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MAY HAVE 2-CENT POSTAGE

There is a strong possibility that Hon. W. S. Fielding in his budget speech will announce a return to two cent postage. The two cent rate was put into effect by Hon. William Mulock in 1897, and remained in effect, with increased postal revenues, until the war, when it was increased to three cents for war purposes.

Under the administration of Hon. Charles Murphy, as postmaster-general, important economies were effected to such an extent that the postmaster general himself announced at the recent postal conference that a return to the two cent rate was in sight. The minister, however, intimated that it was for Mr. Fielding, as finance minister, to decide, inasmuch as the extra cent goes to the general consolidated revenue fund.

- 1-Cancellation of the Receipt Tax. 2-Cancellation of the Exise Tax on beverages and confectionery. 3-Change in stamp tax on cheques, documents, etc. This change would be maintaining the present 2c stamp on cheques up to \$100 and above that, 4c only instead of the present graded scale.

The government has secured a much greater revenue from the Sales Tax than it anticipated, which leaves it in a position to make some changes in those taxes that have proven more or less of an annoyance to business men.

Tobacco manufacturers are looking for a reduction in cigarette taxes. Present taxes are \$7.50 per thousand and a return to former levels of \$6.00 is expected.

Penitentiaries Improved In Recent Years

Grey walls which surround penitentiaries are not solely for the purpose of keeping inmates from escaping, but to keep persons, from interfering with prison welfare by smuggling revolvers, whiskey and other undesirable goods to prisoners.

General Hughes gave a very interesting address on the improvements which had been made in the penitentiary system and explained fully the procedure which is followed from the time a prisoner is admitted until he receives his discharge.

TREMENDOUS EXODUS FROM THE MARITIMES

The tremendous exodus of people from the Maritime Provinces, especially from Nova Scotia is fanning the spirit which seems to be general throughout the eastern part of Canada," said James H. Conlon, Secretary of the Canadian Fisheries Association, and editor of the Canadian Fisherman on his return to Montreal from a business trip through the Maritime Provinces.

Mr. Conlon who is an old time resident of the Maritime Provinces, said that during his recent trip he had found an increasing conviction that the Atlantic Provinces had not profited as they should since Confederation, while there was everywhere a constant agitation for relief from the general depression. During the past sixteen months, Mr. Conlon stated he had been informed that no fewer than 24,000 people had left the Halifax district which it was estimated by competent authorities that at least 40,000 people had migrated from Nova Scotia since the later day exodus had begun.

GOT SO WEAK SHE FELL IN TRACKS

Toronto Lady Says Stomach Trouble Caused Collapse—Gives Tanlac Full Credit For Recovery

I Don't believe I'd be alive to-day to tell of my recovery if I hadn't taken the Tanlac treatment when I did. I feel so thankful that if I could I would go from house to house and tell everybody about this wonderful medicine. This is the grateful statement made the other day by Mrs. Josephine Brathwaite, 13 Bright St., Toronto, Ont.

"Seven years ago my health began to decline, and to think that if I'd only had Tanlac then what a world of suffering I would have missed. Broth and toast was about all I dared eat, gas and pains in my stomach after a meal nearly set me wild, and I would scream with agony. I grew thin as a rail and at times became so weak and dizzy I actually fell in my tracks.

"But since taking Tanlac I now enjoy splendid health. My appetite is wonderful, I haven't a sign of my old troubles, and have gained seventeen pounds. Tanlac has been an untold blessing to me, and I will always praise it."

Boy Scouts Increasing

During the last year the Boy Scout troops of the world increased their membership by some 78,000 Scouts and Canada alone contributed about 12,000 to this increase, said Sir Robert Baden Powell, chief Scout, after his arrival from England on the steamer Marloch. The Scout movement, he said, had now extended to practically every civilized country in the world and the total enrollment was in the vicinity of 800,000. About half this number was in the English speaking countries, the United States contributed in between 400,000 and 500,000 and the British Empire about 340,000. Canada's total membership Sir, Robert said, was about 48,000, which showed an increase of nearly 25 per cent within the last year.

Discoverer Of Insulin Officially Recognized

Official recognition of Dr. F.G. Banting as the discoverer of "insulin" the new treatment for diabetes was extended by the Academy of Medicine of Toronto. Resolutions were unanimously adopted through which the academy recorded its deep appreciation and acknowledgement of the discovery as a signal contribution to

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science and to humanity at large. The name of C.H. Best, who assisted Dr. Banting in his research work at the University of Toronto, was coupled in the resolutions with that of the discoverer.

Childhood Indigestion

Nothing is more common in childhood than indigestion. Nothing is more dangerous to proper growth, more weakening to the constitution, more likely to pave the way to dangerous disease. Fully nine-tenths of all the minor ills of childhood have their root in indigestion. There is no medicine for little ones to equal Baby's Own Tablets in relieving this trouble. They have proved of benefit in thousands of homes. Concerning them Mrs. Jos. Lunette, Immaculate Conception, Que., writes: "My baby was a great sufferer from indigestion but the Tablets soon set her right and now I would not be without them." Baby's Own Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Serious Revolt Breaks Out In South Russia

A serious peasant rebellion against the Soviet government has broken out in South Russia according to advices received by the Ukraine representatives. Regular pitched battles are proceeding between the peasants and Soviet forces in the region of Zhitomir and Rakitno. The Soviet leaders have spent urgent appeals for the despatch of infantry and artillery.

Croupy Cold Goes Overnight

Ontario Lady Says Vicks "Has No Equal" Every mother wants her children to be active and to grow strong through outdoor play. But frequent colds sap their vitality, cause loss of school standing, and keep youngsters puny and delicate. Mothers who use Vicks VapoRub for children's colds find that the kiddies can play outdoors and that their cold troubles can usually be checked overnight.

HONORING BAY DU VIN'S SOLDIER HEROES

A large congregation witnessed the unveiling of a memorial window placed in the chancel of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, Bay du Vin, on Sunday, March 25th, in memory of the three boys of the Congregation who gave their lives in the Great War. The inscription which runs across the base of the window is as follows:—To The Glory of God in memory of Hugh Williston, Oswald Smith, Duncan Williston, who made the supreme sacrifice in the Great War."

Pope Prays For The Russian Vicar-General

Rome, April 8—News of the execution by the Soviet authorities of Monsignor Hatzekavitch, it is learned, reached Pope Pius yesterday, and upon hearing the news the Pontiff knelt in prayer for the soul of the dead prelate.

The Pope was deeply grieved when informed that the sentence had been carried out especially as the effort made to save the Vicar-General had raised hopes that it might be possible to obtain a communication of sentence, as in the case of Archbishop Zepiak.

A Good Medicine For The Springtime

Do Not Use Harsh Purgatives, —A Tonic is All You Need

Not sick—but not feeling quite well. That is the way most people feel in the spring. Easily tired, appetite fickle, sometimes headaches and a feeling of depression. Pimples or eruptions may appear on the skin, or there may be twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia. Any of these indicate that the blood is out of order—that the indoor life of winter has left its mark upon you and may easily develop into more serious trouble.

Do not dose yourself with purgatives, as many people do, in the hope that you can put your blood right. Purgatives gallop through the system and weaken instead of giving strength. Any doctor will tell you this is true. What you need in the spring is a tonic that will enrich the blood and build up the nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do this speedily and surely. Every dose of this medicine helps to enrich the blood which clears the skin, strengthens the appetite and makes tired, depressed men, women and children active and strong. Miss S. L. McEachron, Nairn, N. B., says: "I have been in the habit of taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in the spring and they keep me in the best of health. I think it is entirely due to the use of these pills that I always have such good health."

Canada Has Greatest Beef Cattle In World

"I do not think the people of the United States really understand what they are doing in barring your cattle entering the country as you have the greatest beef cattle in the world," was the statement made by Charles O. Robinson, of Chicago, one of the best known livestock commission men of that city, in the course of an address before the annual convention of the stock growers protective association of Western Canada.

TYPHOID AT MARYSVILLE

A case of typhoid is reported from Marysville. The patient arrived on Friday from Plaster Rock, Ill. The attending physician diagnosed the case as typhoid. The man had been in Plaster Rock for some time.

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