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MANUFACTURERS OF PAPER IGNORE HOME MARKET

Although some manufacturers demand the highest possible protection in their home market they show no interest in the home market when an unusual situation makes it possible to sell their wares abroad at higher prices.

The Montreal Gazette, the organ of the big interests, defends these manufacturers. It wants the government to abolish the paper controller; it is indignant at government interference with trade and of manufacturers.

The Montreal Gazette says that if the government will put an end to the Paper Controller and all his works the difficulty will soon cease to be the pap-fed newspapers will stand on their feet, and no longer will there be talk of shortage of newsprint or suspension of publication.

"It is rather a striking commentary on the Gazette's reference to 'pap-fed newspapers' that it is itself the most pap-fed newspaper concern in the Dominion of Canada.

French Deputies In An Uproar—News dispatch. Now we know France is back to normal. A Montreal paper quotes Manitoba wheat flour at \$3.40 per barrel—but it was twenty-

five years ago.

D'Annunzio's control of Fiume has brought starvation to that city. Being a poet, hunger, of course, doesn't inconvenience Gabriele.

On the first day of March the United States Government will return the railways of the United States to their owners. Since they were taken over by Washington in December, 1917, they have gone behind more than half a billion dollars.

The extent of any fire in a protected community depends in large measure upon the promptness with which the fire-extinguishing appliances are brought into operation. The fire alarm system of a city or town ought, therefore, to be as nearly perfect as money and skill can make it.

Thirty-five million tree seeds will be shipped to Europe by the American Forestry Association from Boston next Thursday. These tree seeds are being sent to the forestry departments of the Governments of France, Belgium and Great Britain.

"We will all agree," said President Pack of the American Forestry Association, "that no finer gift could be made as showing our appreciation from Boston next Thursday. These tree seeds. When we look to the future and vision what a memorial these living, growing trees will become to the children of those who defend their country in the war, I think we will also agree that no finer monument can be erected in Europe by the people of the United States."

SINCE I HAVE DONE MY BEST Since I have done my best, I do Not fear the outcome, here I stand Prepared for judgment when men view The labor of my heart and hand, If good, then happy I shall be, If not, contented I abide, And though the prize is not for me, My joy shall be in having tried.

OTHER EDITORS' OPINIONS

YOUR VOICE. If I would know a man as he is, I ask him to talk with me. For I would not only bring into my mind the thoughts that flow from him, but I would listen to his voice.

There is nothing quite so marvellous as the human voice, especially when it is the expression of worthy thoughts and is backed by a solid purpose. Speak kindly to a strange dog and he will wag his tail.

I think of the voices of those I love as the choicest music in my memory. I classify each voice — each faintest inflection — and I am inspired by each in turn. Your voice may be trained. Any one may have a beautiful and pleasant voice. So — Cultivate a pleasant voice. Speak kindly — but first be kindly, and then you cannot help but speak that way.

THE BOOK OF BOOKS. What a priceless possession is English Bible! We have been enriched by it in two ways, namely, its influence upon the English language, and for our knowledge of God as to the first, mostly as a piece of literature it has helped to make the language what it is to-day.

Canadians are fast becoming extravagant. Americans have long been extravagant. All people had better call a halt. Thrift and care in all expenditures are advised. A great industrial and financial crisis may soon come on this continent. Of late we have observed that women especially, and men as well, seem intoxicated with the delight over paying heretofore unheard of prices for articles of clothing or domestic uses and many are indulging themselves in imported luxuries regardless of the fact that they are aiding a threatening national bankruptcy.

A CALL TO THRIFT.

Health Department Attends to Families Under Quarantine. Dr. McPherson Stated That Citizens Have No Cause For Uneasiness — Replies to Complaint. Peterboro, Jan. 27.—Families under quarantine are given every attention, and adequate arrangements are made for supplying them with food and other every-day necessities.

ATTRACTIVE ADVERTISING Who says that people do not read the ads? Here is one that nobody will miss: "I have a baby girl I do not want to chloroform, give away or exchange for a dog. If there is anyone in House-

ton who will rent us two or more furnished rooms, please address 130 care post."

An advertisement can be made as attractive as the latest scandal if it be properly composed. — Hamilton Times.

Knights Hold Annual Ball

Brilliant Function Under K. of C. Auspices Last Night

The Knights of Columbus rooms were the scenes of revelry last night the occasion being the annual ball of the Belleville Council No. 1008 K. of C. This function is always a big event in the circles of the Knights and their friends.

Extras, One Step, "The Dancing Widow," waltz, "Golden Gate" One step, "Somebody" Fox Trot, "You'd be Surprised" Social Circle One Step, "Swanee" Fox Trot, "Bo-labo" Waltz (moon) "O What a Pal was Mary"

Extras One Step "Fluff Ruffles"; Fox Trot "Smile Dear"; Waltz, High Jinks"; One Step "Merle Beaucoup"; Fox Trot "Patches"; Waltz (moon) "Carolina Sunshine"; One Step "Trousseau Ball"; Fox Trot "Frocks"; Waltz (leap year) "That Naughty Waltz"; One Step "Lumbo Land"; Fox Trot "Mandy"; Waltz (moon) "Tosti's Goodbye"

The Anglican, Baptist, Methodist and Presbyterian Churches at Lakefield are holding union meetings January 5th to 9th. A worker in the Inter-Church Forward Movement recently said that our debts to God include paying our subscription to the local paper.

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At Hay Bay, in Lennox County, was built in 1792 the first Methodist Church in Canada. The original deed is still extant and the Church now belongs to the General Conference. Rev. Howard L. P. Seymour,

NEWS OF FORWARD MOVEMENT AMONG BAY OF QUINTE METHODISTS

A church on the front street is worth two blind pigs any other place.

Mayor Quinn, Bowmanville, recently elected by acclamation, is Superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School which has increased its regular attendance from 350 to 425 during the Methodist National Campaign.

Congregationalists, Presbyterians and Methodists united in a Forward Movement Evangelistic campaign at Coldsprings, Northumberland County Local Pastors led, and the community spirit has been advanced.

Vaudeville religion is fizzing.

The Methodists are using "Minute Men" in the Forward Movement. They are lay members and the absolute rule is they must in no circumstances speak more than five minutes at any meeting.

"Minute Men" are giving "pep" to the Methodist National Campaign.

His Honor Judge Deroche, Belleville is a "Minute Man" in the Methodist National Campaign.

Mayor J. E. Robinson, Napanee, elected by acclamation, is Superintendent of Trinity Methodist Sunday School.

Presbyterian and Methodist Churches of Bethany, Durham Co., are at present engaged in Forward Movement Evangelistic meetings.

Nelson Parliament, M.P.P., Speaker designate of the Ontario Legislature, has been invited to address the Canadian Club, Boston, Mass. He is the Superintendent of the rural Methodist Sunday School near Redfernville, Prince Edward Co., and is a "Minute Man" in the Methodist National Campaign.

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A religious survey of the town of Lindsay is a feature of the Inter-Church National Campaign.

Seugog Island has had a great revival in the Methodist Church, with seventy converts.

Ninety per cent. of the ministers of the Bay of Quinte Conference have come from the colleges.

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Cobourg Methodist Church is lined up for the Forward Movement having six divisions for the town and two for the country, each division with a captain of four committees and each committee with a lieutenant.

Albert College, Belleville, belongs to the Methodist Church, but has had hundreds of young men and women of all churches among its students. The city of Belleville has given a magnificent site for a new Albert College. The Methodist National Campaign will help this project.

The Cannington District of the Bay of Quinte Conference has had 150 additions to its membership recently.

H. W. Ackerman, Esq., Belleville a prominent financier, is chairman of the Bay of Quinte Conference Board of Finance in the Forward Movement. Twelve other prominent laymen are associated with him.

Premier Drury says the Inter-Church Movement is likely to do more good to Canada and Ontario than all other movements combined.

The Duke of Devonshire and Sir Robert Borden commended the Forward Movement of the Churches.

Bancroft Epworth League holds meetings in school houses in North Hastings where there are no regular church services.

the present pastor, is one of three brothers who are preachers, the sons of the late Rev. J. C. Seymour, a frequent contributor to the press. Some of the Seymour family have been in the Methodist Church ministry ever since the days of John Wesley.

The Rev. Dr. C. T. Scott, Bridge St. Methodist Church, Belleville, is at the head of what is known as "Quinte's Flying Squadron," a Forward Movement unit of ministers and laymen who speak on a certain Sunday in a large number of Methodist Churches in the same district.

The Inter-Church Movement is a unifying force in the community. Let the forward Movement finish its work.

Record of Belleville High School-Cadet Corps for 1919

Belleville High School Cadet Corps secured the highest standing in the Province of Ontario in the Miniature series of the Canadian Rifle League competition and fourth place in the Dominion.

Twelve silver scarf pins have been awarded as individual prizes to the following boys who took part in this contest: Vernon Weir, Clarence Ketcheson, John McGie, Fred Deacon, David Batchelor, Bert Wells, Franklin McArthur, Maxwell Matthews, Stewart Moore, Leo Manley and Gerald Vermilyea.

In addition, the members of the Cadet Corps won 53rd place in the Imperial Challenge Shield, Senior competition, which is open to the whole British Empire, and second place in all teams from the Dominion in this competition. The prize for this will be \$2.

If the Strathcona Competition the gold medal was awarded to Percy Hart for the highest score in Hastings County High or Continuation Schools.

The Belleville High School Cadet Corps won third place in the Provincial competition at 25 yards, carried out by the Dominion Marksmen Cartridge Company, Montreal.

Several gold, silver and bronze pins were won by individual members of the Cadet Corps for high scores awarded by the Dominion Cartridge Company. A large part of the success in 1919 was due to the entire efforts of Mr. N. A. Irwin, who was then instructor of the Cadet Corps and is now a member of the Ottawa Collegiate Institute staff. Mr. Irwin devoted a very large part of his time after school in training the boys in shooting and as a result, Belleville High School boys hold one of the first places in the Province as marksmen. The Cadet Corps this year is in charge of Mr. J. H. S. Leuty and no doubt when the year is over will have completed another very successful year and will have retained the high standing already won by the school.

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One Minute Interviews

"I never realized the significance of that 'one candlepower' term so thoroughly until lately. I'll be glad when the Hydro behaves normally. It takes a lot of matches to keep those home lights burning." — Con trolleur Jutten.

"If they're short of power at the pumping station why don't the city officials order a carload of 'steam' from Montreal?" — Inspector Sturdy.

"I've heard 'caterpillar' trends for my John Henry so I can climb out of the street car ruts." — Inspector Booker.

"It seems about as difficult to get a seat in the government as on a street car. The fellows who are waiting their turn ought to be provided with hand-holds as the regular strap hangers." — Peter Ray.

"That thoroughbred stuff is all 'bull'. Show me the cow that gives 10,000 pounds of milk a year and I will soak my Sunday coat in it and guarantee that it will not have a grease spot." — Dilly Coleman.

"Any public man who says that Hydro trouble is unknown in Toronto de liberally mis-states facts. He is a trouble-maker." — Hydro Engineer Sifton.

Storm Dwa the Atter

Market Today Was V tended

Last night's snow effect on the attendance ket today. The roads in consequence there of hay. The outer m most blank, only sleighs being upon the inner market was also Eggs sold at 80 to dealers quoted for ship cost 60c, 65c, and 70c the local market are e also in accord with t falling in the large e

Butter was steady pound. Chickens sold \$4.00 per pair. Potatoes are worth wholesale. None were on the market. Hogs are likely to \$17.50 to \$18.00 for days.

LAI D TO B MRS. J. B. I

The funeral of the l Ives took place yester and was very large. ter a brief service at the solemn procession form to Christ Church when Rev. W. G. Swayne, co Anglican service in me dead. Interment took Belleville cemetery vau tributes were remarka and gave mute testim sympathy so generally the sorrowing relatives of the hearse were M Ginnis, J. S. McKown, ley, F. B. Smith, T. B. E. T. Cherry.

LATE ALLEEN The funeral of little who went to be with J was held the same day home 286 1/2 Coleman s count of the family be antime, the service was grave. Rev. Wm. H. W of the Baptist Church a few knew of her illness tiful flowers and kind sympathy were sent by the deceased. Her body in Belleville cemetery b has gone to be with Jes loved.

Latest News Ev From Busy Board of Education Public and High Sch Other Personal New

(From The Ontario's ton Correspond Trenton, Jan. 24. Blakely and son M. and Mrs. Blakely return day from Pictou. The remains of the late ly to the vault in Pict Mrs. Joe Berry enter ber of ladies on Tuesd Despite the heavy stor had a splendid time. Mrs. Spencer, Henry not been well for a few under the doctor's car for a speedy recovery lady.

Rev. Capt. Clarke sp field tonight in the Forward Movement. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Spending a few days w Long. The board of educat town hall on Wednesd close the business of and to dissolve. In the will be two separate b and high. The public s met later and formed nittees and transacted fine business. The first the high school board 4th.

Mr. Kay who has b for "The Sutcliffe Ston ton is separating from and has secured a post other firm in Guelph. Mr. and Mrs. D. Bu were in town Tuesd deal of their uncle, the Blakely. Mrs. Matilda Arthur is spending a few days Rev. Major Harry A. Toronto this week.

On Thursday evening tion Men's League was Trenton Church. The members met at the ev and were taken in the