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**Items Of Interest.**

It is said that a lion can destroy a man  
by licking him. Correct. The British  
Lion is engaged in that very task and the  
Kaiser is the subject.

Schools of journalism are recent arrivals  
in the world of education, but there  
were forty-six of them represented at  
the convention in Kansas last month.

Doing business without advertising is  
like winking at a girl in the dark—you  
know what you are doing but she  
doesn't.

Quelph went back to standard time  
Friday morning. The daylight saving  
has petered out after a trial of two or  
three weeks and it isn't likely the clocks  
will again be tampered with.

Twenty-one skeletons were unearthed  
when a man started to dig a cellar at  
Gladstone, Ill. And many an Ontario  
cellar will have about that many kinds of  
spirits after the fatal 16th of September.

In view of the fact that the Western  
provinces have adopted prohibition the  
question naturally arises as to what will  
become of some of the extensive breweries  
and distilling plants in Canada.

Twenty-nine street accidents in one  
week has caused the police in Toronto  
to interview the Attorney General with a  
view to having drastic measures taken to  
deal with reckless motor drivers.

Certain professors have decided that  
there are 45 varieties of fungi which are  
good to eat. If they would only include  
the common old variety of lawn grass  
the high cost of living would be reduced.

The main reason for the scarcity of  
ocean tonnage and the unprecedented  
freight rates is the fact that the Allied  
powers have thirty-one hundred merchant  
vessels from the trade routes for  
military and naval uses.

Sixteen Americans have arrived from  
Constantinople, because as they claim,  
they could get nothing to eat there. All  
of which gives us another jolt as to the  
truth of the Hun yarn that there was  
lots to eat, only it needed proper distribution.

An advertisement is to a merchant  
very much like what sowing seed is to a  
farmer. It may take a little time for the  
results to become apparent, but they are  
sure to come. The wise farmer is not  
sparing with his seed, nor the wise merchant  
with his advertising.

It costs almost ten times as much to  
send wheat to Europe to-day as it did in  
1914. The ocean freight rate on grain  
has risen faster than that on any other  
commodity, unless it is coal; from 4.1  
cents a bushel in January, 1914, to 40.6  
cents in April, 1916.

The Grey County Council last week  
unanimously passed a resolution to grant  
\$96,000 to the Canadian Patriotic and  
Red Cross Funds, to be paid in monthly  
installments of \$5,000 each month or  
until the war ceases. Twelve hundred  
dollars was voted to the funds of the  
147th Battalion and six hundred to the  
recruiting funds.

Southampton Orangemen are much  
disappointed in not being able to arrange  
to have a celebration in their town on  
July 12th. They have failed to make arrangements  
with the G.T.R. to have a  
special train run from Palmerston.  
Without this no successful celebration  
can be held, as the regular train service  
would leave the visitors in the town over  
night.

Col. Sam Hughes, Minister of Militia,  
has announced that Bruce County has  
made a poor showing in recruiting and  
is asking for three battalions. He says  
Waterloo County, which has a smaller  
population than Bruce, has raised two  
battalions. The Col. should come to  
Bruce, and start recruiting, and he will  
soon learn of some of the difficulties  
that were encountered in raising one  
battalion.

Country churches like the country black-  
smith shop and country hotel have  
served their day and generation well,  
and it looks as though with the disappearance  
of the two latter and the advent of  
the horseless car and quicker transportation  
on good roads, that the country  
churches will in many places pass quickly  
away too. Four churches in the neighborhood  
of this town that are rarely  
attended and may soon cease to exist unless  
revived by church union are Vesta,  
Mooreburg, Sharon and Malcolm—  
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While a lady in the West Ward was  
picking strawberries on Friday last she  
felt, as she thought, that her collar had  
become uncomfortably tight around her  
neck, and raising her hand to relieve the  
situation she felt something that sent  
cold chills all over her, causing her to  
scream like one possessed. Her husband,  
who was near, thinking she had a fit,  
ran to the scene and espied the trouble  
in the form of a snake which had  
circled round her throat in true reptilian  
fashion was tightening its coils. Un-  
winding the tiny serpent, which it seems  
was as harmless as a June bug, he  
set the woman free and although she  
had borne the matrimonial yoke uncom-  
plainingly for years, yet this lighter  
weight around her collar so racked her  
nerves that she had almost to go to the  
hospital for repairs.—Walkerton Times

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