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The death occurred on Monday Oct. 30th of Mrs. Andrew Blow, after a few days illness, at the advanced age of 80. The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon at St. Simon's Church, conducted by the Rev. J. Lackey in the presence of many sympathizing friends.

NOTICE.—A meeting of the Milk Producers Association is called for Saturday in Giles' Hall, Main St., at 8 p.m. Business important. Be on time. By order of the President, W. Geo. Rodger.

J. A. Pollock, Sec'y.

—New Blacksmith Shop at Brownsburg.—Mr. John Graham wishes to inform the public that he is opening a blacksmith shop in connection with his mill, and will be ready to cater to the public demand on or about Nov. 10th. Prices reasonable.

FOR SALE.—The Farm of the late Lizzie Porter in the township of North Gore, 100 acres, 1 barn 30 by 40, 1 horse stable, Log house clappedboarded, outside kitchen and wood shed. Must be sold to close estate. For terms address "S" in care of Watchman Office.

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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Robt. McFaul spent Monday last in Montreal.

Mr. A. N. McAllister, of Montreal, was in town on Monday.

Miss Alice Riddell is spending this week in Montreal, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Goldsworthy spent the week-end at Quebec.

Mr. Geo. Graham is spending a few days in Montreal this week, visiting friends.

Miss Ruth Arthur, of Belle Riviere, is the guest of Mrs. A. McFaul this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Wilson, of Montreal, are visiting friends in town this week.

Mr. Gavin C. Morton, of Ayers Limited, is leaving today for a motor trip to New York.

Miss Ruby Philbrick was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hancox, Staynerville.

Mrs. A. Dew and daughter, of Montreal, were visiting their many friends in town for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mackie, Mr. Malson and Mr. Scott, of Montreal, were week-end guests in town.

Mr. William Drennan returned home on Sunday, after a pleasant visit with his son John, of Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McKeown, of Montreal, are spending two weeks the guests of their aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. Elliott.

Miss Evelyn Hamilton of the Montreal General Hospital Staff, was the guest of her parents for a few days this week.

Mrs. Mackie returned home last Friday, after spending a pleasant two weeks with relatives in Lachine and Montreal.

Mr. R. A. Giles and his cousin D. Titman, left last Friday for a three weeks visit to Vancouver, B.C., and other points.

Mr. Walker McArthur, Mrs. Robt. McArthur and Miss Lila Young, spent a pleasant week-end in Montreal visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Landry, of Minominee, Michigan, were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. R. E. Carkner this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. McFaul, of Chuteau-Blondeau, and Miss F. McGillivray, of Montreal, were week-end guests of their parents.

Mr. Amidee Lemay, of Lachute Road, sold his farm on Thursday last, to Mr. Jas. Wilson, of East Settlement, for the sum of \$10,000.

—The Ladies of the Anglican Church Lachute, are planning a bazaar and afternoon tea, for Wednesday Dec. 6th. Keep the date open.

Miss Alice MacKinnon, a student in Trafalgar School, Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents Rev. A. George and Mrs. MacKinnon in the Manse.

Messrs. Dobell, B. Weston and son Flynn, Lafferty of Montreal, A. Carriere, of Calumet, W. Boyd and Wilbur Fraser are spending a couple of weeks hunting, at Rainbow Lake.

Mrs. Roy Moore and two children who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Scott for the past two months, left for her home in Sturgeon Falls, Ont., on Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Ayers and nurse Thibault are spending a few days in Montreal, attending a special convention of the Metropolitan Insurance Company, which is to be followed by a banquet, to be held at the Ritz-Carlton for the Metropolitan staff.

The Watchman extends congratulations to Miss N. G. Horner, of Ogdensburg, graduate of the three-year training course, offered by the Homeopathic Hospital for successfully receiving her diploma at the Annual graduating exercises held in Montreal last Friday.

Rev. A. George MacKinnon was in Montreal on Monday last, to attend a luncheon in honor of Rev. George Pidgeon, D.D., of Toronto, convener of the General Assembly's Committee on Church Union. Dr. Pidgeon addressed the gathering and presented the present situation with regard to Church Union.

The Junior C.G.I.T. of the Presbyterian Church gave a very enjoyable Halloween party in the Church Hall on Monday evening. About 50 girls attended. All arrangements were in the hands of the girls themselves. The following ladies acted as chaperons: Mrs. MacKinnon, Mrs. John Hay, Mrs. H. M. Gall and Mrs. A. A. McQuat.

Shippers Win Out.
As promised, the Milk Shippers with few exceptions, made no shipment to Montreal on Wednesday morning and in consequence the dealers have now acceded to the demands of the Shippers and will now receive 25 cts. a gallon.

LACHUTE ACADEMY EXAMS.

GRADE XI

ENGLISH LITERATURE

Class I.—Ivy Graham 85, Arnold Mathews, Ivy Johnson 81, Donald Clark 78.

Class II.—Olive Seale 74, Perley Stanforth 73, H. A. Lackey 72, I. Whinfield 70, Grace Morrison 68, E. Morrison 65, Jack Muir, Duncan Cumming 63, Elsie MacAllister, Dorothy Matthews 61.

Class III.—Carl Waldron 56, E. Creswell 53, Mabel Gordon 50.

GRADE XI

Algebra.

Honours.—None.
Class I.—Donald Clark 86.
Class II.—Irene Whinfield 69, A. Mathews 61, Esther Morrison 60.
Class III.—Flora Macdonald 50.

GRADE X

BRITISH HISTORY

Class I.—Kathleen Morrison 82, M. Heattie, Nellie Cowan, Donald Hay 79, Corinne Hancox 77.

Class II.—Sarah Black 74, Edna Campbell 73, Margaret Scott 68, M. Smith 65, Maria Westgate, Bella Hume 64.

Class III.—Willie Cottingham 59, Jean McQuat 58, Evelyn MacCallum 56, Winnie Gilbert 52, Frances Douglas 51.

GRADE IX

Arithmetic

Honours.—Elizabeth Murray, E. Boyd 100, Grant McHardy 99, Bessie Rodgers 94, Annie Millar, Charlie Miller 92, Elsie Todd, Irvin Bain, E. Burwash 90.

Class I.—Perry Cooke 88, Ethel Doig, Gertrude Gilmour 87, A. Macdonald 85, Evelyn Mathews 78, H. Hume 77, Harold Calder 75.

Class II.—Janet Whinfield 72, H. Copeland 70, Ena Black 62, Hazel Keetley, Christie Robertson 60.
Class III.—Hazel Morrison 57, Norma Boyd 56, Milton Townsend 51.

GRADE VIII

Agriculture.

Class I.—N. Hay 84, C. Gordon, H. Miles 83, Ethel Scott 82, Bertha Scott 78, M. MacKinnon, H. Robinson 76.

Class I.—M. McArthur 67, E. Bennett 66, E. Kelly 65, B. Black, M. Yelland 64, Elsie Scott, R. MacGregor 63, G. Smith 62, F. Armstrong 61, Edmund Smith, L. Graham 60.

Class III.—E. Copeland 56, A. Doig 54, M. McPhail 53, A. Millar 52, C. McQuat 51, E. Morrison 50.

GRADE VII

Scripture.

Honours.—E. Morrison 98, Howard Doig 96, R. Elliott 94, S. Douglas 91, A. Patterson 90.

Class I.—Grace Rodgers 89, Ellen Eoa 84, Gordon Dobbie, Eleanor McCoy 81, Erma Morrison 80, Lela McCullough 78, Janet McQuat, Willis Stanforth 77.

Class II.—Evelyn Cruise 73, C. Cooke 72, Lizzie Hay 66, Reta Jones 62, Mildred Gaston 61, Elsie Stewart 60.

GRADE VI

Scripture

Honours.—Jim Logan 95, Orton Welden 94.

Class I.—Lloyd Cruise, Roy Cruise, Hazel McKiddie 88, Christina Vliet 85, Laura Noble, J. Yelland 83, S. Hamilton, Eric Middleton, Edna Westwood 81, Helen Hutchinson 80.

Class II.—Gordon McQuat 74, W. Painter 71, Stuart Armstrong 65, G. Hay 51.

GRADE V

Spelling and Dictation.

Honours.—Rebecca Cohen, Freda Mason 100, Gwen MacKinnon 98, A. McCullough 92, Sam Cohen, Robert Fulton 92, Edgar Cruise 91.

Class I.—Florence Hay 88, Christina McKenzie, Marion Mathews, H. Paul 84, Stanley Boyd 80, George Paul 78, Kenneth McFaul 76.

GRADE IV

Scripture.

Honours.—Raymond Underhill 100, Stuart Jones 97, Rowena Cowan, G. Cruise, Kathleen MacKith 96, Reta Boyd 91.

Class I.—Eugene Jousse 80, Barbara Cunningham 79.
Class III.—Elsie McFaul 57, Olive Stanforth 56, Leola Belanger, Edgar Dion 50.

GRADE III

Spelling and Dictation

Honours.—Eleanor Armstrong, V. Belanger, Garfield Clark, G. Drysdale, Elizabeth Goldsworthy 100, V. Falconer 98, Roland Dion 96, Sam Rashevsky, Thelma Wert 96, Kathleen Clunie 94, Jean Fulton 92, H. Jones, Richard Pomerville 90.

Class I.—Roland Cruise, Kenzie Cowan, Charlie Lennon 88, Hugh Gall 86, Hugh McKinnon 84, Yvonne Charlebois, Verner Thompson 80, M. Vliet 78, Catherine Giles 75.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gales, Wilfred and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gales, motored up to their summer cottage, Lakefield and Dunany, of the week-end.

Church of England services in the Parish of Lachute will be held (D.V.) on Sunday Nov. 5th, as follows:—Holy Communion at Lachute 11 a.m., and Brownsburg 3 p.m. Regular service at Lachute 7 p.m.

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Dairying By Guess and By Gosh.

As the dairy herd comes fresh for another year's yield of milk, it is a good time for the farmer to start testing his cows and knowing what each one does—or does not. The dairy farmer who does not keep systematic records of each milking cow in his herd is not doing justice to himself nor to his cows. He may be over-feeding a record-producer or he may be over-feeding a worthless scrub, either of which is not a paying proposition.

A farmer may have a world-record cow and not know it if he does not test. Tom Barron, of Brantford, Ont., never would have known that he had a cow capable of producing nearly 1,600 lbs. of butter in a year, if he had not been testing Bella Pontiac. As a result of a year's testing, this cow advanced in value from between \$200 to \$300, to a value of anywhere between \$5,000 and \$10,000. Pretty good pay for only one year's work on one cow!

The actual time of weighing and testing, probably did not take Mr. Barron over two minutes a day for weighing the milk three or four times a day; while the testing was done by Government-employed men in the Record of Performance, the actual cost of which was very little—practically nothing but the cost of board and lodging for the inspectors while at the farm two days a month. In addition, the cow was tested under Record of Merit rules part of the time, for which the owner is required to pay the supervisor \$3 per day and traveling expenses. It is doubtful if the whole cost of having this cow's milk tested officially for a year was more than \$150. This was money well invested, but before it was invested, Mr. Barron had himself carried on tests that demonstrated something of the great possibilities of the cow. But suppose, on the other hand, he had kept blindly on? What an opportunity would have passed right by the Barron farm!

The dairy farmer has three systems of public testing open—two applicable to those who keep pure-bred cattle—one of these open to but one breed, Holstein-Friesian; the other, open to all dairy or dual purpose breeds. The third is the cow testing association open to all dairymen whether they keep pure-bred cows or grades. All should easily be able to get into one or other of these three plans for testing cows—Record of Performance, Record of Merit, or Cow-Testing Associations, and receive the benefit which comes from contact with others interested in a similar line of work.

There may be farmers who, for various reasons, are unable to take up testing in any one of the three public systems mentioned, but who would like to know what each cow is doing in the herd. This may be done by following the following rules: To do any job well, we must have proper tools. This applies to cutting wood, digging a ditch, or to any one of a

dozen pieces of work on a farm. So, for testing cows, we must have suitable tools. These are: a milk scale, preferably of the circular-dial, two-hand-type; milk pails all of the same weight; a milk sheet properly ruled for days, or three days a month weighing for each cow; and a lead pencil attached to the milk sheet for convenience. If every dairy farmer went no further than this and weighed each cow's milk regularly throughout the year, he would have taken a marked step in advance over the "by guess and by gosh" method of simply not knowing what his cows are doing or not doing.

The milk scale can be bought from any dairy supply house at a cost of from \$3 to \$5, and when properly cared for, will last 25 years. It should be kept dry, oiled occasionally, and not be subjected to heavy loads. It should be used only for milk weighing purposes. Good milk pails cost from \$1.25 to \$1.50 each from hardware dealers or tinsmiths. If there is any difference in weight, this can be adjusted by adding solder on the bottom of the pail. Although the daily weighing gives the farmer the widest possible knowledge of what each cow is doing, weighing three times a month is accurate enough for all practical purposes, say on the 1st, 10th, and 20th. If a cow gave an average of 30 lbs. daily for a month, she would be credited with 30x31—930 lbs. for that month.

The milk scale may be hung from the ceiling of the stable or milk room by means of a wire or rod; or, it may be suspended on a wall bracket so that the pail will be clear of the wall when weighing. The milk sheet may be tacked on the wall, or kept in a cabinet which can be made or purchased. It should be kept clean by having a glass or paper for the milker's hand to rest upon when recording weights. If everything be convenient it will not take a minute a day to weigh and record each cow's milk in the herd.

At the end of the month, the totals should be obtained for each cow, and these transferred to a Herd Record Book. On the evening of Dec. 31st next, the monthly totals for each cow should be added, and the average for the year made. All cows which have not produced at least 6,000 lbs. of milk, except their milk tests high in fat, may be regarded as unprofitable. Some owners are adopting standards of 8,000, 10,000 and 12,000 lbs. of milk per cow per year. When we consider that the average pounds of milk per cow is probably between 3,500 and 4,000 lbs. we can see that there is much room for improvement in the dairy herds. This improvement can be brought about only through improved breeding, and by weighing the milk from each cow during the whole lactation period.

The foregoing is the first step in systematic improvement of dairy cattle. The next is that of testing for milk fat. Fortunately, in the Babcock

test we have a comparatively simple method of determining the fat content of milk. The owner may test the milk himself by using a four-bottle machine, costing about \$10. He ought, however, to take a few lessons, or a short course, in testing.

It is very important that the sample be properly taken. After all the milk is in the pail, stir and take out about a tablespoonful, placing it in a bottle having the name or number of the cow marked on the bottle. Do this night and morning, preferably for two or three days. In hot weather, a preservative will be needed if samples be taken for more than one day. Preservative tablets may be purchased of dairy supply houses. If these samples are taken once a month during the lactation period, results will be satisfactory. Some claim that if samples for fat testing be taken during the second and fifth months of lactation, that this gives results accurate enough for all practical purposes. The main point is to take samples for testing, often enough to know how each cow's milk tests for fat. This is especially true where milk is sold on the fat basis.

To apply the results: Suppose a cow has given 930 lbs. of milk during the month, and her milk tests 3.6 per cent. fat. She will be credited with 930x3.6 plus 100 equals 33.48 pounds fat, or nearly 40 lbs. of butter for that month. (When calculating butter from fat, add one-sixth to the pounds of fat.)

Although this may look like considerable extra work, when it is once started and the owner becomes interested in knowing just what each cow is doing, the work is easy and the time is not begrudged. With every farmer using systematic methods in his stable, the work is not only more interesting, but much more profitable.

Protect Locks from Rust.

Sometimes very simple devices will do a lot for protection and convenience and can be made by anyone. Padlocks are frequently found frozen, and also rusted from continual exposure. Here is something that prevents all this. Cut a piece of rubber from an old boot leg, about six-by-six inches. Tack it to a strip of wood one-by-six inches, and nail it to the building above the staple that holds the padlock, so that the rubber will hang down over the lock. Here you will always find your padlock dry and not frozen. Do this when the lock is new. It can't rust then.—W. E. F.

The risk of being struck by lightning is five times greater in the country than in cities, and twenty times greater at sea than on a railway.

Four hours' hard thinking exhausts the tissues as much as ten hours of manual labor.

Women's Clubs in the Province of Quebec

After learning the principles of domestic science and agriculture in domestic science schools and convents of higher teaching, the girls and young women of our rural districts in the Province of Quebec are organized into clubs under the name of "Women's Clubs" (Circles de femmes). The first of these clubs was established in 1915. There are to-day seventy clubs, including 4,740 French-Canadian farmers' wives and daughters, under the general supervision of Mr. Alphonse Desilets, B.S.A., whose headquarters are at the provincial Department of Agriculture, Quebec.

In seeking to promote the economic interests of mankind, the essential part played by woman and the influence that she exercises upon the vocation of children should not be forgotten. Under intelligent management by devoted nuns, the domestic science schools endeavor to influence women to remain on the farm. They do this by training dutiful wives, thrifty housekeepers and experienced helpers for the "man with the hoe." However, it is only a small number, as yet, of farmers' daughters who go to these centres of science and practical training. The majority of the women and girls in our rural districts have yet to be reached, and the women's clubs are the means by which this work can be done. The fundamental idea of this undertaking is to keep our population on the land, to protect it against the lures of the city that attract our rural youth, and to direct this youth towards its natural and normal vocation by fostering a liking for family life, for farm life and for the parish or community life. This movement, which has for its motto "Cling to the home and to the farm," has therefore a double object: to attach woman to the home by indissoluble ties, by making pleasant and easy the accomplishment of her duties as housekeeper, wife and teacher, and to keep on the land our sons and daughters by making rural life more attractive. The Quebec Department of Agriculture gives a liberal assistance to local organizations that will take part in this useful, patriotic and social work.

The means employed by the clubs are practical, limited in number and well defined; the aim (a) to make more attractive and easier for the woman the accomplishment of her moral and material duties towards her husband, her children and herself; (b) to show her and her family how indispensable and how health-giving the work of the farm is; (c) to make her the champion and main support of the community organization, main-

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The strong pigs in the litter never lose their start on the smaller ones. It is these larger ones from which we get the greater profits. A great deal depends on the condition of the sow, whether she will produce good strong pigs and feed them well, or a litter of weaklings and then have nothing for them to eat; whether her system is nice and cool or feverish and hot.

In the one case the sow will be good-natured and let the pigs suck, and will furnish plenty of milk; in the other, fretful and peevish, the chances are that she will eat her pigs as soon as born, if she gets a chance.

All these conditions depend very largely, if not entirely, upon the way the sow is treated and fed during pregnancy. It is an almost unheard of occurrence for a brood sow, running out on good pasture, to eat a pig. Sows are not cannibals by nature, and are only made so by poor feeding, lack of exercise, etc.

Pigs should not be weaned until they are at least eight weeks old, and if the sow is not to have a second litter, or if there is time enough in case she is, it is better to let the pigs suckle until they are from ten to twelve weeks old.

Farmers often get in a hurry and wean pigs when they are only six weeks old, but unless there is an abundant supply of milk and especially good care is given, the pigs are likely to become stunted, sometimes so severely that they never recover. The cheapest way to put gains on young pigs is through the sow. She has a strong digestion, and can turn coarse grains and pasture into easily digested milk.

Careful experiments show that a pound of weight taken from the sow will make more than one pound of gain in the pigs, the flesh of the animals containing more water. The sow should be fed to produce a high yield of milk, and the pigs should be kept with her until they get to eating a full feed of both grain and pasture. When the time comes to wean the pigs, cut down the sow's rations to water and a little grain. Take away the stronger pigs first, leaving the weaker to suckle for a few days longer. These few things carried out will have much to do toward pork profits.

Teach Children to Avoid Traffic Dangers.

Parents should teach their children to use the utmost care wherever there is traffic, either congested or otherwise, if they wish to save them from danger which, as time goes on, will be worse instead of better, unless some unforeseen wisdom is put into action by authorities.

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Home and School Club Encourages Music in the School

By May P. Munro, Fergus, Ont.

This year our Home and School Club experimented with the question of encouraging the teaching of music in our Public school. How did we do it? First, our club renovated a hall (part of the school property) and equipped it with chairs and other furniture. Then, adding to an existing piano fund, we bought an instrument and presented it to the School Board. With the sanction and co-operation of that body we persuaded one of our club members, a lady who has had a thorough training in both instrumental and vocal music, to take charge of the music classes. We divided our school into two classes and gave each class about a forty-minute lesson per week. Our idea was to simply teach the children to sing songs, but our teacher goes deeper than this, and is following the course laid down by the Department of Education.

Just here is where our greatest difficulty lies. Our classes are too large, and we would like to have three classes instead of two, but the salary is totally inadequate to the services rendered and we feel it would be imposing on good nature to ask our teacher to devote more time than she is doing unless we substantially increase the remuneration.

I would like to bring to your notice the fact that, no matter how proficient a music teacher is or how much experience she has, no Government grant is given to a school board unless the teacher of music holds a teacher's certificate and has taken a few months' course in music. If we had that grant it would aid materially in the salary question. We expect to finance our music classes by means of entertainments and a school concert once a year.

I might say that Guelph is up against the same difficulty we are. They wanted to engage a local teacher of splendid attainments, but they would lose the grant, so they engaged a qualified teacher from Brantford to come three days a week.

We think our music lessons are most valuable. The children are learning to sing by note in proper time, and with proper inflections. They are getting a number of songs which are used in the schoolroom, and are a great help to the teacher who is not able to sing or to teach a new song. Of course, we realize results would be better if we could have two lessons a week instead of one, but, on the whole, we feel that our efforts are bearing fruit.

Wearing Spectacles.

BY DR. C. H. LERRIGO.

If you are forty or past, and you suddenly discover that your vision is not what it used to be, don't be alarmed. It is nothing more than a natural deficiency. It means that the crystalline lens of the eye is not so flexible as heretofore. It is beginning to harden. It never will work again quite as well as in the old days and you must give it the artificial aid of a glass with a slightly convex lens.

The fitting of spectacles assumed in middle life to adjust such natural changes can be done without any use of "drops" in the eyes to dilate the pupils. The real need for "drops" is when there is astigmatism or some other error of refraction and the doctor needs to examine the whole eye very carefully. This is even more likely to be required in children who need glasses than in adults.

The fact of the matter is that it is more important to have the eyes of a child correctly fitted than those of the adult. When children, especially those in school, require spectacles, it is usually because of near-sightedness (myopia). The ciliary muscle, which controls the lens of the eye is exceedingly active in children and a proper examination is quite impossible until it is put at rest. That is why medicine is dropped into the eye by the doctor before the examination is made. The medicine quiets the muscle and the doctor is able to see properly and judge of the real condition. Perhaps it is worthy saying that homatropin, the medicine now chiefly used by doctors for eye examination, is quite transitory in its effects, the eye becoming active again in 36 hours or less.

Never make the mistake of using spectacles bought at a notion store or of a travelling peddler. It is greatly to the care of your precious eyes to some man whose education in the specialty is limited to a few weeks training in "fitting glasses." You need one thoroughly trained, not alone in the eye but in all of its relations to the whole human complex.

When you get your glasses let the doctor tell you just how to wear them, and have him personally examine the

frames to see that they are properly adjusted. To give full efficiency, not only must the centres of the lenses correspond to the ocular centres, but the distance of the lenses from the eyes must be proper. There should be just sufficient space to prevent the eyelashes from touching the glass.

Sheep Notes

Breeding ewes suckling lambs all summer become run down in flesh and out of condition. This is not a fault of the ewes, but rather a desirable quality, as it shows a tendency toward liberal milk production essential to growing a profitable lamb crop.

After the lambs are weaned the ewes should be put onto scant pasture for a few days to dry up the milk and give the system an opportunity to adjust itself. The ewes need now on every possible chance to re-cruit up in flesh in a natural healthy manner. Heavy feeding is not advisable for the present.

If possible turn the ewes onto stubble pasture. There is always a variety of feed on stubble land that will stimulate the appetite, and at the same time cause the ewes to take on flesh gradually, which will put them in good condition for the mating season. If the stubble pasture becomes scant supplementary feeding may be advisable or other pasture that is not too succulent to induce scouring should be provided.

In every flock there are a few ewes that show unusual tendency toward milk production and if they have suckled twin lambs during the summer, are likely to be well reduced in flesh. These ewes should be closely watched and given the best of care as they are the most valuable ewes in the flock. It may be necessary to divide the flock and put the thin ewes by themselves where they may receive a light grain ration.

Australian Aborigines are usually regarded as a very low type of humanity; yet one who recently died was a clever shorthand-writer and a student of English literature.

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Minimum Wage Legislation

By Elizabeth P. MacCallum, M.A., Social Service Council of Canada

Alberta is now the seventh province of the Dominion that has committed itself to a policy of governmental regulation of wages for women. In British Columbia, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, and Ontario government regulation is well under way; in Alberta, Quebec and Nova Scotia the requisite legislation has been enacted, but the acts are not yet in force. Alberta has not yet had time to take action; but Nova Scotia and Quebec have had the legislation on their statute books for three years. Action will probably be all the more effective for the delay, for these two provinces will soon have a wealth of experience in other parts of the Dominion to guide them, when they do begin to enforce their Minimum Wage Acts.

There is a general conviction throughout Canada that some governmental action should be taken to protect workingwomen from each other and from exploitation by cheap employers. That is to say, there is a large percentage of our workingwomen who are entirely dependent upon their own earnings, and it is felt that the right of these women to a living wage should be upheld in the face of the fact that many semi-dependent women are naturally willing to work for less than a living wage. Minimum wage laws in Canada, then, have been passed largely with the aim in view of making it illegal for an employer to pay or a female worker to accept less than a certain rate of wages, deemed

by the Wages Board to approximate to a fair standard of living. In Great Britain minimum wage legislation applies to men as well as women, but in Canada, whether wisely or not, little has been said about protecting that fluctuating, vague and inarticulate body of men workers which is fortunately smaller here than in many other countries. In all countries where minimum wage legislation has been enacted, the ultimate aim of the legislators is to create decent standards of living where they do not exist, and thus give to all classes of workers a sense of self-respect which will in time engender enough independence of spirit to enable them to look after themselves. That self-respect is conspicuously lacking among those workers whose standards are still of the lowest order. It is found that many such workers do not appear to care whether their wages are raised or not. Their indifference is born of physical under-nourishment, and applies to almost all phases of their existence. It is to the advantage of the workers, of the province, and of individual employers as well, that apathy of this kind be done away with.

British Columbia has had the longest experience of any Canadian province in the field of minimum wage legislation. Industries have been dealt with one by one, until wages have been regulated in almost every industry in which women are largely employed. Wages for adult workers

The Bold Heart.

This time I did not win,
And shall I then
Go with bowed head
And never try again?

No, rather let me strive
The harder still
Until I bend my fortune
To my will.

Let me not break nor bend
But let me be
Stronger than any fate
That comes to me.

Let me be bold of heart
And learn to read
In every failure
How I may succeed.

—Abigail Cresson.

His Lucid Moment.

A doctor had been called to see a man who was very ill. He examined him and said to the nurse: "You must watch the case very closely through the night, and tell me all the symptoms when I come back in the morning."

The man became worse during the night and talked a lot of nonsense in his fever.

When the doctor returned in the morning, he said to the nurse: "Tell me exactly what happened after I left."

"You were hardly out of the room," she began, "when he said: 'When did that old fool say he was coming back?' Those were the last sensible words he spoke."

Huhrah!

Young Alderman — "Just imagine, those rascally street railway people had the nerve to offer me a hundred thousand to vote for their measure."

His wife — "Oh, Henry! I always knew you'd make good."

You get cheerfulness out of life in proportion as you put cheerfulness in. You can not invest counterfeit coin and expect dividends in real money.

Geography in Names.

Many things we use every day are named after the towns from which they originally came.

For instance, probably you have a pair of worsted socks, which were once made at Worstead, but which nowadays come principally from Huddersfield; or a Panama hat, which comes from Ecuador instead of the place from which it took its name. Cambric handkerchiefs are so-called from the town of Cambrai, in France.

Tweed suits, Inverness capes, and Leghorn hats are examples of the same thing. The connection between damsons and Damascus is not so obvious, but damson is really only a contraction for Damascene plum. Currants get their name from the fact that originally they were made from small grapes, which still grow near Corinth, in Greece; they were formerly called Corinthians.

Cherries came from the city of Cerasus, which once stood in Asia Minor, while chestnuts preserve the name of Castana, another city of the past, whence the trees first came to Europe.

The names of two cheeses, Cheddar and Stilton, come from two villages, one in Somerset and the other in Huntingdonshire. Worcester, Dresden, and Sevres have all given names to different kinds of china, and Delft, a small Dutch town, is remembered by Delft pottery.

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Awaiting Her Tricks.

Bobby—"Are you the trained nurse mamma said was coming?"

The Nurse—"Yes, dear, I'm the trained nurse."

Bobby—"Let's see some of your tricks."

"No one is living aright unless he so lives that whoever meets him goes away more confident and joyous for the contact."

vary from \$12.75 to \$15.50 per week, representing often an increase of about 35 per cent. Hours have been shortened, so that forty-eight is regarded as a normal week. British Columbia's experience tends to refute the opinion held by many that a minimum wage is apt to become the maximum and so defeat its own purpose. In 1920 average wages in different industries were found to exceed the minimum by as much as \$3.19, \$1.58, \$2.64, \$2.58, and \$4.43 per week. In Saskatchewan almost half of the laundry workers are receiving more than the minimum, and about two-thirds of the workers in shops and stores are in a similar position.

The Wage Boards of Manitoba and Ontario have made a large number of awards, and are experimenting in differential wages for various localities according to size. Their awards are not generally as high as those in Saskatchewan and British Columbia, but by the use of the informal conference with employers and employees, they are making a valuable addition to the world's experience in minimum wage regulation.

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Round pegs in square holes are never contented, never happy, never satisfied. A large percentage of our criminal class comes from these discontented, misplaced human beings. There is no greater service parents can do their children, or teachers their pupils than help them find their work—their true place in life. There is no more pitiable person in the world than the misfit, the one who has not found his work.—O. S. Marden.

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"I saw men and women of every clime working like bees to unwrap the evils of society and to discover the whole web of vice and misery, and to apply the remedies and also to find the influences that should best counteract evil and its attendant suffering."

"There seemed to be a new, a wondrous, ever-permeating light, the glory of which I cannot attempt to put in human words—the light of new-born hope and sympathy blazing. The source of this light was human endeavor—immortal purpose of countless thousands of men and women, who were equally doing their part in the world."

"I saw the men and the women, standing side by side, shoulder to shoulder, in a common and indomitable purpose lighting every face with a glory not of this earth. All were advancing with one end in view, one foe to trample, one everlasting good to gain."

"And then I saw the victory. All of evil was gone from the earth. Misery was blotted out. Mankind was emancipated and ready to march forward in a new era of human understanding, all-encompassing sympathy and ever-present help. The era of perfect love of peace passing all understanding."

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On a misty day.
When moonlight strikes the water
I cannot get it into my poem—
I only hear the water's fingers and the
moon's rays

Intertwined.
I think of all the words I love to hear
And try to find words white enough
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—Hilda Conkling.

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En Passant.

"ONE HALF PECK of green tomatoes, one large cabbage and seven onions. Chop, mix well with salt, stand overnight with one ounce of celery seed, a quarter of a pound of white mustard seed, a quarter of a teacupful of ground pepper, a quarter of a teacupful of cinnamon, and one gill of grated horse-radish. Boil three quarts of vinegar and two pounds of brown sugar, and when boiling hot pour over the mixture."

The Cook-Book calls this conglomeration "Chow-Chow," and I believe it to be a most suitable name. The Chinese call any mixture Chow-Chow, which shows adaptability and the simplicity of their language, but in English, French, Portuguese and Choctaw, the name is confined to Mixed Pickles.

I make this explanation because I may have offended an old and valued friend who, in a temporary attack of Old Country election fever, asked me to name an eclectic coalition ministry. With the aid of a Whittaker's Almanac I worked out a suitable combination of statesmen, according to my light, fit to be entrusted with the interests of The Empire Upon Which The Sun Never Sets, but I began to have doubts about the list when it was compiled, thinking that some might like it, but again that others might not, so I sent my friend the above recipe for Chow-Chow, with the injunction—"Stick to the Old Brand, manufactured exclusively by the proprietors of H.P. (Houses of Parliament) Sauce: None Genuine without the signature of 'Lloyd George' on every bottle."

I thought it quite a good joke, but my coalition friend got sore and said things I don't like to repeat: But if he would look into it and regard it cryptically I am sure he would get the joke into his head without any necessity for a surgical operation.

IF WE MAY say so, One Large Cabbage represents the Prime Minister; (It is no more disrespectful to say the Premier is "One Large Cabbage" than it is to say he is "The Whole Cheese") and in the same sense the Onions and the Green Tomatoes are the Cabinet: while "Chop" means to reduce them to one frame of mind, or, invest them with an equal sense of importance, and the other ingredients are supposed to be the various party inspirations which they will absorb in common, salt, mustard, pepper, vinegar, and sugar being the different flavours of party fervor.

I assure my friend that if he were to spend the interval between now and the British election (November 20th) in reading to his laundryman the lives of the statesmen now seeking to govern, explaining the differences in their political creeds, and pointing out to him the advantages to be derived from bringing them together in one government, the chink would exclaim rapturously, "Chow-Chow," that is if he lived through the Course of Instruction, and he would be as innocent of offence as I am.

Mixed Pickles quite aptly describes political combinations, whether the title be applied in "joyous scorn, edged with sharp laughter," as Tennyson says, or in playful appreciation of the quaint tout ensemble.

From a business point of view I believe in Coalitions, on the principle that a country is a business proposition and its government a Board of Directors: I expect to see the best men put in power.

Another argument in favour is that more work can be got through: Useful work, constructive and administrative, that is of some benefit to the country. It would be absurd to have the same men at the head of affairs all the time, but the quality could be maintained, and it would be beneficial to have them pulling together instead of being in everlasting opposition. My strongest plea for this sort of union is that party leaders as partners are more likely to modify each others ideas and put through better legislation than the same men could possibly do when they are working against each other. They would develop a more delicate equilibrium, as mixed pickles, than the same forces could in separate containers. A can of green tomatoes, or a jar of onions, may have their individual points, but in combination, as Chow-Chow, with all the other fixings, they would be a piece de resistance with political

gourmands and epicures who really tried to overcome their prejudices and acquire a taste for the combined article.

A PROMINENT newspaper, I notice, is modifying its opinions on the subject of mixed pickles. It recently came out in strong support of purely party delicatessen, and had a lot to say against Lloyd George and his pot-pouri of political peppercorns and spices, but now it seems to hesitate between its ancient conservative tastes and the indications of popular preference which are coming to hand. Twinkle, Twinkle.

THE LINKMAN.

The Little Slavey,—continued.

Why here she comes! what shall I do?

She'll never look at me! And yet she seems so kind and nice. I wonder who she be?

O dear! she's going to take my dirty hand,

It aint dirty neither, when I comes to look,

And my clothes aint ragged either. They seem washed in a crystal brook;

She do seem so kind, she do, And looks so 'eavenly sweet,

I wonder what she thinks of me? I 'specks she thinks a treat!

Yes, mother dear, I know it's you, Kiss me while you may,

And lead me to those children there, I wants with them to play.

I feel so happy mother dear, And 'opes you've come to stay,

Fold me in your loving arms, And kiss my tears away;

Those children seem so happy. Let me join them in their fun,

I shant be long dear mother, Look! they beckon us to come;

We all seem happy mother dear, I wish you had come afore,

But stay! I'll go and help that child,

And scrub her dirty floor, Her troubles seem untold,

She seems so poor and friendless, Why!—where are you dear mother?

It's quite dark, and the water's cold. Continuing next week.

RYHHOS—Brownsburg.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Dr. Maude Abbott, spent the weekend at her home.

The 500 Club was entertained Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fraser.

Mrs. Morton, of Dunoon, Argyleshire, Scotland, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lamb entertained at two tables of cards on Monday evening in honor of Mrs. Morton.

Among those who were in Montreal during the past week were, Mrs. Alan Matthews, Mrs. W. MacAdam and Miss Stowell.

Mrs. Howard, The Rectory, entertained at 50 and a Miscellaneous Shower, on Friday afternoon, in honor of Miss Florence Neve, whose marriage to Mr. Archibald McCallum takes place in November.

Christ Church W.A. met at the home of Mrs. W. H. Robertson on Thursday afternoon last. Generous donations were brought in for aXmas bala, which the members hope to get off in a few days, to one of the poor Missions in the Diocese.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Neve, The Pines, St. Andrews East, P.Q., announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Dorothy, Florence to Mr. Archibald Ernest McCallum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCallum, Pt. Fortune, P.Q. The wedding will take place the latter part of November.

Successful Ploughmen in Lakefield Contest.

The Plowing Match, which was postponed from the 25th owing to inclemency of the weather was held on the farm of A. Tomalty last Saturday, and much interest was taken in the contest which resulted as follows:—

Class I,—Men, 1st Jos. Boyd, 2nd. H. Scott, 3rd A. Sherritt, 4th A. Tomalty, 5th A. O. Kerr.

Boys Class,—1st Robt. Tomalty, 2nd Charlie Andrews.

Specials,—Best crown, Jos. Boyd.

Best finish,—Harry Scott.

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AUCTION SALE

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There will be sold by Public Auction at the residence of
CLARA TRUDEAU,
Brownsburg.

Friday Nov. 3rd 1922.

The following effects:—Three iron beds, 2 wooden beds, 2 springs, 1 mattress, 1 kitchen cabinet, 1 kitchen table, 6 small tables, 2 dozen kitchen and dining room chairs, 2 box stoves, 1 Quebec heater, 1 cooking stove, stove pipes, dishes, quantity of preserves, 2 Gramophones, 10 dozen records, 1 oil stove, pictures of all kinds, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 1 p.m. sharp.
TERMS: \$10.00 and under cash, over that amount 3 months credit, on furnishing approved joint notes.
W. J. BOYD, Licensed Auctioneer.

There will be sold by Public Auction at the residence of
SAM MARTIN,
Brownsburg.

Saturday, Nov. 4th, 1922.

The following effects:—One horse six years old, sleighs, 2 buggies, 1 sideboard, 1 stove, 1 heater with oven, 2 dining room chairs and rocker, 2 machine, 1 Morris chair, 1 parlor bed room sets, 3 beds, 1 sewing chairs, dishes, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 1 p.m. sharp.
TERMS CASH.
W. J. BOYD, Licensed Auctioneer.

There will be sold by Public Auction at the residence of
AMIDEE LEMAY,
Lachute road, 1 mile from Lachute.

Monday Nov. 13th, 1922.

The following effects:—Three work horses, 1 filly 2 and a half years old, 11 milch cows, 4 heifers 1 and a half years old, 1 bull 1 and a half years old, 5 spring calves, 4 spring pigs, 1 Yorkshire boar, 60 hens, Threshing mill with horse power, circular saw, grain binder almost new, Disc drill seeder almost new, mowing machine, horse rake, iron harrows, set of grubbers, cultivator, walking plow, sulky plow root seeder, set of fanners with bagger, Disc harrow root cutter, lawn mower, horse clipper, De Laval cream separator, milk cooler, churn, washing machine, wringer, wagon, hay rack, 2 tumbril carts, express and express pole, 2 buggies, 1 set new sloop sleighs, 1 cutter, 2 rack sleighs, 1 wood rack, 2 set double harness, 2 sets cart harness, 1 set express harness, 1 set light harness, 1 horse fork carriage, ropes and pulleys, 1 farm scale, 100 cedar fence pickets, a lot of cedar rails, a quantity of brick, A large quantity of hay, oats straw and corn, forks, shovels, hoes, saws, chains, whiffletrees, etc., and many other articles too numerous to mention.

All to be sold without reserve as proprietor has sold his farm.
Sale to commence at 1 p.m. sharp.
TERMS: \$10.00 and under cash, over that amount 9 months credit, on furnishing approved joint notes. 6 per cent discount per annum for cash.
W. J. BOYD, Licensed Auctioneer.

There will be sold by Public Auction at the residence of
PERCY NICHOLLS
About half mile East of Greece's Point.

Tuesday, Nov. 14th, 1922.

The following effects:—Twenty-two head of milch cows, (Grade Ayrshires), 6 two year old heifers, 4 one year old heifers, 1 General Purpose horse 9 years old, 13 spring pigs, 2 brood sows, 50 hens (Barred Rocks), 1 mow of hay, a quantity of straw, 25 loads of corn-stalks, 15 bags of potatoes, 200 bushels of Swedish turnips, 100 bushels of oats, 10 cords of dry furnace wood, 1 double wagon 1 burrow, 1 three horse power Moody separator, 1 small evaporator and 500 sap cans, and many other articles mentioned.

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CUSHING.

Miss Mary Smith is visiting friends in Montreal this week.

Mr. W. Chambers, of St. Philippe, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham on Sunday.

Miss Ruth Guenn, of Hawkesbury, was the week-end guest of Miss Lois Keatley.

Mr. Eddie Whelehan Jr., returned to Montreal to take up a course at the Y.M.C.A. Business College, on Monday of this week.

A small leather hand bag was left at the Cushing Community Club room on the last Social and refreshment evening. The owner may have it by proving property and applying to the Convener of Social Committee, Mrs. Archie Graham.

Messrs. Percy Pattie, David Hunter and Murphy Holland of Hawkesbury, motored to Cushing on Friday evening and after a short visit at the home of Mrs. E. A. Keatley spent the remainder of the evening as guests of the C. C. Club where a Halloween Party was held and greatly enjoyed particularly the candy and the taffy made in the Club kitchen.

The population of Cushing is to be increased this week by the arrival of Mrs. Bryce Barrington, of North Augusta, Ont., and small daughters the Misses Bertha and Helen Love. Mrs. Barrington comes to join her husband who has been residing in Cushing for the past two weeks. They will occupy the cottage which has been vacant for the past year.

Mr. Leonard Young, of Dumbell Club fame, will assist with the St. Mungo's Church Bean Supper programme, this of course will be the attraction for Friday of this week, therefore the C. C. Club is not meeting until Friday, Nov. 10th, our regular monthly meeting, then every alternate Friday through the winter not forgetting the Tuesday evenings for night school which the club is planning to hold in the club room.

LOST STRAYED OR STOLEN.—On the night of Oct. 18th, 1922, from the domicile of Robert Copeland, Dunany, Que., one Scotch Collie dog, yellow with white markings, answers to the name of Prince, any person giving information or returning same will be liberally rewarded. Person or Persons detaining or destroying the same will be punished by law.

FOUND.—A parcel containing a pair of shoes which came through mail. It was addressed M. Trainor, care of Mr. Duffy, Beech Grove. Owner can have same on payment of advertisement.

BROWNSBURG.

A Concert will be given in Goyettes Hall in aid of Crippled Children and other charities on Tuesday the 7th Nov. at eight o'clock.

It has been our custom for some years to appeal through the "Watchman" for funds to enable us to send individual parcels addressed to each little patient spending Christmas in the Children's Memorial Hospital, and I made a suggestion last year that each reader would put away all loose cents for this purpose, and I am hopeful that a great many acted upon this suggestion.

Toys or picture books or small things to fill Christmas stockings will be very gratefully accepted, and acknowledged.

The surplus money was put in bank in trust, to be expended upon a little girl crippled through "Infantile Paralysis," this amounted to one hundred and eighty dollars, which has been sent to Children's Memorial Hospital on her behalf. This is an extract from letter received in June viz:

As already mentioned two dollars a day only covers part of what it costs the Hospital for the treatment of our little patients as the total cost is always above three dollars and fifty cents per day.

And here we wish to thank you for past favours to our Hospital, etc.
Respectfully Yours,
J. POUPART.

Another extract:

Dear Mrs. Campbell,
May I thank you very kindly for the cheque which I received this morning. Dr. Williamson wishes me to tell you that Colonel Forbes is quite encouraged as to ultimate results (referring to little girl) and at present she is doing very nicely and will be up and about again in a few days.
B. WILLOUGHLEY,
Lady Superintendent.

The total amount sent to Hospital since June for treatment of this little girl is one hundred and eighty three dollars and forty five cents. On the 4th October this little girl came home until the Spring when she has to return for further treatment. The wonderful improvement in her condition amply repays for any little help you gave.

This will show that all our funds are exhausted now, and I once more appeal to you all to help us to complete her cure and also to bring a little brightness into the lives of the many little sufferers who will spend Christmas day in the hospital wards away from all their beloved home friends.
(MRS.) Z. L. CAMPBELL.

LAKEFIELD

The Lakefield Branch of the Quebec Women's Institute will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. George Peet, Lakefield, on Thursday evening, November ninth, at half past seven. As the Institute members are starting work on some garments for the Children's Memorial Hospital, a full attendance is our aim, so that we may accomplish as much as possible. Roll Call will be answered by your favourite name for a child. Members please try to bring a friend and don't forget your sandwiches.
Signed—A. Constance Mount,
Sec'y. Lakefield Branch Q.W.I.

ARUNDEL.

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The Church Services on Sunday next, Nov. 5th will be as follows:—
Anglican.
Weir 10.30 a.m.
Glen 2.30 p.m.
Grace Church, Arundel 7.30 p.m.
S. S. Grace Church 2.30 p.m.
Rev. Geo. H. Gagnon, M.A., Rector.
Arundel Union Church.
Rockway 10.30 a.m.
Crystal Falls 3.00 p.m.
Arundel 7.00 p.m.
Sunday School, Arundel 10.30 a.m.

Thanksgiving services will be held at all the three above mentioned places, each Church is to be decorated with flowers and vegetables, and the people are urged to be generous with their gifts of vegetables of all kinds, as they are to be forwarded to the "Family Welfare Association" in Montreal, for distribution amongst needy families. The people will thus have a splendid opportunity of showing the real thankful spirit in a tangible way.

Rev. Albert Johnson, Pastor.
Don't forget the Concert and Social, to be held in Stanforth's Hall, on Saturday evening Nov. 4th, under the auspices of the Ladies of Grace Church Congregation.

A fine programme of Monologues, Dialogues, Instrumental Quartettes, Songs, Choruses, etc., is in course of preparations, fully up to the standard of Socials of the past.
There will be a "Fish Pond," a drawing for a handsome Quilt, and home-made candy will be on sale. Admission Adults, 35 cts., Children 25 cts., or two for 35 cts.

The Harvest Supper in Stanforth's Hall, on Monday evening Oct. 30th held under the auspices of the Ladies Union of the Union Church, was a notable success.

The "Chicken Supper" was well patronized and when the "inner man" had been satisfied, a good programme was carried out, and brought a very pleasant evening to a close.

The following was the Programme.
Taxis Sing Song; Songs, "Nirvana" and "The Ringers"—Rev. A. Johnson; Vocal Duet—Rev. and Mrs. Johnson; Piano Solo—Miss Ruth Beattie; Song "On the Staff," in costume—Rev. A. Johnson; Song "Macushla"—Mrs. Johnson;
Intermission.
Taxis Sing Song; Pot Pourri—Rev. A. Johnson and Mr. Gordon Cooke; Piano Duet—Mrs. Roy Cooke and Miss Ruth Beattie; Vocal Duet, "A.B.C."

Rev. and Mrs. Johnson; Songs, "Somewhere a voice is calling"; "The Deathless Army," Rev. Johnson. "O' Canada."
"God Save The King."

Miss Ruth Riddle, who was in the city for a few days, returned home on Tuesday evening.

MORIN HEIGHTS.

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Mr. Sam MacArthur and bride are occupying the house West of the Post Office.

The Anglican Service Sunday evening will be of a memorial character, embracing Armistice Day thoughts.

Word has been received that Mr. Victor JeKil has undergone an operation for appendicitis in the hospital Montreal.

Mr. Wesley Doherty and family have taken up their abode, in Mr. Geo. Hamilton's house in the East end of town.

In the absence of Rev. H. White, at Landsdown, Ont., the service in the Methodist Church will be conducted by Mr. Curran of Montreal.

The W.A. meets this week Thursday with Mrs. J. W. Seale for quilting and other work in connection with their missionary bazaar.

A large number attend the meeting of the Ladies Aid at Mrs. Chas. Seale's on Wednesday 25th, a goodly amount of work being the result.

A number of enthusiastic sportsmen arrived here from the city on Tuesday and are giving special attention to capture of as many deer as the law will permit. A number have already been secured.

The funeral service of Mrs. Orange Wood, of Leopold, aged 70 years who died on Oct. 24th was conducted on Thursday in Trinity Church. A large congregation showed the respect in which she was held in the district. Her son Henry and family have lately returned from Sask. and taken up residence in the old home.

Mrs. J. McCullough who has been on the sick list is convalescent.

Mr. Gosling, of Montreal, will be special preacher in the Anglican Church on Sunday 11 a.m. as well as delivering a public address in Davis's Hall on Saturday evening at the Box Social under the auspices of L.O.L., 2818. A number of children are giving a patriotic playlet, at the same, as a part of a somewhat extensive programme.

SOMETHING FOR EVERYBODY

The Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal, seems to have a genius for collecting, or at least for giving us the best of everything. It is because all needs are catered to, and all kinds receive what they need, and all households are given from the experience of the past and the wisdom of the present what is necessary for today and tomorrow also, that none can afford to be without the Family Herald and Weekly Star, particularly as the subscription price of \$2.00 a year is without the means of all.

FOR SALE.—Farm for sale, consisting of 500 acres, situated on Brownsburg Road, one mile from C.P.R. and C.N.R. Stations, facing town of Lachute, 100 acres under cultivation, 150 acres in sugar bush, 100 acres pasturage, balance in hard and soft wood, never failing spring, 100 ft. head good farm-house, with modern conveniences, other outbuildings, further particulars apply to Geo. H. Stanforth, Phone 120-r-4, Lachute.

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SOCIAL EVENTS.

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A Thanksgiving supper and entertainment will be given in Upper Lachute Presbyterian Church on Friday evening Nov. 10th. Supper will be served at 6.30 p.m. and the programme will commence at 8 p.m. A good time is promised.

The Ladies of the St. Canute Methodist Church have decided to hold their Thanksgiving Supper on Saturday evening next, Nov. 4th, instead of Monday as advertised in our last issue. Supper from 6 to 8. Admission 35 cts. Everybody welcome.

The Ladies of the Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church, Brownsburg, intend holding a sale of work on Thursday Dec. 7th, 1922. Keep the date open.

A Concert will be held in Mr. Goyettes Hall, on Tuesday the 7th November at 8 o'clock. Tickets 35 cents each, in aid of Crippled Children and other Charities. A good programme consisting of Musical Selections, Singing, Recitations, and a musical sketch entitled, "Beauty and the Beast."

A Harvest Home Festival will be held in St. Mungo's Church, Cushing, on Friday evening, Nov. 3rd. Admission 35 cts., Children 15 cts.

Train No. 423 leaving Calumet 7.20 p.m. for Montreal, due Place Viger 10.00 p.m., Saturdays only, will be discontinued after trip of October 28th and instead will run on Sundays only, on the following schedule, commencing Nov. 5th.

APPLES FOR SALE.

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Carload of the finest Winter Apples Northern Spy, Kings, Russettes, Baldwin, Cramberry, Peppin and all kinds.—Car expected between Nov. 10th and 15th. Speak for your order now to H. Filion, Baker, Lachute, or P. Goyette, Brownsburg. Prices to suit everyone for the quality.

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Synopsis of Preceding Chapters.

Dr. Hardy, famous specialist, and his daughter Irene, meet with an accident while on a morning trip in the foothills of Alberta and find a refuge in the cabin of the Elden ranch where dwell David and his dissolute father. The girl and boy promise to meet again in the future. After his father's drunken death David goes to seek his fortune in town and loses all his money at a pool table. He spends an evening with Conward, his poolroom acquaintance, and two actresses and next takes liquor for the first time. Next morning he awakes from a drunken stupor and is at a loss. He is attracted by the singing of a choir girl in a church; then he attends a Social meeting. When delivering coal at the home of Mr. Duncan he is offered evening tuition in return for occasional services as a coachman. The first evening he discovers the choir girl in Edith Duncan. Under his tutor's careful direction David's education thrives apace. He becomes a reporter on the Call. One Sunday he told Edith the story of his life and his compact with Irene. Conward drops in with talk about "industrial development" and fires David's imagination. They form a real estate partnership. A boom follows, making David a millionaire, but he vaguely distrusts his partner. Roberta Morrison, compiler of the woman's page of The Call, comes to his office one evening and Dave orders dinner.

CHAPTER XII.—(Cont'd.)

"This is all nonsense," said the doctor, impatiently. "There is nothing to it, anyway. The girl had to have some company. What if they did ride together? What—" "They rode together? Alone?" "They had their horses along," said the doctor, whose impatience had made way for sarcasm. "Through the forest, I suppose," said Mrs. Hardy, with an air of one whose humiliation is complete. "Oh, yes, through the forests, across the foothills, up the canyons, hours of it days of it weeks of it—" "Stop! You are making me. In this hour of shame you are making jests. Call Irene." The girl was summoned. Her fine face had lost some of its brownness, and the eyes seemed deeper and slower, but she was still a vision of grace and beauty as she stood, in response to their call, framed in the curtains of an archway. Her quick sense caught the tense atmosphere, and she came forward with parted lips and extended fingers. There was the glint of light on her white teeth. "Yes?" she said. "What is wrong? Can I help?" "Your father has confessed," said Mrs. Hardy, trying hard to speak with judicial calm. "Now tell us about your relations with this young Elden, this cow puncher. Let us know the worst." Irene's startled eyes flew from her mother to her father's face. And there they caught something that restored their calm.

and the mother had grown to hope that the old attachment had died down and would presently be quite forgotten in a new and more becoming passion. The fact is that Irene at that time would have been quite incapable of stating her relation toward Elden and its influence upon her attitude to life. She was by no means sure that she loved that sunburned boy of romantic memory; she was by no means sure that she should ever marry him, let his development in life be what it would. But she felt that her heart was locked, at least for the present, to all other suitors. She had given her promise, and that settled the matter. True, he had not come to claim fulfillment of that promise—and at times she scolded him soundly in the secrecy of her own mind for his negligence through all these years—but she was young, with no desire for a decisive step, and while she chafed under his apparent neglect she felt a sort of tingling dread of the day when he should neglect her no longer. One thing she knew—he had implanted in her soul a fine contempt for men of the set which Carlton typified. They would have thought Dave ignorant; but she knew that if Dave and Carlton were thrown into the wilderness on their own resources Dave would thrive and Carlton would starve. Perhaps Dave's education, although not recognized by any university save that university of hard knocks, was the more real and valuable of the two.

Notwithstanding her contempt for him, the girl found herself encouraging Carlton's advances, or at least not meeting them with the rebuffs which had been her habit toward all other suitors, and Mrs. Hardy's hopes grew as the attachment apparently developed. But they were soon to be shattered.

Irene had gone with Carlton to the theatre; afterwards to supper. It was long past midnight when she reached home; she knocked at her mother's door and immediately entered. She was splendidly gowned, but her hair was dishevelled and her cheeks were flushed, and she walked unsteadily across the room.

"What's the matter, Irene? What's the matter, child? Are you sick?" cried her mother, springing from her bed. "Oh, dear me, and the doctor is out!"

"No, I'm not sick," said the girl, brutally. "I'm drunk!"

"Oh, don't say that," said her mother, soothingly. "Proper people do not become drunk. You may have had too much champagne, and tomorrow you will have a headache."

"Mother! I have had too much champagne, but not as much as that precious Carlton of yours had planned for. I just wanted to see how despicable he was, and I floated down-stream with him as far as I dared. But just as the current got too swift I struck for shore. Oh, we made a scene all right, but nobody knew me there, so the family name is safe and you can rest in peace. I called a taxi, and when he tried to follow me in I slapped him and kicked him. Kicked him, mother. Dreadfully undignified, wasn't it? . . . And that's what you want me to marry, in place of a man!"

Mrs. Hardy was chattering with mortification and excitement. Her plans had miscarried. Irene had misbehaved. Irene was a difficult, headstrong child. It was useless to argue with her in her present mood. It was useless to argue with her in any mood. No doubt Carlton had been impetuous. Nevertheless, he stood high in his set, and his father was something of a power in the financial world. As the wife of such a man Irene might have a career before her.

"Merciful heavens!" exclaimed Mrs. Hardy, collapsing into a chair. "Andrew, bring me a stimulant."

The outcome was that Mrs. Hardy insisted upon Irene embarking at once upon a finishing course. When this was completed, as the girl had shown a sense of form and color, she encouraged her into a special art course. Afterwards they travelled together for a year in Europe. Then, home again, Irene pursued her art, and her mother surrounded her with the social attractions which Dr. Hardy's comfortable income and professional standing made possible. Her purpose was obvious, and but thinly disguised. She hoped that her daughter would outlive her youthful infatuation, and would at length, in a more suitable match, give her heart to one of the numerous eligibles of her circle.

To promote this end Mrs. Hardy spared no pains. Young Carlton, son of a banker, and one of the leading men of his set, seemed a particularly appropriate match. Mrs. Hardy opened her home to him, and Carlton, whatever his motives, was not slow to grasp the situation. For years Irene had not spoken of Dave Elden,

—a career from which at least some of the glory would reflect upon the silvering head of the mother of Mrs. Carlton. And now Irene, by her folly and her ungovernable temper, had spoiled all the carefully laid plans. Mrs. Hardy was a very badly used woman.

"Go to your room," she said, at length. "You are in no condition to talk to-night. I must say it is a shame that you can't go out for an evening without drinking too much and making a scene. . . . In a public place, too. . . . What will Mr. Carlton think of you?"

"If he remembers all I told him about himself he'll have enough to think of," the girl blazed back. "You know what I have told you—and still Mister Carlton stands as high in your sight as ever. I am the one to blame. Very well. I've tried your choice, and I've tried my own. Now I am in a position to judge. There will be nothing to talk about in the morning. Mention Carlton's name to me again and I will give the whole incident to the papers. With photographs. And names. Fancy the feature heading, 'Society girl, intoxicated, kicks escort out of taxi.' Good-night."

But other matters were to demand the attention of mother and daughter in the morning. While the scene was occurring in Mrs. Hardy's bedroom, her husband, clad in white, toiled in the operating-room to save the life of a fellow-being. It was an emergency operation, performed by artificial light, and without adequate assistance. There was a slip of an instrument, but the surgeon toiled on; he could not, at that juncture, pause; the life of the patient was at stake. When the operation was finished he found his injury deeper than he supposed, and Irene was summoned from her heavy sleep that morning to attend his bedside. He talked to her as a philosopher; said his life's work was done, and how as just as glad to go in the harness; the estate should yield something, and there was his life insurance—a third would be for her. And when Mrs. Hardy was not at his side he found opportunity to whisper, "And if you really love that boy out West, marry him."

The sudden bereavement wrought a reconciliation between Mrs. Hardy and her daughter. Mrs. Hardy took her loss very much to heart. While Irene grieved for her father, Mrs. Hardy grieved for herself. It was awful to be left alone like this. There was something in her demeanor that suggested that Andrew had been rather unkind in departing as he did. And when the lawyers found that instead of a hundred thousand dollars the estate would yield a bare third of that sum she spoke openly of her husband's improvidence. He had enjoyed a handsome income, upon which his family had lived in luxury. That it was unequal to the strain of providing for them in that fashion and at the same time accumulating a reserve for such an eventuality as had occurred was a matter which his wife could scarcely overlook.

About this time it came to the notice of Mrs. Hardy that when the late Mr. Deware had departed this life Mrs. Deware, with her two daughters, had gone in a trip to England to duil the poignancy of their bereavement. The Dewares moved in the best circles. Mr. Deware having amassed a considerable fortune in the brewing business. It was obvious that whatever Mrs. Deware might do under such circumstances would be correct. Upon arrival at this conclusion Mrs. Hardy lost no time in buying two tickets for London.

(To be continued.)



Woman's Interests

Tested Recipes.

Grape Conserve.—Half peck grapes, two oranges (juice), two lemons, one cup chopped nut meats, sugar equal quantities as you have mixture. Wash fruit, remove grapes from stems. Remove skins from pulp. Cook pulp until soft. Strain to remove seeds. Place the strained pulp and skins in the preserving kettle. Add orange and lemon juice.

Mixed Pickle.—Two cups of string beans, two cups of wax beans, one quart cucumbers, one quart onions, one tablespoon stick cinnamon, one tablespoon whole cloves, half tablespoon of allspice, half tablespoon mace, half teaspoon celery seed, one and one-half quarts vinegar, two cups of sugar, one tablespoon mustard seed. Cook the vinegar with the spices and the sugar, then remove the spices. Cook vegetables in vinegar three minutes. Pack in sterilized jars and seal.

Pickled Plums.—For sweet pickled plums wipe five pounds of plums with a damp cloth and prick each with a needle five times. Put two and a half pounds of sugar into a saucepan, pour over one quart of mild vinegar and add a spice bag containing one ounce each of whole cloves, allspice and mace and two ounces of broken stick cinnamon. Cook the spiced vinegar for seven minutes; after it begins to boil pour over the plums and let stand overnight. In the morning drain, cook the syrup for another ten minutes and again pour over the plums. Let stand for ten hours, reheat fruit and syrup to the boiling point, and after removing the spice bag store for canned fruit.

Plum Batter Pudding.—Make a batter from two lightly beaten eggs, ten tablespoons of flour, sifted twice, a pinch of salt, half a teaspoonful of baking powder and a pint of milk. Beat with an egg beater until full of bubbles. Remove the stones from a quart of ripe plums, cut in quarters, sprinkle well with sugar (about half a cup), place in a buttered baking dish and pour the batter over them.

Bake in a hot oven for forty minutes. Sprinkle the top with powdered sugar and serve hot with the following sauce: Cream four tablespoonfuls of butter with three-quarters of a cupful of powdered sugar and stir in the beaten yolk of one egg. Flavor with half a teaspoonful of vanilla extract.

Make Soap From Meat Scraps.

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fire under it. Into the water empty the contents of two cans of good lye, one-quarter pound of borax and two pounds of rosin. The rosin may be left out, but the soap will not harden as quickly. Let this mixture get hot and then add nine pounds of fat, rinds and cracklings, and cook until like molasses, stirring constantly. The lye will eat the fat, rinds and all. Try some of the mixture in a saucer. If, when cool, there is no lye in the bottom, it is done. It can be left in the kettle and cut out in chunks when cool enough, which will be about one hour, if the weather is cold, or it may be poured into pans to cool.

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Surprised.

An Englishman, who knew no language but his own, had lost his way in Rome. In his perplexity it occurred to write the name of his hotel in large letters on his card, and hand it to the first benign-looking individual he met.

The Italian thus accosted turned, and, with the charming manner of his race, accompanied the perturbed Englishman for about twenty minutes in solemn silence, until they reached the hotel designated.

In a transport of joy at finding himself once more on known ground the tourist poured out voluble thanks in the only language at his command.

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Practical Paragraphs.

Emergency starting.—When the electric starting system refuses to start and the crank has been left in the gear, the motorist still has methods of getting the car going. The best way, perhaps, is to jack up one of the rear wheels and turn it by hand with clutch engaged and high gear shifted in. The spark should be retarded and only a small throttle opening allowed. Before removing the jack the gears should be shifted to neutral again.

To hold up timer wires.—It is advisable to hold up the timer wires on the Ford engine, to keep them from becoming drenched with oil and also to prevent their rubbing through by swinging loose. Take two pieces of tin, about six inches long and drill a hole in the end of each. Catch them under two of the manifold studs. Now loop the lower ends around the wires and there will be no further trouble.

Wheel bearings.—Every time a wheel is removed the bearing cup is removed with it, and consequently the bearings must be adjusted properly when the wheel is replaced. The best method of doing this is to turn the bearing up tight and then revolve the wheel a few times by hand, which overcomes any tendency to backlash.

Don'ts for Truck Drivers.

To insure better care of its motor-trucks by their drivers, one company operating a fleet of trucks keeps the following list of don'ts posted in a conspicuous place on its loading platform:

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Don't neglect a loose part, even though it seems to operate more freely that way.

Don't forget to watch the other fellow ahead; a slow stop on your part nearly always costs you a punctured radiator.

Use your brakes when getting "spotted"; platforms were built to lead from, not for bumping posts.

Don't drive too close to the curb; edge-trimming is a fine institution for pie crusts, but too expensive for truck tires.

The steering wheel is vastly important, but it is well also to give the grease cups an occasional turn.

Don't slide the rear wheels when stopping; rubber pavement polishers are too much of a luxury.

Tell-Tale Thumbs.

How large is your thumb? If it is big, you possess a sign of intellectual strength, good judgment and a firm character. But if your thumb is small, it indicates that you are one of those people who act first and think afterwards, and who are ruled by the heart and not the head.

The thumb is the most important part of the hand. Without it the hand is almost useless. Consequently, it is not surprising that occultists attach such value to it. The ruling impulses of man, judgment and passion, are to be found in it.

Successful men of business, scientists, tool-users, and so on have large thumbs, while poets and singers have small ones.

In old days the thumb was recognized as an important member, and it has always had a special significance. In the Roman duels upturned thumbs were a sign that the vanquished gladiator was to live, while if they were turned down the beaten man was killed.

Knows Their Haunts.

One day while a farmer and his men were digging potatoes, a tramp came along and stopped to watch the workers. The boss, being short of help, asked the vagrant if he wanted a job. The man of leisure replied, "Sure! What do I have to do?"

"Dig Potatoes."

The tramp started to walk away, and with a look of disgust replied, "Let the man who planted them dig them. He knows where to put them."

At a point 284 miles north of Seward, Alaska, is a railway bridge farther north than any other in America.

Maritime Iron and Steel Industry

The iron ore, coal, and fluxing materials which are found in abundance in the Maritime Provinces of Canada have given rise to the iron and steel industry of that area, which has developed to be the greatest of the Maritime's industrial activities. The growth of the industry has been gradual but steady, and its history over the past hundred years has been one of progress towards giving the area a reputation in this regard. The annual production of this industry is about \$35,000,000 per year.

Nova Scotia has numerous deposits of iron ore of limited extent, some of which are of considerable value, but profitable only as they complement other sources of ore supply. In other necessary materials Nova Scotia is likewise well favored, there being plenty of limestone for flux in various parts of the province and several important coalfields. In New Brunswick several deposits of iron ore have been discovered, but the majority are as yet of little economic importance. As this province has not the coal resources of her sister provinces, the iron and steel industry is not so important as in Nova Scotia.

The Maritime steel industry had its small origin at the hands of English capitalists in 1825 when ore in Annapolis county was developed. Deposits at Stellarton, Woodstock and other places were subsequently developed by enterprising concerns, the industry on a whole passing through many vicissitudes and tribulations. The real history of the gigantic modern industry which exists to-day dates from 1909, when the Dominion Steel Corporation was formed by an amalgamation of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company and the Dominion Coal Company.

The greatest development in the Nova Scotia steel and iron industry was the formation in 1920 of the British Empire Steel Corporation with an authorized capital of \$500,000,000. This was a merger of the Dominion Steel Corporation, the Nova Scotia Steel

Making Black Men White.

A young Brazilian scientist, Octavio Felix Pedros, has invented a device whereby Negroes can be changed into white men without difficulty.

Up to the present color transformations have been conducted with rats, and they have been successful.

A blood irrigation device is the means. This is a pump whereby the blood is drawn from one arm or leg into a series of rubber coils, where it can be treated by heat or inoculation with serum, and returned to the body through the other arm or leg.

About a month is required to change a black skin into a white one, the change being accomplished by the introduction of white corpuscles and the elimination of black corpuscles in the blood.

In the experiment on rats a change of color occurred at the end of fifteen days.

From the Dead.

Mike was working diligently on his potato patch when he saw the postman coming up the road, bearing for him a black-edged envelope.

Mike became uneasy, and showed it. "Hope it's not bad news," said the postman.

"It is that," said Mike, glancing at the address. "It's upset I am intirely. My brother Mike's dead. I can tell by his handwriting!"

Quite True.

Teacher—"Tommy, why do you spell bank with a large B?"

Tommy—"Cause pa said that a bank was no good unless it had a large capital."

—and the worst is yet to come



Hints for the Sleepless.

There are almost as many remedies for sleeplessness as there are for seasickness. In either case, the difficulty for the sufferer is always to hit on the right one. What cures one fails to alleviate the other.

Common causes are over-fatigue, unsuitable food, over-smoking, anxiety, external noise, "stiffness" of the bedroom, extremes of heat and cold, neuritis, and so on. Some of these causes are avoidable, and can be avoided. Painful conditions like neuritis can be specially treated, when sleep should follow the removal of pain.

Even at this season cold feet are a common cause of wakefulness; this calls for warm socks, and even for a hot-water bottle in bad cases. Any kind of mental exertion involving close concentration, such as a study of a difficult problem, argumentation, laborious creative work, and heavy brain work of all kinds, last thing at night should be avoided by all who have difficulty in going to sleep soon after getting into bed.

But there are many people in whose case it is impossible to find any very obvious reason for their bouts of sleeplessness. A doctor may, of course, be able to find some physical abnormality which would account for the insomnia, when treatment would be directed towards the cure of that particular aberration from health.

Nevertheless there remain large numbers of restless folk, the cause of whose involuntary nocturnal vigils remains obscure and indefinite.

When everything else has failed, a simple cupful of something hot in the very early hours of the morning will often soothe the weary mortal into slumber. It is only necessary to see that the hot drink is in a thermos by the bedside, so that the wakeful one can help himself or herself when the limit in waiting for sleep is reached.

The drink may be either hot milk or water, meat extract, beef tea, or, of all things, ordinary tea. Tea, which in theory ought to increase wakefulness, has practically the opposite effect in many cases. It must, of course be made in the ordinary way in a teapot, and when passed into the thermos care should be taken to exclude all tea leaves. Add milk and sugar, if desired, when serving. A breakfast-cupful in the small hours often turns the scale in favor of prolonged slumber.

Statues on Spoons.

The most ancient piece of hall-marked British plate in existence is the spoon.

In the reign of Edward IV. the spoon is mentioned in English literature. Apostle spoons came into fashion during Edward V's time, and became very fashionable as christening presents.

Until the time of the Commonwealth it became the custom for well-to-do godfathers and godmothers to give a child a complete set of these spoons, or less, according to their means. With the poorer classes the child very often got only one silver spoon, with a figure of his patron saint or that of the giver.

This custom is mentioned in the plays of Beaumont and Fletcher and also in Ben Jonson's works. There are only two complete sets of thirteen apostle spoons in existence now. One is owned by the Goldsmiths' Company, London, and the other is in the possession of Corpus Christi College, Cambridge.

In both these sets Our Lord is represented, but not Judas Iscariot; his place is taken in one set by Paul and in the other by Matthew.

The oldest hall-marked apostle spoon that is known to be in existence was made in 1493.

It does not seem to be the fashion to present them any more at christenings. The custom dwindled at the time of the Puritans, who were great image-breakers.

A Long Job.

Patrick did not usually wait long before he attacked his food. But one day his mother noticed that he was sitting resignedly before his plate of beef.

"Come along, dear," she said. "Aren't you hungry?"

"Yes, mummy, very."

"Then why don't you start?"

"Oh," said little Pat. "I'm just waiting for the mustard to cool."

The New Hired Man.

"How is your new man a-gettin' on?"

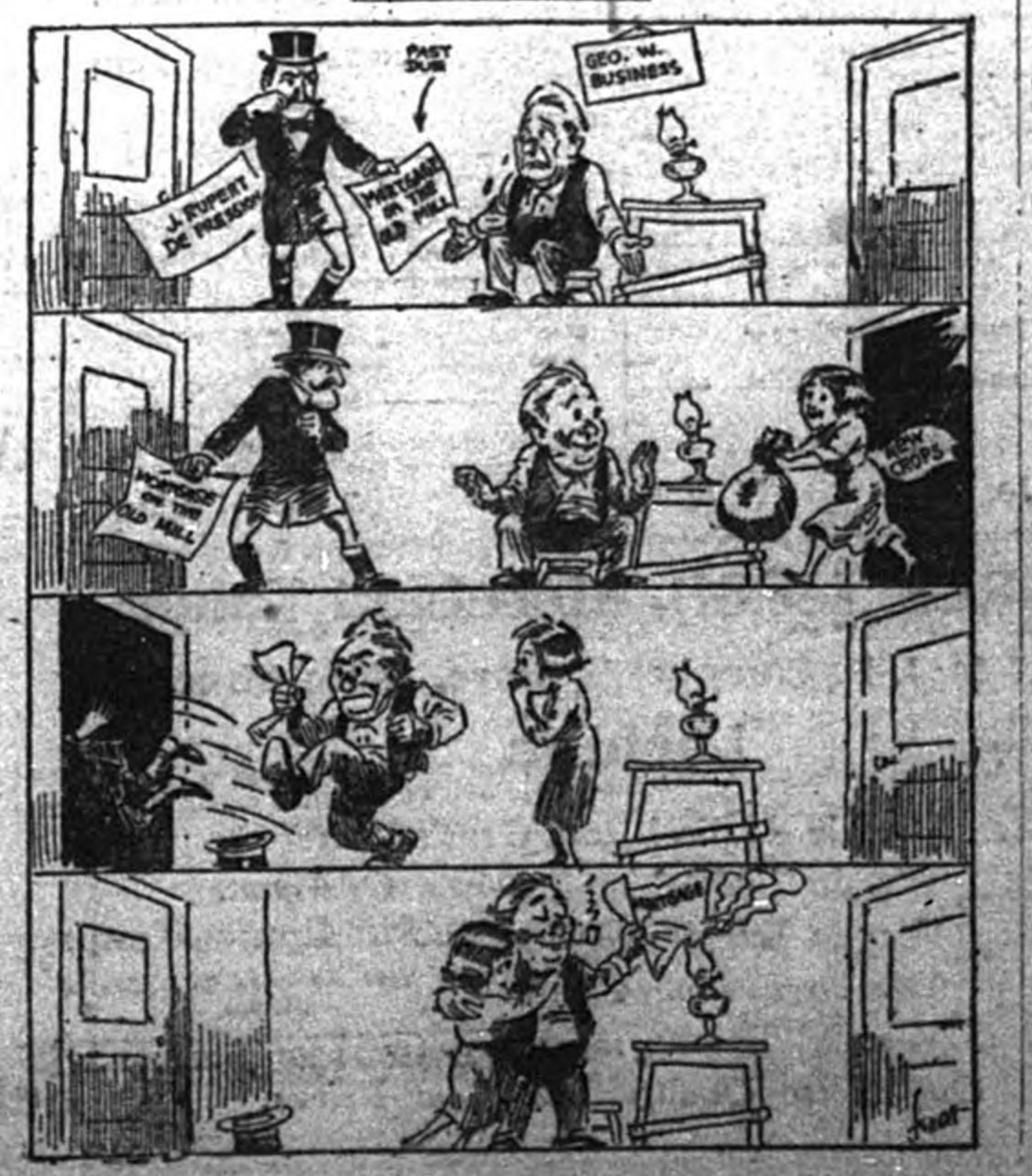
"Well," said the farmer, "he broke two handles yesterday!"

"Workin' so hard?"

"No, leanin' on 'em!"

Coffins are spoken of but once in the Bible.

JUST AS THE VILLAIN WAS ABOUT TO FORECLOSE



The Balloon Man.

The children, whose eyes are clear, called him the old balloon man. On their way to school there was another man who looked much like him except that his eyes were bright and twinkling; they never called him old.

The children were right of course. The balloon man was old—old because on his long journey through the years he had lost the beautiful comrades of youth—love, hope and ambition. The persons who for a little while had taught him love had become a dim memory; there never had been anyone except her. For a while he had tried to do things for her sake; then illness had come. For years he had sold balloons; his only forward-looking thought was to buy an occasional hot dinner; his only emotion was bitterness toward the younger men who sold balloons and toward the other old man whom the children never called old. "Older'n me, he is," he would mutter to himself. "Five years older'n me. And acting like he was forty!"

And then one day Marjorie Allen dragged her adored visiting cousin to buy of the old man. "I like him," Marjorie declared.

"Then we surely must buy of him," her cousin Allie replied. "We'll buy a balloon made of a little piece of the sky."

Marjorie gave an ecstatic skip; she knew that her cousin would understand.

Cousin Allie, looking into the tired old face with the dreary eyes, felt a sudden lump in her throat. Gay dancing color in his hands; little dancing children all round him—and a face like that! "They are such beautiful things," she said, watching while he detached a blue balloon from his bunch. "I never have outgrown my love for them."

"They're right pretty," he answered dully.

"Have the children a favorite color?"

He shook his head. "I dunno. I reckon it don't make much difference."

Cousin Allie tied the string of the blue balloon carefully round one of the buttons of Marjorie's coat; but she was not thinking of Marjorie. "It is such a beautiful thing to be doing," she said to the old man softly, "making little children happy with clean and beautiful things, even making a street corner happy! You must love doing it. So many people haven't time to make children happy, and so many others do the wrong things."

The old man stared at her in dull astonishment. "I dunno," he muttered.

"Haven't you ever thought of it? It's such a happy way to think of it! It's wonderful to be a friend to children. They'd miss you, the whole street would miss you, if you weren't here."

The old man looked after her and then looked at the dime that was lying in his knotted hand. Putting it into his pocket, he slouched back into his old attitude; but there was something different in the dim eyes, a shade less of hopelessness and indifference.

"It's wonderful to be a friend to children. The whole street would miss you—"

Guns Made of Clay.

Some time in the next fifty years a great change is to take place in the manufacture of guns, ships, buildings, and so on, according to the Head Research Engineer of the greatest steel firm in the world, the Carnegie Steel Company of America.

He says that common clay will be used to make all those things which are made of steel to-day.

Clay contains iron, aluminum, and a substance known as "silicon"; and it can be made as hard and as useful as steel, when dealt with in the right way, which is by using oxygen. The price of this gas makes the process impossible for the present.

When clay is used, ten-inch guns will be lifted by four or five men, as they will weigh no more than a large log of wood; and buildings will be made with girders that are no heavier than bamboo poles. Clay has another advantage over steel—it does not rust.

Spared His Feelings.

A little girl has been deeply concerned about the possibility of ascertaining the exact shape of the earth by means of synchronized wireless messages. A few random experiments seem to show that the term "globe" is not quite a happy one, and that Mother Earth may indeed be pear-shaped. Mary has been duly impressed.

"Mother," she exclaimed, on coming home from school, "our teacher said today that the earth is round."

"Well?" ventured her mother, interrogatively.

"I didn't tell him he was wrong," said Mary, loftily.

Enforcing Discipline.

While a detachment of American negroes were fixing through a small French town, a chicken, unaware of the appetites of American dandies, crossed the road in front of them. With much zeal a soldier broke from the ranks and set out in pursuit.

"Halt!" belated the officer in charge. Both fowl and negro only accelerated their paces.

"Halt! Halt!" repeated the officer.

The dusky doughboy made one plunge and, grasping the chicken by the neck, stuffed it, struggling, inside his shirt.

"There!" he panted. "Ah! I learn you to halt when de captain says halt, yo' disobedient bird."

SUNKEN TREASURES FRINGE ALL BRITAIN

SEVEN MILLION TONS OF SHIPPING LOST.

Fishermen's Trawlers Suffered Most and Many Have Been Raised.

The romance of treasure seeking, whether it be on coral islands, in the Rockies or in the awkward spots chosen by the ragged heroes of Mark Twain, always seems to stimulate that streak of adventure with which most men are blessed.

All around the British Isles at the present moment, and for the last few years, the seas have been dotted with sunken treasure about which it is almost impossible to think without weaving mentally some wild and thrilling adventure. The entire idea and scene of men diving down to the uttermost depths of the sea, through the greeny seaweed and hordes of swiftly gliding fishes, to the shiny rocks at the bottom, arises vividly before the mind. The bare thought of exploring the intricacies of a dented, broken or embedded ship under the water has stirred even hard headed business men since the termination of the war to place the adventure on a business basis and make searching the depths of the sea a profitable business. They have tried to steal the glamour from wild and intimate contact with nature and cloak it around their commerce.

Result of German Destruction.

The coasts of the British Isles are fringed and embroidered with nearly seven million tons of British ships sunk by the Germans during the war. That means to say that there are more than 2,000 wrecked ships lying around the coasts—more than 2,000 treasure hunts, with the scenes in every case varying. Some are lying in the rocks off the Shetland Islands, where almost Arctic conditions prevail; others are in shallow water off the gorgeous picturesque Atlantic seaboard of Ireland.

There is perhaps no nation in the world which can be so easily thrilled by the thought of delving into the fascinating sea, and the tremendous length of their seaboard gives a great proportion of Englishmen more intimacy with the sea than is the case in most other countries.

Needless to say, a great number of the ships which at the conclusion of the war were lying at the bottom of the various big ports and harbors have been raised. Dozens of trawlers and small tramp steamers in quite shallow water, around the coast have been dived down to and examined. The majority of them were carrying metals and other things of war utility. Hundreds of tons of various war materials have been rescued from the bottom and long since been turned into implements of peace. Many an automobile now rolling through the streets of London is built of steel which in its earlier stage of development as pig iron lay at the bottom of one or other of the seas, and has been rescued after the manner of stories which have set many an English boy and young man dreaming of treasures to hunt down anywhere in the world. Of treasure trove!

Much Loot Washed Up.

The fisher folk around Britain, a hardy body of people to whom the water, on which they gaze every morning and by which they are roared to sleep every night, means life. To judge by their actions and record alone, they see absolutely no terror in the sea—it's an old friend of theirs. For the last few years these people have had every possible incentive to explore the floor of the ocean. Day after day all sorts of stuff is washed up to them from somewhere in the water. Some of the treasure that has been washed up on the coasts of the British Isles is amazingly interesting. It comes from all sorts of countries.

Not so long ago a bell buoy, belonging to the Canadian Government was washed up on the shore of the west coast of Ireland. The Canadian Government made a present of it to the town body who found it.

But things of great value have been washed ashore from the sea of recent years, since the bottom of the sea has been so full of really valuable stuff. Again and again these tough, tawny skinned, hard fisted, slow moving sailors have risked their lives and boats with a carelessness bred of custom, searching the great craggy fringes of their island country for whatever booty or loot its merciless roughness has exacted from the sea. Scores of almost unbelievable stories are told of the adventures, out of all accord with the twentieth century generally, which these real "sailors" have gone through carrying out at sea the work of the vulture. But others, less romantic folk, have also attacked the sea thus.

Hope for Job.

The Sunday-school lesson was on Job. The superintendent was endeavoring to picture the painful existence of Job to his youthful audience. To this end he was dwelling at length upon poor Job's sufferings and the futility of medical treatment.

A small boy who had been absorbed in the tale held up his hand.

"What is it, Willie?" asked the superintendent.

"Have they tried Dr. Smith?" asked Willie, naming the family physician.

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