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required by law.

A wife is not entitled to vote in municipal elections on property that is assessed in her husband's name. She must be assessed for property in her own name before she is entitled to vote. The first step necessary to have women's names placed on the voters' list is to see that they are assessed for property in the municipality. In towns and cities, women as well as men must

be assessed upon the last revised assessment roll for \$200 or upwards before they are entitled to have their names entered on the 'voters' list.

In villages and rural municipalities no particular valuation is required for the property for which they are

If there is any further advice or in-formation that you desire I shall be pleased to furnish it to you.

Your obedient servant M. ALICE LAWTON,
President Provincial Equal Franchise Board, Yorkton, Sask.

# Young Canada Club

A NEW PRIZE CONTEST

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Now that you are back at school it will be easier for you to settle down to write stories than it was in the summer time, so we are beginning a new contest. I want you to write me just the eleverest stories you can imagine about Nature's Freaks. That means any strange thing you have known a bird, inseet, plant or animal to do. Not things you have read in books, but something that you have seen or that one of your family has seen with his own eyes.

The last time we had a nature story contest we got some splendid tales, about snakes swallowing their young to protect them, about a bird which built its nest six times in the same place, tho it was torn down each time, and other strange things. Any new writer who sends a self-addressed and stamped envelope with his story will receive one of the pretty Maple Leaf membership pins of the Young Canada Club, and all stand a chance of winning one of the three prize story books which will be given for the three best stories submitted.

All stories must be written in pen and ink and on only one side of the paper. They must be certified by parent or teacher to show that the story is original, and the letter must be clearly addressed to Dixie Patton, Grain Growers' Guide, Winnipeg, Man. Any boy or girl under seventeen years of age may send a story for this contest. All stories must reach The Guide office not later than October 31.

DIXIE PATTON.

LIKES ARITHMETIC

I like to go to school because I like to do my arithmetic. I like to learn my reading because there are many funny stories to laugh at. We used to draw the wild flowers. I like to draw them. We had an examination. I passed into fifth grade. I liked the arithmetic that I had when I had examinations. We had a picnic at our school and we all enjoyed it very much. This is my first story to The Guide.

ESTHER NELSON,

#### ENJOYS SCHOOL WORK

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I started to school when I was not quite five years old. I did not have to learn much for I went more to keep my sister company than anything else. But I did not like it at all, it was so tedious to have to sit there, I thought.

However, I soon had to learn my A, B, Cs. This was harder than ever. I kept up to my sister until the teacher, Mr. Lang, saw that it was too hard for me, so to my great disappointment I was put back. I soon began to like it and my sister liked it too. I am in grade six now and like it so well that I would not stay at home.

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My two brothers, Gordon and Cecil, myself and the teacher are the only English people going to school. We have only a week's holiday this year and I can hardly say that I am sorry for it. We live two miles from the school and we drive all the time. Our teacher this year is a lady and the is very well liked. Last week we pressed some flowers and last Friday Miss P. gave us the afternoon off to draw and press our flowers. We have about twelve flowers pressed. Some of them were fringed gentian, painter's brush, dansfelion, yellow daisy, bluebell and wild gage. They are mounted on white paper and we will hang them up Monday, when school starts again.

We had gardens three years ago at the school. We had pansies, larkspur, mignonette, sweet pea, nasturtium, candy-tuft, lad's love and another flower that I cannot remember. They were a splendid

success. We got sticks for them to climb up on (that is, for the nasturtium and sweet pea to climb up on), and some of the sweet peas came up to within ten inches of the window.

I like the story that came out in the last Guide about "Our School Garden."

LIZZIE HOPE.

#### SCHOOL THE ROAD TO ANY TRADE

Going to school gives one an education so that one may take up any trade. One should have an education to work at any occupation. One could not be a doctor, teacher or lawyer without one. There is more chance to make money if one is educated.

Going to school trains one to be quick at other things besides letters and figures. I like to go to school for one can have good times there. There are other children for company to study and play with. No two are just alike. When you get acquainted with the other pupils you cannot get lonesome.

I went to a school this spring where there were about twenty pupils. Some of the games we played were "Pom-Pom-Pullaway," "Hide-and-Seek," "Nuts-in-May," "Puss-in-the-Corner," "Drop the Handkerchief," "Wolves and Hounds," and there were many others.

Now, as I passed the entrance this spring, I am about to start to the collegiate. I hope to go on for a high school teacher, but whatever I do I hope to be some use in the world.

DORA Mr ANDERSON,

Age 12 years.

#### A KIND CAT

Dear Dixie Patton:—Seeing so many little girls and boys sending their stories to the club I thought I would

stories to the club I thought I would write about a cat.

One of our neighbors has some tame rabbits. One of them got a young rabbit and then she went away and left it. They took it in and gave it to a cat which had some kittens. She fed the rabbit, and when she moved her kittens to another place she took the rabbit with her. The rabbit is still living.

ETHEL OLSON,
New Norway, Alta.

Age 10.

New Norway, Alta.

#### THE DOG NEXT DOOR

A little bull dog lives next door and he is very ugly. If people see him lying on the sidewalk they are often afraid to pass him, but if they look into his eyes they forget his ugly face and pat his back and walk along without fear. His playmate is a little girl of three years of age and she calls him Cupid.

Cupid lets her play with him and knock him around and he does not protest. He is so well fed that he is lazy, and he does not like to move very much, but a kitten is too much of a temptation for him.

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Yesterday I heard a great rattling at the screen door and I found a kitten clinging to the screen near the top and at sight of me it began to mew and beg me to take it in. Cupid was standing on the walk in front of the house looking very innocent, but his kindly eyes were fixed on the kitten, in amusement. The kitten didn't see the fun in it at all.

Cupid stood there for fully five minutes, but the kitten wouldn't come down, and the sun was hot so he began to think there waen't any fun in it either. He turned and walked lazily away and the kitten jumped down, curied up her back and spat at him and then ran away. But he didn't chase it. All he wanted was to see the kitten run, and he saw that without any exertion.





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