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Among the latest singers to have their voices recorded is the mosquito; in the cause of science, however, not in that of culture.

Only the female is capable of carrying malaria germs; it is these, of course, which the scientists are bent on doing away with.

The scientists may see in this indiscriminate slaughter of mosquitos a necessary injustice to the harmless ones; but it is safe to say that almost every layman would take the view that, harmless or not, the fewer mosquitos that are left in the world the better for all concerned.

How To Get Information

The final suggestion in an excellent article on how to get information is a personal inquiry addressed to a person who is expert in the subject being investigated.

Besides listing a large number of readily available sources of information, general and particular, the letter points out the importance of knowing what you are looking for.

The importance of asking questions is emphasized for the research-minded person. All discoveries of truth, whether truth in business facts or in philosophy, are reached by people with a questioning turn of mind going round and round items of information in ever-narrowing circles.

Knowledge is power and it is also one of the keys to success. No one, certainly, will be the poorer for becoming familiar with the means of acquiring knowledge when needed.

"Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star!"

Having tampered with just about everything else in the Universe, the scientists are now investigating the twinkling and dancing of the stars; this, on the complaint of observatory technicians who say that the stars' erratic behaviour hinders them in their work.

The first report of the investigation by a group of astronomers from Ohio Wesleyan University has now been issued. It says

that, from evidence at hand, it seems that the light from a star passes through at least two layers, both of them unstable, on its way to earth; somewhere in the journey the rays are bent and do not illuminate the surface of the earth in uniform manner.

If children were in the habit of reading the abstruse explanations of the scientists concerning hitherto unexplainable phenomena, this report from Ohio Wesleyan would have in it the nucleus of a great deal of juvenile consternation; fortunately, they are not, chiefly because they have more important matters to occupy their attention.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Transfiguration. The nine-year programme of adding fluorides to the water supply of Brantford resulted in an over-all reduction in dental decay of 53.7 per cent in the permanent teeth of children between five and 15 years.

The "good neighbour" policy of the late President Roosevelt won respect and friendship for the United States. President Eisenhower is on the right road in stressing that the United States is now seeking to be "a good partner".

The helicopter is being welcomed by military and naval planners. The United States has already made considerable use of the versatile aircraft. Britain plans on reducing the number of vehicles in her fighting formations and supplying them largely by helicopter.

Alfred Tennyson, first Baron, was born this date 1809. His two elder brothers were poets and all had most unhappy childhood. His work was unfavorably criticized but was liked by the general public.

The Canadian Legion is concerned about national security and the ability of this country to meet its international security obligations unless there is a general plan for national service.

Doubt is thrown on the desirability of equal pay for women by a woman delegate to the International Congress of Mental Health at Toronto. Dr. Margery King points out that it might reflect unhappily on the family.

Edinburgh is very much on the defensive. An Australian reader of the Weekly Scotsman discovered that her son's school text-books say: "Edinburgh is the second largest town (in Scotland) and was once the capital of Scotland."

The Poets Corner

CAPTAINS AND LADIES While-complexioned ladies who kept my garden for me two Centuries have gone to night, But their white roses still give light.

Old Charlottetown and P. E. I.

From The Examiner, July 21, 1882: Garden strawberries, sold in the market today by Mr. Gay, of Pownal, and Mr. Bourke, brought 20 cents per quart.

We are pleased to learn that our young friend, Wm. S. Stewart, of Peters & Peters, city, has passed a highly creditable examination, and has been duly admitted as an attorney of our Supreme Court.

On Friday evening last, a large bear entered the garden of James Henderson, M.P., postmaster at Poplar Grove.

Year by year, as the country prospers and fills up, the want of quicker despatch on the Hillsborough Ferry is more and more felt.

Forest Primeval

Algonquin Park, famed as a summer resort and game sanctuary all over Eastern Canada and Northern United States, is tightening up the system of land tenure within its boundaries.

Reason for this change of park policy is to prevent inroads of "commercialism" and to preserve the park area as a playground for all the people of Ontario.

In taking back leased park lands and placing them under the provincial mantle the Ontario government admits that the original policy of leasing land to individuals was unsound.

It is certain that the Ontario decision on Algonquin Park will be followed with close interest by other provinces, and by the Federal District Commission regarding Gatineau Park.



The Neighbors

By George Clark

The agreement, recently concluded between Egypt and the United Kingdom, concerning British evacuation of the Suez Canal Zone marks a real gain for the diplomacy of the anti-Communist world.

The signs of the times are not lost on Sir Winston Churchill, who once said that he had not become the King's first minister to preside over the liquidation of the British Empire.

Egyptians are applauding the agreement which they regard as marking the end of seventy-two years of British occupation of their territory.

The invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and God-head.

The Age Old Story

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NOTES BY THE WAY

It's easy to tell tourist ladies up North from the Indian ladies this summer. The tourists are the ones in squaw dresses. —Hamilton Spectator.

There is a toy shop in New York where you can buy your small daughter a really economical present.

There are a few if any women in Durham in their seventies. Evidence of this was given at a gathering when prizes were being offered for the oldest present.

More moose are being killed by highway traffic on the section of Highway 11 within the Geraldton forestry district.

A reassuring bit of news came the other day from Chicago, where some great man, who one day may be ranked with Lincoln as a liberator of slaves, has produced a piano with a silencer on it.

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