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some kind of a sermon every day.

OLD UTILI TIES REGAINING PRESTIGE

T IS encouraging to note in recent times a disposition to again utilize for public service institutions which in the days of our fathers contributed not a little to pioneer life and which were finally

discarded as old-fashioned and primative.

In the development of hydro energy, for instance, the waterways of this country, which in the early days provided power for the operating of saw and grist-mills and other useful purposes, and which were in too many cases supplanted by expensive steam plants, have been made the means of promoting undertakings which were not so long ago considered impractical. Throughout our own valley today electricity is furnishing light and power, and making rural life easier and pleasanter, not so much because of any new invention as in consequence of the restoration of methods utilized in the long

And now the windmill, which not so long ago was regarded as a useful device for many purposes in this country, is coming back. England is taking the lead in the effort to harness the windmill for creating electric current for the purpose of lighting the homes and villages, and the doing of many "odd jobs" that will make the Eng-

lish countryside all the merrier.

In our mania for speed and power we are apt to forget the simpler methods and fail to utilize the smaller economies. It is well that England, in this time when the world's great need is more intense than ever before, has recognized the utility of the humble windmill, and will harness it up to turn out cheaper living, less tiresome labor and brighter evenings for her people. Other countries may

YOUR OWN TOWN

YOUR own town is where your home is, where your business is situated, where your vote is cast, where your children are educated, where your neighbors dwell, and where your life, or the greater part of it, is spent.

It has a right to your loyalty. It supports you and you must support it. Your town wants your friendship—not partisanship; co-operation—not dissention; sympathy—not criticism; intelligent support-not indifference.

Your town supplies you with law and order, trade, friends, education, recreation, and the rights of a freeborn Canadian. You should believe in your town and work for it.

You will always find people who are willing to condemn their own town, their own country, and the world in general. You will also hear people say that the world is a funny place to live in, and that it is going to the dogs. On the other hand you will hear people say that the world is all right, but the people that live in it are all wrong, and we believe there is a great deal in this.

Compare our lives in Canada today with those of our forefathers years ago. In those days there were few railroads, no motor fifty years ago. cars, no telephones, no lighting plants, no radio, nor a thousand other things that make life worth living today.

In spite of the fact that conditions are not as good as we would like them to be, Canada is a good place to live in, and your town is the best town in Canada.

LET'S STOP THE DRUNKEN AUTO DRIVER

THE IMPOSITION of a fine—even a heavy one—means very little to the ordinary offender who persists in driving a motorcar while under the influence of intoxicants. A jail sentence is more likely to prove efficacious, but even that may be forgotten in the course of time. The most likely method of correcting this menace to public safety, in our opinion, would be the cancellation of the driver's license until such time as he may be able to establish that there is no likelihood of further offence. Capital punishment may have many weak points but its carrying out makes evident that there will not be any possibility of a repetition of the crime. We would not go so far in the case of a drunken automobile driver, but the public

safety justifies extreme methods where necessary.

The car driver who operates his machine while incapable because of drink is perhaps the greatest menace of the present age. We on and they are becoming more and common throughout the country. While those in authority remain inactive a tragedy is liable to occur any day. The Acadian has no desire to restrict any person's privilege, but it is full time that the roads were made safe for respectable people.

A DAY IN JUNE

THE WORLD we live in has two divisions—outdoor and indoor. And the people in it may be roughly classified as outdoor or indoor people with outdoor or indoor minds.

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We who live more and more indoors, who work indoors and play indoors and worship indoors, have need from time to time to get out into the open. "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills," sang an ancient poet, "from whence cometh my help."

This chance is curs today. As of old, there is always something new and prophetic in the coming of June. No man, unless he be utterly dead of soul, but feels a new thrill of life and a quickening of the rules as he witnesses the renewal of the year.

the pulse, as he witnesses the renewal of the year.

Since time began this lesson has touched the heart of mankind with new hope. If God so clothe the grass of the field, which today is, and tomorrow is cast into the oven, will He not much more, and by a mightier ministry, renew the drab spirit of man?

COMPULSORY AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE

A UTOMOBILE owners in the State of California will be compelled to carry insurance, according to reports of proposed legisation in that state. Such a measure has much to commend it. Not infrequently a driver, who is the cause of an accident in which the other suffers heavy loss, is financially worthless and it is quite useless for the injured one to attempt to recover damages. With compulsory insurance the injured one would be able to obtain some comparisation. pensation.

THE FLYING HENS

RESIDENTS who are interested in beautifying their premises report that they are sadly handicapped in their work by the presence of stray fowls. While we are great poultry boosters we do not believe in allowing the chicken to trespass on our neighbors. Chickens do not belong in gardens or in flower beds, and owners should have due respect for the rights of their neighbors. The hen is a great institution but only when under control.



A TRADE AT HOME FABLE

Once upon a time there was a certain woman in Smallville who complained that a certain article of merchandise cost a few cents more from the home merchant than from the merchant in Bigtown, Whereupon the woman went to Bigtown to make certain purchases. She found that while she had saved a few cents here and there, she had lost many dollars through more expensive purchases, and came home sadder and poorer, but wiser. What with transportation expense, innocent but costly temptations—the little things—which are held out for the gullible, had she left whereupon to base any claim for trading away?

So it now happens that this good woman trades at home where she can get right down to genuine values and close business contact with the home merchant on such matters as refunds, exchanges, try-ons, guarantees and repairs, besides the convenience of charge accounts and on such matters as refunds, exchanges, try-ons, guarantees and repairs, besides the convenience of charge accounts and extension of credit when ever justified and wherever worthy; and plus all this, home pride and community spirit.

Along with trade at home, why not print at home?

BOYS AND BASEBALL

Persons who are not much past middle Persons who are not much past middle age remember with what comparatively slight equipment they took part in games that now seem to require a somewhat elaborate outlay. Take baseball, for example; if among the boys of the neighborhood a ball and a bat were procurable, nothing else was necessary. To be sure, there were some boys who had got their mothers to cut off the fingers of old gloves—kid gloves usually, which fitted their hands tigatly,—and who deluded themselves with the belief that by wearing these homemade "mitts" they suffered less pain from the sting of hardthrown balls than did those whose hands were uncovered. The boys who were were uncovered. The boys who were uncovered. The boys who were uncovered aring or barrier of the provided with either mask or chest protector, and why there are not more damaged countenances and injured spleens among the present middle-aged generation than appears to be the case it is hard to understand. Gnarled and knobby and to understand. Gnarled and knobby and bent fingers are probably more runnerous now than they will be twenty years hence, for the modern devices for protecting the hands in baseball are not only adequate but seem to be employed even by the gamins who play the game in the sand lots. As for spiked shoes, to prevent the player from slipping and turning his ankle, or padded trousers, to protect his thighs when he slid to base, they were unknown in the good old days. Mothers had to be even busier and han tier with the needle than they are now.

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"Mother," said a little boy after coming from a walk, "I've seen man who makes horses."

"Are you sure?" asked his mother.
"Yes," he replied. "He had a horse nearly finished when I saw him; he was just nailing on his back feet."



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A BIBLE THOUGHT -FOR TODAYand heritage in other years.

And he answered, Fear not: for they that be with us are more than they that be with them.—If Kings 6:16.

JUNE 20

When a man's ways please the Lord, he maketh even his enemies to be at peace with him.—Proverbs 16:7.

But Jesus said unto him, Follow me; and let the dead bury their dead.—Mat-

Or let him take hold of my strength, that he may make peace with me; and he shall make peace with me.—Isaiah 27:

JUNE 23
I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me.—Philippians 4:13.

JUNE 24
For thou shalt eat the labor of thine hands: happy shalt thou be, and it shall be well with thee.—Psalms 128:2.

JUNE 25
For through him we both have access by one Spirit unto the Father.—Ephesians 2:18.

NEWSPAPER PUBLICITY WINS

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H. L. Leeper, postmaster in Yakima, Wash., is ready to admit that there is about as much difference between newspaper publicity and would-be publicity gained from bulletin boards and posted notices, as there is between daylight and darkness, according to The Yakima Republic.

For several weeks recently Mr. Leeper had notices posted to the effect that bids were desired for the operation of the Yakima-Toppenish star mail route. Days and days went by with no one applying for the job. As the final date on which the bids had to be at Washington, D.C., approached, and no enquiries had been received yet, he decided to give out the notice as a news story.

The story was given three or four lines in The Republic and since its publication the postmaster has received more than twenty calls. "And that isn't the half of it," he says, "for they are still coming".—Ex.

MIXED HIS PHYSIOLOGY

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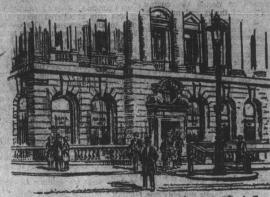
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