

Local and Other Items

Some people are so generous with their good advice that they never have any left for home consumption.

Near Winnipeg the other day, Hugo Bernier, aged one year and a half, while playing in a hay stack with his four year old brother, was burned to death.

The Venusia of the Cunard line has beaten the Donalson liner, "Cabotia" in the race, reaching Montreal on Friday the 22nd, the first transatlantic steamer to arrive.

The Department of Trade and Commerce has received notification from Port of Spain, Trinidad, that the new tariff bill has been passed giving Canada a preference of fifty per cent.

A meteor passed over middle and southern Georgia on the 20th inst., exploding and showering hot metal and iron. The majority of pieces fell in open fields and no one was injured.

Advice from Memphis, Tenn., says that incomplete reports from the six states swept Friday and Saturday by storm, showed by Saturday the 17th a death list of 110 with 20 seriously injured and nearly 30 suffering lesser injuries. Property damages it was estimated would run into millions.

In the British House of Commons on the 20th, Col. L. A. Abery, under Secretary of State for the Colonies, replying to a question, declared that the British Admiralty had made no inquiries regarding coal supplies either from Canada or United States sources.

An army of unemployed paraded to Parliament House in St. John's, Nfld., demanding work. Prime Minister, Squires, informed them that the Government had decided to meet the requirements of the public on all questions. The leader of the opposition pledged the support of his party.

It was stated in the British House of Commons on the 18th instant that the proposed meeting of Prime Ministers of the Dominions to be held in London in June, would discuss a comprehensive policy of empire land settlement and directed immigration.

From London comes the intelligence that Queen Mother Alexandra is almost blind as a result of a second operation for cataract attempted a short time ago. It is her intention to visit her old home near Copenhagen in the hope that she may be able to recuperate in her native air.

Replying to questions in the British House of Commons on April 18th suggesting that Scotland and Ireland should be represented on the National Embargo Commission, Premier Lloyd George said that it was not considered advisable that any special locality would be represented as an impartial one.

An unlucky sneeze led to the arrest, by a railway policeman, of a pole at Brockville the other day. A constable passing a sealed box car loaded with wool heard a sneeze from within and upon investigation found a man named Wasyluk lying on the contents. How he entered the car is a mystery. The man is being held for examination by the immigration authorities.

From Tillsonburg, Ont., comes the intelligence that J. R. Lancaster, whose back was broken some three or four weeks ago when he was hit by a Michigan Central Railway passenger train when driving across the track in his automobile, died from the effects of his accident on the 18th instant. It is remarkable that with a broken back he lived so long after the accident.

From Washington comes the information under date of April 28th that the Emergency Tariff Bill, known as the "Young Bill," in character just about the same as the Wardeny Bill passed by Congress in the last session, but vetoed by President Wilson, has passed the House of Representatives and is now before the Senate. It is altogether unlikely that it will become law.

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From Washington under date of April 22nd comes the intelligence that a resolution requesting the President to open negotiations with Great Britain and Japan with a view to a substantial decrease on Naval expenditures was introduced in Congress by Representative Burton, Republican of Ohio.

In Providence, R. I., the verdict for \$23,041.71 was returned by a jury in the U. S. District Court on the 22nd instant in favour of the King of Great Britain, who sued the Taft, Peers Mfg. Co., of Woonsocket, R. I., for \$30,000.00 damages alleging breach of contract by the defendant in the manufacture of gauges for the manufacture of machine guns.

From Parry Sound, Ont., comes the intelligence that a large find of radium-bearing ore has been found in the Mica Mine Claims of J. C. and H. F. McGuire, with whom is associated Mr. Robinson, a well known mining prospector of Parry Sound. It is said that the ore has been assayed by provincial and dominion assayers and tested at McGill University and New York and found in each case to be radio active in a marked degree.

Some Eggs

Vancouver, B. C., April 15.—This city now lays claims to the championship for the largest hen's egg laid in Canada. Driver Mitchell, of the Police Department, is the owner of a flock of white Leghorn hens, one of which laid an egg four and a half inches in length, with a long circumference of eight and three quarter inches and a short circumference of six and five eighths inches. When opened it was found to contain two perfect whites and two perfect yolks.

Ottawa held the previous record for an egg laid last week measuring 9 1/2 inches and six and a half inches circumference.

Calgary, April 15.—Angus McKay, of Calgary, produced an egg from a Buff Orpington hen which weighed five and a half ounces, measured nine inches around the tips and seven and three quarters of an inch around the middle.

Sir—I had the pleasure of seeing what I believe to be one of the largest hen's eggs ever produced. It measures 12 3/4 inches in greatest circumference and 8 1/2 inches around, and weighs 1 1/4 ounces. This is nearly as heavy as six ordinary eggs. We candled it and were of the opinion that it contained more than one yolk. The egg was produced by a Barred Rock hen owned by Mr. Robert Charlton, of this township, and was measured and weighed by Mr. Alfred Andrews of the firm of Andrews & Brunet.

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Mail Contract

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 3rd of June, 1921, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week, on the route, East Baltic Rural Mail Route No. 1, from the first October next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of East Baltic, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector. JOHN F. WHEAR, Post Office Inspector, Post Office Inspector's Office, Ch'town, April 21, 1921, April 27, 1921—81

WANTED

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Legislative Assembly.

Prince Edward Island Rules Relating to Private Bills.

36 All petitions for Private Bills must be presented within fourteen days after the commencement of the session exclusive of adjournment.

37 No Private Bill shall be brought into the House, but upon a petition first presented, truly stating the case at the peril of the suitors for such Bill, and such petition must be signed by the said parties.

38 A committee shall be appointed at the commencement of every Session consisting of five members of whom three shall be a quorum, to be denominated, The Private Bills Committee to whom shall be referred every Private Bill, and no proceedings after the first reading shall be had upon such Bill until such Committee has reported thereon to the House.

39 So soon as the Committee has reported any Bill, such Bill together with any amendments that may be suggested by the Committee, shall be printed at the expense of the parties who are suitors for such Bill and printed copies thereof delivered to the members before the second reading if deemed necessary by the Committee.

40 No Bill for the particular interest of any person or persons, Corporation or Corporations or body or bodies of people shall be read a second time until all fees be paid for the same into the hands of the Clerk of the House.

41 No Bill naving for its object the vesting in or conferring upon any person or persons, Municipality or Body corporate the title to any tract of land shall be received or read in the House unless at least four weeks notice containing a full description of the land in question has been published in the Royal Gazette and one other newspaper in this Province of the intention of such person or persons Municipality or body Corporate to apply for such Bill.

H. E. DAWSON, Clerk Legislative Assembly

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Canadian-West Land Regulations The sole head of a family of any male over 18 years old, who was at the commencement of the present war and who has since continued to be a British subject or a subject of an allied or neutral country, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion Land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta applicant must appear in person at Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency in District. Entry by proxy may be made on certain conditions. Duties—six months residence upon and cultivation of land in each of three year. In certain districts a homesteader may secure an adjoining quarter-section as pre-emption. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—E-side six months in each of three years after securing homestead on east and cultivate 50 extra acres. May obtain pre-emption patent as soon as homestead patent on certain conditions. A settler after obtaining homestead patent, if he cannot secure a pre-emption, may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and a house worth \$300.00. When Dominion Lands are surveyed and posted for entry, return of soldiers who have served overseas and have been honourably discharged, receive one day priority in applying for entry at local Agent's Office (but not Sub-Agency). Discharge papers must be presented to Agent. Holders of entries, may count time of employment as farm labourers in Canada during 1917, as residence duties under certain conditions. W. W. CORY, City Minister of the Interior N. B.—authorised publication of the above is not to be paid for.