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DENIES THAT THE CROWS HAVE REDUCED THE NUMBER OF CORN BORERS BY 25 PER CENT

Manly Miner, son of Jack Miner, says that the statement that crows are eating 25 per cent. of Corn borers is a misleading and an unfinished statement. There is nothing so misleading as a "half truth" although it may be entirely honest in its intention.

If I were to say we are killing 100 per cent. of crows it would be very misleading and, as I would term it, an unfinished statement, but when I would add a few words to statement and finish it by saying: "We are killing 100 per cent. of crows That go under crow net it would be a better explained statement and not so misleading.

When a man says: "crows have reduced corn borer 25 per cent." I say this is an unfinished statement and apt to be misleading. It might be true that in one corn stalk crows have reduced corn borer 25 per cent., or in one acre, or in one field, or in a few fields that a man visited, but taking the corn belt as a whole in South Western Counties of Ontario, and to say crows have reduced corn borer 25 per cent., I say again it is misleading, as I can take you or any other individual to several cornfields in Essex Co the same as I have several parties in past who were here to make investigation, and every crow track would lead and did lead to ears of corn where the kernels of corn is the main object. can take you to fields where corn is still in shock and kernels of corn on all the ears that hang on outside of shock have been eaten off. Another thing I can do is take you to pasture fields with corn fields all around outside and show you crows pulling horse manure to pieces after the undigested oats.

Every statement regarding crows reducing corn borers 25 per cent. has always read and been printed as a fact and not as an estimation. The word estimate has never been used, for instance, in Chatham News of Friday, February 26th, in big head lines it reads: "Crow has reduced corn borer 25 per cent." The author states that as a fact, not an estimate, and such being the case, and dealing with percentage, somebody must have counted the corn borers in a certain district and then someone else must have watched all the crows and counted the borers they ate and, of course, this is an impossibility. Why, imagine the number of corn borers there are in Southern Ontario. In Essex County alone which is practically 10 miles square, the big crop is corn and is planted 3 or 4 feet apart, and most corn stalks, especially corn which was planted early contains all the way from four to ten corn borers and even more in some cases. Then again something else that should be taken into consideration is that at least two thirds of corn fodder or even more is in farmers' barns or in fodder stacks which is used for feeding cattle and horses. Most farmers feed nothing but corn fodder in the winter to their stock. Thus the cattle and horses eat the leaves off stalk and stalks which contain all the corn borer are left and drawn out on fields early in Spring. All that is left in the field for crows to get at is what is in corn stubble which is from 8 to 14 inches high, while the balance of stalk which would be at least six feet high has been taken to barns to be fed where crows can't and don't have a chance to attack borer. Yes, some people husk their corn standing, and leave the whole stalks in field, but a very very small percentage do this, taking the country as a whole, as most farmers depend on their corn fodder for winter feed. Therefore, I say, that 25 per cent. of the corn borers are not even in the field for the crows to get at let alone eating 25 per cent. As I said before, they are in the fodder

stacks or barns of the farmers. If crows were even eating 25 per cent. of corn borers they could get at, it would be a very small percentage of the total corn borer crop. And even if crows were eating 25 per cent. of c n borers in some localities that crows, were able to get at, that would even be a small percentage of corn borers that are still in field, saying nothing about what, as I said before, are in fodder in barns and fodder stacks.

And, I say again, for anyone to just say crow has reduced corn borer 25 per cent. is making an unfinished, misleading statement and, personally I think that if such a statement were to read "In some localities in the fields where crows can get at corn borer in the 8 or 14 inches of corn stubble, and standing corn, the crows have reduced corn borer "25 per cent.," taking the corn belt of Ontario as a whole, and considering corn borers that are in corn fodder in barns or in fodder stacks and in corn shocks where crow can't get at corn borer it is doubtful if crows on a whole have destroyed over one-tenth of one per cent. of corn borers in Ontario. "I think this would be nearer the fact than to say as Chatham News of Feb. 26th, quotes Mr. G. Crawford, Dominion Entomologist Branch Representative as saying: "Crows have reduced corn borers 25 per cent." Supposing the crow was eating 100 per cent. of corn borers in corn stubble; yet the corn fodder which is drawn to barn where crows can't get at borer (as is claimed he does) contains enough to stock the whole earth, as it is in these stalks in the barns where the largest percentage of borers are.

Then again as has been said before, corn borer has increased in midst of crows so fast that H. N. John S. Martin, Minister of Agriculture of Ontario, has announced all corn stalks and corn fodder must be burned, buried or ensilaged. Such being the case there will be no more corn borers for crows to get at, and crows will be of no more use in this respect than before corn borers were on earth.

MANLY F. MINER.

DIVINING ROD MAN MAY SEARCH FOR BODIES

Windsor, March 10—Despairing of being able to locate by ordinary methods the sedan containing the bodies of James Phipps, his wife and their three children, believed to be on the bottom of Lake Erie somewhere between Pelee Island and the mainland, friends of the family today set in motion a plan which they believe will reveal the exact spot where the death car lies beneath 50 feet of water.

A summons was this afternoon despatched to Charles Neil of West Lorne known as the "divining-rod man", requesting him to come to Leamington and aid in the search for the five victims of last Monday's tragedy. Neil, a quiet-appearing farmer, already has performed a number of remarkable feats in discovering bodies of drowned persons. His most recent work was at Stratford a month ago, where by the use of an ordinary piece of copper wire bent to a V shape he was able to point out the exact location of the body of Jimmy Cornell.

Several days' search by police was non-productive, but Neil, it is asserted, after walking a short distance on the ice, stopped when his "rod", held loosely in both hands swayed sharply and then pointed directly downward.

TROTSKY TO LECTURE ON JOURNALISM

Moscow, March 10—Finding Soviet Journalism backward and lacking in pep, Trotsky, in addition to his manifold duties, as accepted the professorship offered him by the Moscow School of Journalism. Trotsky will lecture on the following themes:

"The chief diseases of our press, and cures; newspaper information; publicity material; newspaper language and style; contact with the reader and study of the reader's interests; training workers and peasants correspondents."

Trotsky will commence his professorship by telling the journalists how to improve a Soviet newspaper.

Here and There

The Mills, driving Brewster's famous Russian wolf hounds, won the Strongheart Trophy in the 96-mile Dog Derby race at the Banff Winter Carnival and soon after left to enter the American Dog Derby races which were held at Ashton, Idaho.

Five thousand settlers are in sight for Canada this year under the Land Settlement scheme, according to Major John Barnett, Chairman of the Soldier Settlement Board at Winnipeg. "The majority will come from Great Britain and will be prepared to take root in Canadian soil," Major Barlett said.

Word has been received at Canadian Pacific headquarters of the death of James McGown, Superintendent Engineer of British Columbia coast services. Mr. McGown was born in 1863 and entered the service of the Canadian Pacific steamships in 1891 as fourth engineer. He brought over the Canadian Pacific steamer "Princess Marguerite" from Glasgow to Vancouver last year.

An indication that big fish are migrating from the waters around Florida and Mexico to New Zealand is forecast in a special cable received recently. Zane Grey, the famous American writer, who is in New Zealand at present, caught the world's record swordfish recently. The monster weights six hundred and eighty-five pounds and is large in proportion.

Stricken sick suddenly, Mrs. Charles Burns, wife of the president of the Carling Brewing and Malting Company, London, Ont., telephoned to Mrs. Leon, her sister-in-law, wife of the vice-president of the company, who was in Montreal with her husband. Mr. and Mrs. Leon left Montreal in a special Canadian Pacific train, which made the run to Toronto in six hours and forty-three minutes, just in time to make the connection with the regular train which leaves Toronto for London at 6.45 a.m.

Tom, Dick, Jerry and Harry, four born fighters from the fighting county of Yorkshire, England, arrived in Montreal recently on their way to W. W. Graves, United States Supreme Court justice at Jefferson City, Mo. They are not going to the judge to be sentenced for infractions of the peace, but simply because His Honor, being from and in Missouri, wants to be shown whether it is true, as alleged, that the best Indian game cocks can only be got from Yorkshire.

Dogs, pigeons, canaries, rabbits, pedigree fowl, wild birds, gold fish, linnets, ducks, monkeys, cavies, better known as guinea pigs, and parrots were among the livestock carried from Europe and the British Isles to this country and the United States by the foreign department of the Dominion Express Company during 1925, according to the yearly statement recently issued by the company. In the statement was included a total of about 1,000 racing pigeons.

Under the auspices of the St. Jean Baptiste Society, Montreal branch, a special train has been chartered from the Canadian Pacific Railway to carry a party of some five hundred members of the society to Chicago to take part in the Eucharistic Congress to be held in that city in June. During congress week will be celebrated St. Jean Baptiste Day, on June 23, under the auspices of the Patriotic Association of French-Canadians of Illinois, which will conclude with a banquet at which 1,500 guests will be present.

It is said that so-called comic strip is a hundred thousands years old. Or as old as the rolling-pin.

Her Face Was Covered With Large, Red Pimples

Miss Greta Carlisle, 23 Leonard St., Brantford, Ont., writes:—"A short while ago, my face was completely covered with large red pimples, and it seemed that it was almost impossible for me to get rid of them, as nothing I took seemed to do me any good. One day I noticed an advertisement of

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Mens 10 in. Palmer Horse Hide Indian Style D.S.	\$3.00	\$2.15
Mens 6 in. Palmer Horse Hide Indian Style D.S.	\$2.50	\$1.95
Boys 6 in. Palmer Plain Sewn Oiltanned 'packs.	\$2.75	\$2.25
Youths 6 in. Palmer Plain Sewn Oiltanned 'packs.	\$2.00	\$1.60
Little Gents 6 in. Palmer Plain Sewn Oiltanned Shoepacks	\$1.50	\$1.25
Boys and Misses 6 in. Palmer Horse Hide Indian Style Draw String. (Just the thing for Snow-shoeing)	\$2.25	\$1.85
Youths 6 in. Horse Hide Indian Draw String 'packs.	\$1.75	\$1.50
Little Gents 6 in. Horse Hide Indian Draw String Shoepacks	\$1.50	\$1.25

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