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A MEMORIAL FOR COLLEGE MEN

Calgary, Alta., Feb. 10.—A suitable memorial to the members of Alberta University who fell in the war will be erected by the Alumni Association and will take the form of a memorial scholarship fund to assist students, by loan or otherwise, who may be in financial difficulties during the college period.

At present the proposal is for a minimum fund of \$5,000, based upon an average subscription of \$25 from each of the alumni, who now number approximately 250.

Remember when folks worked just as hard in the summer time as they did in winter? Yep! If we really get in touch with Venus, as one astronomer thinks we may, perhaps she will tell us what she did with her other arm.

TO TAKE OVER SANITARIUM

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 10.—The provincial government has decided to take over from the Anti-Tuberculosis Society of British Columbia the King Edward Memorial Sanitarium at Tranquille, near Kamloops, subject to the approval of the Legislature.

THE LARGEST DEPOSIT OF ASPHALT IS IN TRINIDAD

Pitch Lake Occupies the Crater of an Extinct Volcano—Has an Elevation of About 135 Feet Above the Level of the Sea—Government of Trinidad Owns the Property—Is Easy of Access, Being Near the Sea.

The famous Pitch Lake of Trinidad, which supplies us with most of our asphalt, is illustrated and described in The Scientific American Supplement (New York). Long ago says the writer, when nature was stocking her storehouse with gifts for man, she must have recognized modern needs for smooth and dustless highways. For in the crater of an extinct volcano she set up her chemical laboratory for producing an inexhaustible supply of asphalt, the perfect road material. He continues: "The largest and best known asphalt deposit in the world is found on the eastern side of the Island of Trinidad, just a few miles off the coast of Venezuela, South America. This great deposit has been worked for years at the rate of 200,000 tons a year, not even a depression in the bed, and, apparently, there is just as much there now as there was at the very beginning.

"The Pitch Lake" as it is called, occupies what seems to be the crater of an extinct mud volcano. It is about a mile from the seashore, and has an elevation of 135 feet above the sea. The 'lake' or deposit covers an area of about one hundred acres, and is of an unknown depth. Borings of a hundred feet have been made. The surface is hard, excepting a few soft spots near the middle; it resembles brownish-black earth or stone. In places it is a bit soft underfoot so that the shoes leave impressions in the surface just as they do on an asphalt pavement on a hot day.

"There are a few soft spots where the mass oozes and bubbles up in a semi-liquid state. There is no vegetation over the deposit, and standing at the edge one notes that it is perceptibly higher in the middle than at the sides.

"The deposit is owned by the Government of Trinidad, and is leased to an American company to work. The income to the island from this curious deposit is said to amount to around a quarter of a million dollars annually.

"A refinery is located near the edge and several narrow-gauge tracks run out across the lake. The cross-ties of these tracks must be renewed every few weeks, for they gradually sink down and disappear in the asphalt, and if new ones are not constantly supplied the track itself would soon go out of sight. Negro workmen dig up the crude asphalt with picks in the spots where it is hard; the soft spots are left alone. It does not come up easily, but is rather tough, bends but does not break easily. The mass below the surface is full of holes and reminds one of a Swiss cheese. The farther down we go the softer does the material become, so that after one spot is dug out to a depth of about two feet or so the workmen are obliged to dig in some other place. In the course of a week or ten days the hole that was dug out fills itself up again even with the surface. The heat is intense over the whole surface of the lake.

"This asphalt contains very little foreign matter and as it stands could be used for road work. When it is to be used for roofing or the making of asphalt paints it is put through a special refining process.

"Asphalt or asphaltum is like coal,

a product of prehistoric vegetation. The only other deposit which approaches this one in size is found in the lowlands of Venezuela about 50 miles from the coast, and although of a still purer quality, the location of the lake makes it hard to get at. Some authorities claim that these two lakes are connected and are fed from the same source through subterranean fissures in the rock.

"Asphalt was first used as a road material in Paris some 50 years ago, but has attained its greatest usefulness in America."

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Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen, and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the post offices of Prince William Station and Magundy, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, H. W. WOODS, Post Office Inspector, Post Office Inspector's Office, St. John, N. B., 3rd Feb., 1920.

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- 26 Corner Charlotte and Westmorland Streets.
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- 28 Corner Saunders and York Streets.
- 31 Corner Queen and Regent Streets.
- 32 Corner Needham and Regent Streets.
- 34 Corner Queen and Carleton Streets.
- 35 Corner Brunswick and Carleton Streets.
- 36 Corner Charlotte and Carleton Streets.
- 37 Corner George and Regent Streets.
- 38 Corner King and Regent Streets.
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- 16 Corner Charlotte and St. John Streets.
- 51 Corner King and Church Streets.
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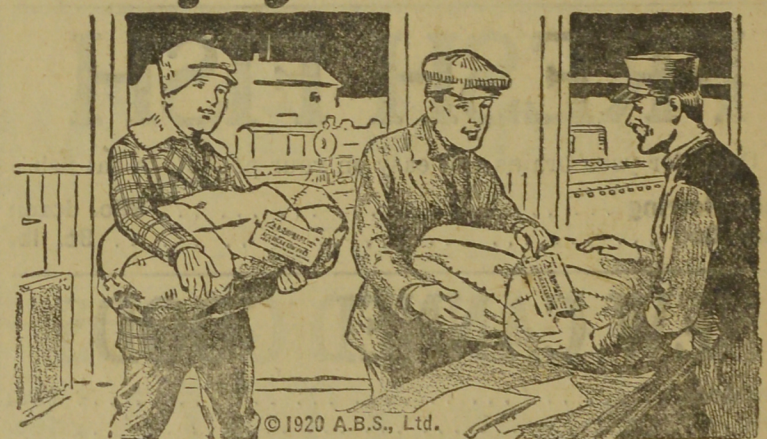
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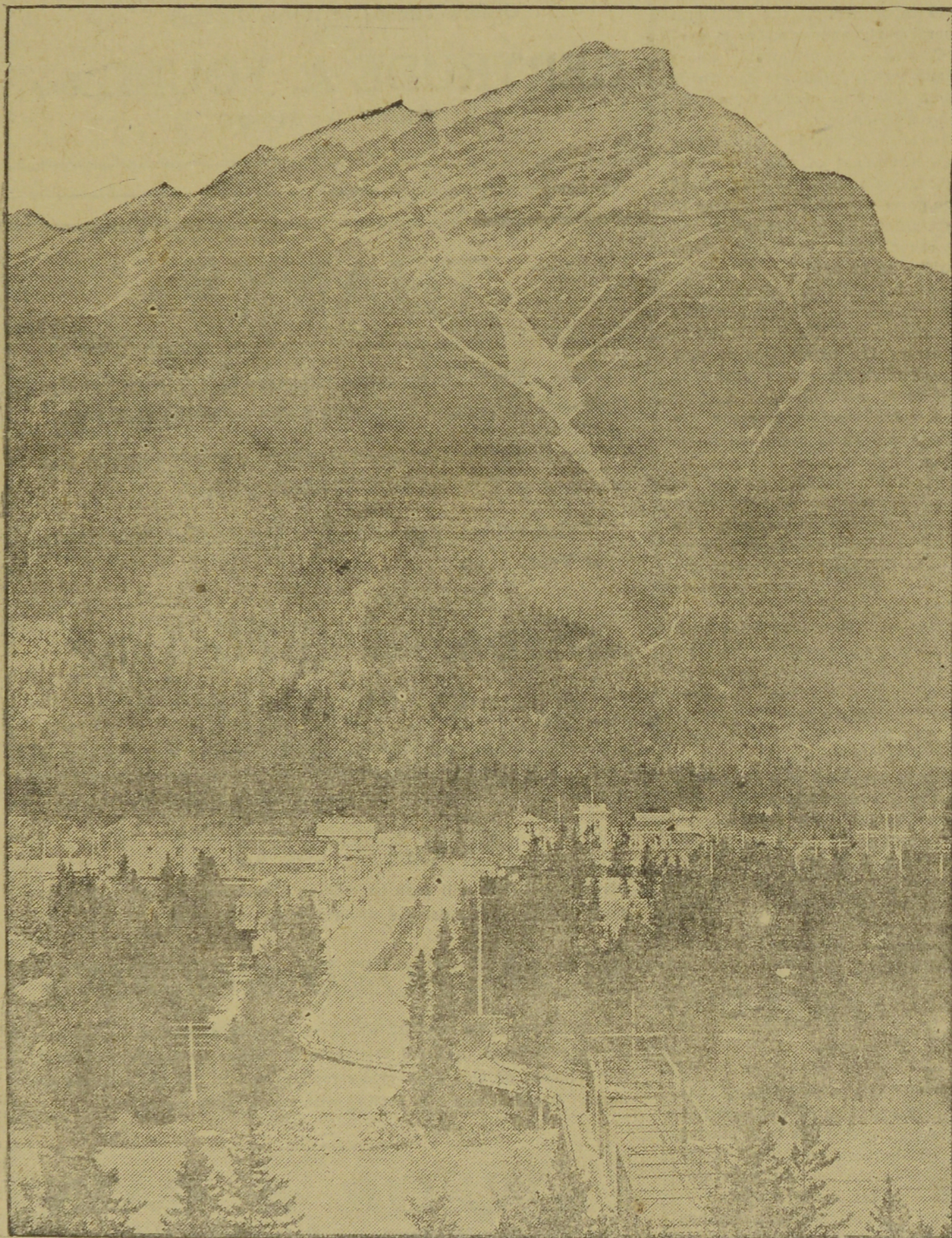
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Reflections On Banff



Cascade Mountain Watches Over Banff and the Bow River.

Sweating in a temperature in the vicinity of 90 degrees in a big city one thinks of Banff and the delightful coolness of the Rocky Mountains. How we long for a glimpse of the snow, the scent of the pines, and to take a plunge in the Sulphur Water.

Talking of Banff, this little town has well been named "Banff the Beautiful"; it is the "Spa of Canada" and thousands of tourists are attracted there annually.

The Banff Hot Springs are famous for their health-giving qualities, especially for curing rheumatism. These sulphur springs were known to the Red Men long ago, and were accidentally discovered by some engineers when surveying for the C. P. R. A huge swimming tank here has a depth of water from 3 to 8 feet. People of all ages sport themselves in the water, which is quite warm, so that bathing is not attended with fits of shivering. This tank is open to the air, and a large stone gallery runs along one side so that spectators can sit and watch the merry throng in the water.

The beauties of Banff are to be found on all sides. There are mountains to right of us, mountains to left of us, mountains behind, and in front of us. The Alpine Club has

headquarters here, and daily one meets parties armed with Alpin-stocks, and provided with cameras, on their way to enjoy mountain climbing.

One cannot write of Banff without mentioning the Bow River, that river of the beautiful pale green colour, reminding one of opals and their ever changing tints. It is enchanting to stand on Banff Bridge early in the morning when the sun rises and to look on the water, see the pretty boat houses reflected in its depths, with the snow capped Massive Range in the background. Mt. Vermilion is on the right.

One need never feel dull or suffer from ennui in Banff, there is so much to see and to do. There is the Main St. with its stores displaying beautiful furs, Indian bead-work, picture postcards, etc., the Zoo with its fine collection of Canadian animals, and the museum where the flora and fauna of the Dominion are displayed for the benefit of students of botany and other kindred sciences.

The photographer has a wide field for his particular hobby every turn of the road, and land of the river offering new beauties.

Banff is well supplied with comfortable hotels, most of them being in the Main St., there is also the

palatial C. P. R. Hotel situated on an eminence on the lower slopes of Sulphur Mountain. The tourist can wander into the courtyard of this hotel at any time, take a chair on the terrace and enjoy the scenery to his heart's content. The scene cannot be eclipsed for grandeur. In the foreground Cascade Mountain stands on guard, Mt. Rundle is on the right, Sulphur Mountain rises behind, on the left are Mt. Vermilion and the Massive Range, while down below the Bow River rushes and tumbles in the rapids, finally taking a leap over the Falls, to be joined by the waters of the Spray River further down the valley. This view cannot be surpassed in the world. No King's Palace has a finer situation or a more extensive outlook than that of the C. P. R. Hotel at Banff. Visitors are invariably loud in their praises of its beauty and leave this scene with reluctance and lingering regret.

Thousands have vivid memories of evenings spent in this delightful resort. The sunset in the gold and west throws exquisite rose and violet tints on the snow capped peaks. In the short twilight all nature is still, and later on the Northern Lights blaze out in all their glory, all nature lovers should see Banff. The beauties are never to be forgotten.

EXPERIMENTS WITH WIRELESS TELEPHONS

London, Feb. 11.—Signor Marconi prophesies that in the immediate future conversations between Great Britain and the United States will be carried on by wireless telephones and that the cost will not be more than 24 cents for one minute.

The great inventor told a correspondent that last week he spoke direct to Canada from London, and he added "It is only a matter of time when we shall be able to talk to New York from London. Already we have carried out many successful experiments between London and the continent, and we hope we shall be able soon to announce the installation of a world wireless telephone system in all countries interested."