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LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Waldron is spending a few weeks in Montreal.

Mrs. Hugh Fraser Sr., is spending this week in Montreal.

Mr. Howard Nicoll, of Buckingham, was a week-end visitor in town.

The Misses Olive and Grace Seale spent the week-end at Morin Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. McKee, of Ottawa, were week-end guests of Mr. Houston.

Miss Irene Scott, of Cowansville, was the week-end guest of her parents.

Miss Lily Young left this week for Campbell's Bay, owing to her mother's illness.

Mr. C. Andrews, of Lakeside, spent the week-end visiting friends in Montreal.

Mr. Robt. Dobbie, of Harrington, is the guest of his brother Mr. Peter Dobbie.

Mr. Percy Sanford, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mrs. A. McFaul.

Miss Mary Hope and Mr. Jno. Hope Jr., were week-end visitors of their parents.

Mrs. Jas. McKimmie is spending a few days visiting friends in Harrington.

Mrs. Douglas Picken, of Beech Ridge, spent a few days in Montreal this week.

Mrs. P. Dobbie spent the week-end in Avoca, the guest of her mother Mrs. Galliard.

Miss Allison Cottingham, of Montreal, was the guest of her mother for the week-end.

Mrs. Jas. Armstrong, of Montreal, is spending this week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. Joss.

Mrs. Geo. Hay left on Tuesday for Peterboro, Ont., to visit her daughter Mrs. J. McKenzie.

Miss Ruby Scott who has been spending a holiday with her parents leaves this week for Oxbow, Sask.

Miss Edith Scott, Mr. Fetherstonhaugh and Mr. and Mrs. John Mackie of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. Mackie.

Miss Florence McGillivray, of Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McFaul, of Chute-au-Blondeau, were week-end visitors in town.

Miss E. Walker, Miss Grace McKiddie, of Brownsburg, and Mrs. Rodgers, of Montreal, were guests of Mrs. Walker for the week-end.

Mrs. J. H. McFaul and Mrs. Ira McFaul were in Cascades this week, attending the funeral of the late Mrs. John Burnett which took place on Thursday.

The Canadian Packing Company Hockey Team of Montreal are booked here for Saturday Night's Match. They are a team of merit and enthusiasts may be assured of a good game.

Mr. H. M. Gall was called to New Liskeard, Ont., this week, owing to the illness of his brother Dr. Lockhart Gall, who his many friends will be pleased to hear is progressing favorably.

On account of so much sickness, Miss Roach, Provincial Superintendent of the Woman's Institute, and Miss McCurt, Demonstrator in Household Science, will not visit the Institute in this county until further notice.

The many friends of Mr. Jno. Hay will be pleased to know that he is recovering from his recent illness, and it is expected that he will be around and able to attend to his Parliamentary duties in the course of a week or ten days.

Deacons have something of Special Interest this week. Just read their offer for the Electrical Washers and then talk over the matter, and come to the quick decision that it pays in many ways to instal one of these machines.

Mrs. P. Bigras, Mrs. D. Touchette, Mrs. I. Laurin and Miss Laura Laurin also Messrs. George Bigras and Ernest Laurin, of East Settlement, spent the latter part of the week attending the Annual Meeting of the Pointe-aux-Trembles College, Montreal.

Rev. A. O. Lackey and Mrs. Lackey arrived from Scotland, on the S. S. Metagama, this week and are now the guests of Rev. J. Lackey at the Rectory. His many friends will be pleased to welcome him home after the hardships endured during his stay in Baffin Land, and bespeak a warm welcome for his young bride.

A very enjoyable home party was held at Mr. J. T. Ayers Camp, Carling Lake for the week-end. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Morton, the Misses Irene and Gertrude Riddell, of Montreal, the Misses Ella and Alice Riddell, Miss Benoit McQuat and Messrs. R. Fraser, E. Jones, J. Walker, A. Hills, and R. A. Gies of Lachute.

Mrs. Fred Roberts spent Tuesday in Montreal.

Robins are about and reported quite numerous. Though March has rung in with fair weather she may possibly go out with the proverbial roughness, but we know that the glorious spring is coming and Mr. Deacon is ready to supply the sap cans with which to furnish the syrup.

Lachute Won.

On Saturday last Lachute Hockey Club defeated "All Montreal's" in a score of 5 to 7. The score would have been much larger but owing to the good goal tending of the visiting team, James McGibbon scoring five goals for the home team. The game although was both clean and fast. Mr. W. MacKimmie acting as referee.

Old Fashioned Tea.

The Presbyterians were most fortunate in the choice of the day for their Annual Tea which as usual proved a huge success. We have been treated to some pretty cold weather of late, but Tuesday evening was just ideal and many from a distance took advantage of the occasion provided by the Old-fashioned Tea-Meeting held in the basement of the Presbyterian Church. The tables were laden with everything that heart could wish and all did full justice to the appetizing spread, after which adjournment was made upstairs where a very interesting programme was thoroughly enjoyed. Short and pleasing addresses were given by Rev. Dr. Hanson, of Erskine Church, Montreal, and Rev. S. T. Martin, of Melville Church, Westmount, and Rev. J. A. Mowatt of Honan China, also Mr. Robt. Barron. Interspersed with musical selections from the choir and solos by Miss Roberts and Mr. Butler, of Brownsburg, and Mr. W. Houston, Lachute.

The following evening, (Wednesday) a tea was given for the younger folk and the final proceeds amounted to about \$375.

MORIN HEIGHTS

Mr. R. McDonald has been confined to the house with illness for a few days.

Mrs. M. and Mrs. C. Arbon, of Lachute, were week-end guests with Mr. Robert Kennedy.

Mrs. Chester Morrow and son-born Feb. 22nd, are stopping with Mrs. T. Seale, Morin Heights.

Mrs. Ahle, of Montreal, is spending a few weeks with her niece Mrs. J. E. Syvret. Her husband spent last week-end here.

A number of the little children connected with Trinity Church S. S. with friends met at the vicarage Friday afternoon to organize a band of little helpers.

Mrs. H. E. Webster who has been renewing acquaintances, returned to Montreal, Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. I. H. Lackey and Miss Jekill delegates to meeting of Diocesan W.A.

Last Friday George Senogre, aged six years, coasting with his sled in one of the lanes, came in contact with a horse and cutter, resulting in a cut in his head, requiring a number of stitches by the M. D. He is able to be out again.

A splendid concert under the auspices of the Methodist Church was given in Davis' Hall, Saturday evening, by a troupe of entertainers from Lachute. There was a large and appreciative audience. The proceeds were \$50, and they have promised to come again.

GRENVILLE

Mr. Dan Morrow, of Montreal, spent Sunday with his mother here.

Mr. Lachlan Cameron has recovered from pneumonia, we are very glad to hear.

The Grenville Bay Euchre Club was entertained last week by Mrs. Fred Morrow.

Miss Isabel Carson is visiting her friend Miss Laura Fitzgerald of Carleton for a few days.

The next meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid will be held at the residence of Mrs. W. Davidson.

Miss Jessie White has returned home from Montreal, after a 6 weeks visit with her aunt Mrs. P. Bourke.

Mr. Dumais, C.P.R. Station Agent has his brother from the West visiting him. They have not met for 4 years.

Mrs. Hugh Graham and daughter Olive, also Manly Silverson, of Huberdeau, spent four days recently with Mrs. Harold Gill.

Mrs. Brechin, of Grenville Bay, has just received the sad news of the death of her brother, Mr. W. Moncrieff, of Winiger, Wisconsin.

Mr. William Ogilvie has left for his home in Brandon, Man., after spending the winter with his brother Mr. James Ogilvie and other friends here.

The many friends of Mr. Willie McGillivray are glad to hear that he has recovered from a severe attack of pneumonia, also his daughter Olive who had tonsillitis.

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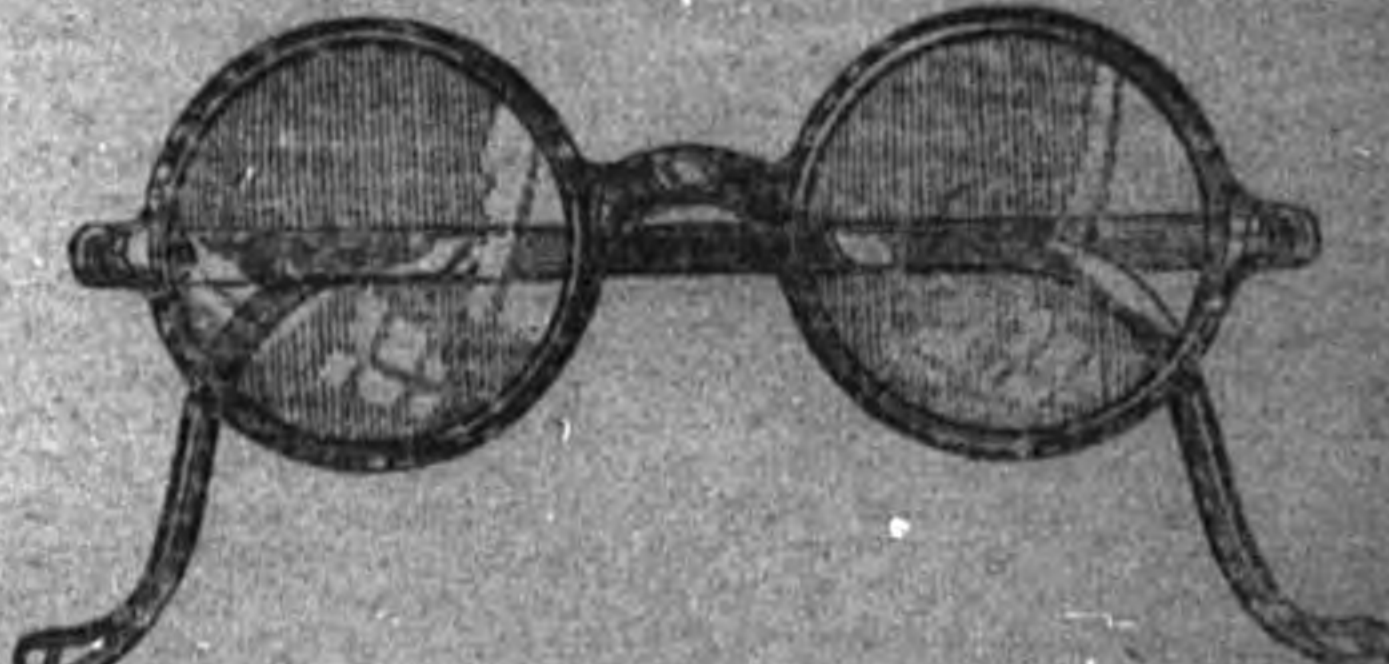
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Grade III.
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Grade IV, Sr.
Spelling.

Florence Moncrieff 96, E. Morrow 96, Violet Moncrieff 70.

Grade IV, Jr.
Margaret Canning 88.

GRADE III.
Aivy Moncrieff 84, Franklin Keatley 76, Nora Gleason 76, A. Graham 72, Wesley Morrow 64.

GRADE II.
Bertha Love 96, Lester Gleason 88, Edward Moncrieff 84.

GRADE I.
Elsie Morrow 92.

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BIRTHS.

McKENZIE.—At Peterboro, Ont., on Tuesday, Feb. 27th, to Rev. J. A. and Mrs. McKenzie, a daughter.

LAFLEUR.—At Lachute, on Tuesday Feb. 27th, to Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lafleur, a son.

DEATHS

BOND.—At Albuquerque, New Mexico, on Feb. 19th, 1923, Eliza MacVicar, beloved wife of Geo. W. Bond, aged 83 years.

BONTER.—At El Centro, California, on Feb. 23rd, 1923, of influenza and double pneumonia, Grace Agnes Adams, wife of John S. Bonter, and only sister of Mrs. John McQuat, Brownsburg, Que.

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CURLING.

Lachute Curling Club still continues to be the center of attractions. When you see a fellow hurrying down the street, don't ask where he is going. You'll get the same answer from them all. "The Club."

On Thursday of last week Mr. W. A. Houston defeated Mr. H. M. Gall's rink, skipped by T. McRobbie, in the semi-finals for the Mackie Cups, and on Friday defeated J. Falconer's rink in the finals for the same Trophy.

Saturday Feb. 24th four rinks from Outremont visited Lachute. Though Lachute was down on the Total score, we can stick out our chests and say that we won three of the four games played.

The names of the players and their score was as follows:

Outremont. Lachute.

D. Demster H. P. Johnson

J. A. D. Annet R. Vickery

W. Smart G. Valois

R. F. Dettmers J. Yelland

Skip—10. Skip—11.

Col. T. Pugh W. McArthur

Dr. Stackhouse A. A. McQuat

W. A. Hastie W. J. Deacon

D. A. McGillivray F. A. Brennan

Skip—6. Skip—9.

D. Allan Dr. Geo. Clunie

W. A. Hastie A. Larocque

L. Tarlton J. P. MacKimmie

Col. Pugh Geo. Brennan

Skip—15. Skip—2.

J. Lockwood G. Desjardins

C. H. Bowden Wm. Scott

J. Yelland R. McArthur

W. J. Braney R. Hamilton

Skip—7. Skip—9.

Monday evening Feb. 26th was taken up with Points play. Mr. J. A. Rice being high man with a score of 35. Points will again be played on Friday evening of this week.

On Wednesday evening a game for an Oyster Supper was played between rinks skipped by A. Larocque and J. Millar. The oysters were fine but the curling certainly was not up to Governor General's Standard.

Ladies' Curling.

Two rinks went to Hawkesbury on Wednesday of last week, to play a friendly game and Hawkesbury won out. The following day Thursday a friendly game was played with Rockland when Lachute teams were victorious. At both places the ladies were royally entertained and report a grand time.

On Friday Montreal West came to town and were beaten by Lachute. The Rockland ladies will play in Lachute for the return match today, (Thursday.)

CHURCH NOTES.

The Methodist Church services for Sunday next March 4th, will be conducted as follows by the Pastor, Lachute 10.30, East Settlement at 3 and Brownsburg at 7. Rev. Thos. Marshall will preach at Lachute at 7 p.m.

Baptist Services Sunday March 4th.—Dalesville 11 a.m., Brownsburg at 3.00 p.m. and Lachute at 7 p.m. A special business meeting will be held in Brownsburg at 3.30, which all members of Dalesville church are urged to attend.

Presbyterian Church Services will be held next Sunday, March 4th, as follows:—Minister Rev. MacKinnon will preach in Lachute at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., and in Brownsburg at 3 p.m. Rev. J. R. McLeod, D.D., will preach in Upper Lachute at 11 a.m.

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Sheep Raiser, Victoria Co.—Now that wool is sold on its grade, I should like to learn what is the best kind of rack for feeding sheep in order to keep the chaff from getting into the wool.

Answer:—There are three forms of rack that will prevent sheep from getting chaff into the wool of their necks while feeding, all of which should be straight up and down instead of being wider at the top. A rack with bars about three to four inches apart will prevent the chaff getting on their heads, but it has the disadvantage of waste, inasmuch as when the sheep are drawing out the hay they are apt to step back and leaves and other fine portions fall to the floor to be tramped on. The second kind of rack would have a solid front with an opening of about four or five inches at the bottom from which the feed would be drawn. This also may cause waste, for the same reason as the former. The third form of rack provides upright bars sufficiently far apart to allow the sheep to put in their heads. A rack of this description should be low enough that the sheep will always eat from the top of the pile. They like to turn over and select out the portions they prefer. By standing there comfortably while feeding no food is lost on the floor. A precaution that should be observed whatever kind of rack is used is to have the sheep excluded from the pen or yard while the fodder is being put in. Another safeguard is to give only as much hay as satisfies the appetite in an hour's feeding, and to clean out the rack each time before a new supply is added.

E. B. B.—I have been trying for years to file in methodical order the publications of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, but have found it difficult on account of so many series. I understand a new system has been put into effect. Would you be good enough to explain it?

Answer:—Up to the end of 1921 the publications of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa were classified and numbered by the individual Branches of the Experimental Farms, Live Stock, Dairy and Cold Storage, Fruit, Health of Animals, Entomological, Seed, and Publications. Most of these Branches issued bulletins, circulars, pamphlets, and so on, extending up to more than thirty series. The new system, which has been in operation for a year, consists of a departmental consolidation divided into four series of Circulars, Pamphlets, Bulletins, and Act, Orders and Regulations. Circulars consist of four-page leaflets. Pamphlets include larger publications, but without a cover. Bulletins are still larger and more permanent publications, bound in cover paper. To each Branch has been allotted a special color of cover paper. The Acts, Orders, and Regulations include the acts administered by the Department, the regulations under them, and the more important ministerial orders. These four series are each numbered from one upwards.

Sheep Notes.

The most common cause of lowered value in domestic wool is the presence of foreign vegetable matter. Such wool is graded "burry and seedy," but as a matter of fact neither burr nor seeds are the commonest offenders, but rather chaff. Very considerable loss has been borne by farmers due to the amount of wool lowered to grade by having chaff in it. This costs the manufacturer a considerable amount to get out and some of the particles are impossible to remove. These get into the cloth and as the vegetable matter will not take the dyes used for wool, they remain an unsightly speck in the cloth. So the manufacturer turns the loss back to the grower by lowering the price. A reasonable amount of care will make it possible for a farmer to have a season's clip without any going "burry and seedy."

Sheep should not be allowed to run to a straw stack. This is the commonest way in which wool gets dirty. The sheep burrow into the stack and the straw falls down over their backs and fills the wool with chaff. If clean wool is to be marketed the sheep must be shut away from the stack.

Many farmers feed their sheep by spreading the hay or straw on the packed snow in the yard during winter. This may be a very clean way of feeding if one precaution is taken. That precaution is to shut the sheep away from the feeding yard while the feed is being spread. If that is done and the sheep turned into the yard after the feed is all spread out on the ground they will eat it without getting any into their wool. But if the feed is spread with the sheep crowding around the man who is feeding them it is impossible to avoid getting their fleeces chaffy.

Where the feeding is done in racks, care should be exercised to see that the rack is of such a construction that feed cannot fall on the necks and shoulders. This may be done in either of two ways. First by having the front of the rack straight up and down so that it does not slope over the sheep's backs and having the slats so close together that the sheep can

L. O. N.—I should like to know how co-operative cow testing associations are operated.

Answer:—Co-operative cow testing associations are perhaps most highly developed in the Province of British Columbia, where they have been in continuous operation for six or seven years. These associations each have a membership of 25 or 26 farmers with an aggregate of between 400 to 600 cows. A tester is employed by the association who visits the farm of each member once a month and does the weighing, sampling, and testing of each cow's milk right at the farm. The farmers pay a fee to join the association and also pay a fee for each cow to cover the cost of the tester's salary. Six years' work in the Comox Cow Testing Association on Vancouver Island showed that the average production per cow was increased from 4,950 pounds testing 4.76 per cent. fat in 1915 up to 6,362 pounds testing 5.09 per cent. fat in 1920. This shows an increase in six years of 1,412 pounds of milk, nearly one-half of one per cent. improvement in the quality and 93 pounds of fat per cow.

R. E. F.—The flower pots of my house plants appear to be infested with earthworms. What is the best plan of getting rid of them?

Answer:—Unless the earthworms are very numerous they do no harm, but to some extent are beneficial. By burrowing here and there and by feeding on the soil they have the effect of breaking up the soil and making it more accessible to air, moisture, and facilitate bacterial action so necessary in plant growth. It is only when they become very numerous that they do harm by making the soil lumpy or perhaps by disturbing the roots of the plants by their over activity. A satisfactory treatment is to stand the pots in a pail of water strongly impregnated with lime. The whole pot and the soil should be immersed in the water. The worms will then quickly emerge to the top, leaving the pot quite free. If a later crop comes on a repetition of the lime treatment will effect a cure.

R. E. B.—Years ago we used to grow a very good variety of two-rowed barley called Duckbill. Is this barley still grown and how does it compare with other popular varieties?

Answer:—The Experimental Farms have developed by selection from the old fashioned Duckbill a variety which they named Duckbill Ottawa No. 57. The two-rowed heads are rather broad at the base and taper somewhat to the tip. They are of medium length and bear long awns. It is a good variety for rich soil as it has a strong straw and of fair length. The kernels are rather larger than the average and show a high weight to the measured bushel. This variety ripens later than six-rowed and is therefore useful for mixing with oats for growing a mixed crop. As a cropper it is not as heavy a yielder as the best six-rowed varieties.

only put their noses through. Or second, where it is desired to have more feed within their reach a sloping front may be made but it must be absolutely chaff-tight from the top down to the feeding level within a foot of the floor. Such a front must be made of good matched lumber or double lumber as ordinary boards, even if closely placed at first will shrink, warp or crack so as to let chaff through.

Horse Sense.

Fitting the collar cannot be done successfully from measurements alone; the collar should be tried on. It should be easily on the animal's shoulders and should require no force to push it into place as this would indicate that the collar is too narrow; injury to the neck would no doubt result from the use of such a collar. The collar should not permit of any see-saw motion. The top of the collar should rest lightly on the neck. Between the sides there should be just enough room so the ends of the fingers can be pushed up and down between the neck and the inside of the collar; this space, while all right at the top may not be enough at the bottom of the neck, and vice versa. Take hold of the collar at the top and press it against the side of the neck; with the other hand grasp it firmly by the bottom, moving it from side to side, holding it firmly against the shoulders while moving it. If the movement above the shoulder joints is more than two inches the collar is too big. In some cases it will be two or three times as much. When the horse's head is held naturally there should be enough space between the bottom of the neck and the bottom of the collar so the flat hand can be inserted. The secret in fitting the horse's collar is to prevent the lateral or see-saw motion which produces the sore shoulders. In breaking in the new collar it may be soaked for two or three hours in cold water. When taken off the horse it should be laid on a flat surface or it will warp.—Dr. G. H. Conn.

Ambition without energy is like a Ford without gas.

To Prevent the Growth of Horns.

The easiest and most humane way of removing horns, according to the Superintendent of the Prince Edward Island Experimental Station, is by the use of caustic potash, when the calf is only a few days old. Caustic potash is sold in sticks at drug stores and is about the thickness of a lead pencil. When the hair is turned back, the embryo horn appears as a button-like spot. The action of the caustic potash is to severely burn the part to which it is applied. It is therefore necessary to apply vaseline to the head in a small circle surrounding the button, but not on the button itself. The caustic stick is slightly moistened and rubbed on to the button. It should be applied four or five times, allowing each application to dry before applying the next. It is well to wrap a bit of paper around the stick of potash to prevent burning the hands. The calves should be kept from rain or wet grass for several hours after each application, or the caustic may be washed off and perhaps run down and damage the head. If the job is thoroughly done the horns will make no growth and a really fine "moppy" head will result.

When older animals have had to be treated at the Charlottetown Station, the best plan has been to throw them with a rope by passing three half hitches around the body, that is, around in front of the shoulders, back of the shoulders, and at the flank. It is an easy matter to bring the animal to the ground by drawing tightly backwards on a rope thus applied. The animal is then securely tied and the horns removed with a fine-toothed meat saw, as close to the head as possible.

Observation has shown that less bleeding results when the cut is made close to the head. Cold water immediately applied checks the flow of blood. No other treatment is necessary.

Makes Stables Convenient.

Much time is wasted on many farms by retracing steps. To avoid this, the placing of doors, gates and passageways at convenient places in the barn so that one may pass directly from the finish of one chore to the beginning of another, is of the greatest help. In choring, the best short cut is a long head. No other business offers greater opportunity for concentration on the work in hand, than farming.

On many farms where the stables were erected years ago, little attention was paid to step saving; but with the increased cost of labor this becomes of vital importance, a realignment of stables may be a matter of economy.

If the bins for the storage of grain for feeding are not located in the stables, the granary and cribs should be located on the path to the stables, and a strong cart with high wheels, on which may be loaded several tons of feed, has been found a great help in saving steps.—W. E. Whitney.

Space to a newspaper is as shoes to a shoe dealer; it is the sole stock in trade. One must pay for news space in news values, and for advertising.

Every landowner should adopt for his land a system of farming that is permanent—a system under which the land becomes better rather than poorer.—C. G. Hopkins.

Your 1923 Vegetable Garden

While the Ground is Frozen is the Time to Start Growing Plans.

BY A. B. CUTTING.

To be a success, the farm garden should be planned ahead of time for planting. The work begins with the ordering of seed catalogues, which may be secured from the seed firms as early as January. Varieties should not always be selected just because the picture appeals. There are varieties of every vegetable which are especially suited to certain localities and soils and these varieties have usually proven their worth in somebody's garden. If the garden planner is in doubt, a request for information to the nearest experiment station or agricultural college will be worth the trouble; this is especially important when one wishes to try new varieties. In any case, buy seeds from reliable dealers, select well-known varieties for general crop use and then test the seed before planting. The latter is too seldom done but poor seed means a poor garden and testing may prevent failure.

Although reputable seed houses exercise great care in furnishing seed of best quality, a sprouting test is well worth while, especially in the case of seed that has been on hand in the home since last year. A few weeks before planting time, place blotting paper on an ordinary plate and sprinkle upon it a definite number of seeds, 10 or 20, according to size of the variety to be tested. Place one or two sheets over this, after which, apply water to keep the blotting paper and the seeds nicely moistened. A second, third and fourth plate of seeds may top the first and a pane of glass be laid over the last one to keep its moisture from evaporating. Some seeds require a longer time to sprout than do others, parsnips, for instance, taking sometimes as long as twenty days. Do not permit the seeds to dry out but do not apply too much water. Keep them well dampened and warm. After from four to ten or more days, depending upon the kinds of seeds being tested, count the sprouted ones and determine

the percentage of seeds that have life. From this determination, one can estimate the quantity of that particular kind of seed that should be sown.

If a definite plan of the garden is worked out on paper and followed rigidly, the results in appearance and in relative yields will pay for the time and trouble. A table, paper, ruler and pencils are all the things needed. For an ordinary farm garden it will be necessary to use a scale of ¼-inch to the foot, in order to get the plan on paper of a convenient size. The plan should be made on tough paper or on a piece of cardboard that will stand rough and continued usage. By actual measurement, get the size of the garden and then place this on the paper, using the scale mentioned, meaning that every quarter of an inch on the paper represents one foot in the garden. First draw the boundaries and then the rows as they come.

Before deciding what kinds of vegetables and the amounts of each to be grown, give some thought to the appetite and the desires of the family. There are too many gardens planted with no partiality shown, and that often means waste. Budget the garden, in other words, in relation to what will be eaten fresh and what canned and stored.

When planning on paper, allow room at both ends of all rows for turning the horse when cultivating. Place the perennial crops, such as rhubarb, asparagus and horse radish at one side. Arrange the other crops, in much the same order as they will be planted that is, the early or hardy crops first, followed, as the days and weeks go by, by warmer season crops. Place in the same or adjoining rows, crops that require the same kind of cultivation and care and the same length of season to mature.

If you need specific advice for your garden, write for information to the Horticultural Division of the Agricultural College.



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Situated in the heart of industrial Ontario, surrounded by natural beauty and containing a citizenship of old Ontario stock, Stratford is justly proud of its history and its future. Each year it adds to its list of industries, and at the Canadian National Exhibition at Toronto last year had an amazingly good Community Exhibition which attracted considerable attention. It also keeps its publicity literature before the people of Britain, U.S., and other countries, from which it wishes to attract immigration. As would be expected, Stratford has a progressive Mayor in the person of Mr. Tom Brown, who was educated in Stratford prior to graduating into the University of Toronto, from which he graduated in 1917 with honors in Political Science, to enter Osgoode Hall. In 1915 he took up the practice of law in Stratford.

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The factory of your body has its motive power without which it would cease at once. That power is rich, red healthy blood, which keeps your whole system efficient and which drives away all disease that may attack it. Often, however, the blood begins to fail and becomes thin and poor. It becomes loaded with waste and charged with poisons. Then it is that your bodily workshop goes wrong; your physical machinery becomes disorganized and you fall ill. You become anaemic, perhaps the nerves break down, or you begin to suffer from indigestion, neuritis, general debility, with pains in the back, head or side. In this condition of bloodlessness Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are just what you need. Their one mission is to make rich, red blood, which brings health and energy to every part of the body. Mr. Raymond Webber, Welland, Ont., tells what these pills did for him as follows: "My blood was thin and watery, and I was in a badly run down condition. Pimples broke out on my body which caused me much discomfort. I would catch cold easily, which aggravated my condition. My brother advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after taking about eight boxes I felt that I was again a well man. I have since recommended the pills with good results to others."

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Story of Vaccination.

Exactly a hundred years ago there died a man who made some of the world's greatest discoveries. He was Edward Jenner, the pioneer of vaccination.

The son of a poor country clergyman, Jenner was born in Gloucestershire in 1749. He was apprenticed to a surgeon at Sudbury.

One day a woman came into his surgery for medical attention. Smallpox was mentioned, and the woman remarked: "I cannot take that disease because I've had cowpox."

Young Jenner remembered this, and there is no doubt that it started him on the road to fame.

He went to London, where he became a pupil of the famous doctor, John Hunter. Jenner pursued his investigations and advanced in knowledge. But it was not until twenty-six years after his arrival in London that he made his first experiment in actual vaccination. In 1796 he vaccinated a boy of eight with lymph taken from the hand of a woman suffering from cowpox. The boy contracted the disease.

A few months later he vaccinated the same boy from a smallpox patient. The boy did not develop the disease, and Jenner had scored his first success. He had a stern fight, however. Doctors and the general public opposed his ideas. In 1799 vaccination was fairly common, but its adoption was very slow.

Jenner's fame spread. George III. permitted him to dedicate his book on vaccination to him. The Empress of Russia took a great interest in the movement, and insisted that the first Russian child to be vaccinated should be called Vaccinoff! Napoleon admired Jenner so much that he released a number of English prisoners at the doctor's request. Finally Jenner received a handsome grant from Parliament, and in 1853 vaccination became compulsory.

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Stupid Man.

The inspector called to see why Johnny Winslow had not been to school recently.

"Why," said Mrs. Winslow, "he was thirteen years old last week, sir. I'm sure he's had schooling enough."

"Schooling enough!" exclaimed the official. "Why, I did not finish my education until I was twenty!"

Mrs. Winslow looked at the inspector and exclaimed: "Heavens! you don't mean to say you were such a thick-head as that?"

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Deceptive Figures.

An aged man went into an insurance office and indicated his desire to take out a policy on his life. He was greeted courteously, but the first question he was asked was enough to spoil the chance.

"How old are you?"
"Eighty-nine," was the astonishing reply.

"Why, my good man," said the manager with a laugh, "we cannot insure any one of your age."

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He Knew the Boys.

Once a boy got vaccinated. The medicos as usual prepared to put a protecting white band round the boy's coat sleeve above the vaccination, but the youngster said: "Put it on the other arm, doctor." "What for?" asked the doctor, and he couldn't help laughing. I put it on the sore arm, of course, so that the boys at school won't hit it." "Put it on the other arm, doctor," the lad persisted. "You don't know the boys at our school."

No man can read with profit that which he cannot learn to read with pleasure.—Noah Porter.

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One day at dinner following a debate in the House of Commons in which Lord Hartington as leader of the opposition had taken part, his companion remarked that she had just heard a rather startling rumor concerning him; people, she said, were whispering that in the midst of his speech he had paused to yawn prodigiously. "Of course it's not so. It would not be possible!" she exclaimed. "Ah, my dear lady," replied Lord Hartington, suppressing a yawn at the mere recollection of the experience, "you don't know how dull my speech was!"

Considerate!

"Hard at it, Mrs. Gray?"
"Yes, Mrs. Blueher; this is my washing-day, and looking after a family of ten doesn't leave much time on my hands."

"Is that Kitty's voice I hear at the piano in the parlor?"
"Yes, that's her. I don't know how I'd get along without that girl. Always on these days she picks out her nicest pieces, like 'Sweet Rest By and By,' 'Mother's Growing Old,' 'Love Will Roll the Clouds Away,' and sings them for me while I'm running the clothes through the first water. 'Tain't every girl would be so thoughtful, I can tell you."

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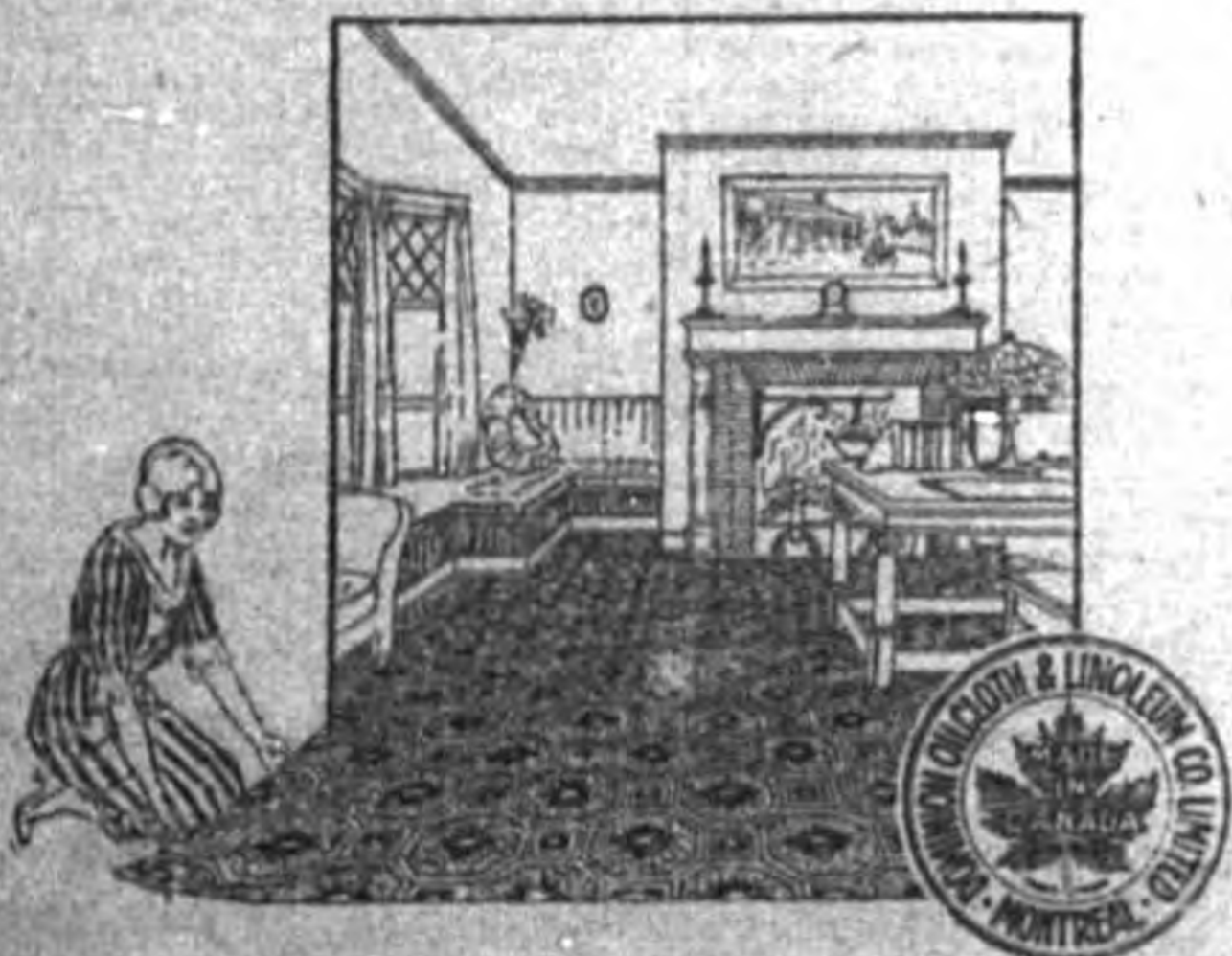
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EN PASSANT.

“EVERY DAY, in every way,” Dr. Coue's auto-suggestive specific, should have a great moral effect. The idea is not entirely new, but having been scraped clear of barnacles, and re-degraded, and the engines overhauled, it starts out on a voyage in vogue, with popular approval prepared to hail it as a heaven-sent argosy.

The principle wrapped up in the catching slogan, “Every day, in every way, I am getting better and better,” is as old as Adam:—the influence of mind, over matter. It is an evidence of the faith that removes mountains, stimulates effort, and restrains the destructive power of pain and disease.

If any one honestly believes that the moon is made of green cheese, the belief is good, because it is honest: It may not synchronize with other theories based upon more scientific and erudite speculation, but it is a belief worth holding because there is no guile about it. It may appear foolish, but day by day the green cheese theory has an improving chance of being evaporated by the rays of a more reasonable and logical system of thinking.

On the same lines, a mental attitude which can hypnotize pain and suffering, being an honest exaltation, ought not to be derided.

The “Day by day” panacea may not be worth a pint of saffron tea in a case of measles, but it is a sure cure for hypochondria, and that is a disease which collects more passengers for Charon, the ferryman of the river Styx, and contributes more toll to the undertaker, than nitro-glycerine or the flu.

“Day by day, in every way, I am getting better and better,” is not merely an expression of optimistic hope, or an antidote to the pessimistic opinion published by some recent writers, that “Hope is a Lie”: It might easily become an orientation, unerringly salvaging thousands from the chaotic pit of despair, and guiding them to sanity and good health. For this reason, among others, Dr. Coue ought to be hailed as a public benefactor and his theory practically exploited for all it is worth. His aims are high and uplifting, and his kind is sadly needed in this Vale of Tears.

IN DIRECT contrast, one of the other kind of doctors—the Wet Blankets—is Dr. J. N. Hurty, of Indiana. This one, whose name, even, suggests pain, has risen up and with a grim and ghastly directness has pronounced the doom of the American nation. He says the last sane person will disappear from the U.S. by the year 2123, two hundred years hence. He declares that Americans are fast becoming a race of imbeciles and maniacs. When Carlyle said the population of England was forty millions, mostly fools, he gave it as his unsupported opinion, but this prophet of evil, to justify his statement, fixes it up with an array of figures culled from the statistics of insanity, figures authenticated by the State Board of Health, in which sphere of usefulness the doctor himself has actively served for 23 years. “Day by day, in every way, the people of the United States are getting madder and madder,” is his morbid variation of Dr. Coue's uplifting song; and there is no hope for them. Dante's Inferno was a perfect paradise compared to what the U.S. is day by day in every way attaining unto. “Abandon Hope, all ye who enter here,” is already written over the portals of New York Harbour; the eyes of the Statue of Liberty glow with the frenzy of the maniac, and her torch, fanned on high, is the oriflamme of the insane firebug.

After this shock on reading this portentous unburdening of Dr. Hurty's mind, I gasped, “Who Let him out?” but on reading the paragraph again and noticing the significant fact that the Dr. has resigned as chief of the State Board of Health to enter political life, the situation became clearer. Liberty winked an eye and signalled “It's all right: I'm watching him: This is only temporary: He's seeking a seat in the Legislature.”

But the statistics? “Ah, well, figures can be made to prove anything.”

Ent the date, when the last sane man will have left the States? “Oh never mind that: He won't deplete the population much: Besides, he won't be Dr. Hurty.”

IT SEEMS USUAL that people who work in one direction and on one subject become possessed of the idea

that their particular line surpasses in importance anything else. Here is Dr. Hurty pounding away for twenty six years on the public health, piling up mountains of figures, and turning away at the same old wheel until he gets full up of the idea that the whole atmosphere is following its gyrations. Specialists nearly always fall into this error, but when they go and mix up their ideas with politics!..... Good night!

THE LINKMAN.

OBITUARY.

LATE REV. R. MCARTHUR.

With the death of the Rev. Robert Stuart MacArthur, of New York, who passed away at Daytona, Florida, on Friday, Feb. 23rd, Argenteuil loses another of her worthy sons, for though he has been away from the County since a youngster, his upward career had always been pointed to with distinctive pride and the name MacArthur has been heralded far and wide for was he not the President of the Baptist World Alliance, the highest position in the gift of the Baptist Church. Enrolled 5,000 Members.

In the forty-one years of his service, Calvary Church received more than 5,000 members, built the present edifice in West 57th Street at a cost of \$525,000, and started three other churches in the city and one outside. On his resignation the church made him Pastor Emeritus on its calendar. Following his resignation in the intervals of his work for the Alliance, he occupied for short periods the pulpits of the Tabernacle Baptist Church in Atlanta, and the First Baptist Church, Baltimore. Of late years he preached in Tremont Temple, Boston, and in Brooklyn churches, and passed his winters in Daytona, Beach, preaching often there. He traveled extensively in the interests of the Alliance, establishing a Baptist church and college in St. Petersburg, Russia, by express permission of the Czar. He visited Burma and many other countries.

Dr. MacArthur was widely known as a lecturer and author of many books on religious subjects. He was long editorially connected with the Christian Enquirer and Baptist Review.

Dr. MacArthur was born in Dalesville on July 31, 1841, and was the youngest son of Archibald MacArthur who came from Scotland in 1819 and was one of the pioneers of the district, and Margaret Stewart. Robert Stuart MacArthur was employed for a time as clerk in the store of his eldest brother, Peter MacArthur, at Dalesville, and it was his father's purpose to later establish him upon the land, but his desire for Scriptural knowledge caused him to enter the Canadian Literary Institute at Woodstock, Ont.

Having prepared himself at Woodstock he entered the University of Rochester, from which he graduated in 1867 and in 1870 from the Rochester Theological Seminary. In March 1870, whilst he was still a student at Rochester, a call was extended to him by Calvary Baptist Church New York. He entered upon his work as pastor on May 15, 1870, and was 41 years in that office, resigning in September, 1910. He married on August 4, 1870, Elizabeth Fox, a graduate of Rochester University.

Many relations of the late Dr. MacArthur reside in this district. Mrs. P. R. MacGibbon, of Lachute, is a niece; R. S. MacArthur and James MacArthur, Dalesville, and A. G. MacArthur of Lachute, are nephews, as are also Principal Archibald MacArthur of Mount Royal School, Montreal; John R. MacGregor, of Montreal, and Norman F. MacGregor, of St. Andrews. A brother, Archibald MacArthur, died at his home in Medford, Sask., during the present winter at the age of 85.

THE LATE JOS. THOMPSON.

Editor of the Watchman, Lachute, Dear Sir,—

I thought it might interest some of the old timers of your vicinity to know that another of Argenteuil's sons has gone the way of all flesh, in the person of Joseph Thompson, who was promoted to glory, on the morning of the 5th inst, at Royal Oak, B.C., leaving a sorrowing widow and family of four, two sons and two daughters, all married but the younger son. It was my privilege to have known the deceased as a little lad, and saw him grow up to young manhood, but leaving that part of the country, I did not meet him again until last summer. Hearing that he had undergone a serious operation, from which he could not possibly recover, I visited him, and found him cheerful although realizing the inevitable. He was at perfect peace with God, and resting on the Everlasting Arms, trusting in the Lord and perfectly assured that He was able to keep that which he had committed to Him against that day. All the care that a devoted loving wife and family could give were his. His widow is bearing up wonderfully, after the trying ordeal and loss, God's Grace truly proving sufficient under all circumstances.

Deceased was the son of James Thompson, the family living near the Township line between Arundel and Harrington. The widow is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Beaven, who are still hale and hearty, residing in the city of Vancouver. Royal Oak is a suburb, on the Interurban Line running between the city and New Westminster.

His daughters are Mrs. E. R. McTaggart and Mrs. W. J. Stevenson, both of Vancouver. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 7th, the Rev. A. B. Osterhout officiating, to Ocean View Burial Park. Mr. Thompson was 82 years of age, and

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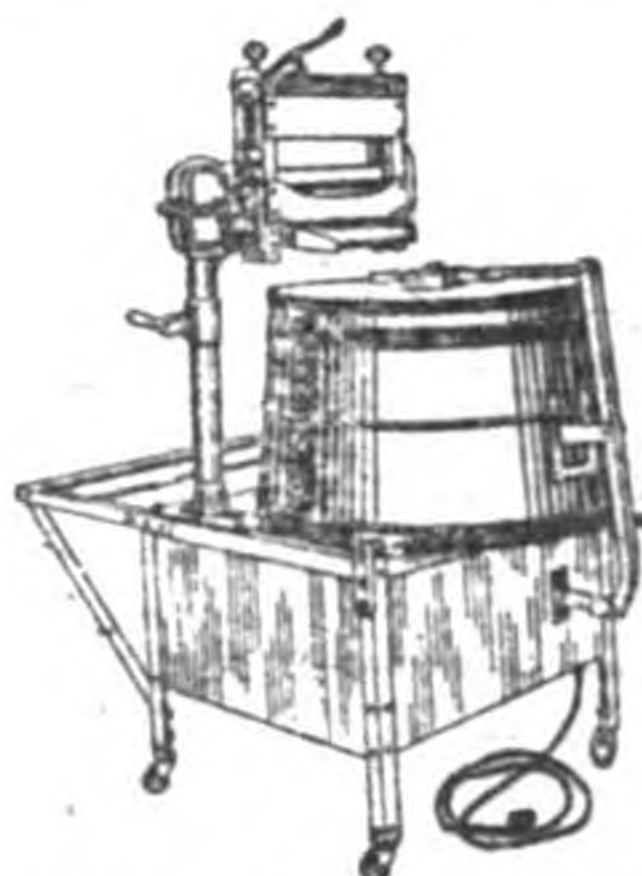
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SUPERIOR COURT.

Notice is hereby given that there
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prothonotary of the Superior Court,
in the district of Terrebonne, a deed
executed before Victor Morin, notary,
on the twenty third day of January,
one thousand nine hundred and twen-
ty-three, between Louis Joseph Fau-
teux, of St-Benoit, district of Terre-
bonne, and Jean Fautoux, of the city
and district of Montreal, being a sale
by the said Louis Joseph Fautoux, to
the said Jean Fautoux, of an immove-
able property, on St-Angèle Street, in
the village of St-Benoit, Two-Moun-
tain County, being part of lot number
two hundred and eighty-two (No. 282)
of the official plan and books, for the
parish of St-Benoit, measuring two
hundred and fourteen feet in front,
on St-Angèle Street, by one hundred
and fifty-six feet deep, and from
there, being five hundred and forty-
two feet on a new depth of two hun-
dred and fifty three feet, at which
point it joins number two hundred and
seventy-six (No. 276) of said official
plan and books, bounded on the north-
east; the said lot being bounded at
one end by part of lot number two
hundred and eighty-two (No. 282)
sold to Samuel Fautoux, and at the
east side partly by the lot sold to
said Samuel Fautoux, and partly by
another lot belonging to said vendor,
the whole with house, shop and dwell-
ings hereon and also machineries,
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to the said manufacturing plant erect-
ed on said immovable property and
possessed by Louis Joseph Fautoux,
as proprietor, for the three years now
last past; and all persons who claim
any privilege or hypothec upon the
said immovable immediately before
the registration of the said deed by
which the said lot was acquired by

hereby notified that application will
be made to the said Court of the
District of Terrebonne, at Ste-Scho-
lastique, the sixth day of April, one
thousand nine hundred and twenty-
three, at ten o'clock in the forenoon,
for the judgment of confirmation of
title; and that unless their claims
are such as the registrar is bound by
the provisions of the Code of Civil
Procedure to include in his certificate
to be filed in this case, they are here-
by required to serve their oppositions
in writing, and file the same in the
office of the said prothonotary, within
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CANADA
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
DISTRICT OF TERREBONNE
MAGISTRATE COURT.
No. 108.

VICTOR BERGERON, of the city
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Plaintiff,

—VS—
DAME MATHILDE DUPUIS,
widow of late Joseph Dupuis, of St.
Adolphe de Howard, district of Terre-
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Defendant.

The defendant is ordered to appear
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I muse in reverie the hours away,
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cent sing,
Their everlasting harmonious hymn.
Beneath thy face, serenely bright,
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typhoon's roar,
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the bore.
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upraised hand,
And the gray matter he gave us may
find,
Ways to control thee by man's Mas-
ter Mind.
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SUPERIOR COURT.

CANADA
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
DISTRICT OF TERREBONNE
No. 20.

Mrs. Mary Layette, wife common as
to property with ALPHONSE AL-
LAIRE, stone cutter, of the town of
Terrebonne, in the district of Terre-
bonne.
Plaintiff,

—VS—
The said ALPHONSE ALLAIRE,
Defendant,

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CHAPTER XXI.—(Cont'd.)

"Your country needs you more," Irene whispered. "It is better that way. And what a man you are in uniform. I think I see you smashing heads instead of bottles. Six out of six, Dave! It's awful, but you must do it. Already we know what has happened in Belgium. You will forget your own wrongs in the greater wrongs of others. . . . And I shall join the service as a nurse. My father was a doctor, and I can soon pick it up."

She chatted on, but he had become suddenly grave. "I don't think that is your course, Irene," he said. "This is going to be a bigger job than it looked. The Government will get soldiers and nurses; the popular imagination turns to such things. But it will be neither soldiers nor nurses that will win the war. I feel sure of that now. It has come to me, perhaps as a kind of presentiment, but I feel absolutely sure. The determining factor will be food. The world's margin is narrow enough in normal times, and now we are plunged into the abnormal. Millions of men will be taken from production and turned to purposes of destruction. They will be taken from offices, where they need little food, and put in the trenches, where they need much food. Countries will be devastated; armies will retreat, destroying all food as they go. Ships will go down with cargoes of wheat; incendiary fires will swallow warehouses of food. I do not regret my decision; I believe my place is in the trenches; but those less fit for the fight than I, must, in some form or other, produce food. That includes the women; it includes you."

"Me? But what can I do?"

"Since I left home I've thought a good deal of the old ranch. I despised it in those prosperous days—those days we thought we were prosperous—but the prosperity is gone and the ranch remains. It still lies out there, just as it did when you and your father motored down that afternoon a dozen years ago. I think you'll have to go back there, Reena. I think you'll have to take the boy Charlie, and what other help you can get, and go back to the old ranch and raise something for the soldiers to eat. You can do it. There are good men to be

had—men who can't very well carry a rifle, but can drive a plow. And believe me, Reena, it's the plow that's going to win. Go back and put them to it. Think of every furrow as another trench in the defenses which shall save your home from the fate of Belgium's homes. It's not as easy as going to the front; it hasn't got the heroic ring to it, and I suppose there are many who will commercialize it. Let them. We shall need their profits after the war to pay our debts. But it's the thing that must be done. And you'll do it, won't you?"

"I'll do whatever needs to be done, Dave. I'd rather be by your side, or as near as may be, but if you say that my duty lies back on the old ranch I shall go back to the old ranch and raise food for my soldier. And when it's all over we shall ride those old hillsides again. . . . Up the canyon, you remember, Dave? The little niche in the wall of the canyon, and all the silence and the sunlight. . . . For ever. . . ."

CHAPTER XXII.

Any philosophy which accepts the principle that the great, over-shadowing events of life are subject to an intelligent controlling influence must of necessity grant that the same principle applies to the most commonplace and everyday experiences. It is impossible to believe that the World War, for example, has a definite place in the eternal scheme of the universe without believing the same of the apparently most trivial incident in the life of Kaiser Wilhelm, Lloyd George, or Woodrow Wilson, or, for that matter, of the humblest soldier in the ranks. The course of the greatest stream of events may well be deflected by incidents so commonplace as to quite escape the notice of the casual observer.

Some such thought as this comforted me—or, at least, would have comforted me, had I thought it—when a leaking gasoline tank left me, literally as well as figuratively, high and dry in the foothills. The sun of an August afternoon blazed its glory from a cloudless sky; far across the shimmering hills copper-colored patches of ripening wheat stood out ruddy and glowing like twentieth century armor on the brown breast of the prairie; low in a valley to the left a ribbon of silver-green mountain water threaded its way through fringes of spruce and cottonwood, while on the uplands beyond sleek steers drowned in the sunshine, and far to the westward the Rockies slept unconcerned in their draperies of afternoon purple. All these scenes the eye took in without enthusiasm, almost without approval; and then fell on the white-washed ranch buildings almost in the shadow underneath. And in these days a ranch—almost any ranch—means gasoline.

I soon was at the door. The walls had been recently whitewashed; there were new shingles of red cedar on the roof; flowers bloomed by the path that led down to the corral; my knock attracted a little chap of two-and-a-half or three years; his stout hands shoved the screen back, and I found myself ushered into his company. There evidently was no one else about, so I visited, and we talked on those things which are of importance in the world of three-year-olds.

"Muvver's don to the wiver," he confided. "She tum back pretty soon."

"And Father?" I asked. "Where is he?"

Into the dark eyes came a deeper look; they suddenly shone with the spirituality of a life only three years removed from the infinite. By what inspiration, I afterwards wondered, by what almost divine charm had he been able to instill into his young mind the honor and the glory and the pride of it? For there was pride, and something more than pride, adoration, perhaps, in his words as he straightened up and said in perfect English, "My father was a soldier. He was killed at Courmaitelle."

I looked in his little, sunburned

face; in his dark, proud eyes; and presently a strange mist enveloped the room. How many little faces, how many pairs of eyes! It was just fading away when a step sounded on the walk, and I arose as she reached the door.

"The Man of the House has made me at home," I managed to say. "I am shipwrecked on the hill, for a little gaschine."

"There is plenty out in the field, where the tractor is," she replied. "You will find it without difficulty. Or if you care to wait here, Charlie may be along presently."

Her voice had sweet, modulated tones, with just that touch of pathos which only the Angel of Suffering knows how to add. And her face was fair, and gentle, and a little sad, and very sweet.

"He has told me," I said. There seemed no reason why I should not say it. She had entered into the sisterhood—that universal sisterhood of suffering which the world has known in these long, lonely years. . . . And it was between us, for we were all in the family. There was no occasion to scrape acquaintance by slow, conventional thrust and parry.

"Yes," she said, sitting down and motioning me to a chair. "I was bitter at first. But gradually I got a different view of it. Gradually I came to feel and know that all we can feel and know here is on the surface; on the outside, as you might say, and we can't know the purpose until we are inside. It is as though life were a riddle, and the key is hidden, and the door behind which the key is hidden is called Death. And I don't believe it's all for nothing; I don't believe it's all for nothing. If I believed it was all for nothing I would quit; we would all quit."

"Then there is the suffering," she continued, after a pause. "I don't know why there should be suffering,

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but I know if there were no suffering there would be no kindness. It is not until you are hit—hard hit—that you begin to think of other people. Until then all is selfishness. But we women—we women of the war—we have nothing left to be selfish for. But we have the whole world to be unselfish for. It's all different, and it can never go back. We won't let it go back. We've paid too much to let it go back. It was hard to find a reply. "I think I knew your husband, a little," I ventured. "He was a—man."

"He was all that," she said. She arose and stood for a moment in an attitude of hesitation; her fingers went to her lips as though enjoining caution. Then, with quick decision, she went into an inner room, from which she returned with a letter.

"If you know him you may care to read this," she said. "It's very personal, and yet, some way, everything is impersonal now, in a sense. There has been such a common cause, and such a wave of common suffering, that it seems to flood out over the individual and embrace us all. Individualism is gone. It's the community now; the state; mankind, if you like, above everything. I suppose, so far as German Kultur stands for that, it has been imposed upon the world. . . . So this is really, in a sense, your letter as well as mine."

(To be concluded.)



Winter Evening Amusements.

Do you dread the winter like the small boy of my acquaintance who complained the other evening, "I don't like winter 'cause we never have anything to do after supper, only sit around and go to bed long 'fore we're sleepy." Yet isn't winter one of the prettiest times of the year, with its "silvery moon and the crystal snow" that crackles under your feet, and a gentle breeze to remind you that Jack Frost is out that night. Then, too, it is nice to be able to really get acquainted with our family after the rush of summer, and the bustle of the harvest time, it is pleasant to enjoy each other during the long winter evenings.

Still, I'm afraid my small boy friend was about right. How many of us plan entertainment for the younger members of the family on the long winter evenings? I can well remember the evenings at home on the old farm when my sister and I were youngsters and the many things mother always thought out for our evenings together. Sometimes there were just apples and pop-corn, but how good it tasted. Or sometimes it was pop-corn balls and home-made crack-jack that mother used to make for us. Other nights there would be stories; and what good stories, too. Then there was the big story book with pictures and all the lovely thrilling stories that we girls reveled in.

About once a week we would all gather around the piano and have a good old-fashioned "sing." How that old home would ring with those old songs. We must not forget the question box. Each one would put a puzzling question in the box and at night we would open it and discuss the questions. This box was often converted into the joke box or the mistake box. Both were fun but we girls liked the mistake box best, for we thought we had improved when we could catch Dad or Mother making a mistake.

Then there were the games. Some times flinch, and all the games you could think of that were played with the flinch cards, sometimes geography cards, authors, or Bible questions. What fun it was to see if we couldn't get more answers than Dad or Mother. Then there was the old society or club that we youngsters formed. Sister was the president and I was secretary, and we were also the entertainment committee. Such stunts as we put Dad and Mother through. And they had to dress up to come to our club, too, and, of course, we had to have some simple refreshments. It would not have been a club without them.

Some nights—and these were the best nights to us—we got the folks started, and all engaged in a peanut hunt or a marshmallow hunt. And what sport it was to roast the marshmallows after we had found them; only it was pretty hard to think we could only have a limited number that night.

How well one remembers such days, do we, as mothers of to-day, plan the evenings for our children as we should? How common a sight it is to see father reading the daily paper while mother finishes a little sewing or has a book that she "just must finish."

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The Removal of the Cattle Embargo

The United Kingdom embargo against Canadian cattle has at length been definitely removed. The Bill to effect this having passed both Imperial Houses and received royal assent. This is brought to an end thirty years of effort and appeal which, carried on for a long time in a more or less desultory manner, became a clamorous and insistent demand when the United States imposed barriers against the product of Dominion breeders. Whilst the embargo, which has existed since 1892, ostensibly for the protection of British herds from disease, was equally in effect against cattle shipped from all countries to England, the only countries against which it could actually operate were Canada and the United States, as it had proven impracticable to ship live animals from Australia and South America owing to the long voyages and the extreme heat in crossing the torrid zone. As the United States consumes all the beef it produces, Canada was the only country to experience the effects of the embargo to any extent.

The new regulations permit the entry into the British Isles of store cattle, subject only to three days quarantine previous to leaving Canada, to be pastured and fattened there, as against the previous necessity of slaughtering the animals at the port of entry within a ten days of arrival. This brief quarantine is satisfactory to Canada as the period of observation will be more than taken up by transit from island shipping points to ocean ports. The unrestricted entry of Canadian cattle into Great Britain for slaughtering and breeding purposes is to be considered encouraging from several Canadian viewpoints. For one thing, it definitely and unequivocally removes

the stigma which, on account of the imposition of the embargo, has for so long attached to Canadian cattle and which was rankly unjust, as Canadian cattle have in the past been as free or freer from disease than those of any country and, the foot-and-mouth disease, which was the particular form feared, has been practically unknown among Canadian herds.

Upon the Canadian breeder and producer the embargo removal has the effect of giving him an alternate market to which to send his products. In the past, with the exception of cattle for immediate slaughter, all the Canadian surplus stock was under the compulsion of going to the United States markets. The surplus over Dominion domestic consumption now has the entry of the two markets, and with animals of the right type, age and finish, raised in the country, the removal of the embargo is calculated to put breeders and shippers in a position to get better prices for these types of cattle.

Whilst there may be a tendency at times to overestimate the benefits which will accrue from the removal of the embargo, it is undoubtedly of direct advantage to Dominion breeders for the aforementioned reasons and with those limitations. Granted the right type of animal is available, the markets of the United Kingdom can absorb all Canadian surplus production for some time to come. Dr. Girdale, the Deputy Minister of Agriculture, who recently returned from England, stated that Canadian beef was the superior on the British market, and in anticipating the removal of the cattle embargo, thought that a keen demand for Canadian cattle was to be expected.

RADIO STATIONS ON THE POLAR FRONTIER

TO HELP WEATHERMAN IN HIS FORECASTS.

Idea in View is to Encircle the North Pole Region With Observing Stations.

You never heard of the polar frontier, did you? It is a frontier marked by the line of cold.

In other words, it is the meeting place of polar and equatorial air. Along that line two streams of air meet—a cold current flowing southward from the Arctic regions, and a current flowing northward from equatorial belt—and conflict between them is chiefly accountable for weather changes in our temperate latitudes.

Thus may be understood the practical importance—especially for weather forecasting—of a scheme now being hatched for establishing a series of meteorological observing stations around the Arctic circle. One such station was set up three months ago on the rocky and barren island called Jan Mayen, 400 miles northeast of Iceland, after preliminary work had been done there by an American engineer, Hagbard Ekerhold, heading a party from Bergen, Norway.

That station is now broadcasting weather news by wireless six times every twenty-four hours. It is proposed to establish another on the west coast of Greenland (which belongs to Denmark), and yet another in Baffin Land, which is Canadian territory. The United States Government will probably set up a station at Point Barrow, the northernmost point of Alaska, and it is likely that before very long there will be at least two or three others along the Arctic coast of the British possessions in America.

The idea in view is to encircle the North Polar region with observing stations, so far as may be practicable. A high-power radio station in Spitzbergen has been sending out weather reports for several years past; and in Iceland there is a station which, having the use of a telegraph cable, distributes weather news by that means. Established a Trade Route.

Every year for the last ten years two or three vessels from England and Norway have made voyages in summer by an Arctic route through Kara Strait and the Kara Sea to the mouth of the Yenisei River, which empties into the Polar Ocean. Carrying cargoes of barter goods, they have brought back furs and other valuable merchandise, and have established a trade route of such prospective importance that wireless stations are now being operated at the entrances of the Kara Sea (there are two), to give information about the ice. Sometimes the entrances are blocked, even in the warm season.

The polar atmospheric frontier is not fixed; quite otherwise, indeed. According to a new theory, now pretty generally accepted, the weather of the Northern Hemisphere is the result of advances and retreats of that line. When the warm air extends farther north than usual, there is a tendency to an accumulation of cold air north of the line. When pressure from this accumulation becomes sufficiently great, the cold air breaks through and flows southward, causing a change in weather.

As above stated, the polar frontier is the meeting place of polar and equatorial air. Conflict of cold currents and warm currents is the cause of

great air-swirls in the temperate zone, moving around the earth from west to east. These air-swirls seem to travel in "families" of two to six, and are accountable for the "highs" and "lows" which are shown on the daily weather maps.

It will thus be realized that acquaintance with what is going on along the polar frontier is of great importance in forecasting. It is desired to find the tracks followed by the Arctic air-streams, moving southward, and the centres of conflicts with the warm currents from the equatorial belt.

Provide Against Surprise. The forecasters of our Weather Bureau are often surprised by the sudden arrival of unforeseen changes originating in Northern Canada, where there are no observing stations. For this reason, much weather that starts in that territory is unobserved until it is upon us, and cold waves often arrive without warning.

The most remarkable change of climate in modern times overtook Greenland in the fourteenth century, and the cause of it is a mystery. In earlier days—back in the time of Leif Ericson (who discovered America, 1001 A. D.), and after—that great island was in parts habitable and even hospitable to man. Along its southern shores were woods, and green meadows cheerful to the eye. Hence it was that the Norsemen called the country Greenland.

Voyaging from Iceland, they customarily followed a route along the east coast of Greenland, through a strait north of Cape Farewell (its southern tip), and around the west coast, where many settlements of their people were located.

In the fourteenth century, however, there came a great cold, and the above-mentioned strait north of Cape Farewell was blocked by the ice even in the summer time, becoming impassable, as it is to-day. Snows accumulated and ice spread over the land. Many old Norse ruins now lie in places inaccessible because of the advances of the ice. The Eskimos say that whole villages have been actually buried beneath glaciers.

Labor in Diamond Mining. It takes much digging to unearth diamonds. The earth taken out in a year by one of the largest diamond mining companies would form a cube more than 430 feet in each dimension. This would fill a large city block to a height of more than thirty stories. The diamonds found in this vast amount of earth would fill a cubical box less than three feet each way. But these few pecks of stones for which a mountain was moved were worth perhaps in excess of \$25,000,000.



Cuckoo
"Do you rent out rooms, Aunt Liz?"
"Why, no, Willie. What makes you ask?"
"Pa said you had rooms to rent in your upper story."

Japanese Trade Leaders Visit Canada



The Japanese Mission, which recently arrived at Vancouver on board the Canadian Pacific steamer "Empress of Australia," and crossed Canada via the C.P.R. on their way to New York, where they are to attend an international silk conference. Reading from left to right they are: S. Hoshino, President of the Japanese Raw Silk Company; Kino Nishitani, President of the Tottori Associated Raw Silk Company; K. Katsuki, Secretary; M. Miyasaki, Japanese secretary and manager, interpreter; Yoshio Sasakida, M.P., head of the Tokyo Produce Exchange and of the Silk Mission.

Speaking to a reporter, Mr. Miyasaki said: "Japan is slowly changing, she is assuming new habits and new ways of living as she changes her way of production. Industrialism has taken hold of us. And as a result, we understand, we are going through the same difficulties which Great Britain did during the beginning of the last century. Industrialism is multiplying our population."

He stated that Japan, if the proper steps were taken, would be a good customer for Canadian grain, and speaking of general trade conditions in his own country said, that when complete liquidation had cleared the financial atmosphere, trade would once more take great strides forward. He added: "We are now buying a lot of lumber from you, and it is certain we will want more, much more. Your lumber has such a beautiful grain, and you know, we don't paint our houses in the interior."

Present Duration of Life

For the eighth year in succession a correspondent has gathered from the obituary lists on our front pages all the records of persons who have reached the age of 90 years or more. The annual average for the period has been 303, the women being rather more than twice as many as the men. There have been thirty-six centenarians, says the London Times.

The exactly recorded ages of men and animals are usually much shorter than the maximum duration of life assigned in popular belief. No valid evidence supports the authenticity of claims such as that made for Thomas Parr, the Shropshire peasant, of having reached his 153rd year, and any cases of exceeding the century by more than two or three years are dubious.

A century must be taken as the utmost span of life which any human being can hope at present to achieve. But that is twenty years more than the "four-score" of the beautiful psalm in the burial service, and evidence based on wider statistics shows that increasing numbers of the modern population attain it.

Metchnikoff indeed believed that better conditions, more prudent habits and the conquest of diseases by science might come to keep the human body and mind strong and healthy to an age still greater, and that then a natural instinct would acquiesce in the coming of death as readily as youth now accepts the coming of maturity. Such optimism, however, is still for the future; for the few who attain it great age is more often but labor and sorrow.

What is of more concern to most of us is that the average longevity, the broad based expectation of life of insurance statistics, is continuously expanding. The average and not the unusual governs the life of men and beasts, and in particular that part of it relating to marriage and the family cares. Weismann told the theory that the duration of life was adjusted by natural selection to the rate of reproduction so that while creatures like the elephant, which breed slowly, lived long to secure the maintenance of the species, those like rats, which breed rapidly, required only short lives.

A more recent interpretation, however, holds that the rate of reproduction is the more variable factor and is tuned to the average expectation of life. But on the one theory or the other there may be a close connection between the greater expectation of human life under modern conditions and the postponement of the average age of marriage and reduction in the average number of children. The suggestion may be commended to students of vital statistics.

But if most of us are to have more of time, and a few much more of it, is the gift worth having? The days and the years of modern life are more crowded than in any other age, and yet, possibly even because of the increase of experience, they seem shorter. The period of the war was fuller for all who lived through it than any other time of their lives, and yet the beginning and the end have closed like the pages of a book. Life, indeed, seems shorter the more intensely it is lived.

Not Compulsory. A haughty customer, entering a restaurant, was accosted by a waiter with the inquiry, "Soup, sir? Soup, sir?" The customer took no notice and calmly removed his overcoat, on which the waiter repeated his question. Becoming angry, the man said, "Is it compulsory?" "No," was the reply. "It's optional, sir."

The American Elks Society distributed 4,955,451 B.M.s in 1921.

Stories About Well-Known People

The King's Organist.

For forty years the King's organist has been Sir Walter Parratt, who has just completed this long term of continuous service. For thirty years he has been Master of the King's Music.

Sir Walter is bearing his eighty-second birthday, and he has been an organist since he was eleven. Even before then he showed signs that he was destined to be a musician of unusual ability, for at the age of ten he was able to play from memory the whole of Bach's forty-eight preludes and fugues.

Sir Walter loves to tell a story of a suspicious old gentleman who went up to a blind beggar in the street. "Are you sure you are blind?" he asked. "You haven't the demeanor of a blind man."

"No, sir," was the reply. "I used to have, but I was so hard up I had to sell it!"

Curzon's Resurrection.

Lord Curzon's sudden resurrection to power and popularity has few parallels. When he resigned from India he seemed as forever fallen as Lucifer. Personal popularity has never been one of his assets. His seat in the coalition at the foreign office was uneasy. Now he is making a bid to go down to history as one of the great Tory foreign secretaries.

Lord Rosebery's Tact.

Lord Rosebery, who is possessed of admirable tact, was once dining with some of his tenants.

Sitting next to him was an old man

who accepted a large helping of ice cream. He tasted it and quickly put his hand to his mouth.

"Why," he exclaimed, "they've gone and froze the pudding!"

Lord Rosebery did not even smile. He took a portion himself, tasted it, and remarked with an air of utter astonishment, "Goodness! So they have!"

The Falcon on the Film.

Some time ago Mr. Douglas Fairbanks bought a peregrine falcon from the English Falconry Club, for use in his "Robin Hood" film, which includes some astonishing pictures of a mid-air duel between a carrier-pigeon and a falcon.

Many technical points on the care and training of the falcon were explained to Mr. Fairbanks, who eventually broke the silence by exclaiming: "Ascertain how in training one falcon and how induced to return after flight."

The Falcon Club drew up what was practically a text-book to deal with this emergency, and cabled to Mr. Fairbanks: "Instructions rather long; shall I cable or write?"

The reply from Douglas was brief, but eloquent: "All I want to know is, how do we get the confounded bird to come down?"

"The Kid."

Jackie Coogan, the child film actor, has had a wonderful series of teachers. Faderewski has given him piano lessons; Pavlova, dancing lessons; Sousa, orchestral lessons; and Carpenter, boxing lessons.

World's Worst Prison.

What must be the worst prison in the world is described by an explorer who returned recently from Mongolia.

Inside a double wall of wood is a space about 10 ft. square, upon which open a number of tiny rooms into which light never penetrates. In these dungeons are piled wooden boxes, 4 ft. long by 2 1/2 ft. high. These confine are the prisoners' cells.

The wretched captives have heavy chains about their necks, and their hands are manacled. They can neither sit erect nor lie at full length. Their food, whenever the jailer happens to remember it, is pushed through a 6 in. grating in the side of the coffin. In these awful surroundings prisoners are kept sometimes for life.

Not only do they suffer torments through being unable to use their limbs, but also they are quite unprotected from the cold, which often is intense. Only a Mongol could survive for a day.

No Need for Hurry.

The steamer was only a few feet from the quay when there was a sudden commotion, and a man came running madly from the dock gates, shouting to the officials to wait a moment.

Without pausing in his stride, he flung his bag on to the boat, took a desperate leap, and landed on the deck with a crash.

"Good!" he gasped, as he was assisted to his feet. "Just did it. A few seconds later and I should have missed it."

"Missed it!" exclaimed one of the passengers. "Do you realize that this boat is just coming in?"

Married Foreign Titles.

It is said that the daughters of 500 of America's richest men have married titled foreigners, and that the aggregate dowry falls little short of three-quarters of a billion dollars.

Silkworms were first reared by a Chinese empress 4,500 years ago.



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ALMOST A KING, NOW AIR FORCE PRIVATE

COL. T. E. LAWRENCE, PRINCE OF MECCA.

Won Mesopotamia for Britain in the Recent War, Leading Victorious Arabs Against Turks.

Once uncrowned King of Arabia, now just a buck private in His British Majesty's air force, that is the latest adventure in the life of that amazing soldier, Colonel T. E. Lawrence. The man who did most to win Mesopotamia with its rich oil wells, for the British and thereby won all sorts of honors and decorations from his government, spent Christmas Day doing duty in the barracks at Farnborough and the next day was scrubbing tables as an ordinary K. P. in the officers' mess.

Colonel Lawrence went to Arabia after his graduation from All Souls College, Oxford. He donned the garb of the natives, learned to speak their language fluently and won the friendship and confidence of King Feisal of the Hedjaz. When the World War occurred Colonel Lawrence persuaded the ruler of the Arabia to intervene on the side of the Allies, and the young Englishman himself commanded an army of natives that reportedly defeated the Turks.

To-day England is wondering why such a young man—for Colonel Lawrence was only in his twenties when he performed his brilliant military exploits—is serving as an air craftsman. Some think that he wants more leisure for writing books than he could get as an officer. Others opine that he intends to write a book on the air force and wants to get his facts at first hand.

Obedient Private in Air Ranks.

Colonel Lawrence himself is silent on why he is in the ranks. "I cannot say what the reason is, for I do not know myself. I cannot make any statements to the newspapers as a soldier, or I should be punished."

He has been in the air force for some months now. But when "A. C. I. Ross"—as he is now known—joined the service at Uxbridge only one of two officers suspected his identity. Even when he was moved to the Farnborough barracks few even in the officers' mess had any idea that so distinguished a war hero was under their command. The privates did not know anything about it until three weeks ago when it first began to leak out in the newspapers.

Colonel Lawrence sleeps in a room with eleven other men, makes his own bed and does fatigue guards and the regular barrack routine just as any other British Tommy. On Christmas Day he volunteered to do guard duty for a comrade.

There is nothing of the snob about the man who bears the title of Prince of Mecca. He goes for walks with his fellow privates, joins in their songs and frequents the canteens so popular with the Tommies.

Sometimes Colonel Lawrence will tell his "buddies" thrilling and glamorous stories of the Near East. That in his new life is the only thing that links him with the man who won Mesopotamia for England.



New One to Her Picture Agent—Lady, this is the latest thing in enlargements. Housewife—'Lan' sakes! Who'd ever thought they'd get to making 'em upside down!

Holstein or Jersey? One Dollar Please.

Two cattle breeders at San Antonio were discussing the merits of Jersey and Holstein cows. Each man was positive that he was right about the matter; each was dogmatic; each was intolerant.

"Put a dollar in a bucket," one, "Milk the bucket full; then if you still see the dollar, the cow is Holstein."

"Put the same dollar in your bucket," retorted the other, "Milk your cow, and if there ain't enough milk to cover the dollar there's no doubt she's a Jersey!"

Ought to Know.

The young English teacher was trying to make a class of very small children understand a sum in subtraction.

"Now listen," she said. "If I had ten shillings in my purse and went into a shop and bought a hat for five shillings and a pair of gloves for three and six, how much should I have left?"

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THE LATE MRS. G. W. BOND.

Eliza MacVicar Bond, wife of Geo. William Bond, who has been a resident of this city since 1918, died at the age of 83 years at 423 West Roma Avenue at 8.30 o'clock Monday morning. She is survived by her husband and two sons, George W. Bond, and Frank Bond, both of whom are residents of New Mexico.

Mrs. Bond was born in Argenteuil County, Province of Quebec, Canada, on January 24, 1840. She was married to George William Bond May 13, 1860. She lived in Canada with her husband until 1911, when they came to this country and made their home at first in Boise, Idaho.

They came to Albuquerque in 1918 and have since made their home here. During her few years of residence here Mrs. Bond made a large circle of close friends in this city and was much loved by her neighbors.

The funeral was held at French's chapel at 10.30 o'clock Wednesday morning, and burial at the Fairview Cemetery. The Rev. F. E. McGuire officiated.

The pall bearers were M. G. Chase, C. E. Davenport, E. H. Norris, H. F. Zillmer, M. S. Tierney and W. M. Connell.

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THE LATE W. G. GILMOUR.

The funeral of the late William G. Gilmour took place from his late residence Brownsburg, on Tuesday, Jan. 30th, after a long illness. The deceased was 43 years of age. The service was conducted by the Rev. J. R. MacLeod of Lachute. The pall bearers were Messrs. J. Thompson and M. McLeod, brother-in-laws, and Messrs. A. Warwick, H. Bradford, A. Tomalty and R. K. McLeod, nephews. He leaves to mourn his loss a loving wife, three daughters, Lydia, Gladys and Edith, two brothers, and two sisters Mrs. J. Thompson, of Montreal, and Mrs. M. McLeod of Brownsburg. The funeral was largely attended and the remains were interred in the Lachute Cemetery.

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AUCTION SALE

There will be sold by Public Auction at the residence of
ALEXIS LAURIN,
Vide Sac,
Thursday March 8th, 1923.

The following effects:—8 milch cows, 1 heifer 3 years old, 1 bull two years old, 2 working horses, 1 reaper, 1 mowing machine, 1 seeder, 1 horse rake, 1 harrow (almost new), 1 disc harrow, 1 root cutter, 1 scruffer, 2 ploughs, 1 double wagon, 2 buggies, 1 rack sleigh, 1 cutter, 1 bob-sleigh, 1 horse clipper, 1 set double harness, 2 set buggy harness, 1 set cart harness, neck yokes, and whiffletrees, 1 gasoline drum, 45 gal., one 100 gallon gasoline tank, 1 milk tank, horse fork rope and pulleys complete, 1 threshing separator, 1 gasoline engine 8 h.p., Champion, 1 belt, 1 circular saw, logging chains, forks, 1 range, 1 tumbler cart, 4 eight gallon milk cans, 2 buffaloes.

Everything 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 12 months credit on furnishing approved joint notes.

W. J. BOYD, Licensed Auctioneer.

There will be sold by Public Auction at the residence of

PHILIP GIRARD
Carillon Hill at H. Barclay's Farm.
Thursday, March 15th, 1923.

The following effects:—Two mares 6 and 12 years old, 2 cows, 1 heifer two years old, 1 one year old, 2 buggies, 1 cutter, 1 plow, 1 fanning mill, 1 threshing separator, 2 Quebec heaters, 1 buggy gear and wheels, some seed potatoes, some cow hay, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 1 p.m. sharp.

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TOWN COUNCIL

The Regular Meeting of the Town Council was held on Wednesday evening. Mayor and Councillors all being present. A petition was received from Mr. Geoffroy Bedard for a water main to be put in Bedard's Boulevard.

ARGENTEUIL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The first meeting of the recently elected board of directors of the Argenteuil Agricultural Society was held today, the president, J. T. Ayers occupying the chair. There were present Vice-President J. H. Black and Directors John A. Smith, G. A. White, W. J. Rodger, W. A. Bradley, James Murdoch, George Clark, W. A. Houston and Secretary-Treasurer J. W. Gall. The president J. T. Ayers, the vice-president J. H. Black, and the secretary-treasurer, J. W. Gall, were unanimously re-elected. It was decided, after much discussion, to hold the annual fair this year on September 6th, 7th and 8th, which will be nearly two weeks earlier than usual.

DEATHS

MASON.—At Staynerville, on Wednesday March 5th, Bessie Alma McAdam, beloved wife of Harold Mason, in her 23rd year. Deeply regretted.

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CUSHING.

Mrs. E. O. Keatley is in Montreal this week.

An old and well-known resident of this place passed away last week, in the person of Joseph Houle.

Miss K. Wheelahan, of Montreal, arrived on Saturday to spend a few weeks vacation with her friends in Cushing.

Mr. Geo. Nicholls, also Mr. Wm. Nicholls, of Staynerville, spent the week-end with friends at Stardale and Vankleek Hill.

Nurse Hartley, of Hawkesbury, spent a few days here this week, visiting her mother who was suffering with a severe attack of la grippe.

Mrs. Jas. MacRae who was spending a couple of weeks with her aunt Mrs. Kains at Greece's Point, left on Friday to visit friends in Ottawa and expected to continue her journey from there to her home in Black River, N. B.

Mr. Leonard Young, of Montreal, was here on Wednesday inspecting the bungalow, which he is having built on the river shore near Sandy Bay, and expressed himself well pleased with the work which has been done under the supervision of Mr. Fraser Watson.

News has just been received of the death at his home in Prairie City, Oregon, of Mr. Robt. Chambers formerly a well-known resident of this place who went west about 18 years ago, and made his home there. He was well-known and highly respected here and a host of friends will regret to hear that he has passed away. His wife, it will be remembered pre-deceased him a few months ago.

Owing to the unfavorable condition of the ice there was no Hockey last Saturday afternoon, but on the previous Tuesday evening the team with a contingent of their friends drove to St. Eugene, and suffered defeat in a hard-fought match, with the husky stick-handlers of that town. They made a better showing on the previous Saturday when they met the Stonefield Braves and defeated them by a score of 2 to 1.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. W. McArthur spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mr. Woods, of Vankleek Hill, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Wm. Evans, of Lakefield, spent the week-end in Montreal.

Miss Elsie McIntyre spent a few days this week in Montreal.

Mrs. Higgins, of Montreal, was the recent guest of Mrs. R. Miller.

Mrs. Ewing, of Montreal, is the guest of Miss Dumbear this week.

Miss Norah Christie, of Montreal, was a week-end visitor in town.

Rev. Mr. Lummis, of Lakefield, spent a few days in Montreal this week.

Mr. J. Middleton, of Morin Heights, was visiting in town on Wednesday.

Rev. Dr. MacLeod, is in Sherbrooke this week, attending a meeting of the Presbytery.

Mrs. Jno. Rice was called to Hamilton this week, owing to the serious illness of her mother.

Mr. W. E. Richards returned home on Wednesday, after spending a pleasant visit in England.

Miss Agnes McAllister of Montreal, is visiting her sister Mrs. Jno. McGillivray this week.

Mr. Jas. Armstrong, of Hill Head, was visiting friends in Buckingham and vicinity this week.

Mrs. W. Griffith and daughter Mildred, of Montreal, were guests of Mrs. W. G. Stanforth for the week-end.

Miss Hingley who has been spending the past few months in Montreal, returned home to Lakefield on Saturday.

The many friends of Mr. A. Bishop are pleased to see him home again after his recent operation in the Montreal General Hospital.

Mrs. Parkin who has been the guest of her daughter Mrs. Underhill for the past few weeks, returned home to Montreal on Saturday.

Mrs. J. Currie returned home on Monday to Montreal, after spending a pleasant visit with friends at Lachute and Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Bothwell were called to Sutton last week for a few days on account of Mr. Bothwell's mother being ill with pneumonia.

The Annual Meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Albert Tomalty, Lakefield on Saturday evening next at 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Mackie, of Montreal, were week-end guests in town.

Mr. Ross Smith, of Lucky Lake, Sask., who has been spending the winter with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith left for the West on Wednesday.

While hauling logs on Saturday last Mr. William Pollock, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pollock had the misfortune to have one of his legs badly broken and fractured. His many friends will be glad to know he is doing well.

On Friday, March 16th, Mrs. Malory Bissell, of Montreal, will pay a visit to Brownsburg and we are sure will draw a large audience as her elocutionary numbers given in Lachute recently were highly appreciated. See Posters for further announcement.

CHURCH NOTES.

Methodist Church Services next Sunday will be conducted by the Pastor:—Lachute 10.30 and 7, Brownsburg at 3 o'clock. A horse is a poor vehicle in which to go to Church better come while you are alive.

Presbyterian Church services will be held next Sunday March 11th as follows: In Lachute at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. In Upper Lachute at 11 a.m. in East Settlement and Hillhead at 3 p.m. and in Brownsburg at 7 p.m. The minister Rev. A. Geo. MacKinnon will conduct the services in Lachute and in Hillhead. Mr. A. O. Lloyd will conduct those in Upper Lachute, East Settlement and Brownsburg. "Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise."

LADIES CURLING.

On Thursday of last week the Ladies from Rockland were victorious over the home team, and on Friday the finals for Mrs. R. McFauls pins were played. Winning Rink were:—

Mrs. MacNeill,
Miss Katie Giles,
Mrs. Geo. Creswell,
Miss Edith Fraser. (Skip.)

Singles are being played this week for cup donated by Mrs. A. Stackhouse. The ladies were invited to Montreal West for Monday, but owing to scarcity of ice, this was postponed.

On Wednesday the Social Committee of 1921 entertained the Club to an afternoon tea which was greatly appreciated and enjoyed by all.

LACHUTE ACADEMY EXAMS.

GRADE X.

Physical Geography.
Honours.—Sarah Black 100.
Class I.—Margaret Scott, Kathleen Morrison 85.

Class II.—Jean McQuat 65, John Dobbie 64, Ruby Nichols 64, Edna Campbell 62, Corinne Hancock 61.
Class III.—Melville Smith 57, Lawrence Cruise 57, Frances Douglas 50.

GRADE IX.

French.
Class I.—Ruby Nichols 84, Margaret Scott 83, Kathleen Morrison 82, C. Hancock 77.

Class II.—Frances Douglas 78, M. Smith 73, Evelyn MacCallum 71, D. Hay 62.

Class III.—Sarah Black 59, Hazel Leishman 55, John Dobbie, Jean McQuat 50.

GRADE IX.

Grammar.
Class I.—Elsie Todd, E. Murray 85, Norma Boyd 83, Irvin Bain, Bessie Rogers 82, Lloyd Somerville 80, H. Ketylle 78, Gertrude Gilmour, Grant McHardy, Alta Macdonald 76, Annie Miller 75.

Class II.—Perry Cooke 74, Edith Jones 72, Hazel Copeland 71, Ena Black 68, Janet Whinnell 66, Ethel McQuat 65, Ethel Doig, Mary Cruise 65, Edgar Burwash, George Miles 61, Charles Miller, Evelyn Matthews 60.

Class III.—Hazel Robinson 59, G. Seale 58, Ena Mason 55, Hilda Hume 53, Ernest Boyd 52.

GRADE VIII.

Grammar.
Honours.—Henry Miles 96, C. Gordon 92.

Class I.—Bertha Scott 88, Lena Graham 86, Cameron McQuat 85, Stella Scott 82, Mary McArthur 78, Marjorie MacKinnon 77, Elizabeth MacKimmie 76.

Class II.—Hazel Robinson, Elsie Scott 71, Evelyn Kelly, Ethel Scott 70, Nellie Hay, Roy MacGregor 69, Annie Miller 66, Bessie Black, Rene Charron 63.

Class III.—May Yelland 59, Florence Armstrong, Grace Smith, Edmund Smith 57, Muriel McPhail, E. Morrison 50.

GRADE VII.

Agriculture.
Honours.—Howard Doig 92.

Class I.—Dorothy Morrison 85, S. Douglas 82, Lela McCullough 80, L. Morrin 78, Orton Weldon 78, Rupert Wylie 76, Gordon Dobbie 75.

Class II.—Amy Patterson 73, R. Elliott 72, Erma Morrison 72, Elinor McCoy 71, Ellen Boa, Willis Stanforth 70, Grace Rodgers 68, Evelyn Cruise 66, Lila McKiddie 65, Mildred Gaston 62, Bessie Morrin 62, Lizzie Hay 60.

Class III.—Reta Jones 57, Janet McQuat 56.

GRADE VI.

Honours.—Helen Hutchinson 95.
Class I.—Gordon McQuat 89, Jas. Yelland 80, Roy Cruise 79, L. Cruise 78.

Class II.—Edna Westwood 74, Eric Middleton, Ellen McPhail 71, James Logan 69, Shirley Hamilton 60.

Class III.—Christina Vliet 59, Hazel McKiddie 55.

GRADE V.

Honours.—Gwen MacKinnon 98, H. Cohen 91.

Class I.—Florence Hay, S. Boyd, R. Fulton 77.

Class II.—Sam Cohen 70, F. Mason 68, Alma McCullough 63.

Class III.—Christina MacKenzie 57, Edgar Cruise 55, Marion Mathews 53, Cecil McPhail 51, Lorne Wert 50.

GRADE IV.

Arithmetic.
Honours.—Gladys Cruise 100, Reta Boyd, K. MacKinnon 99, R. Underhill 97, Stuart Jones 94, Edgar Dion 91.

Class I.—Janet Hay 89, G. McPhail 87, Sam Rashcovsky 85, D. Armstrong 84, Leola Belanger, Lena Combie 82, B. Cunningham 80.

Class II.—Eugene Jousse 72, Elsie McPhail 70, Maggie Chapman 68, O. Stanforth 63.

Class III.—James Beach 57.

GRADE III.

Mental and Rapid Arithmetic.
Honours.—Roland Cruise, J. Fulton 100, Gordon Drysdale 99, Forbie Chapman, Mary Vliet 97.

Class I.—Hugh Gall 88, Isabel Cleland 85, Hannah Rogers, Kathleen, Verner Thompson 82, Violet Falconer 80, Yvonne Charlebois 78, T. Wert, G. Clark 77.

Class II.—Violet Belanger 70, R. Dion 69, Eleanor Armstrong, Howard Jones, Mary Lennon 62.

Class III.—Allan Hay 55.

GRADE II.

Geography.
Honours.—Louisa Vliet, Rebecca Rashcovsky, Gilbert Black, Bob Houston 100, S. Anderson 98, Wilson Gall 96, A. Fulton 94, Allan Doig 93, A. Morrin 92, Doris Dion 91.

Class I.—A. McKenzie 87, Louisa Miller 86, Paul Leop 86, Archie Cleland, Elsie MacVicar, Joe Bernier 81, Mamie Morrison 80, Edna Belanger 77.

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Heavy Paper Shuts Off Draft.

For those motorists who have difficulty in regulating the flow of air through the core of the radiator in winter weather, the advantage of using heavy black paper over the lower half of the radiator instead of cardboard or leather is worth noting. Paper shuts off some of the draft of cold air and, therefore, prevents chilling of the intake manifold and carburetor; but, being thin, it does not keep the radiator so warm as to encourage it to boil over.

How Gas Is Wasted.

Are all your cylinders firing properly? If not, you are wasting gasoline and filling the dead cylinder with oil which will carbonize when you get it firing again. Give the engine a little more gas while idling and open the pet cocks to look for flame. If no flame sports out, the cylinder is dead. If you have no compression cock learn how to use a screw driver to short circuit the spark plugs.

If the engine slows down it is a live cylinder. If it does not affect the running of the engine it is a dead cylinder.

Keep Spare Clean and Inflated.

The under side of the spare tire

soon becomes coated with mud and road oil. Unless this is cleaned off occasionally permanent injury may be done to the tread, and to the casing, too, if there are any breaks in the tread. In cleaning the car this section of the spare which is exposed to the road is usually overlooked. A good way to remember this is to take off the spare and clean it every time air is pumped into it.

Use Thinner Oil in Winter.

Use a thinner grade of oil in winter. Cold weather causes your oil to thicken. It is necessary to have a rather light-bodied, free-flowing oil when the splash-type of lubrication system is used. If a heavy grade of oil is used, particularly in cold weather, the parts will be insufficiently lubricated until the engine is thoroughly warmed up.

As Bad as Blowing Out Gas.

Running the engine of a car to warm it up in a small closed garage is almost as dangerous as blowing out the gas before going to bed.

Test Lamp Locates Troubles.

A test lamp is very handy in locating electrical troubles. It consists of an automobile lamp socket, containing a small candle-power lamp of the voltage used on the car, with one end of a piece of flexible twin lamp cord connected to the socket and the other ends soldered to two wire nails. It is, in effect, a cheap substitute for a voltmeter, the nail points being hard and sharp enough to make electrical connection, even with dirty metal parts.

If there is doubt whether the generator "builds up," touching the nail points to its terminal and frame simultaneously should light the lamp, if the generator is alive.

A dead battery is indicated if the lamp fails to light, when the two nail points are firmly pressed onto its two terminals, and if the lamp lights but dimly, a very low state of charge is proved. When there is a single break in a circuit, the lamp will light when its points straddle.

Hampering the Moon.

Bill had come back home to London and was telling his friends about New York.

"Have they such tall buildings in America as they say, Bill?" asked one of his pals.

"Tall buildings?" replied Bill. "I should say so. I was working on a roof once and we had to be flat on our stomachs to let the moon pass."

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Middle age for many musicians has proven a very dangerous point. Still keen with ambition vested with experience, eager in the light and maddened by the fleeting hour with its wonderful cargo of opportunities the musician is often inclined to run his engine at top speed to accomplish his purposes. Probably never before have his possibilities been revealed to him. He sees great vistas of new lands to which he feels impelled to go before his journey's end. He becomes impatient with himself, disgusted with past neglect and fearful that he will and his days before he can reach the promised land. This almost invariably paves the way for a breakdown. To retain the vision of youth, to employ the capital of experience, to work with a quiet but intense balance of one's powers often enables the middle aged musician to reach heights at that period which he could never have attained before. Cast aside gloomy forebodings, make definite optimistic plans greet the sunrise with childish joy each day, love flowers, children, art, music, with fresh affection. Fill your soul with the glorious beauty of life and spread that beauty to others. Then you will find yourself on the threshold of your greater career, your bigger, nobbler, most worth while period of achievement.

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Teacher: "Now, Edward, you may name some of the most important things we get out of the earth." Edward: "Fishing worms."



THE DUKE'S BRIDE COMES FROM ROMANTIC STOCK

If it is true that "All the World Loves a Lover," it is also true that a bride is an object of keen and sympathetic affection, especially when she is a charming and natural young girl whom fate has chosen to live in the shadow of a great throne. Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, who consented to become the bride of the Duke of York after he had proposed three times, comes of an ancient Scottish family. They have occupied Glamis Castle for over six hundred years, and are descended from the Stuart kings. Glamis castle has been the home of early Scottish kings. Lady Elizabeth, it is said, withheld her consent to marry Prince Albert because of her natural dislike to the formalities of Court life and the high associations her marriage would bring her. She is a retiring young woman, who loves the outdoors and all outdoor activities. The Prince is an airman and previously was with the navy, having served on Beatty's ship at Jutland. His hobbies are associated with the social and industrial conditions of England and their betterment. The picture shows Glamis Castle, and the parents of the young couple, the King and Queen, and the Earl and Countess of Strathmore.

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Survey Shows Room in Canada for the Expansion of the Textile Industries.

The matter of clothing a people is at all times an important national problem, and this should be one of the prime industries of a country. Because the need of its product is continuous and the demand more or less steady, the industry is one of almost ceaseless activity and subject to fewer fluctuations in the matter of production, whilst it must of necessity expand in proportion to a country's growing population. There are really two industries which enter into the clothing of a nation, the one which provides the cloth or raw material and that which manufactures the finished garments.

On a survey of the situation, Canada is shown to be in a gratifying position in this respect. The Dominion is going a long way towards furnishing her own manufactured needs, though there is a certain amount of importation which, if eliminated, might further establish the entire manufactured trade within the Dominion. Canada is still dependent to a certain extent on her imports for the cloth of various kinds which enter into the manufacture of clothing, and opportunities would appear to exist for the more extensive establishment of textile mills in the country.

There are in Canada 3,130 establishments engaged in the clothing industry, 1,810 being occupied in the manufacture of women's wear and 1,316 in that of men's wear. Of the first class, 374 are making factory-made clothing and 216 custom-made clothing. Of the second, 196 make factory-made clothes and 1,620 custom-made. The capital invested in all plants is \$77,320,280, of which \$27,883,652 is invested in the women's clothing industry and \$49,436,628 in that of men's clothing.

Provinces of Ontario Leads Industry.

The Province of Ontario leads in the industry with 770 women's wear plants and 735 men's wear factories. These are capitalized at \$16,509,825 and \$19,388,025 respectively. Quebec follows with 620 plants for women's wear manufacture and 556 for men's wear, the former capitalized at \$9,940,609 and the latter at \$26,896,328. In the Western provinces a total of \$1,840,

203 is invested in men's factories and \$1,073,299 in women's manufacturing houses whilst in the Maritimes \$1,801,854 is invested in the former branch of the industry and \$341,119 in the latter.

Canada's production of men's and women's wear each year is worth approximately \$150,000,000. In the last year for which figures are available the output was worth \$148,610,522, made up of—women's and girls' apparel \$52,747,217, women's and girls' custom tailoring \$3,230,372; millinery establishments \$8,784,079; men's and boys' apparel \$61,391,603; men's and boys' custom tailoring \$20,477,251.

A total of 37,549 employees, 15,149 of whom are men and 22,400 women, are engaged in all Canadian factories, receiving salaries and wages totalling per annum \$40,590,264.

This output of clothing does not fall far short of meeting all Canadian requirements, yet there is an importation of ready-made garments amounting to about three and a half million dollars per year of which the Dominion might be independent. This was made up in the last fiscal year of \$1,569,205 worth of women's and children's outside garments; \$408,043 worth of knit and woven wearing apparel; and ready-made clothing amounting to \$1,267,454. These came in the main from the United States, though certain goods were brought from the United Kingdom.

The Textile Industries.

Closely allied to the clothing manufacturing industries of Canada, as supplying the raw materials for the plants, are the textile industries. In the cotton textile industry there are 31 plants in the Dominion, of which 13 are in Ontario, 13 in Quebec, 4 in New Brunswick and 1 in Nova Scotia. These are capitalized at \$76,413,703 and have 26,124 employees to whom they pay \$19,981,081. A total of 76 mills are en-



A Deep Game.

Roller: "Working, Mose?" Toller: "Naw, uh's jes' playin' tag wit a mole."

gaged in the wool textile manufacturing industry in Canada, 55 being in Ontario, 12 in Quebec and 9 in the Maritime Provinces. They are capitalized at \$21,311,633 and employ 5,588 men and women who receive the sum of \$4,511,325 annually in salaries and wages.

The annual production value of the cotton textile industry in Canada is about \$100,000,000. Against this there are importations amounting to \$106,775,034. Exports of the industry amount to only \$2,518,363, being made up of cotton waste, cotton duck and cotton fabrics. The annual production of the woolen textile plants is around \$30,000,000 annually, against which there are importations of many times this value.

The foregoing survey reveals the fact that there is a good deal of room in Canada for the expansion of the textile industries. This is especially true at the present time when the American tariff tends to hold in the country many Canadian raw products which formerly crossed the border for partial or entire manufacture. With further establishment Canada could not only supply from within herself the needs of her clothing manufacturing industries but develop an export trade in these products.

Her Heal Charm.

A Scotch farmer, a bachelor, and a little past his prime, finding his comforts in life rather meagre on account of his indigent circumstances, decided that the best thing he could do was to marry a certain middle-aged neighbor of his who did not lack for money.

He wooed and won, and his estate soon took on an air of greater prosperity.

One of the first purchases he made with his wife's money was a horse. When he brought it home, he called his wife out to see it. After admiring the animal, she said:

"Weel, Sandy, if it hadna been for my siller it wadna been here."

"Fenny," replied Sandy, "if it hadna been for yer siller, ye wadna have been here yerse!"

Colorful Reply.

"How did that blot come on your copybook, Sam?"

"I think it is a tear, Miss Wallace."

"How could a tear be black, Sam?"

"It must have been a colored boy who dropped it," suggested the reflective Samuel.

A German engineer is using aniline dyes to color the wood of growing trees. He injects the dye into the roots, and the sap carries it through the wood. The artificially colored lumber will probably have some vogue for novelties, and the inventor hopes that he can make the wood of common trees look like that of the rarer kinds.

The Letter.

In "the good old days," it is a matter of familiar remark, people took the time to write long and careful letters. Even business communications were ceremonious and deliberate. Friends, separated by days of more or less troublesome journeying, committed to one long letter what to-day might be told, on the installment plan, in many epistles, or even intrusted to the wire. It is often declared that letter-writing, like the manufacture of Cremona varnish or cashmere shawls, or certain dyes or glazes, is a lost art. Yet our postal routes carry an increasing burden of what passes for written messages from human being to one another.

Letters are not like talk. They do not hesitate. They are not in search of a word. Their language is generally more formal than the language of speech. They merely touch upon a "high point" here and there, whereas if it were conversation there would be more to say of matters which in the lines on paper are merely sketched or summarized.

Yet letters are definitely indicative of the personality behind them.

One kind of letter gets under the cuticle and creates an irritation from the start. That was the intent of the sender. There is a type of mind that feels the satisfaction of malice in dealing a wound. Censure, sarcasm, ridicule or complaint is more impressive put in writing. But, as a master of letters used to point out, the creative act of putting black marks on white paper is a sacred thing. It has given us the world's great literature. It is wrong to use such a power to dishearten another human being needlessly.

Two men, one of whom was the late Walter Page, promised each other that when they found a book or a picture or a play deserving of praise they would write an encouraging letter to the creator of it. That was a good plan. It gave the artist, or author, the stimulus he wanted to do still better work and thus extend and intensify an influence for good in countless lives.

A timely letter may supply just the lift one needs across a crucial place on the way of life. It does not greatly matter what is said. It is not the art of the rhetorician but the genuine feeling in the words that makes the difference. A letter from a child may be ill-spelled and the writing may be a sprawl, but the sweet and earnest face looks from the paper. The letter of parent to child may be wanting in most academic respects, but the love behind the words is what truly signifies. With a sympathetic imagination, one cannot stand in the corridor of a postoffice for a few minutes without realizing a constant tragic drama, of hope frustrated and of mental anguish, due to the failure of an expected letter to arrive. Fortunately, the many disappointments are offset by the satisfaction of hearing from those who, near or far, are close to us in feeling. The letter is never a perfect substitute for the writer of a letter. Yet it may in its silent office as a messenger say the things that are comforting to him who writes as well as to him who reads.

The Mother Aristocracy.

"You have no lower classes in this country?"

"Certainly we have."

"And what do you call them?"

"Pedestrians."

School districts in various parts of Canada are taking an interest in the reforestation movement. It is easy to enlist the sympathies of the youth of the country in tree planting. There is pleasure in the mere act of putting something into the ground and watching it grow.



Obliging.

Mistress: "Nora, I won't have that husky milkman in my kitchen." Nora: "All right, mum, I know a smaller one."

IN RABBITBORO



GENERAL DEBILITY FOLLOWS INFLUENZA

The After Effects Often More
Serious Than the Disease
Itself.

No reasonable precaution to avert an attack of influenza should be spared. The disease itself often proves fatal and its after effects among those who are spared, make the life of the victim one of almost constant misery. Ask almost any of those who have been attacked by this trouble what their present condition of health is, and most of them will answer: "Since I had the influenza I have never been fully well." This trouble leaves behind it a persistent weakness of the limbs, shortness of breath, bad digestion, palpitation of the heart and a tired feeling after even slight exertion. This is due to the thin blood condition in which the patient is left after the fever and influenza have subsided. This condition will continue until the blood is built up again, and for building up the blood and strengthening the nerves nothing can equal a fair treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The value of this medicine in cases of this kind is shown by the statement of Mr. Edward J. McGuire, Pembroke, Ont., who says:—"In the fall of 1918 I was attacked with the influenza—and not in a mild form either. I was confined to my room for three weeks, and although the influenza subsided I did not regain my health. As a matter of fact I seemed to be growing weaker. I had no appetite, was subject to fainting spells and my feet and ankles were badly swollen. The doctor told me that my condition had developed into a serious case of anaemia, and although I was under his care for over two months I was not improving in any way. At this stage one of my friends advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was loath to do so, as I began to think my case hopeless. However, I was finally persuaded to try them, and by the time I had used two boxes there was no doubt they were helping me. I continued taking the pills until I had used a dozen boxes, when I found that every symptom of the trouble had left me and I was again enjoying the best of health. I returned to my work and have ever since been in good health and feel that I owe it entirely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I think that anyone who is suffering from the after effects of influenza, or any form of anaemia, should give this medicine a fair trial." You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Morning Star.

This morn I watched a lonely shining star,
And I remembered once, long, long ago,
How you and I, one dawning, early rose
And o'er half waking meadows wandered far,
Until we reached that fir-tipped hill—
You know
We watched our star's white, radiating glow—
At length its fading beauty paled and died
When dawn came rising from out the sea.
Until this morn, I fear I did forget
That wonder hour with you at my side,
Shall I imagine too, you have forgotten me?
So be it . . . but our morning star
shines yet!
—Agnes Choute Woson.

A sprinkling machine is now used in many mines to lay down dangerous coal dust.

The Part of Luck in Musicians' Career.

Musicians who wait like Mr. Menckner for something to turn up may have a long time to wait. Luck both good and bad unquestionably plays a part in every man's career. Many of the world's greatest musicians were born unlucky and suffered in consequence. Though he never knew it, Schubert was, as they say in the West, "plumb unlucky." He thought he was in luck whenever he got a square deal, and was always rejoicing whenever he got enough paper on which to transcribe the musical ideas teeming in his brain. He was distinctly out of luck, the world owed him something more than music paper on which to write immortal songs.

Wagner had to wait about forty years before his luck broke. He never really emerged from obscurity until a lunatic saw what others failed to see, and Ludwig of Bavaria, a crazy king, gave him a chance. This was indeed luck, but Wagner prepared for it by writing masterpieces.

Mendelssohn was lucky before he was born. He selected the right parents and was born rich. He was unlucky, however, in being born at the wrong time. He died too soon, broken hearted over the death of his sister Fanny, from a nervous disorder. Had he lived in modern times the chances are that his life would have been saved.

But the luckiest of all composers was Liszt, who never suffered want and lived to a ripe old age, a fine, noble, generous man and a sterling musician. Verdi was lucky also. He lived over four score years in a grand crescendo of achievement.

However, lucky or not, these masters all worked with remarkable energy regardless of the element of chance.

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Comes Naturally.
Mother—"Jack, why are you such a bad boy?"
Jack—"Cause I inherited 'nothin' good, I suppose."

Sugar Made by Light.

It is announced by Professor Hugh R. Rathbone, of Liverpool University, that considerable quantities of sugar have been made from carbonic acid by the agency of light.

This wonderful feat has been made possible by the results of remarkable experiments carried out by Professor E. C. Baly, a prominent investigator of the mysteries of light.

Professor Baly, with his colleagues, Professors Heilbron and Barker, discovered that ultra violet light would convert water containing carbonic acid gas into formaldehyde, a substance now used on a large scale in many branches of industry; but they found, too, that the light rays continued in their wonderful process, eventually turning the formaldehyde into sugar.

Water is available in immeasurable quantities and carbonic acid is merely a waste product equally abundant, and the magic of light rays of a certain wave length will cause them to combine and give sugar.

WINTER WEATHER HARD ON LITTLE ONES

Our Canadian winters are exceedingly hard on the health of little ones. The weather is often so severe that the mother cannot take the little one out for an airing. The consequence is that baby is confined to overheated, badly ventilated rooms, takes cold and becomes cross and peevish. Baby's Own Tablets should be given to keep the little one healthy. They are a mild laxative which regulate the stomach and bowels and thus prevent colds. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Why They Smiled.

Stumps was shaving himself, when he made a slight cut on the end of his nose. He called to his wife for sticking plaster and was told to look in her sewing basket.

At the office, everyone who entered his sanctum smiled.

Considerably annoyed, he asked his partner if there was anything wrong with his appearance.

"I should say there is!" was the reply. "What's on your nose?"

"Sticking-plaster."

"No," said the other: "it is the label from a spool of cotton, and it says, 'Warranted 300 yards!'"

MONEY ORDERS.

A Dominion Express Money Order for five dollars costs three cents.

Curious Fact.

It is a curious fact that the higher the civilization of a race the lower the action of the senses. Actual experiments have shown that, whereas the ear of the white man responds to a sound in 147-thousandths of a second that of a negro responds in 136-thousandths, and that of a Red Indian in 116-thousandths.

Minard's Liniment for Neuralgia.

Expresses of the Sky.

The purpose for which the racing aeroplane is intended is not generally understood; in fact, there are a great number of people who regard the piloting of it as a rather unpleasant means of committing suicide.

In the first place, it gives the designer some idea of the amount of strain which may comfortably be imposed upon the machine during its flight through the air at speeds often exceeding 200 miles an hour.

While on a practice flight on the Lumiere de Monde monoplane, with which he intended to compete in the Coupe Deutscher race of 1921, Captain Bernard de Romanet, one of France's most brilliant pilots, was killed by the fabric covering the wing of his machine pulling off while flying at about 150 miles an hour.

The modern single-seater fighter is another type of aerial express. The Gloucestershire Aircraft Company's Bamel, which is probably the fastest aeroplane in the world, has been tried at Manteau Heath, the British Air Ministry's experimental aerodrome, with a view to modifying it for this purpose.

In designing a racing aeroplane it is necessary to do away with any projections likely to resist the machine's progress through the air; in fact, the Bamel is covered with a special dope which gives a very smooth anti-friction surface to the machine.

The wing surface of a racing aeroplane is cut down much lower than that of a machine designed for ordinary purposes.

The man who does what he pleases is seldom pleased with what he does. We attribute all our successes to ourselves and all our failures to our circumstances.

LONDON COUPLE ARE DELIGHTED

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Why is a Foxglove?

We use the names of our common flowers and plants so frequently and so heedlessly that few of us ever stop to think of the derivations of these names. Yet there is no other class of words in the English language which we have collected more haphazardly from every other language in the world.

Take the dandelion, that common but wonderful flower which blooms all the year round; its name is pure French. Mallow is Greek. Artichoke is from an Arabic word meaning "earth thorn." Rhubarb is Latin, and bean Anglo-Saxon, while potato is really a Spanish word.

Some flower names have their origin plainly stamped on them. "Collifoot," for instance, is also called "Foolfoot." Its hoof-shaped leaf quite evidently gave it its common name. Bachelor's Button, again, shows the origin of its name in the shape of its button-like flower. Similarly "knop weed," which is really "knob" weed.

Some flower names, on the other hand, are very mysterious. Why is a foxglove so called? This bloom of the late summer has flowers shaped like the fingers of a glove, but what has it to do with a fox? Probably nobody knows, yet the name is a very ancient one, and appears as early as Norman times.

The cowslip which the children pluck in spring is equally puzzling. Its old name was "cuspip," but that does not help us out.

Harshell may possibly be "hair bell," having reference to the extreme thinness and delicacy of the stalk.

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CORNS

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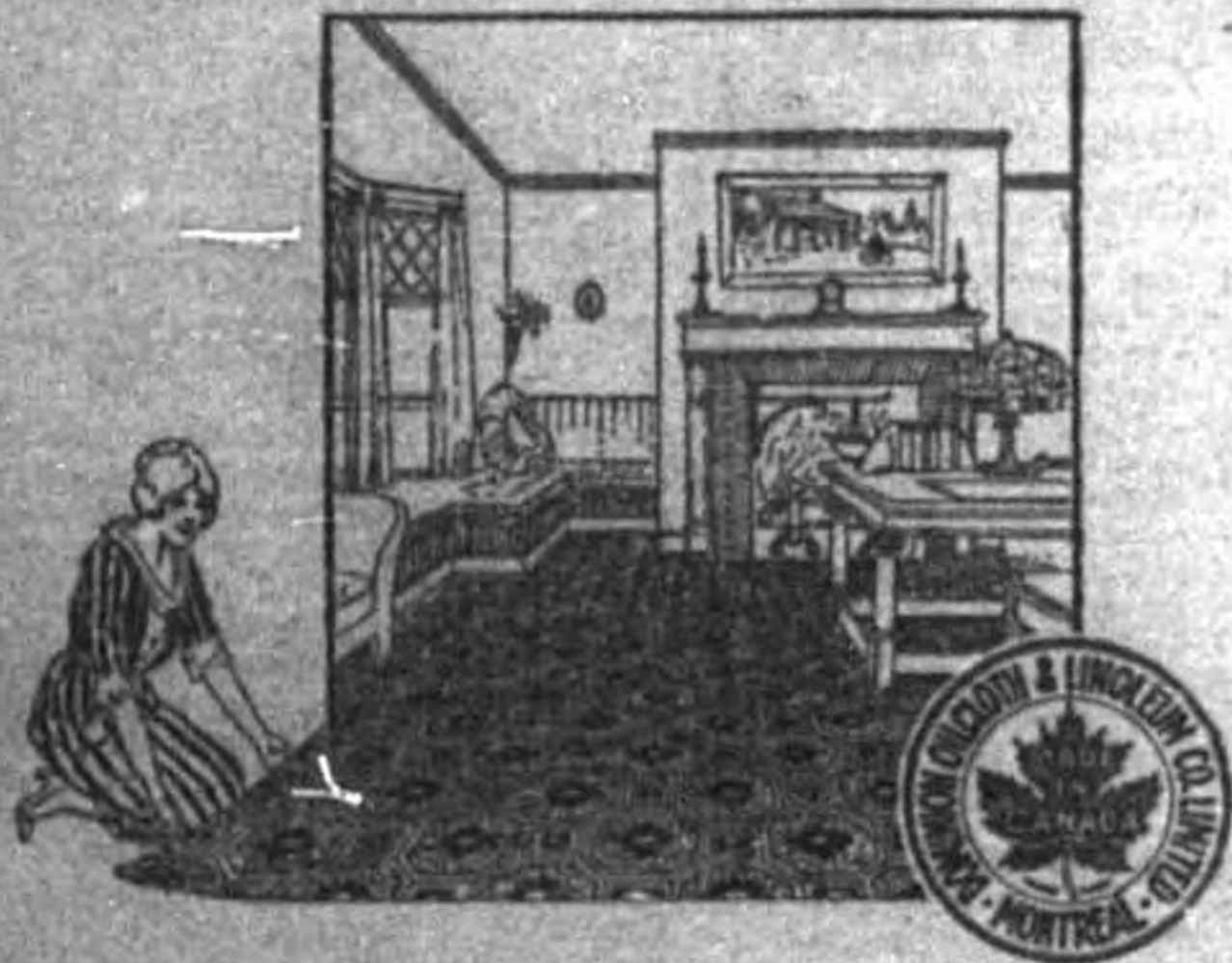
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EN PASSANT.

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IN THE ORDINARY course of things we expect to find a certain sequence, based upon the broad lines which we have decided should regulate events of importance. Yet as often as not, we find that the unexpected happens instead, and then we get up in our places and announce that the world is going utterly and completely to the dogs, despite the alleged laws of gravitation, and indirect contradiction of all the rules of logical deduction.

Not a day passes without our discovering an error of some sort in the forecast, some divergence from our computation of results, some loose ends in the pattern; then we elevate our eyebrows and register "How Come?" that being the modern synonym for surprised inquiry.

Generally speaking our expectations follow our inclination, our desire. We want things to happen a certain way, and overlook the essential contributions to the events or invest them with too much importance, consequently we go or fall under, in our estimates and calculations of the events.

Night follows day, on established conditions, and the same conditions apply when we say that day follows night: The rule is simple because nothing interferes with it: it is established, self-evident and familiar. But it is the compound conditions which perplex us and overthrow our estimates. Every event, which in our ignorance of conditions, we attribute to accident, is governed by an adamantine rule as the running of water downhill. "Accidents" would be impossible if we could avoid them by understanding the absolute laws which cause them. We may go farther and say that nothing ever happens by accident: Everything has a cause, a tree falls, a dam bursts, a chain breaks: Why? There is no need to ask: The reason is obvious...after the event.

Every year fire causes terrible destruction in the Canadian forests: Why? For the simplest of all reasons: a cigarette end, or the remains of a camp fire, and inflammable material meet, on equal terms, and the laws of nature insist that a conflagration ensue. These two are twin brothers, with strangely different characteristics, but they would both with one voice say they didn't know "twins loaded!"

You may be able to curb carelessness and make it criminal by rules and regulations, but ignorance is not amenable to such measures. The Forest Protection Committee of Canada met recently and laid plans to combat the careless twin. Here are some of their suggestions.

To Curtail Forest Fire Losses PROPOSALS for the curtailment of fire losses in British Columbia forests were considered by the Forest Protection Committee, which met in Victoria recently, and it is expected that some of the plans favored by the majority will be incorporated into legislation at this year's session of the legislature.

The three main suggestions discussed and approved by the committee were the following:

1. Enactment of a law to make it obligatory upon every citizen to report bush fires witnessed to the proper authorities.

2. Legislation to control smoking in the woods during that part of the year when the fire hazard is greatest.

3. Authority for the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to declare any area of forest a "danger zone" and to order the cessation of logging and other operations in the regions so described.

The Haileybury case is taken by some officials of the British Columbia forest branch as proof that no fire is really safe during the hot season. It is an example that will certainly lead to even greater precautions here in respect to regulated burnings.

It would be unreasonable, in fact, impossible to prohibit all fires during the hot season," Chief Forester P. Z. Caverhill told the Pacific Coast Lumbermen. "So long as all the fires are reported and are managed in accordance with the instructions of our own men, there should be no danger, but the lighting of fires indiscriminately must be checked. We already have ample regulations to cover the burning of slash.

"The reason we want legislation to control smoking in the woods is that something stronger than company's orders is required to curb the menace. Under present conditions, many log-

ging concerns have issued instructions to their employees, prohibiting smoking while on the job. The most severe penalty for violating the order is dismissal. Something in the way of a stiff fine or imprisonment would probably be better, and the legislature alone has power to fix that.

"When the fire situation was at its height last year the government issued a proclamation asking the logging operators to suspend work until conditions had improved. The request was obeyed in the majority of cases, but it is felt that it would be wise for the government to have power to make suspension of operations compulsory in cases of extreme danger.

DAMAGE to forests, caused by ignorance, (the other destructive twin) can only be prevented by the spread of knowledge of cause and effect and a proper adjustment of the margin between them. This is the province of the school teacher and the scout master. It is as important as teaching the rising generations of Canadians that the wealth of their country lies in their forests, and if the lesson were effectively put, and intelligently learned, it would go far in straightening out the problem of the "unexpected" in ordinary affairs, and in doing away with that idiotic "How Come?" expression that worries us at times.

THE LINKMAN.

ST. ANDREWS.

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Christ Church W.A. is meeting this afternoon (Thursday) at the home of Mrs. Robt. Jones.

There will be the usual Litany and address in Christ Church, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The 500 Club was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacGregor Saturday evening Feb. 24th.

Mr. Dawson, Montreal, spent last week-end with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Burwash. The members of Christ Church W.A. packed and shipped a splendid bale, for the Diocese of MacKenzie River, on Monday afternoon.

The Rev. W. A. Howard was in Montreal for a couple of days last week, on Synod business, returning with Mrs. Howard, Saturday afternoon.

Miss Madeleine Neve, returned on Friday, from Montreal, where she has been for a few weeks with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. Say.

Miss Yarker and Mrs. Howard were in Montreal last week, attending the Annual meetings of the M.D.W.A.; while in town the former was the guest of Mrs. Farthing, at Bishops-court, the latter the guest of Miss Budden, Dorchester St.

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Class III.—Douglas Stewart 55, N. Warwick 53.

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GRADE II.

Scripture.

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Scripture.

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No. 2250.
SUPERIOR COURT.

Notice is hereby given that there has been lodged in the office of the prothonotary of the Superior Court, in the district of Terrebonne, a deed executed before Victor Morin, notary, on the twenty third day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, between Louis Joseph Fauteux, of St-Benoit, district of Terrebonne, and Jean Fauteux, of the city and district of Montreal, being a sale by the said Louis Joseph Fauteux, to the said Jean Fauteux, of an immovable property, on St-Angele Street, in the village of St-Benoit, Two-Mountain county, being part of lot number two hundred and eighty-two (No. 282) of the official plan of books, for the parish of St-Benoit, measuring two hundred and fourteen feet in front, on St-Angele Street, by one hundred and fifty-six feet deep, and from there, being five hundred and forty-two feet on a new depth of two hundred and fifty three feet, at which point it joins number two hundred and seventy-six (No. 276) of said official plan and books, bounded on the northeast; the said lot being bounded at one end by part of lot number two hundred and eighty-two (No. 282) sold to Samuel Fauteux, and at the east side partly by the lot sold to said Samuel Fauteux, and partly by another lot belonging to said vendor, the whole with house, shop and dwellings hereon and also machineries, boilers and other articles belonging to the said manufacturing plant erected on said immovable property and possessed by Louis Joseph Fauteux, as proprietor, for the three years now last past; and all persons who claim any privilege or hypothec upon the

said immovable immediately before the registration of the said deed by which the said lot was acquired by hereby notified that application will be made to the said Court of the District of Terrebonne, at Ste-Scholastique, the sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the judgement of confirmation of title; and that unless their claims are such as the registrar is bound by the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure to include in his certificate to be filed in this case, they are hereby required to serve their oppositions in writing, and file the same in the office of the said prothonotary, within six days after the said day, in default of which they will be forever precluded from the right of so doing.

STE-SCHOLASTIQUE, February 17th, 1923.
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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
DISTRICT OF TERREBONNE
MAGISTRATE COURT.
No. 106.

VICTOR BERGERON, of the city and district of Montreal, machinist, Plaintiff,

-vs-
DAME MATHILDE DUPUIS,
widow of late Joseph Dupuis, of St. Adolphe de Howard, district of Terrebonne.
Defendant.
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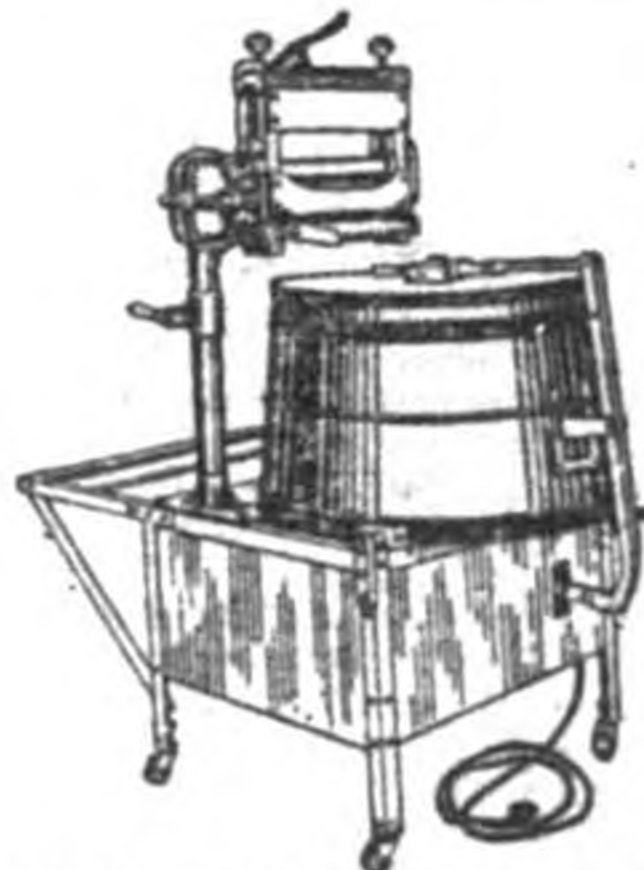
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CHAPTER XXII.—(Cont'd.)

I took the letter and read:
"I have had many letters to write since my service began as a nurse in the war, but never have I approached the task with such mixed emotions. The pain I must give you I would gladly bear myself if I could; but it is not all pain; underneath it, running through it in some way I cannot explain, is a note so much deeper than pain that it must be joy."
"You will already have been advised that David Eden was among those who fell at Concorde. It is true to say that you have the sympathy of a grateful nation. How grateful the nation really is we shall know by its treatment of the heroes who survive the war, and of the dependents of those who have crossed over. But nothing can rob you of the knowledge that he played a man's part. Nothing can deprive you from that universal fellowship of sympathy which is springing up wherever manhood is valued at its worth."
"A new Order has been born into the world—the Order of Suffering. Not that it is new, either; it has been with us since the first mother went into the shadow for her first child; but always suffering has been incidental; a matter of the individual; a thing to be escaped if possible. But now it is universal, a thing not to be escaped, but to be accepted, readily, bravely, even gladly. And all who so accept it enter into the new Order, and wear its insignia, which is unsoldierly and sympathy and service. And in that Order you shall not be least, measured by either your sacrifice or the spirit in which you accept it."
"But you are yearning for his last word; for some voice that will seem to you now almost a voice out of the grave, and I am happy to be able to bring you that word. It was something more than chance that guided me that night, as it is every night."
"We were seen behind the line of actual fighting, but still in the danger zone of artillery fire. Night had settled in, all was darkness save for occasional distant flares. I had become detached from my party in moving to another station lost, if you like, yet not lost; never have I gone so directly to so great a destination. While try-

ing to get my location I became aware of a presence; it will sound strange to you, but I became intensely aware of your presence. Of course I knew it could not be you, in the flesh, but you it seemed to be, nevertheless. I moved as though led by an invisible hand, and presently I found a bit of shattered wall. In the gloom I could just discern the form of a man lying in the shelter of the wall—if you could call it shelter—it rose scarce a foot above the ground.

"I knelt beside him and turned my torch on to his face. It was pale even through the brown skin; the eyes were closed; the hair was wet and plastered on the forehead; there were smears of blood in it and on his cheeks. As my light fell on his lips they framed a smile.

"Reenie," he said, "it was good of you to come. I knew you would come."
"I am here, Dave," I answered, and I think you will forgive the impersonation. "Now let me find out where you are hurt, and we'll fix you up, and get you moved presently."

"He opened his eyes and looked at me with the strange look of a man whose thread of consciousness is half-unraveled. 'Oh, it's you, Edith,' he said, when he had taken me in. 'Funny, I thought it was Irene. I must have been dreaming.'"
"I questioned him again about his wound, and began feeling his hair. 'It's not there,' he said. 'Guess I got it all over my hands. They got me this time. Shrapnel, in the body. Don't waste time on me. Some other fellow may have a chance.'"

"I found, with a little examination, that the case was as bad as he supposed. Fortunately, the wound had induced a local paralysis, and he was not suffering to any great degree. I placed my hand in his and felt his grip tighten on it.

"I'm going to stay till it's over, Dave. We'll see it out together."

"That's decent," he answered, and then was still for quite a time.

"I've often wondered what was on the other side," he said at length. "I shall know presently."

"You are not afraid?" I whispered.

"No. Only sort of curious. And reverent. I guess it's reverent. . . ."

"You know I haven't been much on religion. Never seemed to get the formula. What is the formula? I mean the key—the thing that gives it all in one word?"

"In one word—sacrifice."

"I walked out of church once because of some doctrine about sacrifice," he continued. "I couldn't go it. . . . And yet—there may be something in it. It's sacrifice here, Edith. War is sacrifice. Sacrifice for other people. It's not all on the surface. There's something deeper than we know."

"He that loveth his life shall find it," I quoted.

"He did not answer, but I could see his lips smiling again. His breath was more labored. A few drops of rain fell, and some of them splattered on his face.

"Presently he chuckled. It was an eerie sensation, out on that broad plain of death, alone by the side of this man who was already far into the shadow—to hear him chuckle.

"That splash of water—you remember—it made me think of the time we pulled the old car into the stream, and the harness broke, or something, and I had to carry you. You remember that, Reenie?" I could only say "Yes," and press his hand. His mind was back on the old, old trails.

"He became suddenly sober. 'And when Brownie was killed,' he went on, 'I said it was the innocent thing that got caught. Perhaps I was right. But perhaps it's best to get caught. Not for the getting caught, but for the compensations. It's the innocent men that are getting killed. And perhaps it's best. Perhaps there are compensations worth while.'"

"His voice was weaker, and I had to lean close to catch his words.

"I'm going—out," he said. "Kiss me, Reenie."

"And then I kissed him—for you. Suddenly he sat up.

"The mountains!" he exclaimed, and his voice was a thrill with the pride of his old hills. "See, the moonlight—on the mountains!"

"Then his strength, which seemed to have gathered itself for this one last vision of the place of his boyhood, gave way, and he fell back. And he did not speak any more.

"And what can I add? Dear, it is not defeat. It is promise. It is hope. . . ."

"Some day we shall know. But until then we shall go on. It is woman's bit to carry on. But not in despair or despondency; not in bitterness; not in anger or despair. He didn't go out that way. He was reverent—and a little curious, and he went out with a smile. And we shall go on, and carry his smile and his confidence through the valley of our sacrifices. What am I doing, speaking of our sacrifice?"

"I salute you, sister in the Order of Suffering—and of hope."

"Edith Duncan."

I handed the letter back to her, and for a time I had no words. "Would you let me tell the story?" I said at

length. "The world is full of sorrow, and it needs voices to give that sorrow words, and perhaps turn it into hope—as this letter does."

She hesitated, and I realized then how much I had asked. "It is the story of my life—my soul," she said. "Yet, if it would help—"

"Without names," I hastened to explain. "Without real names of places or people."

And so, in that little whitewashed home, where the brown hills rise around and the placid mountains look down from the distance, and a tongue of spruce trees beyond the stream stands sentinel against the open prairie, she is carrying on, not in despondency and bitterness, but in service and in hope. And so her sisters, all this world over, must carry on, until their sweetness and their sacrifice shall fill up and flood over all the valleys of hate. . . . And if you should chance that way, and if you should win the confidence of young Three-year-old, he may stand for you and say, with his voice filled with the honor and the glory and the pride of it,

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(The End.)

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Ensilage for Pregnant Ewes.

For feeding pregnant ewes as a part of the roughage ration, ensilage has won comparative favor with flock owners. They consider it one of the cheapest and most valuable of roughage feeds. Ensilage is found to successfully take the place of roots and when care is exercised not to over-feed, digestive disorders seldom occur. In years past I have fed ensilage to both fattening lambs and breeding ewes during pregnancy and have found it a most excellent feed. The animals soon become extremely fond of it, and especially during the winter when confined to dry feed. Years ago before ensilage came into general favor as a feed for breeding ewes we always encountered much trouble with grade Merino ewes at lambing and in rearing the lambs on account of the ewes not having sufficient nourishment for their newly-born young. The first winter we had ensilage to feed, the ewes were given about a half ration twice daily and the former trouble practically ceased. We have been feeding ensilage to sheep both fattening and for breeding purposes for the past thirty years and always with splendid results.

Quite frequently objection is advanced by flock owners that ensilage contains so much acid it is harmful to pregnant ewes and should not be fed. I do not believe there is any foundation for this opinion. Of course, ensilage made from too green corn contains a higher percentage of acid than that made from well-matured corn and some harmful effects might result from feeding heavily on ensilage of this quality. However, after thirty years' experience in feeding ensilage to all kinds of live stock I do not think we have ever encountered any harmful results. Some years ago we filled our silo with large western corn that had not matured. We began feeding the ensilage as usual to the pregnant ewes but we soon noticed that some of the ewes were scouring, so we cut down on the silage and began feeding dry corn stover and the trouble soon disappeared. We had similar trouble that winter from feeding the ensilage to dairy cows and I think it was caused from silaging the corn crop before it came to maturity. There is good and poor ensilage the same as good and poor hay, but the consensus of opinion points to the fact that good ensilage is very beneficial in promoting the function of digestion, as an appetizer and general tonic. Experiments conclusively establish the fact that ensilage does not affect adversely milk production nor harmfully interfere with the nourishing of young.

Flock owners and practical students of feeding problems recognize that succulence is essential in the ration of pregnant ewes during the winter months while confined to close quarters. When the weather is severe and the flock can not run to a pasture field where they may obtain some succulent feed, some means must be provided to furnish this necessary succulence in the daily ration or trouble is incurred with the ewes at parturition and during the early period of nursing the lambs. Pregnant ewes naturally require some succulence in their daily diet to assist digestion and reproduction.

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A recent bulletin from the New York Experiment Station, Geneva, gives results of tests with various materials for preserving manure. The results show, to the satisfaction of the station, at least, that the only material to use is acid phosphate. The materials compared were straw, peat, acid phosphate, rock phosphate and gypsum.

"Most manure preservatives are of little value in checking loss of nitrogen," the station advises. "In the tests the amount of nitrogen lost ranged from 15 per cent. for manure treated with acid phosphate, to fifty-one per cent. for untreated manure." Immediate application of the preservative is advised, even if the manure is to be hauled to the field as soon as voided. It is suggested that two handfuls of acid phosphate be scattered in each horse stall every day, so that the horses will tramp it into the manure. Wheat straw was found to be detrimental to manure. Where the straw was added to manure applied to growing crops, a detrimental effect was noted, as compared with results from fresh manure alone. The station does not explain why this is true.

So far as the tests have gone, it seems that the best results will be secured where acid phosphate is mixed with the manure as soon as it is voided and the mixture stored in a covered shed or pit until such time as it can be conveniently spread on the field.

On Naming the Farm.

Farmers who have had occasion to sell goods on a special market, or to do a great deal of publicity, are fully agreed that every farm ought to be named. This name should be something apart from the owner's name.

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His wife could eat no lean;

So betwixt them both, you see,

They licked the platter clean.

We are inclined to the opinion that if Mrs. Spratt had been the manager of a co-operative marketing association, she would have studied carefully her home market, just as she apparently did the feeding of herself and husband. In this study she would have learned the kind of products needed by the people living around her. Then, in a business-like way, this motherly woman would have gone about to supply these wants and have the supply so regulated that there would not be too much of any kind left over to glut the trade. She would want the market platter clean when all had supplied their needs.

Farmers of Ontario can well afford to follow the wisdom of Mrs. Spratt in connection with their marketing business. It is better to see that the folks next to us are properly cared for, than it is to forget them while endeavoring to ship farm products to the uttermost parts of the earth. We should watch the market platter, and seek to keep upon it products which appeal to our home trade.

Dairy

To prevent horns from growing on little calves chip off the hair about the top of the head where the horns are showing in small, tough-like buds. Get a stick of caustic potash from your drug store. Wet the swellings where the horns are coming through. Rub the caustic potash stick, like a pencil, over the budding horns. Repeat this process two or three times at intervals of a week. The horns will thus be destroyed and never grow.

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DISTRICT OF TERREBONNE
No. 20.

Mrs. Mary Layette, wife common as to property with ALPHONSE ALLAIRE, stone cutter, of the town of Terrebonne, in the district of Terrebonne.

Plaintiff,
The said ALPHONSE ALLAIRE,
Defendant.

NOTICE

An action as to property has been instituted this day.

St. Scholastique, the 7th of February, 1923.

EMILIE L. SASSVILLE
Advocate for the Plaintiff.

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Miss Murdoch Wins

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Congratulations are being extended to Miss Violet L. Murdoch, a seventh pupil of Chatham rural school No. 10, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Murdoch, of Chatham township, who has been awarded the second of three prizes offered to English pupils of the province of Quebec by the Canadian Forestry Association, for which the competitors were required to write an essay on forestry. Miss Murdoch's prize was \$15. Three prizes of twenty-five, fifteen and ten dollars respectively were offered to pupils in each of the nine provinces, with an additional set of prizes for Quebec in order that English and French pupils might participate separately. Thus \$500 were distributed by the association in this manner throughout the Dominion.

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OBITUARY.

THE LATE MR. JNO. HICKS.

The death occurred on Wednesday after a short illness of pneumonia of John Hicks, of Lakeside, a retired and much respected farmer, at the age of 78 years. Deceased was born at Lakeside and lived on the farm until about two years ago, when he with his sister came to the village to live. His sister of 85 who is prostrate with the shock of his death survives him.

THE LATE MRS. H. MASON.

It is with much sorrow we record the death of Bessie Alma McAdam, beloved wife of Harold Mason, Staynerville, who passed away on Wednesday evening, after an illness of eight months at the early age of 23. The funeral will take place on Friday March 9th, at 2 p.m. from her late residence. Besides her loving husband and mother, she leaves three sisters, Mrs. Brown, of Staynerville, Mrs. Sctean, of Showegan, Maine, and Miss McAdam, of Chapleau, four brothers Jessy of Chapleau, & Frank Percy and Wyman at home to mourn her loss.

THE LATE AND. McCONNELL.

Funeral services were held here on Wednesday for the late Andrew Wm. McConnell, a veteran of the Riel Rebellion of 1885, whose death occurred in New Liskeard, Ont., on Saturday last. The body was brought to Lachute on Tuesday and the funeral was held at the Methodist Church, Rev. Albert Mathews officiating. Mr. McConnell was the fourth son of the late Andrew McConnell and was born in Chatham township, Argenteuil county, sixty-three years ago.

With his two brothers, Gilbert and James, the late Mr. McConnell settled in Qu'Appelle, Sask., and they were all three there at the time of the Riel Rebellion in 1885. Andrew and Gilbert McConnell participated in the suppression of the rebellion, Andrew being given the post of courier for General Sir Frederick Middleton, who at the time was in charge of the Canadian forces. In this connection an interesting fact is that Andrew McConnell had been awarded a contract for the repairing of telegraph wires in the district, which was one of the employments the insurgents considered should have been given to them, and one of the various incidents that induced them to rebel.

In his capacity as courier, Mr. McConnell was given a dispatch to carry to Colonel Otter whose headquarters were at Prince Albert, Sask., but during the trip he was fired at by two insurgents who had noticed him at a moment when he was obliged to dismount in order to repair his saddle. Before he could mount his horse and ride away the two half-breeds were able to capture him in spite of his stubborn fight. He was taken to Batoche which eventually proved to be the scene of Riel's retreat. With eight other men that had been captured, McConnell was held captive for twenty-one days in a cellar of a building which was used by the half-breeds as headquarters.

Following the battle of Batoche, which resulted in the retreat of the half-breeds, the victors, the Queen's Own of Toronto, happened to pass the building wherein McConnell and his companions were confined. In after years McConnell often related the great sense of relief he and his fellow captives felt when they saw what he described as "the thin red line" passing the building. This was the more accentuated since the captives were by this time in a semi-starved condition. When the soldiers were seen, McConnell directed their attention to the building by his shouts. The building was surrounded by the troops, but it was found to have been vacated.

It was discovered that the trap door which locked the cellar had been made the more secure by a strong plank fixed to the door, this being supported by a further beam placed from the door to the ceiling. When they forced the door open the soldiers stood with fixed bayonets, and were greeted with an exclamation: "I'm McConnell," whereupon a soldier named Fox thus that he and the other captives were rescued.

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MUSICAL TREAT

A high class artistic and musical concert will be given in the Victoria Hall, on Easter Tuesday, the 3rd of April next, under the auspices of the St. Julien's new parish of the R. C. Church, in the West Ward of Lachute.

Mr. Emile Tarento, the well-known violin professor of the city of Montreal, with Mr. Hercule Lavoie, the reputed baritone singer will give some of the best pieces of their repertoire. Several other artists from the city will also take interesting part in the programme, which is said to be of great artistic value.

Lovers of classical music will not forget this opportunity. It will be a selected one.

OBITUARY.

The Late Mrs. Harold Mason.

A deep gloom has been cast over this community by the untimely death of one of its young and highly respected citizens.

After an illness lasting for eight months, and borne with christian patience and fortitude, there passed peacefully away, at her home here on Wednesday, March 7th, Bessie Alma McAdam beloved wife of Harold Mason and daughter of Mrs. John McAdam.

The deceased was still in the spring of life being only in her 23rd year. Besides a loving husband and mother she leaves to mourn her loss three sisters, Mrs. J. J. Fectean, of Shawhegan, Me., Mrs. J. Brown, of Mabel and Mrs. G. McAdam of Chapleau, Ont., also five brothers, Jesse of Chapleau, Ont., Percy and Howard of Brownsburg and Frank and Wymen at home.

The funeral, which took place on Friday, Mar. 9th, was conducted by Rev. Mr. Saunders, after which the remains were conducted to their last resting place in Ogdensburg Cemetery followed by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gall spent Tuesday in Montreal.

Miss Lucy Morrison, of Montreal, was a week-end visitor in town.

Mr. Keith Christie was the guest of his mother Mrs. Geo. Christie.

Mrs. Bissett, of Lachine, is the guest of Mrs. Mackie this week.

Miss E. Bradley, of Ste. Amodee, was a recent guest of her parents.

Mr. S. Chaloux left on Wednesday, for a business trip to Sudbury, Ont.

Mr. Lyle Middleton, of McGill University, spent the week-end in town.

Miss Irene Scott, of Cowansville, spent the week-end with her parents.

Mrs. Geo. MacKinnon is spending this week visiting friends in Montreal.

Mr. Geo. Muir, of Montreal, was the guest of his parents for the week-end.

Mrs. Dwyer, of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. Robt. McIntyre this week.

Mrs. Dagenais, of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. Omer Paquette this week.

Miss Katie McQuat, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Miss G. McQuat.

Miss Violet Gray of Montreal, spent the week-end in town the guest of Miss Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lavigne spent the week-end in St. Scholastique visiting friends.

Miss Ethelwyn Wright, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mrs. Stuart McFaul.

Mrs. E. Cook, of Montreal, is the guest of her mother Mrs. H. Sutton for a few weeks.

Mr. Parsons returned from a pleasant visit to Renfrew and Arnprior on Wednesday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. H. Ronalds, on the arrival of a fine baby-boy, at their home.

Miss Boa, of Point Fortune, was the guest of the Misses S. and E. McGibbon this week.

Miss Wilhelmina Shaw, of Montreal, spent last week in town, owing to the illness of her mother.

Miss Elsie McIntyre spent a few days in Montreal this week, attending the wedding of her brother.

Congratulations to Archie Smith, W. Prevost, and J. M. Nelson, whose Birthdays fell on the 14th inst.

Mrs. Herdman of Eardley, is spending this week, the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Scott.

Mrs. Wm. Heatlie who has been spending some time in Montreal is now the guest of Mrs. Geo. Calder.

Dr. Edward Christie was in Ottawa on Thursday of this week, attending the funeral of the late Mr. J. D. Lamb.

Miss Mildred Gaston, and Mr. Roy Gaston, of Chatham, were week-end guests of their grandmother Mrs. J. Hammond.

The Misses Penfold, of Montreal, spent the week-end at "The Farm" and entertained a house party of young people.

Madame Laferrriere, of Quebec, spent a few days this week, with Mrs. Louis Lafleur, both ladies also going to Montreal for a visit.

Miss Laura Hammond and Mr. W. Hammond, who have been spending the winter months with their mother left for their home in Ceylon, Sask., on Monday.

Special Picture.

"When Knighthood was in Flower" will be shown in the Albert Hall, Lachute, on Friday March 16th. Don't miss it. Admission 35 cts.

The many friends of Mr. William Lamb of Buckingham, will sympathize with him in the loss of his father Mr. J. D. Lamb, of Ottawa, who passed away on Tuesday last, after a few days illness.

—The Ladies of St. Simeon's Church purpose holding a St. Patrick's Tea with sale of Home-made cooking and candy in the Victoria Hall, on Saturday Mar. 17th, from 3 to 6. Everybody Welcome. Musical programme.

A wonderful thrilling picture is being shown in Goyette's Hall, Brownsburg on Thursday and Saturday, and in Bishop's Hall, Lachute, on Friday night, March 16th. It is "When Knighthood was in Flower" and is shown in 12 reels. A real picture of rare interest.

Mrs. Peter Cruise was the hostess on Friday evening last at a surprise party, and farewell, for Miss Laura Hammond and Mr. Wm. Hammond, Messrs. Wm. and Geo. Graham, and Gordon Cruise, who left for Meachem, and Ceylon, Sask., on Monday, followed by the good wishes of their many friends.

Miss Allison Cottingham, of Montreal, was the guest of her mother for the week-end.

—The Ladies of the Baptist Church will hold a Missionary Thank Offering on Friday afternoon April 6th. Good programme and speaker. Refreshments will be served. All are invited. Keep the date in mind.

—The Ninth Annual Meeting of the Quebec Provincial Women's Missionary Society, (Western Division), Presbyterian Church in Canada, will be held in Chalmers Church, Quebec City, on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 27th and 28th, 1923.

Cards of Thanks.

Mr. Harold Mason and Mrs. J. McAdam and family wish to thank their many friends for kind sympathy and help during their recent sad bereavement.

Mr. J. E. Arnold, of Grenville, left for Saskatchewan on March 8th, where he was appointed Judge of Heavy Horses at the Saskatoon Fair. He intends returning by the Western States where he will buy a number of horses for the spring trade.

CHURCH NOTES.

Baptist services Sunday Mar. 18th.—Dalesville 3 p.m., Lachute 7 p.m. The postponed special business meeting will be held in Brownsburg at 3:30 p.m. Let all be present.

The Methodist Church Services for Sunday next will be as follows. Services in Lachute at 10:30 and Brownsburg at 7 will be conducted by a member of the Staff of Wesleyan Theological College Montreal. The Pastor will preach at East Settlement at 3 and Lachute at 7. Your presence at any of these Services will be appreciated.

Presbyterian Church services will be conducted in Lachute and district next Sunday March 18th as follows.—In Lachute at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. In Brownsburg at 11 a.m. and in Brownsburg at 3 p.m. The pastor will conduct the services in Lachute and Mr. Lloyd the assistant will conduct the services in Upper Lachute and Brownsburg. Everyone is made welcome. "Let us give glory to God in whose hands our breath is and whose are all our ways."

WEDDING BELLS

McINTYRE—LARKIN.

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday afternoon, at St. Clements Church, Verdun, when Miss Helen Larkin, of Montreal, was united in marriage to Mr. Jas. Harry McIntyre, youngest son of Mrs. and the late Robt. McIntyre, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Mr. Morris. The bride was attended by Miss Elsie McIntyre sister of the groom, and Mr. Austin McIntyre, of Grenville, acted as best man. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home, Lascalle Road, Verdun, and the bridal couple left on the evening train for New York, followed by every good wish for their future happiness. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Harry McIntyre will make their home in Lachute.

CURLING.

The weather still continues fine. How long this will last is mere speculation, but Lachute Curlers are making the best of it.

Saturday March 10th, two rinks from Lachute visited St. Andrews Club. Though Lachute was beaten by one shot, all players report a fine time and good games.

Last week the Final for the President's Prize was played, J. Falconer and W. S. MacKimmie winning the Trophies against Geo. Hay and G. Desjardins. It was a keenly contested game, and until the last shot was played, it was hard to say who would for the winners.

The winners put up an Oyster supper for the Club which was well attended and enjoyed by all.

The Club is now running off a Turkey Bouspiel in which a large number of rinks are entered. The object is to give the Club a Turkey Supper for the close of the Curling Season. All Members of Lachute Curling Club and of the Ladies Curling Club are invited to attend.

LADIES CURLING.

In the singles played this week the cup donated by Mrs. Arthur Stackhouse, of Montreal, was won by the President Mrs. E. H. Wilson.

Winners of the "Green Curlers" Doubles were Mrs. McRobie and Mrs. W. Doig.

Ladies Social Committee of 1923 played Gentlemen Social Committee of 1923, the ladies winning by a big score.

The Misses Mackie, McQuat, and Giles and Mrs. MacNeill entertained the Club to an afternoon tea on Wednesday.

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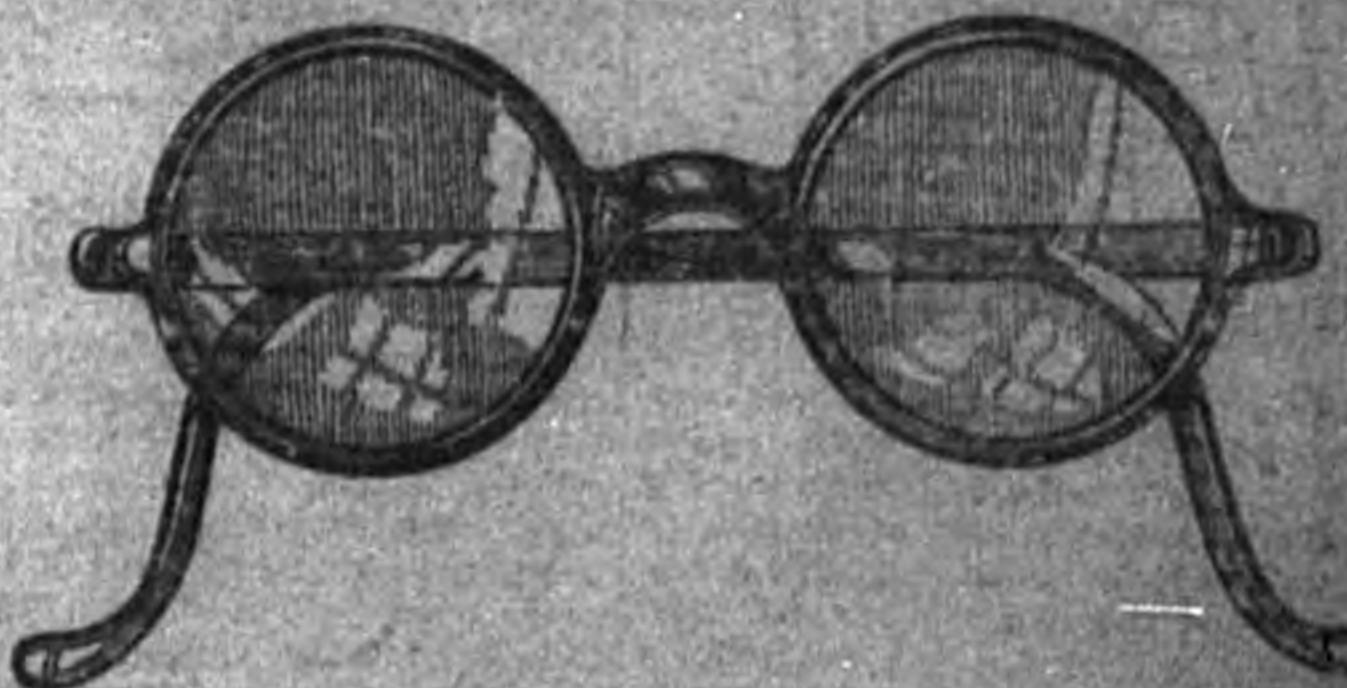
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A Wren House in a Post.

Although we put out ten new nesting boxes in the spring for the birds of our garden, we soon found that we were lacking in sufficient accommodations for the wrens. These tiny members of the feathered tribes display here, as they do the world over, a habit of building both false and true nests. They constructed their rough little nurseries not only in the boxes designated for them, but in many others as well, even usurping an apartment in the martin's flat-building. We knew they could not occupy them all.

Yet, realizing their fondness for a cozy number of homes as we never had before, we soon found an opportunity for supplying them. This came about with the construction of a fence between the lawn and the vegetable garden. The supporting posts for the lattice panels were square in shape, and hollow from the top rail upwards. So in some half dozen of the posts we converted this space into private apartments for the wrens, making the openings on the east, or garden side.

It is needless to say that one of these apartments de luxe was soon occupied by a pair of little brown tenants. In due time it sheltered the second brood of wren babies. False nests were promptly built in two of the other flats, but they were never entirely completed, nor at any time occupied, so far as we know. We noted with some degree of satisfaction that these tenants of ours obtained their food almost entirely from the garden, making constant warfare on the many insect pests to be found there during the season. In fact they proved so desirable that we were only too glad to supply them with a private bath on the roof free of charge.

—Frances Higgins.

The Locket in the Pocket.

Mary Alice had come to spend two weeks with her little cousin Cornelia on the farm. Oh, such fun as they had! Especially Mary Alice, for never before had she romped the liveliest day in the beautiful outdoors. She grew as brown as a berry and slept like a top at night. As for chubby little Cornelia, never before had she had such a happy time. Think of having a playmate all day long and some one to sleep with and hug up at night!

"I hope it doesn't rain—a single teeny tiny drop the whole time I am here," said Mary Alice one day, as she came in from picking berries.

"See here, Mary Alice," spoke up Uncle John. "Don't you go to making any such wishes, as badly as the wren needs a drink of water."

One morning before she opened her blue eyes Mary Alice heard a pitter-

patter, pitter-patter, on the tin roof. In two winks she hopped out of bed and ran to the window and saw that the rain was coming down in a torrent.

"Rain, rain, go away!" she cried. But Cornelia, who was truly a farm-er's daughter, clapped her chubby hands and cried, "O goody! Now father's corn will grow."

Poor Mary Alice did not share Cornelia's enthusiasm, and at breakfast she presented a woeful face.

"I tell you what," said Aunt Flora, "suppose you children go up to the attic and play this morning. Mary Alice, your mamma and I loved to play up there on rainy days."

"That will be jimsy," cried Cornelia, hopping up and down. "May we dress up in those funny clothes in the old green chest?"

"Yes, indeed," answered her mother. So Mary Alice's countenance gradually changed, and after they had tidied their room they set off in hilarious spirits for the attic. Such quaint-looking old dresses, festooned and ruffled and beribboned, as they found in that old green chest! And such a happy time they had dressing up and playing "ladies" and "social."

About the middle of the morning Aunt Flora's voice came from the foot of the stairs. "O children, come down. No candies and milk for a little party!"

"Goody!" cried Cornelia delightedly. "Goody, goody!" cried little Mary Alice.

There was a shuffling to get out of the funny dresses. Of a sudden while Mary Alice was struggling with her be-ribboned dress her hand went into a pocket.

"Cornelia!" she exclaimed. "Here's a deep pocket—and my goodness, there's something in it!"

Mary Alice, still wearing the be-ribboned dress, ran down beside Cornelia.

"Aunt Flora! Aunt Flora!" she cried. "Do please look; it's a gold locket—I found it in the pocket!"

"Mary Alice!" exclaimed Aunt Flora, reaching for the gold locket. "Why, you've found the gold locket your mother lost when she was a little girl. It's just too lovely that you should have found it. You see, your grandmother gave us each a locket, and your mother lost hers. Our names were engraved on them; here's Mary Alice, your mother's name. See it, child!"

Mary Alice gave a little squeal of delight and clapped her hands and cried, "My name too!"

"Of course," laughed her aunt.

"But, Aunt Flora," began Mary Alice, "how do you suppose it ever got in the pocket of this funny old dress?"

Aunt Flora looked down at the little figure in the quaint dress, and then of a sudden a light darted over her face. "Child, I know!" she cried softly. "Why, it seems like yesterday; your mother and I were playing in the attic, just as you and Cornelia were playing there to-day, and I suppose your mother was afraid she might lose the locket, and she took it off and slipped it into the pocket of this dress and never remembered a thing about it after that."

Uncle John poked his head in the door and cried in his funny way, "What's this? Is Mary Alice going to a masquerade party?"

The little girls just shouted with laughter. Then Mary Alice told him all about the locket in the pocket, and Uncle John said, "Ho, now, see here, the little person who found it wouldn't ruin; and if it hadn't rained you wouldn't have found it in the attic to-day."

"And then I shouldn't have found the locket in the pocket," said Mary Alice, "because the locket was in the pocket at her neck. Linda Stevens Almond, in Youth's Companion."

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MINING IN CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA

BRIGHT FUTURE AS A MINERAL REGION.

Experts Predict for Province a Formidable Rivalry to Ontario in Gold Production.

A striking feature of the general revival exhibited in Canadian mining affairs in 1932 was the progress achieved by the Pacific Coast province and the general stimulus given to all phases of mining in British Columbia. Not only was work pressed on existing mines, but abandoned works reopened, new ones developed and a host of new discoveries made. In a survey of the situation, Fred A. Stanley, Commissioner of the Associated Boards of Trade of British Columbia, finds reason for unbounded optimism and faith in the future of the interior of British Columbia as a mineral region.

He points out that the Province of British Columbia can boast of having the "most wonderful world smelter which is owned and operated by the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Trail and is equipped with the largest electrolytic zinc plant in the world. It provides facilities for the treatment of silver-lead-zinc, gold, copper, refining of copper, treatment of iron ores, manufacture of lead pipes, sheet lead and zinc, copper rods, sulphates of copper, etc."

The same company owns the Le Roi, Center Star, War Eagle, and other properties in the Rossland camp which have to their credit a value production of some \$20,000,000. It is a known fact that these mines are capable of producing for many years to come. In the Sullivan mines, Kimberley, is the largest lead-silver property in the world. It being estimated that there is sufficient ore in sight to last fifty years. The value of the ore bodies has been estimated at a round figure of \$131,000,000. At the present time the company is constructing a concentrator with a daily capacity of 2,000 tons.

Demand for Silver and Lead. In the Portland Canal district is the Premier Mine, which in its short three years of life has paid \$2,400,000 in dividends from December, 1921, to June, 1932, equivalent to three-quarters of its capital. The ore gives high value in gold and silver, the present estimated value of the ore in sight being \$80,000,000.

The Granby, with its large fields of ore bodies, the Britannia, and the Copper Mountain mines have tens of millions of ore reserves, and, combined, may safely claim the distinction of being the largest copper producers in the British Empire. With normal prices for the metal it would not be too much to forecast an annual production of 100,000,000 pounds of copper for British Columbia.

With the revival of silver and lead prices many silver-lead mines, which have not been operated for some two years are now under steady development, and many houses have been granted on properties hitherto idle.

The Silvermith Mine has been making records on shipment of concentrates which, after being treated, run high in silver and lead. The Wonderful Mine is again a producer and the McAllister expected to commence shipments at any time. The Ruth-Hope is to recommence operations and the Queen Bees, which has a record of over a million in shipments, is now under lease and is likely to commence shipments immediately.

It is the same all over the province. The old mines, once worked profitably and then abandoned in the days of declining prices and high operating costs are coming back. In addition there are several new mines being developed and throughout the silver-lead districts hundreds of others having merit to warrant expenditure on them, lying dormant, waiting the advent of capital to develop them.

Much Development Expected. Gold is every bit as encouraging in the Pacific Coast province, and some experts even predict for the province a formidable rivalry to Ontario, in time. The Premier, Rossland, Surf, Inlet, Nickel Plate, Healdy, Nugget and Sheep Creek are all contributing in no small volume to the provincial gold production, which in 1932 was higher than for some time.

British Columbia is undoubtedly on the eve of a tremendous mineral development which will exceed anything the province has hitherto experienced and the merest indications of which were exhibited in 1932. For some time British Columbia has occupied second place among the mineral producing provinces of Canada, accounting for between 17 and 20 per cent of the total Dominion output. In the first six months of 1932, however, with a production value of \$16,153,307, she was responsible for 24 per cent as against Ontario's 22.4, and the latter half of the year was that of greater activity. British Columbia's mineral production in 1932 was worth \$34,547,817; in 1931 \$42,835,509, and in 1930, \$34,776,894. Those who closely investigate the situation cannot question but that in a very short time these figures will be substantially left behind.



HEARTLESS!

Mrs. Goodole: "I haven't seen you at church for some time. Don't you like the rector?" Mrs. Goodole: "No, don't. I'll never forgive him for refusing to read the funeral service over my poor little dead doggo."

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For the purpose of making more comfortable and pleasant the home spent in their home ports by the masters, mates, and pilots of the Pacific, and developing radio broadcasting to their ships while at sea, the daughters and sweethearts of mariners, living at Seattle have formed an organization called the "Daughters of the Sea."

The Daughters of the Sea plan to bring the home closer to the ship, and the radio will be their chief means toward that end. The club has undertaken the fitting up of quarters on the top floor of one of the city's tall buildings, and in furnishing them with a library, comfortable chairs, smoking accessories, and marine glasses, so that seafarers may watch from the windows the ships making and leaving port.

A powerful radio sending and receiving apparatus is to be installed on the roof of the building, and entertainments, concerts, etc., held in the club rooms will be broadcasted to the ships at sea. The protocol of vessels in any harbor will be cheered by the voices of loved ones at home. A practical service also will be maintained, the location of all ships from the home port will be recorded from day to day. The plans also include the entertainment of visiting captains from other parts of the world. There will be a committee supplying all arriving ships with flowers and seamen strangers will be provided with comfort and entertainment.

Eventually, it is expected, the Daughters of the Sea will extend their work to all countries by establishing branch chapters.

Changes in Arctic Weather Conditions Affect the Entire Globe.

Arctic regions seem to be warming in certain portions and cooling in others (and as conditions there affect weather all over the earth, experts of the Weather Bureau at Washington are endeavoring to solve the mystery). In the Greenland Sea north of Europe, milder weather with less ice than ever before has prevailed during this winter, while in the Bering Sea, and in the regions north of America, unusually heavy ice has been reported. The cause of the unusual conditions has not been fathomed by meteorologists.

The Gulf Stream, which circles around the Gulf of Mexico, passes through the Straits of Florida and sweeps northward across the Atlantic and between Iceland and Norway, has been traced by one oceanographic expedition as a warm surface current beyond the 51st parallel of latitude, which would be some 2,500 miles north of Hammerfest, Norway. This expedition sailed as far north as 84 degrees 29 minutes 'N' ice-free waters. Arctic conditions are said to be exceptional in this particular region, and many old landmarks are so changed as to be unrecognizable. Where formerly great masses of ice were found, there are now often accumulations of earth and stones. At many points where glaciers formerly extended far into the sea about the island of Spitzbergen, 2,000 miles north of Norway, they have disappeared.

The change in temperature has brought about great changes in the flora and fauna of this portion of the Arctic. Former great shoals of whitefish have disappeared from Spitzbergen waters and the seal catch is far under the average. Herring and swell, however, are now found in great numbers.

In contrast to these mild conditions, the unusually heavy ice in the Western Arctic regions north of Alaska and in the Bering Sea has caused the Weather Bureau to forecast famine conditions in Northern Japan this year.

A Bit Late. One day on the golf course, says an English paper, Field, Marshal Haig asked his caddy what service he had seen during the war. "Yes, sir," replied the caddy, "I was in the infantry, one in the artillery and one in the engineers." "But you?" "Well, I didn't do anything," replied the caddy. "But I'm going to do my bit now, I'm going to carry your bloomin' clubs for you!"

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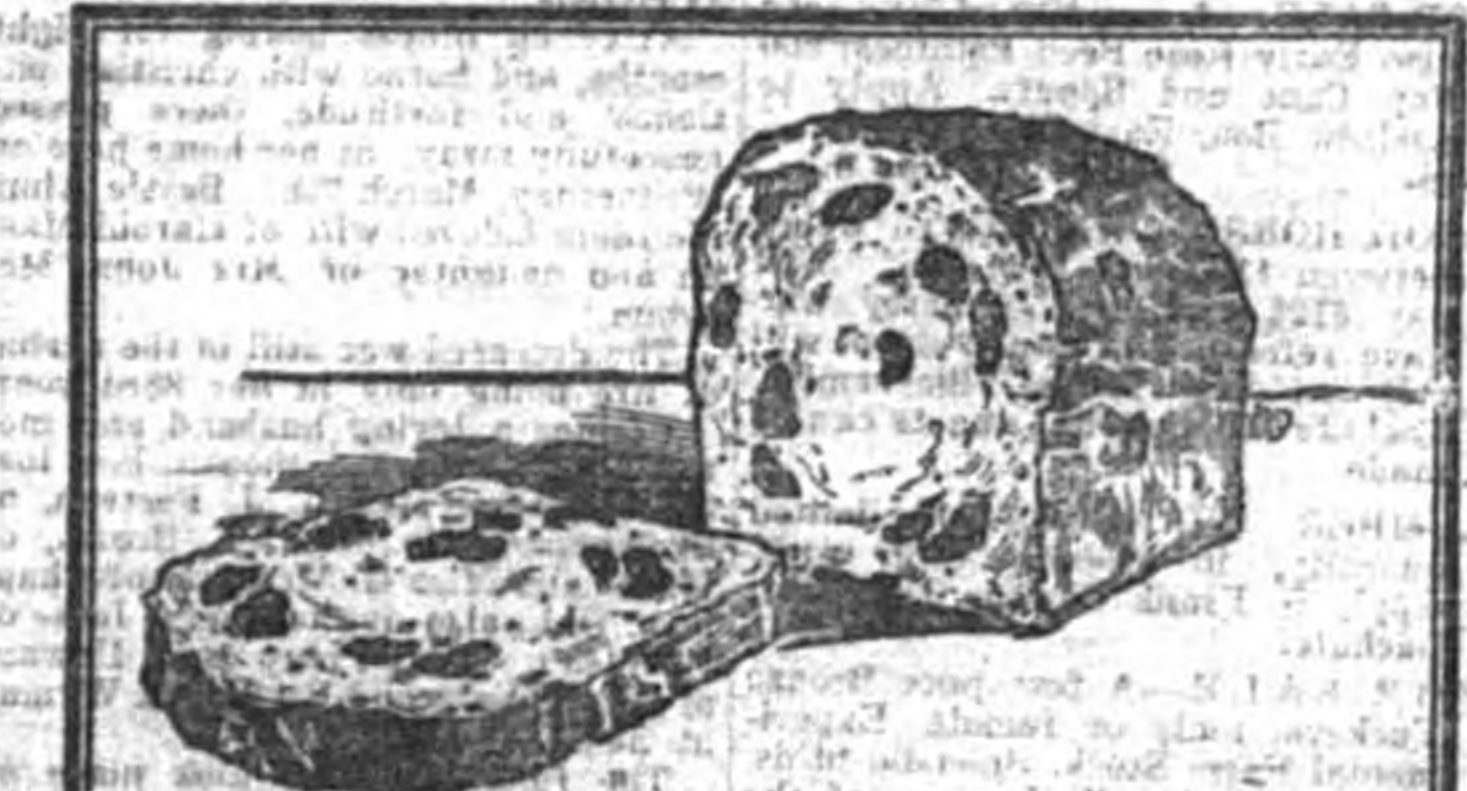
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TURKS SEND NEW COUNTER-TREATY, ULTIMATUM DEMANDING ACCEPTANCE

British Cabinet Takes Serious View of the Situation But Will Oppose Any Further Concessions and Refuse Consent to a New Conference.

London, March 4.—The Turkish Government has virtually decided to send a new counter-treaty to the Allies, with an ultimatum demanding acceptance.

The ultimatum will fix a certain date at which the Allies have not swayed the new treaty by that time, or agreed to call an entirely new peace conference, the Mudania armistice agreement will be denounced. Turkey will then resume a technical state of war with Greece and the Allied powers.

Such is the startling turn which the debate on the Lausanne treaty has taken. Information to this effect is contained in confidential messages reaching official quarters to-night.

The Cabinet takes a most serious view of the situation. Premier Bonar Law and most of the other members of the Cabinet, with the backing of the Admiralty and Colonial Office, have decided finally to take a most firm position. They will oppose any further important concessions, and under no condition consent to a new full conference.

The Ankara messages convey the information that Fevzi Bey, Turkish Chief of Staff, who is dominating the debate, announced in the Grand National Assembly that the General Staff had ordered large military movements and preparations in the direction of the British position at Mosul.

Foreign Secretary Curzon is less positive in his attitude and there are signs he would go further than the

Premier in future dealings with the Turks. However, the Foreign Secretary finds little or no support in the Government for weakening in the face of the Turkish manoeuvres.

Of course, there are all kinds of ultimatums, and the allies have come to look upon the Turkish variety as less dangerous than the others because the Turks have a habit of changing their minds at the last minute. Nevertheless the new ultimatum in preparation is taken much more seriously because of the latest details of the Ankara discussions.

Ismet Pasha, chief delegate at Lausanne, has been reduced to the rank of a mere expert on territorial and military questions. The voice of the moderate party has been drowned out by the extremists. That portion of the Lausanne delegation which favors war is in the ascendancy, while the treaty advocates are in the background.

Riza Nur Bey, the strongest opponent of the Armenian National Home, has been left to deal with the minorities' problem. The famous lawyer, Tahir Bey, has argued against any special judicial regime for foreigners. Hassan Bey declared Turkey would settle all questions of concessions and economic privileges with separate treaties with the powers.

Officials here explain the Turkish propensity for mind changing may modify this new ultimatum or bury it altogether, but the whole trend of the Turkish Government is now toward a more warlike position.



THE U.S. SHIPS GOLD BACK TO BRITAIN.

It must have been a cheerful sight for Britain to see the incident above. Gold bullion is again being shipped back across the Atlantic to Great Britain. The dockworkers shown in the picture are handling solid gold bricks, which are on their way back to the money centre of the world, London. In spite of the efforts made to wrest that position from the British capital, financiers are satisfied that London's position is as secure as ever it was in relation to the commerce of the world.

POINCARÉ ADOPTS THREE METHODS OF DEALING WITH RUHR DIFFICULTY

A despatch from Paris says:—Premier Poincaré has decided upon three important measures to subdue the Ruhr. They involve:

1. Infliction of the death penalty by arrangement with the English—upon all Germans responsible for fatal railroad accidents.
2. Imprisonment of all defaulters of the 40 per cent. coal tax until they pay.
3. Movement of "colored" as distinct from "black" troops into the Ruhr.

These steps have not been decided upon without grave deliberation, and the decision regarding colored troops is said to be due to the insistence of Marshal Foch that the colonials have been absorbed to such an extent in the French army that there is no reason why Moroccans and Annamites should not be used for purposes of occupation.

Several of the Ministers have suggested that keeping the 1922 class with the colors will be sufficient, but this idea has been out-voted, and the alternative presented was either partial mobilization or use of colored troops. Partial mobilization would imperil the Poincaré Ministry, in view of the Premier's statement on the day the Ruhr was occupied that no soldier or railroadman would be mobilized, so colored troops are apt to be used.

A despatch from Düsseldorf says:—Two decisions having an important bearing on the administration of the Rhineland and the Ruhr by the Allies are announced at French headquarters here. The first is the final step in giving necessary powers to the French and Belgian commanders to administer the German railroads and the second provides for the collection of an internal revenue tax on tobacco and alcoholic beverages.

In the decree promulgating these decisions the Inter-Allied High Commission's right to operate the railroads along the left bank of the Rhine is turned over formally to the army authorities, partly as a precautionary measure to guarantee the safety of the troops of occupation. The Cologne bridgehead area occupied by the British is not included in this order.

French General Issues Proclamation

A despatch from Cologne says:—General Degoutte issued a proclamation that all Germans in the Ruhr who obey the orders of the French military authorities, and pay the taxes being levied upon them, will be protected from charges of treason by the German Government.

It is also proclaimed that the Allies will not leave the Ruhr until all penalties for obeying the occupational forces have been revoked.

France Receives Coke From Czecho-Slovakia

A despatch from Vienna says:—One thousand tons of coke are being shipped from Czecho-Slovakia over Austria to France daily, and the Austrian Government has ordered railroads to expedite the shipment. It is said Austria fears sabotage by railroad men would lead to unpleasant complications.

Czech miners who were being transported to France, and who were held up in Austrian territory, were allowed to pass upon the Government's order.

Should Austria provoke them to it, the Czechs might cut off her coal supply.

Miss Mariet Corkery, of St. John, N.B., was admitted to the bar before the Court of Appeals recently. Miss Corkery enjoys the distinction of being the only woman barrister practicing law in the province, her predecessor, Miss Mabel P. French, who was admitted as a barrister in New Brunswick on November 21, 1907, having since removed from the province to British Columbia.

Natural Resources Bulletin

The Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa says:

The area of Ontario is 407,262 square miles, of which 365,480 square miles is land and 41,782 square miles is water. The province's population in 1921 was 2,933,662, of whom 1,226,379 were rural residents and 1,707,283 were urban. The population represents an average of 8.02 per square mile. There are in the province 26 cities of 10,000 and over and 46 cities and towns of 5,000 and over. In 1921 of a total immigration into Canada of 148,477, 42 per cent., or 62,572 settled in Ontario. There were, in 1920, 686,344 pupils attending public schools, and \$30,626,435 was expended on education in schools under public control.

Two Members of Famous Light Brigade Dead

A despatch from Belfast says:—Thomas Finlay, who as bugler sounded "charge" for the gallant Light Brigade at Balaklava, and thus started the wild ride immortalized by Tennyson, died on Tuesday at Drogheda. Finlay's death follows closely that of Thomas Shaw, a member of the famous brigade, who died at London, Ont. Sunday night.

CANADA ATTAINS STATUS OF NATION WITHIN THE BRITISH EMPIRE

Signing of International Fisheries Treaty With the United States by Canadian Minister, Apart from British Ambassador, Marks a New Departure in the History of Canada as a Self-Governing Dominion.

Washington, March 4.—The treaty between Canada and the United States to central halibut fishing in North Pacific waters was ratified by the United States Senate to-day just before adjournment. It had been blocked temporarily last night by Senator Jones, Republican, Washington, but was approved to-day with an amendment by Mr. Jones providing that its restrictions against Canadian halibut fishermen should apply to all other British nationals.

The treaty establishes a closed halibut season from November 16 to February 15 and creates a joint commission to regulate North Pacific halibut fishing.

When Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Canadian Minister, signed with United States Secretary of State Charles Evans Hughes the international fisheries treaty between Canada and the United States a new constitutional departure was made, under which Canada takes a position of autonomous nationhood within the British Empire. Heretofore such treaties and conventions have been attested only by the British Ambassador.

It is understood that the decision

to have the treaty signed by the Canadian Minister was reached after several official communications passed between London and Ottawa and Washington. It is known the original expectation was that the treaty would be signed on the part of Canada by both Ambassador Goddard and Minister Lapointe.

On Mr. Lapointe's arrival in Washington he was met by representatives of the British Embassy, and proceeded at once to a conference with the British Ambassador, where, it is believed, communications from the British Government were awaiting him authorizing him to be the sole signatory on behalf of Canada. United States Secretary Hughes likewise paid a visit to the White House, and conferred with President Harding in relation to it. It is understood, to British messages announcing that Canada would deal directly with the treaty through her own Minister.

As this is a change in the attitude heretofore followed by the British Colonial Office, it is interpreted by officials here as marking a new departure in the history of Canada as a self-governing British Dominion.

United States Navy Owns Biggest of Zeppelins

A despatch from London says:—The construction of the new Zeppelin ordered by the United States Navy, will be finished soon at the Zeppelin works at Friedrichshafen, according to a despatch from Berlin. The airship will be the largest ever constructed and will start from Berlin for Chicago early in June. It will fly under the American flag, but operated by German mechanics and airship experts. The trial flight will begin in April and several over the Alps are proposed. When everything is perfected the airship will start for Berlin, where the final preparations for the trans-Atlantic flight will be made.

Century Old Man Has Had Only 25 Birthdays

A despatch from Winnipeg says:—Although technically he has had only twenty-three birthdays, J. S. Stevenson of Winnipeg has entered his hundredth year hale and hearty. Mr. Stevenson was born February 29, 1824, and has been cheated out of about 75 birthdays. He even skipped a leap year, because the day was rightfully his in 1900, when by a quirk of the calendar he was missed again. Mr. Stevenson came to Canada when he was nine years old, and forty years ago moved from Ontario to Manitoba.



Buy "Quest" for Canada. Capt. Berlier, the famous Canadian explorer, has purchased Shackleton's famous ship, "The Quest," and thus indicates that Canada is once more to enter into Arctic exploration. He will bring the ship to Canada in the spring.

When a college graduate thinks he is an educated man, he ought to stay in his college until he gets over it.

Weekly Market Report

Toronto.
Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.24 1/4.
Manitoba oats—Nominal.
Manitoba barley—Nominal.
All the above, track, Bay ports.
American corn—No. 3 yellow, 91c; No. 2, 91 1/2c.
Barley—Malting, 50 to 61c, according to freight outside.
Buckwheat—No. 2, 78 to 80c.
Rye—No. 2, 84 to 86c.
Peas—No. 2, \$1.45 to \$1.50.
Milfeed—Del., Montreal freights, bags included. Bran, per ton, \$28; shorts, per ton, \$28; middlings, \$28.50; good feed flour, \$2.00.
Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, \$1.14 to \$1.16, according to freight outside. Ontario No. 2 white oats—48 to 50c.
Ontario corn—Nominal.
Ontario flour—Ninety per cent. pat. in bulk bags, Montreal, prompt shipment, \$5.10 to \$5.20; Toronto basis, \$5.05 to \$5.15; bulk seaboard, \$4.95 to \$5.00.
Manitoba flour—1st pat. in cotton sacks, \$7.10 per 100 lb.; 2nd pat., \$6.00.
Hay—Extra No. 2, per ton, track, Toronto, \$14; mixed, \$11; clover, \$3.
Straw—Car lots, per ton, track, Toronto, \$9.50.
Butter—Finest pasteurized creamery, solids, 50 to 51c; prints, 51 to 52c; ordinary creamery solids, 48 to 49c; prints, 48 to 49c; dairy, 29c; cooking, 15 to 18c.
Eggs—Fresh gathered, 37 to 39c; laid, 26 to 29c.
4 to 5 lbs., 22 to 25c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 25c; do, old, 20c.
Live poultry—Chickens, milk-fed, over 5 lbs., 25c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 22c; do, over 5 lbs., 22c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 18c; do, 2 to 4 lbs., 15 to 18c; hens, over 5 lbs., 25c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 18c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 15 to 18c; roosters, 12 to 15c; ducklings, over 5 lbs., 26 to 30c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 22 to 25c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 25c; do, old, dressed poultry—Chickens, milk-fed, over 5 lbs., 30c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 25c; do, over 5 lbs., 25c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 24c; do, 2 to 4 lbs., 22c; hens, over 5 lbs., 25c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 24c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 22c; roosters, 22c; 10c.
Ducklings, over 5 lbs., 28 to 30c; do, Potatoes—On track, Toronto, 75 to 80c per 100 lbs. bag.
Smoked meats—Hams, med., 26 to 28c; cooked ham, 35 to 40c; smoked rolls, 25 to 30c; corned beef, 22 to 25c; breakfast bacon, 30 to 32c; ap-

Manitoba.
Canned meats—Long clear hams, 50 to 70 lbs., \$20; 70 to 90 lbs., \$19; 90 lbs. and up, \$18; light weight rolls, 10 lbs., \$28; heavy weight rolls, \$26.
Lard—Pure lard, 16 1/2c; tallow, 11c; palm, 17 1/2c; prints, 18 1/2c. Shortening lard, 14 1/2 to 15c; tallow, 15 to 15 1/2c; palm, 15 1/2 to 16c; prints, 17 1/2 to 18c.
Heavy steers, choice, \$7.50 to \$8; butcher steers, choice, \$6.50 to \$7.50; do, good, \$6 to \$6.50; do, med., \$5.50 to \$6; do, com., \$5 to \$5.50; butcher heifers, choice, \$6.25 to \$6.50; do, med., \$5.50 to \$6; do, com., \$5 to \$5.50; butcher cows, choice, \$4.50 to \$5.25; do, med., \$3 to \$4; canners and cutters, \$2 to \$2.50; butcher bulls, good, \$4 to \$5; do, com., \$3 to \$4; fatter steers, good, \$5.50 to \$6.50; do, fair, \$4 to \$5; Stockers, good, \$4 to \$4.50; do, fair, \$2.50 to \$3.50; calves, choice, \$12.50 to \$13; do, med., \$9 to \$11.50; do, com., \$5 to \$5.50; \$8; milk cows, choice, \$7 to \$8; \$90; springers, choice, \$80 to \$100; lambs, choice, \$13.50 to \$15; sheep, choice, \$7.50 to \$8; do, culls, \$3 to \$4; hogs, fed and watered, \$10.50; do, f.o.b., \$9.75; do, country points, \$9.50.
Hogs quotations are based on the prices of thick, smooth hogs, sold on a graded basis, or select, sold on the graded basis, bring a premium of 10 per cent. over the price of thick, smooth hogs.
Montreal.
Corn Am. No. 2 yellow, 93 to 94c.
Oats, Can. west, No. 2, 64 to 65c; do, No. 3, 59 to 60c; extra No. 1 feed, 55 to 56c; No. 2 local white, 54 to 55c.
Flour, Man. spring wheat pat., 1st, \$7.10; 2nd, \$6.50; strong bakers, \$6.40; winter pat., choice, \$6.50.
Rolled oats, bag 90 lbs., \$3.15 to \$3.20.
Bran, \$26 to \$28. Shorts, \$28 to \$30.
Middlings, \$33 to \$35. Hay No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$14 to \$15.
Butter, choice creamery, 52 1/2 to 53c.
Eggs, fresh, 47c. Potatoes, per bag, car lots, \$1.05 to \$1.10.
Light butcher steers and heifers, \$5.50; choice baby beef, \$7 per cwt.; good fat dairy cows, \$4.50; do, com., \$3 to \$3.25; thin heifers and steers, \$3 to \$3.50; canners and cutters, \$1.50 to \$2.75; good heavy bulls, \$5; do, med., \$4; do, com., \$3.50; \$3 to \$3.50; good veals, \$10; med. veals, \$9.50; ones, \$8. Hogs, select and good quality butcher hogs, \$11; thick fat corn-fed hogs, \$9.50.

FRANCE OCCUPIES THREE MORE CITIES

Karlsruhe, Mannheim and Darmstadt Taken Over as Counter-Sabotage Move.

Paris, March 4.—Three great German cities with nearly 1,000,000 inhabitants—Karlsruhe, Mannheim and Darmstadt are now as good as occupied by a French expeditionary force. At the Foreign Office this afternoon the correspondent was informed the advance was a counter-sabotage move.

The Darmstadt railway centre and the Karlsruhe and Mannheim ports were taken over yesterday, although the cities themselves had not been occupied.

Troops headed by armored automobiles and cavalry moved forward at dawn across the Rhine, meeting only a chilly, sleepy welcome. Not more than 1,000 soldiers were engaged for the occupation of each strategic point.

The occupation of the cities themselves, demanding the use of, at least, two divisions, can be only a matter of time. In order to fill the gap behind, as these troops are brought up, colored soldiers are likely to be moved in.

In some quarters it is asserted, the new French advance has not got so much to do with turning the thumb-screw on Germany, as with checking the reiterated refusal of General Godley, British commander, at Cologne, to allow the French to use the main left bank Rhine railway through the British area.

It is stated that with the further move forward to Marburg it will be possible for the French to organize a direct railway system on the right bank of the Rhine from Essen to Strasbourg, via Frankfurt. But to do this it will be necessary to occupy Frankfurt.

It is reported here French and Belgian Governments have agreed on a settlement with Germany which would render the Versailles Treaty null and void, at least as far as France, Germany and Belgium are concerned.

German Ambassador Lunches With British Sovereigns

A despatch from London says:—For the first time since the war, the German Ambassador, Dr. Gustave Stinnes, and his wife, dined with the King and Queen at Buckingham Palace on Thursday.



Six Million for Agriculture. Hon. W. R. Meagherwell, Minister of Agriculture, has had estimates totaling \$6,000,000 passed by the House for his department.



H. H. Stevens, M.P. In reply to queries in the House at Ottawa made by Mr. Stevens, Dr. Beland stated that Canada has 9,600 drug addicts. Prince Edward Island is the only spot in the Dominion free of drug peddlers and addicts. Thirty Chinamen have already been deported and two hundred more are in custody charged with handling drugs.

CIVIL WAR CEASES CRIME WAVE FOLLOWS

What London Express Correspondent Found to Exist in Ireland.

A despatch from London says:—Civil war in Ireland has ceased and given place to a widespread orgy of crime without political significance which the forces of law are steadily crushing. This is the substance of a lengthy survey of the situation in Ireland sent by the Dublin correspondent of the Daily Express. He says the Government has the real forces completely on the run and is likely to keep them so until the trouble ceases. He describes them as merely scattered roving bands under robber chiefs and robber gang organizations. No district adds the correspondent, can long be termed a rebel stronghold and the Government grows stronger daily.

Ice-Shooting Started in Niagara Gorge

A despatch from Niagara Falls, Ont., says:—Ice-shooting for the spring has commenced in the Niagara River gorge. Employees of the Niagara Gorge Railroad Company started their annual work of discharging overhanging ice from the walls of the gorge.

The ice during the early thawing weather is dangerous to traffic on the trolley tracks at the foot of the cliff, and all masses that appear to be loosened are shot with a heavy charge of explosives.

Residents at the north end of the city consider the shooting one of the best signs of spring.

Hawaii's Sugar Harvest Largest for Eight Years

A despatch from Washington says:—Hawaii's sugar cane harvest during the year ended last September 30 was the largest in eight years, according to an estimate by the Department of Agriculture. Production for the year was placed at 1,184,000,000 pounds, or 1.1 per cent. in excess of that for the previous year, and larger than the average for the previous ten years.

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Here and There

St. John, N.B.—J. M. Woodman, general superintendent of the C. P. R., New Brunswick district, announced that the only large expenditure in his district during the year will be for ballasting and bridging. Mr. Woodman returned from Montreal, where he was on a business trip.

Edmonton.—The northern railway extensions, which under the recently announced agreement with the Union Bank will be proceeded with next spring, are to be built by the Canadian Pacific Railway Construction Department. One of the conditions of the agreement between the provincial government and the bank interests is that the C. P. R. do the construction work, it is stated by Premier Greenfield, and the conditions will be complied with by the government, which had originally intended building the roads under its own railway department.

Port Arthur.—Additional track-
age accommodation will be con-
structed by the Canadian Pacific
Railway in its Port Arthur yards
this coming summer, especially at
Current River, to take care of the
increasing grain trade to be created
by the elevators there. Other work
will also be done locally and at Port
Williams considerable work will be un-
dertaken, including the replacement
of the two large freight sheds destroyed
recently by fire, with buildings of an
improved and fireproof type.

Carlton Place, Ont.—On the occa-
sion of the retirement of roadmaster
Jelly and section foreman J. Mil-
lins from the C. P. R. Company's
service, the fellow employees and
their wives gathered at the town
hall, Saturday, and a social evening
was spent. The tables were laden
with the very best that a caterer
from Ottawa could provide, and
about 150 people were present from
all classes of the company's service.

St. John, N.B.—C. E. McPherson,
Assistant Passenger Traffic Man-
ager of the Canadian Pacific Rail-
way, with headquarters at Winnipeg,
was in St. John recently, the guest
of his brother-in-law, Dr. W. W.
White. Mr. McPherson is always a
welcome visitor to St. John where
he was for many years as the rep-
resentative of the C. P. R. up to
1917 when he went to Toronto, and
later in 1929 to Winnipeg, his head-
quarters since. He has watched
the Western metropolis grow from
a town of 40,000 to a city of
200,000.

Yorkton.—Another milestone in
the history of railway development
in Yorkton and district was marked
when the members of the clerical
staff of the C. P. R. freight depart-
ment took up their quarters in the
offices of the new freight shed.
This building is 240 feet long and
40 feet wide, and provides accommo-
dation for eighteen cars of freight.
The building and track alterations
involved an expenditure of nearly
\$70,000.

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Round Pegs In Square Holes.

"THE VARIOUS PARTS of life
are represented by holes upon a table
..... We shall generally find that the
triangular person has got into the
round hole, the oblong into the trian-
gular hole, and the round person has
squeezed himself into the square hole." Sydney Smith, (Modern Philosophy, 1804.)

It happens every day: In fact, it
is so common, that you could believe
it to be the correct thing.

I convinced myself long ago that it
would be an impossible task in life to
fit precisely all the round pegs and
all the square pegs into their respec-
tively asymmetrical cavities. As a mat-
ter of fact, I have seen a square peg
driven into a round hole so effectively
that the hole instantly adapted it-
self to the form of the peg, and held
it most completely. Much depends
upon the nature of the material the
peg is made of. Anybody who can
hit the nail on the head knows that a
square one will go into a round hole,
and hold better than a round one.
It squares the circle, itself: Theo-
retically, it is all wrong, but practi-
cally, it is all right, for it does all
that is expected of it without any
unnecessary details. Sometimes,
though, there are manifest misfits:
Every day, in every way, round pegs
are pushed into square holes, con-
trary to all reason, and irrespective
of consequences. For instance; a good
all-round man, but of unreliable tem-
per, is picked to play in a hockey
match, with the result that he cracks
a few skulls, upsets the harmony
peculiar to hockey matches, and gets
his team into a hole, which, for depth
and evil repute, surpasses the crater
of a volcano. He is a palpable mis-
fit, an anachronism, a round peg
pushed into a position meant for a
square sportsman.

ONE OF THE REASONS why
we should be cautious in judging a
man when he is called upon to occupy
a sphere for which he has not been
prepared, is the possibility of his fill-
ing it remarkably well, after he gets
properly bedded in and settled down.
If he is at all adaptable in himself
he will fill the hole, and if he is un-
compromisingly inflexible the hole will
just have to fit him, or burst. But
if the hole holds, the desired result
will have been achieved, somehow,
even if it be arrived at contrary to
the elaborate theories we may have
evolved from past experience, for the
regulation of things yet to come. At
the same time, it is almost unneces-
sary to say, there are primary con-
ditions which must be respected.
There must be some reasonable pros-
pect of the peg fitting eventually. If
the hole be too large, whether it be
round or square, the peg will drop
through, and if the peg be too large,
no matter what its shape may be,
you run the risk of splitting your
plank, or board, or beam, and that is
not good business.

Iron sinks in water, yet it can be
converted into a ship which proudly
rides the waves. But the ship has to
be built. A few thousand tons of
iron dumped on the waves would sink
as promptly as a pound of the same
metal: As a matter of fact the
greater mass would sink sooner, but
as a ship, it floats, because certain
outstanding principles have been com-
plied with; the metal has been in-
vested with other properties, it has been
moulded and modelled, and it will
float as well as a wooden ship, on a
smaller displacement.

The same thing applies to the round
pegs and the square holes, despite
the popular belief that "East is East,
and West is West, And never the
twain shall meet."

All this goes to show that provided
there is enough adaptability in either
the round peg or the square hole, the
purposes for which they supposed to
be individually employed, may be
reached in combination, if the condi-
tions are favourable, and, provided
also, that we do not try them to the
breaking point by attempting the im-
possible. Round pegs and square
holes have their definite purposes, but
that does not prevent us from making
reasonable experiments: It is when
we pass the bounds of reason that we
find ourselves "in the hole," like the
fond parent who insisted upon giving
her child everything he cried for.
"Jimmy," she called out to the elder
brother, who was minding baby,
"What's Bobby crying for? Give
him what he wants immediately, Do
you hear?"

"Can't mamma," replied Jimmy, He
has made a hole in the ground and
wants me to bring it into the house
to play with."

THE LINKMAN.

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TO MISS X-BROWNSBURG

May I ask thee, gentle maiden,
To impart me of thy grace?
I may need thy many virtues,
If I would the past efface.

I often list, sweet voiced maiden,
When passing near your bower,
Your fulsome songs of melody,
The songs of a by gone hour.

Thou art helpful, O fair maiden,
If my ways I would eschew,
By thy precepts and examples,
Whom to follow—if not you?

Thou art so young, goodly maiden,
Your world is limited in view,
Thou hast not seen the outer world,
Environment favours you.

Like the flowers, lovely maiden,
You live and have your being,
Mine has been, amidst tares and
weeds,

Reaping the wilful sowing.
Ask me not! curious maiden,
Reflections cause me pain,
To be like you, I feel I must
Commence at Alpha again.

RYHROS—Brownsburg

ARUNDEL.

The Church Services, on Sunday
next 18th inst., will be as follows:—

Weir, 10.30 a.m.
Rockway, 2.30 p.m.
Grace Church, Arundel 7.30 p.m.
St. S. Grace Church, 2.30 p.m.
Rev. Geo. H. Gagnon, M.A., Rector.

Arundel Union Church,
Crystal Falls, 3.00 p.m.
Arundel, 7.00 p.m.
S. S. Arundel 10.30 a.m.

Rev. Albert Johnson, Pastor.

Do not fail to attend the Concert
in Stanforth's Hall, on the evening
of St. Patrick's Day, Saturday 17th
inst. It will be under the auspices of
The Ladies Union, of the Union
Church, and they have secured the
services of the well-known Montreal
Elocutionist, Mr. Laidland for the oc-
casion, and he will provide the great-
er part of the programme. In ad-
dition, there will be vocal and instru-
mental numbers, and a very enjoyable
evening is promised to all who attend.

The Prices of admission, including
refreshments will be:—for adults 40
cts., and for children under 12 years
of age, 25 cts.

The weather continues to be win-
try, with an almost daily fall of
snow, fairly low temperatures, and
no signs, so far, of "Gentle Spring."
It might be mentioned, that at this
date last year, the making of Maple
syrup and sugar, was in full swing.

The Ladies' Guild of The Union
Church propose holding a Concert in
Stanforth's Hall, on the evening of
St. Patrick's Day, Saturday March
17th, and an Elocutionist from the
city has been secured for the oc-
casion. No doubt the Concert will be up
to the high standard of the past, and
a very enjoyable evening will be spent
by all who attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Graham,
who were recently married here, spent
a few days here, with the bride's pa-
rents, Mr. and Mrs. James Riddle,
following the honeymoon spent in
Boston. The young couple left on
Thursday last for Alberta and after a
short visit to friends and relatives,
will proceed to Edmonton, where they
will reside for the future. We wish
them every happiness and prosperity.

OBITUARY.

THE LATE THOS. NOBLE.

It is with much regret we record
the death of one of our most re-
spected townsmen Mr. Thos. Noble,
who passed away on Monday morn-
ing, after an illness of some months
in his 73rd year. Mr. Noble was for-
merly a successful farmer in Mille
Isle, moving about five years ago to
Lachute. He was the devoted father
of ten children, nine of whom were
at his funeral, this being the first
break in their family circle. The
funeral took place on Wednesday,
from St. Simon's Anglican Church,
(of which denomination deceased had
always been a consistent member,)
conducted by Rev. J. A. Lackey, and
Rev. W. J. Lummis, in the presence
of a large congregation of sorrowing
relatives, friends and neighbors. Be-
sides his loving wife he leaves six
daughters, Mrs. A. Elliott, Mille Isle,
Mrs. Henry Sutton, Mrs. A. Noble,
Mrs. Henry Ward of Lachute, Mrs.
Nesbitt, East End, Sask., Mrs. Al-
bert Ward, of Kibenny, Que., and
four sons, Thos. E., of Cambria, Lem-
uel, and Reuben, of East End, Sask.,
and Richard of Lachute to mourn his
loss. The pall-bearers were Mr. Jas
Weldon, Grenville, Mr. R. Weldon, of
Weir, Messrs. Irwin and Stewart
Noble, Mr. John Maloney, of Mont-
real, and Mr. Henry Sutton of La-
chute.

It is the broken ties at the grave that
prompts us to a fuller appreciation
of the tenderness of the ties that are
not yet broken, and so while we
mourn the loss of our dead, we may
rejoice there is no cloud so dark that
there is no light behind it and no sor-
row so great that there is not a balm
for the wound it inflicts, and so to live
in the hearts we leave behind is not
to die.

Don't miss taking in the Recital and
Musical Entertainment at the Browns-
burg Methodist Church on Friday.
Mrs. Bisell is without question one
of the finest elocutionists that have
ever visited our country, so be sure and
take it in. Other musical numbers
will make up a most interesting pro-
gramme.

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GRADE V.

Geography.

Class 1.—Alex McCulloch 87.
Class 11.—Dorothea MacDonald 72.
Class 111.—Violet Golphin 58, Wil-
lie woods 55, Edith Brown 50.

GRADE IV.

Scripture.

Honours.—Lorne Ball 96.
Class 1.—Oscar Cloutier 89.
Class 11.—Ward Monerleff 68,
Johnnie Kennedy 67, George Connelly
64.

GRADE III.

Geography.

George Stewart 100.

Grade VIII.

English Literature.

Honours.—Wallace Wilson, Gladys
Warwick 96, Kenneth MacGibbon 93.
Class 1.—Wilhelmina Clarke 88.

GRADE VII.

Arithmetic.

Honours.—Doris Golphin 93.
Class 1.—Cuthbert MacQuai 87,
Alex Masson 84, Grace Monerleff 76,
Marion Bain 77.
Class 11.—Alma Fletcher 72, Sarah
MacVicar, Leona Thompson 68, Alwyn
Stewart 66, Eileen MacGibbon 62.

Class 111.—Ida Fletcher 59, Mel-
ville Fletcher 50.

GRADE VI.

Mental & Rapid Arithmetic.

Honours.—Mansiel Wilson 97.

Class 11.—Ivan Monk, Alex Mac-
Gibbon 72, Wilbert Hardie 70.
Class 111.—Willie Mott 57, Meluin
Wilson, Lawrence Davis, Freda With-
am 52.

UPPER SCHOOL BROWNSBURG GRADE 111.

English

Honours.—Lily White 98, Wilma
Tomatly 92, Alfred Cloutier 91.
Class 1.—Herbie Granes 89, Gor-
don Anderson 76.

Class 11.—Kenneth MacAllister 69,
Francis Kettle 63.

Class 111.—Mildred Cooper 55.

GRADE II.

Recitation.

Class 1.—Charlie Kennedy 83, Earle
McGibbon 78.

Class 11.—Emily Roberts 70, Gladys
Gilmour 64, Edith Gilmour 63.

Grade I.

Reading.

Honours.—Eric King 97, Harry
White 96, Mona Roberts 95, Katie
Mott, Olive Lebeau 93, Gilmour Mc-
Leod, Dorothy Tomatly, Chris Devine
92, David Kennedy 91, Erwin Martin,
Margaret Galbraith 90.

Class 1.—Ina Campbell, Edna Green
58, Teddy Fletcher 82, Fred Leedham
80.

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Monk 72, Dolly Steere 68.

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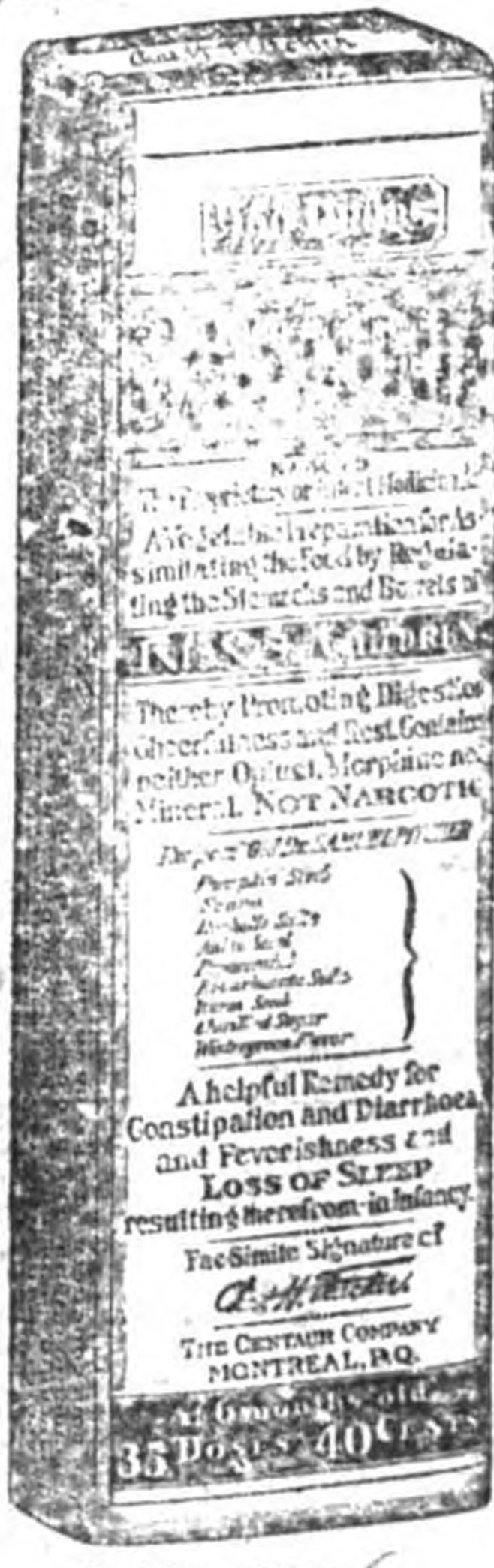
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CANADA
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
DISTRICT OF TERREBONNE
No. 2250.
SUPERIOR COURT.

Notice is hereby given that there has been lodged in the office of the prothonotary of the Superior Court, in the district of Terrebonne, a deed executed before Victor Morin, notary, on the twenty third day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, between Louis Joseph Fautoux, of St-Benoit, district of Terrebonne, and Jean Fautoux, of the city and district of Montreal, being a sale by the said Louis Joseph Fautoux, to the said Jean Fautoux, of an immovable property, on St-Angelo Street, in the village of St-Benoit, Two-Mountains County, being part of lot number two hundred and eighty-two (No. 282) of the official plan an books, for the parish of St-Benoit, measuring two hundred and fourteen feet in front, on St-Angelo Street, by one hundred and fifty-six feet deep, and from there, being five hundred and forty-two feet on a new depth of two hundred and fifty three feet, at which point it joins number two hundred and seventy-six (No. 276) of said official plan and books, bounded on the north-east; the said lot being bounded at one end by part of lot number two hundred and eighty-two (No. 282) sold to Samuel Fautoux, and at the east side partly by the lot sold to said Samuel Fautoux, and partly by another lot belonging to said vendor, the whole with house, shop and dwellings hereon and also machineries, boilers and other articles belonging to the said manufacturing plant erected on said immovable property and possessed by Louis Joseph Fautoux, as proprietor, for the three years now last past; and all persons who claim any privilege or hypothec upon the

said immovable immediately before the registration of the said deed by which the said lot was acquired by hereby notified that application will be made to the said Court of the District of Terrebonne, at Ste-Scholastique, the sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the judgement of confirmation of title; and that unless their claims are such as the registrar is bound by the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure to include in his certificate to be filed in this case, they are hereby required to serve their oppositions in writing, and file the same in the office of the said prothonotary, within six days after the said day, in default of which they will be forever precluded from the right of so doing.

STE-SCHOLASTIQUE, February 17th, 1923.
(Signed) GRIGNON & FORTIER
Prothonotary S. C.

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CANADA
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
DISTRICT OF TERREBONNE
MAGISTRATE COURT.
No. 106.

VICTOR BERGERON, of the city and district of Montreal, machinist, Plaintiff,

-vs-
DAME MATHILDE DUPUIS, widow of late Joseph Dupuis, of St. Adolphe de Howard, district of Terrebonne. Defendant.

The defendant is ordered to appear within a month.
STE-SCHOLASTIQUE Feb. 17, 1923.
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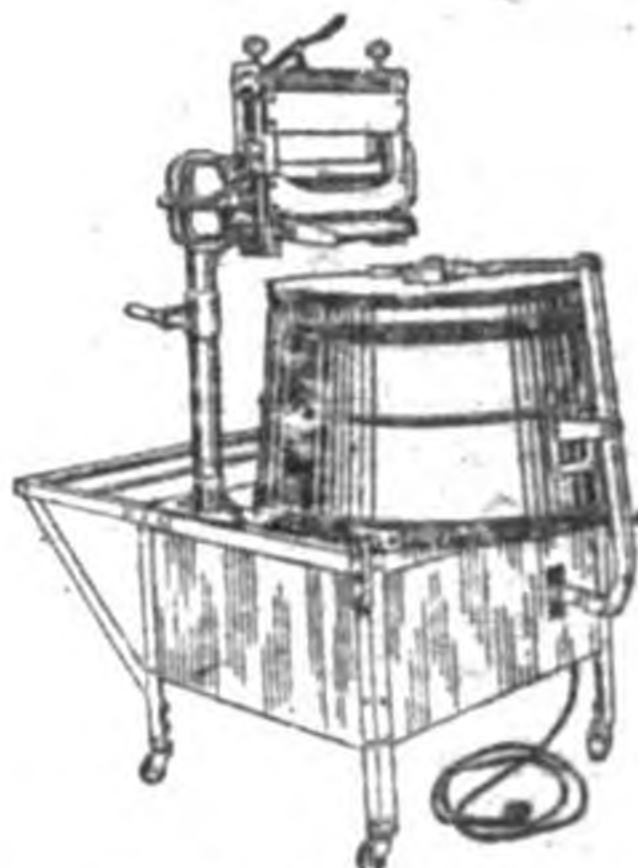
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Care of Flock at Lambing Time

Breeding ewes should be put in a good thriving condition and kept in that condition throughout the winter up to lambing time, care being taken to have them neither too fat nor too thin. Ewes that carry excessive flesh usually develop a good deal of fat inside, which prevents the proper development of the lamb and very often is the direct cause of so many lambs at lambing time. On the other hand, ewes that are too thin have not sufficient nourishment for the proper development of the young, either before or after birth. A good ration for breeding ewes is a mixture of one and one-half parts of oats to one part of good wheat bran, fed at the rate of one-half pound per ewe per day along with two pounds of good roots and two to three pounds of good clover hay per day. Roots should be reduced in the feeding ration one month previous to lambing time.

At weaning time, the shepherd should keep a watchful eye on the flock both night and day, for very often a little careful attention to the newly born lambs means an extra one added to the flock. This is particularly true with the young mothers and in cases of twins or triplets. Very often one of these is weaker than the other, and should it become chilled may die before it gains sufficient strength to take nourishment from the mother.

When the lambing season is early a comfortable lambing pen is essential; in fact it is profitable at any time, for very often ewes with twins or triplets when left in the flock will drown their lambs. Furthermore, ewes after lambing require more generous feeding, and the lambing pen makes this possible. A careful watch to assist the weak ones will reduce the number of losses. In cases of heavy milkers, milk fever may occur. In such cases the udder should be bathed in warm water, thoroughly dried and rubbed with pure hog lard as hot as the eye can stand. If their teats become sore from lambs biting them, two or three applications of vasoline per day will help them. All wool on the udders that prevents the lambs from feeding properly should be clipped off with the shears.

It has been noticed that lambs soon begin taking a little of the grain mixture fed to their mothers, therefore it is advisable to have a small run made at one end of the pen into which the lambs only may go and be fed separately. A good grain mixture for lambs is two parts of wheat bran, one part of crushed oats, one part of finely ground corn meal and from one-quarter to one-half part of oil-meal. Whole oats will do, but the former is preferable. Should a ewe not have sufficient milk for her young, the lamb may be materially helped out by giving it two or three feeds per day of chick milk.

All lambs should be marked a few days after birth, thus saving trouble later on. All ram lambs that are undesirable as breeders should be castrated and all lamb docks at the age of two or three weeks.

As many of the failures in the sheep industry can be attributed to carelessness and negligence during the breeding and lambing seasons, it is most essential that careful study and attention be given to the flock at this time if success is to be assured.

Keep the Cow Comfortable

The dairy cow, to give a large yield of milk of high butter-fat per cent.,

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must be made comfortable. Most dairymen stable their cows most of the time during the winter. I find that on an average, my cows are stabled twenty-three out of every twenty-four hours. Mild days I allow my cows to remain in the yard from one to two hours, but in chilling weather they are in the yard just long enough for watering. I believe daily outdoor exercise adds to the health and comfort of the dairy cow.

My cows are tied with swinging stanchions. These stanchions are suspended on a short chain about six inches long and are also fastened at the bottom with a short chain about the same length. I like this stanchion as it gives the cows a great deal of liberty, yet they are properly tied. I do not like the rigid stanchion. For years we tied our cows with chains about the neck, attached to a vertical bar. This tie was far ahead of the rigid stanchion from the standpoint of comfort of the cows, but the swinging stanchions are the most satisfactory of all.

To stable cows comfortably, a properly arranged and constructed stall is essential. We have used plank floors, cobblestones and block floors in our stable, but the cement floor is the most satisfactory, beyond all question. It is easy to keep clean and sanitary and because of this there is no unpleasant odor about the stable. I consider food grades about the stable as injurious to the health of the cows as to the dairyman himself. I believe a smooth, tight floor an important factor in the sanitary stabling of cows.

The stable should have plenty of windows on all sides, if possible, and especially on the south side. During winter the days are short, and many days are cloudy. Unless there are plenty of windows the stable will be very dark and gloomy. The dairy cow, like a human being, enjoys sunshine. My cows are stabled along the south side of my barn so that the sun can shine directly upon the cows.

Good ventilation is absolutely necessary to the health and comfort of the cows. Few farm barns are equipped with an adequate system of ventilation. However, fresh air may be brought into the stable in various ways if care is exercised to avoid direct drafts. One or more windows may be raised several inches and a board fitted across the opening in such a manner as to allow fresh air to come in without draft. A door may be left partly open on the side opposite the prevailing winds. Abundance of fresh air is essential for the health and comfort of the dairy cow.

To consume her food profitably the dairy cow must have a comfortable bed to lie on. Plenty of clean, dry bedding not only provides comfort but assists in keeping the cows clean, and the stable sanitary. I like to use all the bedding I possibly can in my stable as it not only keeps my cows clean and makes them comfortable, but materially increases my manurial supply. —Leo C. Reynolds.

Study the Individual Cow

From various experiments in feeding dairy cattle, and from observations made through the records of cow-testing associations, it has been found that good feeding will increase the milk flow of the average cow from 25 to 50 per cent., says Mr. A. H. White, Chief Dairy Promoter of the Dominion Dairy and Cold Storage Branch, in his recently issued pamphlet on cow-testing. To bring this increase about, it is not sufficient for the dairyman to know the requirements of his herd as a whole; he must know the necessities of each individual cow in order that she may produce the most. This knowledge can be obtained only by keeping records of each cow; but, as Mr. White points out, where there is a milk sheet, it is an easy and simple matter to apperceive the grain ration according to each animal's production. It is no uncommon thing to find dairy cows being fed a ration of wheat, hay and straw with a little oat chop and no grain at all. Yet they are expected to produce milk profitably! As the author further says, protein is a necessity and should be supplied either in good alfalfa or clover hay or in such concentrates and grains as all meal, cotton seed cake, gluten meal, bran, oat chop, and other meals.

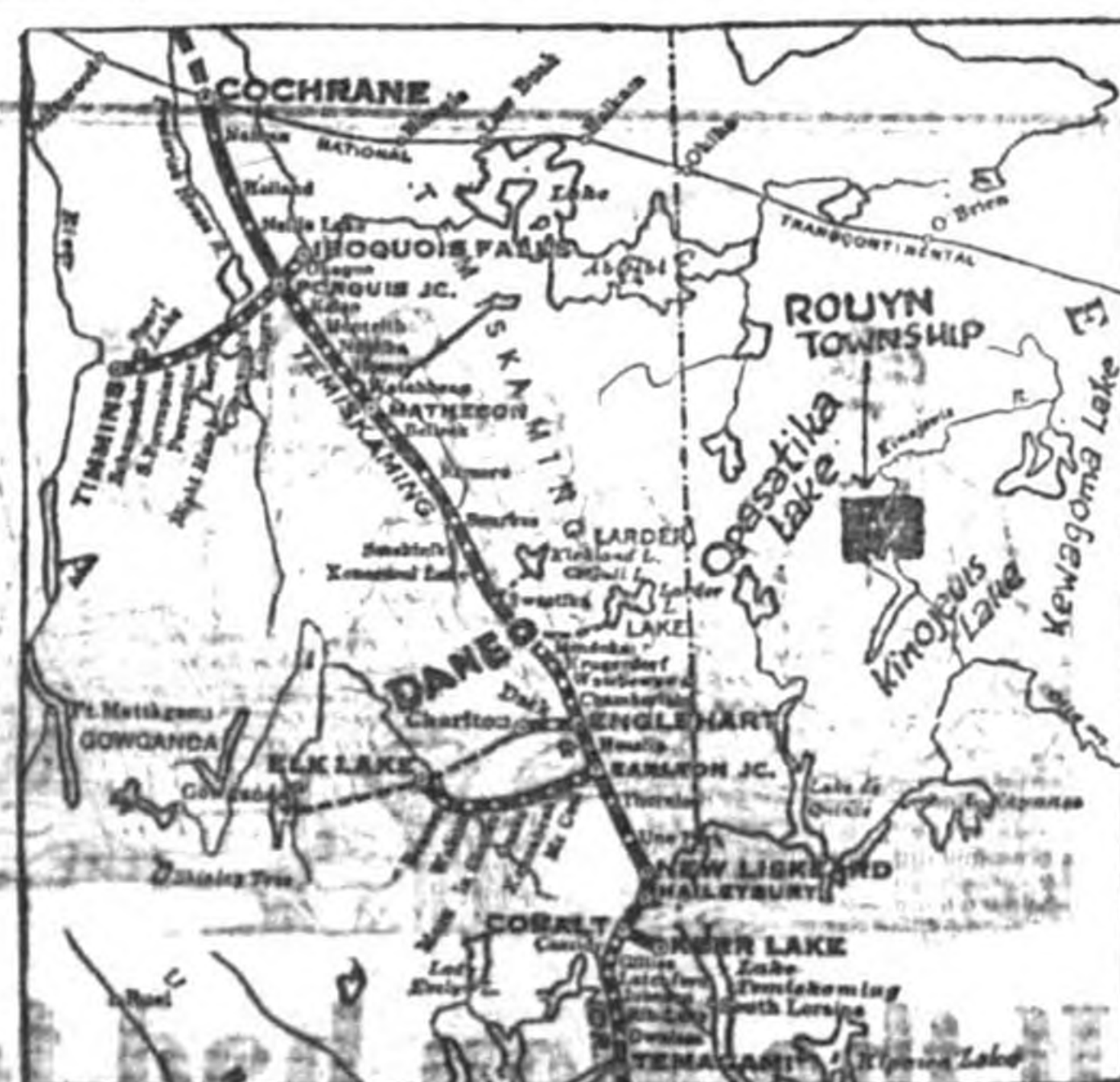
Small Profit in Scrub Stock

To secure quality and early maturity in beef animals (and it might be added for economy), a good pure-bred bull is essential. With present prices it would pay most farmers to buy such an animal now, or if not, to set about making arrangements for the use of a pure-bred bull in the spring. If there is no animal of the kind near, the Dominion Live Stock Commissioner has arrangements for overcoming this difficulty, and will furnish information on request.

Died Bald

The pupils had been writing a history essay, and when the teacher was correcting the papers, she was puzzled to find this remark in one of them: "King John died bald."

On being questioned, the boy who had written this said: "Well, teacher, you said he died without hair!"



When geologists, mineralogists and prospectors all agree that Northern Quebec has the richest bit of wealth producing land yet untapped in Canada, it can be readily expected that there will be the next great gold rush. In spite of intense winter weather thousands of gold seekers are already in Rouyn Township seeking the precious metal. An unprecedented rush is predicted for the spring when the waterways open up. It lies just east of the Quebec border and not far distant from the rich ore fields of northern Ontario. The water route to the new field will be by a chain of lakes and rivers from the head of Lake Temiskaming.

HOGS

The feeding value of alfalfa for hogs has been demonstrated in numerous instances, but it would not seem amiss at the present time to offer a brief discussion on the matter. Because of its suitability in a variety of forms, it has proven to be a boon to the hog raiser.

When used in the form of green feed, either as a sole or pasture crop, when cured and used as hay, or ground into meal, it has been found that almost invariably this feed has taken a foremost place when compared with the other legumes.

In the cured state as hay it is particularly well adapted to meet the requirements of mature hogs as a roughage. The hogs consume only the finer portions of the stems and the leaves, and it is, therefore, very important when harvesting this crop to preserve as many of the leaves as possible.

Analysis shows that alfalfa contains upwards of 16 per cent. of crude protein and about 3.5 per cent. of mineral matter or ash. Both these constituents are relatively important and in the case of the former, forms one of the most expensive constituents of the ration. When thus produced from alfalfa hay, which is a

relatively inexpensive source, it permits of a material reduction in the cost of the ration of mature stock.

There is little advantage to be gained from chopping alfalfa or grinding it into meal, except for young pigs, because of the fact that the increased value has not proven sufficiently great to offset the additional cost. In the case of young pigs, however, which are incapable of handling any appreciable quantity of roughage, alfalfa can be used in the form of meal to good advantage.

Because of the peculiar limitations of the hog in the handling of roughages, this class of stock cannot make substantial gains on alfalfa pasture alone without the addition of concentrates. Some form of meal is necessary in order to produce economical gains. Experimental results have shown that when on alfalfa pasture the most economical as well as the most rapid gains are realized when from 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 pounds of corn or barley meal are supplied for every pound gain in live weight. It was further found that the most economical gains on alfalfa pasture are obtained from hogs which weigh in the proximity of 100 pounds when placed on the pasture.

It is a generally accepted fact that somewhat greater gains may be ob-

A Mad March Hare Party

Here is a rather novel idea for an entertainment, known as the March Hare's Party. If you are well acquainted with Alice in Wonderland, you know all about March Hare.

The invitations are written on cards and pasted on the top of each card is a little brown rabbit running. A few touches of the pen make the eyes and whiskers, and then we have a hare on a mad chase. Beneath the picture is the verse:

Will you come to the March Hare's party
And be as mad as mad can be,
And with the Hatter and the Dormouse
Sit down for a cup of tea?

He has invited only a chosen few,
And hopes that you will be there;
Come March twenty-seven at eight o'clock
And please the Mad March Hare.

The rooms are arranged as hetero-skeeter as possible. Pictures upside down, an old umbrella blown inside out over the door; pussycats scattered about in confusion. In each of the guest rooms is a basket containing a rabbit surrounded by little bowls of various colors, each bowl having a mate in another basket. A card containing this rhyme is given to each guest:

Please go upstairs and take off your hat,
And while up there get a bow;
But do not stop to have a chat,
You can do that later, down below.

Each guest accordingly selects a bow, and after all are assembled downstairs finds a partner wearing a bow to match. They talk for five minutes, then separate, each to write a description of the other in verse, not more than four lines. The assembled guests then read their verses and the winner of the one voted the best receives a large rabbit with a yellow bow about its neck.

Each guest is next invited to take a sheet of large paper and crayons, and to draw the best March Hare he can. A prize is given for the best.

The game affording the most fun comes next. All sorts of little favors and funny objects have previously been strapped up in bundles of various shapes and sizes. Each guest is given a bag containing twenty-five beans, and when all are seated, the auctioneer reads:

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These bundles, which seem so queer to me;
He says there are wonderful things inside,
But that we must bid and see.

He tied them up with paper and string
And wrote on each its name
For he said he thought they might get wet
In case it began to rain.

For each he brought a bag of beans,
With which to bid high or low,
These being very much better, it seems,
Than the stuff that men call "dough."

So please the Hare and bid on these things,
And we hope they will make you glad;
But if you should find them silly or wild,
Remember the March Hare is Mad.

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Are just now drinking tea;
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Care of Flock at Lambing Time.

Breeding ewes should be put in a good thriving condition and kept in that condition throughout the winter up to lambing time, care being taken to have them neither too fat nor too thin. Ewes that carry excessive flesh usually develop a good deal of fat inside, which prevents the proper development of the lamb and very often is the direct cause of so many litters at lambing time. On the other hand, ewes that are too thin have not sufficient nourishment for the proper development of the young, either before or after birth. A good ration for breeding ewes is a mixture of one and one-half parts of oats to one part of good wheat bran, fed at the rate of one-half pound per ewe per day along with two pounds of good roots and two to three pounds of good clover hay per day. Roots should be reduced in the feeding ration one month previous to lambing time.

At weaning time the shepherd should keep a watchful eye on the flock both night and day for, very often a little careful attention to the newly born lambs means an extra one added to the flock. This is particularly true with the young mothers and in cases of twins or triplets. Very often one of these is weaker than the other, and should it become chilled may die before it gains sufficient strength to take nourishment from the mother.

When the lambing season is early a comfortable lambing pen is essential; in fact it is profitable at any time, for very often ewes with twins or triplets when left in the flock will drown their lambs. Furthermore, ewes after lambing require more generous feeding, and the lambing pen makes this possible. A careful watch to assist the weak ones will reduce the number of losses. In cases of heavy milkers, milk fever may occur. In such cases the udder should be bathed in warm water, thoroughly dried and rubbed with pure hog lard as hot as the ewe can stand. If their teats become sore from lambs biting them, two or three applications of vasoline per day will help them. All wool on the udders that prevents the lambs from feeding properly should be clipped off with the shears.

It has been noticed that lambs soon begin taking a little of the grain mixture fed to their mothers, therefore it is advisable to have a small run made at the end of the pen into which the lambs only may go and be fed separately. A good grain mixture for lambs is two parts of wheat, one part of crushed oats, one part of finely ground corn meal and from one-quarter to one-half part of oil meal. Whole oats will do, but the former is preferable. Should a ewe not have sufficient milk for her young, the lamb may be materially helped out by giving it two or three feeds per day of cows' milk.

All lambs should be marked a few days after birth, thus saving trouble later on. All ram lambs that are undesirable as breeders should be castrated and all lambs docked at the age of two or three weeks.

As many of the failures in the sheep industry can be attributed to carelessness and negligence during the breeding and lambing seasons, it is most essential that careful study and attention be given to the flock at this time if success is to be assured.

Keep the Cow Comfortable.

The dairy cow, to give a large yield of milk of high butter-fat per cent.,

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must be made comfortable. Most dairymen stable their cows most of the time during the winter. I find that on an average, my cows are stabled twenty-three out of every twenty-four hours. Mild days I allow my cows to remain in the yard from one to two hours, but in chilling weather they are in the yard just long enough for watering. I believe daily outdoor exercise adds to the health and comfort of the dairy cow.

My cows are tied with swinging stanchions. These stanchions are suspended on a short chain about six inches long and are also fastened at the bottom with a short chain about the same length. I like this stanchion as it gives the cows a great deal of liberty, yet they are properly tied. I do not like the rigid stanchion. For years we tied our cows with chains about the neck, attached to a vertical bar. This tie was far ahead of the rigid stanchion from the standpoint of comfort of the cows, but the swinging stanchions are the most satisfactory of all.

To stable cows comfortably, a properly arranged and constructed stall is essential. We have used plank floors, cobblestone and block floors in our stable, but the cement floor is the most satisfactory, beyond all question. It is easy to keep clean and sanitary and because of this there is no unpleasant odor about the stable. I consider foul gases about the stable as injurious to the health of the cows as to the dairyman himself. I believe a smooth, tight floor an important factor in the sanitary stabling of cows.

The stable should have plenty of windows on all sides, if possible, and especially on the south side. During winter the days are short and many days are cloudy. Unless there are plenty of windows the stable will be very dark and gloomy. The dairy cow, like a human being, enjoys sunshine. My cows are stabled along the south side of my barn so that the sun can shine directly upon the cows.

Good ventilation is absolutely necessary to the health and comfort of the cows. Few farm barns are equipped with an adequate system of ventilation. However, fresh air may be brought into the stable in various ways if care is exercised to avoid direct drafts. One or more windows may be raised several inches and a board fitted across the opening in such a manner as to allow fresh air to come in without draft. A door may be left partly open on the side opposite the prevailing winds. Abundance of fresh air is essential for the health and comfort of the dairy cow.

To consume her food profitably the dairy cow must have a comfortable bed to lie on. Plenty of clean, dry bedding not only provides comfort but assists in keeping the cows clean, and the stable sanitary. I like to use all the bedding I possibly can in my stable as it not only keeps my cows clean and makes them comfortable, but materially increases my manure supply. —Leo C. Reynolds.

Study the Individual Cow.

From various experiments in feeding dairy cattle, and from observation made through the records of co-operating associations, it has been found that good feeding will increase the milk flow of the average cow from 25 to 50 per cent., says Mr. A. H. White, Chief Dairy Promoter of the Dominion Dairy and Cold Storage Branch, in his recently issued pamphlet on cow-feeding. To bring this increase about, it is not sufficient for the dairyman to know the requirements of his herd as a whole; he must know the necessities of each individual cow in order that she may produce the most. This knowledge can be obtained only by keeping records of each cow; but, as Mr. White points out, where there is a milk sheet, it is an easy and simple matter to apportion the grain ration according to each animal's production. It is no uncommon thing to find dairy cows being fed a ration of whole hay and straw with a little oat chop and no grain at all. Yet they are expected to produce milk profitably! As the author further says, protein is a necessity and should be supplied either in good alfalfa or clover hay or in such concentrates and grains as all meal, cotton seed cake, gluten meal, bran, oat chop, and other meals.

Small Profit in Scrub Stock.

To secure quality and early maturity in beef animals (and it might be added for economy), a good pure-bred bull is essential. With present prices it would pay most farmers to buy such an animal now, or if not, to set about making arrangements for the use of a pure-bred bull in the spring. If there is no animal of the kind near, the Dominion Live Stock Commission has arrangements for overcoming the difficulty, and will furnish information on request.

Died Bald.

The pupils had been writing a history essay, and when the teacher was correcting the papers she was puzzled to find this remark in one of them: "King John died bald."

On being questioned, the boy who had written this said: "Well, teacher, you said he died without hair!"



When geologists, mineralogists and prospectors all agree that Northern Quebec has the richest bit of wealth producing land yet untapped in Canada, it can be readily expected that there will be the next great gold rush. In spite of intense winter weather thousands of gold seekers are already in Rouyn-Témiscaming seeking the precious metal. An unprecedented rush is predicted for the spring when the waterways open up. It lies just east of the Quebec border and not far distant from the rich ore fields of northern Ontario. The water route to the new field will be by a chain of lakes and rivers from the head of Lake Temiskaming.

HOGS

The feeding value of alfalfa for hogs has been demonstrated in numerous instances, but it would not seem amiss at the present time to offer a brief discussion on the matter. Because of its suitability in a variety of forms, it has proven to be a boon to the hog raiser.

When used in the form of green feed, either as a sod or pasture crop, when cured and used as hay, or ground into meal, it has been found that almost invariably this feed has taken a foremost place when compared with the other legumes.

In the cured state as hay it is particularly well adapted to meet the requirements of mature hogs as a roughage. The hogs consume only the finer portions of the stems and the leaves, and it is, therefore, very important when harvesting this crop to preserve as many of the leaves as possible.

Analysis shows that alfalfa contains upwards of 16 per cent. of crude protein and about 8.5 per cent. of mineral matter or ash. Both these constituents are relatively important and in the case of the former, forms one of the most expensive constituents of the ration. When thus procured from alfalfa hay, which is a

relatively inexpensive source, it permits of a material reduction in the cost of the ration of mature stock.

There is little advantage to be gained from chopping alfalfa or grinding it into meal, except for young pigs, because of the fact that the increased value has not proven sufficiently great to offset the additional cost. In the case of young pigs, however, which are incapable of handling any appreciable quantity of roughage, alfalfa can be used in the form of meal to good advantage.

Because of the peculiar limitations of the hog in the handling of roughages, this class of stock cannot make substantial gains on alfalfa pasture alone without the addition of concentrates. Some form of meal is necessary in order to produce economical gains. Experimental results have shown that when on alfalfa pasture the most economical as well as the most rapid gains are realized when from 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 pounds of corn or barley meal are supplied for every pound gain in live weight. It was further found that the most economical gains on alfalfa pasture are obtained from hogs which weigh in the proximity of 100 pounds when placed on the pasture.

It is a generally accepted fact that somewhat greater gains may be ob-

A Mad March Hare Party

Here is a rather novel idea for an entertainment, known as the March Hare's Party. If you are well acquainted with Alice in Wonderland, you know all about March Hare.

The invitations are written on cards and pasted on the top of each card is a little brown rabbit, running. A few touches of the pen make the eyes and whiskers, and then we have a hare on a mad chase. Beneath the picture is the verse:

Will you come to the March Hare's party,
And be as mad as mad can be,
And with the Hatter and the Dormouse
Sit down for a cup of tea?

He has invited only a chosen few,
And hopes that you will be there;
Come March twenty-seven at eight o'clock
And please the Mad March Hare.

The rooms are arranged as hatter's kitchen as possible. Pictures upside down, an old umbrella blown inside out over the door; pussywills scattered about in confusion. In each of the guest rooms is a basket containing a rabbit surrounded by little bowls of various colors, each bowl having a name in another basket. A card containing this rhyme is given to each guest:

Please go upstairs and take off your hat,
And while up there get a bow;
But do not stop to have a chat,
You can do that later, down below.

Each guest accordingly selects a bowl, and after all are assembled downstairs finds a partner wearing a bow to match. They talk for five minutes, then separate, each to write a description of the other in verse, not more than four lines. The assembled guests then read their verses and the winner of the one voted the best receives a large rabbit with a yellow bow about its neck.

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To My Mother.

Deal gently with her, Time; these many years have brought more smiles with them than tears. Lay not thy hand too harshly on her brow, But trace decline so slowly on her brow That like a sunset of the northern clime, Where twilight lingers in the summer time, And fades at last into the silent night Ere one may note the passing of the light. So may she pass—since this one common lot—As one who, resting, sleeps and knows it not. —John Allen Wyeth.

A crowd of a million persons standing in comfort would cover seventy acres.

Londoners have lost the knack of laughing, according to a German business man who has been in the metropolis for the first time since 1914.



TOO EASY

"It's altogether too easy to get a divorce."

"Well, maybe if it wasn't so easy to get something to get a divorce from it wouldn't be so easy."

Three Wishes.

If a fairy came to me With the gift of wishes three, First, I'd have a house (quite small!) With roses on the southern wall, Four red chrysanthemums, loaded lights, And shutters for the winter nights.

Then, I'd have a garden, too, Where the old-world flowers grew; Lavender, in purple beds, Flaming scarlet poppy heads, Fruit for jam, a kitchen plot, Wallflower and forget-me-not.

Last, a white fence and a gate Where the One Beloved could wait Watching the long road for me, Looking outward tenderly. —And it's a pity, so I say, That fairy folk have passed away!

Neither Seen Nor Heard.

A small girl was at her first grown-up labor party, and, being wedged in a corner of the table, she was quite overlooked.

She suffered in silence for some time, until at last, during a lull in the conversation, a pathetic little voice piped up: "Does anyone want a clean plate?"

Secret.

I know a thing that no one knows Save only one and I, So frail it is, a thread seems strong, So great, it mocks the sky.

I dare not tell it if I would, Nor would not if I dared, It is so shining even gold Is only dull compared.

But he must tell it—I must wait, As modest maidens do, My little heart, will be glad To find I know it too? —Helen Frazer-Bower.

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Class II.—Lloyd Somerville 74, N. Boyd 73, Grant McHardy 72, Mary Cruise 71, Ethel McQuat 70, Evelyn Mathews 69, Annie Miller, G. Miles 68, Hilda Hume 67, Grace Seale, Geo. MacGibbon 65, Ethel Doig 64, Marian Stewart, Ena Black 63, Harold Calder 62, Edgar Burwash 61, Ena Mason 60.
Class III.—Charles Miller 58, Milton Townsend 56.

GRADE VIII.
Arithmetic.
Honours.—Rene Charron 98, Carl Gordon 98, Henry Miles 91.
Class I.—Edmund Smith 87, Roy MacGregor 84, Grace Smith 83, C. McQuat 78, Bessie Black 75, Marjorie MacKinnon 75.
Class II.—Edward Morrison 74, M. Yelland, Bertha Scott 71, E. Kelly 65, Lena Graham 64, Muriel McPhail 61.
Class III.—Hazel Robinson 54, V. Paul 53, Nellie Hay 50.

GRADE VII.
Spelling and Dictation.
Honours.—Russell Elliott, Dorothy Morrison 98, Elmor McCoy 95, Amy Patterson 94, Erma Morrison, Sarah Douglas 92, Willie Stanforth, Janet McQuat, Bessie Morrison 91, Elsie Stewart 90.
Class I.—Evelyn Cruise 89, Lila McKiddie 88, Howard Doig 87, Lorne Morrison 86, Grace Rodgers 86, Mildred Gaston 84, Rupert Wylie 84, Reat Jones 84, Orton Weldon 78, Lizzie Hay 78, Gordon Dobbie 75.

GRADE VI.
Geography.
Honours.—H. Hutchinson 97.
Class I.—Jas. Logan, Jas. Yelland 86, H. McKiddie 83, C. Vliet 79.
Class II.—G. McQuat 74, S. Hamilton 72, E. Middleton 71, S. Armstrong 70, B. Painter 69, E. McPaul 61.
Class III.—L. Cruise 57, L. Noble 52.

GRADE V.
Grammar.
Honours.—Freda Mason 96, F. Hay 94, Gwen MacKinnon 92, R. Cohen 91.
Class I.—Marion Mathews 82.
Class II.—C. MacKenzie 65, Robert Fulton 64, Stanley Boyd 61.
Class III.—George Paul 57, Raymond MacKinnon 54, A. MacCullough 53, Cecil McPaul 50.

GRADE IV.
Mental and Rapid Arithmetic.
Honours.—Gladys Cruise, Stuart Jones 100, R. Underhill 97, Reat Boys Lena Combie, K. MacKith 96, Janet Hay 94, L. Belanger, B. Cunningham 93, S. Rashevsky 92.
Class I.—D. Armstrong 88, Eugene Jousse, Edgar Dion 86, M. Chapman Gordon McPaul 83.
Class II.—Elsie McPaul 73, James Beech 61.
Class III.—O. Stanforth 65.

GRADE III.
Arithmetic.
Honours.—Jean Fulton 100, Gordon Drysdale 99, Mary Vliet 94, Isabel Cleland 90.
Class I.—Roland Cruise, Eleanor Armstrong 88, Kathleen Clunie 86, V. Falconer 81, Forbie Chapman, Hugh Gail 80, Garfield Clark 79, Verner Thompson 77.
Class II.—Thelma Wert 69.
Class III.—Violet Belanger, Howard Jones 59, Doland Dion 58, Mary Lennon 56.

GRADE II.
Writing.
Honours.—Louisa Vliet 93, Mamie Morrison, Rebecca Rashevsky 90.
Class I.—Amy Morrison 83, Bob Houston 87, Gilbert Black 83, Doris Dion 83, Olive Elkington, Wilson Gail 79, Joseph Berninger 78, Stewart Anderson, Grace Parks 77, Louisa Goldsworthy 76, Andrew Fulton 76.
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LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Gardiner is spending a few days in Montreal this week.

Mrs. T. Stewart and children are visiting in Ottawa this week.

Mrs. Geo. Creswell and daughter Evelyn spent the week-end in Montreal.

Misses Jessie and Willow Lavery, of Montreal, spent the week-end in town.

Miss Jessie Cruise, of Montreal, was the guest of her parents this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, of Montreal, were guests of Miss E. Creswell this week.

Misses Irene and Gertrude Eiddell, of Montreal, were week-end guests of their parents.

Miss Katie Giles is spending this week visiting friends in Montreal and Ste. Anne.

Miss Eleanor McCoy was the hostess at a birthday party on Saturday afternoon last.

Miss Renée Bruneau, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of her sister Mrs. E. Jousse.

Miss M. Rodger, of Lachute Road, is spending a few days with her aunt Mrs. Hugh Gall.

Miss Wilson and Mr. Geo. Roberts, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. F. Roberts.

Mr. Douglas Davis, of Morin Heights, was in town this week visiting his many friends.

P. A. Lafleur, M.P.P. of Verdun, and Mrs. Lafleur were visitors in town over the week-end.

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Mr. Louis R. Lafleur returned to the Montreal College, after spending 3 months holiday with his parents.

Mrs. J. A. Rice returned home from Hamilton on Wednesday, leaving her mother greatly improved in health.

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Mr. Harry McIntyre returned home on Thursday, accompanied by his bride, to whom we give a hearty welcome to our town.

HOT X BUNS next Thursday at Hamilton's Bakery. Don't forget to order early. Also a good assortment of Easter Novelties.

Miss Hampton announces an Easter Millinery Opening on Wednesday, March 28th, and following days. All are invited.

Miss Aggie Morrin, of Petet Brule, returned home on Tuesday, after spending a pleasant visit with her sister Mrs. Jno. Hay.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thorburn and little daughter, of Rosemere, and Mr. and Mrs. John Thorburn and family, of Ste. Therese, were the week-end guests of Mrs. John Thorburn.

Easter Post Cards, and Easter eggs, also a nice box of chocolates for your best girl, and a brick of Parity Ice Cream for the family. Bob's Kosey Corner, Main St., Lachute.

The young ladies of the town will call on you with their "Violets" on Thursday of next week. Give them a welcome, and help along the good work of the Children's Hospitals and Educational work in Montreal.

The St. Patrick's Tea held by the Ladies, of St. Simon's Church, on Saturday last, was a decided success. The tables were artistic and the flowers beautiful, and during the tea hour the hall was well filled. The sum of \$75. was realized.

Painful Accident.

Mr. Theodore Hammond met with a serious, and painful accident on Saturday last, while sawing logs at his mill near Sir John's Lake, when a piece of wood flew up and injured his eye so severely, that he was taken to the Royal Victoria Hospital the same evening. It was found on examination the sight of the eye was completely lost, but are hoping that by treatment an operation will not be necessary.

MUSICAL TREAT

A high class artistic and musical concert will be given in the Victoria Hall, on Easter Tuesday, the 3rd of April next, under the auspices of the St. Julien's new parish of the R. C. Church, in the West Ward of Lachute.

Mr. Emile Tarento, the well-known violin professor of the city of Montreal, with Mr. Hercule Lavoie, the reputed baritone singer will give some of the best pieces of their repertoire. Several other artists from the city will also take interesting part in the programme, which is said to be of great artistic value.

Lovers of classical music will not forget this opportunity. It will be a selected one.

CUSHING.

Miss Strong, of St. Anne de Bellevue was the guest of Miss J. Pinkerton over the week-end.

Miss Lois Keatley entertained a number of her friends at a very enjoyable evening party, on Friday of last week.

The Ladies' Association of St. Mun-go's were entertained at the home of Mrs. L. M. Gaston on Thursday of last week.

Mr. Percy Nicholls who has been visiting his sister Mrs. H. Weir at Thorold Ont., since New Years arrived home last week.

The C.N.R. express due here at 6 p.m. was several hours late on Saturday last, owing to an accident to her engine above L'Orignal.

ST. ANDREWS EAST.

Rev. J. Burgess was in Ottawa over the week-end.

Mrs. G. E. Shaw and Miss Dorion spent Friday and Saturday in Montreal.

Christ Church W. A. is meeting this (Thursday) afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. Neve.

The usual Litany and Lenten address at Christ Church, Friday afternoon March 23rd.

There was the usual Litany and address in Christ Church, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. A. Matthews and little Miss Helen, and Miss Y. Walsh were in Hawkesbury during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Jeffrey and little Doreen of Montreal, spent a few hours in town, looking to things at their summer home.

Among those who were in Montreal during the past week were, Mrs. W. Lamb, Mrs. W. MacAdam, Mr. Hy. Hill, Mr. Pringle and Mr. Mayrand.

Mr. N. F. MacGregor returned Friday from a three weeks business trip to Port Arthur, also taking in North Bay, Sudbury, Haliburton and other towns in New Ontario.

Mrs. Neve accompanied by Miss Madeline went to Montreal on Thursday evening, Mrs. Neve remaining a few days longer with her daughters, Mrs. Hodgson and Mrs. Say.

People from towns are already thinking of summer, and several Montreal families have rented some of the available cottages for the season, while others who own summer homes have been going over them preparatory to an early opening of them.

Mrs. Horace Davis, accompanied by Mr. Davis and Miss Sloan, returned on Saturday, after some weeks in hospital in Montreal. Her friends will all be pleased to know that she has very much improved in health, and hope she will continue to gain strength.

A very good meeting of Christ Church W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Robt. Jones on Thursday afternoon last, when a full and comprehensive report of the M. D. W. A. annual meetings, was given by Miss Yarker. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. E. Neve's on Thursday March 22nd.

CHURCH NOTES.

Services in the Methodist Church next Sunday will be conducted by the Pastor at Lachute 10.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Brownsburg at 7 p.m. You are cordially invited to attend these Services.

Presbyterian Church Services will be held next Sunday, March 25th, as follows: The Minister will preach in Upper Lachute at 11 a.m., in East Settlement at 3 p.m. and in Lachute at 7 p.m. Mr. Lloyd the assistant will preach in Lachute at 11 a.m., in Thomas' Gore at 3 p.m. and in Brownsburg at 7 p.m.

Baptist services Sunday Mar. 25th, Lachute 11 a.m., Dalesville 3 p.m., Brownsburg 7 p.m. The Annual Thank Offering meeting of the Dalesville Mission Circle will be held in the Dalesville Church, on the evening of Good Friday March 20th. A cordial invitation. Don't stop at admission fee, make a good offering.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church intend holding their annual Thank-Offering meeting on Thursday, March 29th, at 3 p.m. Mrs. Marshall, our District Superintendent, will be the speaker at this meeting. All ladies interested are cordially invited and Tea will be served.

Special services will be held in the Presbyterian Church every evening at 7.30 o'clock beginning Monday March 26th, and continuing until Good Friday. Those who will assist the minister in these services are Rev. J. Burgess, Rev. A. Matthews, Rev. J. R. MacLeod, and Rev. R. De Wit Scott. Everyone will be made welcome.

Meeting for Wool Growers.

A meeting of the Argenteuil Wool Growers Association will be held in the office of the Secretary, on Saturday March 31st, at 2.00 p.m.

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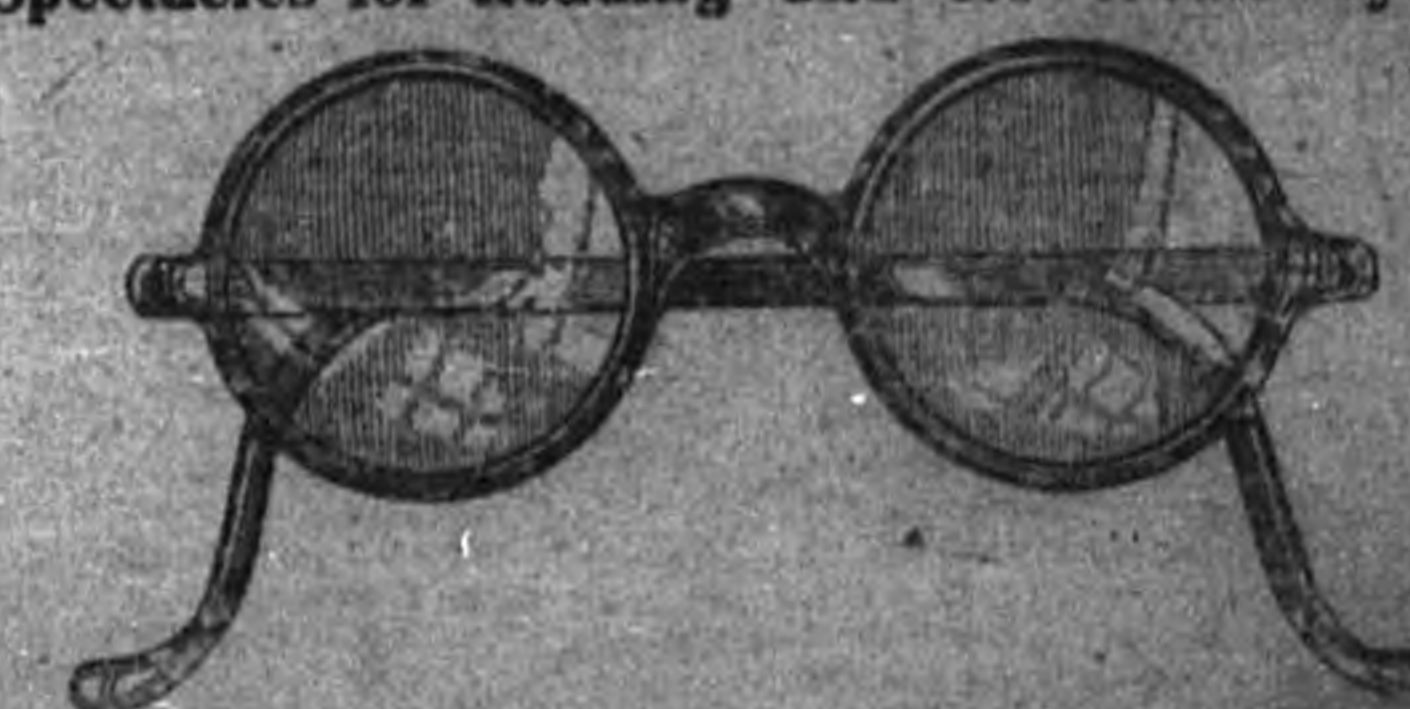
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PART II.

Probably ten minutes later Tim accosted the hotel clerk.

"Tell me all about this fellow," he demanded.

"Sure," replied the clerk. "He came in here and registered—that's him, H. F. Nolan, K.C., and the boy went up with him, carryin' his bag. It's up there yet—I'm goin' to get that much back, anyway."

"Forget it," interrupted Tim. "Send for that bag—let's dump the bricks out and see if there's any clue of where it came from."

But the rather shabby bag didn't contain bricks—just plain rocks, wrapped in newspapers. The papers were old, of widely divergent publication, probably stolen from the reading rack of some hotel. There were no marks on the bag to indicate its history.

"No, I don't care to hear about his wooden leg or his birthmark or his gold teeth," said Tim, "but if you can remember the color of his eyes or hair, height, clothes or hat, you might help."

"Who'd ever think of such sidelines as that when a guy is marked up like a picture book?" demanded the clerk. "It's a cinch you wouldn't," replied Tim as he walked out. He didn't go near Abe or a lot of other victims named over by the chief, but from the hotel his steps led to a novelty store, far down the street, one of the last places to report the decorated stranger. Arriving, Tim paid no attention to the hostile greeting of the proprietor, who had been far down the list of those reporting wooden legs and gold teeth, and therefore as a simple victim of being the last straw of a heavy load had received the latest and best causing delivered by Messrs. Viles and Judson, detectives. The proprietor, after they were gone and he had recovered from the shock, thought in an excellent scathing, almost scorching comment on detectives in general. He was disappointed when Tim ignored him and walked back in the store as if to make a purchase. The proprietor resumed his vigil at the door, intent upon telling every possible fellow-townsmen of the outrageous conduct of the detectives when he started to give them a perfect description of the cheque artist. So he didn't hear Tim as the ancient Jewlander spoke to the pretty little girl, combination clerk and book-keeper.

"Oh, that fellow? He had an artificial er—limb and gold teeth and—"

"Yes, yes, Nellie. All the rest of them noticed him little marks, but you're a smart girl, and I had hoped you'd do better than the others. First, how'd you know he had a wooden—er—limb?"

"Why," replied the girl, "anybody could hear it squeak, and he limped—just a little, like Benny Adams, who got run over with a freight. And then, while Mr. Jenkins was examining the cheque he offered, the fellow stood right here and kinda rested his lame er—limb on this box, and tapped on it kinda absent-minded like, with one of these hardwood rulers. It sounded

like rapping on a box, or something."

"That's fine," said Tim. "And maybe he did notice anything about his clothes, or his hair, or his hands—?"

"Why, yes," admitted the girl. "He had a whole flock of gold teeth, and I couldn't help looking at them, and it seemed to annoy him. He kinda felt of them, like they didn't fit, or something, and I noticed that one finger—I don't know which—showed funny against his teeth. Maybe it didn't have any finger nail—or something like that. Anyway, it didn't look right."

"Which hand?" demanded the old sleuth.

"Lemme see." The girl took a pose, where the young man had stood, raised one hand—then the other. "Right no, he held the ruler in his right hand. It was his left, I'm almost positive."

"You're a sensible girl, Nellie," said Tim, "and some day maybe you'll get a box of candy." And he walked out.

Twenty-four hours elapsed. Both dailies had taken by the forelock that golden opportunity to detail the latest criminal outbreak. All headlines and the leading editorials had dealt humorously, caustically and plaintively with the utter uselessness of the Grainville police department. Both had been unable to withstand the urge to make use of the moth-eaten comparison about detectives who couldn't track an elephant in the snow. Messrs. Viles and Judson, detectives, had been summoned to appear before the Mayor and show cause why they should not be fired for cursing respectable merchants, although the chief, in profane audience with the Mayor, had already shown cause why they should not be fired—because he couldn't hire a pair of deaf and dumb coppers to take their places at the wage set by city ordinance.

And then Tim, who had not even reported at the police station, appeared in the chief's office. Tim was not alone. Beside him stood a sullen young man of about as nondescript type as it would be possible to find. No one would notice him in a village—he was so much like every other young loafer. In a city the size of Grainville his type would run about seven to the block—of that meaningless "medium height," meaningless "sandy complexion," and wearing the same type of clothes affected by practically every soda-jerk or grocery clerk out duty.

"Wooden leg?" inquired the chief, mildly.

Tim tossed a package rolled in a newspaper on the desk. The chief unrolled it and exposed a pair of hard leather puttees. One showed signs of disuse. The other was bright, as from friction with cloth.

"Ah, yes, wooden leg," purred the chief. "Gold teeth, if any?"

Tim dropped a hand and fumbled in a vest pocket. "Open your face, before I knock it open," he barked. The startled youth let his jaw drop. His teeth were not golden, but wide apart, like pickets on a fence. Tim insured the opening by the insertion of a large thumb, his other hand rose to the open mouth, and there glared a gold front. The chief examined this exhibit, after it had been retrieved from the face of the visitor, with interest. A thin gold shell, probably stripped from an umbrella handle, had been cleverly crimped, with a hook at each end of the piece, to hold it around the squirrel-like side teeth.

"Fair enough," said the chief. "Now if you were thoughtful enough to bring along his birthmark, maybe we can get some of these pinheads to identify our little joker."

Again Tim dug into a pocket and placed upon the desk a small, cubic bottle labeled: "Best Purple Writing Fluid."

Then the chief pushed a button to the downstairs buzzer, and the ancient, rheumatic jailer responded, after a time. He gave but a passing glance at the uninteresting prisoner before he followed, the catch still in Tim's custody.

"What I look 'im for?" he demanded, as a second thought.

"Put him in the little room at the end of the women's ward," answered the chief. "It's an investigation case. Don't book him or let anybody see him till I say so."

When Tim returned, the chief said: "You got him—we can dress him up in his trick stuff and make some of the saps recognize him, but you know they won't prosecute. All they want is their money back. Did you find the dough?"

"Yeh," replied Tim. "He had a roll on him that looks like four dollars' worth of lettuce." He began to extract cash from every pocket, and throw it on the desk. "And I just thought of something while I was bringing this squirrel in. This is a State case. Let's turn the roll over to the county attorney, take his receipt for it, and frame him to hold out on him fellows until some av him come across with a complaint. He can tell 'em he has no way of knowing it's their money until 'th' court decides. Let's me an' you drop over to 'th' courthouse and see Jawn."

"All right," replied the chief, "but not before you tell me all about it."

"Wall," said Tim, "I was just lucky. I found one person, Nellie Henderson at Jenkin's place, who had sense. She



When they try to bury the hatchet in the East they strike oil.
—Harding in the Brooklyn Eagle.

remembered he had a bum finger. Of course, I knew no one with sense enough to frame a bad cheque would go out and pass it if he was marked up like a signboard. The way he picked the easy simps to work it on showed he wasn't a stranger in town, so I had no fear av him beatin' it. I knew he was something of a boob, because he overdid the identification mark stuff. With gold teeth alone or a wooden leg alone he might av got away with it. He put on so many marks I knew they were all phony as soon as you told me about it, so I needed something to pick out a ordinary young bum from the gang av young bums that infest this town. I found him an hour after I talked to Nellie, standin' in a pool hall big as life, smokin' cigaroos. There was dozens av others just like him, and all smokin' cigaroos. Out of the dozens he was the only one that had a fingernail mashed off his left hand. He lost that finger nail openin' boxes down at Murphy's grocery in the Second ward. Before we turn him over to the State we must make him give us the address of his cousin in K. C. who used to work in the railroad offices here and draw cheques every two weeks just like that—\$86.50."

"But if you spotted this bird yesterday, how come you snake him in to-day?" pursued the chief.

"Had to find where he lived and frisk his room 'r 'th' evidence," said Tim. "He did a fairly good job hidin' th' phony teeth, but he made no effort to hide the leggins or ink bottle. Then I wanted to find out who framed it for him. Soon as I saw him I knew he was home-grown and didn't have sense enough to attend to the printing av him cheques. That bright cousin av his probably told him to wait several days before hoppin' a train to come down there for 'th' divvy. We'll get Jawn to issue a fugitive warrant fer 'th' K. C. feller and telephone Zimmerman to make th' pinch. An' just one thing more: I owe a little girl a box av candy. Wanta get in on th' deal an' make it a big box? I knew you would—thanks."

The officers strolled out, casually, so as not to attract the attention of loafers around the station door. As they tramped together toward the courthouse the chief cast a glance about to see that no one was near, and said: "Tim, do you think Slim has sense enough to copy those pawnshop reports? Or that maybe at least he and Ben could do it if they both worked hard enough?"

(The End)



MUST HAVE BEEN ABSENT
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No. 21



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How is it done?

The fact is that there are two rings, just alike. Each ring is just big enough to go over the performer's hand—preferably the left hand as this is a trifle smaller than the right in most cases. One of the rings is forced over the hand and up the arm where it is hidden by the coat sleeve. While his back is to the audience, the performer slips the examined ring into his inside coat pocket and pulls the hidden ring down over his hand and on the string.

(Clip this out and paste it, with others of the series, in a scrap-book.)

Editorial Troubles.

The troubles of an editor in a small town are many. Besides the difficulties inherent in making up his paper satisfactorily, he often has to live up to a reputation for limitless knowledge. For many persons "he is an oracle, and the column headed "Notes and Queries," or something similar, is his mouthpiece. A Western paper received a communication bearing pertinently on this matter. It ran as follows:

"Dear Editor: Will you kindly inform me by return mail what number of seeds are contained in a seventy-three to seventy-five-pound pumpkin, as I wish to settle an argument."

A parallel to this request lies in an unhappy experience of an editor who one morning received two letters from subscribers. The first, an anxious father, wrote to find out the best way to bring up his twin babies in health and happiness, while the other, a farmer, wanted to know the quickest method of getting rid of grasshoppers.

The editor hesitated; then, out of the fullness of his knowledge, he wrote two letters in reply. But in the haste of business he put the letters in to the wrong envelopes.

The next morning the father of the twins received this interesting answer:

"Cover them carefully with straw and set fire to it. After jumping in the flames a few moments the little pests will be speedily done for."

And the man who was troubled with grasshoppers was bidden to "Give castor-oil regularly in moderate doses and rub their gums with a bone."

Safe Secrets.

I will carry terrible things to the grave with me.
So much must never be told.
My eyes will be ready for sleep and my heart for dust.

With all the secrets they hold.
The piteous things alive in my memory
Will be safe in that soundless dwelling:
In the clean loam, in the dark where the dumb roots rust.
I can sleep without fear of telling.

—William Alexander Percy.

Wonders of the World.

What are the seven wonders of the Ancient World, the Middle Ages, and the world to-day? We believe this to be the best answer: The Ancient World—pyramids of Egypt, Pharos of Egypt, hanging gardens of Babylon; statue of Jupiter by Phidias, mausoleum of Artemisia, colossus of Rhodes and temple of Diana at Ephesus. The Middle Ages—Coliseum of Rome, catacombs of Alexandria, Great Wall of China, Stonehenge in England, leaning tower of Nankin and mosque of St. Sophia at Constantinople. Authorities differ in answering the wonders of the world to-day, but we believe The Pathfinder's list to be the best. Here it is: Telephone, radio, aircraft, radium, antitoxins, spectrum analysis and X-rays.



LET US HOPE

College Girl: And, mother, I've been put on the scrub team!
Mother: Then I hope you'll know something about house work when you come home at the end of the term.

After the Old Man.

"What's your little girl's name?" asked the colored parson of the lady who was enrolling her daughter in his Sunday school.

"Her name am Opium Bryant," was the reply.

"Opium? That's rather an odd name for a girl," ventured the parson. "How did you ever come to pick that name?"

"Y' see, pahson, 'twas disaway. Dey say opium comes from wild poppy, an' so when dis child was born, Ah decides to name her Opium 'cause her poppy suah am wild."

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BIG DEVELOPMENT OF THE TWIN CITIES

ONE RESULT OF THE FORDNEY TARIFF.

Lake Ports Experienced Year of Unprecedented Activity in 1922.

The effects of the Fordney Tariff, which has thrown Canadian grain back from the international border to find its outlet through Canadian channels, and resulted in the enormous increase of trade passing through the Port of Montreal, are likewise reflected in the ports of the Great Lakes, the transshipping points for the crop of the gigantic Western grainery on its way to the ocean. These combined with the bumper crop of 1922 have contributed to the busiest season Port Arthur and Port William have ever known, and the achievement of a record in the volume of grain shipped.

Grain traffic in the 1922 season exceeded any previous year by a wide margin. Before the winter's ice had put an end to lake activities, more than 200,000,000 bushels of grain had passed through the ports, a volume substantially in excess of any year in the port's history. More grain was handled at the Twin Ports in the season than at Chicago, Duluth and Superior combined. To what an almost unbelievable extent the Twin Ports have developed may be realized when a comparison is made with 1902, twenty years ago, when the ports received 8,819,004 bushels and shipped 10,821,307 bushels. In the 1922 season, when work progressed at fever heat, as much as three and a quarter million bushels were handled in one day.

Progress in Twenty Years.

Twenty years ago the grain-weighting staff in Port Arthur and Port William was composed of 3 men. To-day this staff consists of 110 employees. Twenty years ago the chief inspector covered less than two miles daily. To-day, to visit all the grain-handling plants, he must travel nearly fifteen miles. It used to take from twelve to fourteen hours to load a ship carrying 100,000 bushels of grain. This past summer two steamers were loaded with 776,000 bushels in fourteen hours. Twenty years ago 200,000 bushels was a good volume of grain to be handled in a day by the weighing staff. The average in 1922 was 3,000,000 bushels a day. In the remote period a record was created when 600,000 bushels was shipped by steamer. On one day of the 1922 season a fleet of twenty-eight steamers loaded at the Twin Ports 1,000,000 bushels in excess of the entire shipment out of the Port of Vancouver in 1921. The combined elevator capacity of the ports in 1902 was in the neighborhood of 6,000,000 bushels. To-day it is in excess of 55,000,000 bushels, and by the fall of 1922 will be 61,000,000 bushels, through the addition of two new elevators.

Remarkable Industrial Expansion.

Development at the Twin Ports is by no means confined to the grain traffic. The ports have been experiencing a remarkable industrial expansion, which is particularly noteworthy in the pulp and paper industry. Much timber activity has in the past year evidenced itself, and mining developments of recent date will probably have some bearing on the future prosperity of the district. The two cities are surrounded by some excellent timber limits, whilst casual prospecting has disclosed the presence of many valuable minerals in the vicinity.

The pulp and paper industry is already an important factor in the industrial progress of the Twin Ports and will be a greater one in the future. The Port William Paper Company, which has for some time been turning out large quantities of wood pulp, installed two new paper machines, and commenced the new year with an output of 100 tons per day. The Provincial Paper Mills, Ltd., has also installed a paper-making machine which will have a capacity of 35 tons of book-print per day. The plant of the Thunder Bay Paper Company is turning out groundwood pulp, and the Great Lakes Paper Company is expected to locate at one of the two cities.

Record Movement of Grain.

A new industry which is developing at the two great grain ports, and which possesses the possibilities of growing into one of some moment, is the utilization of grain screenings as cattle food. Hundreds of tons of grain screenings at the giant elevators have annually been wasted until certain Western ranchers realized their valuable food properties, since when thousands of head of sheep, cat-

tle and swine have been brought from the West in the fall and fattened at the elevators all winter, being finished in prime shape in the spring and close to the Dominion Livestock markets. Though only recently initiated this industry is finding rapid favor and may develop into proportions extensive and valuable.

The Lake ports experienced a year of unprecedented activity in 1922 which resulted in a record being made for the movement of grain. This record will be surpassed, however, for the continuous settlement of the West with increased cultivation and production will result in a demand upon these ports to accommodate a still greater volume. In the past twenty years shipments from Port William and Port Arthur have increased at the rate of 100 per cent. per year on the average. What will the next twenty years bring to the ports?

Brother and Lover.

John Dill had gone from bad to worse until he was a slave to drink. Though his family entreated him, he refused with all a Scotchman's pride to return to his old home in Ayr. He would not disgrace them.

One day the minister received a letter from his brother. "Drink is John's weakness," he wrote; "I want to help him, but he is too proud to take anything from the elder brother who remained at home. I wish you would write and tell me how I can help him. I never have ceased to pray for his conversion. Christ can save him, I know."

That night the minister had to make a call. It was pitch dark, and in the part of the town where his errand was there were no street lights; he had literally to feel his way. Hearing footsteps, he stopped. "Good evening," he said so that the person might not bump into him.

For a moment there was no reply, then, "Is that you, Mr. Fox?"

The minister recognized Dill's voice. "Where are you going, John?" he inquired.

Again there was a pause. Then came the sharp reply: "I am going to end it all! The quicker I'm out of the world the better it will be!"

"Why, John Dill!" exclaimed the minister, aghast.

"I'm the black sheep of the family," the man continued. "All of the rest are good respectable people. I have caused them so many cares and anxieties that it will be a relief for them to know I'll disgrace them no more."

The minister frowned thoughtfully there in the darkness. "Come back to the house with me," he said at last. "I want to show you a letter I received to-day."

Dill reluctantly followed the minister home. In the little front room a lamp had been left burning for his return. He gave Dill a seat by the table and handed him his brother's letter.

As he read it his discouraged, half-scornful look gave place to one of tenderness. His hands trembled, and tear after tear stole down his cheeks. When he had finished reading he folded the letter and returned it to the envelope.

"My brother," he said at last, "is a wonderful man. You cannot understand what this means to me, to know he loves me in spite of my past!"

"John," said the minister, "your brother is a wonderful man, but there is a Lover that sticketh closer than a brother." And then as Dill looked up at him inquiringly, he added, "Your brother has never ceased to love you. Jesus Christ is the Lover of your soul. He never has given you up. He can make a new creature of you."

"What about the wasted years?"

"Never mind the wasted years; the good, fruitful years are before you."

That night John Dill gave himself to God. The minister received him into the church, and he could imagine the joy in that Scotch home across the sea when the good news reached them that the lost was found.

To Burn Five Thousand Years.

Probably the largest candle in the world has just been placed in the Church of the Madonna of Pompeii at Naples. It stands eighteen feet high, and is believed to weigh a ton.

It has been presented to the church by a Home for Orphans, as a memorial to Caruso. The great singer was very generous to the orphan home during his lifetime, for many years bestowing gifts upon it amounting to \$10,000 a year. As a return they have evolved this kind idea to perpetuate his memory.

It is only intended that the candle should be lit for twenty-four hours once a year—on All Souls' Day—and at this rate it is estimated that it will last, according to one calculation, for 1,800 years; and according to another, as long as 5,000 years.

On this basis a light will be lit and burnt to the memory of Caruso on All Souls' Day, A.D. 6922.

If the candle was burnt continuously, it is estimated it would last for nearly fourteen years.

To light it a girl has to mount a pair of steps, when her head is then two or three feet below the top of the candle.

Good For Pains.

Motorist—"Yes, it took me about six weeks' hard work to learn to drive my machine."

Pedestrian—"And what did you get for your pains?"

Motorist—"Limbet!"

"Treasure Island," Stevenson's famous story, is recommended for boys up to the age of thirteen in preference to Shakespeare's plays.

New Road in the Rockies



Along the Banff-Windermere Road

Canada has some of the best scenery, but up to last autumn motor touring in the Canadian Rockies was handicapped by a roadless area in the heart of the mountains which stopped all traffic. The building of the Banff-Windermere highway has supplied the missing link, placed the Canadian Rockies on one of America's greatest tourist highways, and opened the way for a great and immediate increase in international motor travel.

This road affords a direct and first-class motor highway from the town of Banff in Banff National Park, Alberta, southwesterly over the continental divide to the Windermere district in the upper valley of the Columbia River.

Create Your Own Job.

Wide interest was aroused recently by the actions of a gentleman, who soon came to be referred to as "The Man in Black." He has been out of work, and, instead of despairing, had decided to create a job. That job was the supplying of enamelled letters to take the place of those missing from shop windows.

Walk along any street, and you'll see scores of shop windows which are nothing but advertisements of the unbusinesslike character of the people within. "Chocolates" may have become "hocolates"; "Sweets" may have turned into "weets"; and "Grocer" into "rocer." Indeed, the writer remembers wondering what on earth were the duties of a "Photographer."

The Man in Black saw possibilities in these neglected shop windows, bought a stock of enamelled letters, and began calling on shops, where his attentions seemed to be needed. He was smartly dressed in a well-fitting black suit (hence his name), and was frequently mistaken for a customer. More often than not he was commissioned to effect the necessary repairs.

Then, there was the case of a young girl who fell out of a job. She tried for a week or two to obtain another situation, and when failure dogged her footsteps, she decided to make work. She remembered how, one morning, she had wanted her only frock cleaned very quickly, in order that she could wear it at a dance the same night. She had been unable to get it done.

Profiting by this experience, she decided to start a rapid dress renovating service. She asked her friends to advertise her, and was soon earning more than she had done at her work.

She filled a long-felt want, you see. Very ingenious was the man who conceived the idea of re-decorating wall paper. In most houses there is a room where the wall-paper has been a little scratched—perhaps by a former tenant.

Well, the wall-paper artist calls with his paints, patches up the bare scratches with plain paper, and then paints on the bare space a pattern to match the rest of the wall-paper.

One could mention scores of such cases, but these instances suffice to show that work can be created.



TEMPORARY RELIEF

Mr. Fish: Now that the lakes and rivers are frozen over, my dear, those pesky fishermen will let us alone for a while!

Where Haughtiness Counts.

The wealthy uncle was talking over the prospects of his nephew with the lad's mother.

"How is he doing with his studies?"

"Oh, very well. He shows a great talent for music, and his manner is very haughty. His teacher thinks he will become a conductor."

"Ah! Indeed!" responded uncle. "Orchestra or street car?"

—AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME



Stories of Well-Known People

With the Help of Dixie.

Lloyd George is nothing if not thorough. Mr. Henry Morgenthau in his autobiography cites an incident to show the pains that the man would take to gain his end—even when the thing he wanted was merely a stepping stone to something greater.

During the peace conference, says Mr. Morgenthau, the premier was keen to gain favor with those close to President Wilson, and one night he invited to dine with him Adm. Cary T. Grayson, whom he knew to be not only Mr. Wilson's physician but one of his personal confidants as well. Now Admiral Grayson is a Southerner of the South-eastern; he was born in Culpepper County, Virginia, and had studied at William and Mary College.

Consequently he "pricked up his ears" when Lloyd George's entire table conversation was of that America which lies south of Mason and Dixon's line. The premier was specially familiar with the career of Stonewall Jackson, for whom he professed warm admiration. Finally after dinner Lloyd George's niece went to the piano and sang—American Southern melodies.

That was too much for Admiral Grayson. "How is it," he said, "that you all have such an intimate knowledge of my part of America?"

Perhaps the direct query took the premier by surprise. At any rate he replied: "Well, you see, I have just finished reading Henderson's Life of Stonewall Jackson."

Admiral Grayson's response was in the good old American fashion: "My

dear sir, no matter what office you run for, you'll have my vote!"

The Future Duchess of York.

One of the most charming characteristics of the future Duchess of York, Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, is her sense of humor, as the following story shows.

A number of American tourists had come to look over Glamis Castle, the ancestral home of the Strathmores family, and in a burst of high spirits Lady Elizabeth attired herself as a housemaid and offered to show the visitors round. The tourists accepted and spent a delightful afternoon in the old castle.

As they were leaving they insisted on "tipping" their guide! I imagine they would have been considerably surprised had they known who she was.

A Great Prime Minister.

How many men who have emigrated in search of fame and fortune have succeeded to such an extent that they have become Prime Ministers of the country of their adoption? This is the record of Mr. W. M. Hughes, who has resigned after being Australia's Premier for eight years.

Nearly forty years ago Mr. Hughes left England and landed in Australia, penniless and without work. For a time he wandered about doing any odd jobs that came his way. Policeman, bookseller, actor, and railwayman—all these roles were filled by the future Prime Minister. Only ten years after he had landed Mr. Hughes was elected to Parliament, where he quickly made his name.

THE FISH EXPORTS OF THE DOMINION

SIX HUNDRED VARIETIES OF EDIBLE FISH.

Canada Has Opportunities for Establishment of More Processing and Finishing Plants.

Canada has the most extensive fishing grounds in the world, and in the Dominion's inland waters and those off both coasts are to be found some six hundred varieties of edible fish. To date not more than about one hundred and fifty are commonly known, whilst not more than twenty have become really important factors on the market. The extent of the product of Canadian waters, however, indicates most clearly the potentiality of the Canadian fishing industry. In quantity they could easily furnish the entire world with its needs without suffering any depletion and come very near filling all the demands for variety. As a matter of fact it is difficult to name a country of the globe where Canadian fish of some kind is not being regularly imported.

In the fiscal year 1922, Canada exported fish to the extent of \$29,875,392 from a catch valued at \$4,931,935, or roughly about 80 per cent. of the annual catch left Canada. Every variety of fish caught in Canadian waters was exported, the sum total of exports being made up entirely of comparatively small items. Exports of pollock, hake, and tusk took the first place, accounting for a value of \$8,433,323; cod-fish was second with \$5,509,323; canned lobsters third with \$3,756,443; and then in order, fresh lobsters, \$1,405,257; whitefish, \$1,150,511; swordfish, \$1,064,383; dry salted herrings, \$1,000,427; and salmon, fresh, \$993,373. Other interesting items of exports were 6,571 cwt. of canned and preserved whale-meat worth \$10,969; 4,355 seal-skins worth \$56,498; and 293,598 gallons of cod liver oil, seal oil, whale oil and other fish oil worth \$140,937.

Fish Exports in 1922

Canada's fish exports in 1922 were divided as follows:—to the United Kingdom, \$5,540,998; to the United States, \$12,006,194; and to other countries, \$11,328,160. Against this were imports amounting to \$3,071,024, in which the principal items were the following:—anchovies, sardines, sprats and other fish packed in oil, \$471,450; cod, haddock, pollock, dried, fresh, smoked and salted, \$502,478; herrings, fresh, canned, frozen and pickled, \$335,793; oysters, \$309,952; salmon, canned, fresh, pickled and smoked, \$501,467; cod liver oil, seal oil, whale oil and other fish oil, \$72,544. Of the total imports, fish products to the value of \$156,688 were brought in from the United Kingdom; \$1,210,477 from the United States and \$1,703,866 from other countries.

As previously observed, Canada's fish exports go to apparently every country of the globe. Japan is a heavy buyer of fresh and frozen salmon; herrings go in greatest bulk to Australia, Brazil, British Guiana, Barbadoes, Jamaica, Trinidad, Cuba, Fiji, and New Zealand; lobsters go in large quantities to the United States, Argentina, Belgium, Denmark, France, Greece, Newfoundland, Norway, Sweden and St. Pierre and Miquelon; canned salmon finds an extensive market in the United States, Australia, Belgium, Bolivia, Strait Settlements, South Africa, West Indies, Chile, Cuba, Dutch East Indies, Ecuador, Fiji, France, Greece, Italy, Mexico, etc.

Export Trade Growing Steadily. Canada's export fish trade is one

that has been growing steadily for a number of years and is still exhibiting consistent progress. In 1865, one year after the Confederation of the Dominion, the exports of fish from Canada totalled in value \$3,357,510. By 1901 these had grown to \$10,720,353. Since that time the annual increments have been more or less regular. In 1905 total exports accounted for a value of \$11,114,318. By 1910 they were \$15,863,163; by 1915, \$19,537,093; by 1917, \$24,589,253; and in 1922, \$29,875,392. The small growth in imports more or less reflects the growth of Canada's population and the increase in the demand for prepared products of the fisheries. In 1901 total imports were of a value of \$972,939; in 1905, \$1,533,960; in 1910, \$3,782,317; in 1917 \$2,476,279; and in 1922, \$3,071,024.

With such expansive fishing grounds teeming with so elaborate a variety of fishes, it is difficult to account at first for this necessity of importing fish products. It is explained, however, in the lack of adequate facilities in the Dominion for processing and finishing the raw product for consumption. At the present time Canada is buying back in a finished state from other countries fish she could wholly supply from her own waters; and frequently the finished product which she exports in a raw state. This points to obvious existing opportunities in the country for the greater establishment of processing and finishing plants.

In the export trade Canada is making a gratifying progress. She is continually extending her markets and augmenting the volume of her shipped products. Room for much expansion of trade in foreign markets, however, yet exists, and more or less organized efforts are being made within the Dominion to serve these and make the industrial side of Canada's fisheries more commensurate with the source of raw supply.

Helps for Women.

A power plant is a wonderful gift. The housewife's heavy work to lift. For washing dishes, too, I think. A fine thing would be a nice large sink.

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—Alfred F. Ward.

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"See here, cap," he protested. "What kind of a joke are you putting over on me? I can't travel in the same stateroom as that Major Thomas, and I won't. The major don't like the idea, neither."

"What's the trouble, sir. Surely you don't object to an Army officer as a companion?"

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EN PASSANT.

"A HAIR-BREADTH is the 43th part of an inch."
I do not know who set up this standard, nor can I say whether he took the human head of the back of the fretful porcupine as the base of his calculations, but, on the supposition that the hairs of our heads are spaced apart that 2304 of them occupy a square inch of surface, the figure seems reasonable, although there are many heads which would throw the calculation all out.

At the last political meeting I attended I sat in a back seat, and, not having anything else to occupy my mind, I began speculating on "open spaces, suggested of course by seeing so many of them before me: It looked as if the verdure on the open spaces on heads about equalled the geographical area of the country, in point of population, about one to the half mile.

Baldness is a delicate subject with most people, and for that very reason it is used for the perpetration of more alleged jokes than that other long-suffering subject of misplaced hilarity, to wit, the mother-in-law.

No man likes to be twitted about the thinness of his thatch: He resents any reference to its autumnal predilections even by the tonsorial artist who in a soft voice suggests selling him something to "arrest falling off." For my own part, I prefer a semi-bald barber, because he cannot recommend anything from personal experience of its success, and whose observations, therefore, are confined to politics and the weather, and other impersonal matters. I remember a well turned reply to the usual innane taunt about being "a little thin on top." A man with a head of hair like a furze bush passed a remark about the other fellow's "skating rink for flies," and was told, "Josh Billings says you cannot grow hair and brains: You don't expect to find grass growing in a busy street!"

THERE HAVE always been people who would not accept the standard of the hair-breadth, no matter how low it might be set. Subtle subdivisions and distinctions have ruined many a magnificent organization, many a lofty plan. In religion, in politics, and in social science, hair-splitting has been the cause of more disruption and decay than all other causes combined. The present day gives evidence that the habit is still growing. We find it everywhere. A labour dispute, ending a big strike, is brought about by the splitting of hairs, on one side or the other.

France occupies the district of the Ruhr, through the splitting of already small hairs: Some say the Germans have done the splitting, while others say the occupation is the result of the French habit of making minute distinctions, either through self esteem or ill-concealed dislike of the plan she has had to work upon, up to the formalization of one of her own. The treaty of Versailles was a hair-breadth escape from chaos and confusion, and now it is being shredded up into minute segments to fit changing opinions and shifting ideals, with the almost certain result of its ultimately perishing.

The same sort of hair-splitting chicanery pervades affairs nearer home, notably in the Canadian Immigration problems which we are told confront the country, and upon which its future depends. The cry is that the country must be more thickly populated and all the bald places covered. To that end various schemes are recommended to promote a new growth while others are brought forward as a means of preventing dandruff, or in other words, to stop the constant migration southwards. This is a subject upon which one settled opinion is very necessary, for once the treatment is adopted the consequences must be endured, whether the sparse places produce Chinese quees or Nigger wool instead of auburn tresses and Hyperion locks.

Meanwhile, I suppose, until the growers and splitters come to some coherent decision, the country will have to comb and brush its remaining hairs over the meagrely supplied spaces, to the best advantage, like other people. The full utilization of the unemployed might be tried as a temporary expedient in the hope that in a generation or so, "their value as citizens would be assured." It remains a fact that there is a large population of unemployed in the cities, which might be brushed across, to

hide the bare spots.

COMPLAINT is made that there is no fixed or definite plan for encouraging foreigners to come to Canada. Recognising the necessity for their coming, in consequence of the need of the country to find money enough to pay its debts and make its railways profitable the question of where these immigrants will be found is being discussed as a matter of immediate moment, while such drawbacks as climate, housing accommodation, and the cost of clothing, food, and fuel, are put aside for consideration by the immigrants, when they come! That is poor policy: In business the sleepiest shopkeeper will look a little ahead and provide more than what will just supply the bare requirements of his customers. Business men do not stand on the hair-breadth chance of people discovering them: they advertise, and the best way to advertise Canada, is to show that there are no strikes here, no unemployment, and that all the necessities of life are placed beyond the caprice of greedy profiteers, being placed upon a sound services basis established by law. Be able to show this and then you will be in a position to select your immigrants from the crowd clamouring for admission at the Early Doors.

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The Mountain Stream.

From snow-film flakes,
And cloud-tipped lakes,
I gather power supreme;
And as I glide,
I well with pride,
A new-born Mountain Stream.

Seeping, creeping,
Meekly meeting,
From each near-by source;
Trickling, dribbling,
Rambling, rippling,
Along my wayward course.

Dancing, prancing,
Bouncing, glancing,
Fleeting the mountain side;
Whirling, twirling,
Swirling, purring,
As on my way I slide.

Wending, winding,
Sidelining, idling,
Among the hills and dales;
Sometimes hiding,
Seeking, finding,
Rest in the lovely vales.

Continuing next week.

RYHOS—Brownsburg

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Miss Tena Taylor was a visitor in the city this week, attending the wedding of her cousin.

The weekly Cottage Prayer Meeting was held on Thursday Evening at the home of Mr. C. A. Pease.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. D. Taylor is making progress, and that she is able to move around slowly.

The Presbyterian Church Services begin at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sunday School from 3 to 4 p.m. The Pastor Rev. John Burgess will preach at both services.

The Choir Practice, under the direction of Mr. Tom Webster will be held next Saturday Evening, at the home of Mr. Charles A. Hyde at 8 o'clock. (Keep it up.)

A meeting of the Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Miss Harrington on Thursday afternoon. A most enjoyable time was spent by a large and enthusiastic gathering.

We regret that Miss Hattie McEwen is still ill, and suffering acutely at intervals. It is the hope of all her friends that she will soon be up and around. She was missed at the Aid on Thursday.

Mr. Harrison S. Lewis, Chief Federal Migratory Bird Officer of Ontario and Quebec, will give a lecture on "Migratory Birds," illustrated with over 100 slides, in the Town Hall, St. Andrews East, on Friday evening at 7.30 p.m. Admission FREE to all.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Society, was held at the home of Miss Hibbard on Tuesday afternoon. The subject, "Progress made in Missionary Work at home and abroad during the last ten years" was ably presented by Miss Hibbard. This Society is making progress and a new interest is being manifested in the work.

The funeral of Miss Sarah Cameron, who died on Thursday Evening, March 15th, at Point Fortune, at the home of Mr. J. Pitcairn, took place on March 17th, to St. Andrews East, where the body was laid in the vault.

Miss Cameron had been remarkably well up till about three weeks ago, when she contracted a chill which developed into double pneumonia, causing her death. Miss Cameron had entered upon her 85th year, but was very active and interested in the welfare of her native village until the day of her death. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. John Burgess, of St. Andrews East.

BIRTHS.

GORDON.—At East Settlement on Monday, March 19th, 1923, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Archie B. Gordon (nee Isabel Cunningham).

COOKE.—At Lachute on March 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Cooke (nee Inez Sutton) of 2634 A Weaverville St. Montreal, A Daughter Still born.

DEATHS.

LEGGO.—On March 6th, at White Plains, N.Y., Henry F. Leggo, in his 79th year. Formerly of Quebec and Montreal.

IN MEMORIAM.

† † †

DORION.—In loving memory of our dear Husband and Father, Albert Geo. Dorion, who passed away on March 23rd, 1921.

No one knows the parting.
Or what that parting cost,
But God in His great goodness,
Has gained what we have lost.
Inserted by his loving wife and children.

TODD.—In sad but loving memory of a dear daughter and sister, Lizzie, who departed this life, March 27th, 1922.

Though her loving voice is silent,
And her true heart ceased to beat;
Yet we miss her well-known footsteps
And her face we loved to greet.
She was such a loving daughter,
And a sister kind and true,
A better friend never lived,
Her equals were but few,
She has gone from our home but not from our hearts.

Deeply mourned by her parents,
Sisters and Brother.

† † †

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Here and There

It is announced that a new cave, the extent of which can only be surmised, has been discovered seven miles from Glacier House, Glacier, B.C.

The Yukon Territory is rapidly losing its inhabitants. In 1911 the population was 27,217, and in 1921 it had dwindled down to 4,157.

In an address to the Rotarians in Montreal last week, E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, made a pointed statement to the effect that Canada needs more capital for its development and more men for the same purpose.

An old-time stampede will be held in Calgary, Alta., between July 5th and July 14th, 1923. The programme will, as usual, include calf roping contests, broncho busting, and fancy riding and roping, etc.

Resumption of direct steamship service this spring between Montreal and the principal Norwegian ports, with the object of furthering the expansion of trade between Canada and Norway, is announced by the Canadian Pacific traffic agents for the Norwegian-American Line.

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No. 420. Sunday only.—Leave Ottawa 8.50 a.m., Calumet 10.50, arrive Montreal 1.15 p.m.

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Class 1.—Sarah MacVicar 89, Besie Mason 87, Marion Bain 85, Alex Masson 84, Ellein MacGibbon 80.

Class 111.—Melville Fletcher 61, Jack Stewart 60, Alwyn Stewart 58, Ida Fletcher 54.

GRADE VI.

Class 1.—Mansiel Wilson, Ivan Monk 85, John Galbraith, Alfredo Zimmers 76.

Class 111.—Lawrence Danis 50.

GRADE V.

Class 1.—Dorothy MacDonald 80, Class 11.—Edith Brown 72, Polly Duncan 67, Violet Golpin 66, Alex McCulloch 61, Willie Woods 60.

Class 111.—Eveline Highfield 59, Harry Ball 54, Agnes Duncan 51.

GRADE IV.

Honours.—Lorne Ball 91.

Class 1.—Howard Tomalty 84, Walter McQuat and Oscar Cloutier 79.

Class 11.—Audrey Monk 70, Ward Moncrieff 69, Winnifred Warne 67.

Class 111.—Nelson Warwick 58, Willie Mason and Johnnie Kennedy 52.

GRADE III.

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Class 1.—Gordon Anderson 88, Leslie Becroft 86, Jimmy Gilling 85, Francis Kettle 84, Ivy Steere 80, Herbie Granes 79, Harold Campbell 77, Frank McGibbon 75.

Class 11.—Lizette Seary 74, Alfred Cloutier 73, Mildred Cooper 70, Kenneth McAllister, Theron Wilson 69.

Class 111.—Jacky Seary 50.

Writing.

Honours.—Gladys Gilmour 92, Emily Roberts 90.

Class 1.—Winnie White 89, Pasty Seary 88, David Golpin 86, Lillian Chambers 85, Edith Gilmour 84, Lily Green 83, Harry Beckingham 82, Ethel Kettle 81, Hilda Jackson 80, Stanley Seary 78.

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Weir 7.00 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.

S. S. Arundel 10.30 a.m.

Rev. Albert Johnson, Pastor.

At a meeting of the County Council, held at Lachute, on 14th inst., our worthy Mayor, Mr. C. J. Stanforth, had the honour of being appointed Warden of the County.

The presence of Wolves, this winter, has not been confirmed to the West. Many have been seen in this district and recently three have been shot by local hunters, in the Government Limits, back of Weir.

On Monday evening, 19th inst., The Grace Church Girls' Branch of the W.A., chartered by Mrs. Gagnon, entertained their friends to a snowshoe tramp, followed by a supper at the Rectory. Meeting at the Arundel Station of the C.N.R. a number of the young ladies and their friends tramped to Morrison's Station, and their boarded the evening train for the return trip to Arundel.

After the supper at the rectory, games and singing were enjoyed for a couple of hours. A vote of thanks proposed by Master S. Forbell, and seconded by Master Maurice Gagnon, was tendered the hostess for the enjoyable evening, and after singing the National Anthem the gathering dispersed. Amongst those present were, Mrs. Gagnon, the Misses Lizzie Loughren, Jennie Loughren, Edna Loughren, Edna Marshall, Clara Stanforth, G. Smith, and Rev. Mr. Gagnon, and the Masters S. Forbell, Allan Morrison, Henry Smellie, James Smellie, Carl Gagnon and others.

Settlers become fire rangers.

Quebec, March.—During 1922, the Department of Lands and Forests utilized 433 assistant fire rangers to improve the protective system in settlers' districts. These assistant fire rangers are selected in each range, among the most progressive settlers. They have the authority to issue permits to burn clearances and also to enforce the law, which requires each settler to watch the progress of his fires. They can also summon help and direct the fight against fires which may escape the settlers or occur in the vicinity of their beat. This system of assistant fire rangers has become very popular, because it enables the settler to obtain a permit at any time, provided he has complied with the obligations of the permit, that is, if he has piled the debris or his clearing into heaps or rows and if he has cleared a strip of at least 50 feet between such heaps or rows and the adjoining forest. Of course, the weather conditions must be favourable and there must not be any drought. The settler appreciates very much the fact that he is no longer obliged to make ten to fifteen miles to the ranger's home, with the chances of finding him away. The moral effect is also great, as the assistant fire ranger is acting among the settlers causes them to be careful; they discuss between the themselves the danger arising from the imprudence of careless people and we find that, in many sections, the settlers are co-operating together to the extent that they will all burn at the same time so all the available men are in readiness; therefore, the old "Be" system is coming back; it means that, with the hearty co-operation of all the interested, clearances are being burned and very few are employed, 90% of the clear-little damage caused. In fact, in the Abitibi region, and the Lakes St. John district where the assistant fire rangers have been burned last year and only a few acres of green forest were scorched. This shows that the settler can burn his clearances provided he appeal to him in the right manner.

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Red or White Pine, Tamarac, Spruce, Hemlock, round or flatted, 30 ft. and upwards in length per thousand feet board measure -10cts

Saw Timber per thousand feet board measure -10cts

Staves per thousand feet board measure -10cts

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Masts per piece -1.35cts

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Cedar, round or flatted, over 8 ft. and under 17 ft. long per piece -1.24cts

Cedar, round or flatted, 17 feet and under 25 feet long per piece -1.16cts

Cedar, round or flatted, 25 ft. and under 35 ft. long per piece -1.0cts

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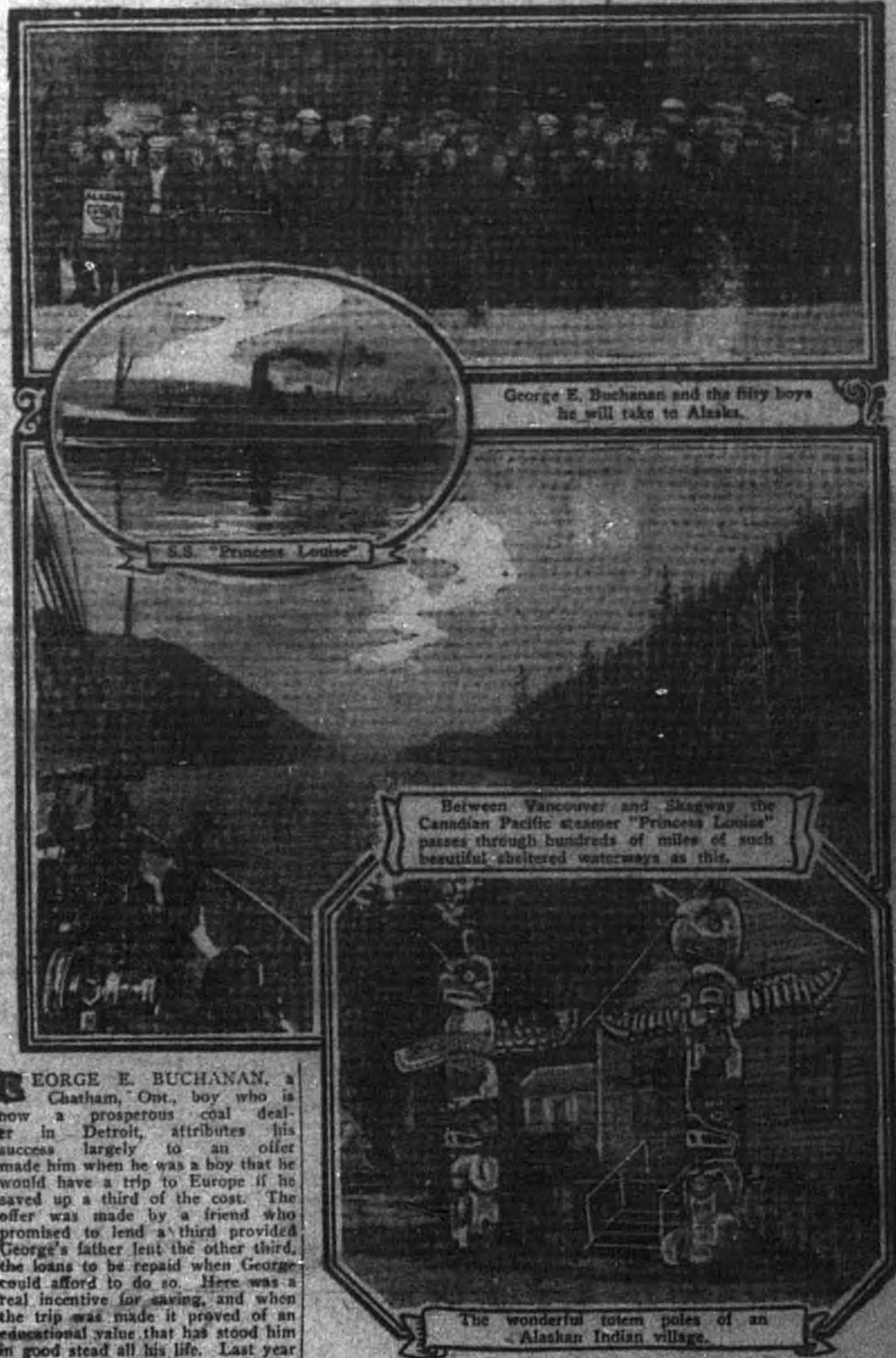
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A BOYS' PILGRIMAGE TO ALASKA



GEORGE E. BUCHANAN, a Chatham, Ont., boy who is now a prosperous coal dealer in Detroit, attributes his success largely to an offer made him when he was a boy that he would have a trip to Europe if he saved up a third of the cost. The offer was made by a friend who promised to lend a third provided George's father lent the other third, the loans to be repaid when George could afford to do so. Here was a real incentive for saving, and when the trip was made it proved of an educational value that has stood him in good stead all his life. Last year Mr. Buchanan made a trip to Alaska, and the idea occurred to him of making the same kind of offer to other boys that he had himself enjoyed in his own youth. But the trip should be to Alaska and not to Europe. As soon as he made the announcement, he was inundated with applications, and a large party of Detroit boys has already been booked to sail from Vancouver on the Canadian Pacific steamer "Princess Louise" on July 24th. Mr. Buchanan will personally conduct the tour which he is thus helping to finance. He says that such a trip would have been worth \$50,000 to him if he had taken it him-

self in his own boyhood because of its educational and broadening influences. The Rev. Lynn Harold Hough, pastor of the Central Methodist Church, William Livingstone, president of the Dime Savings Bank, and Circuit Judge Joseph A. Moynihan have endorsed Buchanan's scheme as an unusual opportunity for boys to learn the value of thrift and industry. But the trip will have still other benefits, as Mr. Buchanan has said. These lads cannot cross the continent and make that wonderful trip up the island-sheltered waters of the Pa-

cific Coast without its having a tremendously stimulating effect upon their imagination, and upon their future modes of thought and life. From Vancouver up to Skagway and back is a nine-day trip that can never be forgotten. The yacht-like "Princess Louise" glides over a still sea among countless islands that rise fast and clad or mountainous on all sides against a snow line of snowy capped mountain peaks. The Indian villages of Alaska with their totem poles are unique, and they too have a special charm for these fortunate boys.

The AUTOMOBILE

GEAR SHIFTING REQUIRES CARE.

Most motorists get on handsomely when it comes to driving along a comparatively level highway, but the minute a big hill looms up ahead much of the joy in driving oozes away for a large number of them. They know that the gears will need shifting, and shifting the gears is not always a pleasant task, although this phase of driving gives little trouble to those who know their machines. If the rear axle gears are properly set and packed, the permanent mesh gears, where shaft motion is turned into axle motion, they should never make any trouble. It is in the shifting gears of the transmission, where gears come into mesh at varying rates of speed and where the number of revolutions, load and several other things complicate the situation, that there are wear and tear.

Abusing the Machine.

If an automobile could run at an unvarying rate of speed, if there were no hills which require the translation of speed into power, or if the engine controls alone could give sufficient speed regulation to cover the emergencies that are constantly arising, the transmission might be simplified into a mere coupling and reverse. But this ideal state of affairs is not in sight. Consequently there must be provision for varying speeds and loads, and these must be attained while the car is in motion. Therefore this means the meshing together of finely built gears revolving so fast that the teeth cannot be seen.

It is no novelty to hear a grinding or clashing within a car when a careless driver starts or when he changes from one gear to another. If such a driver is the owner of the car and if he knows what was going on inside of it when this unseemly noise occurs he will do well to take a few lessons in automotive mechanics to learn how not to abuse his machine in this way.

In the mechanism of a simple transmission gear case the engine shaft has on the end a gear wheel and on the face of the gear are four engaging teeth. The end of the shaft is hollow, and in this revolves one end of the transmission shaft, which is square except at the bearings. On it are two gear wheels of varying sizes, one having about thirty teeth and the other forty. These gears have square holes to fit the square shaft, so that they may be slid along the shaft, but both shaft and gears must revolve together.

The two gears are combined so as to form one piece, and this piece has on its face engaging teeth corresponding to those on the engine shaft gear, and when the two are engaged the transmission shaft revolves at the same speed as the engine shaft. This gives the highest speed of which the car is capable.

To provide for varying speeds another shaft is suspended in the transmission case on which are other gears. The gear on the engine shaft has perhaps twenty teeth. There is one on the transmission shaft with approximately forty teeth. Bringing these two gears with mesh reduces the motion of the gear shaft to one-half that of the engine shaft, because the gear on the engine shaft has one-half the mesh of teeth. Farther along the gear shaft another gear with twenty teeth engages another gear with forty teeth, further reducing the speed so that the transmission shaft revolves one-fourth as fast as the engine shaft, making the low gear or slowest speed.

Disengage the Clutch.

When the car is standing with the engine running the gears are in neutral and no gear on the transmission shaft is engaged. To start it is customary to disconnect the engine by disengaging the clutch and move the lever so that the gears that give the slowest speed will engage. Once the car is under way and it is desired to increase the speed the lever is shoved forward, moving the transmission gears forward until the gears that give second speed are engaged.

The competent driver, just at the instant of shifting from a higher to a lower gear, will throttle down his engine one-half and partially release the clutch, to bring the number of revolutions of the gear shaft to approximately that of the transmission shaft, which is kept in motion by the momentum of the car. When both gears are revolving at about the same speed the shift is practically noiseless and frictionless.

In shifting to high speed the engine should be throttled more closely and the shift lever should hesitate in neutral to avoid the jerk when high gear is thrown in. Constant jerking and jumping of this sort rack the mechanism, chassis and body and shorten the life of each. Economy as well as comfort is involved in shifting the gears properly.

Belgium's Opinion of Canadian Wheat.

A recent issue of the *Ettale Belge* published in Brussels has the following to say regarding the milling qualities of Manitoba wheat:

"This wheat is especially appreciated by the millers, who consider it as one of the best wheats of America. The farmers of the different cantons of Switzerland use it each year with success for their spring sowing, especially for the late sowing."

"In France, Mr. Solbreux, the eminent director of the Agronomic Institute for the trying out of seed grains, has applied himself especially to a series of experiments to ascertain the value of this exotic wheat."

"After having found that it is submitted, in its country of origin, to nearly the same conditions of temperature and humidity as it would have in the North of France, he has not hesitated to recommend it to the French agriculturist."

"It is the earliest of spring wheats, its fruition takes about one hundred days at most. One can sow it as late as the middle of April and even up to the end of that month, in land where drought is not to be feared. An appreciable fact is that it can be utilized fifteen days later than any other spring wheat. It is not easily beaten down by storm and its resistance to smut is very good."

"In the fertile lands of Switzerland it yields 42 to 50 bushels of grain, a high figure for that country, and considerable straw."

"It should also be remarked that Manitoba wheat is not only of one kind, it includes under this denomination wheat coming from different parts of Canada, but it is all spring wheat, and being given the climatic conditions and the culture in which it is developed in its original country, it is probable that it would give good results here."



—The Evening News, London.

The Seer

What seest thou so rapturously gazing
Into the future with enchanted eyes?
Seest thou some vision of a world amazing,
Some haven that the soul afar desires?

I see, amid these barren winter regions,
Where Death in every wind has set his sting,
I see the birds, like light angelic legions,
Winging their way into zone of Spring!

I see this waste of snow like mist dispersing,
I hear the freshets gurgling down the lane,
I hear the robin his love-notes rehearsing,
I see the Earth in summer garb again!

And so I stand thus rapturously gazing
Beyond this grave of all earth's loveliest things,
While Hope, whose magic presence is amazing,
Points to long vistas of returning Spring!

—J. Lewis Milligan, author of *The Beckoning Skyline* and other poems.

Man's Lost Sense.

If a man can say truthfully that he has "a sense of geography," then he has a sense with which, so scientists say, man was originally endowed. This is the "homing instinct," and for some reason or another, it is now practically lost.

The lower animals retain it. There are many authentic cases on record in which dogs, sold by their owners, and taken miles away by train, have returned home, footsore and emaciated. Neither sight nor smell could explain their return. It is that mysterious sense, the "homing instinct."

Horses have the instinct, although in a less degree. So have bees, cats, and rats. At fifty or sixty miles an hour, a pigeon, after a few preliminary circlings, will make straight for home.

It cannot be a case of sight, for a pigeon, put in a hamper and sent by train for many miles, cannot see, for memorisation purposes, the route by which it has come.

What, then, takes it unerringly to its home left?

Airmen tell us that there are "holes" in the air, and it may well be that the atmosphere is full of roads and lanes, and that the "way home" is outlined.

But until we know what the "homing instinct" really is we cannot say that we have wrestled all Nature's secrets from her bosom.

When a man walks a mile he takes on an average 2,263 steps, but when he rides a bicycle with an average gear he covers a mile with an equivalent of only 627 steps.



THE DISMAL DAY.

It is a bleak and dismal day on which I write this weary lay that reeks of gloom and woe; I hear the tireless winds complain, and down the door the sloppy rain keeps up a constant flow. Through misty panes I view the flood and mark men sliding in the mud, and swearing as they slide; they're plastered up with sorrel clay, and they have lost or thrown away all dignity and pride. I see fair women go about, their large umbrellas inside out, their rubbers lost or soiled; I see their lips frame hymns of praise, and eulogies of rainy days, as they toil up the grade. And there are countless autos stuck, up to their fenders in the muck, while owners stand agast; and I can fancy how they bleed, in words of emphasis and stress, the rain that drizzles past. Oh, let us chant some cheer-up tunes! The rain will help the growing prunes, and save the shredded rice; it brings the precious boon of peace to crocodiles and ducks and geese, and everything is nice. My doors are in the blast awing, the roof is leaking as I sing these glad exultant lines; but rain is worth its weight in cash; for it will save the succotash and costly ketchup vines. When I began this dark day hymn, my eyes, as you will note, were dim, with blither, scalding tears; but when I thought of how the peas will flourish on such days as these, I smiled and wagged my ears.

Canada's Wild Life Resources

One of the great natural resources of Canada is its wild life, and consequently the protection of fur-bearing animals, fish, sea mammals and birds is a subject of national importance.

How to do this in the most efficient manner was the subject discussed at a round-table conference held recently in Ottawa. Those who took part were federal and provincial game officers representing all parts of Canada, officers charged with the protection of wild life, and representatives of voluntary organizations. The conference was called by the Canadian National Parks Branch of the Department of the Interior, and was the first gathering of the kind in Canada. It was opened in the absence from Ottawa on official business of Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, by Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, who stressed the importance of wild life to the nation and the need of conserving it.

Three strenuous days were spent in discussing almost every phase of wild life protection, and the topics ranged from the whale, the greatest of mammals, down to the smallest of migratory birds. While there was free interchange of views, the proceedings were marked by a splendid spirit of co-operation, and all the resolutions passed were adopted unanimously.

These resolutions dealt with many important matters, such as a Dominion-wide educational campaign in the interest of wild life conservation, general prohibition of the sale of game, uniform adjustment of the "bag limit" for Canada and the United States, federal assistance for the provinces in controlling illegal shipments of game and fur, a gun license system for all hunting, alteration of present open and closed seasons for several species of birds, and protection of marine mammals. The problem of controlling the wolf and coyote menace in the West was thoroughly discussed, and many helpful suggestions were brought out.

The conference made it clear that both the provinces and the Dominion realize their distinct responsibilities in the matter of the guardianship and development of Canada's wild life resources; and that with intelligent conservation and utilization there was no reason why this natural asset should not be preserved to constitute a perpetual source of profit. It was felt that conditions were such that, at least in so far as big game was concerned, Canada was ~~doomed~~ soon to enjoy a monopoly on this continent. F. C. C. Lynch, Supt. Natural Resources Intelligence Branch, Dept. of the Interior, Ottawa.

An Old-Time Prophecy.

Radio has had a more cordial welcome than steam received in its day, says a Boston paper. Now we are eager and hopeful. But a century ago, when experiments with steam were making, people were frankly sceptical and even scornful. Witness these verses from a clipping found in the library of one of the early residents of Chicago. What newspaper the clipping is from is not known, but on the back is a financial table captioned From the New York Advertiser. The year of printing is 1830.

What would the rimester of to-day, writing of 2023, have to say? Perhaps he would tell of the day's work done merely by means of push buttons.

VERSES

Suggested by a conversation respecting the astounding rate at which steam carriages are expected to go, and the consequent march of refinement.

AN EXQUISITE OF THE YEAR 1830 AT BREAKFAST

Tell John to set the kettle on,
I mean to take a drive;
I only want to go to Rome
And shall be back by five.

Tell Cook to dress those humming
birds
I shot in Mexico;
They've now been killed at least two
days.
They'll be un peu trop haut.

I'll try that wine, too, a la Rose,
Just brought from Isphahan;
How could those Goths of other times
Endure that vile champagne?

The trip I took the other day
To breakfast in the moon,
Thanks to that awkward Lord Balaire,
Has spoiled my new balloon.

For, steering through the Milky Way,
He ran against a star,
And, turning round again too soon,
Came jolt against my car.

Such fellows ought to keep below
And never venture there;
If he's so clumsy, he should go
By no way but the Bear.

My steam is surely up by now;
Put the high pressure on;
Give me the "breath-bag" for the way—
All right—hey—whizz—I'm gone.



HAVE HAD 'EM ALL ALONG

Wife: Women are demanding blanket rights, I'm glad to see.
Hubby: Great Scott! Ain't you women had the rights to three-fourths of the blanket ever since here's been a married man?

Russia has more illiterates, and at the same time more bookshops, than any other country in Europe.



He: Doesn't the moon make you feel romantic?
She: Yes indeed. I've been thinking of Jack all evening.

The Prince's Post-Bag.

More than seven hundred letters are received by the Prince of Wales every day. Frequently his letter bag has contained as many as fifteen or sixteen hundred.

A few days before the Prince started on his Indian tour two thousand letters a day were sent to him.

The Prince's correspondence is dealt with by the Comptroller of his household, an official who is assisted by three secretaries. Their duty is to sort all letters, and bring to the Prince's notice anything that may require his personal attention.

The mail, on being delivered, is put into baskets labelled "Engagements," "Legal," "Financial," and "General." The last-named basket is always well filled.

The Prince receives on an average about two hundred requests for his signature every day, in fact, these requests became so numerous recently that he had to make a rule that no one who was not known personally to him should be given his signature.

A large number of begging letters are, of course, received. These are only noticed when the writers seem to have a special grievance. If the applicant is really deserving, the Prince does what he can to help them. Every day he receives scores of invitations to open public institutions, attend dinners, or other functions, and it is said that if all these invitations were accepted, the Prince would have three or four engagements of this nature for every day throughout the year.

Poor Recommendation.

Prospective Guest—"How much do you charge here by the month?"

Clerk—"Hum—ba—well, really, sir, I don't know, but I'll ask the manager."

Prospective Guest—"Don't know! What do you mean?"

"Well, sir, you see, nobody has ever stayed here over a week yet."

Logical.

"Can I interest you in automobile insurance?"

"I haven't an automobile on my place."

"Well—er—what of that? You have burglar insurance, I presume, and yet you have no burglar on your premises."

BEFORE MISS FLOPPY GETS HERE, I MUST TELL YOU WHAT I HEARD BOBBY SAY. HE SAID HE HEARD ABOUT HER THE OTHER DAY.



BOBBY SAID, "I HEARD MY MOTHER SAY THAT MISS FLOPPY WAS JUST THROWIN' HERSELF AT DOC WHITEY'S HEAD. WHATEVER THAT MEANS!"



AN' DICK SAID "WELL IF SHE'D EVER SEEN MISS FLOPPY TRYIN' TO PLAY BALL WITH US IN THE YARD, SHE'D KNOW THAT DOC WAS SAFE!"



OH, MISS FLOPPY, I WAS JUST SAYIN'. HOW MUCH DICK ENJOYS HIS WORK WITH YOU!



Randall

A MOTHER'S HEALTH NEEDS GREAT CARE

are of Home and Children Often Causes a Breakdown.

The woman at home, deep in household duties and the cares of motherhood, needs occasional help to keep her in good health. The demands upon a mother's health are many and severe. Her own health trials and her children's welfare exact heavy tolls, while hurried meals, broken rest, and much indoor living tend to weaken her constitution. No wonder that the woman at home is often indisposed through weakness, headaches, backaches and nervousness. Too many women have grown to accept these visitations as a part of the lot of motherhood. But many and varied as her health troubles are, the cause is simple and relief at hand. When well, it is the woman's good blood that keeps her well, when ill she must make her blood rich to renew her health. The nursing mother more than any other woman in the world needs rich blood and plenty of it. There is one way to get this good blood so necessary to perfect health and that is through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mrs. W. T. Riley, R.R. No. 1, Apple Hill, Ont., has proved the great value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to mothers, and tells her story as follows: "Two years ago, after the birth of my boy, I became very weak and run down. Gradually I lost weight and energy until I was unable to do my housework. I could not sleep, my nerves would twitch and jump so that I arose in the morning with heavy aching limbs and head. Indigestion helped to make the misery worse, and my heart would palpitate terribly. I doctored steadily for a year without getting better, but just dragged along feeling that I would never be well again. But one lucky day, on the advice of a friend, I began treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I have taken only six boxes, but I wish you could see the difference. I am now able to do my work, go about and enjoy myself. I feel so entirely like a new woman that I advise every weak or ailing woman to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I know they will get beneficial results."

If you are ailing, easily tired or depressed, it is a duty you owe yourself and your family to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial. What this medicine has done for others it will surely do for you. You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The Emotional Cabbage.

Do plants and vegetables experience the same emotions that are felt by man? Scientists are beginning to think that they do.

Some extraordinary discoveries have been made, and it has been proved that even the humble cabbage has feelings. It is also known that roses experience a rise in temperature after they have been pruned.

Experts declare that there is no emotion, however delicate, which cannot be felt by plants.

The Japanese have always recognized this feature in plants. They believe that love and hatred are both experienced by flowers. Every plant and vegetable has its own character, we are told.

Science has still much to learn in this direction, but it may be that before long we shall know everything that goes on in the plant "mind."

The British Empire has a total population of 445,388,500 people.

A savings account is an antidote for debt, defeat and most disasters.

Marvels of Mental Telepathy.

It is not many years ago since there was doubt as to whether it was possible for the mind to transmit thoughts to another mind without the aid of speech or other mode of communication.

"Thought-readers" have appeared on the music-hall stage, but there has always been a feeling that the constant flow of talk invariably contained a code which enabled the man in the audience to give instructions to his confederate on the stage.

There really is such a thing as mental telegraphy, and it is possible for thoughts to be transmitted and received when the two personalities are "in tune."

A well-known business man provided the writer with many instances of communication between himself and his wife. On one occasion he felt strongly impelled to enter a confectioner's shop and buy a chocolate cake. He did so, remarking to the assistant that he really didn't know why he was making the purchases.

He took it home expecting to be laughed at for his pains, but found his wife entertaining friends. There was a roar of laughter when he entered with the cake.

The whole company were witnesses to the fact that his wife had hoped he would return with a chocolate cake, she having forgotten to purchase one when out shopping.

The writer once asked his daughter to make a journey to the bank to pay in some money. The fact that a cheque had also to be cashed escaped his memory until she was well on her way. However, a strong mental effort was made to induce her to return—and she did so.

Deepest Gold Mine.

The Saint John del Rey mine, 150 miles west of the Rio, follows a vein of gold until the workings are 1 1/2 miles below the earth's surface. The temperature rises one degree for every 120 feet in the depths, and at the lowest level, 6,426 feet, the temperature of the surrounding rock is 118 degrees Fahrenheit.

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Solitude.

Solitude! In a silent wood Where thoughts profound Like a deep black pool, Arise and stand undimmed My quiet mind As white birch trees And darkened pines Point to the evening sky. The lonely star Reflected lies In the peaceful lake While the sunset dies. The loons awake With a silver laugh And the crescent moon rides high —Mary F. W. Porcher.

WINTER HARD ON BABY

The winter season is a hard one on the baby. He is more or less confined to stuffy, badly ventilated rooms. It is so often stormy that the mother does not get him out in the fresh air as often as she should. He catches colds which rack his little system; his stomach and bowels get out of order and he becomes peevish and cross. To guard against this the mother should keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house. They regulate the stomach and bowels, and break up colds. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Injustice.

The lady of the house was waiting for the milkman, and when he appeared she went out to the back door.

"The milk you left this morning was sour, Mr. Jones," she said.

"There you are, mum!" cried the aggrieved milkman. "If there's any complaint, the poor milkman soon hears of it; but you never tell 'im when the milk ain't sour, do yer?"

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HEALTH EDUCATION

BY DR. J. J. MIDDLETON

Provincial Board of Health, Ontario

Dr. Middleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health matters through this column. Address him at Spadina House, Spadina Crescent, Toronto.

Does fatigue cause the greater percentage of industrial accidents? Many authorities think it does, but Mrs. E. E. Osborne and Dr. H. M. Vernon of the Industrial Fatigue Research Board, are inclined to doubt it. These observers claim that the controlling factors in causing accidents are speed of production and the physical state of the workers. This latter factor is suggested by the number of accidents that occurred in a shell factory just after the workers had begun their night-shift. They were then for the most part in a lively and excited state, but as they calmed down in the course of the night, accidents gradually fell to half the original number. The unimportance of modern fatigue as a factor in the causation of accidents is suggested by laboratory experiments. When a test involving modern muscular activity was carried out continuously for a period of three and one-half hours the accuracy attained improved throughout, though much more slowly in the latter half of the experiment than in the first half. There was no indication of loss of manual skill, such as might under industrial conditions have led to increased accident liability.

Temperature of the workshop or factory would seem to have some bearing on the number of industrial accidents. It was found that the least number of accidents occurred at 67 deg. F.; at lower temperature their frequency gradually increased till at 52 deg. F. they were 35 per cent. more numerous than at 67 deg. F. At a still lower temperature (47 deg. F.) they fell off slightly, perhaps because the workers were too cold to work with their usual speed, so that there was a consequent diminution of accident risk. At temperatures above 67 deg. F. the accidents showed a slight rise among women workers, but the men suffered 38 per cent. more accidents at 77 deg. than at 67 deg. F. Their greater liability being probably due to the heavier and more trying nature of their work.

It has been observed in some industrial plants that a large number of accidents occur within ten minutes after starting in the morning and within ten minutes before closing time at night. Lack of concentration would seem to be the principle cause of the mishaps in these cases. But as the morning's and afternoon's work progresses, it has been found that accidents increase. What is the cause? Fatigue may have some part in it, but the speed of production and the physical state of the workers would appear to be the chief factors.

MAN OF LETTERS THANKS TANLAC

Canadian Writer Declares He Never Saw Its Equal for Building One Up.

"Tanlac is a faithful old friend that never fails me," declared James A. Brain, 671 Gerrard St. E., Toronto, Ont., recently. Mr. Brain is one of Toronto's best known citizens, and in addition to being a successful business man, has written many poems and songs that have gained wide popularity.

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"Before taking Tanlac, I was all run-down, had little appetite, and was suffering from indigestion. I wasn't sleeping well and was often so weak and nervous I couldn't attend to business."

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A Practical Avocation.

One of the most practical avocations is music. In the wester of modern business life, the business man who can rest his mind and glorify his soul by a few minutes of musical expression every night has the asset which men like Lloyd George and Arthur Balfour have found invaluable. If there is the slightest manifestation of musical talent in the boy in your family teach him to play some instrument, give him a chance, it may be priceless to him some day.

Men must begin to realize how closely music is bound up with the social and industrial life of the country. The old day when it was thought that the business man should take no time for music or that the musician could not possibly be a successful business man has fortunately passed into oblivion.

Many of our best musicians have proved remarkable business men, not merely in the publishing field, where there are some startling successes, but also in the great world of business.

500 Days Without Water.

Interesting experiments of great importance to areas liable to severe drought were carried out recently by the Grootfontein School of Agriculture in South Africa to ascertain whether stock could be kept alive for lengthy periods on a ration of prickly pear leaves alone.

It was demonstrated that sheep, though they fell off in condition, could exist for 280 days solely on a diet of prickly pear, and when a small allowance of lucerne was fed in addition after that period the sheep were able to go for 500 days without a drop of water, depending on the moisture from the prickly pear.

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Whitfield 80, Grace Morrison 78,
Olive Seale 76, Doris Gagnon 76, Ma-
bel Gordon 76, Alice Bain 76, Ivy Gra-
ham 70.

Class 11.—Elise MacAllister 74,
Flora MacDonald 71, Dorothy Mat-
thews 70, Evelyn Creswell 68, Dennis
Stanforth 60.

Class 111.—Jack Muir 58, Ivy John-
son 58, Duncan Cumming 57, Arthur
Lackey 56, Percy Stanforth 52.

GRADE X English Composition

Honours.—None.
Class 1.—Margaret Scott 88, Mar-
guerite Hebble 81, Edna Campbell
78, Donald Hay 76.

Class 11.—Kathleen Morrison 73,
Lawrence Cruise 73, Francis Douglas
71, Corinne Hancox 70, Jean McQuat
70, Sarah Black 70, H. Leishman 69,
Marn Westgate 64, Evelyn MacCal-
lister 63, Ruby Nichols 63.

Class 111.—John Dobbie 52.

GRADE IX History

Honours.—Evelyn Rodgers 90.
Class 1.—Elizabeth Murray 89,
Lloyd Somerville 87, George Miles 86,
Norma Boyd 84, Charles Miller 80,
Ivy Bain Ena Black 76, Harold Cal-
der 75.

Class 11.—Ethel Doig 74, Janet
Whitfield 74, Hazel Copeland 72, Lin-
ton Armstrong 72, Evelyn Mathews
71, Hazel Kettyle 71, Elsie Todd 70,
Edgar Burwash 70, Perry Cooke 68,
Milton Towanand 65, Gertrude Gil-
mour 63, Grace Seale 62, Mary Cruise
Crant McHarpy 62, Elmer Ryan 61.

Class 111.—Ema Mason 56, Hilda
Hume 56, Christie Robertson 54, Ethel
McQuat 53, Annie Miller 50.

GRADE VIII English Literature

Honours.—Carl Gordon 97.
Class 1.—Bessie Black 83, Roy Mac-
Gregor 82, Edward Morrison 81, Mary
McArthur 78, Henry Miles 77, Annie
Miller 75, Marjorie MacKinnon 75.

Class 11.—May Yeliani 72, Violet
Paul 70, Grace Smith 70, Elizabeth
MacKimmie 69, Lena Graham 68,
Muriel McPhail 68, Evelyn Kelly 66.

Class 111.—Stella Scott 56, Cam-
eron McQuat 55, Bertha Scott 55,
Florence Armstrong 53, Nellie Hay 52.

GRADE VII English Composition

Honours.—D. Morrison 94, Howard
Doig 93.

Class 1.—Linor McCoy 85, Janet
McQuat 85, Ema Morrison 80, Bes-
sie Morris 77.

Class 11.—Elsie Stewart 69, Sarah
Douglas 67, Willis Stanforth 62,
Evelyn Cruise 61, Amy Patterson 60,
Lorne Morris 60.

Class 111.—Mildred Gaston 57, Lin-
zie Hay 56, Grace Rodgers 54, Lila
McKiddie 53, Reta Jones 53, Russell
Elliott 52.

GRADE VI Hygiene

Honours.—H. Hutchinson 96, G. Mc-
Quat 92.

Class 1.—Christina Villet 84, Jas.
Yeliani 84.

Class 11.—Edna Westwood 73, Jas.
Logan 72, Hazel McKiddie 70, Laura
Noble 69, Roy Cruise 65, Lloyd Cruise
64, Shirley Hamilton 63, Bill Painter
61.

Class 111.—Eric Middleton 57, Har-
old Nicoll 55, Eileen McFaul 53, Stua-
rt Armstrong 52.

GRADE V Scriptura

Honours.—Gwen MacKinnon 100,
Freda Mason 100, Rebecca Cohen 98.

Class 1.—Sam Cohen 82, Kenneth
McFaul 82, Florence Hay 78.

Class 11.—Marion Mathews 74,
Robert Fulton 65, Alma McCullough
65, Lorne Wert 64.

Class 111.—Stanley Boyd 58, Edgar
Cruise 57, Raymond Cunningham 52,
Christina MacKenzie 52, George Paul
51.

GRADE IV Hygiene

Honours.—Stuart Jones 100, Gladys
Cruise 98, Eugene Jousse 93, Reta
Boyd 94, Sam Rashovsky 94, Ray-
mond Underhill 94, Edgar Dion 92,
Barbara Cunningham 91, Gordon Mc-
Faul 91, Kathleen Mac Krith 90.

Class 1.—Rowena Cowan 86, Olive
Stanforth 85, Leola Belanger 82,
Doris Armstrong 79, Janet Hay 76,
Elsie McFaul 76, Maggie Chapman 66,
James Beech 64.

GRADE III Writing

Honours.—Violet Falconer 91, Gor-
don Drysdale 91, Gertrude Clarke 90,
Hugh Gall 90, Jean Fulton 90.

Class 1.—E. Goldworthy 89, Isabel
Cleland 89, Kenzie Cowan 88, Roland
Dion 87, Violet Belanger 85, C. Giles
83, Verner Thompson 81, Mary Villet
80, Mary Lennon 78.

Class 11.—Roland Cruise 71, E.
Armstrong 70, Hannah Rogers 68,
Thelma Wert 68, Allan Hay 67, How-
ard Jones 65, Y. Charlebois 62.

Class 111.—Forbes Chapman 59,
Chas. Lennon 51.

GRADE II Scriptura

Honours.—Stewart Anderson 100,
Wilson Gall 100, Bob Houston 100,
Rebecca Rashovsky 100, Gilbert
Black 96, Grace Parke 93, Andrew
Fulton 92, Louise Miller 92.

Class 1.—Louisa Villet 89, Amy Mor-
ris 86, Allen Doig 76, Archie McKen-
zie 76.

Class 11.—Willie Davis 72, Mamie
Morrison 71, Delmar Boyd 70, Elsie
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Meeting for Wool Growers.

A meeting of the Argenteuil Wool Growers Association will be held in the office of the Secretary, on Saturday March 31st, at 2.00 p.m.

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CURLING.

A few days ago things looked as though the time had come to hang up the brooms and let Curling be but a memory until another winter. In fact that is just what did happen, and now another winter is upon us.

The Houston Challenge Cup, which must be played for at least every two weeks, has been won and held in four consecutive games by the following rink, E. M. Jones, T. McRobie, Geo. Fraser, R. P. Fraser skip. Will they never be beaten? Well not this year at least, as the play for this Trophy is now closed.

The Turkey Bontell and Turkey Dinner was one of the big events of the season. The Bontell, in which twelve rinks were entered, was played off in two nights. The winning rink being as follows:—S. S. Campbell, H. P. Johnson, E. M. Jones, Geo. C. Brennan, skip. The Dinner was held on Thursday evening, Mar. 22nd, and was all that could be wished for. Both the Lachute Curling Club and the Ladies Curling Club were well represented. Eighty six members sitting down to dinner between the hours of 6.30 to 9.00.

After dinner the presentation of Trophies was held in the Club Rooms. Mr. W. A. Houston, President, and Rev. G. MacKinnon making the presentations.

The Semi-Annual Meeting of Lachute Curling Club will be held in the Club Rooms, Tuesday evening, April 3rd, at 8 o'clock. Election of Officers, Committees, and general business. Do not forget the date.

Rev. Osborne Lackey has consented to give an address on his work in Baffin Land, to the Junior C.G.I.T. of the Presbyterian Church, St. Andrews, on Wednesday next at 4 p.m. All young girls are cordially invited.

The Ladies of the Baptist Church will hold a Missionary Thank Offering on Friday, afternoon April 6th. Good programme and speaker. Refreshments will be served. All are invited. Keep the date in mind.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Robt. Miller spent a few days in Montreal this week.

Miss Ruby Rodgers spent a few days in Montreal this week.

Mr. Albert Stewart, of Rivington spent the week-end visiting friends.

Mrs. Millard, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mrs. Wm. Deacon.

Mrs. (Dr.) Alexander, of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. A. G. MacKinnon.

Mr. Ben Maiden spent a few days last week visiting friends in Dalesville.

Miss Clarke leaves this week to spend Easter with her parents at Ste. Agathe.

Miss May Hume has returned home after spending the winter in Ottawa.

Mr. Jas. Morrison, of Hawkesbury, spent a few days in town this week visiting friends.

Mrs. Dwyer returned home to Montreal this week, after a pleasant visit with Mrs. R. McIntyre.

Mrs. Jno. McGillivray returned on Monday from a pleasant visit in Montreal and Chute-au-Blondeau.

Miss Nettie Giles and friend Miss Reid, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. H. J. Giles.

Mr. Jas. McKinnon is spending this week in Saranac Lake, owing to the illness of his aunt Mrs. Lav.

Mr. Lionel Lafleur, of the Montreal Technical School, is spending the Easter holidays with his parents.

Messrs Edgar and Edward McQuat, of McDonald College are guests of their parents for the holidays.

Miss Marion Doig of Greece's Point left on Wednesday to visit her brother Mr. Grey Doig of Winnipeg.

Mrs. Fish and little daughter, of Montreal West, spent the week-end the guest of their aunt Mrs. Lyster.

Miss Y. Mareil extends invitation to the ladies of the County to visit her Millinery Parlors, West End, Lachute. All latest styles and models.

Mrs. N. Blair, of Kerobert, Sask., who has been visiting her many relatives and friends for the past few months, left for her home on Wednesday.

Don't forget the Pictures in the "Albert Hall" Main Street on Friday evening. A Famous Drama. "Gods country and the woman." Admission 25cts. Children 20cts.

Mrs. E. B. Owens has returned home after spending the winter in Clarenceville, Que., Miss I. Owens, of Dalesville, and Mr. Keith Owens, of McGill are spending Easter in town.

Mr. Lemuel Noble who has been spending the winter in town left on Sunday for East End, Sask. He was accompanied by Mr. Norman Westgate who will spend the summer at Hazenmore, Sask.

The Misses Blanche Smith, Lillian Hamilton, Helena and Bessie Rodgers, of Lachute, Edith Silverman, of Dalesville, and Ruby McPaul, of Brownsburg, who are attending McDonald College are spending Easter with their parents.

Capt. F. C. Walker was in town over the week-end on his return from St. John's P.Q., where he has been taking a two weeks course in Field Training. He left on Monday to resume his duties at Kenogami, P. Que.

Rev. G. Victor Collins, pastor of the Lachute and Dalesville Baptist Churches has intimated his resignation of the pastorate of the field. The resignation will be made, to take effect at the end of May. Mr. Collins is taking a pastorate in Ontario.

A New Boot and Shoe Store has been opened in the Paquin Block on Main St., and as a special introduction we are offering very low prices at our Cheap Opening Sale, opening on Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Call and see the values we are giving in all lines.

Activity in real estate is much in evidence. Mr. Jno. Boyd has purchased the property of Mr. Verdon on Mary St., Mrs. Malcolm Smith the Allan property on Bethany St., and Mr. Jas. W. Gall's property on Main St. has been purchased by Notary Lavigne.

Miss Alice MacKinnon of Montreal, is the Easter guest of her parents. She was accompanied by Mrs. (Dr.) Alexander, who will spend a few days renewing acquaintance with her many friends in town, other guests of Rev. and Mrs. MacKinnon this week were Rev. and Mrs. Burgess, of St. Andrews, and Rev. De Witt Scott, of Ste. Therese.

ATTENTION!

"Non-com. officers" of C. Squadron, 17th D.Y.R.C.H. wishing to qualify during the Annual Militia Training Camp this summer will please communicate as soon as possible with Capt. F. C. Walker, Kenogami, P. Que.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Miss E. Walsh is the guest of friends in Madrid, N.Y.

Miss Walsh spent several days with Mrs. Dr. Aylen in Montreal, last week. Christ Church W.A. met at the home of Mrs. E. Neve last Thursday.

Miss Sloan of Montreal was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Davis.

Mrs. Jeffery, Mr. N. F. MacGregor and Mr. Matthews Sr. were in Montreal last week.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian Church met at Miss Harrington's on Thursday afternoon, last.

Mr. E. Neve went to Montreal Tuesday returning the same evening accompanied by Mrs. Neve.

Mrs. R. Robertson, of Vaudreuil, has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robertson.

Mr. W. A. M. Howard, of Montreal, spent last week-end with his parents, the Rev. W. A. and Mrs. Howard.

A most interesting lecture on Birds and Bird life was given by Mr. Lewis of the Government Parks Commission.

Friday being Good Friday there will be a Litany and Meditation in Christ Church at 11 a.m. Easter Day services will be, Celebrations of the Holy Eucharist at 8 and 11 a.m., Evensong at 7.30 p.m. The Annual Vestry meeting will be held in the Vestry at 2.30 p.m., Monday April 2nd.

CHURCH NOTES.

Presbyterian Church—Easter Sunday.

Communion at 11 a.m. in Lachute. Services at out points are withdrawn for the day except at Brownsburg, when service will be conducted by Mr. A. O. Lloyd at 3 p.m. Preparatory service Friday evening at 8 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited. Special music has been prepared by the choir. Every communicant is specially urged to be present and partake in this Easter Communion service.

Baptist services Sunday April 1st, Dalesville 11 a.m., Brownsburg 3 p.m. Lachute 7 p.m. Special Easter exercises in Lachute Sunday school in the afternoon, Baptism and the Lord's Supper in the evening.

There will be an open session of the Lachute Baptist Sunday School on Easter Sunday afternoon (beginning at 2.30), when appropriate songs, recitations and exercises will be rendered by the members of the school. Much preparation has been made, and a most enjoyable and profitable hour is assured. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present. The offering will be devoted to the work of the Grand Ligne Mission.

The Ladies of the W.M.S. of the Presbyterian Church will hold an afternoon tea in the Church Hall on Saturday, March 31st, from 3.30 to 6 p.m. Come and have a social time and meet your friends. A musical programme will be given. Admission including tea 25cts.

MUSICAL TREAT

Lovers of music will not miss the opportunity of attending the Musical and Artistic Concert in the Victoria Hall on Tuesday next, April 3rd. Mr. Emile Taranto, the well known violinist, will play the most selected pieces of his repertoire. He will also be accompanied by other renowned artists from Montreal. The following programme will certainly prove the most interesting. Admission 50 cts., Reserved seats 75 cts. Proceeds will be aid of St-Julien Church.

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2. Down in the Forest, Landon Ronald

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3. Vision Fugitive, Massenet

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4. Scenes de la Szardas, Hubay

Emile Taranto

5. Mon coeur s'ouvre à ta voix, Saint Saëns

Mme Charles Delage

CHANT

6. Slave Song, Del Riego

Miss Vera Dey

VIOLIN

7. (a) Berceuse, G. Faure

(b) Danse Caprice, E. Taranto

Danse Espagnolle, Sarazate

CHANT

8. Benevenuto, Cillini Diaz

Hercule Lavoie

VIOLIN

9. La Ronde des Lutins, Bazini

Emile Taranto

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(b) Kashmiri Song, Finedu

Mme Charles Delage

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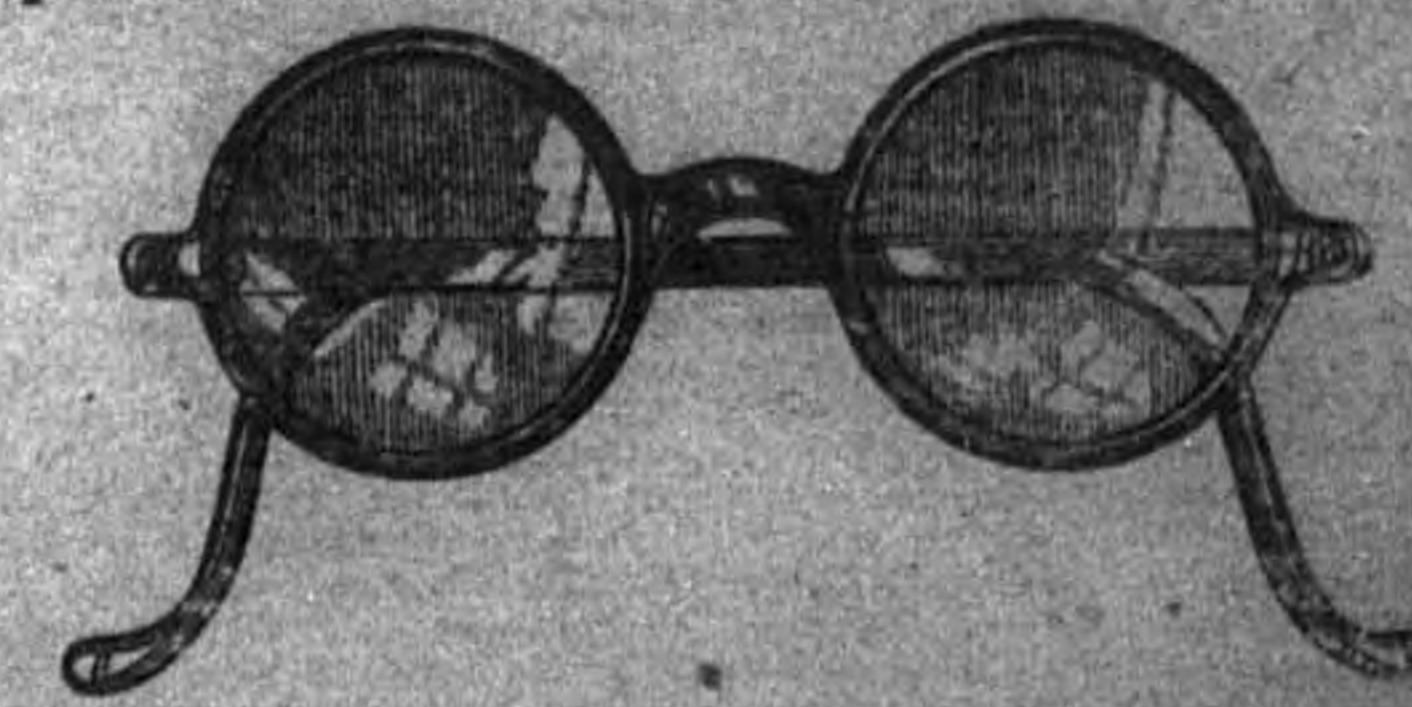


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F. S. K.:—I understand that some farmers who tap their maple trees use covers for the sap buckets. Will you please advise me whether or not covers are worth while and the principal advantages of using them?

Answer:—In seasons of little storm during the sugar-making period, covers may be of little value, but the uncertainty of the weather in March and early April would make it worth while to use covers. Especially in a rainy time when the sap is running are covers advantageous. It is recorded in a bulletin entitled "The Maple Sugar Industry," issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture, that one farmer with a thousand trees made 600 pounds of sugar, while his neighbor running a plant of equal size poured out all of the sap during the same period because continuous rain had so thinned the sap as to make it impracticable to boil it down. Another case is recorded of 90 pounds of sugar being obtained from 290 pails of sap and storm water which should, if the sap had been pure, have yielded 290 pounds of sugar. Another advantage of the cover is that it prevents bits of bark, moss, leaves, and other debris from blowing into the pails. Covers are made of both tin and wood. They do not lie flat on the pail, but rest against the tree above the spile, thus allowing for an air space between the cover and the top of the bucket. This is important because ungathered sap on a warm day is not so liable to deteriorate from fermentation if air is admitted.

R. L.:—Is there anything that can be done at this season of the year to protect small fruit trees from being girdled by mice?

Answer:—Mice are most likely to give trouble in a young orchard that is in soil. They work about under the snow and when food becomes scarce are liable to gnaw the bark of tender young trees. The trees may be protected by tramping the snow firmly around each tree, or by mounding them up with earth in the autumn.

Winter Care of Sows.

Practical hog raisers recognize that the brood sow's care is more difficult, and this is needed in order to keep the breeder in good condition, which prevents the laying on of an excess of fatty fat. The excessively fat sow is more liable to drop her pigs small, puny and weak.

During the period of gestation let the sow have the run of the barnyard, where she can root in the manure pile or around the straw stack, for scat-

tered grain. The sow will do very well under such conditions if provided with comfortable sleeping quarters free from draughts, dry and plenty of bedding. However, should these conditions be impossible, if a portable pen can be placed in a field with the front of the pen facing the south, and plenty of dry bedding provided, the house well banked on the outside, the construction being such as to prevent draughts, it will be found that the sow will be very comfortable.

The feed trough should be placed thirty or forty yards from the pen to force the sow to come out for food, and in walking backwards and forwards she will get the necessary exercise. Remember that an active, healthy mother produces strong, healthy offspring.

In feeding the brood sow the aim should be to keep her well nourished, never under or over-fed, but with sufficient feed to supply all the requirements in building bone and good firm flesh. During cold weather an excess of liquids should be avoided because of the extra effort on the part of the animal to heat up this liquid. The meal should be allowed to soak for a considerable time, to become moistened, using slop or dairy by-products.

Such meals as shorts or middlings and ground oats are to be preferred but the use of some of the heavier meals is permissible, such as corn, barley, or pea meal, but the latter should be fed sparingly and in a mixture with the first mentioned meals. Mangels or beets should be available for feeding in connection with the meal ration, these should be given at the mid-day feeding, and should be fed whole. The grain ration is fed morning and evening. Roots add succulence to the diet, keeping the digestive organs cool and in good order. By feeding roots, the amount of liquid required by the sow will be greatly lessened.

If the sow is confined to a pen where the floor is cement or wood, a few soda shavings should be kept on hand to supply mineral matter; these can be thrown into the pen as required. Sulphur, salt and charcoal kept in a separate box will prove beneficial as a regulator and appetizer.

For sows under such conditions, care should be taken to avoid the laying on of excess fat, and where a ration comprised entirely of meal is fed, without care, the sow is liable to derangement of the digestive organs, which sometimes results in the development of an abnormal appetite at farrowing, and is a cause of the sow devouring her young.

Pruning.

The season when pruning operations may be commenced is here, and orchardists should now be considering the best scheme to adopt in their particular case. Except in extreme cases, pruning should be moderate and should consist more of thinning out here and there, with as little heading in as possible. In young orchards newly set out, it may be necessary to adopt a system of heading back to give out lateral growth, which will be able to produce fruit spurs in later years. In bearing orchards light annual pruning should be given, so that at no time will it be necessary to materially alter the balance between the root and top by a severe heading back or excessive cutting out. In old bearing orchards, which have been somewhat neglected, a considerable amount of top should probably be removed to encourage new wood growth, so that a new fruiting surface may be established. As before mentioned, however, light annual pruning is to be recommended, for recent work has demonstrated that unpruned trees have yielded slightly better, up to a certain age, than trees pruned, but that trees pruned lightly have yielded almost as well, while those severely headed back were not only later in coming into bearing and poor yielders afterwards, but were also less vigorous than the lightly pruned and unpruned trees.

Where light heading back practiced for the first three years was adopted, the comparison between trees pruned and unpruned showed little difference in favor of the unpruned, but those trees which had been pruned were of decidedly better shape and in better condition for future work than the ones where pruning had been neglected. These results have simply justified the practice of pruning during the first few years of a tree's life with the express purpose of obtaining a desirable amount of growth placed where we want it. In the case of some trees this will require considerable cutting out and some cutting back for the first three or four years. In other cases it will require very lit-

tle wood removal, but in all cases the trees should be attended to annually.

The vigor of the tree is in inverse ratio to the amount of severe heading back practiced. This does not mean, however, that no pruning is to be advocated, for a certain amount is necessary in any case to maintain the proper shape of a tree and some pruning should be given to eliminate the possibility of having to give drastic treatment at a later date to rectify long neglect. The lesson is, however, that only sufficient pruning to maintain the shape and general vigor of the tree is to be recommended.

Indiscriminate heading back delays fruitfulness and reduces vigor. Light annual prunings will not materially impair or delay fruitfulness and will eliminate future trouble. A little enlargement on this latter statement is perhaps necessary to make clear the point. We are all aware of the advantage to be gained by heading a tree properly. A tree with its head starting from one point on the trunk is weak and doomed to an early death. To correct this, pruning is necessary. Again, we all know that in pruning one should try to cut out all crotches which are acute-angled, as limbs thus crotched are sure to split open; the limb that comes closest to forming a right angle with the main trunk is the strongest. This is also attained by pruning, so here are two reasons why pruning or training is necessary in the life of the young tree.

Consider for a moment the relation between pruning and nutrition; the roots of a tree function by gathering from the soil plant foods in solution, which is transmitted to the different parts of the tree for elaboration by the leaves. The plant food gathered may roughly be divided into two classes: nitrates, as supplied, for example, by nitrate of soda and carbohydrates. These latter are the elaborated forms produced by the leaves from the solutions obtained by the roots, and are stored close to the point of manufacture. In order that the leaves can manufacture these carbohydrates sunlight is necessary, so that if a tree becomes too thick in the head, thus shutting out sun from the centre of lower portions of the tree, those parts shut off from the sunlight will not be able to manufacture carbohydrates and will, as a consequence, become unfruitful; another reason why some pruning is essential, is to maintain the vigor of all the parts of the tree by admitting the necessary sunlight.

The man who always takes time to say what he thinks, doesn't have time to think much.

Canadian Cheese Faces Strong Competition.

In a study of the marketing of Canadian dairy products the Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner, Mr. J. A. Ruddick, discovered that Canadian cheese is slipping backward on the export market. Canada has held the field in the export trade in cheese almost to herself, but New Zealand is found to be gaining the ascendancy in the markets of Great Britain.

During his visit to England last summer the Dairy Commissioner discovered that greater attention was being given by the British consumer to the texture of the cheese purchased. A mild-flavored, meaty cheese is what is now called for. New Zealand has not been slow to observe this tendency and has worked for it.

Before New Zealand came into the market in a large way, Canada was the chief source of supply for imported Cheddar cheese. Since the Canadian cheese was produced in six months, it was necessary for a considerable proportion of it to be conserved in order to meet requirements for the remainder of the year. New Zealand coming into the market during the season of non-production in Canada, was able to command immediate attention. New Zealand has so increased her output of cheese that she now supplies about the same amount as Canada and New Zealand shipments are on the increase.

Under the stimulus of the war prices New Zealand developed her cheese industry at a rapid rate and has kept it up ever since. It was found that the popularity of the cheese from the two countries was about fairly evenly divided as between Canadian and New Zealand. The prices that have been obtained during the past two years have been about equal, varying only according to the season. New Zealand has been quicker to get into the season with Canadian taking the lead in November and December. Three main forces have been at work according to the Dairy Commissioner, in pushing New Zealand cheese on the British market: first, cheese grading; second, the operation of large factories; and third, the development of a texture that suits the British taste better than that of the Canadian.

Good judgment is one of the essentials of good farming.

It is a human failing to spend time bemoaning conditions, which had better be used to improve them by starting on ourselves.

An Early Home Garden

BY W. A. FREEHOFF.

There is nothing quite so aggravating as to have to get your vegetables out of a tin can in spring, when all your neighbors can go into their gardens and get appetizing greens, radishes, and other good things in profusion. The rather solid diet of winter, combined with the severity of the weather, puts the system into that condition so that the first fresh, green things upon the table taste like a million dollars. Of course, one can go to the corner grocer and get a few wilted, expensive substitutes, but few farmers do, and I don't blame them.

The early vegetables not only taste the best, but if there is a surplus, bring the most money. For this reason, anybody who can possibly do a little fussing in the house or with a cold frame will be repaid handsomely for all the trouble taken.

It is not necessary to have a greenhouse to insure early vegetables, or otherwise few farmers would ever get them. A hotbed is desirable, but because of the difficulty in getting the proper material for heating the hotbed, and because of the care needed to operate it successfully, it is considered of questionable value to the man with a small garden, to the beginner, or the farmer.

In place of the heated cold frame is a good substitute. The cold frame is merely a box or frame covered with glass, having the south side somewhat lower than the north. It can be inexpensively made by using storm sash. Lettuce and radish can be grown to maturity in it, while it is a very handy device for securing early plants for setting out later.

It has always been my plan to start as many plants indoors as possible. Sometimes I would hurry up matters by buying greenhouse plants, but as a rule results were better by using the hardier cold frame plants. I have also found that if the seed is sown in boxes in the house, then transplanted to the cold frame, and then to the garden, that crops could be secured almost as early as with the hotbed. Of course, all through this article I am speaking in terms of the home garden, because commercial gardeners cannot transfer their preliminary operations to the house.

The man who has once gone into his garden in early March to secure soil for his boxes, cold frame, etc., will be more forehanded the next time, and gather it in full before the frost comes. However, if you did not collect the soil last fall, get the soil some sunny day and let it thaw indoors. Mix a little sand with it if possible, and also use a thin top layer of sand in the seed box. Before starting the seed box, let the soil warm up and dry until it does not pack in a hard lump when squeezed by hand.

Three or four small boxes will be enough to start all the lettuce, cabbage and tomato plants for the aver-



Heads Historical Society.

Sir Edmund Walker has been elected head of the Champlain Society, the largest organization in Canada for the collecting of Canadian Historical data. Its officers represent all parts of the Dominion.

The Dairy.

Chapped teats are very common in winter and often caused from washing the udder, or the teats getting wet and chapping in the cold wind. I find some cows give more trouble from this source than others. If it is necessary to wash the udder, or even sponge it off, the teats should be thoroughly dried. I have found it an excellent practice where cows give trouble with chapped teats to use vaseline while milking, just enough to grease the teats. By using vaseline during the process of milking, the oil is worked into the cracks and seals them up, keeping the air out and preventing further chapping.

Not infrequently cows contract the habit of kicking from no other cause than chapped teats. Cows subject to chapped teats should be given special care to see that the teats are dry after milking and before turned out for exercise. The milking should be done carefully and in a gentle manner, not to cause irritation. Do not punish a cow for kicking or stepping away from the milker while being milked if she is suffering from chapped teats as they are very painful.

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Is Cow-Testing Worth While?

"Is cow testing worth while?" is the title of Pamphlet No. 24 by the Senior Dairy Promoter of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, Mr. A. H. White. In answering the question the writer points out that in some herds, where cow testing has been in practice for several years, an average of over 11,000 pounds of milk and 371.3 pounds of fat has been attained. Individual grade cows in these selected herds have produced over 15,000 pounds of milk and over 1,200 pounds of butterfat in 365 days. In an unnamed locality there is a herd that has an average production per cow of 11,912 pounds of milk and 379.8 pounds of fat, while in the same district there is another herd of 18 cows with an average of only 5,396 pounds of milk and 192.2 pounds of fat. This is instance to show the difference between herds. It is hardly necessary to say, there is a similar difference between individuals in the herd.

As Mr. White says, it is generally recognized in the dairy business that milk should be bought and sold on a butterfat basis, thereby ensuring a premium for quality rather than for quantity. Hence it is in the interest of every farmer to test each individual cow for butterfat content, and if low testers are found, they should be eliminated at the first opportunity unless they produce enough milk to make them profitable in spite of the lowness of their test.

Turning to the feed question, it is, of course, important that the dairy cow should be given the right sort of feed in sufficient quantity to maintain her and at the same time to produce as much milk as she is capable of. This can only be determined by studying and recording the requirements of each cow.

In proof that good cows are the most economical producers, an instance is supplied of the two best cows in one herd, in 1920, producing a profit above feed cost of \$707.30 while the two poorest in the same herd produced only \$211.76. Cow testing and feed records will show the returns and profit made by each cow in the herd. More important still in the use of good bulls. In this connection Mr. White points out that at the present time, sires to head many herds are being selected because of the known milking characteristics of their forerunners. Cow testing alone has made this possible. In the future he predicts that bulls will be selected more and more from high milk-producing strains, and he quotes examples to show that a good purebred sire is the best investment a dairy farmer can make in connection with his business. An instance is given of a farmer who, after testing for ten years, was getting nearly twice as much milk from thirteen cows than he was getting from fourteen when he started, the increase being from an average per cow of 5,438 pounds of milk to an average of 10,236 pounds.

Learning the Truth.

A man in attendance at a recent farmers' meeting presented some statements that were made by one of the speakers. This speaker had had every available means for getting facts on his subject. The man who criticized did not. The latter objected because the thing said was unpleasant.

There may be some advantage in not knowing all our dangers. Ignorance is bliss, we say. Things we do not know, do not hurt us. Should it be our good luck to go along our way and, by mere chance, miss the pitfalls and the dangers near us, then nothing particularly is lost by having definite information about the way we traveled. We would, however, have taken less chance by knowing of these dangers.

We make real advancement only by learning the truth. If, in our ignorance, we violate the laws of living, we, sooner or later, suffer for our transgression. Examples are too numerous in the life of every person to require illustration. And the laws of economics are just as certain in their action as are the laws of health.

It is our business to learn these laws. We should welcome light from whatever source, if that light reveals to us additional knowledge about our business, or our living.

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What is the purpose of our lives? What are we doing to make this a better world? Are our differences in beliefs and doctrines retarding our religious life? Are we at fault for what our children are to-day?

Fruits of Prohibition in Ontario Cities

By Dr. J. G. Shearer, Social Service Council of Canada

What the public wants regarding prohibition or any other method of dealing with the drink evil is "How does it work?" "What are its fruits?" Here is the answer from typical Ontario cities. We are indebted to the Rev. Peter Bryce, Chairman of the

	Toronto	Ottawa	Kings	Woodstock	Port Arthur	Kitchener	Peterboro
1914	14,247	991	482	149	1,376	132	370
1921	4,727	411	168	67	541	102	56
Decrease	8,520	580	314	82	835	30	314
Decrease %	66.28%	58.05%	65.14%	55.03%	60.68%	22.72%	84.86%

	Toronto	Ottawa	Woodstock	Kitchener	Port Arthur
1914	2,734	114	26	29	57
1921	1,084	75	15	6	15
Decrease	1,650	39	11	23	42
Decrease %	60.35%	34.21%	42.30%	79.31%	73.68%

	Toronto	Ottawa	Woodstock	Kitchener	Port Arthur
1914	2,015	243	80	51	158
1921	1,053	118	63	19	57
Decrease	962	125	17	32	101
Decrease %	47.74%	51.44%	21.25%	62.74%	63.92%

These figures are still more striking when the increase in population between 1914 and 1921 is considered. It

varies from 4% to 19% in the cities named. Note also the number of alcoholics admitted to these hospitals:

Hospitals	Alcoholic Admissions
Hamilton General, Hamilton, Ont.	1914 1921
Victoria Hospital, London, Ont.	75 33
Woodstock General, Woodstock, Ont.	59 19
Queen Victoria, North Bay, Ont.	22 2
St. Joseph Hospital, Sudbury, Ont.	64 25
General Protestant Hospital, Ottawa, Ont.	44 15

Poverty and Drink. The General Secretary of the Neighborhood Workers' Association, Toronto, a Family Welfare Organization, gives the following figures in his annual reports:—In 1919, nine cases of need were due to intemperance, amounting to 1.17% of all cases. In 1920 the percentage was 1.27%, whereas in 1921 and 1922 the percentage was .68 of all cases in need. Previous to prohibition, in 15 to 18 per cent. of families, the cause of poverty could be traced to intemperance. In the report this statement is made, "Before prohibition came into effect, not only was intemperance a problem in itself, but a factor in most of the other problems. To-day intemperance is practically a negligible quantity, as a cause of poverty."

The last annual report of the Board of License Commissioners for Ontario states: "Intoxicated men are rarely seen upon the streets of our cities,

towns and villages, and countless families, whose bread-winners formerly wasted their earnings on drink, are now able to live in comfort."

Only one arrest was made for drunkenness at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, in 1922, in an attendance of 1,372,500 people.

Previous to the Referendum, a morning paper, in an editorial calling the temperance people to arms, said, "An Ontario in which no drunkard's child shall be afraid of his father's homecomings, and no drunkard's wife ashamed of the man to whom she looked for happiness; in which there shall be no hospitals, prisons or asylums filled with the human wreckage of the soul-destroying traffic—surely that is an end worthy of the best endeavor of every man and woman of humane instincts." The results already obtained in many directions indicate that the end of the endeavor is a practical issue.

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The Frog Lake Massacre.

The Canadian National Parks Branch of the Department of the Interior propose to include in their historic sites series the cemetery at Frog Lake, situated ten miles north of the Saskatchewan river and forty-two miles from Lloydminster, where occurred the most tragic incident of the Red Rebellion of 1885, the massacre of the officials of the Indian Department and of the priests of the Roman Catholic mission by the Indians under the chief, Big Bear. In 1906 the bodies of the victims were removed from their various burial places by the Northwest Mounted Police into a small cemetery nearby where each grave was marked with an iron cross bearing the name of the victim and the date of the disaster. It is now proposed to mark the site in more permanent fashion by some form of memorial which will bear the standard bronze tablet of the Canadian National Historic Sites and testify to the national care of the burial places of these unfortunate victims of the Northwest Rebellion.

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In music the treasure troves have opened as never before. There exists to-day a great library of musical books accessible to every earnest student and giving at a mere fraction of its former cost, information leading to musical success. Twenty-five years ago the really worth-while musical books could almost have been counted upon the fingers of both hands. Concerts, recitals, lectures, classes, moving pictures, mechanical instruments, to say nothing of the wonderful educational value of the talking machines, have thrown open the portals to everyone who has the ambition and the initiative to enter.

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The servant replied, "Three: Dinner, breakfast and supper."

The Sleepless Member.

Mother—"Tommy, slip upstairs quietly and see if papa is asleep."

Tommy (returning)—"Yes, mamma, he's all asleep but his nose."

STORMY WEATHER HARD ON BABY

The stormy, blustery weather which we have during February and March is extremely hard on children. Conditions make it necessary for the mother to keep them in the house. They are often confined to overheated, badly ventilated rooms and catch colds which rack their whole system. To guard against this a box of Baby's Own Tablets should be kept in the house and an occasional dose given the baby to keep its stomach and bowels working regularly. This will not fail to break up colds and keep the health of the baby in good condition till the brighter days come along. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

In a City of Scent.

Of all the world's industries, scent-making is one of the most pleasant. It is also one of the most fascinating.

The greatest centre in the world for making perfumes is Grasse, on the beautiful Cote d'Azur, in France. It is from here that the great perfumery firms of London and Paris obtain their supplies and the demand for Grasse products is continuously increasing.

Enormous quantities of flowers have to be grown in order to keep this flourishing industry going, and Grasse is surrounded by field after field of wonderful blooms of all kinds.

Every morning large lorries filled with picked blossoms rumble through the streets to the factories, where they unload and return to the fields for more.

Inside the factory there is a scene of glowing color and an almost overpowering perfume of many flowers. Girls and women are seated before long tables, surrounded by great heaps of blooms. The first proceeding is to take out any stalks or leaves that have been overlooked by the expert pickers who collected the flowers in the fields.

The stamen is also removed from each flower as it is useless for scent. The petals and the pistil are the real providers of scent and are retained. The blooms are distilled in giant copper vessels with just sufficient water to cover them. When orange blossom is distilled an essence known as "neroli" is obtained and this is used as a base for making the world-famous Eau-de-Cologne.

The distillation of roses yields "rose essence" and "rose water." In order to get one kilogramme of actual rose-perfume, 10,000 lbs. of flowers are required, and this explains why this kind of scent is so expensive.

These fascinating factories not only make scents and perfumes but also pomades for toilet purposes. The flowers are dipped in some fatty substance, usually grease or olive oil. This absorbs the smell of the particular flower dipped and later is put into the bottles and boxes in which it is to be sold.

The most difficult of all blooms from which to extract perfume is the honeysuckle.

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His Degree.

Ell Brown, a dark impressive figure in his long, black clerical coat, a gift of the rector of St. James's, had come, says a writer in Harper's, in answer to a post card of mine, asking him to whitewash my back fence.

"I've done moved, Miss Ma'y," he said when he had explained to me that he could not do the work that day, since noon service at St. James's necessitated his presence at the organ below, "an' I reckon I'll leave my card so you kin know whar to sen' for me when you wants me ag'in."

With an expression of dignified gratification he unfolded a scrap of a church announcement leaflet that he had pulled out of the pocket of his waistcoat and handed me a card with the words: "Ell Brown, E. O. B., 59 Panchurch Street."

"What do these letters stand for?" I asked.

"Why, Miss Ma'y, all do quality in our congregation has letters after their names. Dr. Price, he has D.D., Dr. Simmons has M.D., an' there's B.L.D. for some of 'em and U.S.N. for dat Yankee officer, an' cosse I naturally has 'em, too."

"But what do they mean?" I insisted. "Now, Miss Ma'y, don' you know? E. O. B.—Episcopal organ blower. Dat's whar I is."

MONEY ORDERS.

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Would Do It Himself.

Lady (in broker's office)—"I wish to buy ten shares of Steel."

Broker—"At the market, madam?"

Lady—"Oh, if you can buy them at the market, never mind. I'm going right down there."

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WILLIAMS TELLS OF WASTED CASH

Declares He Spent Hundreds But Wife Continued to Suffer Until Tanlac Ended Stomach Trouble.

"I never saw such a change as Tanlac has made in my wife and she says she is feeling like a girl of sixteen now," declared Howard Williams, a well-known shoemaker of 28 Cornwall St., Toronto, Ont., recently.

"For years she had suffered from indigestion and was so weak and run-down I often thought she would fall in her tracks. Nearly everything she ate disagreed with her and at times she was simply in agony. Her nerves were so unstrung the least little thing would worry and upset her for hours and she could scarcely get any sleep."

"Well, after spending hundreds of dollars on different medicines, I didn't have much hope that Tanlac would help her, but it's a fact, when she finished the treatment, every ailment was gone and she was eating, sleeping and feeling fine. That was several months ago and since then her health has been splendid. Hereafter we will always pin our faith to Tanlac."

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EN PASSANT.

I DON'T KNOW whether you have noticed it, or if I am just "seeing things", but it appears to me that the papers have been more than usually full of interesting things lately. There have been times when we would scan over a paper of thirty two pages, and in a few minutes throw it aside with the remark that there was nothing in it, but all that is changed now. Everyone in the house when the paper the minute it comes in, and when you do get a piece of it, and sneak into a corner to read it, you get "paged", for somebody else is looking for it.

The sporting pages have been crammed with hockey games, bonspiels, football results, and plans relative to the future of this or that league, team meeting, or championship encounter. The radio section has been fairly humming. The automobile section is spread out into extra pages and you become fascinated into reading about cars, your attention being gripped by the captain that the public will soon be buying cars as readily as you would purchase a fountain pen.

If you manage to secure a page that is not in general and immediate request, it will be the "Book reviews" or the "Music" section, or perhaps the "Gossip about Plays and Pictures".

Any of these is good enough to be going on with while you are waiting for the rest, and you note with satisfaction that Canadian authors are coming to the front, you feel peaceful and contented as you read that Montreal's first Music Week "has accomplished much", and your Musical susceptibilities are soothed as you read that Kalkhoru Sorabji's latest composition has an intelligible beauty, is extremely rhythmic, and abounds in acute dissonances.

If you happen to conserve the "Pictures" page, you read with breathless interest that the negative of the exploitation (they print it exploration) of Tutankhamen's tomb is being hurried across the high seas, and that immediately on its arrival 300 film prints will be run from it. With the view of coping with the demand (estimated) of twenty million people in the States and Canada, over and above the normal number of picture patrons who will be clamouring to see the "historical and educational" record of that gang of tomb-rifling ghouls now riding on the top wave of notoriety, and whose Egyptian exploits rival in interest the adventures of the wildest redskins.

An advance press notice says: "The principal characters brought to view in the film are Lord Carnarvon, Lady Herbert, the Queen of Belgium, and Howard Carter, (not Nick, of that ilk), the latter being the archaeologist who is accredited with having carried out the work of exploration when all previous efforts failed." The thrilling movies of the wild and woolly cattle rustlers and of the daring and skillful safe blowers are evidently expected to hide their diminished heads, before this "picture of the hour".

THE NEXT thing you know is that the Bed Time Stories column is on the back of the page you are reading: The wide eyes of the enthusiastic youth who revels in the doings of Hooty Owl and Farmer Brown's Boy, has discovered it, you therefore surrender the page and turn around for another, and this time it is page 3. Church Union fall to your lot: "Hear all sides" is your motto, and you are kept up to it: And, after you have hunted up page 20 where it is continued, you begin to think that any union of the Churches is about the last thing you may expect to see realized. Judging from the letters in the paper, it looks more like a proposed deal in real estate, or a political reshuffle, that a religious peace-pact, and you sigh for the spirit of the old time Covenanters who could sing sincerely, if lustily,

"Behold how good a thing it is, And how becoming well, Together such as brethren are, in unity to dwell."

Some sections of the paper I purposely ignore, on principle: Fashions, and suchlike fripperies, fail to arouse in my breast a spark, but when I do get the disintegrated parts and fugitive pages of the paper reassembled, and can go over them at leisure, I find there is quite a furor over Daylight Saving, also, quite a diversity of opinion. It makes lighter reading than the sombre debates on Immigration, and it is the more interest-

ing because it is being crisply handled now that the sleepy lie-abeds, who don't want it, are, figuratively, getting the bed clothes pulled off them, these cold mornings. I have always held that it ought to be necessary to alter the clocks. People ought to want to get up early, without having their self deception pandered to.

I base my favor for the Daylight Saving scheme upon the old "Early to bed" principle. I don't pretend to believe implicitly that Early to bed, and early to rise, and makes a man healthy, wealthy, and wise, but it helps a whole lot.

The old French tristich offered the reward of long life for regular and early habits:-

"Lever à cinq, diner à neuf, Souper à cinq, coucher à neuf, Font vivre d'ans nonante neuf."

That worked all right until some troglodyte ancestor of a Montreal alderman added a year to the reward, and with the cunning of his kind threw the time an hour later:-

"Lever à six, diner à dix, Super à six, coucher à dix, Fait vivre l'homme dix fois dix."

THE LINKMAN.

The Mountain Stream (Continued.)

Dashing, crashing, Slashing, splashing, Over rapids roaring; Jumping, bumping, Rolling, romping, On to freedom pouring.

Plunging, tugging, Rumbling, tumbling, Through the canon's gorge; Fuming, spuming, Moaning, groaning, My tortuous way I forge.

Hither, thither, Whether, whither, I wander on my way; In moonlit dreams, And sunlit scenes, I pass through night and day.

Epilogue

And seemingness, From nothingness, To little drops of rain; I grow supreme, A Mountain Stream, And join the sea again.

RYHOS—Brownsburg

ST. ANDREWS EAST

The Rev. J. Burgess preached in the Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening.

Miss Doris Perks spent Saturday to Tuesday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Perks.

The Choir Practise will be held in the Presbyterian Church on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Weekly Cottage prayer meeting was held at the home of the Misses Hibbard, on Thursday evening.

Mr. Harrison S. Lewis was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pitcairn during his stay in St. Andrews East.

The Misses Tita and Evelyn Wales are spending the Easter holidays with their parents Dr. and Mrs. B. N. Wales.

At the Presbyterian Church on Easter Sunday special music will be rendered at both morning and evening services. The pastor Rev. J. Burgess will preach at both services.

The Prize winners, for memorizing Scripture, during the first quarter of the year, in the St. Andrews Presbyterian Sunday School, were, first, I. Muir; second, Willie Gates; third, J. Brown.

A very interesting and instructive lecture on migratory birds, illustrated with over 100 lantern slides was given by Mr. Harrison S. Lewis, Chief Federal Migratory Bird officer of Ontario and Quebec last Friday evening in the Town Hall.

OBITUARY.

THE LATE MRS. THOMSON.

On Sunday last, Mar. 18, there passed away at Greenway, Manitoba, Mrs. George Thomson, nee Helen McQuat, in her 84th year.

Mrs. Thomson was well known in Lachute and vicinity, being a daughter of the late John McQuat of Brownsburg and saw mill. She was a graduate of McGill Normal School and a teacher for some time in the rural schools.

For many years her home was in Lachute, while Mr. Thomson was principal of Lachute Academy and later Inspector of Schools in Argenteuil and Huntingdon. Some time after Mr. Thomson's retirement, they made their home in Scotland, but after Mr. Thomson's death Mrs. Thomson returned to Canada and during recent years has made her home with William Young and his sisters at Greenway, Manitoba, where she died, surrounded by every attention, that kindness could bestow.

Her sympathies were always of a noble sort and her limited means were ever used in various ways to help those striving for a higher life.

In matters of religion she was of the Presbyterian Church and enjoyed to the last the firm faith of her youth, inculcated in the house circle through the influence of Godly parents.

Out of a family of eleven there remain to mourn her loss Mr. Walter McQuat of Lachute, Mrs. Jean McQuat of Brownsburg and Mrs. Mary Pollock of Lachute, besides many nephews and nieces, who hold her in loving remembrance.

THE LATE WM. HAMMOND.

One of the oldest settlers of Argenteuil County was buried at Mille Isles on Sunday afternoon, when many of the residents of the district attended the obsequies of William Hammond, who died in his 90th year on Thursday last at the residence of his daughter, Miss Mary Hammond, Lachute. Funeral service was held at Lachute on Saturday evening, con-

ducted by Rev. Albert Mathews, of the Lachute Methodist Church. On Sunday morning the remains were driven by road eighteen miles to Mr. Hammond's old home at Mille Isles for interment, which took place there Sunday afternoon, the final services being taken by Mr. S. Goldsworthy lay reader, of Lachute, with a large attendance of the older settlers of the district.

William Hammond was one of the oldest families of Argenteuil County, where his father and grand-father had lived before him. He was born in County Cavan, Ireland, ninety years ago, and was brought to Argenteuil County by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hammond, in June, 1840, 83 years ago, where his grandfathers had already settled. They took up a farm at Mille Isles, where Wm. Hammond was brought up, and where his father owned the first wheeled vehicle known in the parish of Mille Isles.

He succeeded his father to the farm, living at Mille Isles for about 80 years, for a time taking considerable part in the public life of the municipality as school commissioner, and as a member of the municipal council. In his younger years he was also a member of Capt. Pollock's Company of Rangers, about the first military organization in the country.

BIRTHS.

GORDON.—At East Settlement on March 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gordon a son.

DEATHS.

THOMSON.—At Greenway, Manitoba, on March 18, 1923, in her 84th year, at the home of her nephew, Wm. Young, Helen McQuat, widow of the late John McQuat, of Lachute, Quebec.

IN MEMORIAM.

MASON.—In loving memory of my darling sister Bessie Alma MacAdam whom God called away on March 7th, 1923.

I miss you at a thousand turns, Along life's weary way, Yearn for thy true and gentle heart, Long for thy bright smile to see; Sleep on, Dear Bessie, and take thy rest; For God takes those whom he loves best;

No one knows the silent heart ache, Only those who have lost can tell; Thy youthful days were sweet to us, Too soon were we deprived of thee, Gone but not forgotten. Sadly missed. Gertrude MacAdam.

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ARUNDEL.

The weather still continues March 27th, to be wintry in character with zero weather at night, and no signs, as yet of commencing the making of Maple syrup or sugar.

Invitations are out for the celebration of the Silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Stanforth, who will have been twenty five years married on Friday, April 6th. Our sincere wish is that they may be spared not only to celebrate their Golden wedding, but their Jubilee.

The Church services on Sunday next, Easter Sunday, April 1st, will be as follows:—

Anglican.
Grace Church, Arundel
Morning prayer and Celebration of the Holy Communion, 10.30 a.m.
Rockway Celebration of Holy Communion, 2.30 p.m.
Weir, 7.00 p.m.
S. S. Grace Church, 2.30 p.m.
Rev. G. H. Gagnon, M.A., Pastor, Arundel Union Church.

In addition to the Regular services, there will be a special Children's service, in the Arundel Church, at 11 a.m. when the Children of the Sunday School will contribute Easter Songs, Choruses, and exercises.

Rev. Albert Johnson, Pastor.
The Regular meeting of the Arundel Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, was held on Friday afternoon, 23rd inst., at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Scott, and was well attended, the following being present:—Mrs. Gagnon, Pres.; Mrs. A. Smith, Vice-Pres.; Mrs. Wm. Scott, Mrs. Wm. Morrison, Mrs. A. B. Morrison, Mrs. Rothwell, Mrs. Smellie, Mrs. W. H. Kerr, Mrs. John Bishop, Mr. J. M. Nelson, Hon-Secretary.

There were also present as guests, Rev. G. H. Gagnon, Mrs. R. Bates, Mrs. T. Bishop, Mrs. C. H. Stone, Miss Smith, Miss Scott, and Mr. Williams. The meeting having been opened with prayer, as usual, by the President, the Hon-Sec., read the minutes of the

previous meeting and presented the Financial Statement, which, on motion of Mrs. Scott, seconded by Mrs. A. B. Morrison, were accepted as read. Receipts for the various sums sent in and the M.D.W.A. towards the different Funds and pledges, were presented and a letter from Mrs. Strachan, Treasurer of M.D.W.A. was read. Mrs. Wm. Scott, who, as delegate, represented the Arundel Branch of the M.D.W.A. annual meeting in Montreal, gave a very interesting account of the proceedings at the sessions of the meeting, a vote of thanks for which was tendered Mrs. Scott, which was proposed by Mrs. Gagnon and seconded by Mrs. Rothwell. Mrs. Gagnon read the interesting M.D.W.A. notes for March. Materials for knitting and Quilt making for next year's Bala, were distributed and the members present. The serving of refreshments, by the hostess, Mrs. Scott, brought a very enjoyable afternoon's meeting to a close.

HELP WANTED, FEMALE.—Houseworker, general, for three young adults in Motherless home in Brooklyn, New York, prefer middle aged woman. Must be able to cook and take full charge. Write to Miss Jennie Morris, 193 Berkely Pl. Brooklyn, New York giving full particulars as to age salary, references and when available.

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Geography.

Honours.—Kenneth MacGibbon 97, Wallace Wilson 97.

Class 1.—Wilhemina Clarke 82, Class 11.—Gladys Warwick 77.

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History.

Class 1.—Doris Golpin 89, Grace Moncrieff 86, Alma Fletcher 85, Sarah MacVicar 81, Leona Thompson 76.

Class 11.—Ida Fletcher 67, Cuthbert MacQuaig 63, Marion Bain 62, Eileen MacGibbon 60.

Class 111.—Alex Masson 54, Alwyn Stewart, Bessie Mason 50.

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History.

Class 1.—Alex MacGibbon 78, Man-siel Wilson 76.

Class 11.—Lawrence Davis 71, Alfreda Zimmers 70, Wilbert Hardie 69, Ivan Monk 68, John Galbraith 61, Raymond Chambers 60.

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French.

Honours.—Dorothea MacDonald 92, Duncan 75.

Class 11.—Violet Golpin 80, Agnes Brown 71, Harry Ball 69, Willie Woods 67, Evelyn Highfield 62, Alex McCullough 62.

Class 111.—Theodore Zimmers 55.

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French.

Honours.—Audrey Monk 92.

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Class 11.—Hazel Boyd 72, Ward Moncrieff 71, George Connolly 67, Willie Mason 63, Walter McQuat 60.

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Class 111.—Maud Seary.

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CANADA PROVINCE OF QUEBEC DISTRICT OF TERREBONNE

No. 1244.

Fieri Facias de Bonis et de Terris.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Euclide Oulmet, Plaintiff.

—vs—

Alfred Dion & Al, Defendant.

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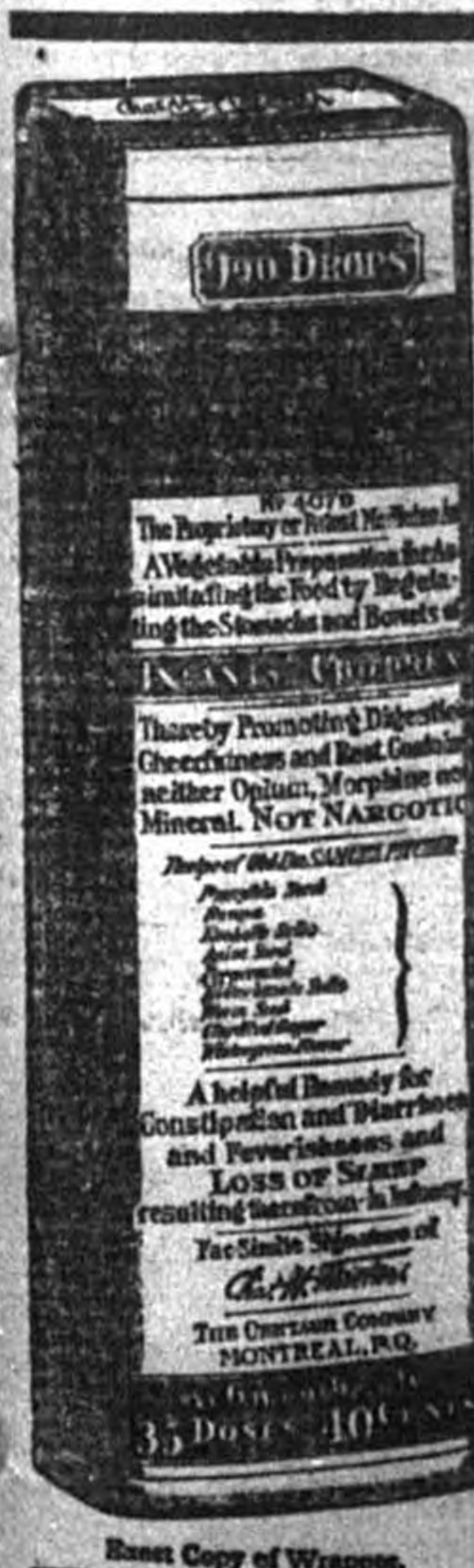
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PART I.

Cities, when you come to think of it, are a lot like people. There's the big, tough city that puts on lots of front and style, the retired plug-ugly who has learned to eat with a fork and wear evening clothes, therefore considers himself a shining example of everything proper; the lady-like little city, which probably grew up around some college or seminary; the boom city, with miles of paving running in every direction beyond the inhabited district, and high-sounding street names showing from corner posts almost hidden in weeds—like a big, overgrown lout in a suit that doesn't fit. Then we have the retiring little city that has reached normal growth and knows it.

But the real problem is the city that becomes such by outgrowing its natural tendency to remain a village. Many such accidents are to be found in the wide agricultural districts. Slowly, through generations, the village expands while the denizens thereof fail to realize the expansion, because it is like the progress of an hour hand on a clock, and cannot expand with it. Therefore a city of 60,000 or more with the mental development arrested about the time the first horse-car line was installed may be found trying to get by with the same machinery it used as a wide place in the road.

And of such was Grainville. The Boosters' Club protested the government census because it showed the metropolis is but 68,112. Yet old Hank Beverly, who ran the last and only livery stable in the same police station and into the same chair he had occupied thirty-three years ago and said the new chief about his force.

"To be sure," said Old Hank, "you have that gas buggy, but the only reason I didn't have a couple of 'em when I was chief was because they weren't invented yet. I had two more patrolmen than you got—and they was all good men. You got three-fourths and retired bootleggers on your staff, and they don't make any more detectives like Long John Tanner, Ev Parvey and Tim Donohue any more."

"I've got that same Tim," defended the young chief.

"Yes," Hank would reply, "but Tim's getting old, old as I am. He's seen better days."

"Anyhow he's got sense, and I wouldn't trade him for a flock of young ones," insisted the chief.

Grainville may be backward and quiet. Left to its own devices, the half portion police force would be sufficient. But a small, timid man needs more than a strip of lath for defence when living in a neighborhood of large, tough persons armed with elm clubs. Several cities within three hours by swift motorcar were noted for their toughness. Denizens thereof might have mixed cinders with their shaving cream. Some citizens of these adjoining cities seemed to spend a portion of their time thinking up rude jokes to play on gentle Grainville. They came to Grainville's annual fair and littered the fair ground with empty purses gleamed from the yokels who came there to see the prize Poland China and trotting horses; and they burgled the homes of the merry villagers who went to the night performance en masse, leaving only the family cat to keep house; those unprincipled visitors came also to street parades and found the pickings fair, and they came to dollar-day sales, shop-lifted and exchanged spurious monies. As a general rule, the trials of the Grainville police force came from outside and then went back home again—usually before the natives discovered that wolves had invaded the fold. Then the police force, goat of any municipal menagerie, might expect a flood of abuse that made it shrivel until all the last-season uniforms hung upon it like wet blankets on a picket fence.

At the time of the wooden-leg mystery, the police force was still in disfavor as the result of a former outrage, and editorial writers still were offering hopes that some day the beautiful and progressive city might have a chief of police who didn't smoke cigarettes and use the official

police car to ride home to lunch; likewise a force of officers who could protect the high class and progressive merchants of said beautiful and progressive city from low-browed criminals with bad cheques. Therefore, while the mystery continued to mystify, the chief sat in his dingy little office and cursed his home town in impotent rage. The first call was from the principal hotel.

"No trouble to catch him," said the clerk, "that is, if those bulls of yours could track an elephant in the snow. Smooth looking young fellow with a wooden leg, plenty of gold teeth and a birthmark on one side of his face."

The usual procedure had been followed. Depot policemen were called up and given the description and a pair of detectives, Slim Viles and Ben Judson, had been sent to the hotel to take up the trail. As patrolmen from other points reported, the aged desk sergeant read off the report. Inside of an hour six men ranging in age from seventeen to eighty-one had been walked to the station because they had wooden legs, nine because they were strangers with one or more gold teeth and three with birthmarks on their hands, arms or faces. The report from the hotel was followed, in the course of the morning, by reports from about every business institution on the avenue, for Grainville, despite its geographical spread, was a one-street town so far as business was concerned.

"An' this fellow comes in my store," reported Abe Goldberg of the Mammoth, Gents' Ready to Wear, "and he says: 'I want a pair of gloves, good ones, y' understand, and I says, that's the only kind we keep, positively, I says. So he selects a pair of unlined tans, y' understand, and he says: 'I suppose you know a P. G. railroad pay cheque when you see it? Sotilny, I says. My best trade is with you P. G. boys, which come here because they keep good stuff when they see it, and is swell dressers, I says. And I cashed his cheque for \$80.50, y' understand, and steps over to the Traders, y' understand, and the cashier says it's a sour one and there's a lot more just like it, y' understand. I don't want to punish the young man, y' understand—I ain't got no time to be witnessing around a courthouse—I just want my money back, y' understand.'"

It was the same from each place. The highly decorated stranger had bought some small article and cashed his railway pay cheque for \$80.50. All victims were certain he had a wooden leg, a collection of gold teeth and a birthmark. No one remembered how he was dressed, but each and severally they demanded to know what the difference it made when he had a wooden leg, a birthmark and gold teeth? An examination of some of the cheques showed them to be fair imitations, although probably printed far from a railway print shop, and the figures duly embossed with a "crook proof" perforation stamp similar to that used by the railway company.

Original reports had not ceased to come in over the chief's wire until the flood of "seconds" started. First from the hotel clerk:

"That's a fine pair of bums you sent up here. Asked a lot of fool questions, even after I told 'em about the guy's wooden leg and gold teeth and everything. Wanted more detail."

Next from Abe, the merchant:

"Is this what us taxpayers cough up for—such a couple bummars as them detectives! Positively, chief, they comes in my place, y' understand, and they says what did the guy look like and I tells them—I give you my word, chief—I tells them just like I tells you that the gonf got a wooden leg, yet, and gold teeth and a kinda deep lavender spot on his face. And what you think them bummars done, chief? I'm going right up to see the Mayor about it—they tells me 'Ogotobell' and walks out right while I was talking, y' understand, and I don't—"

"What they said goes double," yelled the chief into the transmitter, and hung up.

Two hours had passed before the enraged head of the Grainville police force left his office, slammed the door and walked down the hall. He could hear his telephone bell clattering as he moved away.

Old Tim occupied a room down at

the end of the hall. He was in the secondary stage of retirement, knew it and resented it. The chief had put him in charge of the pawnshop reports, a confining desk job, two weeks before, after all supplication, threats and requests on the grounds of personal friendship had been disregarded. Tim was old, but had refused to recognize the fact. Disobeying strict injunctions to "take it easy, keep out of the rough stuff and stick around to give me advice," he had walked out deliberately tied into a young and active crook and captured him, but not without having his false teeth and a rib broken in the encounter. The pawn record job was a punishment.

The chief opened the door and stood a moment staring at the old man, a short, wide-shouldered, bullet-headed specimen with close-cropped white hair and mustache. Over his glasses the old-timer returned the stare. Resentment and reproach came with that look. Ingratiously the chief approached, holding out a cigar. "Got a little something I want your advice—and help about," he admitted.

Tim grinned and reached for the cigar. "You see it's this way," and the chief had to go ahead and tell Tim about the wooden leg deal. Tim sat and smoked. "And I thought maybe you felt well enough to go out—just take it easy, you know—and see what you could do."

"Sure," said Tim. He arose, removed his spectacles and placed them carefully in their tin pocket case. He put on his amputee holster, stretched the elastic brace over the other arm, took his gun from a drawer and placed it in the holster. Then he put on his hat and coat and walked out—without a word. The chief felt like he had been kicked. Tim, still smarting from his retirement, intended he should feel like he had been kicked.

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Looking Your Best.

There are some things I want to tell you about the care of your skin when the weather is cold and the winds are blustery. You must take the time to give your complexion a little extra care if you want it to bloom like the flowers in the spring—soft and fresh and lovely. Don't wash your face with plain water every time you think it looks dirty. Use instead a good cleansing cream, one that has soothing qualities, as well as one that picks the dirt out of the pores. Never use water on the face directly after coming in out of the cold. And it's the wise woman, too, who fixes her face up a bit before she goes out. There are many creams to-day that give real protection to the skin. They are better than a veil, because they not only protect the skin but also tend to nourish and bleach it at the same time.

Then just a word or two about astringents in the winter time: Don't use ice on your face, even if your muscles do sag. Be careful not to dry up the natural oil of the skin. The cold weather, you know, does that to a certain extent anyway. A woman is apt to have more blackheads in the winter than in warm weather, because in the summer-time perspiration acts as a good eliminator of dirt. You really need to give both your face and scalp moisture and nourishment during the cold months of the year. And unless your skin is specially oily it is wise to use a rich nourishing cream.

Here are one or two little beauty suggestions for the cold weather that you don't have to go to a beauty shop to get:

Butter protects the lips from chapping.

A paste made of milk and salt has a magic way of removing freckles that come from the winter winds.

If you don't like to use cold cream on your face, try milk. It is far safer than water for a chapped skin.

Discolorations on your neck from your fur piece can be removed by rubbing a piece of lemon over the spot.

Seasonable Recipes.

Salt pork is delicious cooked in this way: Slice pork rather thin, place in a deep dish, cover with sour milk and allow to stand one hour. Remove from the milk, drain, roll in cornmeal or flour, sprinkle lightly with pepper and arrange slices in a shallow baking pan. Bake in the oven until pork is crisp and brown and serve hot with baked potatoes, baked apples and corn bread.

Use left-over beefsteak, or the tough end of it thus: Cut it in very thin slices across the grain. Place the slices in a sizzling hot frying pan, season with salt and pepper, stir it around a moment, pour in a little rich cream and serve at once.

Prepare spinach by this old recipe: Cook one-fourth of a peck of spinach; when done, drain and add the following dressing: Cut three slices of bacon into small pieces, fry until crisp. Mix one-half cupful of vinegar, and one tablespoonful of sugar (more if desired) and heat in the pan with the bacon. Mix with the spinach, turn into a dish and garnish with slices of hard boiled egg.

Old-fashioned hard gingerbread requires two-thirds of a cupful of sugar and one cupful of molasses mixed with two teaspoonfuls of baking soda. Stir into this mixture two tablespoonfuls of lard and two tablespoonfuls of ginger, add two-thirds of a cupful of cold water and enough flour to make a stiff dough. Roll thin, cut into squares and crease each square in parallel lines with the back of a knife. Place in greased tins and bake in a moderate oven.

Indian pudding without eggs: Mix half a teaspoonful each of ginger, cinnamon and salt with one cupful of cornmeal and half a cupful of molasses, put into a saucepan, add a pint of scalding hot milk, set on the stove and stir until thoroughly scalded and bubbling, then add another pint of milk. Stir well, pour into a buttered baking dish and bake for two hours in a moderate oven, stirring occasionally. Two juicy apples pared and chopped and added the last hour improves the flavor. Serve with cream.

Baked apples with raisins will please the children. For five apples, mix five tablespoonfuls of brown sugar, one-half cupful of raisins and one-eighth of a teaspoonful of cinnamon. Pare the skin from the upper half of the apples, remove the cores and place apples in a baking dish. Mix sugar, cinnamon, and raisins, fill the apples with this mixture and pour water around them to a depth of three-fourths of an inch. Bake in a moderate oven until apples are tender (thirty-five or forty minutes). Serve hot or cold, with or without cream.

Escalloped dried beef makes a toothsome supper dish. This requires two ounces of thinly chopped dried beef, one-half pound of sliced cold boiled potatoes, a level tablespoonful of flour, a cupful of soft bread-crumbs, a tablespoonful of butter and one and one-fourth cupfuls of milk. Melt butter, add flour, and when well blended add the milk, a little at a time, stirring constantly. Grease a pan and put in a layer of sliced potatoes, then a thin layer of the beef which has been shredded in small pieces, sprinkle with the crumbs and continue until all the

ingredients are used. Add the cream sauce, cover the pan and bake in a slow oven for about three-quarters of an hour. Serve very hot.

Training That Is Protection.

It is a wise plan to give occasionally to each daughter of the home, the running of it for a week at a time, making her responsible for the comfort and health of the family: to give her the amount of money she may spend and teach her how to use it. Be lenient with her failures at first; if dinner turns out an unappetizing meal suffer the consequences uncomplainingly, but help her to do better next day. Later when she has learned to manage better, hold her responsible for really good meals, for economical management and smooth running of the machinery of the house. While other members of the family may suffer a little discomfort while she is learning, the results for some future husband, or whoever else depends on the girl's housewifely ability in later life, and for her own well-being, it will be worth while. She will besides have learned to manage money, whether for herself or others, as a housewife or business woman. Training such as this is a protection which no girl should be denied.

Increasing Demand for Wind Instruments.

In former years when parents wanted to give their children some sort of a musical education nine times out of ten they would only consider such instruments as the piano or the violin, but to-day consideration is given to the flute, clarinet, oboe, bassoon, saxophone, French horn, cornet, trumpet, euphonium, trombone, etc. All of these instruments take an important part in the music of to-day and it is therefore highly gratifying to know that they are being taken up by the younger generation to a larger extent than ever before. There is scarcely a small community in any part of the country that hasn't some sort of musical organization.

Of the instruments enumerated above, the cornet and trumpet were perhaps the most popular until a few years ago when the saxophone craze started. Since Jazz Orchestras have become the vogue for dancing the saxophone has perhaps become the most popular instrument for the amateur. Good wind-instrument players are in demand all over the world to-day more than ever before, because the love and appreciation for music is growing and new organizations such as symphony orchestras, bands, opera companies, etc., are being formed all over. The wind instrument player,

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CHAPTER I.

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He had never discussed business at home, and his daughters were absolutely ignorant of the first principles of finance. They had received the usual common school education, and were now well advanced toward middle life, Hannah being forty-two and Mary, thirty-two.

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THE WORST JOURNEY IN THE WORLD

MEN WHO FACED DEATH FOR THREE EGGS.

Horrors of 134-Mile Tramp in Perpetual Darkness and Intense Cold.

"Had we lived, I should have had a tale to tell of the hardships, endurance, and courage of my companions which would have stirred the heart of every Englishman. These rough notes and our dead bodies must tell the tale."

So wrote Scott, the great explorer, when, on the return journey from the south pole, he and his companions were caught in a blizzard and perished.

The world lost Scott's full account of his own epic feat, but it has gained another wonderful narrative—the story of how three other members of Scott's party made a journey under the most severe conditions imaginable, endured sufferings almost worse than those experienced by the polar party itself, and all for what? For three penguins' eggs!

Clothed in Ice.

The details of this heroic undertaking, which was carried out with the object of learning more about the penguin, are related by Mr. Aspley Cherry-Garrard in "The Worst Journey in the World," an account of Scott's last Antarctic expedition, 1910-13, especially of the Winter, Polar, and Search Journeys. The Winter journey was that made by the author and two companions for the eggs; the Polar journey the one undertaken by Scott, with his picked men, to the pole; and the Search journey, that which went to look for Scott when he failed to return.

The Winter journey, which was to last six weeks, was from Cape Evans to Cape Crozier, where the penguins' nests were. It was necessary to make the trip in midwinter, as later the eggs would be hatched.

The way lay over the frozen sea and the great ice barrier. "The horror of the nineteen days it took us to travel from Cape Evans to Cape Crozier (the outward journey) would have to be experienced to be appreciated," writes Mr. Cherry-Garrard. "It is not possible to describe it. I for one had come to that point of suffering at which I did not really care if only I could die without much pain. They talk of the heroism of the dying—they little know—it would be so easy to die. The trouble is to go on."

Nearly all the time the temperature was below zero. At one period over 77 degrees below zero were registered—100½ degrees of frost. The trouble was that sweat from the body froze and accumulated. It passed just away from the flesh and then became ice.

One can try to imagine what it must have been like struggling on through snow blizzards with clothing covered inside as well as outside with ice! When they got into their sleeping bags the snow and ice melted, and they had to lie all night in the water thus formed.

Everlasting Night.

Once, going from the comparatively warm tent to the outside, the author raised his head to look round, and found he could not move it back. His clothing had frozen hard as he stood—in fifteen seconds! For four hours he had to pull the sledges with head stuck up, and from that time they all took care to bend down into a pulling position before being frozen in.

After a few days the party were travelling in perpetual darkness. They had to use candles to light their way. Progress in the dark was painfully slow. Fresh falls of snow made the going difficult, and they had to rely—pulling one sledge ahead and going back for the other. The ninth day they covered 1½ miles; the tenth, 1¼ miles; and the eleventh, 1¼ miles. They considered these quite good marches—and Cape Crozier is sixty-seven miles from Cape Evans, the journey there and back being 134 miles.

After nineteen days of struggling they reached their final camp, which was within a short distance of the penguins' nests, and they proceeded to build an igloo. The oil question was worrying them a lot, for they were now well within the fifth of the six tins they had brought. If the oil gave out there would be no more hot food, and that meant the end.

They made an attempt to reach the penguins, but without success, having to traverse enormous crevasses and cliffs. Next day they made another journey and were successful. Five eggs were secured, but two broke on the way back to the igloo. They then moved from their tent, which had been their "home" each night, to the igloo, just as a terrible blizzard was on the way.

Held by a Blizzard.

At last the blizzard burst. "Ten minutes and it was blowing as though the world was having a fit of hysterics. The earth was torn in pieces; the indescribable roar and fury of it all cannot be imagined." The tent was blown away, and then part of the igloo collapsed. For hours they lay in their sleeping bags, believing every moment was to be their last.

It was two days and two nights before they got a meal.

By this time the spirits of the party were at the lowest ebb, for they knew

that without the tent they could never reach safety. But luck was with them, for after the blizzard they found the tent about half a mile away.

They were tired, hungry, frozen, and frost-bitten. The horrors of that return journey are blurred to my memory," writes Mr. Cherry-Garrard, "and I know they were blurred to my body at the time. I think this applies to all of us, for we were weak and callous. I know that we slept on the march. . . . I know that our sleeping bags were so full of ice that we did not worry if we split water or hoosh over them. . . . This journey had beggared our language: no words could express its horror."

They reached Cape Evans safely, but it was a long time before they all recovered. The three eggs were eventually taken to London, examined, and placed in the Natural History Museum. Mr. Cherry-Garrard's two companions on the march—Dr. Wilson and Bowers—were two of the party who perished with Scott on the return from the South Pole.

The whole expedition spent three years in the Antarctic—three years packed with adventure.

"Them Asses!"

"Printers' errors" are no new thing; but it is inevitable that, while printing lasts, there must always be amusing, and sometimes serious, mistakes.

We know all about that gallant colonel, the "bottle-scarred veteran" of a famous misprint, who, naturally annoyed at this imputation on his sobriety, received an apology, only to be worse off than before.

"Of course," said the offending journal, "when, by an unfortunate error we referred to him as a 'bottle-scarred' veteran, it must have been evident that what we intended was 'battle-scarred.'"

A curious printers' error was that in the "Cambridge Chronicle," where a paper read before a local society on "Rings under the Eaves of Old Houses," in connection with fire prevention, was printed, "Rings under the Ears of Old Louses." This error is still to be found in the files.

"Write clearly" is an injunction rarely followed.

The author who, with crabbed calligraphy, wrote of "zigzag staircases" had only himself to thank when they appeared as "219200" staircases.

In a recent issue of a very serious magazine, which contained an article on a famous public man, the latter is made to say: "Wnde under no illusion as to the heads of them asses, I respect their hearts." "Them asses" should have been "the masses," of course.

Not long ago, Sir Alfred Mond was the victim of one of those typographical errors. It is well known that he is of the Jewish race. A report of a speech he had made represented him to have said that "the ilis from which we suffer will not abate until the nation returns to pork." The porkers should be made to understand this truth.

It is understood that great excitement prevailed in certain circles until it was explained that this disastrous statement was the result of an unfortunate double misprint.

The reference was, of course, to the national need of getting back to "work," not "pork," and it was the workers, and not the pigs, who were to be made to comprehend the necessity.



SOMEWHAT LIKE IT

Scadhunter: There's Miss Mutton over there. Just inherited her uncle's fortune. She's a millionaire.

Fewer: A millionaire, eh? From the makeup on her face I'd put her down as a vermillionaire.

Wisps of Wisdom.

A wise man will make more opportunities than he finds.

Business travels slowly, and poverty soon overtakes it.

Don't bluff unless you've something to bluff with; then you needn't.

Some people hold the key to the situation and then are too lazy to turn it.

All easy ways are downhill, although you may not notice it until you try to climb back.

Experience is what a wise man gets at the expense of others, and a fool at his own.

We sometimes hit a thing right first blow, but usually success is the result of many failures.

Greatness is measured not by what men do for themselves, but by what they do for others.

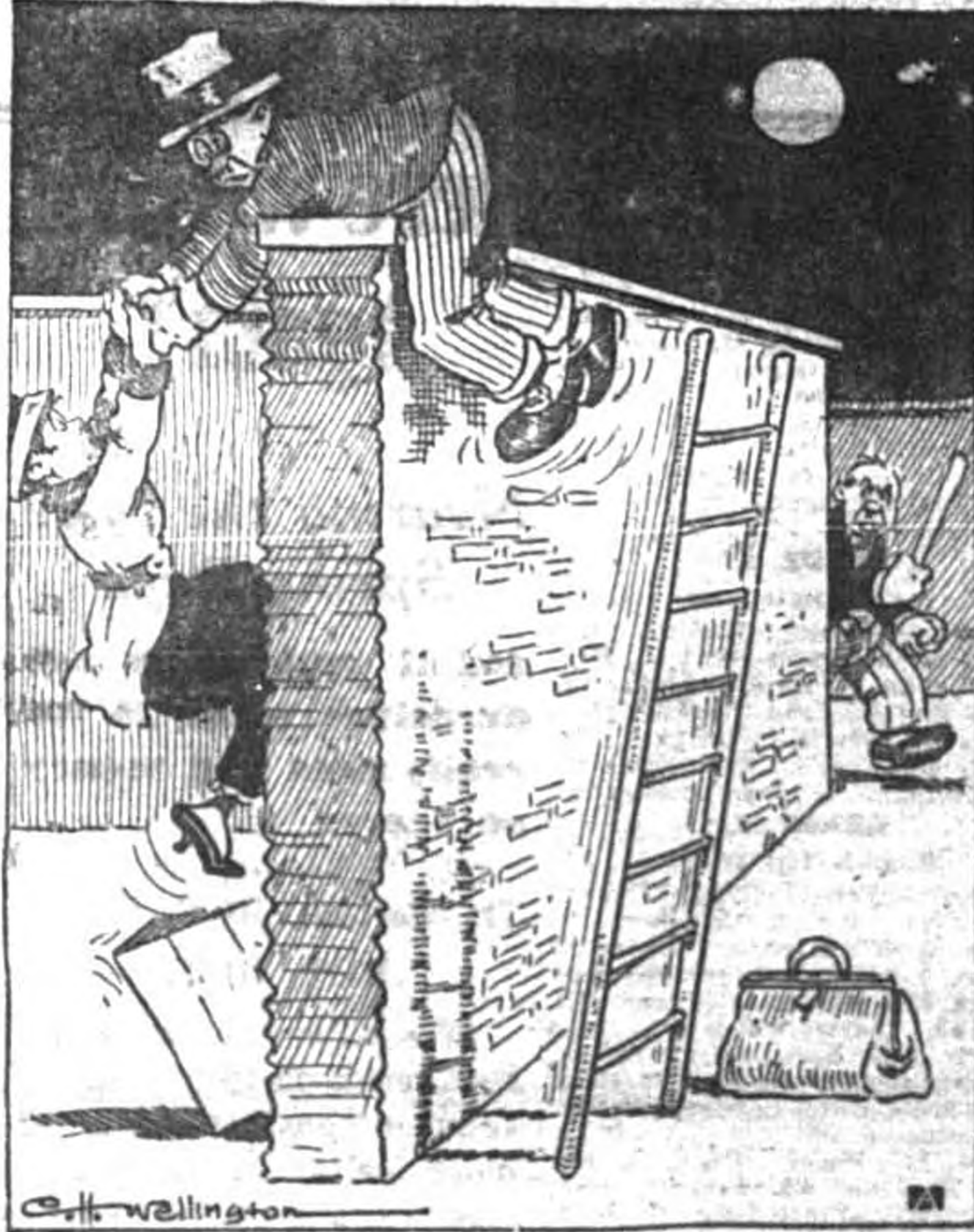
There is no victory without a fight, and those who are afraid of that fight are not worthy of the victory.

A man should never be ashamed to own that he has been in the wrong; it is but saying in other words that he is wiser to-day than he was yesterday.

The man who is really indispensable to get his task rightly done so that own importance, but the one who aims to get his task rightly done so that there can be neither fault nor cause for fault.

Three days make up our life—Yesterday, To-morrow and To-day. The trouble is that Yesterday and To-morrow take up far too much of our thought, and To-day is despised and almost elbowed out. Yet To-day is our only real day.

—AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME



Auctions by Candle.

Of course you know the ordinary auction sale at which bids increase, and the Dutch auction, at which the price is lowered until a purchaser is found; but have you ever heard of a candle auction? It is one of the oldest methods of selling.

A small candle is lighted as the article is put up for sale, and the last bid made before it burns out is the successful one.

Bidding is slow while there is plenty of candle left, but it gets brisk as the end approaches, and so many wait for the last moment that often it is difficult to tell who made the final offer.

After England's wars with the Dutch in Stuart times the "Disposals Board" of the day sold naval surplus stock by candle auction, the bidding for dismissed ships springing hundreds of pounds at a time as the flame flickered.

One of the strangest sales of the kind was that of two elephants, which were "snuffed out" in London for eighty guineas.

Rubber to the Rescue.

Rubber has come to the rescue of the busy housewife in a hundred and one ways, and inventors are still coming forward with new ideas for its use in the daily domestic round.

Most of the schemes are turned down by manufacturers as being unlikely to find a ready market. One enterprising person thought of unbreakable rubber buttons for underwear and blouses, which might have solved the mangling problem.

One of the most successful rubber inventions is the splash-guard for taps, the sale of which has run into millions.

Three new ideas which should appeal to housewives have recently come to light.

One is an ever-hot bag, which is merely a rubber cover designed to button over a bag containing a prepared chemical. It becomes hot when two teaspoonfuls of cold water are added, and it remains hot for twenty-four hours.

Another is a duster which has crepe rubber on one side and flannel on the other, and which, it is claimed, will remove obstinate dirt.

Small tea-aprons of rubber made in attractive color combinations are also on the market. Some are fitted with pockets, and are suitable either for sewing or for wearing about the house.

Where Women Excel.

In the West Indies the women carry enormous loads of bananas, oranges, yams, and brown sugar, climbing mountain roads at a steady gait of four miles an hour.

These women count a forty-mile walk a mere constitutional, and love their tramp and gossip along the roads as well as any Canadian workman's wife does her Saturday night shopping chat.

South American coffee and cotton planters say the women and children work better than men, though their labor is rewarded with a lower wage.

Women trade with fruit, vegetables, and dress goods as "deck traders" on the steamships which ply between the West Indian islands. In Grenada they act as blacksmiths, shepherds, carpenters, and carriers.

The man of the tropics does not even look after his children. The woman cares for them, knowing that the poor youngsters would have no food or home if compelled to depend upon their shiftless, lazy father.

Feathered Friends as Gardeners.

If you want a successful garden this spring you do not want to overlook the fact that a dozen or so feathered friends are ready and willing to help you. They will work for you free of charge, and will even pay you in song for the privilege of helping to make your garden more successful.

After you have been working your garden, if you watch closely, you will see a number of these assistants fly down on the newly-turned earth and begin to pick up and eat or fly away with the worms and bugs. Then, when the vegetables are growing nicely, your friends will be busy picking off harmful insects of all kinds, making the vegetables healthier. They will be working in your garden early in the morning, through the day, and also late in the day. In fact, it is a hard job trying to have a garden without the help of these bird gardeners.

Fond of Peace.

"Say, mamma, was baby sent down from heaven?"

"Why, yes."

"Um. They like to have it quiet up there, don't they?"

After laying 50,000 miles of submarine cables in forty-eight years, the famous ship, the Faraday, has retired.



CONQUERING THE SAHARA

The time to cross the Sahara heretofore has been three months, but French caterpillar motor trucks have reduced the time to three weeks. A few weeks ago the first motor caravan reached Timbuktu, the ancient slave market, now a French headquarters. The caravan travelled 2,000 miles. Air-men have failed in an attempt to cross the great desert, but the motor car has succeeded. The map shows the route.

Stories About Well-Known People

The Royal Wooing.

The engagement of the Duke of York and Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, the charming daughter of the Earl of Strathmore, did not come as a surprise, says an English writer. I heard of the romance more than a year ago, when the two young people were frequently seen together on shooting expeditions at Glamis Castle, the Earl's historic seat in Forfarshire.

The Duke of York's wooing was very ardent and began, I believe, during the war. Lady Elizabeth is twenty-three years of age, four years younger than the Duke. As you know she was one of Princess Mary's bridesmaids—one of the prettiest, in fact—and is very popular in Society. Lady Elizabeth is also a very fine dancer, and much sought after as a partner. No sooner does she enter a ball-room than her programme is simply covered with names.

It has been said in many quarters that she refused the Duke of York three times before finally accepting him. Of course, she was in love with him all the time; but who can fathom the mind of a girl in love? The Duke was very determined and would not take "No" for an answer. I think they really became engaged last September, when the Duke of York paid his most recent visit to Glamis Castle.

Lady Elizabeth spent the greater part of her childhood at the Castle, which is quite famous throughout the world for its mystery. There is said to be a secret room there, and the secret is only revealed in the oldest some of the family on their twenty-first birthday.

Friends of the Earl have told me

that the room contained a deformed member of the family who refused to see anyone or be seen. This, of course, was several hundred years ago. At his death the room was walled up, but the ghost of the dead man is believed, even now, to haunt the Castle, and there are stories of uncanny sounds being heard issuing from the secret room.

The name Glamis (pronounced Ghlams) is mentioned in the "Witches" scene in Macbeth: "All hail, Macbeth! Hail to thee, Thane of Glamis."

A Record in Parliamentary Annals. British parliamentary annals hold nothing to equal the record for continuous service set by Frederick J. Glackmeyer, who, on January 23 last, at the opening of the Ontario legislature, entered upon his fifty-sixth year as sergeant-at-arms of the provincial assembly.

Sergeant Glackmeyer has carried the mace, symbolic of royal authority, to and from the legislative chamber daily during every session of the House since Confederation. He was appointed to the office on December 23, 1867, and discharged his duties for the first time at the opening of the first legislature of the province, on December 27.

Sergeant Glackmeyer has seen generation after generation of legislators come and go. He has served under fifteen legislative assemblies, eight prime ministers, thirteen lieutenant-governors, and fourteen speakers. In 1916 he received from his Majesty King George the Imperial Service Order. Despite his 51 years of age, Sergeant Glackmeyer is still, mentally and physically, as alert as men many years his junior.

Acquiring Fame in Old Age.

When is a man too old to do good work? Whatever the answer, it is certain that many of the world's greatest men did their best work after they had passed their sixtieth birthday.

The famous novelist, William de Morgan, did not start writing until he was sixty-two.

The great Italian painter, Titian, continued to work until he was ninety-eight. His great masterpiece, "Venus," was one of the great pictures which came from his brush after he was sixty. Gladstone was eighty-three when he last became Prime Minister of England.

Three wonderful operas, "Otello," "Falstaff," and "Ave Maria," were written by Verdi when he was seventy-four, eighty, and eighty-five respectively. In modern times the great American financier, Cornelius Vanderbilt, added twenty million dollars to his fortune after he was seventy.

Hokusai, a famous Japanese artist, said: "All that I produced before the age of seventy is not worth taking into account. At seventy-five I have learned a little about the structure of nature. At eighty I shall have made more progress; at ninety I shall have penetrated the mystery of things." He died at ninety-six, after having proved that what he had said was true.

Another great man who has admitted that advancing age is not a handicap is Thomas Edison. He has passed his seventy-fifth birthday, but his mind is as vigorous as ever.

Sarah Bernhardt and Ellen Terry prove that men are not alone in retaining their vigor in old age. The great French actress is seventy-seven, while her English rival is three years younger.



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"Why did they take 'obey' out of the marriage ceremony?"
"Because that was the only place it was ever used."

The "H.P." Error.

"H.P." stands for "horse power," and if, therefore, your motor-cycle is a 4½ h.p. one, you know that what is meant is that the engine has a power equivalent to four and a half horses.

But actually it is not so. You would be incorrect to the extent of 45,000 lb.!

The h.p. unit of power is a fraud, and the late James Watt, of engine fame, is responsible. He was a very careful engineer in theory and practice, and discovered, by many experiments, that the raising of 22,000 lb. one foot per minute was a good average horse-power.

But, "horse-power" to-day is reckoned at 33,000 lb. per foot per minute—11,000 lb. in excess!

That is due to the fact that Watt, in his anxiety to encourage business, offered to sell engines which would develop 33,000 lb. per foot as a horse-power—a third more than the actual!

It would seem that he meant ultimately to be honest, but he died before that happened, and so bequeathed to the world, which has accepted it, a false unit measurement of horse-power.

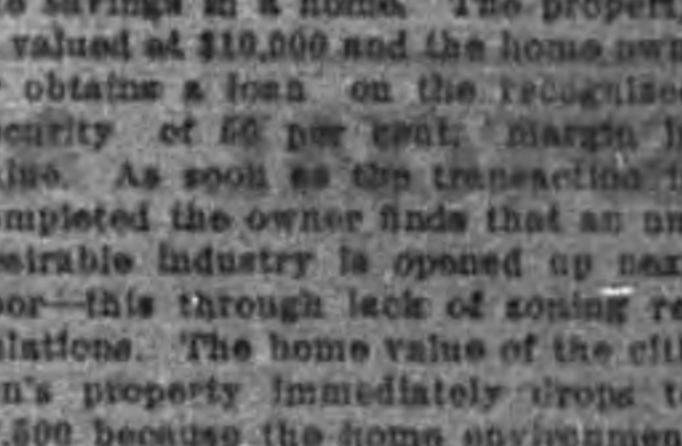
Engineers, of course, know of the error, and make due allowance for it; but the average individual does not. Your 10 h.p. car is, therefore, but a 6 2/3 h.p. one, and its power is equal to raising 22,000 lb. a foot a minute, and not 33,000 lb.

The Business Side of Zoning.

The town planning division of the Department of the Interior points out that the zoning of cities becomes obligatory in Great Britain during the present year. In the United States more than one hundred cities have adopted zoning regulations, and a number of Canadian cities are also moving in this direction because "zoning stabilizes property values" and reduces the cost of civic government.

The zoning of cities has for its purpose the direction of the future building development of the city along orderly lines and this in the interest of all the phases of city life—commerce, industry and residence. The cost of jumble building on the moral side is the destruction of the economic efficiency, happiness and life of the people and the creation of social disorder, disease and discontent. When slums develop they create the gravest and most expensive problem of communal life. In an unzoned city the houses of the well-to-do are usually protected from jumble building by private restrictions, though these restrictions become less and less operative and effective with the changes in property ownership. The dwellings of the poor are often robbed of their light and air and pleasant surroundings and degenerate into slums, which become the disease spots of the city. Hospitals and prisons have to be built and maintained at the public cost to deal with the ill effects of bad city building.

The district business side of zoning brings illumination to the fact that an unzoned city is constantly lowering the assessed value of property, and thus decreasing the civic income and increasing general taxes. An industrious family man invests \$5,000 of his life savings in a home. The property is valued at \$10,000 and the home owner obtains a loan on the recognized security of 50 per cent. margin in value. As soon as the transaction is completed the owner finds that an undesirable industry is opened up next door—this through lack of zoning regulations. The home value of the citizen's property immediately drops to \$7,500 because the home environment has been changed for the worse. The home owner immediately loses \$2,500, i.e., 50 per cent. of his life savings. The loan company loses 50 per cent. of its margin of security and the city loses 25 per cent. of the assessed value of the property because it is immediately called upon to reduce its assessment by that amount. The cost of zoning the city might roughly be stated at one-twentieth of one per cent. of the assessed values involved.



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POPULAR RESORT

Wife! What can a woman do when her husband is a rolling stone?
Friend! Resort to the rolling pin!

The Arctic Ocean is said to be getting warmer, with the result that icebergs are getting scarcer and icebergs are being found in the old sea-fishing grounds.

King George's Crown weighs 89 ozs. The passage of 2,997 ships through the Panama Canal in the calendar year 1922 established a new high record. In 1921 the best previous year, 2,914 vessels used the waterway. The tolls collected in 1922 aggregated \$12,573,407, so that for the first time since the opening of the canal the monthly average exceeded \$1,000,000.

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GRADE X

Geometry

Honours.—Kathleen Morrison 94.
Class 1.—Margaret Scott 85, Evelyn McCallum 84, Hazel Leishman 84, Donald Hay 83, Edna Campbell 82.
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Honours.—Elsie Todd 96, Elizabeth Murray 94, Evelyn Matthews 94, George Miles 93, Bessie Rodgers 90.
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