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SAVE THE FOREST WEEK

This week, April 18 to 24 is being observed throughout Canada as "Save the Forest Week." It is estimated on good authority that 90 per cent of the forest fires in Canada are caused by human agency.

In this province of ours we have practically no forests in the broad sense of the word. We have valuable groves of timber and even these have been reduced very considerably by fires.

In our province of Prince Edward Island our forest groves are rapidly decreasing in size and numbers. They are now little more than beauty spots in our landscape.

"MALPEQUE"

The April number of The Dalhousie Review maintains the high tone which has characterized former issues of that excellent Canadian magazine.

ection, her subjects invariably attractive and appealing always carefully worked out to a definite conclusion. She has written many articles of local historic and descriptive value which have done much to place Prince Edward Island on the map and to preserve much of the folk lore and the reminiscences which otherwise would have been lost.

The article on Malpeque is handled affectionately, coloured by youthful memories, for it was there she was born and there she spent her childhood and young womanhood.

"In a sheltered fold of the wave-harried concave of Prince Edward Island, there nestles a hamlet—Malpeque, or Princetown—old, historic, and in its name is embalmed a memory of three races.

THE DRAWBACK SYSTEM

The latest changes in the tariff, as announced says The Montreal Gazette, add material for the manufacture of motor vehicles to the articles on which a drawback of customs duties may be paid by the Government, as well as some others of minor import.

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EDITORIAL NOTES

By a slip of the pen in yesterday's issue the name of Kennedy appeared in place of Murdock. In the paragraph referring to Mr. Murdock's removal to Cleveland.

Notes by the Way.

The Budget Debate is on at Ottawa, and the proposed tariff changes will inevitably cause a prolonged and spirited debate. The sharpest controversy will naturally centre in the greatly reduced duties on motor cars priced at \$1200 or less.

Be that as it may, the proposed reduction has aroused consternation among the motor manufacturing companies in Canada. Collectively they view it as having suddenly and unexpectedly placed the important automotive industry in the greatest peril it has yet encountered.

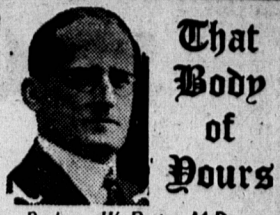
What the prospects may be of inducing the Government to modify its proposals is impossible at this writing to say, but strenuous efforts are being made to that end and will be continued so long as any hope for success remains.

The sudden attack upon the automobile industry clearly had its origin in a political exigency. It is part and parcel of the price that is being paid to secure the continuance of Progressive support to the King Government and without which the Government must go down to defeat.

Premier Rhodes, who tried to abolish the Legislative Council of Nova Scotia, succeeded in getting a big vote in the elective Assembly but failed to secure a majority for abolition among the Councillors.

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What will be the end of such an appalling record? There is punishment beyond the grave for the individual sinner who dies impenitent, but there is none for nations. They must be punished here on earth.



By James W. Barton, M.D.

COMPETING WITH YOURSELF

Everybody admits that exercise is a splendid thing, but the thought of toiling away in a gymnasium, getting a certain distance daily, walking a "drill" by radio, is distasteful to many people.

There is no competition in doing individual exercise, in abstaining from, or indulging in food. And put into this matter of daily exercise and food intake.

For instance in the morning when you wake up, it is a competition between your common sense and the desire not to be bothered with it at all.

Now don't misunderstand me. If there is one thing I believe in it is competition, athletic, not so much for their physical benefits, although they are many, but because they develop courage, unselfishness, but the day for them passes, and you think because you can't indulge in them that your days for "competition" are over.

Daily Selections FOR Guardian Readers

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GOD GIVETH WISDOM.—"And he hath put in his heart that he may teach, both he, and Aboliah." — Them hath he filled with wisdom of heart, to work all manner of work." Ex. 35:34, 35.

PRAYER.—Teach us, Lord, that we may teach by word and work.

THE VOICE IN THE STORM

Are you weary? are you lonely along the pilgrim way? Does the night seem dark and starless, and no sunshine in the day?

When the tempest beats the hardest, and you feel the most distressed, When temptations crowd around you, and your spirit is depressed;

When there's a shelter ever open for thy baffled, struggling soul, There's a solace and a balm to make thy wounded spirit whole.

When there's a word of promise, it can turn thy griefs to praise, Lo, my presence shall go with thee, even to the end of days." — Selected.

APRIL 21.—You care a great deal for culture and refinement and should succeed in any artistic profession. You are kind-hearted, generous, and ambitious. Your inclination will be to marry your first love, but much care should be exercised that you do not select an incongenial mate and cause unhappiness for both.

Your birth-stone is a diamond, which means innocence. Your flower is a daisy. Your lucky colors are red and yellow.

The Public Forum

This column is open for the discussion by correspondents of questions of interest. The Charlottetown Guardian does not necessarily endorse the opinions of correspondents.

THE TARIFF COMMISSION

Sir,—Professor McLennan has made a suggestion that two professors of economics be added to the Canadian Customs Tariff Board. This suggestion will have no support from any of the practical men in this country, and when we say practical we mean in business affairs.

It is all right for professors in Universities to carry on their experiments with the different elements which they wish to analyze and separate, and combine, but it is too serious a matter to take the business affairs of this country and place them in the professor's laboratory for him to conduct his experimental work.

The United States spent on the war twelve times as much money as Canada did. We try to blame our bad times on the war, which is all nonsense. The United States had two successive periods of war ended, while our gifted orators have been telling us for the last seven years that good times were just around the corner. We have had \$250,000,000 of extra wheat money and credit thrown into Canada.

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THE LATE REV. DR. MACMILLAN, D. D.

The late Father John C. MacMillan, D.D. was one of the most outstanding clergy in the diocese of Charlottetown. Although for some time previous to his death he had been in retirement, yet he filled a very large place in the work of the church of which he was an honored priest.

Father MacMillan was a native of St. George's, and was educated under the tuition of Father Francis J. Macdonald, with whom he lived for a number of years. Later he entered the Prince of Wales College, and in 1881-2 he entered the Laval Seminary of Quebec for his course in philosophy. At the completion of his philosophical course he returned to Charlottetown to take up a position on the faculty of St. Dunstan's for a year. In the Fall of 1884 he entered the Grand Seminary of Quebec, where he remained for four years, to complete his theological course.

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