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LIFE INSURANCE WEEK

At a time when the old order is changing, when in federal, provincial and municipal affairs there are eager advocates of extreme legislation, when public thought is disturbed and private individuals are perplexed, it is good to have the old lessons of thrift and financial independence emphasized in a national and emphatic way by life insurance companies and life insurance underwriters.

The institution of life insurance holds an enviable place in public estimation—and properly so. Representing in Canada, as it does, some 3,500,000 policyholders, one-third of the total population of the Dominion, it has administered the vast total of its assets, which are its policyholders' savings, to the advantage of the individual, the family and the nation. In times of unprecedented distress, it has met every obligation promptly, paid every claim in full.

In the last five years it has paid out over \$800,000,000 to policyholders and beneficiaries, and of this total more than 75 per cent has gone to living policyholders. And the striking fact of these payments does not lie in the large amounts that have been disbursed from year to year, but in the fact that these benefits are the result of self-sacrifice on the part of 3,500,000 policyholders—thrifty citizens who have brought their savings together in life insurance funds so that they and their families would have the necessary financial security for the future.

In serving its policyholders, life insurance in Canada has not only contributed immensely to individual welfare but it has been a powerful factor in maintaining national stability. From the wider viewpoint, these citizens who have joined together to provide for their own financial future are, through their life insurance savings, the main lenders of money to governments and municipalities. These savings to the extent of hundreds of millions of dollars have helped to develop Canada. Through life insurance investments they have given the farmer money to build homes and barns, to buy seed, to purchase implements and live stock, to harvest the crops. They have stimulated business for the corner store and the country merchant. They have given employment to urban workers in cities, towns and villages all across Canada. They have extended transportation facilities by rail and water, built highways, paved streets, erected schools, constructed water, sewage and other public utilities, provided money for all kinds of necessary federal, provincial and municipal undertakings. What life insurance policyholders' millions have meant in sustaining national life, in relieving the strain upon relief funds, can never be over-estimated.

SCOTTISH WHEAT AND FLOUR IMPORTS

For the first three months of this year the total imports of wheat into Scotland at Glasgow and Leith, the two chief ports, amounted to 1,341,800 cwt. as compared with 987,400 cwt. during the same period last year and 1,321,700 in 1933, writes Mr. G. B. Johnson, Canadian Trade Commissioner in Glasgow, in the forthcoming issue of the Commercial Intelligence Journal. Canada's share of the trade, 771,300 cwt., was 58 per cent compared with 489,000, or 49 per cent in 1934, and 837,700 cwt., or 63 per cent, in 1933. During the quarter Australia shipped 24 per cent of the whole as compared with 41 per cent in 1934, and 27 per cent in 1933. Argentina's contribution was 7 per cent compared with 5 per cent in 1934 and 1933. Although competition in the Scottish market is becoming keener every day and the conditions for Canadian millers appear exceptionally difficult, imports at Glasgow and Leith during the first quarter show that the Canadian trade is holding its own. Total imports of flour into Glasgow and Leith in the first three months of 1935

amounted to 481,850 cwt., as against 486,350 in the corresponding period of 1934, and 544,126 cwt. in 1933. Canada's shares were 355,099 cwt., as against 309,592 cwt. in 1934, and 264,30 cwt. in the preceding year.

SNAPSHOTS

There is a farmer who peddles eggs in the lower end of town and sells the produce to a good-looking girl at one house. Before he reaches the house where the good-looking girl lives he stops at a house nearby and washes the eggs and at another house he washes his face and hands.

Why was not the stop sign ordered placed at the corner of Carleton and Queen Street put in position?

A bicycle race across Siberia and back is proposed in Moscow. It has long been thought that six-day affairs would be brighter for eliminating the turns.

A British parliamentary candidate says frankly, "I am not promising a new heaven and a new earth." We omit the name, as no more will be heard of this fellow.

Some men kiss a girl as though they were determined that, not by the wildest stretch of the imagination, should she mistake their caresses for anything so serious as love.

Co-eds in an eastern college must pass a course in life-saving before they graduate. Thus prepared they know what to do instantly when a young man says "I cannot live without you".

The head of a firm who, being congratulated on a series of collection letters that were highly effective, modestly said: "I really don't deserve any credit. I just saved my boy's letters from college. Only a few changes were needed".

Refloat Schooner

OAK BLUFFS, Mass., May 13—The schooner Minas Prince, bound for New York from Parrsboro, N.S., was floated yesterday after running aground on Hedge Fence Shoal near here. The Coast Guard cutter Faunce, and the Eban A. Thatcher, a freight boat in the harbor here, extricated the schooner. Apparently no damages were suffered.

AN UGLY PHEASANT

Frank Brown, of Penniac, had the experience of looking after a ring-necked pheasant at his farm all winter. The pheasant, wild and unruly, wandered into the henyard and fed with the hens on numerous occasions. W. J. Scott of this city, now has possession of the bird and he has placed it in the protection of the Fish & Game Association. This summer he plans to take the bird to Grand Lake.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 13—Judge W. F. Harding today set aside the \$125,000 verdict returned for F. Brandon Smith, Jr., in his alienation of affections suit against his former wife, father, Joseph P. Cannon, Concord millionaire, and ordered a new trial.

Hear the interesting paper on 104th Regiment by Sterling Brannen on Wednesday night. Historical Society rooms above Post Office.

CONSERVATIVE PARTY MEETING

Lyric Theatre
MARYSVILLE
THURSDAY, MAY 16th
At 8 P. M.
Addresses will be given by Hon. R. B. Hanson, Minister of Trade and Commerce; Mr. C. Hedley Forbes and others.
All Electors are requested to attend and Ladies specially invited.
W. W. HUBBARD,
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May 13th, 1935.

An Everlasting Souvenir of the Jubilee Celebration

Lasting impressions of a day that should never be forgotten are now on display at Harvey Studio. The great celebration of the King's Silver Jubilee has been recorded by the candid camera eye and a complete set of photographs portraying the celebration from dawn until dark can be obtained at this up to date local studio.

There was represented by floats in the mile and a half parade on that day, the progress of the dominion in the twenty five years that H. M. King George has reigned.

The whole parade can be seen in photographs at Harvey's from the log cabin days to the famous Dionne quintuplets. Exceptionally fine prints of the proceedings at the Parliament buildings and various floats are arrayed on a large board in the lobby of the studio.

It is a day that can never repeated and even though you have an indelible impression of the whole celebration in your mind, it would be impossible for you to record the interesting details without the help of the camera.

Drop in at Harvey's and procure a complete set of these photographs to show your grandchildren. They will enjoy it all the more with the pictures.

Assessors and Investigators Here Re \$20,000 Fire

Investigation and insurance appraisal of the \$20,000 fire which occurred on the Colwell & Jennings, Ltd. premises here last week, was continued today. J. T. Jennings, senior member of the above firm, could not estimate the extent of his damages today and is awaiting the examination of the appraisers. E. P. Howard and D. A. Grant, both of Saint John, are in the city today in connection with the insurance and H. H. McLellan, the provincial fire marshal, is expected here from Saint John within a day or two.

In the meantime Fire Chief Karl A. Walker has been investigating the premises of Dunbar's Bakery in the Calder building, where the fire is believed to have originated. The supposition is held that the blaze started from the ovens of the bakery, though this has not yet been definitely ascertained.

BABIES CHRISTENED

At the morning service of St. Paul's United Church yesterday a baptism took place, the pastor, Rev. George Telford officiating. The babies baptized were Vernon Arthur Ainsworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Ainsworth, and Lloyd George Tait, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tait. Appropriate music was rendered at the service.

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Hon. H. H. Stevens Says
Thirteen Control One-Half of Canada's Industrial and Commercial Wealth.

TORONTO, May 13—Canada today faces Fascism controlled by the wealthy few, or Marxism established by a "destructive revolt" of the people, Hon. H. H. Stevens, former federal minister of trade and commerce, stated in an address here last night.

The reason for this lies in the failure of 13 men who control one-half of the nation's 20 billions of industrial and commercial wealth to evolve, during the past five years, a policy beneficial to the welfare of the people, Mr. Stevens said.

Speaking before the Association of Accountants and Auditors here, Mr. Stevens said 13 Canadian capitalists, one of whom controls \$4,000,000,000 of industrial wealth, and another of whom holds 42 salaried jobs in different corporations, should be called into a conference with officers of loan, insurance and trust companies.

These men, he declared, should be peremptorily ordered to "shoulder the task of righting Canadian affairs."

"If they failed to assume that task within one month," Mr. Stevens continued, "I would say to them that the Government would assume the control they (the controllers of capital) have now, and do it."

Harvey Station Sells Jersey Sire

Charles Robison & Sons of Harvey Station, N.B., members of the Harvey Jersey Club, report that they have sold the yearling Jersey bull Nappan Nobly Born 14th, to the Federal Live Stock Branch to be used in a bull club at Chatham, N.B. This bull was purchased by the Robisons last year from the Experimental Farm at Nappan. He is a son of Gem's Nobly Born, grand champion at the last Maritime Winter Fair and the sire of several R.O.P. daughters and prize winning offspring.

Gem is a son of the \$25,000 silver medal bull Nobly Born from Xenia's Benedictine Gem, a cow that sold for \$1,300 at auction. She has three records, for two of which she has been awarded gold medal certificates in the United States. Her highest record is 14,310 lbs. of milk and 730 lbs. of fat. She is a daughter of the \$30,000 bull Xenia's Sultan.

For a dam the bull that goes to Chatham has the great show cow Lord's Model, imported from Jersey Island. She has two R.O.P. records. Her last made at 4 years is 9,239 lbs. of milk and 557 lbs. of fat. She is a daughter of Lord of the Isle, a silver medal sire that has recently been sold by H. H. Bull & Son for \$7,500 to a syndicate in British Columbia.

This bull combines much of the regular Jersey blood lines of the day together with an abundance of production. He should prove of great value to the Miramichi district which according to James Bremner, secretary of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club, must devote more of their attention to the dairy cow.

Dr. A. E. Burton Dies

GLOUCESTER, Mass., May 13—Dr. Alfred E. Burton, 78, first dean of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and roommate at Bowdoin College of Admiral Robert E. Peary, died here yesterday. He actively assisted in organizing Peary's early expeditions.

FUNERAL TODAY

Mrs. Frances Colsey, aged 69, passed away on Saturday evening after an illness of several weeks. She is survived by her husband, Andrew Colsey two sons, Lee Elliott and Stanley Elliott, both of Marysville; two daughters, Mrs. L. Gaudet, Boston, and Mrs. Lewis Titus, Marysville. The funeral took place this afternoon, with service at the home of Mrs. Titus, Marysville, at 2 p.m. by Rev. M. H. Manuel. Interment was made at the Baptist cemetery.

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SUNBURY CONVENTION AT BURTON THIS WEEK

The Conservative party will hold a convention in the Burton court house on Friday at 2 p.m. for the purpose of selecting two candidates to represent the Tilley government in that county in the coming Provincial election. Premier Tilley and Hon. R. B. Hanson, minister of trade and commerce, will address the convention and the candidates. Mr. Hanson arrived here from Ottawa yesterday and will receive an honorary degree at the annual Encaenia of the University of New Brunswick. He will also address the graduating class.

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