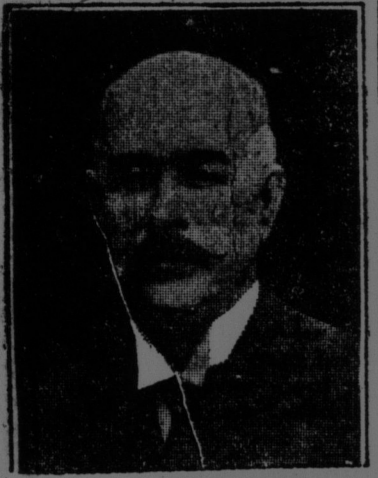


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FILIPPINOS WERE TERROR STRICKEN

Tribesmen Thought Aviators Were Messengers from Allah.

When, in order to carry out a survey, airmen visited Zabo, Sulu Archipelago, Philippine Islands, it was the first time the natives had seen an airplane, and they were greatly terrified, according to a story in the Westminster Gazette.

Some of them were convinced that the machines were sent as emissaries from Allah, and others believed the occupants of the craft themselves—the pilots and the observers—were both all-seeing and all-powerful.

It was impossible to convince them otherwise, and the airmen were viewed with dread and as supernatural things. Some of the natives even went so far as to declare the planes were dragons, flown out of the South Seas, and destined to wreck vengeance on all the Moros, according to an old Arabic legend.

There were thousands of Moros in the wilds of Mindanao who had never set eyes on a white man, and to whom the pilots, able to soar aloft like the birds, were altogether outside the sphere of ordinary mortals. The airmen were regarded as objects of great wonderment and to be held in the greatest awe.

Some of the pilots had most amusing experiences and were quite unable to make the natives understand how it was possible for them to fly "so near to the sun."

On one occasion Captain John Moore, of the American Flying Service, surprised to find, on looking over the side of his machine during a short reconnaissance flight, that down below, riding along the highway at breakneck speed, and always pursuing the same direction as that taken by the airplane, was a native, who had alighted in his outstretched arms what appeared to be, seen from an altitude, a white sheet.

He told of the incident to Major Stephens, commandant of the local constabulary, who made inquiries. It appeared that in the district certain natives were allowed to arm themselves with barongs and knives, provided they first of all obtained written sanction to do so.

The native seen by Captain Moore had the requisite permission to carry a barong which he had at the time in his possession, but fearful lest the strange and all-powerful "birdman" should suddenly swoop down upon him and carry away the instrument, he was holding aloft the written permit in order that the pilot might read it.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Claude F. Cassidy and their son Edward and Mrs. Cassidy's brother, Frank E. Cassidy, left on the C. P. R. train yesterday afternoon for California, there to make their home. A large number of friends and wish them good fortune.

Special comment was made concerning the many typhoid cases in the hospital at the present time when the board of commissioners met yesterday afternoon. There are now seventeen known cases of typhoid in the hospital and one case which is suspected to be typhoid but is as yet not fully diagnosed.

Last night in the Waterloo street Baptist church the pastor, Rev. J. A. Swetnam, commenced a week of special evangelistic services and gave an inspiring address on "Do We Need a Revival?" Many attended the after meeting which was held at the close of the service. These services will be continued all this week.

Brunswick Chapter, I. O. O. F., met yesterday at the home of Mrs. W. I. Fenton with Mrs. Herbert Wetmore in the chair. Plans were made for a Halloween tea and sale. Mrs. Courtland Robinson, delegate to the National Chapter convention in Vancouver, reported on the convention. It was decided to continue the assistance to the V. O. N.

Convenors for the various wards of the city were selected yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the tag day committee for the Victorian Order of Nurses. Mrs. George F. Smith presided over the gathering. Final arrangements are to be made at a meeting on Friday when the banks and tags will be assigned.

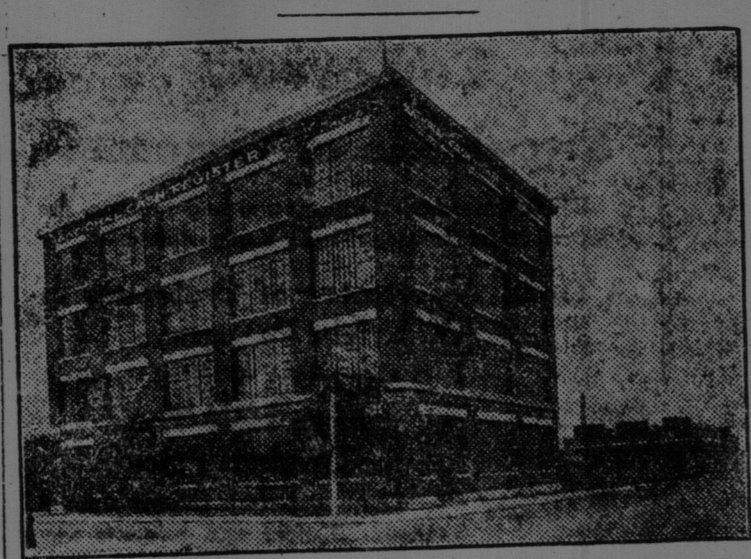
A visit of inspection was made to the Boys' Industrial Home yesterday by Premier W. E. Foster and other members of the board of governors. The annual distribution of prizes for the best kept gardens was made by the premier while at the home. He also presented them with a football and asked that they be allowed a half-holiday today.

At a meeting of the W. M. S. of the Centenary church yesterday afternoon, at which Mrs. R. A. Sinclair presided, Mrs. H. A. Goodwin assisted by Miss Margaret Evans led a discussion on a chapter entitled "In Field and Factory." The devotional services were led by Mrs. Charles Palmer. Others taking part in the programme were Mrs. Langstroth, Mrs. W. C. Smith, Miss Lawrence.

The question of placing the work of the Y. W. C. A. on a better footing was fully discussed yesterday at a meeting of business men. T. H. Somerville was elected president and F. W. Gilman, secretary of the meeting. Somerville said that about \$10,000 was necessary to wipe out the deficit and provide a small working capital. A campaign for more members was suggested as well as co-operative work between the men and the board of directors.

The quarterly meeting of the directors of the Bethel cemetery was held yesterday afternoon in the board of trade rooms, with the president, Lieutenant-Colonel E. T. Sturdee, in the chair. Satisfactory reports of the summer's work were received and plans made for the winter care. The financial statement was satisfactory. The report of the lots committee was received. Among the new work done was the erection of a new fence on the eastern boundary.

NEW CANADIAN FACTORY PURCHASED BY N.C.R. CO.



Mr. F. B. Patterson, president of the National Cash Register Company, in an interview to-day, announced the purchase from Gibson Bros. of the fine four-story building located at 550 and Dufferin streets, by his company.

The new home of the National Cash Register Company of Canada, announced by the Canadian division, "However, with the splendid crops and the return to Canada of prosperity on a sound basis we expect a big increase in our business, and know of no good reason why our Canadian organization should not soon again lead the entire American selling force."

"Possession of the new plant places us in a better position than ever before to serve our users in the real N. C. R. way."

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"Prior to the war period our sales force in Canada for a number of years led all of the divisions in the United States. Since 1914, although our business has more than doubled in both the United States and Canada, our sales force in the United States accounted for, proportionately, a better business than was secured by the Canadian division."

"We have purchased sufficient property to permit of increasing the plant, so as to provide for three times the present floor space."

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nation of a single grave section. Authority was given to extend Oliva avenue to the old Westmorland road, and the recent rains had done some damage.

The girls' branch of the W. A. of St. John's (Stone) church held its opening meeting for the season last night with Miss Edith Skinner, the president, in the chair. There was an exceptionally large attendance and it was felt to be a happy augury for the season's work. Plans were made for the winter's activities, especially as regards work for Christmas boxes and the W. A. bales. Arrangements were made for the supper meeting which will be held next week.

Before a large and appreciative audience in the Main street Baptist hall last night, Rev. A. L. Fleming, rector of St. John's (Stone) church, gave a very interesting address on the "People of the Polar North." His address was illustrated with a series of slides and was much enjoyed. Rev. Dr. David Hutchinson, the pastor of the church, presided.

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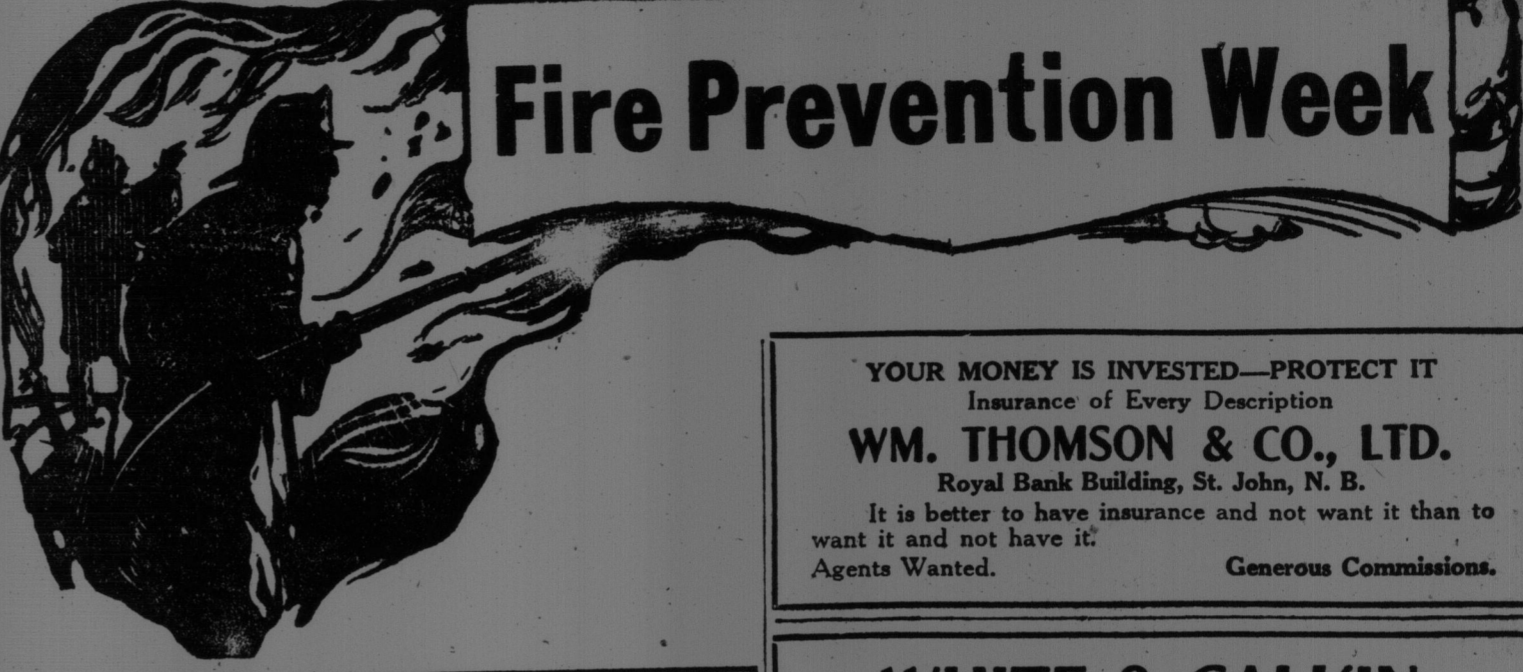
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WOMAN RANCHER'S STORY. Mrs. Yearlan "Rides Herd" on 6,000 Acres—Wool Clip, 50,000 Pounds.

"Ho, women! How about a ranch in Idaho?" This was the caption on the booth at the Women's Activities Exhibit, held recently in New York, showing what women in the Far West are doing. Mrs. Yearlan of Leach, Idaho, one of the exhibitors, gives an account of her experience in the Far West, where she is now raising sheep on a large scale.

"As a young girl raised in a Mississippi River town, I dreamed and read and thought of the mountains and the wide open spaces. When my children grew old enough to be sent away to school, I realized that something more than the income from my home was needed to meet the growing expense. I have always felt that women could do almost anything their men were doing, if they only would have faith in themselves."

"The men who were being most successful then, so it seemed to me, were those in the sheep business, and although this was a new departure for women and no sheep were being run in the vicinity, I bought a band of ewe lambs to start with and I have never regretted it."

"Each season I go out in the mountains to the camps, of which there are usually five—one for each of the bands of ewes and lambs—and I visit each one about two or three times, going on horseback and riding through thick and fallen timber, over slide rock, across rushing mountain streams and over the steepest trails. But joy comes in the evening when the new bred ewes and lambs are greeted by the barking of the sheep dogs, the smell of frying bacon and the aroma of boiling coffee."

"I often almost fall from my horse from being so long in the saddle, but I rest sitting by the fire and watching the herder mixing sour dough biscuits. Presently the sheep come trailing in and soon all are bedded down with now and then a ewe breaking the silence bleating for her lamb, or the lamb's plaintive call for its mother. Being so tired, I soon roll up in my blankets under the stars and am sound asleep, to be awakened in the morning by the thinking of bells as the sheep leave the bed ground for their day's feed."

"Running sheep seems to necessitate the ownership of many ranches, so in addition to my sheep I have been looking after four different ranches which are mostly in hay. These ranches vary in size from 160 to 1,500 acres. I do all my own buying and selling and hire all my own men. At the present time I am running about 6,000 ewes. My wool clip runs around 50,000 pounds each, and I have about 3,000 lambs I sell in addition to those I keep."

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Don't Think You Must Have a Pain DON'T THINK YOU MUST HAVE A PAIN TO HAVE INDIGESTION

Lack of flesh, too much fat, pimples, blotches, sallow complexion, lack of nerve force, impoverished blood, sleeplessness, headaches, backache, dizziness, weak brain power, dizzy spells, spots floating before the eyes, may all be due to the faulty digestive process either in the stomach or the bowels.



Only yesterday your head may have felt dull and heavy, you may have been cross, nervous or irritable, everything seemed to go wrong and you couldn't tell why.

It's ten to one it was old dyspepsia slyly getting in his work, not enough to cause you pain, but just enough to make you feel wrong.

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You may know some of these people, or know somebody who knows them. I'll send you their full addresses if you want them, so that you can find out about my DRECO, and the wonders it has wrought.

Probably you are now thinking whether all this can be true stop it. Come at once to the Ross Drug Co., and ask for the DRECO man; he will give you absolutely free a good-sized bottle of my DRECO. This offer is open to every man and woman in St. John and vicinity. There are no ifs, ands or buts attached to it, except that you come early, before the generous supply of free bottles has been used. You don't have to buy anything if you don't want to. I ask is that you step in and test this wonderful medicine and see for yourself what it can do for you. So please come as early as possible.

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