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Our Opening Sales of Clothing Exceed by far Sales of any Previous Season.

All are satisfied with our moderate war time prices. Our closest attention to every available source of supply reflects in our splendid stocks of "worthy" merchandise. THE LITTLE CHAPS as well as the men are well considered in our ample stocks of Clothing, Caps, etc.

### School Opening Sales

of clothing make our clothing room a busy spot. Old Knickers, Bloomers and Trousers. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.50.

### It's a King Hat you want.

You can spot them by "that something different in style" and richness of "colors and quality." Highest English quality Fur Felts, \$3.50 and \$4.00. \$1 saved from city prices, comparison will show. Outlast two other cheaper Canadian or American makes. Fit more comfortably on the head.

### Splendid Values in Hats

at \$2.50 and \$3.00 in the new autumn colors.

### Smart Dressy Caps

at \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00 and 2.50, from three leading manufacturers, you will see among this big collection. Opened this week. Just what you want.

**Pure wool British made Serge Dress Goods, absolutely fast colors.** moderately priced, \$1.25, 1.75, 2.25 and 2.75.

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THE STORE WITH THE STOCKS TO BRING CUSTOMERS

### Silks are in Greater Demand than ever.

We're prepared for the big increase in sales we are sure to get. Beautiful new autumn colorings in the different makes and weaves suitable for dresses and suits. Wide range of prices, \$1.00 to \$2.75.

### Continuing "High Quality Standard" in Footwear, and yet prices kept down to "Moderate."

Empress fine Vici Kid Boots, French heel, high cut, \$5.00 to \$8.00, saving \$1 to \$2 on city prices for exactly same shoes. Real good, reliable, most fitting shoes in Fine Dongola Kid, 3.75 and 4.50.

### Growing Girls' Shoes of Value

in Glove Grain for school wear or Dongola or Gunmetal for dress. Prices 2.25 to \$3.50.

### Men's Heavy Kip Shoes

Old reliable makes, 2.50, 3.50, 3.95.

### Men's Gum Rubber Boots

The guaranteed quality. We handle no "seconds," although prices are attractive to make "quality" not "cheap" to give satisfaction and a come back again customer.

## FALL FAIRS PAY WELL

Prepare Now to Harvest and Store Root Crops.

Best Mixtures and Methods of Making Bread With Flour of Various Cereal Grains.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

TO the general farmer who grows good grain for seed, to the specialist in garden and truck crops, and particularly to the live stock man the Fall Fair offers an opportunity. It pays to advertise and the Fair is the place where the people see the goods produced, and seeing is believing. Moreover, the papers report the winnings and through these the exhibitor gets a large amount of advertising free which would otherwise cost him a considerable amount of money. Winning in close competitions under a competent judge adds dollars to the value of stock shown and increases the market price of any commodity as well as giving the exhibitor a standing not only in his own community but over a section of country corresponding to the size and influence of the show at which prizes are won. The Fair is a good place to make sales. Prospective buyers see the good exhibits made and enquire about the breeding stock at home. Stockmen show at Fairs largely to make sales rather than to win prizes although the latter is a factor in the sales and they are not disappointed as evidenced by the growing interest in the Fall Fair. Showing at the Fair, coupled with a judicious newspaper advertising policy, which should never be neglected, is good business. The two go together and work hand in hand. It pays to let others know of your good stock. Use printers' ink and show at the Fall Fair—Prof. Wade Toole, O. A. College, Guelph.

### Hints on Harvesting Root Crops.

Root crops should be taken up before the weather becomes too wet and disagreeable. The fall if in any quantity. It is slow work so under cold damp conditions. Lift the roots with a digging fork and twist off the tops, putting them in piles and covering with the tops. If a large area is to be lifted, and one is expert with a sharp hoe, he can very quickly remove the tops, but they will not keep quite as well. The roots should be ploughed out, throwing them as much as possible on the top. Bins with slatted sides and bottom should be used for storage where possible, as this gives the roots a chance to sweat. If the storage room temperature is above 40°F. cover the roots with straw. Carrots should not be deeper than two feet in a bin, others may be four feet. Where cellar storage is not available use pits. These should be three feet wide, two or three feet high and of any length. Cover the pits with straw and, where possible, have them on well-drained ground. Put a layer of straw on the ground and cover first with straw 6 inches deep then 6 inches earth, and as the frost gets harder cover with straw 15 or 20 feet. Have ventilators every 15 or 20 feet, as all roots sweat in storage. These may be filled with straw during cold periods. All roots should be as free from dirt as possible when put in storage. It is often advisable to leave a few days in small piles so that at the second lifting any adhering will be removed.—A. H. MacLennan, B.S.A., Ontario Vegetable Specialist.

### MORE SPRING WHEAT

The Strathroy Age says:—The farmers in this section are busily engaged in threshing operations and express themselves as highly pleased in regard to the yield of both spring and fall wheat. Although a large acreage is being sowed to fall wheat, many express their intention of sowing spring wheat next year, as it has done exceptionally well this season. The only crop that is not turning out well is potatoes which, owing to the dryness of the season, will not be up to the average.

### A FARMER'S PROTEST

To the Editor of the Transcript: If you will please allow me a little space in your valuable paper, I wish to make a brief note on the way the majority of the business men of Glenora treated the surrounding country on Wednesday last. They, after enjoying a good half-holiday in each week for the months of July and August—but I will not find fault with that; the public was aware of the fact for it was correct advertised and it was said to help the farmers with the harvest; probably somebody got help—but took in their heads they were going to have another day that was not a legal nor a righteous one, but thought they would play a slick trick on those that went into town that day for business, and locked their doors and fled out of town to see the sights in the city. And I understand the leading men in it were some of the official men in the town, afraid if they went to the fair and left the other man home they would lose some of their customers. They did not consider those that went to town that day on a fool's errand, and I was one. There is a paper in the town to advertise in and they should have made use of it. If they wish to go headlong at a folly of that kind, they then find fault with the community for sending mail orders to the cities, but I don't. It is paying them back in their own coin. Thanking you very much for the space I occupied, I am, A FARMER.

### ROAD THRILLS FOR AUTOISTS

Two days' rain and the consequent condition of the roads brought trouble in its train for the thousands of motorists who visited the Western Fair last Thursday. Dozens of cars skidded and slipped on the long journeys home and although no serious mishaps were reported there was not an auto party which did not experience some minor thrill when the safety of the party hung in the balance. At one time it was reported that no less than six autos were in the ditch between the city and Lambeth.

### DATES OF SCHOOL FAIRS

Dates of school fairs for this district are announced as follows:—Muncey.....Sept. 19. Caradoc.....Sept. 26. Metcalfe.....Oct. 1. Appin.....Oct. 2. Wardville.....Oct. 3. Cairo.....Sept. 18. See the latest in millinery at W. Bayne's opening Sept. 20th and 21st.

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### THE EVIDENCE IS POOR. THE ADVICE IS GOOD

The Sarnia Canadian-Observer makes reply to our statement given last week of the Mosa oil field, and still clings to the belief that the field is but a shallow deposit. The editor says he can give us a few lessons in oil, and advises us and the novice in general to leave the game alone. As to the probable extent and life of the field, we prefer to take our bearings from the Government records of recent date rather than from an oil operator who several years ago failed to stay with the game long enough to either find or prove up the Mosa field and as a consequence may be inclined to feel a little "sore." Of the Mosa oil field a late Government return states:—"The field is the best located in years and good results may be expected. Drilling operations will be very active for some years in that territory." As for going into the oil game ourselves, that is a very remote probability, and we decidedly do not advise any other greenhorn to attempt doing so, no matter how good the prospect looks. For this reason The Transcript has not failed to take a conservative attitude towards the field ever since its discovery, and without "boosting" has merely reported the facts as they could be obtained. But we repeat, the facts look mighty good in the eyes of the professional operator.

### FALL FAIRS

Ailsa Craig—Sept. 19, 20. Alvinston—Oct. 8, 9. Aylmer—Sept. 26, 27. Bridgen—Oct. 1. Chatham—Sept. 17-19. Dorchester Station—Oct. 2. Dresden—Sept. 26, 27. Forest—Sept. 26, 27. Glenora—Sept. 24, 25. Goderich—Sept. 25-27. Ingersoll—Sept. 30, Oct. 1. Lambeth—Sept. 25. Melbourne—Oct. 11. Mt. Brydges—Oct. 4. Muncey—Sept. 26. Parkhill—Sept. 23, 24. Petrolia—Sept. 19, 20. Ridgetown—Oct. 7-9. Sarnia—Sept. 24, 25. Sarnforth—Sept. 19, 20. Simcoe—Oct. 7-9. Theford—Sept. 30, Oct. 1. Wallaceburg—Oct. 1, 2. Watford—Oct. 2, 3. Wyoming—Oct. 10, 11.



## NOTICE

### TO UNITED STATES CITIZENS IN CANADA.

By the United States Military Service Convention Regulations, approved by the Governor-in-Council on 20th August, 1918, MALE CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES IN CANADA, WITHIN THE AGES for the time being SPECIFIED BY THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES prescribing compulsory military service, except those who have diplomatic exemption, ARE MADE SUBJECT AND LIABLE TO MILITARY SERVICE IN CANADA, AND BECOME ENTITLED TO EXEMPTION OR DISCHARGE THEREFROM, UNDER THE CANADIAN LAWS AND REGULATIONS. The regulations governing this liability are published in the Canada Gazette (Extra) of 21st August, 1918; copy whereof may be obtained upon application through the post to the Director of the Military Service Branch of the Department of Justice at Ottawa.

UNITED STATES CITIZENS of the description aforesaid who were IN CANADA ON 30th JULY, 1918, HAVE SIXTY DAYS FROM THAT DATE within which TO EXERCISE AN OPTION TO ENLIST or enroll IN THE FORCES OF THE UNITED

STATES, or TO RETURN to the United States; and THOSE WHO for any reason SUBSEQUENTLY BECOME LIABLE TO MILITARY SERVICE IN CANADA HAVE THIRTY DAYS FROM THE DATE of the accruing OF SUCH LIABILITY within which to exercise the like option. It is stipulated by the Convention also that certificates of diplomatic exemption may be granted within the optional periods aforesaid. EVERY CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES TO WHOM THE REGULATIONS APPLY is required to REPORT TO THE REGISTRAR under the Military Service Act, 1917, FOR THE province or DISTRICT WITHIN WHICH he is, in the manner by the regulations prescribed, WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER THE EXPIRY OF HIS OPTIONAL PERIOD and will be SUBJECT TO PENALTIES IF without reasonable excuse HE FAILS SO TO REPORT. For the information of those whom it may concern Sections 3 and 4 defining the requirements of registration, with which it will be necessary strictly to comply, are set out substantially as follows:—

### REGULATIONS

3. EVERY MALE CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES WITHIN THE AGES for the time being SPECIFIED IN THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES prescribing compulsory military service, not including those who have diplomatic exemption, WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER THE EXPIRY OF THE TIME LIMITED BY THE CONVENTION within which the Government of the United States may issue him a certificate of diplomatic exemption, SHALL TRULY REPORT TO THE REGISTRAR BY REGISTERED POST, and in writing which is plainly legible, his name in full, his occupation and the date of his birth; stating also whether he is single, married or a widower; and if the latter, whether he has a child living; also if married, the date of his marriage; and stating moreover his place of residence and usual post office address in Canada; and, if he reside within a city or place where the streets and dwellings are named and numbered, the name and number of his street and dwelling; or if he reside in another place, the lot and concession number, section, township, range, and meridian, or other definite description whereby his place of residence may be located, having regard to the custom of the locality in which he lives; and IF WITHOUT REASONABLE EXCUSE HE NEGLECT OR FAIL TO

REPORT IN THE MANNER and with the particulars aforesaid within the time limited as aforesaid, HE SHALL BE GUILTY OF AN OFFENCE, AND SHALL BE LIABLE UPON SUMMARY CONVICTION to a penalty not exceeding FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS, AND TO IMPRISONMENT for any term not exceeding six months, and moreover he shall incur A PENALTY OF \$10.00 FOR EACH DAY after the time when or within which he should have registered during which he shall continue to be unregistered. 4. EVERY UNITED STATES CITIZEN WHO HAS DIPLOMATIC EXEMPTION, although not otherwise subject to these regulations SHALL WITHIN TEN DAYS after the granting of the same truly REPORT TO THE REGISTRAR, in like manner and with the same particulars as required by the last preceding section; and in addition he shall embody in his report a true and complete statement of the particulars of his certificate of diplomatic exemption. NEGLIGENCE OR FAILURE without reasonable excuse to comply with the requirements of this section SHALL CONSTITUTE AN OFFENCE PUNISHABLE IN THE MANNER AND BY THE PENALTIES provided in the last preceding section.

ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, MILITARY SERVICE BRANCH.

Training Raw Recruits. An army officer, speaking of the necessity for the right training of recruits, said:

"Don't delude yourselves with the idea that a man won't be frightened under fire, because he will be. He'll be badly frightened if he is a normal human being. Now, if a man can be made to bring his rifle up to his shoulder in battle and fire it is conceded by military authorities that a soldier has been made out of him. But if you succeed in teaching men not only to bring the weapon to their shoulders, but to take a proper sight—if hard training accomplishes this triumph over their natural fears then you have troops that are unbeatable."

### Helgoland.

Centuries ago Helgoland, in the North sea, was at least five times its present size, and a place of no little importance. Like so many islands, it had a peculiar attraction for the peoples of the surrounding mainlands. They stood in awe of it, and mythology early claimed it for its own. Here the Forseti, the god of justice, had a temple, as had also, according to another tradition, the goddess Hetha, a special object of veneration among the Angles of the mainland. Later on it was the realm of the pagan king, Radbod, and it was thither that St. Willibrod came, in the seventh century, preaching Christianity.

### Fireproof Writing.

Documents written on paper made from asbestos fiber, with inks prepared from the nitrates of iron and cobalt, have withstood a red heat for two hours without being damaged in any way. No damage resulted until the intensity of the heat was exposed in it for ten hours. It is expected that further experimentation and study will result in the perfection of a paper and ink practically indestructible by fire.

Wise mothers who know the virtues of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator always have it at hand, because it proves its value.

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