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A-B-C OF AVIATION

It transpires that three students of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology sailed for France on the steamer Savote to take part in a competition of motorless airplanes or gliders. Most of us probably thought the glider was only an elementary sort of thing, useful to the Wright brothers and other inventors in the early stages of airplane development, but of no value whatever in the present stage of the art.

Apparently we were mistaken. It seems that the restrictions put upon the Germans in the matter of airplanes has impelled them to turn their attention to the glider. France, not to be outdone, is likewise studying the device and has instituted an international contest.

It looks as if the elements of aviation had been imperfectly mastered by the early engineers, eager for motor-driven craft and quick results. Now, as if by accident, the study of aviation is to begin again at the beginning—with the motorless plane. Enthusiasts declare this plane can be made to sail into the teeth of the wind like a sailboat and will not only stay aloft in the air, but can be trained to mount upward. So the aviation engineers are to go back and master the alphabet; after which their art may be expected to progress with deeper knowledge of principles.

WHAT'S BITING US?

As an object of attack, nothing could be found more universally popular than the mosquito. Millions of humans are literally itching to demolish the pestiferous creature, not so much because he is a possible carrier of malaria and numerous other distempers, as because of his disagreeable manners. He not only sings on any and every occasion without being asked, but constitutes himself in other ways an unendurable bore.

The present summer, starting as it did with an over plentiful supply of rain, has brought on a bumper crop of mosquitoes. That fact only adds point to the challenge.

The fly-swatting campaign was a half-hearted and feeble affair compared with what the impending slaughter of the little stingingbirds will be.

There can be no peace, folks, until this insect foe is crushed.

Many old friends in this city will learn with deep regret of the death at St. John yesterday of Rev. Willard Macdonald a former pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian church. He was an able and scholarly preacher and during the many years that he was a resident of this city enjoyed the esteem of all classes in the community.

Army aviator attached note to his mother to a spark plug and dropped it into the yard of her home as he flew over Rochester, N. Y. It was a beautiful idea and a wonderful shot; but what a shocking and startling thing it would have been if it had struck mother when it fell!

"The bride wore a lovely white satin dress with a long train finished with a spray of orange blossoms." It was in London and royalty was present, but it might just as easily have been any church on Main street. When Cupid visits the modiste, both are democrats.

People are buying a certain article because it's hard to get and when they get it they find it was even harder to get than they thought it was.

Switzerland is suffering from the coldest July on record. The weather man would be more popular the world over if he would average his output.

This idea that the worker should get enough wages to permit him to

save money is all right, particularly if he saves it.

The United Farmers of Manitoba have selected Mr. John Bracken, a native of Ontario to lead the party in the Legislature. This means that he will be the next premier of the province. Mr. Bracken is without a seat in the House, but will probably seek election in La Pas.

Hon. W. S. Fielding and Hon. Ernest LaPointe who will represent Canada at the League of Nations meeting at Geneva will sail from Quebec on August 22. They will be joined in England by Hon. P. C. Larkin, High Commissioner for Canada.

Los Angeles and London, England, are running neck and neck in sensational court trials, with London a little ahead.

If Japan buys Sakhalin from Russia will Russia accept rubles for sentimental reasons? Or yen, for business reasons?

Hardly anybody anybody troubles to make sarcastic remarks about Rockefeller benefactions when gasoline prices drop.

In a New York basement cafe a spring of cold waters suddenly broke up through the floor. Isn't nature sarcastic?

Bath tubs for pig pens are proposed. It is probable that the patrons would not wait for Saturday night, either.

There is a great deal of cheap cynicism that passes for humor in this generation.

Scientists assert that bats abhor jazz music. They are not so batty, after all.

Through Our Sieve

Hi Slocum wonders why it is that a large Taxpayer who pays his taxes when he cannot get anything done by the city, not even a hole filled in the pavement in front of his home, whilst a delinquent Tax Payer gets anything done that he desires.

Every time gas goes up the shoe dealers grin.

Assertions by physicians that persons do not drink enough water might be remedied by prohibiting the use of it.

Another invention needed in this sweaty kind of weather is something that will keep a kiss from skidding.

The drivers who are in the greatest hurry to get somewhere probably have the least to do when they get there.

Profanity isn't common among men who don't own fountain pens.

It's uncanny to feel that a horse knows when a sucker bets on him.

Some girls never marry because they keep everyone of their successive sweethearts guessing too long.

Average men don't pay much attention to curbstones until they try to learn to drive an automobile.

Many parents can agree on the unimportant question of how to bring up the baby but not on where to spend their vacation.

24 Years A Priest.

Rev. M. T. Murphy St. Stephen's Church, Milltown, was the recipient of many congratulations Sunday, the date being the twenty-fourth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood. At the evening service he spoke of his coming out of the seminary as a frail young man called by some of his friends a "shadow." He recalled the names of the clergymen who twenty four years ago, were full of life and vigor and today are numbered among those who have gone to their reward and the "shadow" is still living.

At The Gaiety.

The Monday-Tuesday Play is Restless Youth with Elaine Hammerstein the featured player. Hammerstein in one of the most pleasing actresses in Filmland. Fox News, Topics of the day and Aesops Fables complete a fine programme.

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Public Opinion

GARDEN NOTES

Editor of The Daily Mail,

Dear Sir,—Does the vegetable garden pay? Yes and no. To take a piece of ground, pay rent, takes manure, seed, labor, market the crops and pay a man a living wage, say \$18. per week, the lowest a man could support his family on. I say directly no, twice over. The farmer or gardener has to do lots of work for nothing or the city people would starve. Say what about the labor of the farmer with his potatoes last year costing from \$2 to \$2.50 per barrel and no market, but dump them into the manure pile this spring. But there is an advantage in gardening in this way the laborers or artisan leaves his work at 5 p. m. gets his tea or supper, rests half an hour, lights his pipe, if he has a garden to cultivate works at this for a change of exercise, for two hours or more, cultivate his patch of potatoes, corn, beets, beans, carrots, a few turnips, etc. This supplies his table and perhaps tills a little of his neighbors, who is in need and is less thrifty, this is the advantage the working man has in the garden but to pay help \$3 per day or 35 to 40 cents per hour, the help would get the best of the bargain. The garden would not be profitable from a dollar and cent point of view.

OLD GARDENER.

GASOLINE PRICES

Editor of The Daily Mail,

Sir,—I do New Brunswick in the interest of the House with whom I am employed, and in summer travel by auto. At no place is gasoline as high as in Fredericton.

The price of gasoline in St. Stephen is ten cents a gallon less than in Fredericton. And it is from 5 to 10 cents a gallon less all over my territory.

The wholesale price of motor gasoline as given in the St. John Telegraph on Friday last was 37 1-2 cents a gallon. The retail price in Fredericton is 52 cents a gallon. This shows a profit to the dealer of 14 1-2 cents a gallon. Gasoline is a necessity and should not be put in the luxury class by the Fredericton dealers. I look upon the present price as unreasonable. I would like to hear what other users of gas think about it.

Thanking you Mr. Editor for your space I remain,

COMMERCIAL MAN.

WORDS OF WISE MEN.

Artifice begets suspicion. Sail boldly when the wind is at your back. When the wind is in your face trim sail and tack.

Learning is an ornament in prosperity a refuge in adversity and a provision in old age.

If anger is not restrained it is frequently more hurtful to us than the injury that provokes it.

JOHN J. WEDDALL & SON

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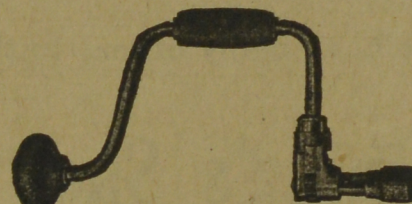
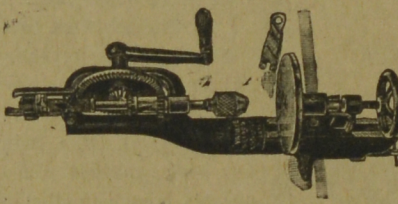
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