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### ST. JOHN INDUSTRIES

The present year should witness considerable industrial development in St. John, whether certain large projected industries materialize or not. The fact is becoming more widely realized that successful industries can be conducted here, and that local investors need not send their money to help build up factories in Quebec, Ontario or farther west. St. John factories are shipping their products in larger quantities to the west, and derive profit from the business. It is really surprising how many different lines of goods are manufactured in St. John, and if this can be done in a comparatively small way there is sound reason for assuming that with larger capital it could be done in a larger way. This is a matter that is worthy of careful thought by those who have some capital to invest. St. John will be what the people of St. John make it. They can make it a great city. The new spirit of enterprise which characterizes the board of trade may well take possession of every citizen, for all can do something, if it should be nothing more than to reveal a cheerful and hopeful mood. The successful business man who speaks disparagingly of efforts to boom the city does not deserve the success he has achieved. Never before has the outlook been so encouraging as it is at the present time. Opportunity knocks. Open the door.

### UNHAPPY MR. CROCKET

The disillusionment of Mr. Crocket goes on at Ottawa. The evidence given before the public accounts committee yesterday, relative to the Richibucto wharf, must have contributed in no small measure to his enlightenment. He had fondly believed that in this wharf transaction he had discovered a means of covering himself with glory and the hated Liberals with shame. It is his habit to indulge such beliefs, and his ill-fortune to be awakened by a rude shock. But it was really unkind of the government to uncover to the cold gaze of a critical world the tory apronament which valued the Shives wharf at Campbellton (previously sold for \$1,700), at \$35,000—the price the Conservative government paid for it. Mr. Crocket is learning wisdom by sad experience. He digs up items of expenditure and makes a great noise about them, only to learn that he has been wasting time and wearing out the patience of the members of his own party. Some fine day Mr. Borden will be compelled to give Mr. Crocket a little pointed and much needed advice. Then parliament will be better able to expedite business, and the country will breathe a sigh of relief. The people of Mr. Crocket's constituency must be rather sorry they elected him.

### FRAUD ON EMIGRANTS

It is charged that there are emigration guilds in Scotland which profess to be semi-religious or semi-philanthropic, but which are in business to make a profit out of intending emigrants to Canada. It is alleged that they induce people to emigrate from Scotland on terms which are being equated into are really unfair, and to the disadvantage of those who accept them. The Scottish passenger agents are protesting, and have formed themselves into an association to safeguard what they declare to be their own and the public interest. The Edinburgh Dispatch in a recent issue said:—

### CLIPPER SHIP IS TO BECOME A BARGE

The full-rigged American sailing ship Shenandoah, is to be converted into a barge. She has been used by the U. S. government for storage purposes at San Francisco and is now loaded with a cargo for New York. The Shenandoah, until recently the largest wooden craft under U. S. registry, was built at Bath, Me., 20 years ago. During the war with Spain she made the passage from Liverpool to the Virginia capes in eighteen days, a performance said to be unequalled by any sailing craft.

### MRS. STETSON DESERTED

New York, N. Y., Jan. 20—The last vestige of the former power of Augusta E. Stetson, deposed leader of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, disappeared last night, when the four remaining trustees, who were her supporters, resigned.

the investigation of references. They are also required to sign an agreement that each will accept such domestic position as the agencies may be able to provide, that she will remain in that position for one year, or until the amount advanced for her passage is repaid; while she is obliged to authorize the deduction of two-thirds of her monthly wages until her indebtedness is wiped out. When it is stated that many of these agencies obtain situations for these girls by supplying them to parties who forward a fee, which usually amounts to about forty-five dollars, it will be seen they are just business concerns. This reason alone, it has been argued, is sufficient to prove the undesirability of any girls emigrating under the auspices of these guilds. It is said also that many of the girls who take advantage of the specious offers of the would-be philanthropists are girls of low character, and as a result respectable girls are obliged to travel with them, which, of course, is most undesirable. Another argument against the agencies is that frequently they induce young people to emigrate without reference to their parents or friends.

"If the work of sending people to Canada was really done in the interests of philanthropy the passenger agents hold they would have no objections even although they are losing part of their own business, but they are convinced that many of the so-called philanthropic bodies are merely private business concerns.

"The Scottish agents, at their meeting the other day discussed the matter, and former an association and elected office-bearers. It is understood that at some meeting in the immediate future a definite line of action will be decided upon."

### THE VALLEY RAILWAY

The Standard endeavors to throw the blame upon the federal government for the delay in regard to the St. John Valley Railway. The facts, however, are against it. Mr. Hazen is doing nothing. He has been asked for information and has not given it. He is trifling with the people. As premier of the province, and especially as a representative of one of the counties interested, he should be so much in earnest in this matter that no suggestion of indifference on his part could be justified. The Standard gives very little space and is a day late in reporting the Gagetown meeting, but it has a much larger space to devote to the defence of Mr. Hazen and criticism of the federal government. This will not be lost upon the people of the St. John valley, who will understand that Mr. Hazen's organ is more anxious to defend him than to boom the railway. It is quite clear, however, that the premier must soon abandon his policy of inaction. The people who are flocking to meetings to demand the construction of the railway will make themselves heard in the legislature. It is idle to attempt to thrust the responsibility upon the federal government when the provincial authorities fail to do their duty in the matter.

St. John is apparently out for a record as a winter resort. Yesterday's temperature suggested spring rather than mid-winter.

The promoter of the sugar refinery is progressing with his plans. There is also a prospect of a new industry at Grand Bay.

Legislation to prevent the entry of undesirable immigrants into Canada is wise and should be made effective. This country can afford to wait for the best.

The York county council is not satisfied with the Hazen highway act, and asks for relief. The act does not tend to improve the roads or the temper of the people.

The people of Woodstock join in the demand for action in the matter of the valley railway. Hon. Mr. Flemming may find it necessary to say a word to Mr. Hazen.

Premier Asquith yesterday very properly censured such persons as those whom a Canadian joker has described as "the Jebberites of Toronto," for their impertinent advice to British electors.

The result of yesterday's polling in the United Kingdom did not give much encouragement to the Unionists. Their net gain to date is too small to warrant the slightest hope of defeating the government, which indeed seems likely to have a clear majority independent of the Nationalists.

### TRADES COUNCIL AGAINST METHODS OF STRIKERS

Cleveland, O., Jan. 20—The United Trades and Labor Council here last night denounced the strike of 10,000 workmen against the eating of meat and called on union laboring men to refuse to sign the anti-meat pledge.

The true remedy, according to resolutions adopted by the council, is a demand for higher wages by workmen in order that they may buy meat, and the establishment of a municipal slaughter house for the benefit of small butchers.

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### TOO LAZY TO WRITE.

Publisher—This MS you sent in for publication is merely a lot of telegrams. The Humorist—I know. I call the book "The Letters of a Lazy Lover."

FATAL DEFECT.

First Sport—Think Brusem will ever become a great pugilist?  
Second Sport—No; he's tongue-tied.

### THE GLAD WAY

With eyes that see the best in life,  
With hands that work and win,  
With feet that tread in simple faith,  
And hearts that know no sin,  
We all may take our ways in peace  
And enter where the gates  
Are opened wide and where the land  
Of constant sunshine waits.

With hopes that mount to noble heights,  
With dreams of love and truth,  
With fancies playing here and there  
Back in the days of youth,  
We all may go the way content  
If these whom we have passed  
Remember that we smiled on them  
When skies were overcast.

The word we sped to those who toiled,  
Who journey through the night,  
The laughter which they heard us wait  
To heaven in its flight,  
These will await us in the gate  
When we shall enter in  
With eyes that see the best in life,  
With hands that work and win.  
—St. Louis Star.

### IN LIGHTER VEIN

#### THE LUCKY ONE.

The moment that the rush is through  
We note the prices daily dropping;  
But she is mighty lucky who  
Has money left for bargain shopping.  
—Chicago News.

UNCLE EZRA SAYS:  
"Even a cat nowadays, in order to get  
three life successfully, hez got to keep  
right up to the scratch."—Boston Herald.

SCARCE.  
"Yes," said the photographer, "we do  
find women like that, but they're very  
rare."  
"What do you mean?"  
"Oh, now and then a woman comes in  
who thinks a profile picture of herself will  
show her as pretty as she really is."  
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

WORMY.  
When it was found that the hookworm  
was cutting down the use of the midnight  
oil in southern colleges, John D. came  
across with a million.—Kansas City Times.

CONVIVIAL RESEARCH.  
The man who stays out late at night  
Has found a tale that isn't true;  
He says, "My dear, just let it pass—  
We were looking for the comet thro' a  
three-inch glass."  
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

SHE HAD LISTENED.  
It was at a private entertainment, and  
a lady had just risen from the piano.  
"Wouldn't you like to be able to sing  
and play, my dear?" she queried of a  
little five-year-old miss.  
"No, ma'am, was the unexpected re-  
ply.  
"And why not?" asked the lady.  
"Cause," explained the small observer,  
"I wouldn't like to have people say such  
horrid things about me."

OLD TIMES REVIVED.  
The man who gets adown his neck  
A slushy ball of snow  
Forgets the time he was a boy,  
So many years ago!  
—Boston Herald.

FOLLY OF THE MEAN.  
John D. Rockefeller never wears of  
impressing on the young the folly of  
mean and parsimonious habits. In one  
of his most recent interviews he said:  
"These miserly people reap nothing but  
discomfort from their false economies.  
Take, for example, the case of Mrs. Silas  
Long of Sussex.  
"Martha," said old Silas one fall day,  
"I think I'll go out and get a few apples  
from the orchard."  
"He looked at her timidly. She said:  
"Well, be careful now, Si, only to  
pick the bad ones."  
"Suppose there ain't no bad ones,  
Martha?"  
"Then ye'll have to wait till some goes  
bad, of course," the old lady snapped.  
"We can't afford to eat good, sound fruit  
with three cents a bushel!"—St. Louis  
Globe-Democrat.

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### CANADIAN FARMERS ENJOY GOOD PRICES

(Toronto World)

The Canadian farmer has been particu-  
larly well blessed during 1909 with the  
prices for agricultural products. The  
smile that grew during the closing of the  
year, has broadened with the rosy beams  
of 1910.

Every product of the soil is maintain-  
ing a satisfactory quotation and more-  
over there are no signs in the market  
firmament that they will depreciate soon.  
Indeed the commendable feature from the  
producers' standpoint is that prices are  
maintained purely by the economic work-  
ing of the laws of demand and supply.

Cereals of all kinds are strong in tone.  
Wheat, in spite of the big harvests all  
over the world and the favorable returns  
from the Argentine, is manifesting a ten-  
sion far over the dollar quotations. Hay  
is selling at \$20 a ton in Toronto and even  
local points are paying as high as \$15  
per ton for mixed clover and timothy.  
Beef is soaring around the six cent mark  
at the farm, while butchers' cattle are as  
scarce as farmers in the British parlia-  
ment. Pork—its mention a luxury now—  
is scarce the world over. Those farmers  
who have a pen of ten pigs for the mar-  
ket can bring home from any town in the  
country a cheque for \$175.

Horses were never more in demand dur-  
ing the last 30 years at as high price as  
the farm. The big demand for the best  
has made the farmers in Ontario quite  
sensible of value. "Any old skate," re-  
marks the average farmer, "can bring a  
hundred dollar bill now." John Lowrey  
of Markham sold his prize black team  
last week for \$900.

Clover seed has been soaring also. Nine  
dollars per bushel is being paid at many  
country points for choice red clover and it  
is the opinion of many that the de-  
mand for seed in the spring will be good.

About as good an outlook on the On-  
tario farm is furnished by the production  
of poultry. Our city, and all the cities of  
Canada not to mention the millions of  
the United States, clamor for cheaper  
poultry products. The prices of eggs and  
dressed fowl have been profitable. The  
traffic in pure bred fowls and eggs for  
hatching has been growing larger every  
year and it is likely the demand for eggs  
during the year 1910 will be enormous.

It is a regrettable fact, but there is an  
economic law at work in agriculture,  
which says that when grain prices are  
high less returns are put back on the  
farm, and unproductive improvements are  
the tendency.

This is due from the sale of grains, hay  
and the breeding live stock, thus leaving  
the farm deficient in manures. This slight  
to the soil already weakened by years of  
grain farming becomes a serious moment.  
The far-sighted agriculturist will keep his  
soil fertility constantly before him. This  
fertility he ensures by feeding live stock,  
a wide rotation of crops and the plenti-  
ful use of clovers. In two of Canada's  
leading live stock departments, the farm  
lands are this year deficient—milk cows  
and hogs. There has been economy for  
years in our sheep industry. With the  
taking off of the embargo and the better  
conditions of the woolen industry, every  
farmer ought to carry a few ewes of his  
favorite breed.

Here are the top prices recorded in  
Toronto this week as compared with  
those of 1909:

Butcher cattle	1010	1010
Hogs, live	85.00	85.00
Hogs, dressed	6.50	9.00
Sheep	4.25	5.00
Clover seed ton	5.75	8.50
Hay, timothy	13.50	21.00
Hay, mixed	11.00	16.00
Straw	8.00	8.00
Apples	4.00	3.00
Butter, farm	0.30	0.25
Butter, creamery	0.28	0.27
Cheese	0.125	0.134
Wheat, fall	0.95	1.10
Wheat, goose	0.90	1.09
Oats	0.44	0.41
Peas	0.88	0.93
Barley	0.59	0.53
Buckwheat	0.55	0.53
Beans, per ton	20.25	22.00
Shorts, per ton	22.00	24.00
Corn, No. 3	0.664	0.734
Eggs, per dozen	0.40	0.45
Potatoes, per bag	0.63	0.60

The farmer makes a lot of money for  
the middle man.

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" " " 8 to 10, 65c  
Tan " " 8 to 10, 85c  
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Gray " " 8 to 10, 75c  
Blue " " 3 to 10, 75c  
Red " " broken, 75c  
White " " 3 to 10, 90c

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arises but once a day. "What  
breakfast food" but once also;  
but "What Bread" is an eternal  
question that confronts the  
housewife every time the snowy  
tablecloth covers the festive  
board.

An answer to "The Eternal  
Question" may be found once  
and for all in the magic words  
"Butternut Bread."

"Butternut Bread is a favor-  
ite bread because it is a flavor-  
right bread." The palate re-  
fuses to forget that sweet nutty  
flavor.

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