

Notes and Comments

The town of Westhoven, in Germany, still enforces an old ordinance which forbids anyone to walk in the street with a lighted cigar.

It has been estimated that the English language possesses fully 75,000 more words than the French, German and Spanish languages combined.

A new French farm tractor is never turned around while at work. It is a double ender and the driver merely changes his seat and the machine proceeds in the other direction.

Arthur Beverley Baxter, the young Canadian journalist, who wrote "The Blower of Bubbles," a book that set all Canada a-talking, has been called to London to assume a prominent editorial position with one of the large London dailies controlled by Lord Beaverbrook.

The Forward Movement among the five Protestant Churches in Canada has now reached a total of over \$13,394,000. The Anglicans have raised \$3,133,000; the Baptists, \$970,000; Congregationalists, \$116,000; Methodist, \$4,575,000, and the Presbyterians \$4,600,000.

An insistent demand has been made at Fredericton that a thorough investigation of the possibilities of harnessing the tides at the head of the Bay of Fundy, as a power development proposition, be made. It is believed that with the help of the railways the project could be carried out successfully, and some investigation work has been undertaken.

The assertion that the consumption of sugar in the United States has increased enormously on account of prohibition is contradicted by the statistics of the American Sugar Bulletin, given in a table, showing the consumption of sugar per capita in the United States for the last 10 years, from which it appears that, omitting the years 1916, 1917 and 1918, when consumption decreased on account of the war, the per capita consumption has averaged 83 pounds for the 10-year period, and the 1919 per capita consumption was only four ounces greater for the year than that for 1913—when they had no prohibition.

The Overseas Settlement Department which was organized to look after ex-service men and women desiring to look further afield than the Old Country for their future living, report an extraordinary rush of applicants. Already the waiting list exceeds fifty thousand, the bulk of whom have registered preference for Canada. The list is being added to by about three hundred daily, the majority of the applicants representing the finest type of manhood and womanhood. These figures do not include ex-members of the Canadian colonial forces who have separate preferential organization. Canada is by far the favorite of the British Dominions. Farming is the chief attraction of what before the war was called the "submerged class". Departures are only governed by shipping.

A Quick Relief for Headache

A headache is frequently caused by badly digested food; the gases and acids resulting therefrom are absorbed by the blood which in turn irritates the nerves and causes painful symptoms called headache, neuralgia, rheumatism, etc. 15 to 30 drops of Mother Seigel's Syrup will correct faulty digestion and afford relief.

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There is only one way to build up a run down system if the blood is pale and thin. Many diseases are caused by thin blood. Other diseases such as influenza and rheumatism cause the blood to become thin and the wasting effect of these disorders cannot be combatted successfully until the blood is restored to its normal condition.

Pallor, nervousness, indigestion, sleeplessness, headaches, dizzy spells, shortness of breath, palpitation of the heart, these are a few of the symptoms of an anæmic bloodless condition. Some of them are not naturally associated with thin blood, but the quickest way to overcome them is to make the blood rich and red.

Dr. Williams Pink Pills do one thing and do it well. They build up the blood increasing the number of red corpuscles. As this is done the blood becomes a richer red and is able to carry more oxygen, the great supporter of human life. As the blood improves in quality the tissues of the body are better nourished and the functions of the body are better performed. The glands of the stomach are stimulated and the first sign of improvement is usually a better appetite and better digestion.

Dr. Williams Pink Pills have been used for years as a blood-making tonic and system builder with such good results that in every community there are many people who are recommending this remedy to their friends and to others who are afflicted.

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The Russians were the first nation to have horse artillery in their army.

Insurance Men Meet

The weekly dinner and business meeting of the Valley Life Underwriters Association was held in the dining room of the Acadia Villa Hotel, on the evening of the 12th inst. J. T. Wilson, president of the N.S. Life Underwriters Association, outlined the growth of the association movement and the great practical benefits that have been derived from the organization. Professor A. B. Balcom of the Acadia University gave a masterful address on the economic conditions of the near future and their probable effects on the life insurance business. E. R. Robinson, Inspector of Public Schools, dealt with life insurance as an educational factor. The addresses were much enjoyed by those present and the association anticipates a similar program for their next meeting at Middleton on July 12th.

A. Bryan Williams, former Chief Game Guardian of British Columbia is the latest addition to Rod and Gun in Canada's splendid list of sportsmen writers. In the April issue he takes his readers on a big game hunt into Northern British Columbia. T. W. Winson and William Beck, the well known Nature and Fishing writers of B. C. also have interesting articles in this month's issue. Other splendid stories are "Wild Goose Shooting in Nova Scotia" by Bonnycastle Dale; "At Daybreak, by L. B. Birdsall; Sea Ducks, by F. V. Williams and Bass Fishing, by Robert Page Lincoln. The gun "crank" is well taken care of by Ashley A. Haines in latest article on "The Back Woodsman's Stand-By. The Trapline, Kennel and Trapshooting Departments are up to their usual high standard. Rod and Gun in Canada is published monthly by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont.

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