

News Parade

Commentary on the Highlights of the Week's News by Peter Randal

BOON FOR BUSINESS: If the West's 1935 wheat crop turns out to be bumper as predicted, our prairie farmers are going to have money in their pockets again—to spend, to pay their debts with, to expand, to buy their own land. Canadian business will be a big lift.

It will help the railways out, too. Both the C.N.R. and the C.P.R. have long been saying that if the West could grow just one good crop, the revenues resulting from heavy freight hauling would cut operating losses and substantially reduce the railways' indebtedness.

MATTER OF FACT: Little good though the Rumanian mission to Czechoslovakia is likely to do, (the Czechs didn't even ask Prime Minister Chamberlain to send him), this much is certain, that while he is on the scene studying the situation and preparing to arbitrate between Germany and Czechoslovakia, Hitler cannot afford to make an open move against the little republic. It would be a bad breach of manners for him to do any such thing at a moment when he is courting the favor of the British.

The delay may be maddening to him, but here Hitler will just have to stand aside politely till Lord Rumanian's through. But then, boys, ah! then! ...

WE'RE BEAUTIFUL: The well-known English landscape painter, P. M. de la Cruz, arrived in Canada for the first time, is full of praise for our country. He had no idea it was so beautiful.

NEITHER HAD SOME OF US. We are used to thinking that far-away fields are greener, more lovely than our own. We have developed an inferiority complex on the subject of our own country and its beauties; we roll our eyes in the direction of Europe or the States instead.

Now that someone who should know has told us unequivocally that Canada is beautiful, we may learn to believe it, to feel pride and joy in our Canadian countryside, our own particular sweet corner of Ontario.

BEHIND SCHEDULE: The Chinese may not be such hot fighters but they are managing to hold their own against the Japanese invasion. Their aim now is not to drive the Japs out of the country in a big offensive but to draw them further and further afield till the Japanese war machine can be finally stalled.

When the undeclared war began, the Japanese military heads had a schedule dotted with such must-be-achieved objectives as to reach Canton, to land at a point where it can scarcely be said to show any longer, the Japanese chances of success are becoming smaller and smaller.

THIS WEEK'S QUESTION: How many Eskimos are there in the Dominion of Canada and Indians? Answer: 6,909 Eskimos and 123,000 Indians (approximate).

NAMES IN THE NEWS

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Warsaw, Poland, now has 66 million picture theatres.



MRS. PIPS'S DIARY

New Brunswick's Silver Salmon

600 Miles of Coastline Provide Rare Sport for Anglers

If there is one species in particular which the Province of New Brunswick owes its inclusion on the angler's map of the world on the Atlantic silver salmon, it is the Atlantic silver salmon.

Although small in area when compared with the Central and Western Provinces, New Brunswick is blessed with 600 miles of Atlantic coastline. On the south the tides of Fundy lash her shores from Passamaquoddy Bay to the Isthmus of Chignecto. Northward the Strait lies between the New Brunswick coast and Prince Edward Island; and Bay Chaleur, that irrefragable arm of the open Gulf separating the north coast from the Gaspé Peninsula of Quebec.

Patients Arise After Operation

Rumanian Surgeon Has Been Praised For New Method Of Treatment — Believes It Unnecessary to Stay In Bed.

In a hospital at Brassov, Rumania, a man was operated on for the removal of his appendix. As soon as the operation was completed he got up from the table and walked to the kitchen to get a glass of beer.

It is not only unnecessary for patients to remain in bed for long periods of time after an operation, but that it is beneficial for them to walk around.

Psychic Stimulant

Since 1924 Dr. Campana has performed 3,159 abdominal operations in which the patients left their beds on the day following the operation. Since the beginning of 1934, however, he has performed 1,827 operations by his earlier results, he has had patients, operated on under local anesthetic, get on their feet on the day following the operation. His patients are performed under spinal or general anesthesia the patients are on their feet the second day after the operation, the sixth or eighth day for removal of stitches.

Desert Yields 1848 Skeletons

Believed to Be Of Eight Men Who Went on Expedition Into Interior of Australia

The skeletons of eight men, believed to be members of an expedition led by a German explorer, Friedrich Leichardt, which left Moreton Bay, on the Queensland coast, in 1848, to cross the continent and disappeared in the interior, have been found in the Simpson Desert in the northern part of South Australia by a ranch-owner while rounding up cattle.

Campaign Against Hatless Germans

Germany's Latest Slogan is "Buy a Hat"

Hard-up Germans have been economizing and joining the hatless brigade, with the result that there has been a terrific drop in the sale of hats.

More gold is being mined in Australia than a year ago.

Where Dopesters Are Registered

There are 20,000 registered opium smokers in the Dominion. One is an Assiniboian, one is a Belgian, one is a Frenchman, one is a Chinese, one is a Dutchman, one is a German, one is a Greek, one is a Hindu, one is a Japanese, one is a Korean, one is a Malay, one is a Mexican, one is a Norwegian, one is a Russian, one is a Scandinavian, one is a Spaniard, one is a Swiss, one is a Turk, one is a Welshman, one is a Yugoslavian, one is a Zulu, one is a ...



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HAVE YOU HEARD

FRIENDS — Friendship is the greatest thing in life, and lucky indeed is the man who has the power to make friends. This is not so difficult as many persons believe. It is merely a case of reciprocity. There is just one way to make a friend, and that is to be one.

ENEMIES — It used to be said that a man was known by the enemies he had. But it is really necessary to have enemies! Few of us want to be an enemy to anyone, therefore we know others are not anxious to be our enemies. Hatreds never bring happiness.

What Science Is Doing

Carbon Dioxide is Necessary

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Storing Human Eyes Proposed

The establishment of an "eye bank" in which the eyes either of donors or of dead people could be stored for use in eye operations, is proposed by Dr. Louis Leffler of the eye department of the Philadelphia County Medical Society.

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DIXIE is the thrifty man's tobacco.

It's a cool slow-burning smoke!



The seeds are so small that the surgical radium thread is smooth enough to be sewn into, or around, a cancer. The advantage for the "thread radium," according to its originator, Dr. Fred Hanes and associates, is the certainty of placing the radium in the cancerous tissue which does not affect the cancer.

The 93rd Element

The noted physicist, Jean Perrin, informed the French Academy of Science his collaborators have discovered what is believed to be the 93rd chemical element — a substance heavier than uranium.

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The BOOK SHELF

By ELIZABETH EEDY

THE DOOMSDAY MEN

By J. B. Priestley

It is a light-hearted mood that Mr. ("Good Companion") Priestley, having swapped English mist for desert spaces, has come to what he calls "a fairy-tale in Western rig."

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STOP SCRATCHING

RELIEVE itching of insect bites

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