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Eiffel Tower at Last Wins Paris by Place in Art and Romances

Paris.—After dominating the sky line of Paris for almost forty years, the Eiffel Tower has become popular with Parisians.

Always intensely partisan wherever the beauty of their city is concerned, the natives of Paris for long after the exposition of 1889 were unanimous in condemning the huge skeleton of steel and cable towering above the Champ-de-Mars.

Artists and writers have changed public opinion. For years the tower has been an integral part of the background of all the innumerable paintings of the quai. Within the last four years at least four romances have been published in which hero and heroine, typically Parisian in every other respect, found the tower a trysting place. Native opinion changed. The immediate result was tribute, somewhat belated, to the memory of Gustave Eiffel, the engineer who built the tower. The monument, a bust on a circular dais, will be in place in time for the commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Eiffel. The engineer was born in 1832 at Dijon, on the Cote d'Or.



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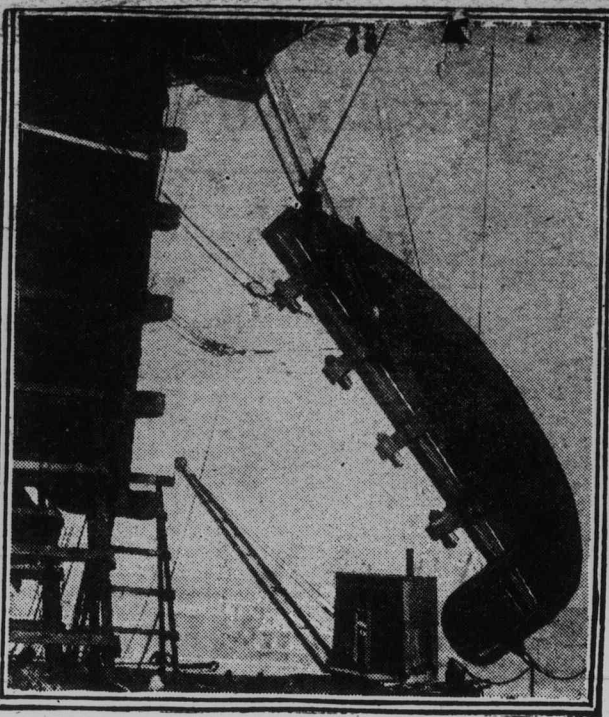
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### Turkey to Cease Use of Arabic Letters June 1

Latin Characters Learned at State Schools Under Reform Ordered by Kemal

### People Approve Change

Angora, Turkey.—Mustapha Kemal Pasha's major reform in the west-ernization of Turkey will go into effect officially on June 1. After that date Arabic writing will be entirely forbidden throughout the country and all Turks will be required to use the Latin characters which they have been learning in special government schools.

Although state papers have been written in the Latin alphabet ever since the reform was first inaugurated, Arabic letters were permitted in private communications. During this time all citizens between the ages of sixteen and forty have been required to attend the national schools to learn the new characters.

### Kemal Teaches Classes

The reform has proved so popular that many men and women more than forty have attended the classes, some of which have been taught by Kemal himself.

The misfortune of King Amanullah of Afghanistan, who lost his throne because of the efforts to force Occidental civilization upon his subjects, has made little impression here. The only concession which the government has made to tradition has been an amendment making Arabic legal for inscriptions in the mosques and for the Koran, and the temporary postponement of the adoption of Sunday as a legal holiday instead of the Islamic Friday.

### Young Minister Dies

The death of Nedjati Bey, the young Minister of Public Instruction, who had charge of the reform program, has not brought any relaxation in the government's efforts to teach the new alphabet to the 14,000,000 inhabitants. Nedjati died of appendicitis and it was charged in the Turkish press that the inefficiency of his physicians was responsible.

The Minister of Public Hygiene, replying to a question in the National Assembly, defended the physicians and declared the death was due solely to the gravity of the illness. Premier Ismet Pasha temporarily took over the portfolio and continued the campaign. It is learned that Wafiq Bey, who has resigned as Ambassador to Moscow and who formerly was Minister of Public Instruction, will succeed Nedjati. He recently was elected Deputy for Smyrna.

He who said "The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath," would also have said, "Marriage was made for man, not man for marriage."—Dean Inge.

### Pharaoh's Games Shown at Cairo

New Tut-ankh-Amen Relics on View for First Time

Cairo.—Howard Carter is continuing his work on the Tut-ankh-Amen tomb at Luxor and treasures of antiquity are still being brought to view, much to the delight of tourists. The public is now having its first opportunity of seeing at the museum the new objects from the tomb, which arrived in Cairo recently in 90 cases, heavily guarded. To-day, lovely alabaster vases and inlaid faience are exposed to view, also figures, finely worked, of the sacred ibis and a representation of the Egyptian god "Bes," a form of vase, which is still sealed, probably containing scent, an interesting hand drill for burning holes in wood and making fire, a gold scepter inlaid with multicolored glass, which is a unique find, a lovely silver vase which looks as though made yesterday.

Other exhibits include a large model in alabaster of a boat, its heads forming the prow and stern, a cabin in the form of a shrine, with two bronze seats, of which only one specimen is known—that Khephes sword. Another remarkable exhibit is a large bed, heavily gold plated, which resembles other types of Tut-ankh-Amen furniture, the fibre springs remaining in an extraordinary state of preservation.

Interesting examples of games played at Pharaoh's court are also shown, including a fine ebony game board, still highly polished, marked out in squares on which are pictures which determine the counters' moves. An ivory drawer contains knucklebones and four flat pieces of ivory, which were thrown as an equivalent of dice, and another two miniature ivory gaming boards.

Other lovely new exhibits are now on view, and many smaller, which are still unpacked, and unlikely to be shown before next winter, when it is probable that the Tut-ankh-Amen tomb will have been completely cleared.

### Australian Gold Yield Declining

Largely Increased Costs of Production the Cause of Diminution

Melbourne, Vic.—Gold is to be found practically all over Australia, but for various reasons, not the least of them labor troubles and consequently largely increased costs of production, the yield is declining very considerably. In 1928 the total gold obtained was 457,201 ounces fine, which is 47,556 ounces less than in 1927. The decrease applies to all states.

In Victoria the amount won was less by 4,621 ounces than in 1927, and the New South Wales yield fell short by 5,200 ounces. The closing of the rich Mount Morgan mine in Queensland, which also abounds in copper, gave Queensland a very low return, but with the price of copper now at an attractive level, there is a big possibility that capital will be forthcoming to enable work to be resumed there.

Mines in Western Australia, the richest of all the states in gold, maintained a steady output, the yield being not far below that of 1927.

Master of the House (nervously): "Better not light the fire with paraffin, Norah. Remember you promised to give a week's notice before you left us."

### Canada Figures on Immigration

Dominion Looks for Onflux of Nearly 200,000 This Year

### Homestead Filings Gain

Immigration to Canada opened up a little brighter and more auspiciously in 1929, and should the increment recorded in January, which is not a month of active movement, be continued throughout the year the aggregate for the twelve months should come much nearer the 200,000 mark, says a recent Canadian Pacific Railway bulletin. The total of new arrivals in January was 4,164, as compared with 3,692 in 1928, an increase of 12.78 per cent. Newcomers from the British Isles totaled 1,133, as compared with 771 in the previous year, an increase of 46.95 per cent. Citizens of the United States totaled 1,573, as against 1,223, an increase of 28.61 per cent. The number of entrants from all other countries was 1,458, against 1,698, a decline of 14.13 per cent.

Swelling the movement from across the international border, "which was the outstanding and most gratifying feature of the immigration situation in 1928," says the bulletin, were 1,767 Canadians who had made permanent homes in the United States and were returning to Canada to live, as compared with 1,683 in January, 1928, an increase of 4.99 per cent.

"The month of January likewise gave indication of an active year of land settlement, with every likelihood of its surpassing in this regard 1928, which was the most outstanding of the post-war period. Canadian farm lands are again coming strongly into the limelight as the cheapest of their kind in the world. New transportation arrangements for the Peace River country of Northern Alberta have induced a flow of settlers into that territory, which doubled its population last year.

"Projected new railway lines in yet unexploited territory in the Northwest is focusing attention upon settlement possibilities there. Vacant lands in developed communities are proving more attractive to newcomers with small capital. Considerable expansion is taking place in the irrigated sections of Southern Alberta. There is every sign that a considerable volume of new colonization will be accomplished in 1929.

### Homestead Filings Gain

"Homestead filings, after recording an increase of nearly 150 per cent. in 1928 over 1927, started off the year with a further increment of 66 per cent. 761 homesteads being filed upon in January, compared with 457 in the corresponding month of the previous year. Alberta showed 386 filings, against 201 in 1928, this being largely due to new acreage taken up in the Peace River country, which section accounted for 23 per cent. of the Provinces filings in 1929. Filings in Saskatchewan rose from 194 to 309, both Prince Albert and Moose Jaw offices recording large increases. British Columbia more than doubled its filings, figures rising from eleven to twenty-four. Manitoba was the only Province to register a decline, figures dropping from fifty-one to forty-two.

"The Canada Colonization Association similarly started off the year in an active manner. After settling 667 families in 1928, bringing its record of colonization since inception up to 3,038 families on 715,789 acres of land worth \$29,653,958, twenty-five families were placed on 3,227 acres of land worth \$53,490 in January of the present year, all with the exception of five families in Ontario being in the Western Provinces. The association has an elaborate program of settlement for the present year, with 400 families definitely ready for settlement at the opening of 1929, in addition to which a reservoir of 400 families is to be created and maintained at that strength. This is being effected through temporary placement, while a cottage scheme is being developed for the benefit of British settlers. Only those families will be immediately settled on the land which have sufficient means of their own or which insist on immediate settlement this to further offset possibility of

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### Land Values Rise

"Canadian farm lands, though still cheaper than others of their class elsewhere, are rising steadily in value. In 1901 the average acre of farm land in Canada, improved and unimproved together with buildings thereon, was \$22.13 per acre, whereas in 1911 it had risen to \$30.41, and in 1928 was worth \$38. Taking the Province of Alberta as typical of Western Canada in 1901, the average acre was worth \$6.12; in 1911, \$21.71, and in 1928, \$28, the rise in the first decade of the century exhibiting the effect of active settlement. Due to their higher productive value in the last few years farm land values in many Provinces have risen lately.

"Also because farm labor is coming to be increasingly regarded as the logical and surest road to farm ownership, the Government's figures on farm wages prevailing last year have interest. The demand for farm workers in Canada at all times is greater than the supply. Last year the Canadian Pacific Railway was able to fill only about half of the applications filed with it for single male workers, much less than half of those for domestics, and only about a quarter of those for families on farms.

"For the whole of Canada the average wages per month of farm help during the summer season of 1928 were for men \$40 and for women \$24. In addition, the value of the board is placed at \$23 for men and \$24 for women. The total wages and board thus amounted to \$63 for men and \$44 for women. In Western Canada wages were higher, being \$61 and \$41 respectively in Manitoba; \$69 and \$47 in Saskatchewan; \$72 and \$49 in Alberta, and \$77 and \$52 in British Columbia.

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### Cost of Living

Quebec Evenement (Cons.): There are four immense regions of different character in the United States. The conditions of life vary as much from one region to another as between two widely-separated countries like, for example, Mexico and Spain. In the north-east, the north-centre and the far west certain industries and certain labor unions are formidably organized. Some artisans, such as automobile workers, construction hands and railway workers, receive salaries which seem very large, even in comparison with the salaries paid in Canada. But in New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Seattle and San Francisco the cost of living is materially higher than it is with us.

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