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LIFE IN NEWFOUNDLAND

There is little room in Newfoundland for the specialist. The average man in that colony can fish, build houses, construct stables, cultivate his garden and do many other things with about the same degree of efficiency. He is a sea-board dweller and necessity compels him to turn his hand to everything.

Today's western crop report looks good. Money will be easier so soon as it is seen that the crops are heavy. The existing causes of depression are not everlasting, and many of them are artificial. The financiers have already discounted about all known adverse factors, and by the time harvesting begins it is likely to be found that the world has plenty of money at the ordinary rates of interest.

A Hamilton man lost a ten-foot snake, and before he recaptured it the town was in a panic. The loser indignantly said that his pet was perfectly harmless. "No doubt," said all the rest of Hamilton, "but to have a ten-foot reptile coiled up in the public street, making faces at all and sundry, might start half the population toward the Rocky Mountains before they could be assured that the visitor was really a serpent of irreproachable character."

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This is the "emergency man" Mr. Borden has been looking for. A Brilliant Function at Windsor in In Ascot Week (London News) The garden parties given by the king and queen at Windsor each year are generally looked upon as the most informal as well as the most delightful of all the royal functions.

Why This Neglect? The English Departmental Committee on Tuberculosis in its annual report declares that it is of the opinion that the bacillus of bovine tuberculosis is the cause of tuberculosis in man, and to a greater extent in children, and that the best way to attain complete security from the danger of bovine infection is entirely to eradicate tuberculosis from the cattle of the country.

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Smile your way to success" is the advice handed out to young men by Edward Chambers who was elected vice-president of the Aitchison, Topinka & Sante Fe system the other day, after climbing from a freight handler's job. That sounds easy, but is it? It is not

BIRTHDAYS OF NOTABILITIES

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18 Commander W. B. Macdonald, who was appointed to the command of the Nobe, in 1910, is forty-two years of age today. He was born in Victoria, B. C., and entered the royal navy in 1888. He has served in all parts of the world.

Lighter Vein A farmer in great need of extra hands at haying time finally asked St. Warren, who was accounted the town fool, if he could help him out. "What'll ye pay?" asked St. Warren. "I'll pay what you're worth," answered the farmer.

Harry—I have managed to put my boots on myself this morning, aunty. Aunty—O, you silly boy! You have put them on the wrong feet. Put them on the other feet directly. Harry—I haven't any other feet to put them on, aunty.

Mrs. Harlem Heights—You must not laugh and make fun of everybody, Mamie. Mamie—I don't, mama; I am not the girl who laughs. The other day a little girl fell off a board fence, and all the other children laughed, but I didn't. Mrs. Harlem Heights—That was right. Mamie—Yes, I was the little girl that fell off the fence. I was the girl who cried.

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Rev. Dr. Walter Russell, formerly of Toronto, now a Chicago evangelist, has been telling the Toronto Globe that the worst is yet to come. "Do you believe we are in the last days?" he was asked. "Certainly," came the reply. "These are the last days of the ages, and I believe it is all going to close with the nations testing their arms on the Pacific waters. I think Japan will mobilize the forces of the Orient and there will be a mighty clash. It will be the final clash and convulsions over the earth will demand His coming. There will be no peace until Christ has come again."

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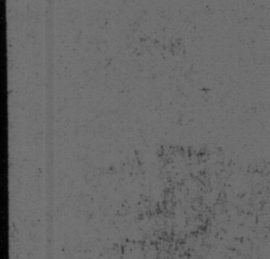
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The report of Dr. W. S. Carter, chief superintendent of education to be presented to the board of education today forecasts advanced education in agricultural and technical lines. The report speaks of the appointment of R. P. Steves of Sussex as director of elementary agriculture and outlined the work connected with the position. It is expected, he said, that in conjunction with the various women's institutes throughout the province, elementary domestic science will be introduced into the county schools among the female pupils and the study of agriculture will be provided for the boys. He believed that the recommendations contained in the report of the technical commission would be adopted by parliament and that they will take effect in somewhat the same manner as the agricultural grants. While the country schools will devote particular attention to agriculture, the city schools will devote their attention to the manual training work, and domestic science. The school of agriculture at Woodstock is already under way and it is expected that the one proposed for Sussex will soon be undertaken. The report also referred to the addition which will be made to Normal School to relieve the congestion. The new ill will provide room for the model school and also for the manual training department. Besides there will be a large drill hall which can be used as a gymnasium. The annual school meetings throughout the province will be held this year on

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July 14. School will re-open on August 26. Application for Option Application has been made by C. H. Ferguson, acting for the Eastern Trust Company, for the option on the Municipal Home property which was authorized at the last meeting of the county council. Mr. Ferguson tendered the sum of one dollar mentioned as the consideration and made a formal demand for the option. W. I. Fenton and others who have opposed the option say they will take steps to prevent its being issued if necessary.

Letter boxes are used on suburban street cars in three cities in the United States—Des Moines, Ia., Burlington, Ia., and Grand Rapids, Mich. This gives the suburban residents a chance to send mail to the post office every hour. If the car is signalled for the purpose of putting mail in the box, the sender is required to pay the conductor the minimum car fare.

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