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Strange But True

By F. M. MacArthur

Pay days in the White House are setting new records and President Harry S. Truman is the highest paid president our neighbor to the south has ever had. At the end of his present term he will have been paid close to one million dollars.

Prior to 1949, a president got a mere \$75,000 a year. Then Congress upped the salary to \$100,000 with a tax allowance of \$50,000 free, which gives the president a tidy salary to take home in his pay envelope.

Keeping folks healthy is the aim of a unique hospital in the Quaker City of Philadelphia. Daniel Gay, director of the institution and Dr. Edward L. Bortz, head of its medical department, are the guiding lights behind the venture. Health education and preventive medicine will be the clarion cry of the new hospital.

The first hospital of its kind on earth, its aim will be to teach health and eventually reach a point where it will have no bed patients.

"There will be strong emphasis on preventive medicine to guard against human ills," says its director. He further says the new hospital will go in for health conservation, child welfare, care of convalescents, family care of the sick home, safe-guards against contagious disease and prevention of fatigue and reduction of accidents.

The new institution will have a museum filled with charts, animated exhibits and what not. The idea being to show how the human body works and what to do to keep it healthy.

It sounds like a huge order but we sincerely hope it works.

Many of the old swimming holes scattered across our million acre farm could be turned into fire insurance ponds.

Rural firefighters for many years have been hard put to it by lack of

water. And small chemical gadgets are of very little use when it comes to putting out anything but the smallest blaze.

But with dams, ponds, cisterns close to the farm home the need for water in time of emergency is pretty well provided.

That such a scheme could be planned and carried out in this province may be gleaned from the fact that more than 255,000 farm ponds are now in operation in different parts of the U. S. A. They are under the wing of the United States soil conservation service.

Ponds and pools pay off in other ways too. They provide nearby fishing grounds where the farm family may catch a tasty breakfast, dinner or supper.

In Mantù, Italy, there have been no deaths, births, or marriages since December 6, 1949!

A novel way of telling the world that a new arrival has taken place in your family is to place a neon sign in the window of your home announcing the blessed event.

Well, anyway, that's what Gerald Ariono, of Westenburg, Colorado, did recently. Ariono rigged up a sign which announced in flashing letters: "It's a boy!"

Wedding nothing but a whim — Testifying that she got married because of a whim, Mrs. Ethel Homes sued for a divorce in Derby, England. She got the big idea while she watched her friend get married. Then turning to a soldier she popped the question, and they were married that day.

Many of the worlds first creatures possessed both gills and lungs. They lived part time on land and part of their lives were spent in the water — amphibious.

The early Hindus believed that the earth rested on the backs of four elephants that stood on a huge tortoise which floated on the universal ocean.

The first spyglass was made from a piece of organ pipe and fitted into two pieces of glass, one swerving outward and the other inward. This crude affair greatly magnified everything within the

range of vision. Indeed, it was with this instrument that Galileo first discovered the dark empty spaces of sky filled with gleaming stars!

Believe it or not, but in the Southwest corner of Florida there is a wild lost American frontier where a few if any white men ever have trodden.

This dense jungle has a soil as fertile as the Nile Valley, but before reaching the forbidden country, roads must be made and swamps drained. It's a big venture to open it up but that's exactly what two teachers are setting out to do, and in doing they will either lose a fortune or add to their present wealth.

The sprawling million acre spread is owned by Miles Collier and his brother Baron, who made a fortune out of real estate during the Florida boom.

The Indians placed a fish in each hill of corn to enrich the soil. \$10,000 for a gadget that cost \$6.50 went to young Marilyn Brown of Tennessee. The amount was awarded by the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company for the labor-saving gadget used in moving coal handling machinery.

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MR. CHARLES YEO,
President P.E.I. Federation of Agriculture

SPEAKERS

DR. H. H. HANNAM,
President Canadian Federation of Agriculture

MR. W. R. SHAW,
Deputy Minister of Agriculture

SUBJECT

POTATO LEVIES AND THE PROMOTIONAL COMMITTEE

MR. D. A. MacDONALD,
Manager of P.E.I. Potato Marketing Board

SUBJECT

THE PURPOSE AND NECESSITY OF PRODUCER LICENSES

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FARMERS this is YOUR business and YOUR meeting

ROUGH CAREER

ST. JOHN'S, Isle of Wight—(CP)—For the third time in 100 years St. Leonard's Church here will be rebuilt. The first church was blown down in a gale and the second was destroyed by fire. The

third was wrecked by German bombers.

SPECIAL TREATMENT

More than one-third of Canadian public hospitals had physiotherapy departments in 1950.

HOARDED BOTTLES

WILLINGHAM, Eng.—(CP)—A woman here was fined \$6 for keeping 185 milk bottles for an unreasonable time, plus \$2 for not taking proper care of them. Mary had been smashed to fill in rat-holes.

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Pork, lb. 45c
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2 lbs. 55c
28 OZ. TIN
Tomatoes ... 25c
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2 tins PEACHES
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Pears, 2 for ... 45c

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All for 42c

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