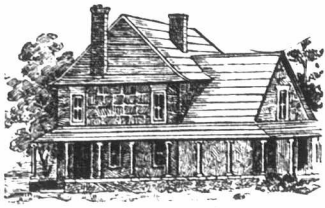


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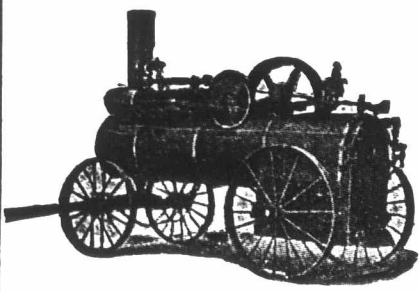
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GOOD 150 ACRE FARM FOR SALE IN KENT County, in the peach, tobacco, and early vegetable belt, near village, lake, summer resort, electric railway; \$80 per acre, terms easy. Apply to Box 5, Farmer's Advocate, London.

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WANTED—MARRIED MAN BY THE YEAR for dairy farm; good house furnished, would require man accustomed to handling horses and assist with milking; wages paid monthly. C. V. Robbins, Bell Phone, Wellandport, Ont.

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Condensed advertisements will be inserted under this heading at three cents per word each insertion. Each initial counts for one word and figures for two words. Names and addresses are counted. Cash must always accompany the order for any advertisement under this heading. Parties having good purchased poultry and eggs for sale will find plenty of customers by using our advertising columns. No advertisements inserted for less than 50 cents.

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WHITE WANDOTTE—APRIL COCKERS and pullets, bred to lay, and also for standard requirements. \$2 each for August. White Runner Ducks, the famous egg machines, \$1 per pair. Satisfaction or your money back. W. W. Lord, Campbellville, Ont. Hope Poultry Farm.

I am an old man now, but our affection for each other has not lessened in the years.

Running through my farm is a clear, little creek, and near its banks is a small grove of tall trees. Here I like to sit on a small wooden bench with Roger at my side and think of the happy times I have spent with both my Rogers.

JUNE BAIRD.

One day grandpa went for a walk, going through the flats and along the creek. His beautiful Collie dog, named Mac, went with him.

The day was very hot and grandpa feeling very tired sat down at the foot of a large walnut tree, he soon fell asleep. When he awoke he found that his spectacles had fallen off his nose. He could not see without them, and he did not know what to do. He called Mac to him, and pointing to the ground tried to make the dog understand what he wanted. Mac for a time did not know what was wanted of him, and so he gaped open his mouth and stared at grandpa and gave a bark now and again. However, after a while grandpa managed to get Mac to understand what to do, and soon he was snuffing away at the ground with his nose, and in a short time brought the spectacles in his mouth to grandpa. Grandpa put them on and he and faithful Mac walked back home.

KATHLEEN WILSON.

R. R. No. 2 Tupperville, Ont. (Age 13).

Dear Puck and Beavers.—Well, it is a long time since I wrote to the Circle last. I suppose you are all glad the summer vacation is here, Beavers. I certainly am. I was picking wild strawberries the other day and got about 2½ quarts. Muriel McNair, I think I know you. Didn't you go to Seaford school one winter with Jean Scott, and don't you remember I sat just in front of you. I would like to correspond with any of the Beavers about my own age, fourteen. Elizabeth McArthur, I would like you to write to me and I will answer. Well, I guess it is time for me to say good-bye to the Circle until another time.

I remain your sincere friend,

JANET M. GRIEVE.

R. R. No. 5, Seaford, Ont. (Age 14).

Current Events.

Warning has been given that the United States Government may stop the excessive use of automobiles for pleasure during the war, to conserve gasoline for use at the front.

It has been announced semi-officially that former Emperor Nicholas of Russia and his family have been removed, from the palace of Tsarskoe-Selo. Rumour says they have been sent to Tobolsk, Siberia.

On August 11 China formally declared war against Germany and Austria.

During the week terrific fighting occurred on both fronts, the British and Canadians being chiefly engaged in Belgium and Northern France, where they made gains near Ypres, taking Langemarck, and also succeeded in taking Hill 70 near Loos, and two villages in the vicinity. Canadians especially distinguished themselves at Hill 70. Meantime the French had begun a heavy bombardment along the Aisne and before Verdun. All along the western line aviators have been very busy, supplementing the artillery.

On the eastern front the Russo-Romanian forces continued to withdraw, even before the danger of the Germans falling into possession of the grain fields and oil wells in Roumania. At the time of going to press, however, it is reported that von Mackensen's troops have received a check in Southwest Moldavia.

The boy stood before the druggist's counter looking earnestly at a placard advertising a cure for indigestion. "Why are you interested in that?" inquired the druggist. "I suffer terribly from indigestion." "Why, you're very young to have dyspepsia." "I don't have it," explained the boy, "but my father does."

Thousands of Men Required for Harvesting in Western Canada.

Thousands of men are required to help in the great work of harvesting the Western crop. Arrangements for transporting to the West this great army of workers have been completed by the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Excursions from points in Ontario to Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta will be run, and special trains operated, making the trip in about thirty-six hours, without change or transfer.

Going trip West, \$12.00 to Winnipeg. Returning trip East, \$18.00 from Winnipeg.

Consult C. P. R. Agents regarding transportation west of Winnipeg.

Going Dates.

August 21st and August 30th—all stations in Ontario, west of Smith's Falls, up to and including Toronto, on Lake Ontario Shore Line, and Havelock-Peterboro line, also from stations between Kingston and Renfrew Junction, inclusive, and from stations on Toronto-Sudbury direct line. From stations on Sault Ste. Marie branch. From stations on main line, Beauceage to Franz, inclusive. From stations, Bethany Junction to Port McNicoll and Burkton-Bobcaygeon.

August 23rd and August 30th—From stations west and south of Toronto, up to and including Hamilton and Windsor, Ont., on Owen Sound, Walkerton, Teeswater, Wingham, Elora, Listowel, Goderich, St. Mary's, Port Burwell and St. Thomas branches, and stations Toronto and north to Bolton, inclusive.

Further particulars from any C. P. R. Ticket Agents, or W. B. Howard, District Passenger Agent, Toronto, Ont.—Adv't.

Questions and Answers.

Miscellaneous.

Names of Six Plants.

What are the names of the enclosed plants? E. B.

No. 1 Is coral-root, so-called from the form of its roots. It has no leaves of its own but lives practically upon the digested juices it obtains from the roots of the other plants.

No. 2 is the bitter-sweet nightshade. Its red berries are sweetish when first put in the mouth but later produce a persistent disagreeable effect in the palate.

No. 3—This looks like part of one compound leaf of red-berried elder. This supposition can easily be decided by the fruit. As to whether it is poisonous the fact that birds eat the berries shows that it cannot be poisonous to them.

No. 4 is dogbane. Its little bell-shaped pinkish flowers are pretty but its milky juice is slightly poisonous. Strychnine is an alkaloid derived from another plant in the dogbane family.

No. 5 is bladder ketmia. Its rather large flower which is constructed on the same plan as the hollyhock lasts less than a single forenoon, a fact that gives the plant another name, flower-of-an-hour. Although an annual it is not easy to eradicate from a garden where it gets established.

No. 6 is represented only by a leaf but a section through its base suggests the wild clematis known by the two names—virgin's bower and old man's beard.

Gossip.

William J. Robinson, Florence, Ontario, who is dispersing his herd of Holsteins and advertising the same in these columns, writes regarding the records and quality of his cattle. Several of the milking females have made creditable records while others not yet tested are fine, large, strong cows capable of showing up well under test. The bull, King Netherland Elmer, will be two years old October 1, 1917, and has 17,000 pound blood in his veins; further than this he is a good animal. A card addressed to Mr. Robinson requesting information and mentioning "The Advocate" will bring all the desired information very promptly.

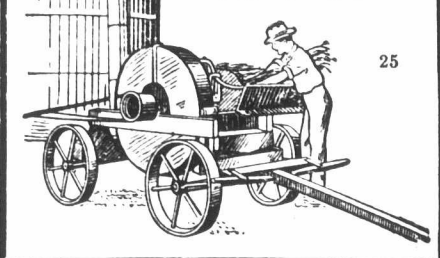
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In the hands of horse-men, veterinarians and farmers for 35 years it has proved its worth in hundreds of thousands of cases.
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"When the mice are away the cats will play." How true these old saws are! Have you ever seen a bunch of chaperons in another room by themselves, a bevy of school-ma'ams after the children have left, a carful of clergymen coming home from a conference, a platoon of policemen away on a picnic, a benchful of judges just off the bench?—Independent.

QUESTIONS

1st—Question to "The Farmer's Advocate." 2nd—Question plainly written and must be addressed to the editor. 3rd—In especially marked cases, the editor will be satisfied. 4th—When veterinary enclosed.

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