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TOKIO, June 9. French aviator, landed in the army flying field at Tokorawa, 15 miles northwest of here, at 11.40 this morning. He was given an enthusiastic reception by throngs of several thousand spectators. Except for an accident at Shanghai, which necessitated the use of a new plane from there to Tokorawa, D'Oisy's long hop was remarkably successful. His flight from Paris to Tokio in 45 days shattered by many weeks the previous flight record made by an Italian flyer in 1920. Capt. D'Oisy is expected in Tokio this afternoon, where an elaborate programme of entertainment has been arranged for him.

CATERPILLARS STOP TRAINS.

EDMONTON, June 9. Edmonton and surrounding district is threatened with a plague of caterpillars. Millions are in some parts of the district and have stripped trees bare of leaves. They have covered railway tracks and caused engine wheels to slip, stopping the engines temporarily. The pests even invade the houses and make them uncomfortable. Farmers say they have not attacked the crops as yet.

CANADA'S WEALTH IN 1921.

OTTAWA, June 9. Canada's national wealth in 1921 was \$22,195,000,000, according to a report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics which has included a survey of the tangible wealth of the Dominion in that year by inventory method. In the tabulation, agricultural wealth comes first with \$7,982,871,126, nearly 35 per cent. of the total, and about \$908 per head of population. Of the Provinces Ontario comes first with estimated aggregated wealth of \$7,358,000,000, which is thirty-three per cent. of the total. Prince Edward Island has \$119,912,000. Value of mints was estimated at \$559,514,000.

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Commotion Caused On Public Street

Last evening a large number of people were attracted to view an unusual sight on Duckworth Street. For a time it was difficult to ascertain exactly what the matter was. On the arrival of the authorities it was discovered that two small boys came to blows over an argument as to whether the "Dark Horse" would beat Linegar and O'Toole at St. Mary's Garden Party, to-morrow. After a short time the crowd dispersed with a unanimous decision to attend the Garden Party and see for themselves.

Star Card Party and Dance

A very enjoyable card party and dance was held at the Star Club rooms last night, under the auspices of the Ladies' Association. In the card tournament the winners were Mrs. Kavanaugh and Mr. Janemead. Supper was served by the ladies in the excellent style for which the Star ladies are noted. Dancing was indulged in to the music furnished by the C. C. C. Orchestra. At the conclusion the affair was voted a great success.

Enjoyable Dance

AT THE C.L.B. ARMOURY. Upwards of eighty couples attended the dance at the C. L. B. Armoury last night. The affair was held under the auspices of the Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers' Mess, and proved a thoroughly enjoyable evening to all. The Battalion's Band rendered a select programme of music throughout, which was greatly appreciated and highly spoken of. During the evening the lady friends of the Mess served supper. The arrangements were perfect in every detail, and the management are deserving of every congratulation for their efforts.

Just Folks.

By EDGAR A GUEST

REASONS FOR GOING FISHING.

Some go fishing just for fish— That is sport for market-men, Let them have it, if they wish, Bait their hooks and cast again. I'm a fisherman who goes Out upon the lake or stream Seeking fish, but goodness knows! Glad to catch a passing dream.

I can glory in the day Whether big ones bite or not. Steal my bait or get away. Let me find a lonely spot Where the sunbeams race and dance And the birds of summer sing, And I'll give my soul a chance High above the world to swing.

I can lie out there and dream. Glad if I can catch a thought Of the wise Creator's scheme And the marvels He has wrought. Fish, of course, it's sport to net. But there is so much to see That I never sigh nor fret. When good luck won't favor me.

Some go fishing just for fish— I go fishing, if you please, Glad to hear the willows sigh And the murmur of the breeze; I go out to hear the streams Laughing as they race along, Giving up my soul to dreams, Touched with beauty and with song.

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Big Canadian Film Coming to St. John's

SEEN AT PRIVATE SHOWING AT MAJESTIC YESTERDAY.

Yesterday afternoon we had the pleasure of witnessing the private exhibition of a big Canadian photoplay at the Majestic Theatre. The film is entitled "The Stranger of the North," and is made by the Canadian Maritime Motion Picture Company of Sydney, N.S., a producing company in which a number of our citizens are shareholders. Speaking critically we may say that the production contains an entertainment that will appeal to all lovers of good drama, as there is a beautiful love appeal closely entwined together with a big punch and a number of startling climaxes with an excellent finish.

An unusually interesting feature of this production is the handling of the triangle of two men and a woman—how they work out and solve their difficulties in the Canadian North woods are cleverly portrayed by Richard Travers, Ruth Dwyer and Pat Hardigan. From intensely interesting love drama the scene suddenly shifts to one of the fiercest and most hard fought battles perhaps ever thrown on a local screen.

We understand the management of the Majestic has booked this feature and will screen it on Monday next.

Try this recipe for NUT BREAD: 4 cups flour, 6 teaspoons baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup English walnuts, 1 cup milk, 2 eggs. Mix and sift dry ingredients and add the chopped nuts. Add milk and well beaten eggs. Put in two buttered pans and let stand 20 minutes. Set your oven heat regulator at 375 degrees and bake for 20 minutes.

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