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A Brantford man named Pearce has been
arrested on a charge of beating his wife and
seeking two of her ribs.

CO-OPERATIVE AGRICULTURE.

COMPARATIVE TESTS OF OVER ONE THOUSAND
VARIETIES OF FARM CROPS—VALUABLE
REPORTS FROM ONTARIO FARMERS—EX-
PERIMENTS IN AGRICULTURE FOR 1896.

A prominent feature in the work of the
Experimental Department at the Ontario
Agricultural College, Guelph, is the testing
of different varieties of farm crops. Within
the past ten years, upwards of 1,000 kinds
have been grown on plots similar in size and
shape, and situated side by side. Fully 600
of this number have been grown from four
to seven years in succession. Not only have
all the available varieties in Ontario been
tested but similar tests have been made
with varieties from twenty-one foreign
countries. A few imported varieties in
nearly all classes of farm crops have given
better results than the best Ontario kinds in
the average seven years' experiments.

After the varieties have been very care-
fully tested at the College for about five
years, the best are selected for testing in a
co-operative way throughout Ontario. These
co-operative experiments are carried on
chiefly through the medium of the ex-
students' experimental union; but any
farmer in Ontario may join in the work,
providing he applies for the seed early, and
agrees to make a careful test and to report
the results according to specified instruc-
tions. Within the past five years, we have
distributed to experimenters upwards of
32,000 packages of choice seeds, with very
gratifying results.

LEADING VARIETIES.
For a detailed account of the various
tests conducted in 1896, the reader is
referred to the report of the Experimental
Union, which is published as an appendix
to the Agricultural College report for the
same year. This report is now being dis-
tributed by the Department of Agriculture,
Toronto, to those who reported the results
of their co-operative experiments in 1895,
and to the members of the Farmers' Insti-
tutes in Ontario.

Our Agricultural College has imported
into Ontario some foreign varieties of farm
crops, which have made high records both
at the College and throughout the province,
and which are becoming quite popular for
general cultivation. Those which we will
mention in this brief article are as follows:
Siberian oats, Russia; Joannette oats, France;
Poland white oats, France; Mandschouri
barley, Russia; Herion bearded spring
wheat, France; Mammoth Cuban corn, U.
S.; Salzer's North Dakota corn, U. S.;
Jersey Navet turnip, U. S.; Salzer's Dakota
millet, U. S.; etc.

Among the leading varieties of farm
crops, the seed of which we obtain in
Ontario, the following have made high
records: Dawson's Golden Chaff Winter
Wheat, Bavarian Oats, Red Fern Spring
Wheat, Prussian Blue Peas, Canadian
Beauty Peas, Egyptian Mummy Peas,
Hartley's Bronze Top Swede Turnip, Im-
proved Short White Carrot, Improved
Mammoth Saw Log Mangel, Empire State
Potato, etc.

There are other varieties both foreign and
Canadian which have given excellent results
some of which have not been used in co-
operative experiments.

EXPERIMENTS IN 1896.
Any person wishing to join in the work,
should select one of the experiments for
1896, and inform the Director of his choice.
As applications for several thousand pack-
ages have already been received, and as the
supply is limited, those who apply first will
be the surest of obtaining the desired outfit.
It might be well for each applicant to make
a second choice for fear the first could not
be granted. A sheet containing instructions
for conducting the experiment selected, and
the blank form on which to report the
result of the work, will be sent to each
experimenter, at the time the fertilizer or
the seeds are forwarded. Material for No.
1 experiment will be sent by express and
for each of the others by mail. Particular
varieties need not be mentioned, as all the
kinds to be distributed are those which have
done exceptionally well on the trial plots at
the College. The area of land required for
the different experiments varies from four
to ten rods.

LIST OF EXPERIMENTS FOR 1896.
No. of experiments.
1.—Testing nitrate of soda, superphosphate,
muriate of potash, mixture, and no
manure with Oats.
2.—Comparing the advantage of nitrate of
soda over no fertilizer with Rape.
3.—Ascertaining the relative value of four
varieties of Millet.
4.—Growing three fodder crops.
5.—Growing Lucerne as a crop for green
fodder.
6.—Growing Crimson Clover as a crop for
hay.
7.—Testing six leading varieties of Fodder
Corn.
8.—Testing five leading varieties of Turnips.
9.— " " Mangels.
10.— " " Carrots.
11.— " " Spring Wheat.
12.— " " Barley.
13.— " " Oats.
14.— " " Peas.

All material will be furnished entirely
free of charge to each applicant, and the
produce of the plots will be the property of
the person who conducts the experiment.
In return, we ask that each experimenter be
very careful and accurate in his work and
that he forward to the Director a complete
report of the results obtained from the test,
as soon as possible after the plots are
harvested.
C. A. ZAVITZ,
Director.
Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph,
March 27th, 1896.

As baldness makes one look prematurely
old, so a full head of hair gives to mature
life the appearance of youth. To secure
this and prevent the former, Ayer's Hair
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ladies and gentlemen prefer it to any other
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the stomach. Then follow dizziness, headache,

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if not relieved, bilious fever
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rouse the liver, cure headache, dizziness, con-
stipation, etc. 25 cents. Sold by all druggists.
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For Lovers of Figures

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use 3,004 different tongues. There are
about one thousand religions.
The number of men and women is very
nearly equal, the average longevity of both
sexes being only thirty-eight years. About
one-third of the population dies before the
age of seventeen.

According to the most careful computa-
tion, only one person in 100,000 of both
sexes attains the age of 100 years, and six
to seven in 100 the age of sixty.
The total population of the earth is
estimated at about 1,200,000,000 souls, of
whom 35,214,000 die annually, an average
of 98,348 a day, 4,020 an hour and 67
minute.
The annual number of births is estimated
at 36,792,000, an average of 100,800 a day,
4,200 an hour and 70 a minute.

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Hydrophobia and Suicide.

Fried, Neb., April 3—Richard Ringer, a
merchant, was bitten by a dog several
months ago. A few days since he was
stricken with what was supposed to be a
severe case of grip. To-day physicians
agreed it was a case of hydrophobia. The
victim seized a razor when he heard the
diagnosis and almost severed his head from
his body before any one could interfere,
dying at once.



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For a number of years I was greatly
troubled with a skin disease. I went to
Hot Springs, Ark., and I actually believe
I consulted over fifty doctors at different
times without getting any relief. I took
one bottle of your Kootenay Cure and
it has cured me. Previous to using it I
was unable to shave. It is no doubt a
wonderful medicine. I recommend it
most highly. Yours truly, A. TRUMAN,
109 King St. E., Hamilton, Ont.

HE HAS SWORN TO IT.

An Ex-Dom. Police Officer of
Carleton Co. on the Situation.

THE STRONGEST AFFIDAVIT HE HAS MADE
IN HIS WIDE EXPERIENCE OF TWENTY
YEARS—HE SAYS HE NEVER EXPECTED
TO DO SO AND IS GLAD THE HOUR HAS
STRUCK.

County of Carleton, to Wit:
I, Thomas Moffatt, of the City of Ot-
tawa, in the County of Carleton, do
solemnly declare that I live at 176 Murray
street, in the city of Ottawa, that I am
forty six years of age and a baker by trade
and was formerly of the Dominion police.
For over twenty years I have been badly
afflicted with rheumatism. So severe was
my case that I thought that I would never
would get better. On the first day of May,
1895, I began taking "Ryckman's Kootenay
Care." I used three bottles and it cured
me completely. I have not felt the first
sign of Rheumatism since. It is a great
tonic and a grand Blood Purifier. I gained
twelve pounds in weight while using the
remedy. I recommend it most highly.
And I make this solemn declaration
conscientiously believing it to be true, and
knowing it is of the same force and effect
as if made under oath, and by virtue of the
Canada Evidence Act.
(Signed) THOMAS MOFFATT.
Taken and acknowledged before me at
the City of Ottawa, in the County of
Carleton, this 19th day of February, 1896.
(Signed) JOSEPH E. ESMONDE,
Justice of the Peace for the County of
Carleton.

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