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## **CANADIAN YOUNG MEN** SELLING BIRTHRIGHT

ger W. Babson, Renowned Statis-ician, Sees Unrivaled Opportunity fere for Youths. Too Many Sell-ng Birthright in the States for Aces of Pottage.

The "Star" saw Roger W. Babson the Babson Statistical Service, and d an opportunity to see ourselves others see us. Seen from Boston, Mass., we are t seen through a maze and haze of tistics darkly, but in the bright roor of optimism engarlanded with the old-fashioned virtues which Mr. been holds to be the basic condition prosperity.

If the old-fashioned virtues which Mr. Subson holds to be the basic condition of prosperty. The does not see here divorce courts, recat white ways, moving-picture stu-lies gunmen, dope rings, get-rich-quick Mallingfords and all the other frip-series and fopperies of dollar picthora. The aces here "the old-fashioned honesty ndustry, thrift and service. "If I were a young man", said he 'I would come to Canada. It is a land of unrivated opportunities. Your young men who are coming to the United States are selling their birthright for a mess of pottage. They get larger alaries but that is all they do get. When hey have exhausted their limit of salary increase, they stick. They are salaried men, and nothing more. If they remained they and become rich in their own tent." Capital is the vitamine of national growth. Canada needs capital. With apital she can manufacture her raw materials and build up industries that will attract immigration and stop the American exodus. **Sall Canada to copital** 'In your immigration policy'', went on Mr. Babson, ''you are capital for the down and outer. You should on the contract the farm laborer with no cap-tal. You are, as it were, bidding for the down and outer. You should on the contrary, sell Canada to your own oppele."

antrary, sell Canada to your own exple." He considered Canadians splendidly manced, safe and sane.. That was hy American employers paid them are aslarics. They were, in spite of se bootlegging activities, exceptionally ober. Evidently we do not use the full we sell. We had a right attitude towards ite. We were not only sober, but in-tustrious and thrity. Our fault was hat we did not realize the marvelous conomic advantages of our own country. Sut many of us were Esaus sighing for merica-i pottage. Mr. Babaon does not recard Canada age. does not regard Canada

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You have in your water powers. You have in your water powers", said her, "an extraordinary factor in national wealth. Coal is our problem: waterfalls never go on strike." He had been to Ottawa and studied the workings of a government intelli-gence bureau. It was splendidly or-ganized. It issued good literature, but it appealed almost solely to the man who wanted to buy a farm or go on the farm. It said nothing of the unutilized water-falls or the unscratched mineral deposits, it give us food for thought to foreign capital.

It give us food for thought to foreign capital. Must Create Work "That type of advertising as far as it goes is excellent" remarked Mr.-Habson. "You need population but to attract population you need work and industries. When you dig a well water pours in. When you create a demand for labor population pours in. At pre-sent you are in a way putting the cart before the home. There is no use inviting workers. without first creating work." He himself would send out a stream of circulars to the 200,000 people in the United States who have incomes of \$\$50,000 and over; they were ground down by the income tax. He would ask them to lift up their eyes to the hills and mines and forests of Canada whence come showers of dividends to capital. "At the same time" went on Mr.

"At the same time", went on Mr, Babson, "I would have your universi-ties draw the attention of their gradu-ates to the opportunities at home. You



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General Manager of the Port of Mon-treal, who points out that the construc-tion of the last link of a waterway at Lockport, designed to connect the pre-sent end of the canal at Lockport, III, with La Salle, the head of navigation on the Illinois River, will mean the ille-gal diversion of more water from the Great Lakes at Chicago, and will be used for the development of more power in Illinois, while reducing the evels in the lakes and St. Lawrence river to the detriment of all the Cana-dian ports along that route. Power is already being delivered in Illinois from the diverted water to the value of one million dollars a year.

A BRUTAL ATTACK

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tion will be held before Streendiary Oakes as soon as Davidson recovers sufficiently to be able to give his test

CHRISTMAS SUNDAY AT THE CHURCHES BAPTIST CHURCH

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In the moust be able to give his festion or ecovers audificiently to be able to give his festion.
**HEARD BY RADIO** THE ACADIAN'S radio outifit on a recent standard he good fortune to pick up a sermon preached in the pult of the First Baptist Church at Scharter on Assessment and the solution of the sermon was broadcasted by the sermon was 'The like of the sermon's the sermon's server was used the server of the church, was the prescher in the weat and school room and gave evillance of the church of American tapital hed come in but the server's a server's like a built on the server's a server's like and school room and gave evillance of the server ming on its developed in the def of American's and the server's a server's like a built on the server's and the server's and the server's a server's like a server's and the server's server's server's like a server's and the server's serveres and the server's server's server's like the server's server'

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cus Directions The year 1923 while not an event-one so far as Wolfville is concerned not heen without incidents of im-tance in the relation to the future inter of the stown. Chief among these the decision of the Baptist Con-tion of the Maritime Provinces to thime their educational activities and begin at once the construc-to of a new college building. This hit is now in progress and during the ning year will give employment to attempt the business interests at Wolfrille the business interests as wolfrille the the moortant operation of the old the decision of the business interests and charge the business interests as normament the busines building and the enter-tion of which has been to provide motione cellites that is an ornament the lown and a credit to the enter-ing proprietor. The new "Ornheum" and be creditable to a much larger withe nours and is an object of pride citizens generally.

b than outs any citizens generally. Thile building operations have no extensive as in some past a derable progress has been a sumber of handsome residences an erected which all add com

miderable progress has been made number of handiome residences have a created which all add consider y to the property valuation of the e. Of these Mr. C. H. Porter's hand ne home on Main street and the fine idences of Mr. W. E. Eaton on Sum-t street, and that of Mr. Earl Dun-son on Highland Avenue are worthy special mention. Mr. E. W. Wood-the has just completed a neat and hermly equipped dwelling on Pleas-Street, and several other cottages been completed dwelling on Pleas-Street, and several other cottages been completed dwelling on Pleas-Street, and several other cottages been completed during the year. didition to these there have been a been of other good huildings erected places have been haid for further is next summer. Oblie has made an innovation on the year in the adoption of the manage plan of conducting its rs. Regarding the windom of this is appears to be considerable differ-f of opinion among citizens and analysis of inportant changes require to be made before a suts-ary conclusion is arrived at. We inaugeration of Dr. Patterson, new president of Acadia, which place during the early part of the was an event of interest, net only flecting the life of the University of the town as well. Dr. Patterson intendy manifisted a large inter-t community affairs and we have eminified an of the substance in the substance of the substance of the town as well. Dr. Patterson

Girl Guides enjoy outdoes Sport.
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The Court of Honor which consists of eight grins, carried the despatches them.
The girls with the despatches start of from a point on main street at 12.45 p.m. and scattered in all directions while the rest started from Westwood Avenu at one o'clock.
About half pass one a suppicious look fing widow was seen by some of the troop they did not intrude it was found out later that it wight make the treat started hon intrude it was found out later that it wight make detection. At three the grints to know arived begatcher were supposed to have arrived begatch was found out later that it wintow detection.
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were supposed to nave arrived before four. They were captured after some hard running and the despatch was found underneath a bandage tied around one of the girls hands. She had worn it for several days pratending that she burnt her hand. The girls being tired after their tramp separated quite satisfied with the game and vowing they would play it again.

The house of George Thorpe on the Scott's Bay Road was totally destroy-ed by fire on Thursday morning at seven-thirty o'clock. The exact cause of the fire is unknown, but it is surmised that it was caused by a defective flue as the eitchen fire hag been started shortly before. The biase spread so quickly that very little was saved, bedding, cloth-ing and most of the furniture going up in smoke. Me. Thorpe has the sympathy of the community and will require substanti-al seenstance. education of the second reacon recurred of Mr. Joseph McDonald, is visiting his home in Invernes. Miss Erran Goldsmith, who is teach g in Perotte, is spending the vacation with her operate. Broken promises make rough places in the road to failure. Free Miss

A CURE FOR TUBERCULOSIS

Dr. Spahlinger, a young Swiss sci-nist, who has practically achieved cure for tuberculosis. Through lack funds he has never yet ecquired a implete serum, but eighty per cent. I the cases treated with his incomplete run have recovered, though they ud failed to respond to any other treat-tent. The serum requires contribu-ones from vaccines from twenty-two orses. Ontario is negotiating for the se of the serum.

CANNING

Mr. Geraid, R. Huston, too has on several occasions assisted the firl Guides of Caming instructing them in Milli-tury Drill, was met by a deleration from the Guides who presented him with a beautiful scart in appreciation of his services. Mr. Huston expressed his gratefulness and his willingness at all times to be of assistance to the Guides. A large congregation gathered in the vestry of the United Baptist Church, Caminas on Wednesday evening when the annual Christmas concert of the Sunday School was held, L. M. Ward, superintendent, presided. The program was very interesting and well careied out from the youngest to the oldest child. Gifts were distributed from a well filled Christmas the to all the pupils except the girls of Mrs. Rupert fators class who had previously de-cided to have the money, which might be Mr. Gerald. R. Huston,

of the girls hands. She had worn it for several days pnetending that she burnt her hand. The girls being tired after their tramp separated quite satisfied with the game and vowing they would play it again. DISASTEROUS FIRE ON SCOTT'S BAY ROAD

day, Miss Margaret Chase, a former tea-cher of Canning School, who is teach-ing in Windsor, is spending the holi-days at her home in Lakeville. Mr. Paul, a former teacher, now of the teaching staff of Canso, is spend-ing the vacation in Springhill. Mr. William Mullet, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mullett. Miss Vivenne Melvin, of Truro Nor-mal Collage, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aimos Melvin, Miss Harruson, who has spent several months in town, guest of her sister, Mrs. Reid Pelton, returned on Wednesday. ing in Perotte, is spending the vacation with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Newcombe are visiting their daughter, Mrs. John Ross. The annual Xmas concerts were held in the various departments of our schools and reflected credit on teach-ers and pupils alike. The rooms were attractively decorated and the splendid Xmas program greatly enjoyed. Santa distributed gifts from well filled trees. The management and staff of the Maritime Telegraph and Telephone Co. In our town, received many tangible Xmas gifts in appreciation of their ser-rices. These were greatly appreceated by all.

rule is fortunate indeed to have a star and of tauthers have and built of as Miss Newcombe and Mr. Side of The whole programme reflection in the School, the teachers in general, and Me Silver, the principal, in particular. It is to be hoped that this is just the begin-ning of the period during which he will lead the young people of Wolfville into a higher and higher appreciation of the beautiful as it appeals to eye and car.

## NORTH MOUNTAIN

NORTH MOUNTAIN The community was suddened to learn of the death of Mrs. George Brown, who passed away at her home, North Mountain, on Tuesday evening fol-lowing an illness of less than two months, bourne with Christian faith and fortitude. Mrs. Brown who return-ed from the Victoria General Hospital Halfnar, about three weeks ago, was Winnifred Bennett, of Scotts Bay, and was beloved by all who knew her. She was interested in all that stood for the best interest of the community and as the Superintendent of the North Mountain Baptist Sabbath School her good works will follow her. Those left are her, husband, one son, William Bethune, of East Halls' Harbor, the deceased having being twice married. Two sisters, Mary, wife of George Por er, of Arlington, N. S. and Munnie, wife of J. Steele, Marbiehead, Mass. The funeral takes place from her late residence, on Thursday at 11 o'clock being conducted by Rev. G. D. Hud-son. Interment is at Scotts' Bay. THANK YOU



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SPLENDID ENTERTAINMENT

Grade XI wins High School Com

The holiday event of the most gen real and intense interest to the citizen of Wolfville was the second Compet-tion of the Wolfville High School stu-dents, held in the Orpheum, Frida wrening, December 21st. The metho-M conducting the Competition is an invited by the competition is an bly sui ints. Each class pre-numbers, a class set ings, a comedy, and a se judge for each kin

reachings, a comedy, and a scene. There is one judge for each kind of presents tion. The Class Songs. "Bonnie Dunclee by Grade IX. A Lite on the Ocea Wave" by Grade X, and "Namey Lee by Grade XI were rendered with spir and animation, and showed the carch training of Mr. Silver in vocalisatio and interpretation. The tableaux evinced the sense of the students for the beautiful in light and color. In "Patriotism", soldier standing on gaard for Canada, by Grad IX, there was more of meaning the of picture, and so the tableau was mor impressive for the thoughts and feel-ings suggested by it than for its beauty In "The Arctic Zone", by Grade X beauty was so much its own exclose fo being that "The Butterflies of India, by Grade XI, could not surpass it. "The Charge of the Light Brigade, by Horace Vaughan; Grade X, "Th Banner of St George" by Harold Phil ney, and "The Island of the Scata by Virginia. McLean; Grade X. "Highland Hospitality," by Vers Graham, and "Curlew Shall not Rh To rengingt, "by Constance Bartonus JII of the renders spoke clearly an distinctly, Verna Graham and Com

term. The comedies were "The Children's Daily Mena, "by Grade, IX, "A Yank, e's Stratagem by Grade X: and "The Village Choir's Annual Rehearsal," by Grade XI. Each gave plenty of fm of a wholesome quality, and in each there was amateur acting of a high or there was marked a strategy of a high or there is a strategy of a high or the strategy of a high or the strategy of a high or the strategy of the strategy of a high or the strategy of the strategy of a high or the strategy of th of a wholesome qu there was amateur der of merit.

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Banson, I would have your diverse of their graduates to the opportunities at home. You must not export your educated classes."
Canada was in some respects the Scotland of North America. A lot of its best brains had gone to the Southern land. But Canada had not Scotland's excuse. It was not a shall country with an excess of population and a dearth of opportunities. It was a large country, a rich and practically untilled field. There was no need for this Easures where the population of the southers are also and the southers and a state of Canada's. B. A. "e-pensy wise but pounds foolish."
"Sell Canada to your young, vigor-ous, well-educated Canadians," reiterated Mt. Babson.
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Annua to Canadians," reiter-Babson, marked that the American pro-ber innightener quotes was a ic way of keeping out south-opeans. In spite of the over-occasional months, the Eng-t Swedish quotas were never d. There was an open deor here the sease of the sease of the Battar remarked that immura-ada Some favored an exclus Battah immigration or an ex-y agricultural immigration. In altitude of counsels, there migh-dom, but there was certain Too many cooks were spoiling future politics into our melting A. Br

there can't be any po-ty an invitation to ca nd to your own popul rejoined Mr. Babon reprined Mr. Babon

people think that Brain one salvation, " remain Mr. Babson thought was our most metural se

world; it lacks only people. These can readily be obtained if you go about it right; but remember one thing-that a family of character, bringing up its children in the fundamentals of righteousness, is worth a dosen ir-responsible families, such as you will get if you are not careful." But his optimism was based on a careful reading of the business barom-eter. There were many clouds in the business sky, and much dispute as to their meaning. Business durisz the next few months should watch the storm signals closely. The storm might blow away, but there was no sense taking risks. They should cut out the frills, col-lect their bills; keep down inventor-ies; reduce costs; avoid getting into any more debt, and get out of debt as fast as possible. "We must all," said he, "work for greater confidence, more efficiency, lower taxess, and other fundamentals, rather and other fundar ur is to cut out fake

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The S. S. "Prince, Albert" will a withdrawn from service between Wo ville, Kingsport and, Parrsboro, an Monday, December 31st, 1923. Amer, and who once were holly in avor of the Russian system are begin-ing to be content with a little less bro-nerhood and a few more square meals.

Town Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue Vol. I. No. 20. Wolfville, December 28, 1923 for sweet sixteen, others for the average adult, and some partic-ularly appropriate for these who beyond the span of life, still keep a sweet tooth when Moir's temp-ting Chocolates are in question. Happy New Year Need we say it, w Chocolates, and confi-calces say it so well when Moir's nfections and for us? To fill out the toe in a stock-, or top it of like cream in a tile, there are many good whole-mentations of candy made by

A gift of Moir's Char as to be in good taste packages for children

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Mr. A. C. Sheridan, exchange Ma mr of the M. F. & T. Co., who is con-ned to his home by illness, is impro-ve

Some men are docile by pat the large majority are married

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The Canada Perminent Loan Co.,---W. D. Withrow. Caldwelly Yerzas Bank of Montreal The Gerlach-Barlow Co. of Canada Ltd. The Royal Bank of Canada.

CROSSING ATLANTIC BY AIR

CROSSING ATLANTIC BY AIR Late advices from London, England, state that preparations practically have been completed for the opening of a trans Atlautic airway. If is likely that trini trips will be made in the spring of the coming year, but no definite date has been set or or usgested for the opening of the service proper. The airships are to be of the Zeopelin for the U. S. navy at Lakehurst, N. J., and there are to be two fliphs wee'dly from each side of the Atlantic. If is probable that the ships will the between the United States and Spain, and the trip will require a period of a sittle more than three and one-balf days. It is intimuted that the ships will be composed with nine ensures, developing 5000 home-power, and will accommo-due about forty messneyrs, ten this of mall and other fright, and be camble of making a speed of eighty miles an but.