

WHO AND WHAT'S DOING IN TOWN AND CITY

HURON REPLANTING OF MAPLE TREES

Huron Farmer Writes of Experiment on Twenty Acres TELLS OF EARLY DAYS Axes Have Been Laying Low the Forests Ever Since

Editor Free Press: When my grandfather landed on the Huron Tract in 1832 there was forest everywhere. In an attempt to fell timber for a shanty...

We can understand many phases of extravagance on the part of the early settlers. It gave them a thrill to see their farms cleared of those great forests...

Whether that is correct or not I cannot say. It may be in some cases, but we have a little encouragement. Our land is a good clay loam, valued after the maple bush has cut off...

Table with 2 columns: Description of land and value. Includes rows for 15 acres, 16 years ago, 16 years' taxes, interest at 8 per cent, Credit, Pasture, 16 years, Sale of small trees, 60 cords wood cut, 60 value of maple wood-to-day, Credit balance.

In cutting a road through in 1921 we estimated an annual growth of 14 inches wood to the acre, which would give a yearly return on 15 acres, at \$2 per cord, or \$6 per acre...

On a larger scale this is a matter which would have to be considered for the Provincial Government. It would be to have some legislation to prohibit cutting of these maples. No matter what care the present owner may take...

GEORGE LAITHWAITE, Maple Leaf Live Stock and Fruit Farm, R. R. No. 1, Galesburg, February, 1922.

Advertisement for NADRUCO Syrup of Tar with Cod Liver Oil Compound. Includes text: 'If you have a Cough or Cold TAKE A BOTTLE OF NADRUCO Syrup of Tar with Cod Liver Oil Compound' and an illustration of a man coughing.

Many Rural Schools of Bruce Adopt Hot Lunch

Children in One School Have Different Menu Every Day and Training Is Found Valuable.

WALKERTON, Feb. 10.—(Special to The Free Press.)—The serving of hot lunches to the pupils of rural schools at the noon hour is becoming quite popular in this part of Bruce County.

Some of the dishes prepared are: Soup, creamed onions, potatoes, beans and corn. The children take great interest in the work and look forward eagerly to the noon hour lunch.

HIGHGATE

HIGHGATE, Feb. 10.—A sumptuous farewell banquet was held by the adult members of the Highgate Methodist Church in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crane...

At the annual meeting of the Orford Agricultural Society the following officers were elected: President, J. E. Gladstone; first vice-president, E. D. Mills; second vice-president, J. T. Attridge...

CAMLACHIE

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WALLACEBURG

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FRUIT GROWERS OF ONTARIO IN SESSION.



Members of the executive of the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association are here shown. From left to right they are: Harry Street, of Peigh; Arthur Craise, of St. Catharines; David Allen, of Grimsby (president); and P. W. Hodgkiss, of Toronto (secretary).

FLORENCE

FLORENCE, Feb. 10.—In the short space of a few months honours have been conferred on the municipality of Euphemia Township. B. W. Fansher was made an M. P. and now the new County Council showed their confidence in Reeve Wm. J. Davis' ability and integrity by electing him warden of Lambton.

It is a significant fact that both these men were reared in the same community, went to the same church, public school and entered the same profession at the age of 12 years ago. It is opportune to mention that it is 60 years since a reeve of Euphemia was warden. In 1861 and 1862, Mr. Edwin Kelly occupied that position with the marked ability of that day.

More Winners At Lambton Corn Show

MOORE TOWNSHIP. Ten ears, Dent Corn, any variety—Fred Callum, A. J. Robbins, John Welsh. Ten ears, Flint Corn, any variety—Fred Callum, John Welsh, sr.

BROOKFIELD

Sixty ears, Dent Corn, any variety—James Hand, Joseph Hand. Sixty ears, Flint Corn, any variety—Isaac Linton, Joseph Hand. Single ear, Dent Corn—James Hand. Single ear, Flint Corn—Joseph Hand, Isaac Linton.

MERLIN

MERLIN, Feb. 10.—The Raleigh and Tilbury Agricultural Society have elected officers for 1922. The annual meeting of the Raleigh and Tilbury Agricultural Society was held the latter part of January, when the officers for 1922 were elected as follows: Honorary president, A. Mason; president, James Wallwood; first vice-president, L. A. Gosselin; second vice-president, Matthew Dillon; secretary, M. A. Drew (re-elected); directors for Raleigh, Alex. Houston, B. Harvey, Dr. J. C. Bell, George Fontaine, Amos Roe, Nelson Ball, John Jensen; directors for Tilbury East, F. H. Gilhuly, Geo. Robertson, Wm. A. Barr, Clarence Cranston, James Stacey, Reg. Gardner, O. J. Powell.

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RUNAWAY STEED TAKES RIVER ROUTE

PAISLEY, Feb. 10.—A driver owned by Mr. Scudamore, of the town of Paisley, took an unusual route on Monday afternoon. The steed had got away from the two ladies, who were coming to town with it, and went through the fields to the Saugeen River, then heading north with the stream, galloped down the ice until headed off above the Goldie street bridge at Paisley. The cutter was attached to the horse and was being towed when the horse was seen to escape all the open places and thin spots in the ice is remarkable, but perhaps due to that degree of horsiness that even frantic quins returns in its runaway race to nowhere.

No signs of Corn Borer In Samples At the Fair

Port Stanley Laboratory Official States Three Control Measures That Are Recommended.

TILBURY, Feb. 10.—W. L. Oliver, of the Port Stanley laboratory connected with the Dominion department of agriculture, attended the Kent-Elsex winter fair at Tilbury this week, inspecting the seed corn for trace of the corn borer. He stated that he has found no evidence whatever of the pest among the samples at the fair.

LAKESIDE

LAKESIDE, Feb. 10.—Ice harvesting is in full swing and much ice is being cut on the lake. The ice is 15 inches thick and of exceptionally good quality. Mr. Burley Chandler, mail carrier, is serving his mail route with a new truck before cultivated in the spring.

BELMONT

BELMONT, Feb. 10.—Mr. W. H. Odell and Miss Clara Odell are spending a couple of weeks in Toronto. The funeral of Mrs. Wm. Longfield on Sunday to St. Thomas Cemetery was largely attended. Following an operation for appendicitis at St. Joseph Hospital the deceased seemed to rally for a time, but took a sudden relapse and passed away on Thursday evening.

FOREST

FOREST, Feb. 10.—The marriage of Alfred Gordon Stonehouse and Miss Sarah Marion Hill took place in Christ Church on Saturday evening, the 9th. The bride was Miss Sarah Hill, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merton Bice and Miss Margaret Wight. The young couple are residing with the bride's parents.

MITCHELL

MITCHELL, Feb. 10.—Mr. John Bennett was appointed caretaker of the new fire station in Mitchell on Monday night, with living quarters in the building at a fixed salary, free light and heat.

GLANWORTH

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LUCAN

LUCAN, Feb. 10.—Mrs. Wm. Martin has returned from visiting friends in Ayr and Toronto. Mrs. Walter Gibson and daughter, Wm. Lowe, for a social evening, during which they presented the pastor of the church, Rev. H. D. Cameron, with a beautiful silk pulpit gown.

APPIN

APPIN, Feb. 10.—The course in home nursing, under the supervision and instruction, Miss F. Alexander, and under the auspices of the Women's Institute, commenced last week and is being well attended at the present time. There are between 30 and 40 members in the girls' class and each evening one is very much interested. There are a number of young men in the class in agriculture, all seem enthusiastic and eager to learn all they can. The delegates from Ottawa are sent these delegates and it is worth taking advantage of.

MONTHLY REPORTS FROM THE RURAL SCHOOLS

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