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25c	10c
No. 619, drawers, good cotton, deep frill two hemstitched tucks and hemstitched hem at bottom. Price	Corset Cover—with full front, neat ruffle around the neck and sleeves, sale price.....
25c	18c
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39c	45c
No. 622, fine cotton, French bands, flounce of wide white lace insertion and at top of tucking with frill of lace, as per cut. Price.....	No. 315, made of fine Nainsook, six rows of white lace insertion, trim mod neck and sleeves with val, lace edge, extension skirt, as per cut, price.....
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FORM IV.
Sr. IV.—(Kenneth Blanche, Kenneth McClary, Carrie Corey, Belle Earl, Sadie Davenport, equal), Harold Jacob, (Ola Derbyshire, Helen Donnan, equal), (Esther Kincaid, Beaumont Cornell, equal).

Jr. IV.—(Nellie Earl, Bryce Wilson, equal), Keith Purcell, (Mable Jacob, Fred Trickey, Ada Brown, equal), Bessie Weeks, Rae Kincaid, (Austin Tribute, Claude McClary, equal), George Foley, Harold Thompson, Kenneth Wilton.

Average attendance, 25. Aggregate attendance, 537. Percentage, 94.
C. R. MacINTOSH, Teacher.

FORM III.
Sr. Dona Thompson, Kenneth Rippe, Bessie Johnston, Evalena Gifford, Lulu McLean, Muriel Kelly, Russell Bishop, Lillie Gibson, Birdie Gaintford, Clarence Knowlton.

Jr.—Kathleen Massey, Bessie Cowan, Allen Bishop, Bertha Stinson, Lloyd Earl, Gertrude Weeks, Mina Donnelly, Carrie Robinson, Keith McLaughlin, Jim Scott.

Average attendance, 30. Aggregate attendance, 597. Percentage, 96.
MINNABEL MORRIS, Teacher.

FORM II.
Sr.—Gladys Gaintford, John Kelly, Fern Cross, Lynn Eroszer, Charles Broad, Winona Massey, Walter Hawkins, Eric B. Dobbs, Nellie Kelley, Vera Conlin, Marion Covey, Anna Ross, absent for part, Eric Hill, Grant Darling, absent for part, Birdie Derbyshire, Harold Rowsome.

Jr.—Archie Kincaid, Mills Johnston, Hattie Rockwood, Lyons McEachen, Paul Bishop, Clara Lillie, Clifford Rockwood, Ernie Trickey, Hazel Hulme, absent, Israel Danby, Geraldine Eyre, Mercy McGhie, Mabel Brooker, absent, Arza Wilton, absent, James Foster, Charlie Stocks, absent.

Average attendance, 29. Aggregate attendance, 605. Percentage, 90.
A. H. WATSON, Teacher.

FORM I.
Sr. Pt. II.—Myrtle Conlin, George Cowan, Irene Earl, Opel Purcell, Marion Cornell, Dany Hawkins, Sammie Scott, Ira Mulvena, Mabel Pipe.

Intermediate Pt. II.—Norma Massey, Frances Moore, Alice Patterson, Frances Clow, Charlie McConnell, George Whitford, Gard-m Thompson, Rose Stinson, Bertha Hollingsworth, Clarence Gifford.

Jr. Pt. II.—Kenneth Watson, Charlie Poland, Jennie Tanner, Florence Wilson, Hubert Cornell, Nelson Cross, Beatrice Brown, Bryce T. Wilson, Gwendolene Wilton, Anna Nowlan, Frank Watford.

Sr. I.—Harte Foster, Charlie Greenham, Blanche Niblock, Leita Kilborn, Douglas Johnston, Marie Nowlan, Wilhelmina Wilton, Arthur Hawkins.

Average attendance, 35. Aggregate attendance, 718. Percentage, 90.
ETHEL TAGGART, Teacher.

KINDERGARTEN
Sr. Int.—Muriel Wilson, Marie Ripley, Bryce Ballis, George Purcell, Stanley Gifford, Basil Connelly.

Jr. Int.—Johnny Donnelly, Elsie Thompson, Otto Lott, Merrill Mulvena, Edna McConin, Hattie Poland, Maude Tomkins, Marguerite Hill, Jennett Conlin and Clarence Mulvena, equal, Ruby Wilson, Kenneth Erwin, Ivan Pierce.

Jr. I.—Lorne Derbyshire, Henry Pipe, Fred McChasin, Wallace Hollingsworth.

Average attendance, 26. Aggregate attendance, 526. Percentage, 90.
ROBERTA A. ROSS, Teacher.

RECAPITULATION
Average attendances, 145.
Aggregate attendance, 2,983.
Percentage, 92.
C. R. MacINTOSH Principal.

Death of W. A. Derbyshire.
On Monday, friends in Athens learned with deep sorrow of the death of Mr. W. A. Derbyshire at Forfar.

On Tuesday of last week his cheese factory and residence were destroyed by fire, and owing to his exertions on that occasion he contracted a severe cold, which developed into pneumonia and he passed away at 4 a.m. on Monday.

Mr. Derbyshire was in every respect a very estimable man, and his wife and family have the sincere sympathy of all in their sad bereavement.

JENNIE EYRE, Teacher.

BACON HOG RAISING

There is probably no county in Ontario that is more interested than Leeds County in the question of the best and cheapest production of bacon hogs.

If the bacon trade of Canada is to continue to improve it is necessary that hog raisers adhere to the class of animals most suited to the requirements of the British market. In the production of hogs of the lard type, Canada cannot compete successfully with the United States. A visit to the Chicago stock yards, and to western cattle feeding centers affords ample evidence of this. A large proportion of the cattle are fed on snapped or shelled corn. Herded with these are hogs that thrive and fatten on the undigested corn left by the steers. These hogs constituting a by-product of cattle feeding are produced at a cost much lower than pork can be raised in Canada. All United States hogs are not fed in this way, but a large proportion of them have at least advantage of cheap corn, than which there is no better feed for producing fat hogs of the lard type. Let the Canadian farmer go back to the thick, fat type of hog, as some talk of doing, because they feel they have a grievance with the packer, and it will not be long before the price of Canadian bacon will have fallen to a level with the United States product which is usually from ten to fifteen shillings per hundred and twelve pounds lower than the quotations for Canadian "Wiltshire" sides.

It seems to be very generally supposed that pork is more cheaply and easily produced from hogs of the thick, short, American breeds than from the three English breeds which are favored for bacon production. Why such a belief should be so general is difficult to understand as repeated tests conducted at various experiment stations have shown that hogs of the Yorkshire, Berkshire and Tamworth breeds produce pork as cheaply as those of the Poland China, the Chester White or the Duroc Jersey breeds. In the opinion of Prof. Day, of the Ontario Agricultural College, who is foremost among authorities on bacon production, the luscious, growthy pig of the bacon type is the most economical pork maker we have especially when reared, as bacon hogs should be, largely on such foods as roots, soiling crops and dairy offal.

There is much difference of opinion regarding the cost at which hogs fit for market can be produced, and there is probably as much difference between the cost to the grower and the cost to another as between these opinions. Under general conditions the production costs in the neighborhood of five dollars per hundred pounds on an average. In summer, under favorable conditions the cost may be somewhat lessened but in winter pork can hardly be produced at the figure mentioned. As in all other lines of production the cost will vary according to the character of the animals fed and the amount of intelligence exercised by the feeder.

Takin, one year with another the Canadian farmer on good land who understands crop growing and hog raising, can undoubtedly raise hogs as cheaply as the figures quoted, and probably for less. He will keep only such sows as produce large, luscious litters of the right type. He will grow such pasture and soiling crops as clover, alfalfa, rape, vetches, mangels, sugar beets and such coarse grains as yield the greatest number of pounds of hog feed per acre. In other words he will manage his operations in such a way that will return him the greatest return in hogs per acre of land, and in so doing will learn to reduce the cost of raising hogs of the best type to a minimum.

South Crosby Honor Roll
IV. Sr.—Anna Bell Dawson.
IV. Jr.—Bertie Taber, Clark Henderson, Hazel Wilton.
III. Sr.—Mabel Henderson, Anna Taber, Alfred Summerville.
III. Jr.—Amy Coon, (Charlie Stewart and Louisa Stevens), equal.
II.—Gerald Somerville, Cecil Taber, Florence Wilton.
Part II.—Johnnie Timlin, Grace Coon, Johnnie Muchmore.
I. Sec. C.—Addie Stevens, Jean Taber.
I. Sec. B.—Maud McEachen, Gordon Coon.
I. Sec. A.—Lucy McEachen.
Average attendance, 29.56.
JENNIE EYRE, Teacher.

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