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Press Comment

THE CHINESE PROBLEM

Family Herald: There is a side of the troubles in China, which is likely to escape the general observation, but it is nevertheless of the deepest interest to all who are anxious about the preservation of the peace of the world. These civil wars, in that vast country, of which we receive such meagre reports, will have a marked effect upon its military development. Soldiers of fortune from many countries are placing their experience at the disposal of the leaders in these military movements.

Armies are now equipped with modern weapons, including poison gas and aeroplanes, and western discipline has replaced the semi-barbaric methods. Chinese Gordon so easily mastered with his "Ever-victorious Army."

The four-hundred millions of China constituted no very real menace to the peace of mankind so long as its armies were unorganized, unarmed, and so long as no strong common aim knitted that great population into one compact mass.

From the distance it would appear, judging by the reports of the strikes at Shanghai and elsewhere, that the unifying common aim has been discovered, and that what the late President Wilson styled "self-determination," which in China means, "down with the foreigners," is to be its rallying cry.

The control of China's foreign trade and of its customs' tariffs by foreign nations, in return for loans or for reparations of wrongs done, was found to become irksome after a time; nor could the semi-tutelage imposed upon a country of a differing civilization endure for ever.

Wise, experienced diplomacy will be necessary if peace is to be preserved in that particular corner of the world, with Russia on the look-out for a catspaw on the one hand, and Japan with dreams of empire, on the other, and puzzling questions of trade, debts and foreign settlements in the country, confusing all issues.

Patience, friendliness, and co-operation without ulterior motives, is what British diplomacy will have to offer towards the solution of the problem of China.

The exercise of even those peaceful virtues may however, not prevail ultimately to keep us out of the maelstrom with which China's awakening and unification appears to threaten the coming age.

MAKE HASTE SLOWLY

Bulawayo Chronicle: Everybody knows that big development schemes cannot be undertaken without adequate funds, and there is a great deal to be done in a country not much more than thirty years old. The government is wise in its policy of keeping to the solid ground level with its schemes of progress. In the words of the Treasurer, that policy is to make a forward movement to develop and accelerate progress of expansion as the country goes ahead, but always keeping within the resources of the country.

THE WATCH ON THE RHINE

London Referee: Whether Mr. Chamberlain has raised hopes at the Quai d'Orsay that England may

be prepared to guarantee that frontier we do not know, but it is his, he has gone beyond his brief. We cherish the friendship of France beyond anything else in Europe, but England is not prepared to let her hands by any such pact as that which has been suggested. It is against the principles of the policy we have pursued for many generations, and the English people would not permit it.

THE RECEPTIVE MIND

Cape (South African) Argus: Education does not produce mind. But it is the mind on which education works—a truth which is often forgotten by those who have set up, the little tin of efficiency and utilitarian dexterity as the educational ideal. No amount of education will bring knowledge and ideas into a mind that is incapable of receiving them. Education works no miracles or feats of magic; it is strictly limited and conditioned by the material it has to work on.

THE WAR OF THE PENS

Kansas City Times: There is to be a book for the note writing in which Europe is so eagerly engaged. It is a fine substitute for fighting.

RIDERS OF THE PLAIN

Indianapolis News: We do not suppose there are enough of the Canadian Mounted Police to cover every foot of territory in the Dominion. Any yet the Canadian Mounted is known as one of the finest law enforcing agencies in the world.

DISTRESS IN CHINA

Hong Kong Press: Everybody is aware of the fact that, due to either flood or drought, there are always large numbers of people in parts of China reduced to the verge of starvation; but the conditions at the present time must be exceptionally severe and impressive to justify the assertion of the Powers to imposition of a surtax on the Customs.

THE BOND OF SENTIMENT

Westminster Gazette: It has come to be said that nothing holds the British Empire together but sentiment. There is much truth in this; but there could, after all, be no stronger bond. We have sent our sons to the distant parts of the earth, and while they and their descendants maintain ideals which are ours and remember their kinship with us and with each other through pacts, or treaties, or politics could make them.

THE DOMINIONS AND THE PACT

Detroit Free Press: The spontaneous patriotism that brought them to England side in 1914 is still there; but there is also a growing desire to avoid blind-alley entanglements in Europe. Moreover, Canada and the Pacific Dominions are asking themselves whether by pre-occupying herself too extensively with European affairs, Great Britain must not eventually lose sight of the need for greater security felt along the remote reaches of the Empire.

Things have gotten so lately the old man has to ask the children two or three days ahead if he can borrow the car.

SMOKING FISH

In connection with the fact that shad were caught in larger numbers this year in the Miramichi river than for many years past, it is interesting to note that Dr. Huntsman, of the Atlantic Experimental Station for Fisheries, Halifax, has been making some experiments upon better methods of smoking fish. Shad, sold in Chatham, N. B., this spring as cheap as three cents a piece, or about a cent a pound.

The public may thank the Fisheries Department for the increase in the catch of this fish in recent years. A complete stoppage of four years in the fishing gave the shad a chance to multiply, and the big catches in the past few years have been the result. The low prices for shad in Chatham and Newcastle this year suggested to fishermen that it would be a good thing to smoke some for future use. Smoked ones are preferable to salted ones, though frozen ones are better than either. Few fishermen, however, have facilities for freezing shad. They must, therefore, depend upon smoking and in this operation every fisherman is a law unto himself.

It will therefore be of interest to learn that Dr. Huntsman, the director of the Biological Stations, both at St. Andrews and also at Halifax, has succeeded in shortening the process of smoking fish as well as producing a more uniform quality. As soon as the process has been further improved, the Biological Board of Canada, under which the two biological stations work, will issue a report upon the subject and will employ a trained man, whose duty it will be to spread a knowledge of the improved method among fishermen. In this way it is expected that in some seasons, when fish are more abundant than can be marketed fresh in certain localities, they may be smoked and sold later on to better advantage when fish are scarce.

LADY ASTOR TARGET OF JIBES

Attended All-Night Sitting in Pension Bill Discussion

London—The interest of Lady Astor in the fate of the pensions bill is so keen that she sat up all through last night's session of the commons which lasted until 7.15 this morning, and it was her repartee that roused the House to fresh vigor at a time when day was breaking and human vitality is lowest. During the pensions bill debate Socialist members resented Lady Astor's opposition to their proposals and made her a target for a number of gibes in doubtful taste. For instance when she denounced the statement of Socialist member, Dunlop Graham, denouncing "the woman who really won the war," Graham retorted: "The noble lady has nobility lying in France. I have and you give me nothing, and I'm my capital you took." Neil MacLean, supported the bill, and it would cost more to keep a dog in a dog's home than was proposed for widows. This brought laughter and innuendo MacLean, who commented: "The dog is silent, there's no barking now. There's only one cat here." Lady Astor being the only woman in the House regarded it as an allusion to herself, so she challenged MacLean: "You call me a cat," she demanded. "No, I didn't," MacLean pleaded. "Well, I am the only cat here," Lady Astor replied and the House collapsed in laughter.

MINERAL ADDITIONS TO THE GRAIN RATION OF ROGS.

(Experimental Farms Note). Some valuable information relative to the importance of adding mineral matter to the usual grain rations of hogs has been secured at the Agassiz Experimental Farm during the last two winters.

The mineral mixture used was composed of ground bone meal, 8 pounds; ground charcoal, 5 pounds; ground rock phosphate, 5 pounds; and salt, 3 pounds, at a cost of 27 cents per pound. It was fed at the rate of 3 pounds to each 100 pounds of meal.

In order to test this material, a total of 84 pigs were divided into fourteen lots of six pigs each. In every ration where the mineral mixture was fed increased gains were secured. This applied not only when the usual trough-feeding method was followed, but also when self feeders were used and when the meal rations were supplemented with cooked potatoes. In one instance there was a profit of \$7.85 in favor of the mineral ration.

An increase of six per cent of mineral matter proved unsatisfactory and gave similar results to a ration supplemented with two per cent of rock phosphate.

When other mineral matter is not available, ordinary wood or coal ashes thrown on the floor gives good results.

W. H. HICKS,
Superintendent Experimental Farm
Agassiz, B. C.

TO EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Letter from Mrs. Ayars Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her

Spring Valley, Sask.—"I took the Vegetable Compound before my last confinement, when I got to feeling so badly that I could not sleep nights, my back ached so across my hips, and I could hardly do any work during the day. I never had such an easy confinement and this is my sixth baby. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the 'Farmer's Telegram' and wrote you for one of your books. We have no druggist in our town, but I saw your medicine in T. Eaton's catalogue. I am a farmer's wife, so have all kinds of work to do inside and outside the house. My baby is a nice healthy girl, who weighed nine pounds at birth. I am feeling fine after putting in a large garden since baby at Hot Rock. (She is as good as she can be.) Yours is the best medicine for women, and I have told about it and even written to my friends about it."—Mrs. ANNE E. AYARS, Spring Valley, Sask.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is an excellent medicine for expectant mothers, and should be taken during the entire period. It has a general effect to strengthen and tone up the entire system so that it may work in every respect as nature intends. All druggists sell this dependable medicine. Give it a trial.

WORLD'S GREATEST

Recently Discovered Coal Area Said to Contain 900,000,000 Tons.

Vancouver, B. C.—The recently discovered coal area at Hot Rock, on the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, north of this city, is declared by investigators to be one of the greatest in the world and to contain nine hundred million tons. It is estimated that four square miles of the district are underlain by the coal measures.

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MINARD'S "KING OF PAIN" LINIMENT

FISH HATCHERIES WIN COMMENDATION

Maritime Inspector Here Says They Have Brought About Most Excellent Results.

Fish hatcheries have proven their worth and have been the direct means of reviving trout lakes and brooks which were depleted, according to the claim of J. Catt, district inspector of fisheries for the Maritime Provinces who is now in Halifax on an inspection tour in the Maritime Provinces.

Mr. Catt told The Herald last night that conclusive evidence on the benefits which have come from the establishment of fish hatcheries on streams in Nova Scotia, is now available, and he cited several lakes in this province to prove his assertion. Lily Lake, at Middleton, is one of these, Mr. Catt pointing out that a few years ago this lake was stocked from the hatchery at Middleton and today abounds in rainbow trout, all mature fish. This species was brought to that lake and there can be no doubt, says Mr. Catt, that they originated from the hatchery. Rumsy Lake is another, referred to by Mr. Catt, who declared that excellent trout fishing is possible there today, where a few years ago the lake was barren of speckled trout. The actual cost of restocking this lake was \$30 and recently 139 trout were caught there in one day.

Mr. Catt states that the policy of the department of fisheries with regard to the hatcheries is progressive, and the staff in charge is well trained in the practical work. All technical problems are referred to the Biological Board of Canada, which has rendered valuable service by its co-operation. He states that there has been a decided increase in the commercial value of the catches of the mouth of the river which have been restocked from the hatcheries, and points out further that the value of well stocked trout brooks and lakes from a tourist standpoint is obvious to everyone.

Mr. Catt praises the work of the hatcheries at Miramichi, Bedford, Middleton and Windsor, as well as the sub-hatchery at St. Peter's, and declares that the only criticism of the fish hatchery is based on isolated cases where the evidence is far from conclusive and cannot be based on actual facts. (Halifax Herald.)

CHAUNCEY DEPHEW ON HOW TO KEEP YOUNG

"I read the news to keep young," Chauncey Dephew told the reporters who interviewed him on his ninety-first birthday.

And that is the terminology of a flippant generation, was not "applesauce" for the young men of the press, Chauncey Dephew not only reads the news, but continues to be part of the news. He is active and alert at ninety-one, because he always has lived in the present.

In youth, Dephew did not sit around dreaming of an impossible "Florida" and neglecting the opportunities of the present. In age, Dephew does not sit around mourning the passing of the good old days, and scoring the opportunities of 1925.

When the threatening infirmities of advancing years demand certain changes in the diet and habits of this remarkable man, he made the changes without a murmur, nor did he let fear betray him into a state of near-invalidism. He merely followed his life rule of accepting uncomplainingly whatever time might bring him.

Plan for the future, respect the good things of the past, but live and work still have your chief interest in the present. Read the news to keep young and try to keep on being part of the news yourself. This is Chauncey Dephew's formula for a full life and a long life.

PAPER SUSPENDS. The Quebec Chronicle Goes Out of Existence After 161 Years.

Quebec—The Quebec Chronicle, Canada's oldest newspaper, first having been founded in 1764 by General Murray, went out of existence Tuesday, when the last issue of the paper was made.

It is merged with the Daily Telegraph, and the new journal, which will be known as the Chronicle Telegraph, will make its first appearance on Thursday, July 23rd, 1st being a holiday.

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STATE OF MIND
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No. 100—From Yarmouth, Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, arrives 3:30 a.m.
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TOURIST TRAFFIC ADDING MILLIONS TO OUR REVENUE. Visitors From States Alone Spent \$150,000,000 Here Last Year.

The potentialities of the tourist industry as one of the important sources of income of the Dominion are again illustrated by an analysis which the Highways Branch of the Federal Department of Railways and Canals has just published. The study shows that the revenue during 1924 for the motor tourist traffic alone was in the neighborhood of \$143,405,900. The figure is necessarily an approximation, but it illustrates something of the proportions of the industry as well as suggesting what could be done in this direction were a little studied attention paid to the systematic attraction and entertainment of tourists.

One of the leading factors in the building up of the tourist traffic is the construction of good highways. It has been estimated that, on the average, our tourist visitors spend upwards of \$150,000,000 annually, and this average is increasing year by year. The Department of the Interior estimates that 7,370,000, or 48 per cent, of the automobiles in the United States are owned by citizens living in States contiguous to the international border or waterways. There are, therefore, some 35,000,000 potential tourists to Canada in these states. The figure which is necessarily an estimate, illustrates the possibilities in the development of better highways, especially those running north and south. The northern towns would thus be benefited and the outlying territory opened up, as its potentialities better known, no country possessing the admirable climate and scenic beauty of Canada can afford to overlook the development of its tourist traffic.

Distribution of the Traffic
The registrations of all types of motor vehicles in the various provinces last year reached the total of 659,321, which was an increase of 11 per cent over 1923, while the 1923 figure was 13.65 per cent larger than that of 1922. The general increase in the number of tourists has been very rapid. During the one to six month period it grew 34 per cent, for the two to thirty day period it increased 290 per cent, and for the one day period, 272 per cent. Ontario reaped the largest revenue from this source. In fact, more than half of the total came to Ontario. Quebec was second with approximately one-

A Wonderland for



Viscount Jellicoe, former Admiral of the Navy during the Great War, shaking hands with Sir George McLaren Brown, European General Manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, at the new Banff Station and seated on the new C.P.R. train which takes travellers around T. Island. Viscount Jellicoe is remarking: "This is another of the great things the Canadian Railway is doing and I am sure that the C.P.R. train which takes travellers around T. Island. Viscount Jellicoe is remarking: "This is another of the great things the Canadian Railway is doing and I am sure that the C.P.R. train which takes travellers around T. Island. Viscount Jellicoe is remarking: "This is another of the great things the Canadian Railway is doing and I am sure that the C.P.R. train which takes travellers around T. Island."