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Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land Regulations

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties: Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3 per acre. Duties: Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$2 per acre. Duties: Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$500.

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### Newcastle Steam Ferry TIME TABLE

Table with columns for departure times and destinations (Newcastle, Chatham Head, etc.)

### SUNDAY TIME TABLE

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during the months of May, June, July, August and September, and up to and including the 15th day of October.

After the 15th October the last boat will leave Newcastle at 8:45 unless otherwise advertised.

If more than one boat is shown, it will return for them immediately.

D. MORRISON, Managing Director

### SHANNON FILES

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## "Merely a Matter of Cigarettes"

(By Percy M. Cushing in The Argosy) It was in a disconcerting thought, yet it was one that he could not avoid one that demanded his attention. The burden of it weighed upon him uncomfortably. Not that he did not want to do the thing—on the contrary he did want to do it, to do something. But it was not obligatory, save as he made it so. The trouble was—he shook his head impatiently.

"How the dickens am I expected to know?" he muttered. "I who was born with the proverbial silver spoon in my mouth?" He quickened his pace unconsciously. "I believe I'll have to give it up altogether," he fumed. "No, I'll be damned if I will. I'll find a way somehow. Yes, sir, as his determination settled solidly. 'I promised myself I'd do something for somebody when the old gentleman died—he never did a turn for anybody—and here's my chance with the ten million he left me. I'm going to stick to that promise."

"But how am I going to do it? That's the deuce of it. There is that big charity institution. Suppose I might turn over ten thousand or so to the people there and let them finish the job. But how do I know they wouldn't grab the money? No, I've got to see it through myself, sure as my name is Reginald Winterfield."

Young Mr. Winterfield aroused himself with a start. "By Jove!" he exclaimed under his breath. "How did I get in here? Then he grinned slyly. 'Dreaming as usual,' he muttered. 'When I get thinking about anything never can tell what I'll do. I'll wake up and find myself in the act of committing burglary, or murder, or something, some day. Eh—'

Young Mr. Winterfield started violently. "The dead man was shot through the back," a voice was saying ominously. Young Mr. Winterfield rubbed his eyes and stared at the point whence the voice came. Then he looked to right and left of this point, and around the big, high-ceilinged room. Slowly realization dawned upon him, and he chuckled.

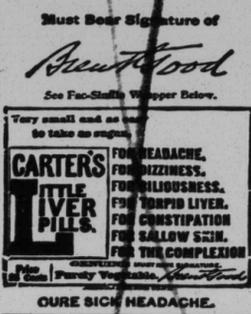
"Why, I never heard of such rank injustice," he spluttered indignantly. "That man is not any more guilty than I am. Why, why—they're going to put him in jail for life!" A queer light came into the lawyer's eyes. "Yes, they are going to imprison him for life," he said quietly. "And you think he is not guilty?"

"I know he's not," corrected Mr. Winterfield. "Why, didn't I sit there in court all day and watch him? He showed no trace of guilt, while the other fellow, Williams, was the picture of it. Can't you do anything to prevent—to save him?"

"Nothing but appeal the case," he said. "And that would cost money. Kirkman hasn't any money." Young Mr. Winterfield opened his mouth to reply, then suddenly grew rigid. Like a bomb a thought burst on him, for an instant depriving him of speech. "Heavens!" he ejaculated finally, "here's the very chance I've been looking for, and I almost missed it. The cold perspiration burst out on his brow at the idea. 'Here's the very thing—the way to make up for the old gentleman's tightness.' Then suddenly he gripped the lawyer's hand and pumped it up and down in excitement.

"How much will it cost to appeal the case—ten thousand dollars?" he cried eagerly. "Oh, no," the attorney assured him. "Not more than two thousand at the outside." For a moment young Mr. Winterfield's face fell. Then he brightened. "Well, that's something anyhow," he mused, "and I can get rid of the other eight somehow."

## ABSOLUTE SECURITY. Genuine Carter's Little Liver Pills.



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decision should be adverse. It would mean that he might be convicted on that count. And that means the electric chair. "But that would be ridiculous," cried Mr. Winterfield. "No sane court would convict him. He is as innocent as I am. We all know that. Why, anybody could tell he was speaking the truth when they heard him recount how he was lighting that cigarette when Williams fired the shot."

At the subconscious suggestion in his own words, young Mr. Winterfield's hand moved rapidly to his waistcoat pocket, and as quickly back. He snapped open the gold cigarette-case, hesitated, and absently, through habit, held it out toward the heavy knotted hands that gripped the steel bars of his cell. The man behind the bars shook his head.

"Thanks," he said softly, "don't use coffin nails. Never smoked one in my life." Then he added hastily, with a chuckle, "An' say, mister just forget that appeal bunk. Life imprisonment's good enough for me, all right. I ain't going to give my luck no chance to go back on me."

Half an hour later young Mr. Reginald Winterfield, still a trifle shaken, but with cool deliberation signed his name to a slip of blue, engraved paper in the office of the superintendent of the Charity Association. "Do what you can with it," he said grimly, as he heaved a sigh of relief. "Thank you," said the superintendent. "We can do wonders with a check for twenty thousand dollars."

HOW'S THIS? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honest in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation. WOMEN'S COSTUMES GETTING SCANTIER London is gravely debating and deploping the tendency in women's dress to-day towards scantiness. Many costumes now seen in the streets give the effect of semi-transparency. There is almost nothing under the gowns, which are of very slight material, cut low even in day time, and with slashes and liftings in the skirt which fully show the leg half way up to the knee. The stockings are of diaphanous silk. One street arab summed up the criticism when he remarked as a fashionable lady passed, "Ye might as well be naked." Obviously this leaving off fashion cannot go much further, and dress designers believe autumn will see a reaction in the other direction. Meanwhile, the present fashions are not without vigorous women defenders. They describe the critics as prudish, and say womankind will not longer submit to the trailing skirts, tight corsets, stiff collars and heavy over-trimmed hats once fashionable. "We walk the streets free healthy beings, and we know a new joy in life in consequence," writes one modern woman, "but it is beauty we pursue, not man."

## AGRICULTURAL NOTES

At the beginning of the growing season the gardener often finds in the morning young plants cut off near the surface of the ground that the evening before were strong and healthy. On stirring up the soil near by he may find hidden the ground a greasy-looking caterpillar, the culprit in the case. Cutworms, so called from this habit, are the caterpillars of dull-coloured night-fly moths of a great variety of species and varying to some extent in their habits. As a general rule they are partly grown at the approach of winter and hide away in a torpid state during the cold weather; when restored to activity by the warmth of spring, which causes the buds to open and the growth of plants to begin, these worms come out in search of food and attack any kind of tender vegetation they meet with. They are nocturnal in their habits and hide away during the hours of daylight under any shelter they can obtain or just below the surface of the loose soil of newly made beds. Owing to their destructive practice of cutting off a whole plant in order to devour a portion of its foliage, they do a great deal of apparently needless damage.

After they have become fully grown they change to the chrysalis stage in the ground and in early summer the moth appears, many of them making their presence known in our houses by their attraction of light. Before very long another brood of caterpillars comes upon the scene, often more numerous and more destructive than the first. Some of them climb up into fruit trees and destroy the foliage, others attack farm crops, vegetables, grape vines, the plants in flower gardens etc., while occasionally a single species appears suddenly in enormous numbers and sweeps like an army over the land devouring everything that comes in its way.

Remedy Happily a very simple and completely effective remedy has been found for these destructive creatures. It is called the "poisoned bran-mash" and it is made in the following manner: Mix half a pound of Paris Green in 50 lbs. of bran (the proportion for larger or smaller quantities is 1 to 100); the poison should be added to the dry bran little by little and stirred all the time till the whole is tinged with the green colour, then add water sweetened with sugar or molasses, till the mixture is sufficiently moistened to crumble nicely through the fingers. If bran cannot be procured, shorts or flour may be used, and for field work may be distributed dry by means of seed drill. The mash should be scattered about the plants that are liable to attack in the evening, and strange to say the worms will devour it in preference to their ordinary vegetable food. When they begin to feel the effects of the poison they wander off to find a hiding place or burrow in the ground and there die. Their dead bodies will be readily found in the morning just below the surface of the ground, often in surprising numbers. Young plants should be examined, and if necessary, may be protected when set out by wrapping a bit of newspaper around the stem between the root and the leaves and reaching a little below the surface of the ground. The worms will not attempt to bite through or climb over it.

## A MESSAGE FROM A WOMAN TO WOMEN

"Every Woman Should Take 'Fruit-a-lives'"

LAKELET, Ont., May 12th, 1911 "Kindly publish this letter of mine if you think it will benefit other women who might be afflicted with the disease I have had in the past, but am now, thanks to 'Fruit-a-lives', completely cured of. It is my firm belief that every woman should take 'Fruit-a-lives' if she wants to keep her health in good health. Before taking 'Fruit-a-lives', I was constantly troubled with what is commonly known as 'Nerves' or severe Nervousness. This Nervousness brought on the most violent attacks of Sick Headache, for which I was constantly taking doctors' medicine without any permanent relief. Constipation was also a source of great trouble to me and for which the Doctors said 'I would have to take medicine all my life', but 'Fruit-a-lives' banished all these troubles and now I am a well woman!"

Mrs. FRED. GAKE, 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50—trial size, 25c. At dealers or sent prepaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

Congregation of Twelve For the vacancy in the charge of St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Montreal, Scotland, the managers, in answer to an advertisement in a church paper in England, received 230 applications. The church has only a membership of twelve. It was established in 1724, and is richly endowed.

Prison Walls for Old Abbey It is proposed to utilize some of the stone in the north portion of the old prison in Paisley in connection with the restoration scheme of Paisley Abbey. The part of the prison to be purchased is a century old. The stone with which it is built is practically of the same quality as that used in the Abbey. Similar stone cannot now be got.

Find in Bottle of Stout Judgment for \$15 and \$5 for a doctor's fee was awarded by Judge Curran at Navan to John Neville, a groom, who sued a local public house keeper for \$250 damages due to the plaintiff's having drunk part of a bottle of stout bottled by the defendant, and which was alleged to have contained the body of a mouse. Asked by his honor how he knew there was a mouse in the bottle, plaintiff held the offending bottle up and said, amid laughter, "Because he is there still!"

Oldest "Apprentice Boy" The death occurred of David Norrie, caretaker of the Apprentice Boys' Memorial Hall and Walker's Monument, Derry. He is believed to have been the oldest Apprentice Boy in the city. When Mr. Gladstone introduced his first Home Rule Bill Mr. Norrie was one of the thirteen "Boys" chosen as a deputation to attend the Convention in Belfast to protest against the measure.

Woman's Strange Conduct in Church Kate Martin was committed to an asylum at Belfast after having caused a scene in Clifton street Presbyterian Church during Sunday service. Evidence was given that she entered the choir box, overturned the table, and threw some chairs among the congregation. "I only tried to strike the minister for his false preaching," said the woman. "We Catholics want our rights."

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### I. R. C. TIME TABLE

The I. R. C. summer change of time which went into effect on Sunday, June 2, 1912, is as follows:

Table with columns for DEPARTURES—EAST and DEPARTURES—WEST, listing ship names and times.

### INDIAN TOWN BRANCH

Table with columns for ship names and times for Indian Town Branch.

The way freight carries passengers and runs daily between Moncton and Campbellton, but has no stated time for arriving and departing at the different stations.

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