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Times may change and work become less plentiful for you with advancing years and you will have no such help anywhere as your nice little few hundred dollars saved in some sound Canadian Bank.
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ARKONA MEATH
Miss Lena Oakes spent the week end in Sarnia, visiting relatives in town.
Mr. and Mrs. J. McKenzie, of London, are visiting relatives in town.
Mrs. Peter Blackburn, Sarnia, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Thoman.
100 lbs. Dutch sets onions arrived this week.—Brown Bros.
Mrs. J. Doan and family, of Belmont, are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mellor's.
Mr. Blythe Rutter, of Sarnia, spent a few days at his home here.
Miss McKenzie, of Detroit, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. McKenzie.
Mrs. A. Oakes is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hare, in Jarvis.
Rev. W. S. Watson, of Pontepool, will occupy the pulpit in the Presbyterian Church next Sunday at 3 p.m., April 29.
Mrs. Niles, of Sarnia, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Jaynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid Crawford, who have been visiting friends in London and Stratford, returned home last week.
Mr. Irwin Carruthers, of Toledo, Ohio, is spending a few days with his uncle, Mr. George Stephenson.
Mrs. L. Middleton, who has been spending the past two weeks here, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Jaynes, returned to her home in Crosswell, Mich., this week.
Empress shoes and pumps just received—the shoe that needs no breaking in.—Fuller Bros.
Mrs. Martin and two grandsons, of Saskatchewan, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Smith.
Mr. and Mrs. John Downham, of Strathroy, spent Sunday at Mr. G. Huntley's.
Use Fuller's Special tea, the best on the market, at the old price.—Fuller Bros.
The annual business meeting and election of officers of the Women's Institute will be held in the basement of the Baptist church on Wednesday, May 2nd, at three o'clock. From 5.30 to 8 o'clock a ten cent tea will be served for the public, followed by a concert. Mr. R. R. McFarlane, soloist, will be present. The new orchestra will make their first appearance. They have been in training all winter under the leadership of Professor Hopson of Sarnia. Proceeds of both to go toward furnishing boxes for all the boys gone overseas from Arkona vicinity. Donations for the boxes will be received that day. See bills for further particulars.
Shoe specials—We have 150 pairs of ladies' and girls' shoes, sizes 2 1/2, 3 and 3 1/2, at values from \$1.00 to \$1.50 less than regular. Call and see them.—Brown Bros.

BABY'S OWN TABLETS
CURE CONSTIPATION
Childhood constipation can be promptly cured by Baby's Own Tablets. These Tablets never fail to regulate the bowels and the stomach thus curing constipation, colic, indigestion and the many other minor ills of little ones. Concerning them Mrs. Louis Nicole, St. Paul du Buton, Que., writes:—"My baby suffered from constipation but thanks to Baby's Own Tablets he is a fine healthy boy to-day. It gives me much pleasure in recommending the Tablets to other mothers." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

KERWOOD
The box social held by the Epworth League at the Methodist Church was well attended and a good time reported.
We are pleased to learn that Mr. Elmer Langford and children, who have been very ill, are very much improved.
Mrs. Jas. Craig and little babe have returned to Detroit after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith.
Messrs. Frank Wright, Robt. Galbraith, Richard Inch, Jas. Edgar, Jim Dymond and J. W. Farley have treated themselves to new automobiles. Who says the farmers are not prospering?

At the April meeting of the W. M. S. which was held at the home of Mrs. Jas. Richardson, the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. James Richardson; Vice-president, Mrs. Geo. Johnson; Rec. Sec'y—Mrs. Frank Hull; Cor. Sec'y—Mrs. Brunt; Treasurer—Mrs. (Rev.) Ball; Supt. of systematic giving and mite boxes—Mrs. Frank Wright. Mrs. J. H. Richardson was appointed to go as delegate to the convention in Petrolia in May.
A very successful meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Brunt. The ladies hemmed 48 towels to be sent to the Byron Sanatorium. They also donated \$50.00 to that same institution. A very pleasing and profitable address on "Women as Nation Builders" was given by Mrs. O. E. Brandreth and greatly enjoyed by all. Mrs. Mills sang very sweetly, "A Little Bit of Heaven." Mrs. Lambert gave a piano instrumental in her usual good style and Miss E. Hughes delighted the ladies with her patriotic solo. A very dainty lunch was served by the hostess. The next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. (Rev.) Ball.

Growing Old
A little more tired at close of day,
A little less anxious to have our way;
A little less ready to scold and blame,
A little more care for a brother's name;
And so we are nearing the journey's end,
Where time and eternity meet and blend.
A little less care for bonds and gold,

THE STERLING BANK
OF CANADA
SAVE, Because--
Money spent for trifles and luxuries enriches others. It earns no interest for the spender.

\$5,000,000
THE above figures represent the estimated loss by farmers through SMUT in grain crops in Ontario in 1915.
If you had a field of oats, barley or wheat you, no doubt, contributed to this loss. By reason of the prevalence of smut last year the danger is rendered greater this year. There is one way to prevent this and that is to
Treat Your Seed for Smut
The method usually adopted is as follows:—
Mix one pint of FORMALIN with 40 gallons of water, or two table-spoonsful to one pail of water. Place the grain to be treated in a heap on a clean canvas or floor. Sprinkle the formalin solution over the grain, then shovel. Repeat this UNTIL EVERY GRAIN IS MOISTENED by the solution; then COVER THE PILE WITH SACKING and leave for three or four hours. At the end of this time spread the grain out thinly to dry; shovelling it over three or four times will hasten the drying. Forty gallons of the formalin solution is sufficient to sprinkle thirty to forty bushels of grain; smaller amounts in proportion. Immersing the grain in a bag is sometimes practiced and is equally effective.
Those requiring further information apply to
SIR WM. HEARST, Minister of Agriculture, TORONTO, ONT.
W. P. MacDONALD, B.S.A., District Representative, PETROLIA, ONT.

A little more rest in the days of old;
A broader view and a saner mind;
And a little more love for all mankind;
And so we are faring adown the way
That leads to the gates of a better day.
A little more love for the friends of youth,
A little less zeal for established truth;
A little more charity in our views;
A little less thirst for the daily news;
And so we are folding our tents away,
And passing in silence at close of day.
A little more leisure to sit and dream
A little more real the things unseen;
A little nearer to those ahead,
With visions of those long loved and dead;
And so we are going where all must go,
To the place the living may never know.
A little more laughter, a few more tears,
And we shall have told our increasing years;
The book is closed and the prayers are said,
And we are a part of the countless dead—
Thrice happy, is then some soul can say,
"I live because he has passed my way."
—R. J. Wells, in "Chicago Record Herald."

NOTICE
All parties having claims against the estate of John White, deceased, will take notice that said claims should be sent to the undersigned before May 15th, 1917, and all accounts owing to the estate must be paid by May 15th, 1917.
(MRS.) SARAH A. WHITE, Executrix.
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MAIL CONTRACT
SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 11th day of May, 1917, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week over Kerrwood No. 3 Rural Route, from the 1st of July next.
Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the post offices of Kerrwood, Strathroy and Watford and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, London.
G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent, Post Office Department, Canada, Mail Service Branch, Ottawa, 30th March, 1917. 6a3t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to R. S. O. 1914, Chap. 121, Sec. 56, and Amending Acts, that all persons having any claims against the estate of ALEXANDER BLACK, late of the village of Watford, in the County of Lambton, retired farmer, deceased; who died on or about the 30th day of March, A. D. 1917, are required to deliver or send to Cowan, Towers & Cowan, the solicitors for the undersigned, a statement and full particulars of their names and addresses and the security, if any held by them on or before the 25th day of May, A. D. 1917, mentioned date the Executor will proceed to distribute the estate amongst the parties entitled, having regard only to the claims of which they then shall have notice and the Executor will not be liable for the estate or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim or claims they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.
DOUGLAS S. BLACK, By COWAN, TOWERS & COWAN, Watford, Ont., Solicitors, Dated at Watford, this 13th day of April, A. D. 1917. 20-3

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As I am starting out on the road I will call at every farm and give you a good square deal as I always did for the past 10 years. Having now a motor truck will be able to cover more territory than heretofore.
In the meantime goods can always be brought to Watford. Call at Assembly Billiard Parlors and see me.
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