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## NOTE AND COMMENT

The war may be slow and tedious but there is no doubt as to the final outcome. This is the decision of nearly all observers—neutral and otherwise.

In Kansas, with three times the population of Manitoba, they are seriously thinking of doing away with the Legislature. That body has given offence by freak legislation. Last winter for example, a law was passed forbidding any woman under 45 to use rouge and false hair; the saving clause amounts to nothing, because no woman of Kansas will admit that she is over the age limit.

The Philadelphia General Hospital reports that in the narcotic ward 250 drug fiends of both sexes have been successfully treated since March 1. The facts so far are encouraging. It would be interesting to know how many of the cured persons kept away from old haunts and companions in temptation after leaving the hospital. As one observer notes, the effectiveness of a cure for a bad habit depends largely on the willingness of the victim to remain cured.

Practically all the Canadian Pacific Railway shops will be turned into ammunition factories, according to a statement by Sir Thomas Shaanessey, who has just returned from a conference with Lord Kitchener. Guns and shells will be sold at cost to the government and the railway will make no profit on them. Production of railway supplies will be curtailed until the required supply of munitions has been reached.

## The Perfect Pie

(By Peter McArthur)  
Probably no dish that ever appeared on our tables has caused so much burning as the pie—and I do not mean by that to suggest the connection between heartburn and indigestion. The pie with the hunting case crust has eclipsed many a honey-moon. The unsuccessful pie has

been the uncharted rock on the sea of matrimony, the slough of despond on the straight and narrow path. But the good pie, the perfect pie has been from time immemorial the peace-maker, the healer of lovers' quarrels. The great outstanding fact of married life is that man wants pie. As Scott did not exactly say: "Lives there a man with soul so dead, Who never to his wife hath said: 'I wish that you would learn to bake Pies like my mother used to make.'"

But I have known a man to do even worse than that. I have known a man to say to his wife: "I wish you could make pies like your mother used to make." In that way he rebuked her and made friends with his mother-in-law, a feat of diplomacy never equalled in the chancelleries of Europe.

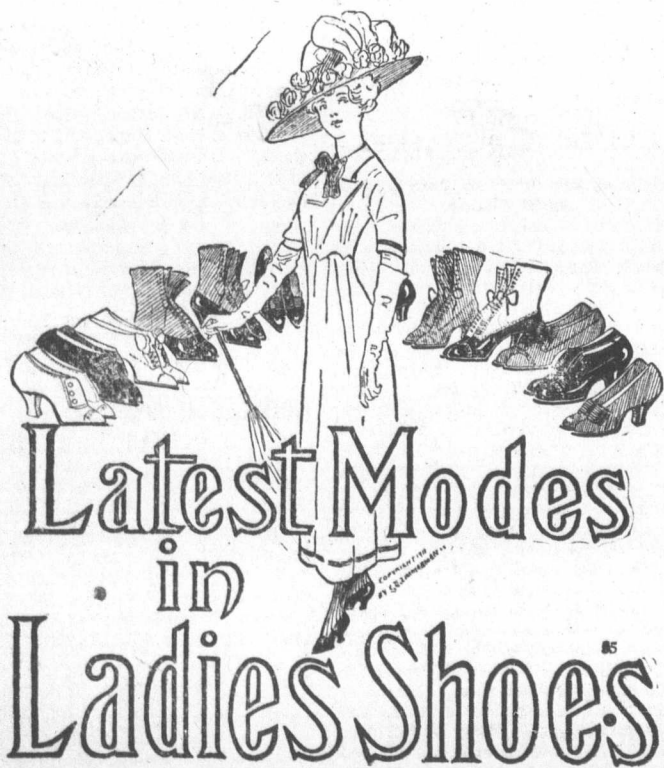
But the question has been raised: "What kind of pie was it that mother used to make? What was her master-piece?"

There is no need of any dispute on this subject. Just wait till you find one of those old fashioned pie-making mothers and listen to what she is singing to the grandchild on her knee.

"Can she make a cherry pie?  
Billy Boy, Billy Boy!  
Can she make a cherry pie,  
Charming Billy?  
She can make a cherry pie  
While a cat can wink its eye.  
But she's a young thing and can't leave her mother."

When the biggest cherry trees that are now laden with ruddy fruit were mere seedlings, that song was as popular as Tipperary is to-day, and there are still merry grandmothers who sing it to their marriageable grandsons when they go a-wooing. In the good old days before there were pie factories where pies are made by machines and should be eaten by machines the making of a cherry pie was the ultimate test of a housekeeper. No girl was accounted worthy of a home who could not make a perfect cherry pie.

And this is the season of the cherry pie! Let me whisper something. Every girl should show that she is able to make cherry pies. Every love-lorn boy should see that the girl he loves is able to make them. A word to the wise is sufficient—though in this case a word to the foolish might be more appropriate.



## Latest Modes in Ladies Shoes

The woman who really CARES spoils her whole appearance is she wears that new suit or dress with a pair of old-fashioned shoes. Only the LATEST shoes will help to complete her triumph. Come into this store to-day and let us show you the latest modes.

Pumps and Slippers Greatly Reduced

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## ADDITIONAL LIST OF JULY SALE SPECIALS AT SWIFTS'

20 dozen LADIES' VESTS, sizes 34 to 38, a fine Knitted garment, fancy trimmed short sleeves and no sleeves. Swifts' Sale price, 3 for 25c.

10 dozen lightweight Flannelette NIGHTGOWNS, white and pink, regular 60c. value for 39c.  
10 dozen Ladies' White Flannelette Nightgowns. A big special. Regular \$1.00, Sale Price 65c.

600 yards Fancy Voile MUSLINS and DIMITIES. Lovely new patterns, regular 15c. and 18c., some worth 20c., regularly. Sale Price, 12½c.

Big pile of 15c. and 16c. FANCY MUSLINS at 10c. per yard. All shades and big variety of patterns.

See our Big Remnant Table of Surprises.

Striking values in MEN'S SUITS in Grey, Brown and Mixed Tweeds. Sizes 35 to 44. No two suits alike. Samples. But 80 suits in the lot. Values never shown in Watford before. We saved 30% in buying, so you can find in the lot a \$10.00 suit for \$7.00, \$13.50 value for \$9.00. Every suit showing a big saving during July Sale.

Sale of BOYS' SUITS in Plain and Norfolk Styles. Single and Double Breasted in Navy, Brown and Fancy Tweeds. Your choice out of 156 suits, from 24 to 28 and 28 to 35 sizes, in youths'. You save 20 Per cent. on this shipment. Fine range of styles during Sale.

LADIES' RAINCOATS at \$5.00. This is a wonder. Made in a High-grade English Waterproof with Storm Collars and Cuffs. Good range of sizes. 24 coats in all and they will go at \$5.00. During Sale.

We have too heavy a stock in our CARPET Department, so to lower the stock we will sell Union Rugs, Tapestries, Balmoral, One-piece Squares, Brussels Rugs, Wilton, Velvet, Royal Wilton Rugs, Reduced in price about 20 Per cent. During July Sale.

Our CURTAIN Department will show values for our July Sale seldom seen. Lovely Netties in 2½ and 3 yards at 20 Per cent. reductions in one, two and 3 pair lots, in White, Cream, Paris and Arab. 14 pieces Cream and Arab Bungalow Nett, 1-3 Off. During this 21 Days' Sale.

15 dozen Men's Heavy and Light Braces, pair 18c.  
40 dozen Men's Linen Collars.....5 for 25c.  
10 dozen regular 50 cent Ties.....25c.  
6 dozen Men's regular \$1.00 Shirts.....79c.  
18 dozen Men's Cotton Sox, Blue and Brown Mixture.....3 Pair for 25c.

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## CHOP STUFF.

Parkhill civic holiday July 21st.  
Dr. A. D. McEachran, formerly of Glencoe, died in Detroit, Saturday. He was 41 years old.

Robt. Johnston, aged 80, who came from Ireland to Euphemia in 1845, passed away last week.  
Rev. W. L. Nichol, B. A., of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Parkhill, was married June 24th to Miss Wingate, of Toronto.

Fred Billings, the Strathroy bank clerk who stole \$1,000 from his employers, got a sentence of four months in the reformatory.

For the first time in 22 years the Petrolia K. of P. have called off their annual excursion to Detroit on civic holiday.

A. Carson, P. M. agent at Sarnia, and daughter, Miss Maude Carson of Detroit, are on an extended visit to friends and relatives in the west.

The Kerwood Board of Trade are making arrangements to run a monster excursion to Sarnia on August 18th from all points on the Sarnia branch.

The Hyatt well, 6th con., Enniskillen, after being drilled to a depth of 4048 ft. has been declared a dry hole and the pipe is being pulled. This is the deepest test well drilled in Canada to date.

Malcolm C. Campbell, collector of customs at Glencoe, and one of the town's most prominent and esteemed citizens, passed away at his home on Monday of last week, after an illness of some weeks with anæmia.

A colored parson and his wife, who "lost their church and parsonage by fire," called on Glencoe people on Monday. Similar visits have been about as regular as the seven-year locusts.—Transcript.

Wheatley ratepayers turned down the by-law to provide for the erection of an addition to the public school by a vote of 22 to 111. The school board now wants the opponents of the by-law to make a move to provide the necessary accommodation.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Brown, of Somerville, celebrated their diamond wedding lately having been married in 1855. No death has broken the ranks of the family during these 60 years and all the children, grandchildren and great grandchildren were in attendance at the anniversary.

John H. Wilson, residing near Ridge-town, stretched a barbed wire across the entrance to his place to keep his horses off the road while they pastured nights in the lane. Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett in an auto wishing to call at Mr. Wilson's turned quite sharply after dark from the roadway into the lane. The wire caught the wind shield and tore it off the car and, catching Mr. Barrett in the neck, made nasty wounds that required seven stitches to close. The wire also cut Mrs. Barrett's face, tore a piece of flesh from her ear and some hair from her head.

Two hundred hogs were vaccinated in Anderson township last week. Two experts in the treatment of swine plague, used the serum treatment for the prevention of hog cholera on some two hundred hogs placed at the disposal of these experts in an arrangement between G. R. Cottrell, the Managing Director of the Ontario Fruitlands, Ltd., and the Canadian Dept. of Animal Husbandry. Two shots were given each hog, under the hind leg, and the results of the experiment will be watched with interest, for upon it depends whether the serum treatment will become a recognized means of preventing this wasteful disease in Canada.

## WANT COLUMN.

ALL accounts due to John Dolan must be paid by July 24th.

PASTURE TO RENT.—About 15 or 16 head can be accommodated.—W. AULP, lot 14, con. 2, S.E.R., Warwick.

JUST A FEW LEFT FOR SALE.—First class garden seats with iron ends, suitable for lawn or verandah. Apply Methodist Parsonage, Watford.

FOR SALE.—Three young Durham cows, one with calf at foot. Apply to STANLEY WILSON, 12 Sideroad between 4th and 6th con., N.E.R., Warwick.

CARD OF THANKS.—Mrs. George Brent and family wish to thank the many friends who showed kindness to them and expressed sympathy at the time of their bereavement.

HAY FOR SALE.—Twenty-three acres standing on lot 12, con. 3, S.E.R., Warwick. The farm, 50 acres, is also offered for sale. Apply on the premises to JAMES R. MCCORMICK.

FOR SALE.—Double corner lot with good frame house, stable, fruit trees, situated corner McGregor and Simcoe streets, Watford. Also good frame house and stable on St. Clair St. Apply to J. F. ELLIOT, Watford.

PRIVATE and other money to loan on mortgages on farm property at lowest rates. Several farms in this vicinity and two vacant lots and some dwelling house property for sale. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, barrister, etc., Watford.

SUMMER COTTAGE TO LET  
Comfortable, partly furnished summer cottage at Hillsboro on Lake Huron. Rent reasonable for month of August or balance of season. Apply HY. M. FAIR, 570 William street, London.

## ARKONA

Mr. and Mrs. Herb George, of Ottawa, are spending a few days with his father, Mr. James George.

The Misses Barnette, of Paisley, are spending a few days with their brother Fred, of Standard Bank Staff.

The Rev. Couzens, of London, will occupy the pulpit in the Methodist church next Sunday.

Old lines of women's and children's shoes at greatly reduced prices.—Brown Bros.

The Misses Maud and Margaret Fuller and Mr. Gordon Brown, are attending summer school at Alma College, St. Thomas.

Messrs. Murray and Will Jaynes, of Crossley, Mich., are spending the week with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jaynes.

Mrs. N. George is spending the week with friends in Brown City, Mich.

Christie biscuits always crisp and fresh.—Brown Bros.

The subject in the Presbyterian church on Sunday July 18th at 3 p.m., will be by request on "Protestantism." All L. O. L. men especially invited.

Mrs. Sam King, of Toronto, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dickson, last week.

Mr. Geo. Rivers and son Henry, of Strathroy, called on friends in town last week.

Mrs. Molton, of Toronto, who has been spending the past few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dickson returned to her home on Sunday.

Just received a shipment of McCormick's sodas and fancy cakes.—Fuller Bros.

Misses Maude and Margaret Fuller are attending the summer school at Alma College, St. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Little, Miss M. McKay, Miss Etta Stewart and Miss Buscart, motored from Detroit and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schmidt.

Mrs. D. Detwiler, Miss Veda and Mr. Leo Detwiler, of London, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ranks, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Abbey, of Buffalo, are guests of Dr. and Mrs. Huffman, this week.

Pickles, Olives etc., for the Picnic season.—Fuller Bros.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Huffman leave on Thursday for Quebec and other eastern points.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Watt and family motored to London, on Monday.

Mrs. C. Norton and Misses Jean and Nellie Norton, of New Dundee, are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Eastman and other friends in town.

Mr. W. J. Fuller and Mr. McCallum, agent for the McLaughlin Buick Car, made a trip to the Factory at Oshawa last week, returning with a new 1916 car.

Rev. H. J. and Mrs. Fair wish to thank their friends for the many kindnesses shown to them in their late bereavement.

St. Mary's Journal.—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fitzsimons, of Arkona, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. S. Feightner, Jones St., East.

## KERWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McMahon, Vassar, Mich., visited friends in and around Kerwood.

Miss M. McCuan, Walnut, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Robt. Galbraith.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McMahon, Brooke, motored and spent the day with friends here.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Greenwood with a good attendance. The financial report for the year was read, which gave a good showing for the year's work.

The Kerwood Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Geo. Freer, on July 21st. The meeting will be held in the form of a miscellaneous shower for the soldiers. A good program will be provided.

Dr. A. E. Morgan, of Toronto, spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. Geo. Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray and daughter motored from Kansas City and are guests of Mr. Alf. Rogers.

## Euphemia Farmer Shot

Never before in the annals of Euphemia has the demise of a resident caused more sorrow than that of R. H. Hart, which occurred sometime Tuesday morning by charge from shot gun. Mr. Hart was a great man for his gun, and as usual had taken it with him to the corn field; not returning at noon hour, his youngest son was sent after him, and found him in the woods shot, dead—life being considered instantaneous. Coroner Kelly was summoned and considered an inquest not necessary.

The homicide theory has some credence but as Mr. Hart had not apparently an enemy in the world there is a condition we do not wish to dwell on. He had many friends, and was a prosperous farmer, but the brightest of minds have done things hard to fathom.

A widow and four children survive him, to whom we extend our sincerest sympathy in this, their very sad bereavement.—Bothwell Times.

Sarnia letter carries have a half holiday Saturday afternoons, during July and August.

## FRUIT BULLETIN

Every housewife can put down a good supply of Cuthbert Raspberries. The very best all Niagara Peninsula grown. Black Currants are also now at their best for canning. Montmorency cherries coming fast. Have your grocer order at once.