

cultural Scientists Win Advanced Scholarships

Canadian scientists have been awarded scholarships at \$800, for advanced training in professional agriculture which, in co-operation with a number of international concerns, has allotted fifty-five of these scholarships during the last three years. Additional scholarships will be given next year, according to a statement from Dr. R. D. Edmonton, president of the Institute. Many of the scholars will study in the United States, where special facilities are available, but all will return to Canada later to assume an agricultural field.

include the following in British Columbia:



M. G. THOMSON of the Dominion Entomological Laboratory at Victoria is awarded an Agricultural Institute Scholarship in entomology. A graduate of the University of B.C. in 1947, he has taken a year of advanced training at the University of California and will return there for further studies. His work will have particular reference to forest protection.



J. E. OLDFIELD, who has been conducting nutritional research studies on mink at the University of B.C., is awarded an Agricultural Institute Scholarship in animal nutrition. He graduated from the University of B.C. in 1941 and saw overseas service with the Westminster Regiment. His studies will be conducted at the University of B.C. under the direction of Dr. A. J. Wood of the department of animal husbandry.

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WOULD BAN SALMON NET

Expert Calls For Commission to Study Problem of Quebec Rivers

MONTREAL, Q.—A Newfoundland fishing boat netting salmon off Port-aux-Basques may spoil the sport of an angler in a Quebec river 1,000 miles away.

That conclusion has been reached by Prof. Percy E. Hobbs whose survey of salmon conditions has been published in a booklet issued by the Province of Quebec Association for the Protection of Fish and Game. The biologist and conservation expert says all the rivers of Quebec province are related in that salmon entering them first pass through the narrow opening between Nova Scotia and the southwest tip of Newfoundland. Thus fishing off Newfoundland takes its toll of salmon that might reach Quebec rivers.

Prof. Hobbs advocates formation of a salmon commission in which the eastern provinces and Newfoundland would be associated. Such a commission would be able to take joint action to protect the salmon fishery.

Prof. Hobbs' survey notes an increase in the proportion of salmon taken in nets over that taken on rods.

FISHED OUT IN 10 YEARS

"In 10 years," he says, "if present policies continue, there will be very few salmon rivers worth fishing and very few netting stations worth operating in the province of Quebec."

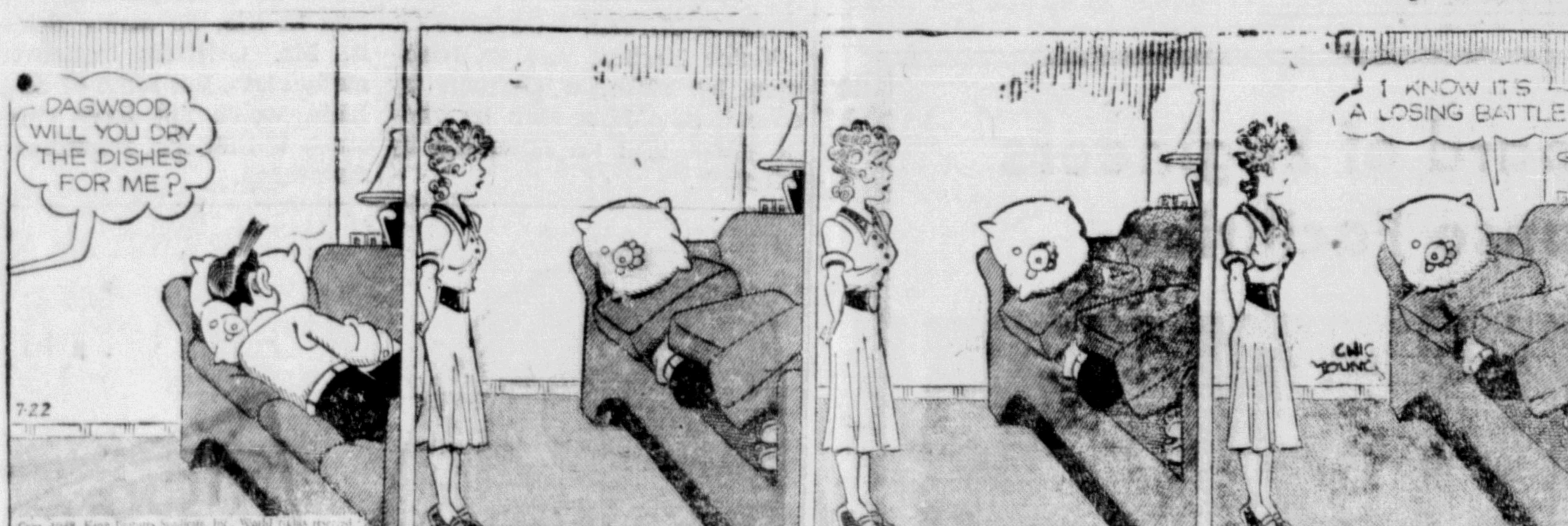
"With a take on the rods of 91 per cent of that in the nets it is clear that the nets are killing the goose that lays the golden eggs. The ratio between rods and nets should be about two to one, not ten to one, and as many fish must reach the spawning grounds as are taken by the toll of rods and nets combined. Only thus can salmon be abundant."

"Rod fishing should continue as an economical expedient to provide protection, but at least two years prohibition of all netting seems necessary, with 50 per cent fewer nets thereafter if we are to get the unfortunate netsman back to prosperity and increase the present supply to the market five or ten-fold."

A comparative table shows the Quebec salmon catch on rods has declined from 110,000 pounds in 1930 to 75,000 pounds in 1946. In the same period salmon taken in nets dropped from 1,688,000 to 558,000 pounds. The number of netting stations increased from 563 in 1934 to 775 in 1946.

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THE CANADAIR FOUR — Canada's entrance into a new world market is seen with the announcement that British Overseas Airway Corporation has ordered a fleet of four-engined, pressurized Canadair Four airliners to be produced at Montreal. The order for a 22-aircraft fleet of the newest Canadian airliner, the Canadair Four, evidences Canada's entry into an export field heretofore occupied almost exclusively by Great Britain and the United States. The Canadair Four is the latest version of four-engined transports now operated by Trans-Canada Air Lines over transcontinental routes within Canada down to Bermuda, and across the Atlantic Ocean between London and Montreal. Combining a Canadian airframe with British-made power plants, the Canadair Four incorporates liquid-cooled Rolls-Royce engines which are the latest commercial development of famous wartime types used in such celebrated aircraft as "Spitfire," "Lancaster" and "Mosquito." Records established within recent months by earlier versions of the Canadair Four are as follows: Montreal to London, non-stop in 10 hours, 30 mins., September 4, 1947; Shannon, Eire, to Montreal non-stop in 12 hours, 57 minutes, September 20, 1947; and Vancouver to Montreal non-stop, under T.C.A. operation, in six hours, 52 mins., October 13, 1947.

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4:30—Here's to Romance
5:00—Tea Dance
5:30—Sports This Week
5:45—Sports College
6:00—CBC News
6:10—The Marsons
6:30—Good Music by Goodman
7:00—Radio City Playhouse
7:30—Serenata This Week
8:15—John Emmerson at Home
8:30—Dance Time in London
9:00—B.C. Pianoforte
9:30—Chamber Music
10:00—CBC News
10:10—B.C. News
10:15—The Sea and Our Home
10:30—Manor Orch.
11:00—Fish Arrivals
11:05—Weather Forecast and Sign Off

SUNDAY—A.M.

8:30—Sunday Recital
9:00—BBC News and Commentary
9:15—Songs and Singers
9:30—Harmony Harbour
9:50—Time Signal
10:00—B.C. Gardener
10:15—David and the Man in Moon
10:30—Music and Worship
11:00—CBC News
11:03—Capitol Reports—Ott.
11:30—Religious Pediod, Tor.
12:00—Hollywood Bowl Symphony

1:30—Church of the Air

2:00—By the Sea
2:30—CBC News
2:33—John Fisher Reports
2:45—Week-end Review
3:00—Alan and Me
3:30—Weather Forecast
3:35—Musical Program, Tor.
4:00—Songs From the Movies
4:15—Movie Critic
4:30—Concert Recordings
5:00—Record Album
5:30—Ici L'on Chante, One
6:00—CBC News
6:10—The Old Songs
6:30—Familiar Music
7:00—Behold This Land
7:30—Little Symphonies, Tor.
8:15—World's Greatest Ballads
8:30—Music by Eric Wilde
9:00—Summertime
9:30—Vesper Hour
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Canadian Short Stories
10:30—Prelude to Twilight
11:00—Weather and Sign Off

MONDAY—A.M.

7:30—Musical Crock
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Morning Song
8:30—Music for Moderns
8:45—Little Concert
9:00—BBC News & Comty.
9:15—Morning Devotions
9:30—Transcribed Melodies
9:45—Modern Musicians
9:50—Time Signal
10:00—Morning Melodies
10:15—Morning Melodies
10:30—Roundup Time
10:45—Scandinavian Melodies
11:00—Bernice Braden Tells a Story.

NO GOLD - URANIUM

Mining Man Recalls Finding of Radio-Active Mineral

WINNIPEG, Q.—The failure of a Manitoba gold mine led to the discovery of the first large deposits of uranium in Canada.

The man who made the discovery, 59-year old Gilbert Labine of Toronto, president of Ogama Rockland gold mine, in Winnipeg for a visit recollects the finding of the first large deposit of pitchblends.

Engaged on a prospecting trip, Mr. Labine, with his partner, Charles St. Paul, arrived on the frozen edge of Glacier Bay on Great Bear Lake, May 14, 1930.

On the morning of May 16, Mr. Labine investigated a small island in the bay and found the first uranium. All this happened, he said, because Eldorado Gold Mines Ltd., which was founded in 1925, did not come up to expectations, and permission of shareholders was given for the acquisition of new properties.

11:15—Song Hits of Yesterday
11:30—Weather Forecast
11:31—Message Period
11:33—Recorded Interlude
11:45—Famous Voices
—P.M.—
12:00—Mid-day Melodies
12:15—CBC News
12:25—Program Resume
12:30—B.C. Farm Broadcast

By Chic Young

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FUNERAL OF WILLIAM LAIRD

Large Congregation in Terrace Anglican Church on Wednesday

TERRACE — St. Matthew's Anglican Church here was crowded Wednesday afternoon when Rt. Rev. James B. Gibson, Bishop of Caledonia, officiated at the funeral of William Laird, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Laird and a member of the local Royal Bank of Canada staff, who died in Jasper Hospital on Sunday. The congregation included the many friends of the young man and his sorrowing parents. The chancel and aisle were banked with beautiful floral tributes.

The hymns, "The Lord is My Shepherd" and "Peace, Perfect Peace" were sung with Miss Elizabeth Head at the organ. R. Bray read the lesson.

Bishop Gibson, in his address, said that the lives of all who had known the young man had been enriched by his friendship. Deceased had been church organist.

Interment took place at the Kalum Cemetery. The Cub pack followed the remains of their assistant cubmaster to the last resting place. Pallbearers were: George Dover, James Stevenson, G. C. Sessions, Norman Marwick, Ronald Paulson and George Anderson.

News of the death of the 21-year old youth from peritonitis on Sunday came as a distinct shock to the district. His father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Laird, who had travelled east by plane to be near him, and their daughter Roberta, also Mrs. Laird, senior, of Saskatoon, accompanied the remains to Terrace.

Besides his parents, the deceased is survived by a sister, Peggy, and a brother, Jimmy at Terrace.

OFF TO OTTAWA MEET NEXT WEEK

To attend the national Liberal convention, E. T. Applewhite, party candidate for Skeena in the next election, will leave on Friday evening of next week for the East. He will carry the resolutions of this district and also is making arrangements to take up certain matters with departments at Ottawa concerning the welfare and development of this area. He expects to be about two weeks. G. W. Nickerson of this city will also attend the convention.

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