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"The Strongest Memory is Weaker than the Weakest Ink."

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After Hankow?

The motorized Japanese forces were reported yesterday to be entering Hankow, the Chinese provisional capital.

In anticipation of the success of their drive, Japan is preparing to set up a provisional government in Hankow, as it has done elsewhere in China.

In the present life-and-death struggle against great odds the Chinese are capable of great sacrifices to prevent their coming under the domination of Japan.

Another Market Lost

When Parliament reopens let us hope that our Maritime Liberal representatives will take a united stand in pressing for implementation of that sadly neglected Liberal election promise of wider markets for our fishermen.

Here is the latest official information on this subject, published in a circular received from Ottawa:

Dried codfish has always been the most important item imported from Canada into the Dominican Republic, but this year its total value fell off sharply.

Our Liberal members would make the rafters ring if this situation had developed under a Conservative administration at Ottawa.

Two Decades Of "Peace"

The world is congratulating itself upon just having avoided a major conflict but, says an exchange, anyone who believes there have been no wars since the Armistice, November 11th, 1918, deludes himself.

- Spain—Civil war since 1936. Ireland—Republican rebellions, 1918-1922. Russia—Red vs. White wars, 1918-1920.

- Russians, 1918. Latvia—Overrun by Red Russians, Germans, 1918. Palestine—Hebrew-Arab conflict since 1918. Syria—Druse rebellion, 1925-27.

NOTES BY THE WAY

If the idea of moving the capital of the Empire to Canada had been suggested before the Great War, it would have been laughed off as a fanciful flight into dreamland.

Great Britain and Germany have just pledged themselves never to fight each other again. This is an admirable outcome of the meeting in Munich.

The story is going the rounds of Vancouver of the German traveler who was astounded to find that in Canada there is such an officer of the Crown as the Leader of the Opposition.

From all cities of Canada come reports of increased numbers of letters applying for Canadian citizenship. A large proportion of these are from people whose homelands might have been destroyed.

Editorial Notes

The Second George died this date, 1766, and the Third George celebrated his Jubilee in 1809.

It takes all sorts of men to make a world, but evidently they are all of a kind in the Mackenzie King Government.

The current issue of The Island Crusader maintains the high standard set by this popular health journal.

One thing about the Montreal detective's operations and prosecutions—they bring vividly into the open the disregard and contempt with which people look upon law and order nowadays.

A blightless seed potato, like rustless wheat, would be a godsend, but then in the course of time nature would ravish the spuds and grain in some other direction.

As the result of recent experiment at the Werribee Government research farm, Victoria, Australia, a new wheat, more prolific, more drought resisting and of better habits than any yet evolved, has been bred and perfected.

Monday night's heavy rain, of course, accentuated the condition of our roads which in many places are now an impassable morass; but we usually have rainstorms at this season and the duty of the Public Works Department is to provide for such contingency.

The Ontario Waterloo South Liberal Association have nominated Mayor R. K. Serviss of Galt as its candidate in the November 14 federal by-election in the riding to elect a successor to the late A. M. Edwards, Conservative.

That the "athlete's heart" is a bogey is the opinion of the famous British cardiologists, Dr. J. W. Vinnell and Dr. W. A. R. Thomson, writing in the current British Medical Journal in an article which is endorsed by the medical expert of The Daily Telegraph as follows:

As usual, the amateur weather forecasters differ widely in their predictions regarding the coming winter season. According to a clerical gentleman living in Northern Ontario, it is particularly severe.

Is it one of the most serious commentaries on Canada as a member of the British Commonwealth of Nations that London capital is not contributing to the development of Canadian resources as it should?

When speakers undertake to dilate on the advantages of the democratic system and to urge its defence in these trying days, they sometimes find themselves handicapped because of their subject matter.

In the troubled world of today whatever makes for a better understanding of life and spirit of other nations should be zealously fostered.

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PUBLIC FORUM

This column is open for the discussion by correspondents of questions of interest.

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Sir:—The average salary of P. E. I. teachers is five hundred dollars. The average salary of Nova Scotia teachers is about double this amount.

The foundation of any educational system is unquestionably its teachers. Good teachers are born but they must also be made.

Education is just as important as permanent roads and national parks in the development of a province.

We are Sir, etc. Executive of the P. E. I. Federation.

The Church And "Padlock"

(Montreal Gazette) Most people, we think, will approve the action of the Presbyterian Synod of Montreal and Ottawa in declining to accept a resolution moved by a member of the Presbyterian Theological College in condemnation of the provincial Padlock Law.

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PROFESSOR BEARE'S POSITION

To the Editor of The Gazette:—Sir:—You will perhaps allow me to comment briefly on your editorial concerning the Synod's action in tabling my resolution of condemnation of the Padlock Act.

The application of the Padlock Act raises exactly the same issue as a less horrible form. While the Church declines to protest, the five children of F. X. Lessard are homeless.

The Presbyterian College, Montreal, October 21, 1938.

That Body of Yours advertisement with logo and text.

DIET FOR CONSTIPATION

The first thought in constipation, aside from drugs, is to use rough foods, as rough foods irritate the lining of the intestine.

Every commission before whom this matter was taken, recommended a substantial increase, but like many other recommendations these were simply tabled or shelved and forgotten.

Two daily menus for atonic constipation given in Clinical Dietetics, by Dr. Harry Gauss, are:

- Breakfast—Stewed prunes; oatmeal, cream 20 percent; sugar 2 teaspoons; 2 slices whole wheat bread; orange marmalade; coffee with cream and sugar.

The Poet's Corner advertisement with logo.

FROM GOETHE The Future hides in it Gladness and sorrow; We press still thorough, Naught that abides in it Daunting us,—onward!

ATTENTION

Have you trouble with your stomach. If the answer is yes, then we ask you to try EVANS' STOMACH MIXTURE

MAC'S BLOOD FOOD For pale and thin people. A combination especially valuable in the treatment of those diseases where the origin is traceable to an impoverishment of the blood.

Co-operation... advertisement for The Bank of Nova Scotia.

For a Delicious Cup of Orange Pekoe Tea advertisement featuring a camel logo.

Prices are going up, Jane! advertisement with illustration of a woman.

Prepared in the Maritimes FOR CANADIAN CHAIN STORE ASSOCIATION advertisement.

LET'S TALK TURKEY advertisement for Hickey's Black Twist featuring a turkey illustration.