and in 1911 the number per square mile was 7.7. By 1921 the density of population had been reduced to 6.6 per square mile.

As lands became scarcer within the province and within the region prices naturally advanced. In buying land in a settled community the farmer is buying a commodity materially different from that purchased in an undeveloped area.

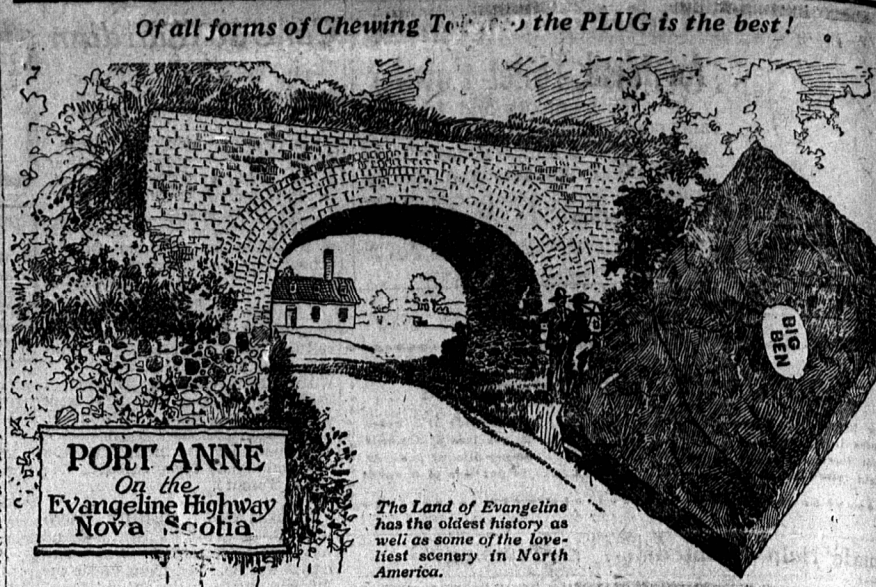
It is well to know in cooking apples that three medium sized apples weigh about a pound.

Sheets should be turned each way, paying no attention to the top or the bottom, and they will wear much longer, as the strain will be distributed.

Kidneys should be cooked either very lightly—just to "set" the tissue as in broiling, or for hours, as in stew or pie.

Beef kidneys may be made more delicate in flavor by a preliminary soaking (one hour) in vinegar and water. Then rinse and slice for sauteing or stewing or for use with beef in meat pies or puddings.

A Rhode Island man has patented metal and jeweled ornaments to be fastened to women's stockings. The production of electrolytic copper has increased in Spain until now meets the domestic demand.



THE Maritimes have historic charms which delight visitors from all over the world. Those who enjoy a restful, comforting chew quickly learn to choose Big Ben. Besides being full-flavoured, the plug is always fresh and moist—does not dry out—fits any pocket and is handy to carry.

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Daily Lessons in English

WORDS OFTEN MISUSED: Do not say, "it looks as if it was going to snow." Use "were" after "as if."

OFTEN MISPELLED: sauerkraut; note the sau and the rai.

WORD STUDY: "Use a word three times and it is yours." Let us increase our vocabulary by mastering one word each day.

Household Scrapbook By Roberta Lee

Coffee Stains To remove coffee stains on wearing apparel, rub the stain gently with a little pure glycerine.

Apples It is well to know in cooking apples that three medium sized apples weigh about a pound.

Bed Sheets Sheets should be turned each way, paying no attention to the top or the bottom, and they will wear much longer, as the strain will be distributed.

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