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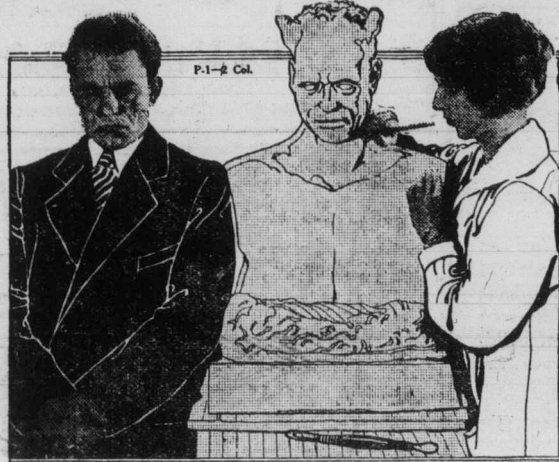
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FRIDAY-SATURDAY—CHARLIE CHAPLIN. EARLE WILLIAMS AND SERIAL

## An Ontario Member Declares Removal of Cattle Embargo Would Not Benefit Canada

Would Have Canadian Cattle Slaughtered at Halifax and Then Shipped in Form of Chilled Beef—Mr. Fielding Thought Naging of British Government Undignified

[Special despatch to The Daily Gleaner.]  
Ottawa, March 10.—The attention of the House yesterday was directed almost entirely on one subject, about which there has been a great deal heard in the past few months—the cattle embargo. The discussion arose over a resolution introduced by one of the oldest members of the House, "Uncle Billy" Smith, of Ontario South, a man of substance and frequently mentioned of late in connection with cabinet reconstruction. As one largely interested in the cattle business, he was listened to with attention, the more so, perhaps, as he had a somewhat unusual view to take of the cattle embargo. His view of the future of the Canadian trade is, not shipment of live stock to the British Isles, but the finishing of them in Canada, the erection of a large abattoir at Halifax, where the "finished" or fattened cattle could be slaughtered and shipped abroad in the form of chilled beef. More than a dozen members took a hand in the discussion, which soon soared away altogether in the hands of some of them, from the actual question of the embargo, and began to veer around to the provincial politics of Ontario. Some of the speakers were interested in the purely constitutional aspect of the case, others in the political and a few in the practical.

Those who did not know much about the soundness or otherwise of the idea back of Mr. Smith's resolution, nevertheless hotly resented the "stigma" (which was not the commonly employed), put upon the harmless necessary Canadian cow. Dr. Clark saw in it another chance to inveigh against the diabolical doctrine of protection, and incidentally took a crack at his fellow Agrarians, Mr. Manning Doherty, for interfering in the domestic concerns of Great Britain.

Mr. Fielding thought further naging undignified. The British Government knew the state of Canadian sentiment on the matter, there was no longer any doubt in the minds of unprejudiced persons about the health of Canadian stock. The British government was wrong, but they had the right to be wrong if they so desired, and he would favor dropping the matter.

The view from the ministerial benches, as expressed by the Premier and Dr. Tolmie, Minister of Agriculture, was that from an economic standpoint the matter was not of importance, perhaps, but they rather

PRODUCTION OF PLATINUM IN B. C.

Victoria, B. C., March 9.—That production of platinum in British Columbia is on the point of becoming an important industry is the opinion of S. J. Marsh, a prominent mining man, who says that investigations which he has conducted for many years have disclosed that one of the principal platinum deposits in the world is in the Fraser river and three of its tributaries—the Quesnel, the Willow and the Cottonwood rivers. A plant is being built and it is expected that reduction work will be begun this spring, stated Mr. Marsh.

He believes that for 250 miles on the Fraser and 150 miles on tributary streams 75 per cent. of the black sand deposits can be dredged and concentrates to the extent of from 8 to 40 pounds per cubic yard of dirt obtained.

There was no greater menace to people travelling on the highways than allowing cattle to run at large on the highways when one considered that this year there were over 11,000 motor vehicles in the province. In 1915 there had been 2,386 automobiles, 95 per cent. of which were in cities and towns; in 1917 this number increased to 4,889, of which 50 per cent. were in the cities and towns, and in 1920 10,442 cars, 649 trucks and 93 motorbuses, of which 51 per cent. were in the country. He asked the delegates to impress upon their County Councils the danger of cattle running at large, stating that this year there would be over 14,000 motor vehicles, one for every 25 inhabitants of the province. It was time for the farmers to co-operate with the public Works Department to get a safer condition of affairs. He urged upon them to get their best men as road commissioners, stating that he understood that there had been a good deal too much individuality about the work of some of these to suit the various parishes, but he could only work on a tangible report, and let this be given him then he could get paid in cash and the rest statute labor.

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After dealing with the distinction between the trunk and secondary roads of the province, he went on to say that last year the automobile receipts had amounted to \$198,000 and that this year they would amount to \$275,000 or \$300,000. The money, he explained, was funded and sufficient was borrowed to pay the annual interest on

## SHOT GIRL TO END HER SUFFERINGS

Belgian Acquitted by Court From Charge of Murder Preferred

[Associated Press by Leased Wire.]  
Brussels, March 9.—The question whether one person is guilty of a crime in hastening the death of another who is suffering from a mortal wound has been decided in the negative here in the case of a married man who shot and killed a girl who had attempted to commit suicide. His plea was that she was dying and that he killed her rather than watch her suffer. He was arrested, but acquitted of the charge of murder by the Brabant Court of Assizes.  
The man in the case was Jerome Hermans, 32 years old, and the girl was Coline Vanduyck, age 18. They had a love affair and the attempt at suicide resulted. The shooting occurred in the Bois de Cambre, Brussels' largest public park.  
"Coline ran from the path into a thicket," said Hermans. "I heard a shot and ran after her. She had shot herself in the temple but was still alive. I could not see her suffer and I took her revolver and shot her in the neck. Then she was still, and I shot myself."

## Farmers Warned to Prepare For Direct Road Taxation

(Continued from page two.)  
The annual sinking fund, so that in 19 years the department would have paid the debt incurred by the improvements to secondary and trunk roads. In all \$500,000 had been spent from funds appropriated for the trunk and secondary roads in 1920, and 40 per cent. of this would be refunded because the department had met the standard laid down by the Federal Government in a few weeks a refund of \$250,000 for expenditures. In 1919 and 1920 would be received and both trunk and secondary roads would receive more improvements. In closing he stated that in many parts of the province the by-roads were too numerous, as there were often four or five where one or two would do.

More Poultry Advice.  
G. R. Wilson, representative of the Dominion poultry division, of Moncton, stated that he did not like to follow so eloquent a speaker as the Minister of Public Works, as he was too apt to come off second best in the contest. He dealt with the marketing of poultry, stating that undrawn birds were more healthy than drawn ones. He gave several instances to substantiate his statements and went on to say that the Maritime Provinces were probably the only ones in Canada where drawn birds were marketed.

He asked that the delegates send to the Minister of Agriculture or Minister of Health, or both, a resolution asking that poultry be marketed undrawn in the province. Consumers in the province were paying 50 cents a pound for chicken and did not know whether it was fowl or chicken, whereas chicken undrawn could be bought at 37 cents a pound.

He went on to describe the advantage obtained by putting undrawn birds on the market. At the present time, the speaker stated, that egg marketing system was not what it should be. It allowed eggs to be bought by the dozen regardless of the quality.

Co-operative marketing, he believed, was a solution for many problems. Only about 3 eggs per week per person were being eaten. The consumption could be greatly increased if the quality of eggs were better. Prince Edward Island with its fifty-five egg circles had the best system in Canada. Canning was the best system for egg grading.

The present system of marketing, the speaker stated, placed a bonus on inferior eggs. P. E. Sharp, Provincial Immigration Officer, stated that the question of immigration should be given a place on the programme. The Dominion government controlled the immigration but the Provincial Service supervised the people after arriving. He would like to receive applications from the farmers, both French and English, speaking, for help on their farms.

During the evening several vocal solos were rendered by Mr. Belding, of the Department of Public Works, and D. B. Flewelling, Mrs. Belding and Miss Hazel McCain playing the accompaniments. Miss McCain was the recipient of a bouquet of flowers as a token of her efforts in preparing the musical programmes for the evening sessions of the convention.

THE PAN-AMERICAN TRADE CONFERENCE

Mexico City, March 9.—A Pan-American Trade Conference is to be held in Mexico City for four days beginning June 12. Delegation from the Confederation of Chambers of Commerce, embracing every branch of commercial organization in Mexico, has left for the United States on a tour covering every principal city in an endeavor to interest large American concerns to be represented at the conference.

WED AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, March 10.—The marriage took place at 7 o'clock last night at the First Baptist church of Miss Lydia Graham Rice, daughter of the late Joseph Rice, and the late Mrs. Rice, of Cape Breton, to Edward Holgate, of Sherbrooke. Rev. D. W. Perry, of Sherbrooke, officiated, assisted by Rev. M. F. McCutcheon. Mr. and Mrs. Holgate left for Toronto and Niagara Falls. On their return they will reside in Sherbrooke.

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1.20 10 cakes Surprise Soap ..... \$ 1.00  
65 Fresh ground Coffee, lb. .... \$ .55  
45 Corn Syrup, per can ..... \$ .25  
2.00 Molasses, per gallon ..... \$ .30  
45 Cheese, per lb. .... \$ .38  
50 16 oz. jar Marmalade ..... \$ .40  
25 Heinz Baked Beans, per tin, 20 ..... \$ .20  
30 Best White Beans, per qt. .... \$ .18  
80 Pure Cream Tartar, per lb. .... \$ .65  
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