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"The strongest memory is weaker than the weakest ink."

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Passamaquoddy Again

First proposed in the 1920's and actually begun in the 1930's, the Passamaquoddy tidal power project is again in the news.

Towering tides are pulled by the moon and sun against the rock coasts of Maine and New Brunswick.

President Roosevelt, who had a summer home on Campobello Island just over the border in New Brunswick, saw the potentialities of Quoddy's tides and made their harnessing one of the New Deal's most controversial projects.

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Only a few places in the world can capture the tides for power. The National Geographic Society recalls that some time ago a plan was made to harness the Severn River in southern England.

Lip-Service Won't Do

Reference was made in these columns yesterday to the strong recommendation in the report of the Canadian School Trustees' Association for substantial aid from the Federal Government in the financing of school education.

"We still pay lip-service in most parts of the country," says The Post, "to the fiction that the property tax supports the schools. What does support the schools is a complicated structure of hand-me-downs, that makes money available in the most inefficient way."

As a result of our attempts to protect these propositions, the education to which a Canadian child is exposed is largely a matter of geographical accident.

building, with all the books and materials he needs and a teacher with a high standing and an adequate income; or he may trek to a drafty, ill-heated shack presided over by a permit teacher who kills time by reading comic books to the class.

"On the whole, Canadian children have been coming through this process fairly well; but they've been doing it the hard way, and, it's doubtful if the taxpayer has been getting his money's worth.

Statesmanship & Politics

It has often been said that the real difference between a true statesman and a mere politician lies not so much in their actions as in their attitudes.

The President wasted no time in asserting that he himself wanted nothing to do with any political chicanery that might develop from the publication of the documents.

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EDITORIAL NOTES

The latest pre-payment plan to be reported has to do with education. It is being worked out in the State College at East Lansing, Mich.

It seems that human beings are not the only creatures to be misled by the weather from time to time.

Dairy farmers can now operate from a swivel chair, if they adopt a milk plant layout developed by an American research organization.

EUREKA AUTO ACCESSORIES "LET US SUPPLY YOUR DRIVING NEEDS" Advertisement featuring a cartoon of a man with a speech bubble saying "Er—just a buggy whip!" and another saying "A former Dizzy Black Whizzer!"

Possible Unforeseen Developments

LENTEN MEDITATION

Opportunity And Challenge

The parable of the Day Labourer and his importance reduced almost to vanishing point. But Christianity, above all religions, enhances the value of the individual, and see his contribution, insignificant as it may appear to be, as an essential element in the fulfilling of God's purposes for human life.

Criminal Code Provisions

By Bernard Dufresne Canadian Press Staff Writer

(Following is the second of a series of three articles on the new Criminal Code which came into effect on April 1.)

TOUGHER PENALTIES

But the new law is tougher on motorists convicted of driving while their ability was impaired by alcohol.

DISCRETIONARY POWERS

However, the new code, streamlined to 750 sections from 1,100 after five years' study, gives a judge discretionary powers to fix the terms under which a fine is to be paid by instalments.

Stuck In Mud

The trials of the United States nuclear-powered submarine Nautilus will recall memories of the occasion in 1967 when the British admiral arranged for an experimental dive by another pioneer submarine named Nautilus in Tilbury dock.

MUST BE FRAULENT

The section making a teacup reading illegal has been changed slightly by forcing the crown to prove that the reading was done fraudulently.

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Medically Speaking

NEW MEDICAL ADVANCES BRING RELIEF TO MANY

Our monthly report on new medical advances brings news of help today for victims of rheumatic fever, leukemia and certain types of non-pulmonary tuberculosis lesions.

The Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation of New York City recently announced that a new form of penicillin has "proved unusually effective in the control and prevention of rheumatic fever."

Anti-Folic Acid Drug Methotrexate, has been announced by the Lederle Laboratories Division of the American Cyanamid Company.

Methotrexate is chemically similar to another anti-leukemia drug, aminopterin, developed in 1947.

Animal tests indicate that the new anti-folic acid may work on children who do not respond to compounds now in use.

Development of an enzyme jelly useful in treatment of certain types of non-pulmonary tuberculosis lesions was reported in a recent issue of the American Review of Tuberculosis.

Dr. George N. Hazelhurst of New York University College of Medicine wrote that the jelly "was found effective in healing a number of suppurative tuberculosis lymph nodes."

QUESTION AND ANSWER

R. L. J.: Are alcoholic beverages harmful to a person with sugar in the urine? Answer: It is advisable that such people avoid the use of alcoholic beverages.

TAX DODGERS PUNISHED

NEW YORK (AP)—Judge Archie T. Dawson sentenced Henry (the Dutchman) Grunewald, Washington influence peddler, Friday to five years in prison and imposed a \$10,000 fine for conspiracy in a 160,000 tax-fraud case.

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NOTES BY THE WAY

Six tons of dishes are washed annually by the average housewife, says a home scientist. No wonder there are so many fat people. — Kitchener-Waterloo Record.

Boys who are now three years old may be the first to reach Mars, an expert guesses. And anyone who knows the three-year-old boy of today must agree that it is imperative that Mars be warned about this. — Winnipeg Tribune.

A survey of 600 executives shows that half of them are over weight and blame is put on the sweet roll they have with the morning coffee break. Do the other half keep slim by doing the work of the half that are out eating the rolls? — Winnipeg Tribune.

Possibly a certain leeway should be allowed men of the sea, but the jolly Massachusetts crewman who has accumulated seven wives seems to have been overdoing a bit. A sailor's wife a sailor's star should be, not his constellation. — Windsor Daily Star.

More consultation in private and less public bluster will help in international relations. Open diplomacy, openly arrived at, has been one of the curses of the world for the past 20 years.

From April on you will be able to adorn your car with blue, green or chocolate brown tires to match the colour scheme of your family chariot.

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Two Montrealers again have proved that men often look far, and unsuccessfully, for something that was under their feet at home. The Montrealers didn't invade darkest Africa, or go scrambling across the hard face of the Pre-Adriatic Shield, in search of rich and rare metals.

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Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice; and let men say among the nations, The Lord reigneth.

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