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THE MENACE OF DUST

A Boston physician, in a recent address stated that, in his opinion, the city's high death rate in throat and lung disease is due to smoke and dust. Any one of the largest causes of dust, he said is to be found in the way of fixing the streets. He said:

"The original macadam put down about 15 inches of cracked stone and then about 10 inches of crushed stone and five inches of gravel, and used a steam roller with loads of water for several weeks, but the city of Boston puts down about two inches of cracked stone and a like amount of earth followed by a roller for a few days. Another cause of dust and disease is the so-called street sweeping machine which throws the dust thirty feet in the air at night, through open windows, to be breathed by the sleeper therein."

The Gloucester Advertiser says:—As to methods of road building we do not pretend to be experts, although we firmly believe that the extra money spent in making roads right in the first place is money well spent. Permanent roads should be so built as to last more than a year. The country method of scraping each year the dirt from the sides of the road into the centre will hardly do in the city.

But we think that most physicians will probably agree that one large cause of disease everywhere is city dust. This dust is not simply pulverized rock as in the country, but is a composition containing within itself, besides rock, all kinds of dead and decaying animal and vegetable matter. When this is breathed in by people who are in a condition to suffer harm, disease very naturally results. Methods of laying dust may vary, for some would claim that all streets should be oiled, and some prefer water. But that dust shall be laid is very important in the summer not only from the standpoint of comfort, but also for the sake of health. And the latter consideration is the greater.

HIGHWAYS AID B.I.L.

When the Hon. Mr. Cochrane again introduced the highways Aid Bill, it contained provisions which gave absolute control of the \$1,500,000 voted for this purpose by the government without any control by parliament. When Sir Wilfrid Laurier presented a resolution approving the principle of the Bill, but demanding that "The appropriation for that object should be allotted and paid to the governments of the respective provinces in proportion to the population of the population of the said provinces," the Tories and Nationalists rallied behind Mr. Borden and voted it down. When the Senate amended the Bill to British parliamentary practice, the government abandoned it rather than lose its grip on the money. It was evident Mr. Borden and Mr. Cochrane were more anxious to get absolute control of the \$1,500,000 than to help the farmers by the construction of good roads. The electors of South Renfrew and the Hon. Mr. Graham know the reason. The money could and would be used as an effective electioneering agent.

A London despatch says:—The craze for "freak" fashions is nowhere more noticeable than in Hyde Park, where almost every other woman seems to be cake walking along in impossible skirts, that are first made tight to impede their natural gait, and then slit up so that they flop and flap about the legs and ankles. The free walk that used to be so characteristic of the young English girl has gone. Now she trots with silly little steps as one watches the parade in the park one feels that every one is walking to imaginary ragtime music. These dresses almost defy description. Everything is done to complicate the skirt and distort the shape of the body. They bulge where they should not bulge and are looped and festooned so as to be wide in the middle and narrow at the ends, like an inverted vase.

The last word in department store sales methods is advertised by a New York concern. It has established booth in the Grand Central, Pennsylvania and Hudson terminal stations which made it possible for a person to buy all the goods he wants without going to the store at all. When the commuter leaves the station he order for whatever he wants; on his stops at the booths and leaves at return to the station in the late afternoon he calls at the booth and gets the goods. Nothing could be simpler or more convenient.

A young woman who was under arrest in a London (G.B.) police court the other day, drew from her handbag a round box and aimed it at the judge. The police officers sprang forward and grabbed the box. As they did so toilet powder flew across the reporters' benches and covered the clothes of the men. But everybody in the room believed that his last hour had come, for the capers of the Suffragettes caused them all to see a bomb in the harmless box.

With the filing of an application at San Francisco for a permit to construct a \$500 cottage, building applications since the fire and earthquake of 1906 reached a total of approximately \$400,000,000. This is in rough figures the amount of the city's loss of property in that disaster. This last application is numbered 50,000, the series dating from the first one issued after fire destroyed a large part of that city.

A WHITE DEER

Chatham World—A perfect white deer, the first Albinio of the season reported, has been in the vicinity of Ferry Road for the past two weeks and the residents are very much interested in the pretty animal. The other morning Postmaster Stothart almost met the deer at his own gate about a quarter past five, and on one occasion it brought two red deer with it and wandered around the fields in that vicinity.

DEATH OF A CHILD

Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Price of Marysville have the sympathy of a large number of friends in the death of their son Jacob F. Price aged one week. The funeral will take place at 2 p.m. Saturday with service by Rev. Mr. Hicks. Interment will be made at the Methodist burying ground.



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THE LATEST BULLETIN ON THE FIELD CROPS

Ottawa, July 14—Reports received from correspondents at the end of June enable the Census and Statistics Office to issue finally revised estimates of the areas sown to spring crops this year and also estimates of the areas devoted to the later sown cereals and hoed crops. With regard to wheat the reports are entirely confirmatory of those issued a month ago, and the area under wheat in Canada is therefore finally placed at 9,816,300 acres or 57,900 more than in 1912. The area in spring wheat is 8,990,500 acres or 13,100 acres more than in 1912 and the area to be harvested of fall wheat remains at 825,800 acres. Oats are estimated to occupy 9,646,400 acres, an increase of 429,500 acres, barley 1,430,800 acres, an increase of 15,600 acres, rye 127,200 acres, a decrease of 8,910 acres, and hay and clover 7,621,600 acres, a decrease of 12,000 acres.

The acreages under the later sown cereals and hoed crops are estimated to be as follows: Buckwheat 363,600, flaxseed 1,288,600, corn for husking 290,800, beans 58,850, potatoes, 467,800, turnips, etc., 215,900, sugar beets 19,250 and corn for fodder 277,990. These are increases in the case of potatoes, turnips, etc., sugar beets and corn for fodder but decreases in the case of the other crops.

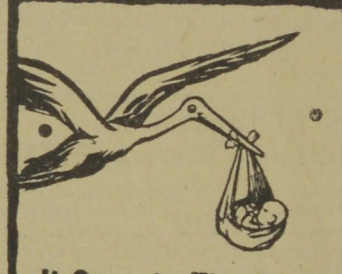
For the three Northwest provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta the total wheat area is finally estimated at 9,013,800 acres, as compared with 8,961,800 acres last year; that of oats at 5,305,800 acres compared with 4,913,900 acres and that of barley at 857,700 acres compared

Notice of Assessment

The Assessment Roll for the City of Fredericton for the year 1913 is now in the hands of the City Treasurer for collection and all persons therein assessed are hereby required to pay the amount of their respective taxes forthwith to the City Treasurer at his office in the City Hall, Fredericton.

A discount of five per cent will be allowed on all taxes paid on or before the 20th day of August next, after which execution may be issued and proceedings had thereon as by law provided.

Dated at the City Hall, Fredericton this 15th day of July A.D. 1913.
G. R. PERKINS,
Collector and Receiver of Taxes.
301—Aug. 20.



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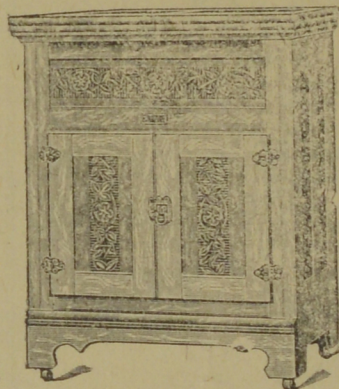
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