

The Owl Drug Co. Ltd. advertisement for The Hockey Game boots and medicine. Includes contact information for Campbell Bldg. and W.M. Bland, Mgr.

FALCONER TO BRITAIN (Continued from page 1) adiana had a common origin with their neighbors and shared in a large population movement back and forth...

Brown Calf Oxfords (Continued from page 1) Goodyear welt, square toe. For young men \$5.95 THORNE, 648 Yates St.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ask your grocer for Holybrook Creamery Butter, quality guaranteed. For Hire—Comfortable 7-passenger car... Dr. W. J. Gibson, associated with Dr. Lewis Hall, 655 Yates Street...

WELCOMING DELEGATION A delegation of prominent citizens from Seattle to-day met David Whitcomb and party following the docking of the President McKinley at Pier 2 this morning... SCHOOL STRIKE IN ALSACE DISCUSSED Strasbourg, France, March 17—Conflicting claims are made regarding the extent of the Roman Catholic school strike...

NONE BETTER Salt Spring Island CREAMERY Fresh from the churn. Now retailing at 50c PER POUND Your Grocer has it

Try the Economy Service 15 lbs. For \$1 Flat work ironed, balance returned damp (not wet) Economy Steam Laundry 607 John Street Phone 3339

CHATS WITH OUR GAS MAN THE gas that is piped to your house and that you burn in your kitchen range, your water heater, in other appliances and in your fireplace, is actually the spirit of coal—nothing more. B. C. ELECTRIC GAS DEPARTMENT

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE TEST IN OREGON U.S. FLEE PRACTICE EXPLORED IN JAPAN BROUGHT WASSON MOTOR CHECK HERE

Law Requiring Children to go to State Institutions Before Supreme Court Washington, March 17.—Oral argument was resumed to-day in the Supreme Court of the United States in the appeal brought by Oregon to have sustained its law which would require children between the ages of eight and sixteen to attend schools conducted by the state...

GERMS PROVIDED (Continued from page 1) Shepperd, in regaining possession of a letter he had written regarding a course of instruction, offered him \$20,000 if he would "keep his mouth shut"...

Burglars in Sidney Had Little Success (Special to The Times) Sidney, March 17.—The burglar or burglars who operated with little success here at the last week-end left traces which indicated that in addition to the victim of A. S. Warren, Ger. reported in The Times yesterday as having been entered, they broke into Mrs. Ward's home on Queen's street...

St. Patrick's Day Observed in Ireland Dublin, March 17.—Armored cars, military aeroplanes and several thousand Free State troops with their displays took part in to-day's military day in honor of St. Patrick's Day. After mass in the churches the troops paraded the principal streets...

Efforts to Stop Lynchings by Mobs in United States Washington, March 17.—"Let the churches cry aloud for a lynchless land in 1926," says a statement of the Federal Council of Churches, announcing efforts on the part of the churches and governmental authorities against this type of lawlessness...

Busy Extremists in Australia Are Declared Menace Melbourne, March 17 (Canadian Press Cable)—The annual meeting of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Australia to-day passed a resolution urging the Government to take action for the punishment of enemies of law and order and the constitutional authorities. A delegate declared Russian extremists of the worst type were at present carrying on a pernicious propaganda in Australia...

FUNERAL NOTICE VICTORIA CHAPTER NO. 17 O.E.S. Members and visitors of Victoria Chapter are requested to meet at K of P. Hall at 1:15 p.m. on Wednesday, March 14th for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Sister, Nellie McKenzie.

HEAD-FIX FOR Sick and Nervous Headaches. VICTORIA DRUG CO. LTD. Special Agents. 55c per dose. Vancouver Drug Co., Ltd., Special Agents

W. W. Dunlop and F. C. Williams Charged With Theft of Brick Money Ontario Officials Are Under Arrest

Dunlop is Ill at His Home; Mimico Man Faces Charge of Bribery Toronto, March 17.—Confined to his home with illness, W. W. Dunlop, Inspector of Prisons and Public Charities under the Provincial Secretary's Department in Ontario, is faced with a charge of theft in connection with his work at the Government brick plant at Mimico. An associate in the work of inspection, F. C. Williams, was arrested on a similar charge...

CATHEDRAL HOUSE OF PRAYER FOR ALL New York, March 17 (Canadian Press)—Churchmen of all denominations were discussing with interest to-day the possibilities back of Bishop Manning's first move in his expressed desire to make the Holy Trinity Episcopal Cathedral of St. John the Divine here a house of prayer for all people...

YOUTH MISSING Winnipeg, March 17.—For the second time within five weeks, Herbert Johnson, eighteen, has disappeared mysteriously. Several weeks ago the youth was found by Dr. W. T. Seaker of Transcona, Man., wandering aimlessly on the streets of the town, exhausted and nearly starved...

STORE CLOSING BY-LAW Vancouver, March 17.—Presented by the association of small storekeepers, a petition signed by 400 of the small merchants in the city, asking that the early closing by-law be amended in order to allow them to sell groceries after 6 o'clock each week night was referred by the City Council to the license inspector to be checked and a report furnished to a subsequent meeting...

MAYNARD & SONS AUCTIONEERS Instructed by the different owners, we will sell at our Saleroom, 727-733 Pandora Avenue, To-morrow 1.30 p.m. Exceptionally High-Class Furniture, Etc. Cabinet Grand Alexandra Piano

A Really Genuine Bargain SALE OF REMNANTS For a Few Days Only To enable us to clear up several small parcels of lumber preparatory to resuming operations of our sawmill, after being closed down for several weeks... We are offering the following parcels of lumber, suitable for many purposes: 32-inch Discolored Lath, per M... \$1.50 1 in. x 4 in. x 3 ft. to 7 ft. Beaded Ceiling... \$15.00

MEMBERS COMING TO GET JOINT ACTION ON P.C.E.

For the purpose of organizing a deputation to Ottawa to appeal for joint Federal and Provincial co-operation in dealing with the Pacific Great Western Railway problem, a group of members of the Legislature will come to Victoria to-night to interview Premier Oliver. This step was decided upon at a conference following the Centennial Club luncheon in Vancouver yesterday when G. G. McGeer, K.C., urged that such co-operation was necessary if an asset, in which he said the people of British Columbia had invested \$40,000,000, was to be conserved...

Canada-Australia Treaty Near Collapse (Special to The Times) Ottawa, March 17.—Unless last-minute efforts to save it succeed, in the next few weeks the new Canadian-Australian Trade Treaty probably will collapse. This was learned from a confidential source in the House of Commons yesterday to table the treaty pending completion of present negotiations with the Australian authorities...

Runciman Supports Arms Conference London, March 17.—The first allusion in Parliament to the suggested disarmament conference came in the House of Commons last night from Walter Runciman, Liberal, during a discussion of the army estimates. Mr. Runciman said that if ever there was a moment when disarmament could be dealt with satisfactorily by the Government, this was the time. The Secretary of War, added Mr. Runciman, ought to join hands with the Prime Minister and Foreign Secretary and urge the holding of a disarmament conference in which Great Britain could take the lead.

CHURCH UNION VOTE Toronto, March 17.—A report issued to-day by the Church Union Bureau of Information here shows 1,438 Presbyterian congregations in Canada have voted in favor of the United Church and 524 against. The latest ballot returns sent out by the Presbyterian Church Association are filled with worshippers.

Selling Out the Modern Shoe Stock Murray's Brown Boots for Men, reg. \$19. Sale Price... \$16. Ladies' Black Satin Gore Pumps, suede trimmed cut-out, latest styles. Sale Price... \$14.50 MUNDAY'S The British Boot Shop 1115 Government Street

Canadian Puget Sound Lumber & Timber Co. Ltd. Foot of Discovery Street Phone 7060 Adjoining B.O.E. Railway Car Barns and E. & N. Railway Freight Sheds Take Number 4, 5 or 2 Street Cars to Government and Discovery Streets

Abundant Hair Cared For By Cuticura Shampoo with Cuticura Soap, provided by light application of Cuticura Cream to the scalp skin, do much to cleanse the scalp of dandruff, dandruff, itching and irritation, stimulate the circulation and promote the healthy condition necessary to produce a luxuriant growth of hair.

NO IMMIGRATION DEBATE Washington, March 17.—Reports that Tausno Matsuda, new Japanese Ambassador to the United States, had received instructions before leaving Tokyo to reopen the immigration question upon his arrival here were denied to-day by the envoy.

FORMER JUDGE DIED Hamilton, March 17.—John E. Harding, eighty-four, former Ontario county court judge, died here yesterday. He was prominent in Masonic and Orange circles and for two years was Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Ontario.

ALWAYS HUNGRY Growing children are almost always hungry and demand an abundance of vitamin-rich food. Scott's Emulsion is vital-nourishment that helps children keep their strength and grow normally. Most children need Scott's Scott & Bowne, Toronto, Ont. 24-25

Victoria Daily Times
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NOT PLAYED OUT
A QUOTE A NUMBER OF more or less prominent people have got into the habit of telling our neighbors to the South that the whole of the 'Old World' is a 'has been' and is practically beyond all hope of salvation in the economic sense.

THE SALVAGE KING
ANOTHER FORERUNNER
of more business is the arrival of the Port of Victoria is the arrival of the Salvage King. This fine vessel reached the outer wharves yesterday afternoon after a highly satisfactory voyage from Great Britain.

CAPT. STRANGMAN'S CASE
CAPTAIN STRANGMAN, former port warden of Hong Kong and well known throughout the Far East, was induced by friends to settle here.

BRITAIN IS PAYING A DEBT OF NEARLY \$5,000,000,000 to the United States. This sum in itself exceeds the British national liability in 1914 by more than \$1,500,000,000.

WE HOPE THAT THE Vancouver Board of Trade has forwarded a copy of the report which Mr. J. K. Macrae presented to it, on the occasion of his retirement from office the other day.

ONCE MORE DEAN INGE is despondent. He is now perturbed because Canada and Australia contains Canadians and Australians who regard themselves as such and not as Englishmen. He is perfectly right. There are many good citizens in this Dominion who were born of English parents in England and still have a warm spot in their hearts for their native land.

THE GLOOMY DEAN
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DR. FRANK CRANE ON PLATITUDES
PLATITUDES are inevitable because generations of men go on repeating themselves.

THE EMPIRE is going to the bows-worms, because Britons have become citizens of the larger Empire and are to-day known by the name of the country which is now their home.

WORDS OF WISE MEN
Pleasure consists in the harmony between the specific excitability of a living creature and the exciting cause.

WHO'S WHO IN HISTORY TO-DAY
MARCUS AURELIUS (Surname, Antoninus) celebrated (Roman emperor and philosopher, died March 17, 180 A.D. His philosophical writings, entitled 'The Meditations of Marcus Antoninus,' written in Greek, have lived through the centuries.

THE WEATHER
Daily Bulletin, Published by the Meteorological Department.

CITY OFFICIALS ANALYZE LAND DISPOSAL PLAN

The City Council last night waved away immediate consideration of Alderman Woodward's scheme for tax reduction and disposal of the city's reverted lands.

OVER \$5,000,000 IN 1927
City Controller Macdonald gives entire support to the calculations of Alderman Woodward, as to the results to be expected from the sinking fund.

TAX LOSSES COVERED
City Treasurer Smith informed the Council that arrears of taxes on the city's reverted lands now amount to \$2,424,448.

TENNIS DRAW
Brookline, Mass., March 17.—Drawings for the National Indoor Doubles tennis title event which gets under way to-morrow at the Longwood Courts, Chestnut Hills, disclose that William T. Flinn II, is not entered in the competition for the first time since this championship was introduced several years ago.

SNELL MEETS DUNDEE
Seattle, March 17.—Mike Dundee of Rock Island, Ill., and Doc Snell, Tacoma featherweight, are the principals of a boxing card in Seattle to-night.

For 37 Years the name KIRK has stood for Quality Coal

and to-day, more than ever, housewives burn Kirk's, simply because they know, by actual experience, it is the cheapest in the end and 'IT DOES LAST LONGER.'

Kirk Coal Co. LIMITED 4213 Broad St. Phone 139

HEALTH & DISEASE No. 36 Goitre In Animals

Economically the citizens of B.C. are very much interested in Goitre as it affects animals because in many parts of the Province all domestic animals are subject to this disease.

YOUNG FARMER PAYS WITH LIFE FOR CRIME
London, March 17.—(Canadian Press Cable)—The death penalty was today imposed on Norman Thomas, a young Crowborough farmer convicted of having murdered Miss Elsie Cameron, a London typist, in a lonely spot on the night of December 5.

FRUIT MARKETING COMBINE IN B.C. STIRS GOVERNMENT

LAUNCHED PROSECUTION
It was also recalled here that the Attorney-General in an effort to get the most vigorous action taken into service as crown counsel against the Mutual organization, Max Grossman of Grosman & Holland, Vancouver, also commented upon by Commissioner Duncan in his report.

INTER-PROVINCIAL
The question in receiving consideration as to whether prosecution under the Combines Act should be launched by the Federal authorities of the Province against the shareholders to the fact that the Nash company operated in an inter-provincial way on a very large scale.

THE PRODUCER
From the point of view of the producer, the question takes various forms: first, whether the great spread between the money returned to him and the price paid by the consumer is due to the operations of any combine; secondly, whether unfair or illegal profits are taken by the same means.

WOMEN CRIMINALS
The woman criminal is a growing problem in British Columbia while a reduction in the number of this class is shown in all other provinces but Quebec in proportion to the population. Of the total convictions in British Columbia in 1923 16.3 per cent. involved women.

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OTTAWA STATISTICS SHOW
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THE TRADE

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Best Wellington Lump per ton \$12.50 Nut per ton \$12.00 Victoria Fuel Co., Ltd.

AT THE THEATRES

NORMA TALMADGE IS BACK ON CAPITOL'S SCREEN THIS WEEK

Norma Talmadge returned to the screen of the Capitol Theatre last night in her latest photodrama, "The Only Woman."

AT THE THEATRES

Capitol—"The Only Woman," Dominion—"East of Suez," Coliseum—"The Sultan of Mocha," Playhouse—"Fifty Miles From Broadway," Columbia—"Find Your Man."

children, and submits the problem of a girl who sacrifices herself on the altar of marriage to save her father from financial ruin and disgrace.

PLAYHOUSE

To-night

Country Store. FRANK MORTON AND HIS MUSICAL COMEDY COMPANY. "50 Miles From Broadway". And on the Screen "The Spider and the Rose".

ANNOUNCEMENT NO. 5. "Perfect pianist; A fascinating Artist." MME. GERMAINE SCHNITZER. Distinguished French Pianist. WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1 AT Empress Hotel Ballroom.

Columbia TO-DAY. RIN-TIN-TIN. THE WONDER DOG. "FIND YOUR MAN". "Her Dangerous Path".

KIWANIS MINSTRELS. ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE. MONDAY AND TUESDAY. APRIL 6 AND 7. MURRAY STUDIO OF SOCIAL DANCING.

Dominion. Showing Now. POLA NEGRI. "EAST OF SUEZ". Also LLOYD HAMILTON COMEDY "HOOKED".

CAPITOL NOW PLAYING. AMERICA'S SUPREME ARTIST. Norma Talmadge. "The Only Woman".

COLISEUM TO-NIGHT! Added Attractions. "The Sultan of Mocha". "THE LOVER OF CAMILLE".

HINKS COMPANY IN ANOTHER SUCCESS. "Sultan of Mocha" at the Coliseum; Irish Music To-night.

COMEDY FEATURE IS GREAT ATTRACTION AT PLAYHOUSE NOW. A touching tale, founded on the story of the prodigal son, forms the foundation of "Fifty Miles From Broadway."

SAVES MASTER AND SWEETHEART FROM PLUNGE IN RAPIDS. A photoplay featuring a canine star is presented at the Coliseum.

MONTE BLUE HEADS CAST IN FAMOUS FILM AT COLISEUM. Last night at the Coliseum Theatre a new Deburau appeared who has been immortalized in the play staged by David Belasco several seasons ago.

Relieved of Long Standing Trouble. Newfoundland Lady Recommends Dodd's Kidney Pills to all Sufferers from Kidney Troubles.

MYSTERIOUS ORIENT HIS SETTING CHOSEN FOR NEGRI'S FILM. It takes a real picture to come up to the standard of Pola Negri in Grand Lubitch's "Forbidden Paradise."

ARENA Hockey. Championship Final. Calgary vs. Victoria. Wednesday, March 18, 8:30 p.m.

FRUIT MARKETING COMMISSION IN B.C. STIRS GOVERNMENT

(Continued from page 4) DYNAMITING "CO-OPS" "Dynamiting" co-operative growers' organizations by using means of "particular hell" by using men and directors who were amenable to having the "Nash brand" on their backs.

DESIGNS ON CHILLWACK In September, 1923, Snow wrote to Carruthers at Calgary suggesting a plan of separating the growers of the British Columbia Berry Growers' Association and handling them "the same way as we handled Gilliland."

"PRICES LOOK SUSPICIOUS" "Calgary, May 8, 1924." "Mutual (Vancouver) Limited," Victoria, B.C.

"BEST DECEMBER IN AGES" "Minneapolis, Minn., January 26, 1924." "Dear George:—Believe no new developments with Associated."

"GETTING HIS NIBS GIN UP" "W. E. Carruthers, 510 Ninth Avenue, W., Calgary, Alta., April 4, 1923." "Mr. G. H. Snow, "Care The Mutual (Vancouver) Limited, Vancouver, B.C."

FOUR MEN IN HATZIC Later Snow wrote that he had four men at work in the Hatzic district, including two directors, none of whom had the excuse that he was "wearing our brand."

HOLDING BACK INFORMATION Considering the question of withholding information from growers, the report is as follows: "As the broker is the agent and servant of the grower, and should have no interest other than that of serving him."

FOR BURNS. FOR SORES, CUTS AND BRUISES. FOR COLDS, COUGHS AND BRONCHIAL AFFLICTIONS. DR. THOMAS' ECLECTIC OIL.

FALSE RETURNS

"It was a common practice to make returns which did not try and precisely disclose what had occurred. When returns show only a total or an averaged price, it is possible to conceal."

"Attention Mr. Smith: "Dear Sir:—On receiving copy of your account, sales on car 280570 this morning, I was certainly disappointed, as you showed credit notes of over \$300 per acre off."

"W. E. Carruthers." "Dear George:—Believe no new developments with Associated."

"Dear Sir:—Copies of the letter of the 1st of July to Mr. Simington, in connection with berry deal, are very interesting."

"Dear Sir:—Believe no new developments with Associated. Think McNair Fred, but probably only for winter months."

"Dear Sir:—Skinner and I framed to meet Doberer at Salmon Arm Saturday night Skinner making the excuse that he was trying to see him about some traffic matters."

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Doberer wished to infer from this that you intended that we had arranged some backing for him or something of that sort.

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SPECIAL SERVICES. CENTENNIAL CHURCH. To-night "Fools I Have Met" WEDNESDAY "A Citizen in Name Only" REV. H. ARTHUR BARTON



BABY'S COLDS. Children's delicate digestions are easily disturbed by too much "dozing." Still, the little ones' cold troubles cannot be neglected.

traded in competition with fellow members and the opposition, an exception could be taken; and the Nash group, though much larger, would be in the same position as other groups of jobbing houses, conducted under one management, such as the Scott Fruit Company Limited, P. Burns and Company Limited and Macdonald's Consolidated Limited.

Commissioner's CONCLUSIONS. "The conclusions of your commissioner are that the Nash combination of jobbing and brokerage houses is a combine which is operating and has operated detrimentally to the interests of the Canadian public."

"The Nash combine is a double combine. It consists first of a combination of a large number of jobbing houses which have already been referred to as the jobber-jobber combine; and secondly of an association in the one organization of brokerage and jobbing houses, referred to as the jobber-broker combine."

"A jobber broker combine is not a 'natural' combine; for it is an attempt to join in the one organization the competing factors of the broker, whose interest should be solely that of the grower; and the jobber, whose interest is opposed to that of the grower, such a combination is wrong in principle and dangerous, and your commissioner recommends that it be declared unlawful. There is a mass of testimony in favor of such action, including testimony already quoted from jobbers."

"The following resolution passed at a meeting of the directors of the Berry Growers' Co-operative Union of British Columbia, held on January 30, 1925, may be here quoted as showing the feeling of the growers."

"That whereas the fruit and vegetable selling at prairie points is now performed by brokers who are paid for their services by the growers of British Columbia, and at the same time these brokers are appointed and controlled by jobbers at prairie points who buy British Columbia produce from the growers, it is resolved that this union goes on record as opposing this principle, and that the Dominion Government be petitioned to pass legislation making jobber owned brokerages in Canada illegal; and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Premier, the Ministers of Agriculture and Labor, the Canadian Horticultural Council, and to Mr. Murray M.P. for the Fraser Valley."

"If legislative action is taken to sever the jobber-broker connection of the Nash and Growers' Sales organizations, the latter organization will dissolve into its constituent and independent jobber elements. But in the case of the Nash organization they will remain the jobber-jobber combine."

Instant relief from sourness, gases, or acidity of stomach; from indigestion, flatulence, palpitation, headache or an upset stomach. Chew a few Pleasant Tablets, Instant Stomach Relief!

SERIAL STORY

THE DARLING OF DESTINY

By MILDRED BARBOUR

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"Oh, yes," he jeered, "you made it easy for me when you concocted this wild yarn. Why didn't you think of it before?"

Sue controlled her anger with difficulty. "I refuse to admit that those questions are any of your business, so I shan't answer them."

Teal escorted Sue to the gap in the hedge that divided the Blanchard place from his own. His anger disappeared after the momentary flare-up and his attitude was that of cool amusement.

Teal's manner was perfect. To the family, he gave the impression of complete devotion to Sue; but once in a while, when no one was looking, his eyes met hers, and she read in them an expression half grudging, half wrathful.

"No, I just dropped in for a minute," Josephine avoided her gaze. "So here you are," she greeted Sue as she came panting up the steps.

"You must take Mr. Teal to the terrace, Sue dear, and show him what a magnificent view we have in the moonlight. We can see the Connecticut Hills across the Sound when the night is very clear."

"See here," he said, "you are not living up to our bargain. When I undertook to go through with this farce, I stipulated that I would not play the devoted lover, and hence you are that very thing."

Teal's fingers sank in the soft flesh of Sue's bare shoulders. "She wined, but stared up at him defiantly and made no effort to evade him."

"No," Josephine shrugged, "but unfortunately the rest of the family seem quite blind to your escapade. They think you are an innocent little thing who tried to go around playing Pollyanna."

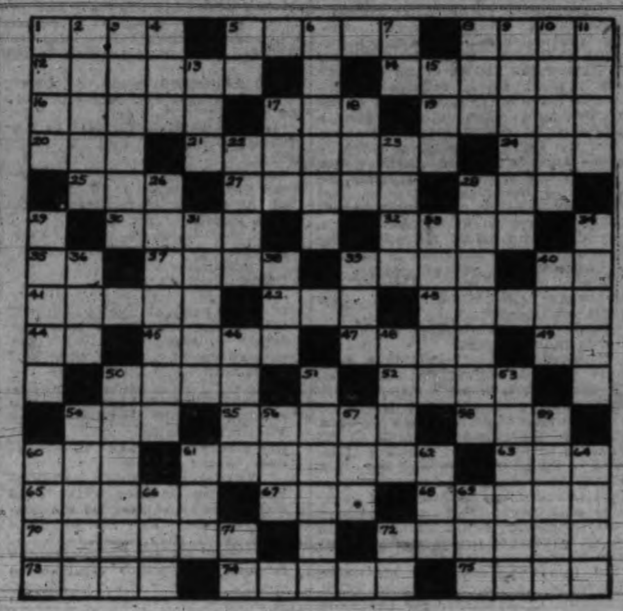
"If I had any sense at all, I would go away again immediately and let you get out of this the best way you could. You have only yourself to blame, you know."

"Mother!" Clean Child's Bowels "California Fig Syrup" is Dependable Laxative for Sick Children

Hurry Mother! Even a trifling, feverish, bilious or constipated child loves the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to sweeten the stomach and open the bowels.

TIMES CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

The past of 51 vertical is similar to 1 horizontal. They mean the same, but they're different. Now figure it out!



Cross-word Puzzle 02214

HOW TO SOLVE THE CROSSWORD PUZZLE Every number in the form represents the beginning of a word, reading either horizontally or vertically.

- 1. Remarkable. 2. Valuable property. 3. Jump. 4. Curious. 5. By mouth. 6. Extraordinary, large man. 7. Also. 8. Queerer. 9. Metal used for pans. 10. Precipitous. 11. Collection of tents. 12. Large white bird, tips of tail containing black. 13. 2,1416. 14. Playthings. 15. Metal used for rivets. 16. Negative. 17. To happen. 18. Small island. 19. Musical note. 20. Tub used to wash your body. 21. Large bundle in a cloth cover. 22. Egyptian goddess that brings life. 23. To lubricate. 24. To replace. 25. To examine. 26. Moved quickly. 27. Opposed to direct. 28. Metal used for rivets. 29. Beneath. 30. Organ of hearing. 31. A collection of fan palms. 32. Dove, flock. 33. Assault. 34. Scandianavian type. 35. Cave of a lion. 36. Present (preposition). 37. Hoarded. 38. Preposition. 39. Old people. 40. A funeral pile. 41. Pig pen.

15. Stick. 16. Indian cloth. 17. Unit. 18. Discern. 19. Narrative poem. 20. Life like. 21. Aeroplane. 22. Minute strain in a flour. 23. Virtuous. 24. Food for trapping (pl.). 25. Sweet, red flower (pl.). 26. Plozen water. 27. Cooking vessel. 28. Cry. 29. Fresh. 30. Plant having no flower or seeds. 31. Pains (verb). 32. One who covers books. 33. Talk. 34. To withdraw. 35. Weight 1-16 of a pound. 36. Night. 37. Self. 38. Light of container (pl.). 39. Hurry. 40. Anger. 41. Brother of time. 42. Gone by. 43. Termination. 44. Cooking vessel. 45. Therefore. 46. Neuter pronoun.

Answer to Cross-word Puzzle 20013

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggly Paints A Floor

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"It certainly is terrible! That's what it is! Just terrible!" Nurse Jane was speaking thus, and Uncle Wiggly, who was reading the morning paper as he sat in his easy chair, heard her.



All about him was wet, sticky paint.

his hat, and taking his red, white and blue striped rheumatism crutch, in case he might need it, he hopped to the fifteen and sixteen cent store to get some paint.

"How odd!" laughed Miss Fuzzy Wuzzy. Uncle Wiggly continued to paint the floor. Now he should have begun at one side and worked his way back until he reached a door, out of which he could have gone. But, instead, he painted on all sides of the room, one after the other, and the first thing he knew he was on a sort of little island of unpaired floor, while all about him was wet, sticky paint.

"How odd!" Now I have done it!" laughed the rabbit. "I'll have to stay on this unpaired island of floor until the other part dries so I can walk across it. Oh, well, no matter, I shall have a rest."

London, March 17.—The British Government has not yet been informed by the Washington authorities, nor Sir Esmé Howard, British Ambassador, of the latest suggestion from the White House for a disarmament conference. It has been expected in official circles here, however, that concrete proposals would be forthcoming when Frank B. Rowley assumed the office of Secretary of State as a result of the conferences which Mr. Kellogg had with Austin Chamberlain, Foreign Secretary, before the retiring Ambassador left London.

It's a Fine Old Custom

Advertisement for ENO'S FRUIT SALT. Includes text: 'In the morning upon rising—drink a dash of ENO'S in a glass of water.' and 'ENO'S FRUIT SALT' logo.

U.S. CONGRESSIONAL JUNKETS IN PROGRESS

Washington, March 17.—Join the United States Congress, and see the world might be given as a new Washington slogan.

It has just been disclosed that five or more Congressional junkets are planned for this Spring and Summer.

With the inauguration ceremonies just over, the first flock of Congressmen is on its way to the Panama Canal zone on the trans-Pacific Cristobal for a rest and sight-seeing expedition.

Secretary Weeks of the War Department has notified members of the Senate Appropriation Committee that an attractive tour to the Hawaiian Islands is planned for them, starting from New York March 23 and returning to San Francisco May 12.

New York, March 17 (Canadian Press)—In one square mile of the Harlem district of this city is housed the largest gathering of negroes in the history of the world, according to The Survey Graphic, a magazine owned and edited by negroes.

London, March 17.—The British Government has not yet been informed by the Washington authorities, nor Sir Esmé Howard, British Ambassador, of the latest suggestion from the White House for a disarmament conference.

Vancouver, Wash., down on the Columbia River, says that it cannot fully celebrate the centenary of its founding as a Hudson's Bay fort next Thursday unless Premier Oliver of British Columbia attends.

POLICE CHANGES IN MONTREAL URGED

Montreal, March 17.—If prompt action is not forthcoming from Montreal's executive committee with regard to the administration of the police department and vice conditions in this city, a delegation of citizens will go to the Quebec Legislature to ask for a municipal election next month, declared Alderman Dubreuil and A. T. Laurence, president of the St. Edward Citizens' Association, the fathers of the movement which resulted in the now famous inquiry.

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