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By Carrier... The strongest memory is weaker than the weakest ink.

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Transportation Emphasized

In the briefs presented to the Economic Commission here yesterday one problem was emphasized particularly, and from several different angles...

The brief makes a strong point in connection with the existing Dominion grants on a per capita basis.

In the brief presented by the Federation of Agriculture, transportation was stressed along with the need of bringing our farm marketing practices up to the standard of efficiency prevailing in other industries.

The rising costs of municipal administration were dealt with by Mayor Stewart who pointed out that our civic revenues are strictly limited, and we have about reached the saturation point in taxation.

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No Bridge

During his sojourn in the Soviet Union, External Affairs Minister Pearson was reported to have exchanged sallies with his hosts concerning Canada's position with respect to Russo-American relations.

the situation much better. This, according to the report, was agreed to by Mr. Pearson.

Now, however, far away from Moscow, and having had some time in which to ponder the matter in a less jovial but perhaps more realistic setting than that which characterized his Moscow visit...

It would seem that a reasonable "bridge" roll for Canada—if there must be one—would be that of helping along British-American relations, when and where the opportunity might present itself.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Rumours persist that Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother, will become Governor-General of Australia next year.

The Liberal Party in this country has completed 20 years of continuous governmental leadership.

Commenting on the action of a Canadian newsprint firm in boosting the price of its product, a spokesman for the largest paper mill in the U. S. A. says his firm "has not yet got around to discussing a similar increase."

A distinguished son of Prince Edward Island was Dr. Donald Alexander MacRae, former dean of the Faculty of Law at Dalhousie University, who died recently in Toronto.

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A news report says that Japanese cattle live right in the downstairs part of the house with the family. Presumably, the pigs and chickens share an upstairs apartment.

The passing of Mrs. Charles Johnson of Georgetown will be regretted by a host of friends and acquaintances who had hoped she might live to enjoy her 100th birthday anniversary this coming Christmas Day.

Islanders will wish Mr. J. Watson MacNaught, parliamentary assistant to the Minister of Fisheries, a pleasant trip to Tokyo where he will represent Canada at a meeting of the North Pacific Fisheries Commission.

And said, O Lord God of Israel, there is no God like thee in the heaven, nor in the earth; which keepeth covenant, and sheweth mercy unto thy servants, that walk before thee with all their hearts.



Getting Set To Clean Up Again This Year

The Army Cadet Movement

National Defense Bulletin

PUBLIC FORUM

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At this time we are more than normally concerned since we are in the process of filling our building with a relatively expensive inventory of fertilizers intended for the use of our farmers in the spring of 1956.

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Medically Speaking

By Herman N. Sundesen, M. D.

PLAN DIET TO SUIT AGE

Your age is an important consideration in any reducing diet. In fact, your age has a lot to do in determining the amount of food you should eat even when not dieting.

The principle of a reducing diet is to cut down your daily fuel supply reduce the number of calories. Calories, you see, are the basic units of food. Practically all heat contains them in varying quantities.

Thus, a good reducing diet gives you enough calories to keep your body machinery running properly, and just enough additional to take care of your extra activities which, of course, depend upon your age.

For those of you over 40, your weight reduction is geared to a slower pace, because you can't burn fat too fast without putting a strain on both your heart and kidneys.

QUESTION AND ANSWER

A.S.: I have Rh negative blood. Can I have a transfusion from a person with Rh positive blood?

These broken bits of pottery and arrowheads as delicately formed as the hands of a watch were being used on an Arctic plateau while the Egyptians were building their pyramids 4,500 years ago.

The British have occupied their islands for less than 2,000 years, and the Egyptians have been in the Nile Valley for 6,000 years. Yet we have thought of them as very old and gave little thought to the possibility that in North America they were being born and were dying thousands of years ago.

The cautious Dr. MacNeish declines to say, until radioactive dating tests have been made, how old are the bones he found beside the ancient tools 20 miles from the Arctic Ocean.

GLoucester, England (Reuters)—Hundreds of persons filed quietly out of a blazing movie house here Sunday night a few moments before flames enveloped the building. The movie theatre, in the heart of the city, was destroyed but no one was hurt.

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Smelly, choking smog blanketed San Francisco Sunday night and early today. The police department believed that East bay refinery fumes had drifted across the bay because of unusual wind conditions.

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NOTES BY THE WAY

Although there is a certain amount of cycling in Canada, the popularity of it cannot be compared with that in Britain where evening classes on it are being held where students are taught what to wear, how to ride and how to behave on the road.

The days of the dictators seem to be passing, though we still have them, behind the iron curtain in Europe, in Franco's Spain and somewhat mildly in some South American lands. People are becoming better educated, able to talk with each other and to read of what is happening elsewhere in the world.

Rugged individualists, who try to build up their own pensions for their old age are discriminated against by Canada's tax laws. They make the mistake of being self-employed and self-reliant. So the Government won't let them deduct their pension purchase installments from their taxable income.

It is good to be proud of the place where one lives. Such pride like all pride, can be unreasonable and foolish, but any excess is to be deplored. It is possible to be a saint, or a devil, in Peterborough, and a few people take advantage of both opportunities.

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