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### CORK STATION

The weather still continues mild with little prospects of sleighing for Christmas.

There was a large attendance at the meeting held in the hall last Friday evening to discuss matters pertaining to the erection of the telephone line and to appoint directors and etc. Miss Maloney, shorthand typist who is ever ready to assist in government affairs, rendered her services in copying notes assisted by our efficient postal clerk. The representative was asked by one little Tory could a man borrow a phone or get a second hand one at half price.

Mrs. Marks is visiting friends in this place.

John Driscoll lost a valuable cow one day last week.

We are pleased to learn that our school teacher Miss McNeil has consented to remain for the coming term.

The stores are being decorated for Xmas season and present a novel appearance.

A large number of the young folks are expected to arrive home for the holidays.

Mr. J. Driscoll made a flying trip to the Celestial recently.

And still they come, just one more petition in circulation, but two canvassers against one is hardly fair.

### TOBACCO CULTURE ON PACIFIC COAST

Splendid Results Achieved by Irrigation Methods in the Okanagan Valley of British Columbia

That tobacco culture is fast assuming the importance of a national Canadian enterprise is a fact appreciated by but a small proportion of the citizens of this country. For many years when Canadian tobacco was spoken of one immediately thought of the crudely cured French Canadian Twist, one pipe full of which was liable to leave lifelong impressions, but to-day not only has Quebec-grown tobacco been brought to superior quality but the counties of Essex and Kent in Ontario produce annually in the neighborhood of 15,000,000 pounds of tobacco, which find a ready market in a popular brand of cigars, pipe and chewing tobacco.

But now British Columbia looms upon the horizon as a producer of tobacco of a most superior quality. Fifteen years ago in the Okanagan Valley it was first attempted but with varying success. Seven years ago a local company formed at Kelowna putting in 50 to 70 acres, and so successful was this company in growing a superior leaf that it has given impetus to a new commercial product which will in a short time become one of vital importance to the Rocky Mountain Province.

Leaf for cigar purposes constitutes the principal crop, the varieties being Cuban or Havana, Comstock Spanish, Wisconsin and Sumatra. There is money in growing tobacco. A good average crop of Havana runs to about a thousand pounds per acre, worth say 25 cents a pound to the producer. Wisconsin and Comstock Spanish yield heavier, fourteen to eighteen hundred pounds per acre, and bring the producer from 15 cents to 20 cents a pound. This would make a range of profits average from \$125 to \$175 an acre.

No fertilizer is yet required in the growing of tobacco in British Columbia, but irrigation plays an important part. This irrigation is of the simplest kind, however, and presents few difficulties. One irrigation has proved to be sufficient, and is generally done at a season when water is most plentiful. The field is thoroughly soaked before planting begins, and with careful cultivation there is then sufficient moisture stored in the soil to last the tobacco plants during their growing season.

China boasts of the world's longest bridge, extending 5½ miles over an arm of the Yellow Sea, and supported by 300 stone arches.

Germany is annually increasing her imports of Canadian wheat.

### FOUR WINTERS OF RHEUMATISM

Cured of Sciatica And Muscular Rheumatism By "Fruit-a-tives"

RIDGETOWN, ONT., May 21st, 1913. "Fruit-a-tives" cured me of Rheumatism. It was the only medicine that made any impression on me. I was a terrible sufferer from Rheumatism. I was laid up for four winters with Sciatica and Muscular Rheumatism, and was completely crippled.

Some neighbor of mine told me that "Fruit-a-tives" helped him, and I started in to take them. I used "Fruit-a-tives" faithfully for two years, taking them every day as I saw they were doing me good, and the results were marvelous.

For over two years, I have been completely free from any Rheumatic Pains whatever, and I give "Fruit-a-tives" the credit." W. H. RACHER, 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or from Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

### LESSONS FROM FIRES

The National Fire Prevention Association in a report on fire losses, draws attention to the following points:—

Shingled roofs are a constant menace and should be "bolished."

Unprotected steel construction has proved itself many times to be far inferior to average timber construction. Unless well protected in suitable manner to withstand the attack of fire, this type of construction invites disaster.

In every building two or more stairways, remotely located with respect to each other and enclosed in fireproof shafts, are essential for the escape of the occupants, as well as for the work of the fire department.

Elevators should be enclosed in brick or reinforced concrete shaft, walls to pierce all floors and extend at least three feet above roof. Approved automatic fire doors to be installed on one side of wall at all doorways to building.

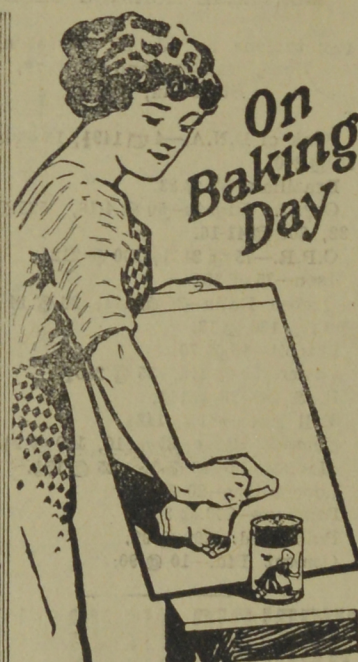
Properly installed hand-hose connections on sprinkler equipments in specially hazardous locations have proved very desirable, and frequently prevent an undue water loss by extinguishing the fire before the automatic sprinklers operate.

Ventilating fans should be stopped at once upon an alarm of fire.

### Diseases of Trees

If you eat too much, the chances are that you will get fat and flabby. It is the same with trees. If the food they get is too easily digested the fibres of the tree turn spongy and rotten and the sap weakens. When fruit trees turn fat, the fruit is at first richer and riper. It soon becomes insipid, however. A man may keep down his fat with diet, exercise, etc. There is no cure for the fat tree.

Corpulence is not the only disease trees share with us. Many plants are subject to anaemia—clover, onions, cucumbers and melons being the chief sufferers. The remedy for this unnatural pallor is, just as in the case of human beings, iron. A dozen large nails driven into the roots of an anaemic tree will, in most cases, bring it back to health, as the acid sap eats away the iron and carries from salts up the trunk.



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### FOR THE FARMER

Odds and Ends of News and Timely Suggestions

Dairy stables should be well ventilated, lighted and drained. They should have tight floors and plainly constructed walls. Keep the stable and dairy room in good condition, and then insist that the dairy, factory or place where the milk goes be kept equally well.

Whitewash the dairy stable twice a year; use land plaster in the manure gutters daily. Use no dry, dusty feed just previous to milking; if fodder is dusty sprinkle it before it is fed.

Do not move the cows faster than a comfortable walk while on the way to the place of milking or feeding.

Never allow cows to be excited by hard driving, abuse, loud talking or unnecessary disturbance. Do not expose them to cold or storms. Do not change the feed suddenly.

Feed cows liberally, and use only palatable feedstuffs; in no case should decomposed or mouldy material be used. Provide water in abundance, easy of access, and always pure, fresh, but not too cold.

An English-born Canadian, now growing apples in Nova Scotia, made successful experiments with growing the famous Caville Blanc in the land of his adoption.

Some of the apple trees in the wonderful apple belt of Nova Scotia are fully two hundred years old, and still yield their full quota of luscious fruit.

To prove the possibilities of an acre of land, and to interest young men in Agriculture, the Ontario Department of Agriculture offers a prize in each county to the young man who produces the greatest profit from an acre of land.

No garden is complete without some of the herbs. Among the best for use are mint, sage, lavender, summer savory, thyme, annis, coriander, dill and winter savory.

The butcher can never pay the breeder what a good heifer calf is worth when she is sold as veal.

"There is something really a little awing about pure gold new born from the soil. Gold is such a stable article, so strictly guarded, so carefully checked and counted. We had some what less than an ounce to be sure, but that amount in flake gold bulks considerably. We did not think of it in terms of its worth in dollars; we looked on it only as the gold, and we stared at the substantial little heap of yellow particles with fascinated awe."—From "Gold" by Stewart Edward White.

### MONUMENTS FOR LIARS

The Sea Dyaks Are a Very Truthful and Honest Race

So truthful are the members of the race known as the Sea Dyaks of Borneo that when a really good lie is told to them they build a monument to keep green the memory of the perpetrator.

This is only one curious piece of information among many supplied in an article in the "Mission Field." These people, it is stated, are as honest as they are truthful.

So disgraceful do they consider the deceiving of others by an untruth that such conduct is handed down to posterity by a curious custom. They heap up a pile of branches of trees in memory of the man who has uttered a great lie, so that future generations may know of his wickedness and take warning from it.

The persons deceived start the tugong bula—"the liar's mound"—by heaping up a large number of branches in some conspicuous spot by the side of the path leading from one village to another. Every passer-by contributes to it, and at the same time curses the man in memory of whom it is. The Dyaks consider the adding to any tugong bula they may pass a sacred duty, the omission of which will meet with supernatural punishment, and so, however pressed for time a Dyak may be, he stops to throw on the pile some branch or twig.

In his jungle home the Dyak is remarkably honest. Families are often away from their homes for weeks at a time, living in little huts on their farms, and, though no one is left in charge of their rooms in the lone village house, things are seldom lost.

The writer states that with an experience of nearly twenty years in Borneo he knew of only two instances of theft. One was the theft of rice. The woman who lost the rice most solemnly and publicly cursed the thief, whoever it might be. The next night the rice was left at her door.

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### NOTICE

On and after Monday, December the First, the Dairy Business known as the West End Dairy will be conducted from the farm at Lower St. Marys instead of from the Queen street store as formerly. The telephone number is 383-11 and orders for milk or cream will receive prompt attention.

### For Sale

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### Water Consumers

Consumers of water will take notice that their water rates are now due and in order to take advantage of the discount these rates must be paid in not later than the 31st day of December instant.

City Hall December 17th A.D. 1913

G. R. PERKINS,  
City Treasurer

### Births, Deaths, and Marriages York County

Physicians, Clergymen and others required by law to make returns of Births, Deaths and Marriages for York, are requested to send same in, before the first day of January next.

Division Registrars Office, Fredericton, 16th Dec. A.D. 1913.

HENRY S. RAINSFORD,  
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