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For Sale

Frame House, 9 rooms, Electric lights, Good cellar, Wood shed, Barn and Hen house, all in good repair. Soft water. One and a half acres of good garden land with Apples, Pears, Plums, Cherries, Grapes, Red and Black Currants, Gooseberries, Blackberries, raspberries and Strawberries. Excellent run for chickens. Terms reasonable.

S. MOORE

Also 2 village lots 50 x 200, near Station

NOTICE

The Committees of the Fourth Annual Patriotic Garden Party will hold a general meeting of committees in the Bell house every Tuesday evening at eight o'clock sharp.

All Are Requested to Attend

NOTICE

During my absence from town the keys of the Rink may be had at the Review office.

A. Donaldson.

Owing to the ever increasing price of paper only a limited number of extra copies of the Review will be available. Extra copies after July 1st, 3 cents per copy.

FOR SALE

First Class Bakery Business. The oldest established business in Waterdown. Good reasons for selling. Apply to

W. S. FEATHERSTON
Waterdown

Good Second Hand Ford Car FOR SALE CHEAP

Bargains for Saturday Only

Plain Tires \$17.90

A-1 Knobby Tread Tires \$19.00

Gallagher's Garage
Waterdown

CUMMINS' DRUG SPECIALS

**FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY
JULY 26 27 AND 28**

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| 40c Fruit Salts | 25c | 25c Palm olive Talcum Powder | 19c |
| 35c Lime Juice | 25c | 35c can Rose Talcum Powder | 22c |
| 5c Fuller's Earth, 2 for | 5c | 15c Kovah Fruit salts 2 for | 25c |
| 10c Fly Poison Pads 3 for | 25c | \$1 Ever Ready Safety Razor | 79c |
| 5c Fly Poison Pads 3 for | 10c | 25c Antiseptic and Charcoal tooth paste | 19c |
| 10c Cloth bound Fly Swats 8c. 2 for | 15c | \$1 Sprup of Hypophosphites | 59c |
| \$1 Russian oil | 49c | 35c De Lila Vanishing cream | 25c |
| \$1 Burdock and Sarsaparilla | 69c | 25c Braud' Laxative Iron pills | 17c |
| 10c Sewing Mach. oil | 7c | 3 large rolls Toilet paper | 25c |
| 50c Orchid White | 37c | 25c Myers Laxative tablets | 17c |
| 5c Castile Soap 6 for | 25c | 25c Gates Kidney and Liver pills | 17c |
| 15c Palm olive soap | 9c | 50c Sweet Nitre Kidney pills | 33c |
| 25c Mennen's Talcum powder | 14c | 25c Linen Writing tablets | 19c |
| \$1.00 Beef, Iron and Wine | 69c | 15c Baking Ammonia 2 for | 25c |
| 15c Red Rubber Jar rings 13c 2 or | 25c | 25c Hydrogen Peroxide | 17c |
| 10c Red Rubber Jar rings, 8c 2 for | 15c | 60c Neilsons chocolates per lb. | 47c |
| 5c Grey Rubber Jar rings, 4c. 4 for | 15c | 60c Neilsons nut milk chocolates per lb. | 47c |
| 25c Ingrams Velveol Face powder | 17c | 50c Chocolate Raisins | 39c |
| 50c Ingrams Milkweed cream | 34c | 50c Cluster Peanuts | 39c |
| 25c Ingrams Milkweed Soap | 17c | 50c Salted Peanuts | 39c |
| 50c Coco nut oil Shampoo | 33c | Marguerite, Bachelor and Elk cigars 3 for | 25c |
| 25c Tooth Brushes | 17c | Bah'd Havana cigars 4 for | 25c |

Letters from the Front

Letter from Our Boys Who Are Fighting for Us

Somewhere in the Balkans,
Sunday, 2nd June, 1918.

Dear Miss Raybould—
I received a lovely parcel from your club on Saturday, for which I wish to thank the members very much indeed. In looking over the list of members, I see several names already known to me—others are not. Some day I hope to meet you all. Everything in the parcel is in excellent condition, so many useful things are very acceptable.

The hot season has opened on us in the East with all its attendant plagues, the worst being the mosquito. To attempt to sleep without a canopy-net would be sheer foolishness.

The war goes on merrily enough here—the French and Greeks had a very successful operation the other day.

Wishing every success to the Knitting Klub.
Yours sincerely,
J. FRANK LEAKE.

Royal Field Artillery,
France, April 3, 1918.

Dear Friend—
I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your valentine parcel, which came to hand over a week ago. Am sorry that I have been unable to reply more quickly, but I can assure you this is the first opportunity I have had, owing to circumstances which, sorry to say, I cannot relate, or rather am forbidden to relate.

The contents were in A1 condition and certainly were appreciated. It begins to make one wonder what he ever left home and comfort for when he sees the list of the "Girls I left behind me," but there is some consolation in knowing that, in spite of the length of this affair, you are not forgotten, and to know that everyone at home is doing his or her utmost to help in any or every way possible.

Will you please convey my heartiest thanks and appreciation to all the members of the "Klub" for their kindness on my behalf. Hope I may be able to thank you in person in the not too distant future.

Wishing you every success in your work, I remain,
Sincerely your friend,
J. RUSSELL HAMILTON.

Mid-Ocean, June 16th, 1918.

Dear Sister—
Just a few lines to let you know how I am getting along. Well, I am all right so far, but there has been a bunch of boys sick on the boat and the hospital is filled right up. I don't know where they put them now, but there are always some getting sick, but I haven't been sick yet; only the first day we were on the ocean, and I had a headache and got pretty dizzy, but I am not the only one, for there are over two thousand on the boat. We're put in here like a bunch of pigs. We sleep and eat in the same pen, and I have been sleeping on packs for two weeks in hammocks. Well, I guess I got to go to church now, so I will finish it again.

Well, Mattie, it has been fine weather on our trip so far, except one day and it rained, but not very hard. I tell you this trip makes you sleep and sleep, but there is something that I couldn't eat. One day we had eggs for breakfast and rabbit for dinner and fish for supper, and I tell you I could not go much of that. I was peeling potatoes yesterday, but we don't see much of them. We get a little jam for supper, bread and butter, tea and sometimes meat.

Say, did Mother get the picture from Mr. Bray yet? I guess you will find me all right, down in the bottom

row. Have you heard how Gordon is getting along? I thought it was kind of funny taking all the boys out of the waiting draft but about thirty, and they went to Niagara, but one of the sergeants told me that they would soon be coming over, so I guess I will see them if we are not quarantined, for they have measles and mumps and fever. Some said that we would be kept in for about twenty-eight days, but I don't know. You hear so much you can't take much out of it, but we will know more about it when we get over there.

June 20.

Well, I guess I will write some more. Well, it has been pretty rough this last three days, and the waves, you would think they were snowbanks when they go up. Well, I will tell you a little story. When we left Toronto there was a little dog wanted to go with us and he ran after the train and the train stopped, so one of the boys got off and got him in, and one of the sergeants wanted to know what he was going to name him, and he said he had a name for him, and the sergeant said what was it, and he said, we will call him Sergeant, for he didn't do anything but walk around and growl all day. Well, we will get off the boat to-morrow, for we got a can of corn beef and some biscuits today, but they seem pretty hard, but I guess they will fill up the hole.

June 30.

Well, we arrived here all right in London, at Tilbury, and then we took the train to Aldershot station and then we walked four miles to the camp and we were pretty tired. By the way the boys talk they feed us pretty good. We eat four times a day, so it might not be so bad. We will have two days rest before we do much. Well, I don't think I have much more to say, I will say good-bye for now. Write soon.

I am about seven miles from Witley through fields, and twelve miles by road.

From your brother,
STANLEY.

Frensham Camp,
12th Can. Res. Batt.,
Witley Camp, Surrey,
19-6-18.

Dear Sister—
I received your most welcome letter O. K. and was indeed very pleased to hear from you. I might say that your letter was the first that I had had in six weeks and it was certainly a relief to get a bit of home news, but I have plenty now, for I received two letters from Mattie to-day and two from Eisle, so you see I have my hands full just at present, but I am answering two letters in one, so that helps me out a lot. I am sorry that I did not recognize Eddie Crane if I had him in my squad, but you know three and a half years is a long time, and he was only a boy when I left, and besides a uniform makes a big difference in a person. I daresay that a lot of the boys I know in the army now I would not know in three years time with civil clothes on. I will be on the lookout for Stan when he comes over. We are expecting a big draft in from Canada any day now, so I expect he will be on it, and I will try and make it a point to see him as soon as I can and I will try and do all that I can for him, for I know that he will be worse than I was when I first came over here.

Tell Jack Dalton that the man that thinks he knows me, don't know me at all, or else he don't know what he is talking about, for I am not a bit more disfigured now than I was when I left Canada and my fingers are not on the bum, so you can tell him that he does not know what he is talking about.

I haven't much more to say this time, so I will have to come to a close.

Hoping that these few lines find you all as they leave me and hoping to hear from you soon, I will say good-bye, from
ROB.

School Board Meeting

The Regular Board Meeting and Appointment of Teachers

A meeting of the Public School Board was held on Tuesday evening July 2nd.

Dr. Hopper in the chair.

The following members were present: Mrs. A. M. Slater, W. Thompson, C. Richards, C. Everitt and Dr. Vague.

A deputation waited on the Board in behalf of former teacher Miss Allen.

It was moved by C. Everitt and seconded by Mrs. Slater that the following accounts be paid.

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| W. Cummins, supplies | \$8.35 |
| R. Rusk for sawing and piling wood | 17.50 |
| W. T. Evens, transfer of deed | 5.00 |
| Mail and Empire | 5.07 |
| Globe | 5.07 |

It was moved by C. Richards and seconded by C. Everitt that the Secretary be instructed to register Deed of School property and hand it over to Wm. Thompson.

The following are the names of the new Public school staff of teachers for the coming school year.

Principal, S. W. Michner, Lampton Mills; Miss Mary Kerr, Paisley; Miss L. M. Boyd, Flesherston; Miss Nellie Craig, Bright; Miss Gertrude M. Briston, Bright.

COMPETITIONS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Through the action of the Minister of Agriculture, the Honorable T. A. Cretar, arrangements have again been made to have the Canadian Bankers' Association co-operate with the Department of Agriculture in providing a liberal sum of money to be offered in prizes for calves and pigs exhibited by boys or girls under 17 years of age, at one fair in each district—either a County, Township or School Fair.

These competitions are known as the "Canadian Bankers' Competition," and are linked up with the activities of the Live Stock Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. They represent an effort to increase interest in live stock, and constitute a part of the active campaign for more and better stock inaugurated and carried on by that Department. The generous support accorded to the movement by the Canadian Bankers' Association affords a practical demonstration of the attitude of the banks towards the live stock industry, and the active participation of the Association in this campaign is bound to strengthen and create general interest in farm live stock.

A Canadian Bankers' Competition will be held at a large number of shows this year, and boys and girls should lose no time in finding out all about them. The calves and pigs must be fed at least six weeks by the boys and girls who exhibit them, so that it is very important to act promptly in securing a copy of the rules and other information.

Full information regarding the competition can be obtained from the manager of any branch bank in the locality where a fair is held.

The girls of the Waterdown Juvenile Club, who conducted a booth at the garden party, wish to thank Mrs. Davidson, who so kindly gave her services as accompanist for the drill. Also Miss Clara Savell and Mr. Alton for donations of candy.

The committee in charge of the booth were Olive Tuck, Madeline Fretwell, Eileen Wright, Bessie Facey, Grace Alton, Evelyn Griffin, Marne Duncan, Evelyn Everett and Laura Richards.

The hanging basket, which was drawn at the garden party, was donated by the Waterdown Juvenile Club, and not as stated in last week's paper.