

AMERICANS GROW RICH IN CANADA

Testimony Proves Falseness of Statements as to Onerous Taxation and Conscription.

"The attempt to check emigration from the United States to our prairie provinces by publishing alarming statements about the enormous war taxes that are being paid here—\$500 on a quarter section yearly—about forcing young men to enlist for the war; about the cold, no crops and any old story that by their extravagant boldness might influence men and women from venturing north to Canada, is really in the list of curios to our people. Knowing the country, we can hardly take it seriously. Our governments, however, dominion and provincial, are taking steps to expose the false statements that are being made, and thereby keep the channel open for continuing the stream of settlers that has been flowing to us for the past decade. We have thought to assist in this work, and to do so purpose giving, from time to time, actual experiences of Americans who have come to Saskatchewan during late years. We give the statements of two farmers in this issue as follows:—

STATEMENT OF M. P. TYSDAL.

I lived near Lee, Illinois, for 46 years. I came to Saskatchewan in the spring of 1912 and bought land near Briercrest. I have farmed this land, 1,680 acres, ever since. I have had grand crops. In 1914 I had 100 acres of wheat that yielded 40 bushels to the acre. I sold this wheat at \$1.50 per bushel.

I like the country and my neighbors. My taxes on each quarter section (160 acres) are about \$32 a year. This covers municipal tax, school tax, hall insurance tax—everything. There is no war tax, so-called. I like the laws in force here. There is no compulsion to me in any way. I am just as independent here as I was in Illinois, and I feel that my family and I are just as well protected by the laws of the province as we were in our old home in Illinois. What I earn here is my own. I have seven children and they take their places at school, in sports and at all public gatherings the same as all the Canadian born.

(Signed) M. P. TYSDAL.
February 9th, 1916.

STATEMENT OF STEVE SCHWEITZBERGER.

I was born in Wisconsin, but moved with my parents when a boy to Stephen Co., Iowa. I was there farming for 50 years. I sold my land then for over \$200 an acre. I moved to Saskatchewan, and located near Briercrest in the spring of 1912. I bought a half section of land. I have good neighbors. I feel quite at home here the same as in Iowa. We have perfect safety and no trouble in living up to the laws in force. My taxes are about \$65 a year, on the half section for everything.

I have had splendid crops. Wheat in 1915 yielded me over 50 bushels to the acre. That is more than I ever had in Iowa and yet the land there costs four times as much as it does here. The man who comes here now and buys land at \$50 an acre or less gets a bargain.

(Signed) S. SCHWEITZBERGER.
February 9th, 1916.
—Saskatchewan Farmer, February, 1916.—Advertisement.

Not Even That.

Harold—You don't mean to say that you absolutely do nothing?

Clarence—Aw, I don't even do that. My man attends to everything, you know.

FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR SICK CHILD

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver and bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

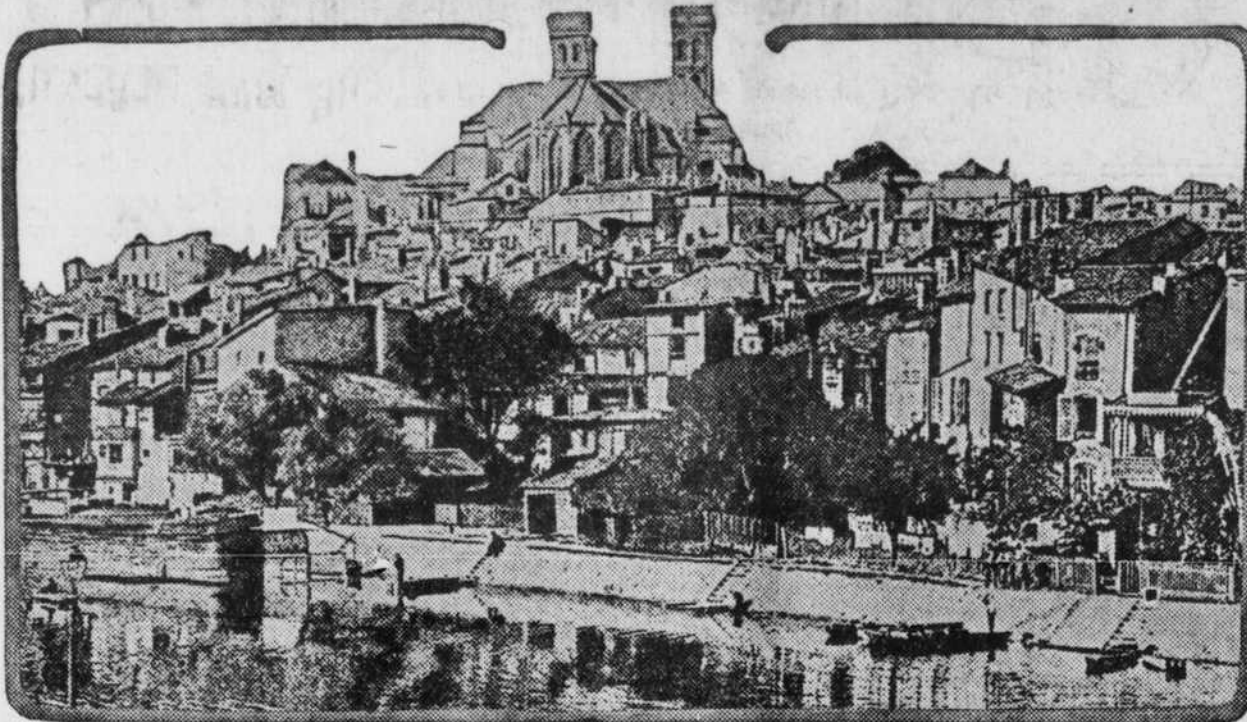
When cross, irritable, feverish, or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Adv.

It's easier to induce two hearts to beat as one than it is to induce two mouths to eat that way.

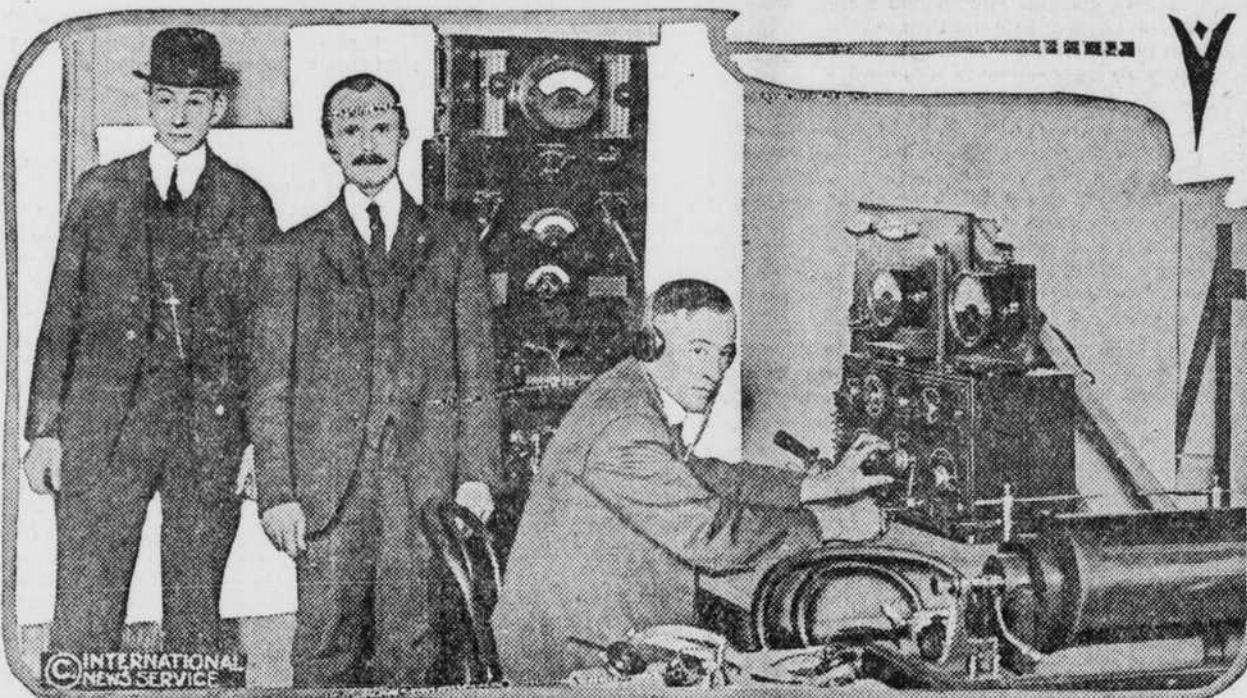
The bishop of London has three secretaries.

VERDUN, ABOUT WHICH GREAT BATTLE RAGES



View of the city of Verdun, on the Meuse river in France, which is the immediate objective of the tremendous attack the Germans are making. It has a great citadel and is surrounded with forts, but the French assert these are no longer relied on by them for much defense, most of their armament already having been removed.

NATIONAL SAFETY-FIRST EXPOSITION



Under the auspices of twenty-five federal government bureaus, the American Red Cross and the Metropolitan police department, a big safety-first exposition was opened recently in the National Museum in Washington. The illustration shows a scene in the radio department.

WOMAN DISTRICT ATTORNEY



Miss Lita Belle Hibben of Los Angeles, Cal., is the first district attorney of her sex. She is twenty-nine years old, a graduate of the Southern California Law school and is considered one of the brightest of woman lawyers. She was born in Illinois.

Arithmetic.

"Bobbie," said Uncle John, "how many are two times three?"

"Five," answered the boy promptly.

"No, Bobby, you are mistaken. Two times three are six."

"Tain't neither," protested Bobby. "Two times three are five, and if you'll come down to the corner with me I'll prove it to you."

And taking his uncle by the hand he led him to the corner and pointed triumphantly to a sign on a fruit stand: "Apples three cents each. Two for five."

Our Canadian Veterans.

It is estimated that 48,000 Canadians enlisted in Union regiments during our Civil war, and until recently at least the Toronto post, Grand Army of the Republic, had a dozen members, which may explain the fairly matter-of-fact way Canadians are viewing American enlistments in their contingents for the front. The killed in our greatest war included 18,000 adventurous fellows from across the border.

SADDLE HORSES FOR JAPANESE EMPEROR



These two blooded saddle horses, Dom Pedro and Montgomery Rex, were purchased as presents to the emperor of Japan by the Japanese Association of California, the money being raised by popular subscription.

GETTING NEWS AT THE WHITE HOUSE



Eager Washington correspondents clustered about a leading congressman who has just emerged from a conference with President Wilson concerning the submarine controversy with Germany.

DRINK HOT WATER BEFORE BREAKFAST

Says you really feel clean, sweet and fresh inside, and are seldom ill.

If you are accustomed to wake up with a coated tongue, foul breath or a dull, dizzy headache; or, if your meals sour and turn into gas and acids, you have a real surprise awaiting you.

Tomorrow morning, immediately upon arising, drink a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This is intended to first neutralize and then wash out of your stomach, liver, kidneys and thirty feet of intestines all the indigestible waste, poisons, sour bile and toxins, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal.

Those subject to sick headaches, backache, bilious attacks, constipation or any form of stomach trouble, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your druggist or at the store and begin enjoying this morning inside-bath. It is said that men and women who try this become enthusiastic and keep it up daily. It is a splendid health measure for it is more important to keep clean and pure on the inside than on the outside, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing disease, while the bowel pores do.

The principle of bathing inside is not new, as millions of people practice it. Just as hot water and soap cleanse, purify and freshen the skin, so hot water and a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Limestone phosphate is an inexpensive white powder and almost tasteless.—Adv.

Brazil produced sugar commercially as early as the sixteenth century.

The United States produces 80 per cent of the oil of the world.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 4 oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

Everything in Stock.

A general merchant from Havre, Mont., is in New York this week learning the latest wrinkles in the art of selling corsets. The merchant's line of goods at home includes lightning rods, chewing tobacco, crackers, hoe handles, rope, molasses, rat traps, canned goods, matches, calico, assorted nails and corsets. And it is a good bet that if the truth were known, prunes, sheet music and bustles may be obtained at his store—or if he didn't have them he could order 'em for you.

Averages.

"The law of averages asserts itself even in holidays," remarked the intensely statistical man. "For instance, immediately after Valentine's day we have George Washington's birthday."

"What has that to do with averages?"

"Immediately after we get through with Valentine fictions we begin to celebrate the man who couldn't tell a lie."

A Projecting Personality.

"Cap, we have to let this recruit go."

"Why?"

"He weighs 350 pounds, mostly bay window. If we put him in the front rank it kills the alignment. And if we stick him in the rear rank he's in the front rank, too."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

THE FIRST TASTE

Learned to Drink Coffee When a Boy.

If parents realized the fact that coffee contains a drug—caffeine—which is especially harmful to children, they would doubtless hesitate before giving them coffee to drink.

"When I was a child in my mother's arms and first began to nibble things at the table, mother used to give me sips of coffee. And so I contracted the coffee habit early."

"I continued to use coffee until I was 27, and when I got into office work I began to have nervous spells. Especially after breakfast I was so nervous I could scarcely attend to my correspondence."

"At night, after having had coffee for supper, I could hardly sleep, and on rising in the morning would feel weak and nervous."

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"I can now get good sleep, am free from nervousness and headaches. I recommend Postum to all coffee drinkers."

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