

LOCAL ITEMS

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The funeral of the late Mr. John Connolly took place this morning from his late residence 173 Church street, to St. Catharines Church, where the Rev. Dean Morris chanted requiem high mass. The following citizens acted as pall bearers: T. Joy M. J. McCarron, F. Gwinner, T. Crowley, J. Wood and J. Blair. The interment was in Victoria Lawn Cemetery.

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A large number of friends attended the funeral services of the late Mr. Chas. B. Cushman on Tuesday afternoon from the family residence Homer. The Rev. Mr. Weaver, officiated. Messrs. T. Bessy, A. Henderson, J. Newhouse, R. Secord, R. Cudney, and W. Bright were bearers. Interment was in Victoria Lawn Cemetery.

Choice cut flowers, potted plants and floral designs, at all times, at Walker's, Florist, 104 St. Paul street Phone 763. aa if

A young French Canadian named Francois Sauve who was a shoemaker by trade in Merrittton passed away on Monday night in the G. and M. Hospital here. It is expected his remains will be taken to Montreal for interment.

See the local whirlwind Patsy Mayo and Willie Hewitt at the Armouries to-night. a10

In the Police office this morning five citizens walked up and acknowledged the corn, and paid the statutory fines of \$5.00 each for driving about in unlighted autos. Another citizen followed their example and shelled out \$2.00 on account of his poolie being abroad.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, every convenience; gentlemen preferred, at William St. as 9 10

Another old landmark of the school boys of St. Catharines is about to depart, in the clearing of the woods around Martindale Creek. As land is too valuable to be idle in this section, Messrs. McSloy, the owners have set a team to work to prepare the old time haunts of the juvenile fishermen for the plough and peach tree.

The Grand Army of Canada will hold a social and organization meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary, Friday, April 12th, at 8 p. m., in their hall No. 2 St. Paul Street. All comrades are requested to attend with their lady friend. Ladies eligible for membership, or mothers, wives, daughter or sisters, or all men who have served or are serving in His Majesty's Naval and Military forces. m 9-10-11

The Easter displays of ladies and gents clothing and novelties now, in

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the windows of our merchants are very attractive.

Don't miss the big fight to-night at the Armouries Jack Loney vs. Pete Scott. a 10

Messrs. Avery & Hara, the popular St. Paul St. music dealers, are putting a new and fashionable suit of spring paint on their salesroom.

Mr. Alex. Campbell who has been seriously ill is much better today.

Mrs. C. McGhie, head of the Repatriation League and Mrs. Van Dusen went to Toronto today to attend the big dinner in the Armoury there to-night. It is being given by the Masonic Order of that city to the returned soldiers. Ald. Eagle, Riffer, Dakers and Hill were chosen by the City Council to go from that body. Three thousand men are to be entertained.

Several of the contestants, their managers and seconds have already arrived and the rest are expected in late this afternoon for the big boxing show at the Armouries to-night under the auspices of the G.W.V.A. Secretary Cunningham in conversation with a Journal representative said they had had the largest sale this week of any of their shows.

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LOUISE KELLY, prima Donna, in 'E. Flo' at the Grand Opera House on Saturday, April 12, Matinee and Evening.

The popular King's Cafe on St. Paul Street, is at present in the hands of painters and decorators. Messrs. Leach and Jones, having the contract, and have their men busy on the job under the direction of Messrs. Gill and Leach. When completed this restaurant will present a very neat appearance.

DIED

CAIN—In this city on Thursday morning, April 10th, 1919, Ruby Irene, eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Cain.

Funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the family residence 13 Phelps St. to Victoria Lawn Cemetery. Funeral private.

In yesterday's casualty list C. J. Mitchell, St. Catharines, is reported dead.



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(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

OFFICIALS of the Ontario Department of Agriculture inspected 313 seed potato fields in Northern Ontario last year of 278 acres, and 119 fields qualified for certified seed. It is estimated that there were 16,000 bushels of certified seed secured from Northern Ontario. All of this is being shipped to Old Ontario to be planted this year.

The survey, which was made last year by inspectors to detect diseases in the potatoes was spread over 32 counties, although the reports from four of that number are not included in the statistics because of irregularities in the work. The territory covered was from Northumberland and Peterborough counties west to Essex, not including Simcoe and Victoria. It was found in this survey that an average of 19 per cent of the potatoes had the most serious disease of Leaf Roll, and that 7 per cent were affected with Mosaic, a total of 22 per cent affected by disease. An interesting fact revealed by the survey is that the diseases are most common along the shores of Lake Ontario, through Huron and Wellington counties, and along the shore of Lake Erie through to Essex county. Farther north the percentage of disease is much smaller. While the average for the two diseases is 22 per cent, some of the counties showed a much higher rate, as Haldimand 29, Welland 61.7, Lincoln 33.5, Wentworth 26.8, Brant 44.8, Halton 32.1, Peel 51.9 and York 25.4. The standard in this province permits of two per cent. Leaf Roll in No. 1 seed and 5 per cent. in No. 2. In severe Mosaic the percentage is the same, although in slight Mosaic the figures are doubled.

The cause of these diseases is not known. Whether there is some organism, or whether the climate is something to do with them, is a matter of doubt. Prof. F. A. Murphy, of Charlottetown, who is the Chief Pathologist for potatoes for the Dominion, and who is attached to the Central Experimental Farm, is at work on this problem, and it is hoped that before many months the cause will be known. At any rate, it is known that the diseases are common in the potatoes in the Southern States. That is why it is expected Ontario seed potatoes will be in demand there in a few years.

Leading Varieties of Spring Grain.

The old six-rowed barley gave way to the Mandscheur, and that in turn has given place to the O.A.C. No. 21, which is now grown throughout Ontario to the exclusion of practically all other varieties. The English and the Black Tartarian varieties of oats which were popular at one time have been largely displaced by the Banner and more recently by the O.A.C. No. 72 and the O.A.C. No. 3 varieties. The O.A.C. No. 72 variety has a comparatively strong vigorous straw, spreading head, and white grain of good quality, but being quite thin. Experiments at the Ontario Agricultural College it has surpassed the Banner in yield per acre in each of nine out of ten years. It has made good connections in connection with the Ontario Standing Field Crop Competitions, taking more first prizes than all other varieties of oats combined. The O.A.C. No. 3 variety is a thin, early maturing variety, and is desirable to grow the two in combination. Of the spring wheats the Red Fife, the Marquis and the Wild Goose are the principal varieties. At the present time, however, when the demand for wheat for bread production is so urgent, the Marquis and the Red Fife, and especially the former, should be grown as extensively as possible in Ontario. Spring rye does not yield equal to winter rye but its cultivation may perhaps be increased somewhat during the present year. The O.A.C. No. 61 variety has given the best results, surpassing all other kinds in yield of grain per acre. Dr. G. A. Zavis, O. A. College, Guelph.

Prepare for Spring Spraying. Efficient and economic spraying is hard to attain with the old hand sprayers. The power sprayer is an expensive piece of machinery, but it is effective when properly handled. Its usefulness can be greatly impaired by improper care. To secure the highest degree of efficiency in spraying the maintenance of high pressure is necessary. Probably high pressure is not needed in all cases; it is, however, true that by means of it more thorough and, consequently, more effective work can be done in a much shorter time and with much less effort.

The agitation of the liquid in the tank is another important matter. In the case of most sprays, the individual particles that make up the insecticide are suspended in the water. Unless the sprayer is equipped with a good agitator, these particles will settle to the bottom, rendering the mixture in the top of the tank weaker than it should be, and that in the bottom stronger, and possibly in some cases too strong for safe application.

It is needless to say that the care of spraying machines should never be neglected. Indeed, the spraying outfit should never be put away after using until the mixture is thoroughly cleared out from all parts of the pump, rod, piping, hose and nozzles by running clear water through them. The water should be drained from the engine, and all parts cleaned and stored in a dry place. B. A. College, Guelph.

CAMPAIGN GENE 45,000 Montreal, April 9.—As a result of the Helping Hand Fund Campaign, 5,000 pounds have been cabled to England for the Palestine Relief.



THIS WILL PLEASE THE MOTHERS AND FATHERS OF BOYS

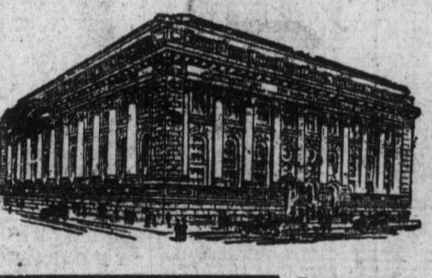
On Saturday we will put on sale 75 Boys' Suits in sizes from 8 years to 17 years old; Norfolk styles with Bloomer Pants. These Suits are good strong Tweeds and Cheviots, Browns, Olives, Dark Mixtures, Light Mixtures, and some Blue Cheviots, to go at these remarkably low prices—\$6.95, \$7.95, \$8.95 and \$9.95. When you call look at the Shirts, Waists, Hats and Caps. We have the best values in Boy's Pants in the city; Bloomer or Knicker, Tweeds, Worsted Cords, and Blue Serges—\$1.25 to \$3.95.

OAK HALL, Clothiers And Furnishers.

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In the intermission part of the programme, a representative of the Grand Army of Canada, of Toronto, gave a neat speech, telling the large audience present what splendid work is being done since the association has been organized. He stated that organization had been formed with the purpose in view of having an independent association that was also a corporation, and any Government, Council or Corporation, a support impossible under any other conditions. The organization is not allowed, under its constitution to take any free money, grant or gratuity from any Government, political party, Council or Corporation. The Grand Army of Canada ask no favors from politicians, and they need not expect any from them. The speaker also stated that the following are eligible for membership: All men and women who have been in uniform during the present war in the payroll of the Government for duty in Canada and the United States; also in England, France, any other theatre of war. (1) All who have an honorable discharge from His Majesty's Army and Navy, and those who have served in the Colonial forces in former campaigns. The second part of the programme was equal with the first part each number receiving hearty applause, and at the conclusion of the entertainment every person was pleased with the concert which was given by boys who have done such noble work in this great war.

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By order of the Board, J. G. SMITH, Sec-Treas. R. R. No. 1, St. Catharines, A. 9-10-11-12-14-15

AUCTION SALE At 80 Welland Ave., on Thursday, April 10th, at 1.30, household goods, dining room, kitchen furniture, chairs, tables, stove and many other goods. R. S. BOYLE.

GERMANY TO KNOW WHAT SHE MUST PAY Paris, April 10.—The preliminary peace treaty will require Germany to make an immediate indemnity payment on account of 25,000,000,000 francs in cash and raw materials, according to the Echo de Paris. The treaty, it declares, will not leave uncertain the total amount which Germany is to pay, as that amount will be written into the document.

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