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COMPLIMENTARY CONCERT.

We are pleased to announce that leading musicians of this city have made arrangements for a complimentary concert in honor of Mr. F. T. Watkins, the veteran pianist, composer and instructor. No man more richly deserves such recognition. Mr. Watkins has been in the forefront in musical circles in this city for some eighteen years. In those years he has ungrudgingly given his services in every cause that needed assistance, in the bettering of civic and social conditions. In musical circles he has been unquestioningly accorded a leader's place and he was always ready to do his part. And his name and fame have not been confined to this city. Many of his compositions have found their way into and have been very highly appreciated in the world's larger musical circles, and his name as a composer and pianist will live long after he has passed from the stage.

The tribute by his co-laborers in musical circles is at once a compliment to themselves as well as to him. It shows appreciation of real merit, friendliness to one who has ever been a real friend and we feel sure our citizens will heartily join them in paying this tribute to one whom all esteem very highly and whose efforts for the advancement and elevation of music have been very highly appreciated.

The concert is to be the best that the combined talent of the province can produce. The best vocalists and musicians in all the city churches have gladly consented to contribute to the program which will be varied, vocal, instrumental and histrionic. There will also be one or more soloists and readers from outside points. Those in charge of the arrangements are determined that the concert shall be worthy of the occasion, a worthy tribute to one who as a citizen and as a leading musician deserves the highest tribute that can be paid him.

The concert, which will be under the distinguished patronage of His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Hearze, His Worship Mayor Miller and the Honorable Premier Stewart, will be held in the Strand Theatre on October 12th. Only enough tickets will be sold to ensure comfortable accommodation to purchasers, so that no fear need be entertained of overcrowding or of not being able to obtain seats. Blocks of seats will be reserved for persons from outside points, provided application is made in time.

Already a large number of tickets have been sold and the indications are that there will be a record attendance. That it will be the most outstanding musical event ever held in the city is also assured. It will be well for intending patrons, particularly from outside points to arrange for their seats as early as possible.

PROGRESSIVES STILL.

In order that there might be no misunderstanding as to the conditions upon which Mr. Forke entered the new government, says the Toronto Star, a memorandum was agreed to by the Winnipeg conference and was given to Premier King on Saturday by Mr. Forke. It is understood that the Prime Minister expressed his acquiescence with the provisos therein and his gratification at the willingness of the Progressives to co-operate with his government.

The memorandum reads as follows:— "It was recognized that the country has demanded a stable government and this group is anxious to comply with that demand. "That the policies upon which Progressives and Liberals were elected are based on common principles. "That for the enactment of legislation embodying those policies the

group is in favor of the acceptance of a portfolio by Mr. Forke in the Liberal Cabinet.

"That such acceptance shall be upon the condition that the Progressive party shall give united support to the government upon those principles and that the Progressive party shall retain its identity as hitherto."

To The Star Mr. Forke intimated that the recently published list of conditions given out at Winnipeg cover, not the present case, but the situation as it existed after dissolution prior to the election, and was in reality the basis upon which Progressives and Liberals came to a mutual understanding for the elimination of their party candidates.

This was the platform upon which the Progressive entered the campaign but it has been recently misunderstood as being the conditions laid down for the acceptance by Mr. Forke of Mr. King's invitation to join the Cabinet. The only conditions agreed upon in the latter case are the ones given in the memorandum presented to Mr. King on Saturday by Mr. Forke.

BOY SCOUTS AND GIRL GUIDES

A letter to the New York Herald-Tribune begins as follows:

"All our criminals have attended public or high school; some of them are college graduates. Our system of education, though imparting splendid learning, does not deter from crime."

Later it continues:—

"In this almost desperate situation there is, however, a remedy. Let us go over the records of our tens of thousands of criminals. It is not among them that we will find well qualified Boy or Girl Scouts. The Scouts are, then, an efficacious school of good citizenship. In fact, they are pledged to help other people at all times, and this virtue is turned into a habit. They are trained to keep themselves physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight.

"The function of our educational system is mainly to impart knowledge. The aim of scouting is only to build sound individual characters for the service of society. By combining the two aims, knowledge and character, we may attain the ideal education and form the ideal citizen."

The letter proceeds to suggest that scouting be made a part of the public school curriculum which is hardly in line with the idea of scouting. A scout must be a volunteer, else of what value is his promise likely to be? The writer avers that physical training teachers are ready-made scoutmasters. A scoutmaster is, or should be, something far more than a drill-sergeant. And again it is suggested that other teachers might take up the work—if it were well remunerated. Comment on the last proviso is superfluous.

The writer is far removed from full appreciation of the Scout spirit. Nevertheless it is pleasing to note yet another token of approval of a movement essentially British in origin and ethics. Boy Scouts and Girl Guides are now in every civilized country of the world and their ranks are continually swelling.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The political pot has been boiling at Ottawa during the past two weeks but nobody seems to know what is being cooked.

The funny thing about politics is that the truth it told about certain politicians they run around complaining they have been abused. The truth about the late King Government was the worst that could be said about it and it has passed into political history as scandalous and nameable sins.

Notes by the Way

That Sir Thomas White may be invited to accept the leadership of the Conservative party, in succession to Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, is a forecast emanating from Ottawa. It is only a guess at best and it comes from a Liberal source, perhaps born of the fear that it may prove true. In due time a conference of prominent Conservatives will make their selection of a leader to serve during the coming session of Parliament, who may also later be installed as the more permanent leader of the Opposition.

Sir Thomas White may or may not be willing to re-enter political life. His distinguished services as Finance Minister of the Union Government during the war won for him a world-wide fame abroad and universal admiration and respect among his countrymen at home. No previous head of the Finance Department had such arduous duties imposed upon him as those encountered by Sir Thomas at that time. He proved fully equal to the task and in no one of the overseas Dominions were the sines of war provided more promptly as needed or upon more advantageous and prudent terms.

Sir Thomas White's fame as a resourceful financier is secure, but the leadership of a party is a different proposition in which he might not have the same confidence in himself. It would be to him an untried field, incumbered with such cares and responsibilities as lead us to doubt whether he would accept the position were it offered him. It seems probable enough that the offer would be made were it known in advance that he would seriously consider it. No man yet named for the post stands higher in the confidence of his party, or of the country at large as a statesman of integrity, firmness, decision, and the capacity to deal with present Canadian problems successfully.

With the utmost cordiality and good feeling the Canadian people regretfully witnessed the departure of Lord Byng and welcomed Lord Willingdon to Rideau Hall. The Dominion was established in 1867 has now grown to thirteen. The duration of their respective terms in office was more varied in the earlier years since the Union than it has been more recently. The dates on which they assumed office respectively are as subjoined and each date marks the retirement of a preceding Governor-General:

- Lord Monck, July 1, 1867. Lord Lisgar, February 2, 1869. Earl Dufferin, June 25, 1872. Marquis of Lorne, November 25, 1878. Marquis of Lansdowne, October 23, 1883. Lord Stanley of Preston, June 11, 1888. Earl of Aberdeen, September 18, 1893. Earl of Minto, November 12, 1898. Earl Grey, December 10, 1904. Duke of Connaught, October 13, 1911. Duke of Devonshire, November 11, 1916. Lord Byng of Vimy, August 11, 1921. Lord Willingdon, October 2, 1926.

Eight of the above distinguished representatives of the Sovereign were appointed during the reign of Queen Victoria, one by King Edward, and the four last named were appointed since King George the Fifth succeeded to the Throne. The list includes the names of statesmen, diplomats and commanders who in their time stood in the front rank among the public men of the Empire and not a few of whom enjoyed a world-wide fame.

They were all acceptable to the people of Canada, over whom they presided with dignity and with strict regard to their duties as constitutional rulers. They were ever mindful of the well-understood wishes of a free people and above political partisanship. It is safe to say that there has been no general desire in Canada at any time for a change in the present method of appointment of the Imperial Representative, a fact creditable to all concerned and of hopeful augury for the future.

DAILY LESSONS IN ENGLISH

By W. L. Gordon

WORDS OFTEN MISUSED: Don't say "a quantity of people." Say "a number of people." OFTEN MISPRONOUNCED: ex-plicable. Pronounce eks-plik-a-ble, e as in "bet." i as in "it," and accent first syllable. OFTEN MISPELLED: perennial; two n's. SYNONYMS: student, scholar, pupil, disciple, learner. WORD STUDY: "Use a word three times and it is yours." Let us increase our vocabulary by mastering one word each day. Today's word: DOGMATISM; positive or

That Body of Ours

By James W. Barton, M.D. OVERCOOKED FOOD

A physician doing research work in Berlin found it necessary to take his mid-day meal, dinner, at irregular hours. Sometimes it was at 12 noon, and at other times as late as 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Naturally he was very hungry when his meal was late, and ate larger meals than at noon, and yet as long as that the meal did not last. This aroused his curiosity and he decided to make some experiments in the matter.

Accordingly he took two rats, 14 days old, which belonged to the same litter, were of equal size, and the same hygienic conditions. He gave one a freshly cooked restaurant food, and the other a restaurant food that had been cooked four hours. The first rat, fed on freshly cooked food increased greatly in weight right from the beginning, and trebled its weight in 27 days, whereas the other had not trebled its weight in 70 days.

Another point was that the rat eating the freshly cooked food did not always eat up the total amount of food, whereas the second rat ate it all.

In adult rats, those fed on freshly cooked food increased in weight, whereas the rats to which the overcooked food was given, lost weight. The point proven then is that overcooking causes a partial destruction of food values.

This may be of some importance to the household where the difference in at different hours for their meals. This physician states that the reason the English, French and Italians eat less food than some of the other nations, is because they eat their meat rare, and their vegetables in an "undercooked" condition. The next and most natural question is "what about raw foods?" In truth it must be stated that they are, generally speaking, more nutritious than food even partly cooked for a short time, but other factors enter into this matter.

One point is that the digestibility of foods is made easier by cooking. Another, it is most important, is that the brain is now a big factor in appetite, and also in digestion. A well cooked clearly served meal stimulates the flow of juices in the mouth and intestine and gives digestion a "flying start."

Our easy method of indoor living does not make it a raw meal inviting, even if it is most nutritious.

Daily Selections FOR Guardian Readers

October 5, 1926

THE CHARACTER OF A RIL. ER—"The God of Israel said, the Ruck of Israel spoke to me, He that ruleth over men must be just, ruling in the fear of God." 2 Sam. 23:3.

PRAYER—Enable us, Lord, in all our contacts with others to prove ourselves Thy just and faithful stewards.

A LITTLE WHILE A little while, O hands, Of labor weary; The days of toil are short, Though dark and dreary; The coming time is glad, and blest With full and perfect peace and rest.

After a little while, A little while, O feet, All torn and bleeding! This way will bring thee home, And Christ is leading; Soon thou shalt find cool waters sweet, And pleasant pathways for thy feet.

After a little while, A little while, O eyes, Thy love-watch keeping; A few more bitter tears, Then no more weeping; Beyond the reach of grief and pain, Thy loved ones thou shalt see again.

After a little while, A little while, O brow, With fever burning; These hours of noonday heat, Have no returning; Life's later hours the full of calm, And eventide shall bring the balm.

After a little while, A little while, O heart, With sorrow breaking, A few more hours of night, And then comes waking; And lasting comfort shall be given When breaks the golden day of Heaven.

After a little while, HAD NO TIME TABLE The Kansas City lawyer, whose office was on the tenth floor of skyscraper, was expecting a client from the country. The door opened and the client entered, puffing violently. "Some walk up those ten flights," he gasped. "Why didn't you ride up on the elevator?" asked the lawyer. "I meant to, but got darn it. I just missed the blamed thing!" was the answer. From Everybody's Magazine for March.

Canadian Cheese Preference

A SUCCESSFUL ENDEAVOR TO BOOM CANADIAN BRAND.

Historic.

The Department of Agriculture at Ottawa deserves a word of commendation for its efforts in 1924 to give Canadian cheese a boom on the London market, by securing a special advertising contract at the British Empire Exhibition. Here is what the Department's report for the year ending March 31, 1924, has to say on the subject:—

"On May 1, 1924, an agreement was entered into with Messrs. J. Lyons & Company, Limited, the Great London caterer, to advertise only "Canadian Cheddar Cheese" on their bills of fare in their 400-odd restaurants and tea shops in London and at the British Empire Exhibition, where they did all the catering with one or two minor exceptions. Under this agreement, which terminated on May 21, 1925, the department undertook to select and purchase the cheese in Canada and to supply the weekly requirements at the highest price offered for New Zealand cheese on the London Provision Exchange each week.

"Messrs. Lyons have expressed themselves as highly pleased with the quality of the cheese supplied and state that there has been a noticeable increase in their sales while using only Canadian cheese. "Hundreds of thousands of consumers have in this way knowingly eaten Canadian cheese of the finest quality and the result should increase the specific demand for it. This is all the more important in view of the fact that the great mass of the consumers in England know very little, under ordinary circumstances, as to the origin of the cheese which they eat.

"The total number of cheese supplied by Messrs. Lyons & Co., to date, under this arrangement is 1272 boxes weighing 360,306 pounds. "After all cost of handling, shipping, storage, etc., to the purchase price, there is at date a credit balance from sales to Lyons of \$1,076.80 in favor of the department."

No doubt this business venture has already reaped a substantial reward for the producers of cheese in this Province, and in fact all over Canada. The project was unique in design, and while it may have had the desired effect as an advertisement of the publication of the Guardian will contribute the very widest benefit it can confer upon the manufacturers of cheese in this and other provinces. Above all it should largely augment the number of patrons of the factories and afford information to such as have not read it in pamphlet form. No only at present but for hundreds of years it will be read with avidity by searchers for information in Libraries and newspaper reports and files of newspapers kept in it will also emphasize from time to time the proverbial relish of the London consumer for cheese and especially the best quality of cheese on the market.

Some readers may think "well, why push so persistently the importance of Canadian catering to British and foreign markets. It is just as well to speak frankly. Canada must keep her eye on competition. Canada has hardly started in the race, and her first object should be to gain and keep the lead in the British market. It is not hampering us with tariff walls such as are kept up by foreign countries; and because we are bound to Britain by stronger ties than even dollars and cents.

The next and most vital point is the necessity of maintaining the highest quality of Canadian products through cold storage and every other practical means—in word Canada should be preparing all the time for the golden period in which she will be called upon to feed continents and hemispheres.

POPE CLIMBS DOME OF OLD ST. PETER'S

ROME, Oct. 3.—The Pope climbed yesterday to the dome of St. Peter's Basilica to obtain a view of the site of the new seminary close to the Vatican gardens. The elderly Pontiff's climb was a feat which never had been accomplished by his predecessors.

Despite a strong wind, he remained a long time on the balcony, enjoying the view of the city during sunset. Before descending he imparted his benediction to the city.

NATURAL GOLF COURSE

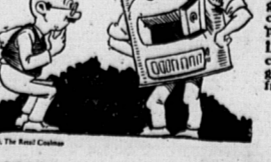
Fernandina, Fla., Oct. 4.—Fore! On property owned by the Government to the city as a park, Fernandina golfers teed off and onto natural fairways, bunkers, traps, et al. fash-ioned by the beautiful sand dunes of Amelia Island.

It is the only natural ocean-side golf course in Florida. The Park property there for nearly a mile on the Atlantic ocean.

Par for the course is a 78, but the best score so far is an 80. There are green fees, and usually a good intricate is wending its way over the intricate plot of ground.

EFFICIENCY

"Sambo, I don't understand how you can do all your work so quickly and so well." "I tell you how 'tis, boss. I sticks de match ob wisdom to de fuse ob energy and Jes naturally explodes, I does."



REX "King of Cigarettes" REX STRAIGHT CUT VIRGINIA 10 for 15¢ 25 for 35¢

Officials Are Indicted For Gang Warfare

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—Cicero officialdom was called to account by the federal grand jury yesterday for the gangster murders and the bootlegging feuds and their accompanying assassinations, when indictments were returned against Joseph Z. Klenha, Mayor of the suburb, his chief of police, Theodore Svoboda and 77 other persons on charges of conspiracy to violate prohibition.

"Scarface Al" Capone, was among those indicted as were his brother Ralph, returned treasurer of the Capone vice interests; and three men named as gamblers, beer operators. Others indicted include Edward G. Konvalinka, town assessor; Commissioner A. Crowe-Barrett, Republican faction committee man, the O'Donnell brothers, gangsters and beer runners questioned in the McSwigin murder investigation; Harry Madigan, in front of whose saloon McSwigin was slain, and many others identified as saloon-keepers.

Cicero adjoining the city limits on the southwest, has been called the bad boy in Chicago's family of suburbs.

Gambling, liquor and bootleg feuds have had Cicero as their home and capital city where politics has been blamed for the uproar of murder and booze. The country authorities have indicted some individuals but the unlawful pursuits continue without serious interference until federal grand jury acted.

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