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Educational Grants

Once again, through Justice Minister Garson, the Dominion Government has announced its opposition to federal grants to the Provinces for primary and secondary education.

The whole trend in recent years—promoted and encouraged by federal policies—has been towards making the less wealthy provinces more and more dependent upon the central administration.

The Federal Government has given grants to universities, grants for technical training, for agricultural training and other worthwhile educational purposes.

The issue will never be settled by pontifical statements from Federal cabinet ministers. Nor will it be settled by the increasing number of people who are urging this measure are content to pass resolutions occasionally.

Touchy Tempers

To give Mr. John Foster Dulles his due, it is most unlikely that he meant any offence to British and French fighting men when he observed in a moment of pique: "Personally, if I were an American boy going to fight in the Middle East I would rather not have a Britisher and a Frenchman, one on my right hand and one on my left."

what Mr. Dulles had in mind was that the anti-British and anti-French sentiment which now exists over broad areas of the Middle East rages out for the time being any joint action by the United States, Britain and France under the aegis of the "Eisenhower Doctrine".

Nevertheless, the statement, though uttered under severe mental strain, was most unfortunate and can only result in more misunderstandings of which there are too many already.

With due respect to Mr. Dulles' good intentions and his accomplishments in other fields, he seems to have reversed the old formula.

Civic Reports

The reports submitted at the annual meeting of the City Council last night were detailed and comprehensive, and represent a great deal of work on the part of all concerned in their preparation.

Last year, as noted in His Worship Mayor Stewart's review, was the 101st in the life of Charlottetown as an incorporated city.

Municipalities everywhere are facing serious financial problems. It is hoped that due recognition will be given to this fact at further Federal-Provincial conferences.

The centennial celebrations in 1955 did much to advertise the city and Province at home and abroad, and the returns from the tourist trade last year were highly encouraging.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Finance Minister Harris says he is "not sure" just when negotiations will begin on a revision of the potato tariff now in existence between this country and the United States.

Miss Vida Stewart who has gone to India as a missionary will have the good wishes of all our citizens. She joins a goodly company in which most of the Churches are represented.



NICE THOUGHT

Saudi Arabian Potentate

By Wilton Wyna, Associated Press Staff

Editor's note: From a fabled land of camels and cadillacs, of rich oil fields and barren deserts, an important visitor will be calling on President Eisenhower this week.

The Arab warrior looked down the muzzle of his smoking rifle and saw a blonde dancing girl in the sky above the desert horizon.

"I see Paradise! I smell it!" the Arab screamed. He took dead aim at the enemy, fired again, and moved forward.

The warrior was a Wahhabi, a sturdy puritan from the heart of Arabia. His commander in that battle on the plains of Yemen was Saudi Ibn Abdul-Aziz Ibn Rashid son of Ibn Saud and now king of Saudi Arabia.

It was the fanaticism of Wahhabi warriors that swept the house of Saud to power. And it is the same spirit that nurtures the wealthy realm of King Saud today.

The tall, squint-eyed king of Arabia is a monarch who has taken on many of the trimmings of the West but who remains at heart a true Arab.

In the month that King Saud was born, his father Ibn Saud led 40 men on horseback to conquer the mud-walled oasis town of Riyadh from the hated enemy, the house of Rashid.

In those days, Riyadh could be reached from the outside world only by camel. The town itself was a congested mass of mudbrick huts without a street wide enough to accommodate a wheeled vehicle.

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Medically Speaking

By Herman N. Bundesen, M. D.

ALCOHOL AND TB MAKE HAZARDOUS COMBINATION. We've all heard the warning that alcohol and gasoline don't mix.

Unfortunately, however, alcohol and tuberculosis do mix—all too easily. This is a problem of which very few persons are aware.

The rate of alcoholism among tuberculosis patients is much greater than the TB rate among the general population.

In fact, Dr. Dan Morse, superintendent and medical director of the Perla, Illinois, Tuberculosis Sanitarium, reports the problem is rapidly becoming one of the most important deterrents to effective control of tuberculosis.

If we were to stamp out all but one cause of tuberculosis in your community, chances are that the sole remaining victim would be an alcoholic.

Dr. Morse puts it a bit more bluntly: "The alcoholic with tuberculosis is who continues his alcoholism almost always ends up with the undertaker."

An alcoholic with tuberculosis presents a serious problem to a community. Because he is an alcoholic, he will seek friends who are apt to be alcoholics.

What can we do about the problem? Dr. Morse advocates compulsory isolation of all alcoholics with tuberculosis in a contagious stage who do not voluntarily isolate themselves.

"Our present culture in the United States not only accepts social drinking but makes it a 'must'.

Perhaps we need to retreat a little. If we continue to think as we do the vast majority of the coming generations will be drink-alcoholics and the problem will always be with us."

It's food for thought all right. QUESTION AND ANSWER. N.H.: I am troubled with hemorrhoids. Is it best to have them cut out or can they be treated with needles?

Answer: Hemorrhoids or piles are satisfactorily treated in most cases by operation. The injection treatment is helpful in certain instances.

The Age Old Story. Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you.

The Poet's Corner. CHIEF JUSTICE CLIO (A Thought for 1957). The world moves forward, surmounting crisis on crisis.

These boys play their part. But History, quietly waiting, jotting down shorthand notes with a cool-eyed calm.

Our Yesterdays. From The Guardian Files. TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO (January 30, 1932).

An interesting and successful annual meeting of the Swine Breeders' Association which included much discussion of marketing conditions and methods.

Mr. J. W. Boulter, Secretary of the Potato Growers' Association, has stated there is a possibility of this Island purchasing fertilizer from Great Britain instead of from the United States.

SHOPS OPEN AGAIN. NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP)—Shops reopened and workers went back to their jobs Monday after a week of violence and work stoppages.

NOTES BY THE WAY

Of all the girls who ever said they would not marry the best man on earth, none of them have.—St. Catharines Standard.

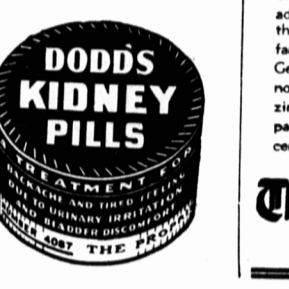
A doctor suggests that balancing a four-pound sandbag on the head while walking will improve the posture. Tipping it to the ladies one meets will also strengthen the arm muscles.—Edmonton Journal.

The General Fisheries Council for the Mediterranean has been studying the habits of the tuna, which it would like to know more about.

The Maritimes deserve whatever may be done, through the Gordon report or in any other way, to build up their economic life.

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MAXIMS Any party which takes credit for the rain must not be surprised if its opponents blame it for the drought.

Apparently the radioactive fallout is either harming you or it isn't, depending on what scientist you happen to be reading at the moment.—Winnipeg Tribune

The United Kingdom now has three living men who have been its prime minister—Lord Attlee, Sir Winston Churchill, Sir Anthony Eden. Canada, in Mr. Arthur Meighen, has one.—Ottawa Journal

A woman in a pharmacy remarked to the druggist, "I see this medicine is advertised as good for man and beast." "Yes," said the druggist. "Gimme a bottle," said the woman. "I believe it's the right combination to help my husband.—Guelph Reporter

It is clear from some of its preliminary recommendations that the Gordon commission attempted to cover too much ground in too short a time. In consequence some of its suggestions are the fruits of superficial study, based in some instances on entirely erroneous premises. Its recommendation that no large scale irrigation projects be undertaken, allegedly because they would only add to farm surpluses and have a depressing effect on farm prices and incomes, falls in this category.—Regina Leader-Post

One day a Minneapolis postman saw a black cocker spaniel frolicking in front of a house on his route. He knew that the people who lived there, wary of canine parenthood, never permitted their spaniel outside unless she was leashed. No one was home, so he took the trouble to catch the dog and slip it inside the door. When the lady of the house returned, she found not one but two black cockers in the house. It took a while, but the family found takers for the five puppies.—Minneapolis Tribune



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