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Why do Country Boys Flock to big Cities.

Most small towns are short of young men. As a rule there are plenty of agreeable girls who would not object to matrimony; there are plenty of old people and enough babies to go around. But the boy—oh, where is he?

The boy, the young man, has gone to the city, where he imagines there are opportunities. To him the old home town is dull and stupid. He sees no future for himself there. Both for social and financial considerations he rushes off to the great city. Very frequently he finds that he is lonelier there than at home—nearly always so; and even more frequently he finds that riches do not grow on ten-storied walls.

But still he goes to the city. In going there the boy simply follows his daddy's dollars. For years his daddy and his mother and his big sister and his Aunt Mary Ann have been mailing their money to the big city for mail order bargains.

Result—Home merchants don't thrive, grass grows in the streets, no jobs are to be had, no opening for a new business, and the young man goes to the city because it is a place where people have traded at home and built up their own community and provided opportunities for outsiders as well as for themselves.

If you want to keep your boy at home build up your home town so that he can build up his career among his home folks.

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The Split-Log Drag.

The spring time is coming, when the question of country roads will be bothering our farmers again. Much expensive machinery has been purchased by some municipalities to keep a good road. A very simple and inexpensive contrivance is known as the split-log drag, which consists of a 12-inch log being split in two and the two parts divided with rounds like a ladder. This is drawn by a team with a diagonal hitch, and it has been successful in leveling rough roads and filling ruts. It can easily be done by any farmer and is very cheap. An esteemed contemporary is offering a prize for its use this season.

Does Your Heart Beat

Yes, 100,000 times each day. Does it send out good blood or bad blood? You know, for good blood is good health; bad blood, bad health. And you know precisely what to take for bad blood—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Doctors have endorsed it for 60 years.

One frequent cause of bad blood is a sluggish liver. This produces constipation. Poisonous substances are then absorbed into the blood. Keep the bowels open with Ayer's Pills.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
 Also manufacturers of
 HAIR VIGOR,
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We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

What Paint Will do.

I went to an auction sale the other day, and I learned a lesson. I saw what appeared to be a new-mower sitting out in the barnyard, after looking it over I concluded it was the old rattlebox that they had had for the past twenty years, only it had been touched up with a brush full of paint here and there, and I wouldn't have known it from Adam's ox if I had not met it in the Rushbottom. A little paint does wonders. There are some vessels moored at the dock this winter that will have the nerve to go sailing this spring, and if the paint was scraped off them would go to the bottom before they got away from the dock.

But paint is alright in its place, Many a ship, many a house, many a wagon, and many a woman are not as bad as they are painted.—The Khan.

YEATES vs. G. T. R.

Before Falconbridge, C. J., Britton J., Biddell, J.

Yeates v. G. T. R. Co.—Judgment (L.) on appeal from plaintiff by judgment of County Court of Lambton, dated 8th January, 1907. The plaintiff a farmer, residing on lot 26 of the 9th concession of the township of Sarnia, on 8th September last, had three cows and a horse killed on defendant's railway, owing, it is alleged, to the negligence of defendants in not keeping and maintaining proper fences and gates alongside the railway at the place in question. Plaintiff sued for \$200 damages in the County Court. Defendants pleaded not guilty by statute, and added as third parties one Jameson, the owner of the lands occupied by plaintiff. The action was dismissed as against the defendants and the third party, with costs to both, including costs of third party proceedings. Appeal dismissed with costs. A Weir (Sarnia) for plaintiff. W. E. Foster (Montreal) for defendants. John Cowan, K. C., for third party Jameson.

IT DOES CURE WOMANLY ILLS.

"I feel it my duty" writes Mrs. S. Mead of Fraserville, Ont., "to let you know that sometimes previous to the change of life I suffered more than I could tell. Neighbors told me Ferrozone was the only remedy and their advice was good. Ferrozone put a stop to my pain and sickness, had a direct action on my troubles that relieved me from the start. I safely passed the turn, and now enjoy perfect health and rest. No womanly medicine can be better than Ferrozone." Instant relief is found in Ferrozone for female weakness of every kind, 50c per box at all dealers.

PLYMPTON COUNCIL.

Council met March 9th as a Court of Revision on the Noble-Wilson drain. Two appeals were made against this drain, viz. Wm. Young which was reduced \$11.20 and Geo. Johnson, whose assessment was reduced \$18.35. The by-law finally passed, J.S. McLean and Geo. Johnston being appointed Commissioners.

The appropriations were fixed the same as last year viz.: \$600 to each councillor and \$200 to the Reeve.
 Council resolved to build a new bridge over the McDonald drain on the London Road. Most likely it will be cement abutments and iron super-structure, E. G. Bailey and R. Hart, Commissioners.

The petition of Geo. Lucas and others also that of David Gilliaty and others for local drains was granted and the township Engineer instructed to survey the outlet of the Tait drain for revision.
 A road division was formed on side line 27 and 28, con. 3, and another on side line 15 and 16, con. 6 and 7, as petitioned for by parties interested.

Accounts passed:
 Donald McIntyre granted to expend for an... \$10 00
 Neil McLaughlin for gravel supplied..... \$4 50
 L. Hill..... 3 80
 Joseph McCormick for expenses of H. B. 1 50
 Thos. Burney line and stove pipes for Hall. 1 30
 Municipal World 9 sub and Assessor's Guide..... 7 75

Council adjourned to meet April 6th, at ten a. m. Consider the engineer's report on the Bonanquet Coultis drain and general business.

BOSANQUET COUNCIL.

Council met on the 4th inst. Members all present. Minutes for the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Fraser-Melville, that the Reeve issue his order in favor of Liddy Hill for \$8.10 for gravel; Reeve and Clerk \$21.60, expenses to Toronto to member of Public Works re assistance for improving the Aux Saubles charged to the work and \$4.80 to Shawana drain; the Clerk \$10.71 telephone postage, express, etc.; the Tribune \$30 on contract, \$12.00 publishing Shawana drain and postage, and \$8 printing and distributing Willocks drain by-law, charged to the drains; Dr. Clarke, \$3 attending Mrs. Geromthe, who is sick and destitute; McKenzie & Meldrum, 75c. for groceries for Mrs. Geromthe.

Russel—Wight, that the Reeve issue his order in favor of the Children's Aid Society for \$5; the Municipal World, for \$25.03 supplies and 7 copies of the Municipal World.

Wright—Russel, that the Reeve and Melville attend the matter of opening a road for Noach and Wm. Stebbins with power to act.

Wright—Russel, that the Reeve and Melville be a committee to investigate the grievances of Jas. Ross, who had his buggy upset and broken in Decker creek, con. 4.

Russel—Wight, that Alfred Elliot be paid \$45 for the Bonanquet's share for 8th con. Road as per agreement.—Carried.

By-law appointing pathmasters etc.; to borrow \$4,000 for current expenditure, and to borrow \$4,800 for teacher's salaries, were passed in the usual way.

Wright—Russel, that the Treasurer be and is hereby instructed to pay to the Treasurers of the numerous school sections

from time to time as may be required by the School Trustees the moneys raised for the salaries of teachers and that he keep a separate account of all moneys borrowed for teachers that the proper amount of interest may be charged to the respective school sections.—Carried.

Trustees should notify the Treasurer of the amount they may require for each quarter two weeks before the time wanted, so that the Treasurer may know how much to borrow and save interest.
 Council adjourned to meet Monday, April 12th, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Twirl Soon Be Here.

Let's sing
 Of spring.
 All together now!
 May days,
 Play days,
 Bird upon the bough.
 Fish hooks,
 Clear brooks,
 Sitting by a stream.
 Sky's blue,
 Say, you,
 What a while and dream!
 What fun!
 Hot sun,
 Freckles on your face.
 Buzz fan,
 Ice man,
 Hunt a shady place.
 Soon will
 Days fall
 Up with summer heat.
 Then we
 Shall see
 Weather hard to beat;
 Birmingham Age-Herald.

The Privileges of Old Age.

Old age has its drawbacks, but it has also its privileges. Not the least of these is leisure; not idleness, for that way lies wretchedness and disintegration—but freedom from the stress of unlovely rivalry, and opportunity for the calm and moderate pursuit of congenial occupation. With its advent one may doff the armor, but not the apron, and choosing one's bench, not as a slave, but as a master.—U. S. Senator William P. Frye, in the March Circle.

We understand the provincial government has appointed Mr. T. F. Hawken, of Strathroy, bailiff of the sixth division court for the county of Middlesex, in place of Mr. Malcolm McIntyre, resigned.

Few of the present generation of skaters ever saw a pair of old fashioned "curl up" skates or know what they are, but if they are native born their parents or grandparents can probably tell them all about these old time appliances for skating over the ice. The boys and girls of today have quick fastening, light and handsome skates, and in many cases keep them attached to shoes that are used only for skating and are put on at the pond side. In the old days straps for the "curl ups" were unknown, leather thongs or stout strings being used with a sort of "harness" to keep the skates on the feet. The term "curl up" comes from the manner in which the forward end of the skate iron were curved, extending over the toe to the foot. Doubtless many of the old folks can remember when the cheapest skates consisted of a wood bottom for the foot and a strip of metal for an ice surface. These were "cheap" indeed.

Infants too young to take medicine may be cured of croup, whooping cough and colds by using Vapo-Cresolene—they breathe it.

THE old oaken bootjack, the timeworn bootjack, the heel-gripping bootjack that hung on the wall, back of the stove, near the woodbox! I remember it well. It was the most useful and indispensable article of furniture of any farm house. What fond recollections it recalls to mind! I remember when I had tramped around in the snow and the slush all day, until my numb and half-frozen toes to get them back into natural shape, and then feeling the stinging sensation as the blood began to circulate freely once more. The useful old oaken bootjack! I have seen it thrown at tramps, book agents, dogs and cats. I have seen it used to dig potatoes, crack nuts, kill rats and mice, drive nails, stir soft soap, poke the fire, and break the ice in the old water tub. The old oaken bootjack, the timeworn bootjack, the heel-gripping bootjack that hung on the wall.

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 The famous Bread and Pastry making qualities of Ontario fall wheat—are combined with Manitoba spring wheat, which adds strength and nutriment.

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Fruit Growers Industry.

The Ontario Department of Agriculture, the Ontario Fruit Grower's Association, various local and district associations, and the Farmer's Institutes are at the present time co-operating in a very vigorous campaign for the furtherance of the fruit growing industry. The Fruit Grower's have arranged an extensive series of meetings in connection with the Farmer's Institutes of the Province to promote the organization of co-operative Fruit Grower's associations. This work began at Leamington four years ago, and has been followed up

success. Already there are twenty-eight such associations. Messrs. A. E. Sherrington, of Walkerton; Harold Jones, of Maitland; W. D. A. Ross, of Chatham; D. Johnston, of Forest, and Robert Thompson, of St. Catharines, have been appointed by the Ontario Fruit Grower's Association to address the meetings which have been arranged at about fifty places in Ontario. These men all have had practical experience in such co-operative work.

MRS. HAYFORK (in country postoffice)—Anything for me? Postmaster—I don't see nothin'. Mrs. Hayfork—I was expectin' a letter or postcard from Aunt Spriggs, tellin' what day she was comin'. Rural Postmaster (calling to his wife)—Did ye see a postcard from Mrs. Hayfork's Aunt Sally, tellin' what day she was comin'? His wife—Yes. She's comin' on Thursday.

STAGE LINES.

WATFORD AND WARWICK STAGE LEAVES Watford Village every morning except Sunday, reaching Warwick at 11:30 a. m. Returning leaves Watford at 5:45 p. m. Passengers and freight conveyed on road cars.—J. M. Ross, Prop'r.

WATFORD AND ANKONA STAGE LEAVES Watford at 8 a. m., with reach at 10 to a. m. Returning leaves Ankona at 3:45 p. m. Passengers and freight conveyed on reasonable terms.—H. H. WILSON