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### TIMELY NOTES ON TOPICS CONNECTED WITH Silver Fox and Mink Farming

We had the pleasure of a visit from Samuel Cannon of Missouche who has been connected with fox farming for 45 years, and friends, that takes one back to 1902 when the fathers of the industry, Dalton, Oulton, the Rayners, the Tupplins and others were just getting nicely started. A very retentive memory enables him to draw from it stories of those wonderful days that are indeed interesting. He is related to many of the actors in the great fox drama days and one of the pioneers he most admired was Silas Rayner.

We have heard a lot about Mr. Rayner and the descriptions always fit our mental impression of the patriarchs of old. As a young man he went into the forest primeval at Killdare and built a home, cleared the land and brought up a large family. Neighbors Dalton and Oulton in their breeding experiments with foxes could not keep the news altogether secret and then too, Silas Rayner was a hunter like they were and their mutual attachment to this sport meant many afternoons gleaning in the woods. This led to confidences and so Silas Rayner set out to secure some kind of foxes to experiment with. In his case it was reds and patches and from these he raised a very beautiful silver and secured from friend Dalton a male to mate with it. He raised some pups from these and later got one of Mr. Dalton's best females and she produced six splendid pups. That means a fortune in those days, but nothing got out about it, the news was kept in the family circle or imparted to intimates Dalton and Oulton.

In a few years the Silas Rayner foxes were among the best, they being principally distinguished for size, conformation, large brushes and big white tips. Son B.L. developed a lighter strain, that is a more silvery type, and Jim, who was a particular pal of Charles Dalton's, bred some of the most beautiful dark silvers. All the Rayners made money very quickly and the patriarch saw to it that his family and friends received a good share of the new wealth. They were brainy men, gifted speakers, and possessed of far more than the average ability and magnetism.

But let us continue with the father, Silas. It was from him that Franklin Boyver got his best pair of foxes and it was always fascinating to the writer to hear Mr. Boyver talk about that purchase and to tell how pleased and how lucky he was. When I saw the descendants in 1919 I agreed with him. It was an unforgettable sight, that early afternoon in October. The Boyver ranch was well wooded and just a glimmer of the setting sun could be seen through the dense spruce. There—frisking around were some of the most beautiful silvers I have ever laid eyes upon. A particular feature that impressed me was the big brushes and large white tips they carried and these were inherited from the original Silas R., a male fox bought from Mr. Rayner at Killdare.

Mr. Boyver eventually sold me the Bunbury Giant, that was registered under the name of MacKinnon 59. No other fox in my memory or that of those who saw him ever gave such an impression of majesty and beauty. When we went to the International Fox Show at Mechanics Hall, Boston.

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### W. C. T. U. NOTES

**MEMORY GEM**

Once He came among us, as the years ran,  
To give Himself to men as a man can.  
To those receiving Him, so the story goes,  
They knew Him as a man knows the men he knows.  
He comes as the sun comes, everlastingly,  
To give as the sun gives, Himself to me.  
Throw away your coin, everything you prize—  
Know Him as a man knows a friend when he dies.  
—A. B. C., June 18, 1947.

**DOES PROHIBITION PROHIBIT?**

The battle cry of the brewers and of the liquor traffickers generally was, "Prohibition did not prohibit." Recent events point clearly to evidence proving the falsity of this slogan.

Prohibit means "to hinder, preclude or put obstacles in the way." Even the most ardent promoters cannot deny that any restrictive law hinders (else why get rid of its restrictions?).

Early law must hinder or promote that for which it is framed. Health regulations promote health and prevent disease. Restrictive liquor laws lessen sales, which lessen drunkenness.

Look if you will at the fruits of the recent removal of restrictions. Every-increasing facilities for manufacturing alcoholic beverages proves increasing consumption.

Even newspaper reports of the recent Assize Courts, where major crimes are tried, prove conclusively the share even so-called moderate drinking has as crime's major cause. Note, if you will, "A drinking party was held"; "Prisoner had taken a beer or so"; "Knew nothing of what happened."

In minor cases, we are told the Government is making provision for the removal of offenders to relieve the congestion in the Toronto jail. "Two hundred can be cared for."

No denial can be made to the statement, "The majority of offences are traceable to indulgence in intoxicants."

Reread the above then read this fact:  
The last year under the O. T. A. all officials had to hire men to cut the grass around the jail, for there were not enough prisoners to do the work. The advisability of selling the jail farm was considered because of the few inmates. Then answer this question:  
Did Prohibition Prohibit. Preclude or Prevent Crime?

Alcohol has drowned more men than water. Strong drink has kept more men from success and distinction than deficient natural ability.

Joseph Addison, the English essayist, wrote: "Wine displaces every little spot of the soul in its utmost deformity. In the elchemy of strong drink courage is converted into cowardice, confidence into distrust and comfort into misery."

**'ZY THEIR FRUITS YE SHALL KNOW THEM'**

Gerald Kennedy, in "The Religious Telescope"—"Have you ever seen the dearest of spectacles, a person boringly drunk, making a nuisance of himself? And have you said to yourself, 'How splendid that is the part I ought to play! Have you ever seen the most disheartening sight, a woman drunk? And have you said, 'Isn't that smart? Isn't it exciting? Have you ever seen a wretch drunk in the gutter, and thought, 'That fellow is really living! No, you never said any of these things. There is no admiration for the kind of life that has to be drugged in order to escape boredom. Every person in the presence of these embarrassing spectacles says to himself, 'I am not like that.' It is not a matter of external rule at all. We can escape that, but we cannot escape what we are. Let any man dare to accept Christ's affirmation that we are the sons of God, and alcohol will find no place in his life. Because of a rule? No, because of what he is."

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W. C. T. U. The afternoon meetings, held in the Salvation Army Hall and presided over by Mrs. Ed Beales, was well attended by ladies from Brandon, Forrest, Douglas and Rapid City. A solo by Mrs. Baldwin, accompanied by Mrs. J. Kitchen, was enjoyed by all. The devotional study was taken by Mrs. H. A. Foster.

Mrs. G. McNeill, Provincial President, spoke on the progress of the work in Canada—the new Headquarters, with its Literature Depository; the scholarship plan, for training teachers; and the need departments of this great welfare for women to study the different work.

The evening meetings was held in the Church of the Nazarene with Rev. Mr. Deadman presiding. Mrs. Major Willis took the devotional period. A highlight of the evening meeting was making Brandon a Light Line Union in honor of Mrs. Collect of Uganda, China, both present, home on furlough from missionary service. A solo by Miss Gloria Deadman, accompanied by Rev. Mr. Deadman, was very much enjoyed.

Miss Grant spoke at both meetings, giving an interesting account of the World's Convention held at Asbury Park, and the interesting contacts she makes as she crosses Canada.

### VOICE FROM INDIA-AND APPLICABLE TO AMERICA

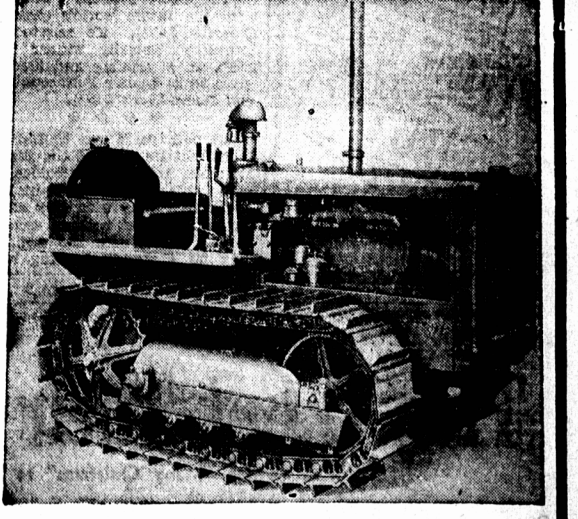
At a recent political conference in Simla, numerous messages were received by the various leaders, who were seeking a new way to solve the perplexing problems of India. Among these messages was a telegram signed by one who described himself simply as "Drum'Vrd." addressed to Lord Jinnah, Mahatma Gandhi, Mr. Jinnah, Mr. C. Rajagopalachari, and other leaders, reading: "If you

really desire to improve and save our country morally and physically, please introduce total prohibition throughout India at any cost. God will help those who believe in God. Pray God for success." — Indian Temperance News.

**PEST TO FARMERS**

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Bristol, P.E.I.  
December 9, 1947.