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THE SEAWAY PROJECT

The Sherbrooke Record, one of the leading newspapers of the Province of Quebec, in discussing the St. Lawrence 'seaway' project, makes this pointed comment, which will be liable to make Canadians sit up and take notice:

We all recall the "entering wedge" of the Fielding Reciprocity Treaty which defeated so quickly the Laurier administration, then apparently in power to the end of Sir Wilfrid's lifetime.

It was the impolitic utterances of the then President Taft and his House Leader, Champ Clark, which unfolded the thought behind the Treaty: the ultimate absorption of Canada within the Confederacy of the United States. It was to be a peaceful invasion through financial control.

President Franklin Roosevelt, in his message to the United States Senate, urging the passage of the St. Lawrence Seaway Treaty, is quite an eye-opener for the Canadians.

We extract this paragraph from Mr. Roosevelt's message:

"I call your attention to the simple fact that Canada alone can, if desired, build locks at the Lachine Rapids and at the international sector and thus provide a seaway wholly within Canadian control."

Canada presently holds this control at the gateway. We are to be called upon to surrender it for a few thousand kilowatts of electric power.

Chicago and Duluth would be built up so that Canada may be electrocuted and deprived of her control of the St. Lawrence from Cornwall to the sea.

The gloved hand is unsheathed for the purpose of convincing the Washington statesmen who shrink from the folly of the undertaking whilst both countries are in financial stress.

Dare we ratify the Herridge-Bennett Treaty after this disclosure? Will any member of Parliament in the Province of Quebec, or along the St. Lawrence dare to vote for its ratification?

Surely not, if they ponder over the above impolitic advocacy of a scheme which does not appeal on any other grounds.

CHAIN STORES, ETC.

W. W. Hubbard in his presidential address at the annual meeting of the Fredericton Board of Trade last week, devoted some attention to chain stores, pointing out that they are owned by outsiders, pay very little in the way of taxes, and what profits they make are sent outside of the city. It is likely that Chain stores will provide a topic for discussion at another meeting of the Board of Trade to be held tomorrow evening. Speaking of chain stores reminds us that Barbara Hutton who inherited \$42,000,000 from the Woolworth estate and married Alexis Mdivani a Russian prince out of a job, is now en route to Honolulu, and expecting her husband to accompany her had engaged a suite of thirteen rooms on a Pacific liner. A process server, however, caused the prince to change his plans at the last moment with the result that he took to an airplane, flew to Seattle where he embarked on another boat. It would be interesting to know just what amount Fredericton has contributed to the fortune of the Mdivani prince and princess, through the medium of a five and ten cent chain store. One thing can be said about chain stores and that is they would not last long in any community if the people did not patronize them.

ALONG CAME SCIENCE

A cocktail before dinner and coffee afterwards have a tendency to neutralize each other says an exchange was done.

Those who wish to feel a little expansive before dinner by indulging in a cocktail will return to normal by the simple and pleasant expedient of taking a demi-tasse. At least, that would seem to be the inference to be drawn from experiments described before the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Science thus confirms and endorses an old established practice. Long ago, the French and the Italians found that certain wines were agreeable concomitants to certain dinner courses. The practices of the medicine men of old may yet be found to have elements of sound sense behind them. Some folkways founded upon experience may yet prove to have scientific as well as hearty or convivial reasons for their existence.

Mrs. White, widow of Hon. Thomas White, a gifted statesman and Minister of Interior in the Cabinet of Sir John Macdonald, died at Ottawa on Saturday in her 99th year. R. S. White, M.P. for Mount Royal, is a son, and Lady Perley, wife of Sir George Perley, a daughter of the deceased.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

All men have theories but men with good brains work out theirs.

That new wrinkle in auto design will be known we suppose, as free-kneeling.

Impudence is not due to lack of respect so much as it is to bad training in manners.

Women are not as confident of elections as men are. They won't bet like the men.

A professor is an expert or an impractical dreamer, depending on whom he's working for.

There is scarcely any rivalry in clothes among men. There's where they are truly democratic.

Most of the disagreeable hardships of a summer trip become funny stories after you get home.

Some Canadian jurist says a wife has no right to go through her husband's pockets. Now you tell one.

How about it, you stratosphere explorers? See anything up there that looked like prosperity?

Considering what most people are willing to do for money, it is a wonder there are not more millionaires.

IMPORTANT CONFERENCE AT WHITE HOUSE

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15—After a two hour conference between President Roosevelt at the White House and members of the House and Senate Banking and Currency Committees, following statement was issued. The President and Secretary of Treasury conferred last night with Democratic and Republican members of the Senate and House Banking & Currency Committees. The subjects under discussion were methods of taking into the Treasury the title to and ownership of all monetary gold in the United States and also the general subject of revaluation of the gold content of the dollar. President expects to send a message to Congress Monday, Jan. 15.

LYMB FELL NEAR THE ROYAL CAR

Sandringham, Eng., Jan. 14—A Royal motor car containing the King, the Duke and Duchess of York and Little Princess Elizabeth and Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald narrowly escaped being hit by the falling branch of a tree today.

Just as the car drew up to Sandringham Church a six-foot limb was dislodged by a strong wind. It banged down on the roadway, only a few yards behind the car. No damage was done.

STOCK MARKET WAS BUOYANT THIS MORNING

New Highs for the Year Reached by Many Issues Both in Montreal and New York—Industrials Active.

New York, Jan. 15—The stock market was decidedly bullish this morning, industrial issues being particularly active. Many new high marks for the year were scored. U. S. Steel sold up to 51 1/4 General Motors to 36 1/4 and Standard Oil to 45 1/4. The pound sterling opened at \$5.10 1/2 and later sold up to \$5.11 1/2.

New York Market

(Stock Quotations Furnished by S. Douglas & Sons, Investment Bankers, Carleton St. Fredericton, N. B.)

Allied Chemical	148
A. M. Byers	25
Amer. & For. Pwr.	25
Amer. & For. Pwr.	9 1/2
Amer. Com. Alc.	56 3/4
Amer. Radiator	15
Amer. Roll. Mills	19 1/2
Amer. Smelters	44 1/2
Amer. T. & T.	117 1/2
Anacosta	14 1/2
Atchafalpa	62 1/2
Auburn	50 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	12
Baltimore & Ohio	25 1/2
Bendix	18 1/4
Bethlehem Steel	40 1/2
Borden	21 1/2
Canada Dry	25 1/2
Case Threshing	73
Cerro De Pasco	34 1/2
Chese & Ohio	41 1/4
Chrysler	51 1/2
Columbia Gas	13 1/2
Com. Solvents	34 1/4
Congoleum	24 1/2
Consol. Gas	41 1/2
Consol. Oil	10 1/2
Dupont	94 1/2
Elect. Antolite	20 1/4
Gen. Electric	20 1/2
Gen. Motors	36 1/4
Gillette	9 1/2
Goodrich	14
Goodyear	36 1/2
Hudson Motors	15 1/2
Int'l Harvester	41 1/2
Int'l Rayon	81
Int'l T. & T.	15 1/2
Johns Manville	59 1/4
Kelvinator	12 1/2
Kennecott Copper	20
Lambert	24 1/2
Loews Inc.	27 1/2
Monty Ward	24 1/2
Nash Motors	29
Nat. Distillers	25
Nat. Cash. Reg.	19
Nat. Pow. & Light	10 1/2
N. Y. Central	35 1/4
North American	16 1/2
Packard	4 1/2
Pennsylvania Ry.	33 1/2
Public. Ser. of N. J.	38 1/2
Radio	7 1/2
R. K. O.	2 1/2
Sears Roebuck	44 1/2
Simmons	19 1/2
Socony Vacuum	16 1/2
Southern Pacific	22
Standard Brands	22 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J.	45 1/4
Studebaker	5 1/2
Timken Roller Bear	32 1/4
Un. Carbon & Carb.	47 1/2
Union Pacific	11 1/2
United Aircraft	32 1/2
United Corp.	6
U. S. Rubber	16 1/2
U. S. Steel	51 1/4
Vanadium	23 1/2
Woolworth	45 1/4
Western Union	39 1/4
Worthington Pump	23

The Montreal Market

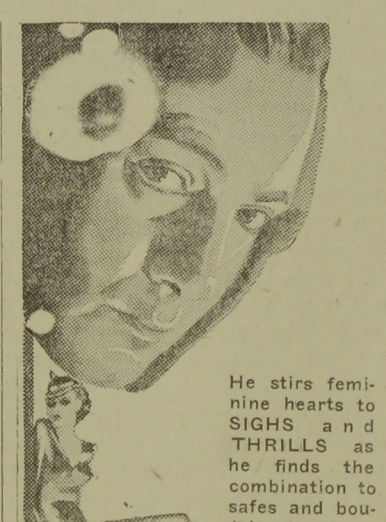
Stock on the Montreal exchange continued to move upward this morning. Brazilian sold at 15 1/2, C. P. R. at 16, Smelters at 12 1/2, Nickel at 22 1/2, Shawinigan at 20 1/2 and Bridge at 30, Steely of Canada at 30 1/2.

Bell Telephone	113
Brazilian	12 1/2
Bruck Silk	17 1/2
Canada Cement	10
Canada Car. & Foundry	7 1/2
Canada Hydro Elec. Ptd.	58
Can. Industrial Alcohol	19 1/2
Canadian Pacific	16
Cockshutt Plow	9 1/2
Cons. Mining & Smelting	134 1/2
Dominion Bridge	30
Dom. Steel & Coal B.	3
Gen. Steel Wares	4 1/2
Gypsum, Lime & Alab.	6

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