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AROUND HOME

COYNE'S CORNERS

We are pleased to hear that Edward Cairns, who has been dangerously ill with pleuro-pneumonia, is improving.

William Beer is preparing to build a fine red brick residence this spring. He has purchased the brick at Essex.

Edward Englehart is in a critical condition with pneumonia. Four doctors have been in attendance.

Miss Annie Campbell has completed her three weeks' teaching at Coyne's Corners.

Miss Kate Graham, music teacher, of Iona, has a few pupils in the neighborhood.

A small gathering was held at the home of Malcolm Graham, Clay street, Tuesday evening of last week.

Wm. Regan, has been in the neighborhood purchasing stock.

George Beer is able to be ground again.

The literary society met Friday evening, and on account of the bad weather it was decided to postpone the program that had been prepared until next meeting and to substitute another for it. The debate, "Resolved, That Country Life is Preferable to City Life," was won by the affirmative. The chair was occupied by Philip Bedford, and Mrs. William Patton performed the duties of critic in an excellent manner. It was decided that the night of meeting be changed from Friday to Tuesday. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, Feb. 16, when a first-class program and debate will be given.

LAWRENCE STATION.

Mrs. James Pollock and son have returned after spending two months in Hamilton.

A large crowd attended the oyster supper in Coval on Wednesday evening, and all report a good time.

M. D. McCormick has returned after spending two weeks at the Agricultural College, Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Biddle very pleasantly entertained about twenty-five of their friends on Friday evening.

John McCormick, who has been laid up for some time with rheumatism, is reported no better.

Mrs. S. H. Weldon is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. F. Huntley, St. Thomas.

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Rev. Mr. Gilmore, of Fingal, preached a very able sermon in McBride's church on Sunday.

A number of the shareholders of the rural telephone line attended the annual meeting at Iona Station on Wednesday.

Miss Halpin is the guest of her brother, Charles Halpin, for a few weeks.

D. E. McNeill has gone to St. Thomas, where he has secured a position as traveling salesman for the Nordheimer Piano Co.

Rodney timber men have purchased 20 acres of timber from W. Biddle.

Miss Julia Morgan and friend, of St. Thomas, spent Sunday at Geo. Branton's.

Miss Lillie McLean is visiting her friend, Miss McNeil, of Glenora.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Biddle have left for Aylmer, where they will spend a few weeks.

Miss Bell McLaughlin, of St. Thomas, is the guest of her brother, Archie McLaughlin.

Quarterly meeting was held in the Methodist church on Sunday morning.

WALLACETOWN

Miss Lillie Lyons has returned from Detroit, having spent a month with her sister, Mrs. Chalk.

The Wallacetown & Lake Shore Telephone Association have purchased a new safe.

The fishermen and the proprietor of the creamery are anxiously waiting for ice.

The quarterly sacramental service will be held in the Methodist church next Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock. The Quarterly Official Board will meet Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will hold a Valentine Social on Tuesday evening, the 16th, in the town hall. A beautiful autograph cushion and a quilt, besides other small articles will be offered for sale. A good time is expected and everybody is invited.

The second meeting of the literary

was held in the town hall on Thursday evening. The hall was packed and a good program was given, consisting of recitations by Peter McKellar; songs by Elmer Browning, Willie Hasaag and Miss Kate Graham, selections by the Glee Club and also by the instrumental quartette. Mr. James Bobier acted as chairman for the evening and an impromptu debate was called for, the subject of which was, "Resolved, That the Cow is more useful than the Horse." There were six speakers on each side and each was given three minutes. The decision by the judges, W. Keycraft, Frank Smith and James Sifton, resulted in favor of the horse. F. Kourtz ably filled the position of critic. The meeting adjourned to meet on Thursday, Feb. 18, when W. H. Barreum is expected to act as chairman and a debate, "Resolved, That foreign labor should be excluded from Canada," will be fought out by the Iona and the home society.

COVAL

The oyster supper given by the young people on Wednesday evening last was one of the most enjoyable social affairs ever held here. There were oysters and other good things in abundance and the spread was done heartily justice to by the large gathering. Following this an excellent program was given by the Dutton quartette W. Hollingshead, Miss Duncan and others, J. L. Fletcher of Dutton made an excellent chairman. The proceeds were about \$45.

TYRCONNELL

Rev. Mr. Snell, Morpeth, occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church on Sunday morning.

There will be no service in the Methodist church on Sunday morning owing to quarterly service held in Wallace town.

Miss Frances McKillop, Eagle, entertained a number of her young friends at her home Monday evening.

BIG PRICES FOR SHORTHORNS.

A Choice Young Animal Comes to Dutton.

At the sale of high-grade Shorthorns at the Union Stock Yards, Toronto, record prices were made. The choicest animals from the herds of Senators Drummond and Edwards, the Millers, D. Birrell and A. Johnston were put under the hammer.

Farmers were present from Texas to Calgary.

"I have sold a large number of Shorthorns at auctions in America and I do not know that I have ever sold so many of the good ones at one sale as I have for you Canadians at this sale." Such were the words uttered by Col. F. M. Wood, auctioneer for the Shorthorn sales at the Union Stock Yards this week. And it was no idle boast, as all the crowd agreed, for the number of good ones sold culminated in making the Canadian record price for a female, when Miller Bros. of Brougham sold Pleasant Valley Jilt, a two-year-old, for \$2,500 to Johnsons of Ohio.

The record price obtained and the confidence exhibited by breeders all point to a resumption of the old-time prices. The cycle has returned and everywhere the price of beef, the scarcity of good feeders, has had its logical result. The "seed," as the auctioneer remarked, has come into active demand.

Not only were these prices the result of American bidding, but Canadians bid strongly and got many choice ones at long prices. It is felt that Canada can breed as good cattle as grow and that the reputation that the big breeders have brought to our shores is bearing its fruit.

An Ontario man got the highest priced cow at the sale. J. F. Mitchell of Burlington bought Missy of Fine Grove 6th, from the Edwards & Co. herd for \$825.

In all about 33 head of this sale brought \$9,055, or an average for these of \$274.40.

W. C. Edwards & Co. sold 8 females for \$2,805, or an average price of \$467.50. Peter White had six females reach a total of \$1,885, or the handsome average of \$314.

Senator Edwards is to be congratulated at the recognition that has at last come to his Shorthorn breeding efforts. The 15 young bulls sold for \$3,435, or for the average of \$229.

Golden Lavender, one of the choice young bulls offered at this sale, was purchased by W. A. Galbraith.

Golden Lavender was bred by Sir Geo. Drummond and was awarded by Gold Cup, for whom \$2,100 was paid.

This promising young animal will be at the head of Mr. Galbraith's herd.

SOME GOOD ADVICE

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If your hair is falling out, stop it. There is one sure remedy that will cure these misfortunes, and aid you to remain young.

Parisian Sage, the great hair restorer, is guaranteed to permanently remove dandruff in two weeks, or R. P. Reekie will give you your money back.

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Wolf Killed Near Glenora.

Glenora, Feb. 4.—A wolf supposed to have escaped from the park at Belle Isle, opposite Detroit, a couple of years ago and which since that time has been devastating the sheep folds of Moss Township, was shot this afternoon on the farm of Donald McAlpine by Malcolm McKellar. The wolf was a fine specimen, weighing 42 pounds, standing 2 feet 3 inches in height, and measuring 3 feet 1 inch in length. It is estimated that the animal had killed nearly a thousand dollars worth of sheep in this neighborhood during the past year, the Township of Moss alone paying out over seven hundred dollars at a two-thirds valuation for sheep destroyed.

Preventives—those Candy Cold Cure Tablets—will safely and quickly check all colds and the Grip. Try them once and see! 48-25c. Sold by A. E. Roberts.

THE HARBINGER.

"Ees com' da spreeng!" da peopla say. An' weenter time ees 'pon' away. I hope ees true, baycause, you know, I am so seckk weeth ice an' snow; I am so seckk eeside my soul, For gotta buy so moocha coal, An' overcoat, an' 'warma clo'es, An' hankacheef for blow my nose.

"Ees com' da spreeng!" da peopla say. An' so I am com' out today. For just see eef ees true An' play da musika for you. Da weend ees colda 'nough for mak' Me wanta stop an' gona back, But som'theeng weesper een my ear: "Ees com' da spreeng! Da spreeng ees here!"

"Ees com' da spreeng!" da peopla say. Dat passa by an' hear me play "Lada" on my street pian." "Oh, see da dago music man!" Dey say. "Dat means da weenter's past An' spreeng ees gattin' here at last." I neeva hear sooch funky theeng. Dey take me for sign of spreeng! —T. A. Daly in Catholic Standard and Times.

"An Easy Going Fellow."



Some Things to Remember.

The fact that a parrot is green is no sure sign that he is not a bird of rip experience.

The great drawback about yellow journalism is not that it is yellow, but that it is read.

There is nothing so wonderful but that it might be more so. Niagara, for instance, would be far more marvelous if the water flowed the other way.

Many a man is modestly itself until his children are born. It is then that he begins to put on airs.

It may be true that money talks, but it is so frequently tight that its conversation is hardly worth repeating.

There is nothing that so destroys one's pride of ownership as the early morning call from the tax collector.—Success Magazine.

Take Your Choice.

Have you ever almost run into some one on the street and then dodged from side to side for half a minute vainly endeavoring to pass, while the other person by some strange fatality blocked your every move by trying to pass you in the same way?

Such was the recent experience of a young man in Portland, Me. He and a strange young woman had been going through this performance for several seconds when his unwilling vis-a-vis staggered him by saying:

"Well, hurry up! Which is it to be, a waltz or a twostep?"—Woman's Home Companion.

The Listener's Point of View.

"You can't imagine," said the musical young woman, "how distressing it is when a singer realizes that she has lost her voice."

"Perhaps not," replied the plain man, "but I've got a fair idea how distressing it is when she doesn't realize it."—Catholic Standard and Times.

She Knew.

"Miss Sharpe—or—Vers," he stammered, "you must know why I've been calling here so much; why I sit here in the parlor with you night after night?"

"I suppose, Mr. Kloseman," the girl interrupted, "it's cheaper to do that than take me out anywhere."—Catholic Standard and Times.

A Rustic Sarcasm.

"Did your husband ketch chills an' fever?" asked the woman who was standing in front of the cabin.

"No," answered the woman who was driving a spring wagon. "He wouldn't have that much git-up-an'-git. He jes' sot around an' let 'em overtake him."—Washington Star.

Going Him One Better.

Norah (tossing her head)—Sure, Mike said as soon as he laid his eyes on me that I wor the purtiest colleen in the room.

Pat (insinuatingly)—Ah, darlint, I could see that wid me eyes shut.—Baltimore American.

Tempered Revenge.

"Did you see that fellow pull his dress suit case out of the aisle?"

"Yes, you kicked it, didn't you?"

"Yes, I did. I meant to kick a hole in it, but I think it's filled with bricks."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Real Jewel.

Peas—And you accepted him? Why, you told me he was a pinhead!

Ruby—Yes, but he turned out to be a diamond pinhead. Gave me two of the prettiest diamond pins you ever saw.—Detroit Tribune.

Taking Notice Again.

"Pa," said little Tommy, "what does it mean when the paper says a widow is in 'her second mourning'?"

"Usually, my son," replied pa, "it means she is looking for a second."—Philadelphia Press.

PORTLAND, MAINE, CHILD

Ill, Weak and Emaciated, Restored to Health by Vinol

"Our little daughter, six years of age, after a severe attack of the measles, which developed into pneumonia, was left pitifully thin, weak and emaciated. She had no appetite, and her stomach was so weak it could not retain food. She lay in this condition for weeks, and nothing the doctor prescribed did a bit of good, and we were beginning to think she would never recover.

"At this time we commenced to give her Vinol, and the effect was marvelous. The doctor was amazed at her progress, and when we told him we were giving her Vinol, he replied, 'It is a fine remedy, keep it up.' We did so, and she recovered her health and strength months before the doctor thought she could." J. W. Flagg, Portland, Me.

Vinol cures conditions like this because in a natural manner it increases the appetite, tones up the digestive organs, makes rich, red blood, and strengthens every organ in the body.

A. E. ROBERTS, DUTTON

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Receipts of live stock at the Union Yards were 47 car loads, consisting of 917 cattle, 16 hogs, 130 sheep and 16 calves.

The quality of fat cattle was only fair, generally speaking, with few, if any, properly finished lots of either butchers' or exporters.

Trade was inclined to be slow, considering the light deliveries. Prices were much the same as on Thursday last.

Dealers report that prices for the class of exporters that are coming to the Toronto and Union Stock Yards, are too high, and that drovers must buy them lower in the country or be prepared to drop some more money when they sell them. Export steers sold at \$5 to \$5.50 with the exception of one lot of 12 selected from five or six loads.

Prime picked lots of butchers' sold at \$4.85 to \$5; loads of good, \$4.50 to \$4.85; medium, \$4 to \$4.40; common \$3.75 to \$4; canners \$1.90 to \$2.50.

About half a dozen milkers and springers sold at \$30 to \$60 each.

A limited number of veal calves sold at unchanged quotations. Export ewes, \$3.75 to \$4.25; rams, \$3 to \$3.25; lambs, \$5.50 to \$6.55.

Some packers report a drop in prices for hogs, while several drovers were paying the farmers \$6.75, the same as last week.

SALE REGISTER

Daniel Black Auctioneer.

TUESDAY, FEB. 16.—Clearing sale of high-grade stock and implements, on lot 6, Gore, Dutton, the property of Peter A. Bennett.

THURSDAY, FEB. 18.—Clearing sale of stock, implements and grain, on lot 17, concession 3, Southwold, the property of John Birham.

TUESDAY, FEB. 23.—Clearing sale of stock, implements, grain and hay, lot 23, con. 9, Aldboro, the property of Jos. S. Wilton.

FRIDAY, FEB. 19.—Sale of 20 choice horses, principally brood mares and including 6 good wagon horses and 1 handsome black horse, 16 hands. Dr. Henry, proprietor and auctioneer.

THE MARKETS

DUTTON Wednesday, Feb. 10

Butter choice..... 20 21
Eggs, per dozen..... 24 25
Lard per pound..... 12 15
Tallow, per lb..... 5 05
Potatoes, per bush..... 75 1 00
Shorts, per ton..... 26 00 26 00
Bran, per ton..... 20 00 20 00
Corn Chop, per ton..... 30 00 30 00
Honey, in comb..... 18 18
Honey, strained..... 10 12
Flour, per cwt..... 80 1 25
Onions, per bush..... 2 40 2 50
Apples, per bag..... 50 90
Dried Apples, per lb..... 05 05
Chickens, drawn..... 10 11
Duck, drawn..... 10 11
Turkey, drawn..... 07 08
Fowl per pound, drawn..... 15 16
Goose, drawn..... 08 09
Cabbage, per dozen..... 60 90
Carrots, per peck..... 10 13
Celery, per bunch..... 05 05
Turnips, bag..... 30 35

GREENOCK FARM SHORTHORNS

For sale 10 Bull Calves, dark red, from 8 to 15 months, at reasonable prices. Come and see them.

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Hog Market

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Fine White Lawn Waists, lace insertion yoke, lace trimmed, size 34 to 40

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\$3.00

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