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FALL AND WINTER ROADS

Complaints are registered daily by the citizens of this country because of the inadequacy of the Government Road Policy. Apparently, it is based entirely upon the tourist contingent that swoops down upon us during the summer months. While we admit the value to the country of the tourist contingent, it would appear to some of us that the citizens themselves should receive some slight attention from the government. In the Fall of the year, after the tourist has migrated, the policy is to discharge the road patrols until they (the tourists) reappear the following year. Under present conditions, the road patrol is an absolute necessity, but why discontinue their services when they could perform more and better work during the months they are idle? During several months of the year the roads are utterly neglected and the citizens of the province are left to shift for themselves. They are obliged to get along during this time as they had to 25 years ago.

Why base the policy of highway maintenance entirely upon tourist traffic? Are we in this country not entitled to consideration? With a reasonable outlay of equipment our roads could be kept in a satisfactory condition throughout the year. The people of this country are demanding, and should receive, more in the way of highway maintenance during the Fall and Winter months. If a portion of the \$10,000,000 that is to be spent on the highway next year were used in improving the roads at the present time, we would have a more contented and more prosperous people and a greater stimulant to the business interest of the land.

BRITISH SETTLERS IN NEW BRUNSWICK

(Toronto Saturday Night)

In these days, when one hears so much of the inability or unwillingness of "assisted" British immigrants to stick to farm work in this country, it is heartening to learn that from one province at least the report is of a very different kind. Of course, the misfits always attract attention, and, incidentally, raise a "holler" quite out of proportion to their number as compared with that of the total volume of immigration from Great Britain—that is the badge of misfit all its world over. But in New Brunswick it can almost be said of this sort of misfit as the farmer off story is reported to have said of the ostrich, that "there ain't no such a animal!"

For it appears that, of two hundred families recently settled on farms in New Brunswick, under an arrangement between the federal, provincial and the British governments, only nine have failed to establish themselves satisfactorily. Of these, seven have turned their attention to other lines of labor, while two have returned home, like the proverbial bad penny. This is an excellent showing, creditable alike to the immigrant families concerned and to the farming opportunities offered by the province of New Brunswick. It would seem that such first-class results are largely attributable to the fact that the immigrants in question have been properly impressed with the necessity of diversifying their farming and of augmenting their earnings by work in the woods and on the roads.

Three hundred more families, of similar type, are to be brought out to New Brunswick from Great Britain within the next three years in the same way.

Hon. R. B. Bennett, leader of the federal Opposition, declares that the government is an administration of experiment. By this criticism, does he mean to imply that if he secured power he would make no experiments, never would stray from the beaten path of tradition and precedent and insist on governing the country according to the records of the past? That is not the kind of government that appeals to the people of a new and growing country, where new ground must be broken if progress is to be made. —Transcript.

Hon. W. P. Jones, K. C., attended court in Fredericton this week and spent the remainder of the week in Saint John and Hampton on professional business.

CANADA'S DOLLARS WELCOME

Canadians will welcome the spirit which actuates the Federal Reserve Board of the United States in deciding to have Canadian money accepted at par by merchants. Canadian tourists chiefly those traveling in automobiles, spent somewhere in the neighborhood of forty million dollars in the United States last year, according to the Toronto Globe. It is a forgone conclusion that many of them were either insulted in so doing or unintentionally short-changed. Discounts of as high as 15 or 20 per cent, were not unusual at inland points. Indeed, if venturesome Canadians traveled as far south as those States which have neglected to honor some bonds for over sixty years they invariably found that Canadian currency was unacceptable at any price.

Yet the fact of the matter is that frequently Canadian dollars are worth more in actual gold exchange value than United States dollars. And the fact of the matter also is that seldom within memory has United States Currency been refused by any business institution in Canada—no matter how far removed from the border or how humble in size.

It has been argued by the more academic economists that Canada is penalizing herself by allowing the continual free circulation in this country of so very considerable a volume of United States bank notes and coin. But the majority of Canadians are of a practical turn of mind, and realize that a huge volume of international trade between the people of the two countries is inevitable. This trade is already complicated enough without cluttering up the rules as to universal acceptance of each other's lawful and honest money.—Ex.

POSTMASTERS WANT GREATER PERCENTAGE

Toronto, Ont.—Reduction from three-cent to two-cent postage has so cut into postmasters' revenues that they are asking for a substantial increase in the percentage allowed them on the sale of stamps. A resolution was passed at a recent meeting of the Ontario postmasters' association in the Carl Hotel asking that on sales of stamps between \$1,000 and \$5,000 the percentage allowed postmasters be increased from 30 to 50 per cent. At present the percentage allowed is 70 per cent on the first \$1,000 and 30 per cent from \$1,000 to \$10,000.

CONTEMPLATE NEW NATIONAL PARK.

Ottawa, Ont.—If the Provincial Government would set aside the land, the federal government was prepared to establish a new national park in the Gattineau district of Quebec, a few miles to the north of Ottawa, stated the Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior to a gathering of Ottawa women in the Quebec suite of the Chateau Laurier. His aim was to see established a national park in every one of the provinces, he said in the course of his remarks, which dealt chiefly with the present group of 15 parks and their attractions for tourists.

"Canada," said Mr. Stewart, "as yet possesses no supreme works of art, no great cathedrals, no monuments of history or antiquity sufficient to bring visitors from other parts of the world, but she does possess things that are of world interest. Her great attraction is her vastness, her magnificent lakes and waterways, her unspoiled wilderness and her wonderful National Parks."

ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT CANADIAN MARKET

President Hoover has given a favorable report on Trade relations between Canada and the United States by Hon. William Phillips, who recently resigned as American Minister to Canada, and who was at the White House to pay his respects to the President.

"Trade between Canada and the United States is in a very flourishing condition," Mr. Phillips stated orally, following the conference. "Trade between the two countries is growing at a tremendous pace and probably will continue to grow at an increasing rate."

The relations between Canada and the United States, Mr. Phillips said, are on a sound and friendly basis and will be further cemented by increased commerce.

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(From a Fragment of Euripides)

O lovely is the sunlight,
And fair the dancing sea,
And fair the earth when flowers
Awake
In spring time, fair the brimming
lake—
Yea many things there be
That fill the heart with gladness,
But fairest thing of all
That lonely hearts yearn after,
The light of children's laughter
Ringing from floor to rafters
In the once empty hall.
—Denis Turner, in The Glasgow Herald.

REDUCE INTEREST ON REAL ESTATE LOANS

Five per cent would be the maximum charge permitted in Massachusetts on loans secured by real estate mortgages, if the bill filed by Richard D. Crockett of Medford, in the present session of the general court, became law. The bill provides that savings banks, trust companies, co-operative banks and credit unions be prohibited from charging more than five per cent per annum on such loans.

Mr. Crockett issued a statement in which he asserted that the owners of small homes are being charged excessive rates of interest and that they are in addition required to pay a bonus for renewals of mortgages every two or three years.

ONLY MINISTERS MAY SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGES IN N. B.

Instructions regarding the new provincial marriage laws, now in effect, and blanks for the affidavits they make necessary, have been distributed to all ministers and issuers of marriage licenses in the province, George Byron, King's printer for New Brunswick, disclosed this week. Under the new regulations, affidavits for both parties in marriage signed by a person or persons familiar with each must be presented to the minister with the license, and the minister must be informed of the proposed marriage five days before the ceremony.

Mr. Byron corrected a general belief that justices of the peace can perform marriages in New Brunswick. It is more than half a century since they have had this authority. Only ministers of definite denominations can perform marriages in the province and they must have licenses from the provincial secretary.

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THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the co-partnership heretofore existing between Joseph Fewer and Thomas L. Fewer, both of the Town of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, in the Province of New Brunswick, under the name and style of "FEWER BROS." has this day been dissolved by the said Joseph Fewer retiring from the said co-partnership.

THE SAID THOMAS FEWER will continue the business at the same business stand in the Town of Woodstock under the same firm name—FEWER BROS. and will assume all existing debts and liabilities of the firm and collect all debts and liabilities of the firm and collect all book debts and all accounts due the said firm.

Dated at the Town of Woodstock in the County of Carleton this seventeenth day of January A. D. 1930, and IN WITNESS WHEREOF we have hereunto set our hands and seals on the day and year last above written.

JOSEPH FEWER,
THOMAS L. FEWER.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of LOUIS E. YOUNG 1-24-1t.

NOTICE OF SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there will be sold at Public Auction in front of the Court House at the Town of Woodstock in the County of Carleton on the fifteenth day of February A. D. 1930 at the hour of two in the afternoon, the following lands owned at the time of her death by Elizabeth Trecartin, said lands and premises being described as follows:—ALL that piece or parcel of land situate lying and being at Upper Woodstock in the Parish of Woodstock in the County of Carleton and Province of New Brunswick, bounded and described as follows: On the East by the Main Highway Road; on the South by lands owned and occupied by Charles, May and Joseph Gans; on the West by lands owned and occupied by the said Joseph Gans and Clair Mallory; on

CULL APPLES FOR DIARY COWS

In an experiment conducted at the Summerland, B. C., Experimental Station apples were found to be good food for dairy cows. Cull and wind-fall apples were fed at alternate periods with mangels to cows in various stages of location. Mangels were fed for one week, apples the succeeding week, and mangels the next, and so on for a period of six weeks. Accurate weights of the milk yield were recorded and close observation taken as to the health and condition of the cows. The apples and mangels were fed in equal quantities, the maximum fed of either reaching forty pounds in a day. The change from mangels to apples and from apples to mangels was made immediately and in full quantities, although at the beginning of the feeding the apples were fed sparingly to avoid digestive disturbances.

All through this experiment the milk yields did not vary nor were there any ill effects from the apples observed.

Mr. W. T. Hunter, the superintendent of the Station, in his report, which is published by the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, cautions against giving cows free access to apples as the result may be serious.

IF YOU'VE MONEY TO BURN

Restaurant counter and showcase combined; splendid outfit, \$50. worth \$5.00.—Chestnut Hill (Pa.) Herald.

the North by lands owned and occupied by George Clark, William Morey and by the old Court House Road.

The above lands and premises are sold pursuant to an order of the Judge of Probate for the said County of Carleton dated the twenty first day of January A. D. 1930 licensing the sale of the said lands for the payment of debts against the estate of the said Elizabeth Trecartin being insufficient to pay the same.

Dated this 22nd day of January A. D. 1930.

Sgd. ETHEL E. SEELEY,
Administratrix of the Estate of
Elizabeth Trecartin, Deceased.

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HISTORY

The question on a history paper

was:
"What do you know about Elizabeth and Sir Walter Raleigh?"

The answer given was:—
"Queen Elizabeth rode through the streets of Coventry naked to save the town. She met Sir Walter Raleigh who gave her his cloak and said, 'You look damn cold.' So Good Queen Bess said; 'Dieu et mon Droit'—which means, 'By you're right!'"

Could not Eat or Sleep after Husband's Death

Her husband's death left her very run down in health, unable to eat or sleep much. Now she is brighter in spirits and eats and sleeps well. What caused the difference? Let her answer in her own words:—

"I think Kruschen Salts are a splendid tonic. After my husband's death in December last I became very run down in health. Had terrible fits of depression and was unable to eat or sleep much. I was also troubled with rheumatism. I decided to take Kruschen Salts and have now taken the little daily dose for nearly two months, during which time my health has greatly improved. The rheumatism has completely left me. I am much brighter in spirits and both eat and sleep well."

When life begins to "get you down," when you begin to feel the results of modern artificial conditions—errors of diet, worry, overwork, lack of exercise—then you should turn to Kruschen Salts. They possess a wonderful power of giving new life and vitality to the countless millions of cells of which the human body is composed. The way to keep smiling is to take Kruschen Salts every morning—just a pinch in your first morning cup of coffee or tea.

indicating western Canada's importance in the livestock world. 29 head of registered Aberdeen Angus cattle from Woodstock farm, Angus breeding establishment operated near Brandon by Hon. J. D. McGregor, Lieutenant-Governor of the province, recently arrived at Vancouver by Canadian Pacific Railway for shipment to Australia and New Zealand.

Designed to furnish the immense tractive effort of 33,200 pounds, a new locomotive, first of its kind on this continent, to be operated on a high steam pressure principle, will be immediately placed under construction at the Angus Shops of the Canadian Pacific Railway. It will be one of the most powerful in the world and will supersede the 5000 engine of the railway as the most powerful in the British Empire. Locomotive and tender will weigh 74,000 lbs. or 14,000 lbs. heavier than the 5900 engine and 120,000 lbs. heavier than the 2800 locomotive.

How one \$14,000,000 equipment contract given by the Canadian Pacific Railway to the National Steel Car. of Hamilton, during 1929, resulted in 122 business houses, located in four Canadian provinces, securing valuable supply orders and how this far-flung distribution of the company's contract provided steady work and wages for skilled mechanics and large office staffs over a period of months has been revealed by a study of statistics at the National Steel Car Co. and Canadian Pacific Railway.

A Murphy, M.P. of Toronto, was a passenger on S.S. Montrose recently from Saint John. As an official of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, Mr. Murphy is on his way to Great Britain to make arrangements for the British Empire games at Hamilton next August, at which every part of the Empire will be represented by brilliant athletes.

What is regarded as one of the largest real estate transactions on record was made recently when the Canadian Government reached agreements with the Provincial Governments of Manitoba and Alberta for the transfer to those provinces of their natural resources. These include large areas of land, forests, water powers, fisheries, mines, oilfields, etc., and represent a value in excess of a billion dollars. The agreement will be ratified by Parliament at its next session early this year.

The Wilder Silver Medal, one of the highest awards made by the American Penological Society, has been given to W. T. Macoun, Dominion Horticulturist, for his work in breeding new varieties in apples and for his contribution to horticulture generally. Mr. Macoun has occupied the position of Dominion Horticulturist at the Canadian Government Experimental Farm at Ottawa for the past 41 years.

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