

CANADA THE EMPIRE

Voice of the Press

THE WORLD AT LARGE

RELIEF FIGURES INDICATE IMPROVED CONDITIONS. Welfare Commissioner A. W. Laver used to report that he had 30,000 families on full relief. He now states that the number of families on full relief is decreasing by a week and that the past year 1934 saw a decline of 1,300 families. For the week ending July 20, the Commissioner says, the aggregate was 12,777 families. Last year at the same time, the statistics showed 19,238 families, but 1,200 of these were on part relief. The Commissioner says that the aggregate has been reduced by the fact that economic conditions are decidedly better than they were two or three years ago. Church and philanthropic societies report that they have fewer relief cases than they had some time ago. Demands on the funds for clothing and other necessities are as they were. Requests are becoming more numerous, though for relief for a week or two until they are able to assume their normal positions. The Commissioner says that the relief workers are most reassuring as regards recovery from the crisis through which we have been passing. —Toronto Mail and Empire.

FISH WEEK. The week ending September 30 has been set aside as Canada's Fish Week. The reason for announcing the date so far ahead is that the fish catchers are being urged to take care of their fish so that they can catch one. —Stratford Beacon-Herald.

JAIL THE RED LEADERS. The Communist leaders of the 5,000 relief strikers at Regina, Saskatchewan, made good their boast that "the street of Regina would be red with blood." The strikers were arrested on police troops who sought to break up their picketing and bloodshed followed. One policeman was killed and a score of others wounded, while the strikers had many more casualties.

WE ARE MORE POLITE. A California woman tells that the day she saw her husband only four times — the day they met, the day before they were married, the day they were married, and the day they were divorced. She says that she was more polite to her husband than she was to her divorcee. —Chicago Tribune.

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THE OLD CROUCH. Sir, I ask the railway company to have carriages reserved for women only in the same way as they are reserved for men only. It is a long and even a short journey for a woman to have to travel with a lot of baggage. It is a nuisance to the railway company and it is a nuisance to the woman. It is a nuisance to the railway company and it is a nuisance to the woman. It is a nuisance to the railway company and it is a nuisance to the woman.

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Miniature Motorboat Controlled By Radio



We don't know whether Miss Elsie Hobart is saying "Eureka" or just stretching from the fatigue of painting the miniature boat. The craft, 49 inches long, made a speed of two and a half knots during the demonstration.

It would take them too far to discuss all the underlying principles, but the fact is that the miniature boat is a masterpiece of engineering. It is a miniature of the real thing, and it is controlled by radio. It is a masterpiece of engineering. It is a miniature of the real thing, and it is controlled by radio.

A LESSON LEARNED. There has been a lesson learned in the case of the miniature boat. It is a lesson that is worth remembering. It is a lesson that is worth remembering. It is a lesson that is worth remembering. It is a lesson that is worth remembering.

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"A good deal of thought has been given in past years to the education of the young in agriculture. It has been introduced into the curriculum of the R. C. W. Schools, University of Alberta, and the 12th convention of the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculture met at Edmonton. It is a subject that is worth studying. It is a subject that is worth studying. It is a subject that is worth studying. It is a subject that is worth studying.

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Standard	Special	Commercial	High Speed
2.95	4.75	5.55	6.95
4.00	6.00	6.80	8.40
4.75	7.25	8.10	10.00
5.50	8.50	9.40	11.60
6.25	9.75	10.70	13.20
7.00	11.00	12.00	14.80

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HAVE YOU HEARD

That call the bird and bee, and friend, that's what we care about. A beauty expert informs us that a mud bath makes the skin soft, smooth, and silky. We must go down to the zoo and see another good look at the hippopotamus. There are two kinds: Those who complain of the power company's bills. Those who turn out the lights they aren't using.

Mother—Goodness! Here's a note from Hazel saying that she and that crazy pianist have eloped! Every man is important when he loses his life, and every man is funny when he loses his hat. The trouble with a woman changing her mind is that the new one doesn't function any better. It's not as if we feared it's going to turn out, after all, that the only way to get anything is to work for it. More than one person succeeds by making the most of other people's opportunities.

A tip to husbands: If you want to have some fun, clip out this very paragraph and take this copy home to the wife. She will be so glad to see that you care for her. Then you will reply: "Oh, oh—huh! What have you clipped out?" Then you will reply: "Oh, nothing." Then watch the fur fly. (Note: Better save the clipping to yourself.)

Recently a bright little girl tripped into a local store and said: "Little Girl—My daddy sent me for a pair of leather shoes, but he forgot to tell me that they were made of leather." Little Girl—Well, he said you have them and that's what he sent for. Little Girl—Oh, yes! That was it!

Lingering kisses of the type depicted in motion pictures have been banned in the public gardens of France. We never could see much sense in lingering kisses, unless it happened to be one of the lingering ones.

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