

NEW INVENTIONS OF MANY KINDS FILED IN LONDON

Doorknocker Is Aid to Radio Fans; Kettle Which Kindles Gas

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Wireless enthusiasts should welcome the latest invention which has been received by the Institute of Patentes, in London. This is an attachment for the doorknocker. When the knocker is lifted a loud electric bell rings inside the door and a bulb lights up. The idea is that enthusiastic listeners cannot hear the knocker when they have the headphones on, but a bell is more penetrating. If they should miss the bell, the electric light is hoped will attract their attention. This invention, which is the idea of an English

clockmaker, can either be fitted on the door or the bell, and the electric light can be installed in the living room.

KETTLE FIRE LIGHTER

Another ingenious idea is a kettle which lights the gas. Superficially it is an ordinary kettle, with a curious knob on one side. One puts it on the gas, and depresses the knob, which, in turn, strikes a spark of flint which placed at the bottom of the kettle, and ignites the gas. It is claimed that this kettle can be manufactured at a cost hardly more than that of the usual type.

Another inventor's forethought has provided for those who are bewildered by even the simplest addition or subtraction sum, a pocket calculator no larger than a card case. This neat little device enables one to add or subtract money with no more effort than is required to move a few tiny levers. One moves the levers corresponding to the amounts or numbers one wishes to add or subtract, and the answer appears almost magically at the top of the case.

TWO FOR MOTORISTS

For motorists there are two inventions. One is a lock nut, which in the opinion of a representative of the Institute is as near perfect as any he has seen, and the other is a spring wheel which dispenses with pneumatic tires. Instead of spokes, this wheel has

springs, and thus a solid tire can be used. At present the wheel is intended only for side-cars attached to motorcycles. The advantage of both these inventions will be appreciated by motorists—no nuts coming loose miles from anywhere, and no punctures.

There is the usual crop of freak inventions. One inventor hit upon an idea worthy of a cartoonist. This is a dandelion extractor, an elaborate apparatus for boring into the ground and removing offending dandelions.

The other is a form of gearing for heavy vehicles. It would necessitate supporting the weight of a ten-ton lorry on half a dozen ordinary air-filled rubber balls. The Institute has advised the inventor not to proceed further with his idea.

EXPORT PLEA SAVES TWO RUM RUNNERS

Prove They Are Bound For Sea
When Seized and
Convicted

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 25.—When charged in United States District Court with importing liquor, Harvey Lewis and Ernest Samuel, of Anglesea, offered a unique defense. They were so confident of its efficacy that they did not call any witnesses to take the stand in their own defense. Their confidence, it developed, was justified.

Counsel for the two defendants said the men were not importing the liquor at the time of their arrest, but were exporting it. Testimony of the government's witnesses supported this contention. It was proved that the liquor had been obtained in Delaware and that when the boat which carried it was overtaken by coast guardsmen, it was traveling through Delaware Bay to the open sea.

The jury returned a verdict of not guilty on the charge of importing liquor but convicted Lewis and Samuel of transporting and receiving. The cargo consisted of 865 cases of imported whiskey and champagne.

THE newest style wrinkle for women is the electrical dress, a good many

WHY SUFFER FROM RHEUMATISM

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" HAVE HELPED THOUSANDS



Mrs. DAVISON

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GOOD PATRONAGE AT ORPHANS' FAIR

City Cornet Band Plays Program—Additional Donations Are Received

The Orphanage Fair at St. Andrew's rink attracted many patrons last evening in spite of unfavorable weather. The City Cornet Band was in attendance and its program was greatly enjoyed.

W. M. Campbell reports that the financial returns have been encouraging. The rink presents a very attractive appearance and has entertainment and fun galore for old and young. The committees in charge are preparing for a great crowd this evening. A load of coal has been donated for the door prize.

Several valuable prizes were received yesterday. A radio set, with a retail value of \$125, has been donated by the Vaughan Electric Company. A smaller set, the gift of the Cosar Farm, Gagetown, came in last evening. These two instruments will be given as a first and second prize in a drawing, tickets for which are on sale at the fair. Another interesting donation was received yesterday. This was a painting by the late Alexander Watson, famous Saint John painter. The scene depicted is one of Market slip, Saint John harbor.

The following ladies, members of the Welsford L. O. B. A., No. 682, came to the city last evening and worked at the fair: The Misses Mabel McCracken, Alice Blanchard, Olive Willis, Theresa Willis, Alberta Johnson, Mrs. William Speight and Mrs. A. C. McDonald.

ICE CREAM BOOTH

The ice cream booth is under the patronage of True Blue Association and the following ladies are in charge: Mrs. H. Brown, convener; Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Gilbert, Mrs. Paxton, Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. Bridgen, Mrs. Walls, Miss McLeod, Mrs. Carr, Mrs. Dixon, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. A. Brown, Mrs. Spinney and Mrs. Ward.

The prize winners last evening were: Ladies' bean toss, Mrs. Elmer Ingram; gent's bean toss, H. M. Hamilton.

ton; bowling, J. Breen; ten pins, E. P. Fullerton; door prize, combined cake and bread box, won by ticket No. 867. This afternoon at 4 o'clock the L. O. B. A. members will hold a sale of brown bread and beans.

THE WIFE: I'll have some potatoes, please.
Grocer (absent-mindedly): Yes, madam. Shall I send them, or do you want to take them with you?

DATE CHANGED

Date of the dedication of the Memorial Hall of St. David's church has been postponed from Oct. 8 to Oct. 17, it was announced last evening. The change has been made as it was found impossible to have the building in readiness for the earlier date. A whole week of special observances will be held to mark the dedication and various organizations of the church will each have charge of the program for one day.

TEMPLE MEETS.

The regular meeting of Loyalist Temple, No. 18, was held last evening with M.E.C., Mrs. George Gray, in the chair. A very interesting report was heard from Grand Lodge, read by Mrs. Myles Saunders. Plans were made to work at the Orphanage Fair. The next meeting will be held in three weeks and a social evening and cake walk were planned for that meeting.

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