

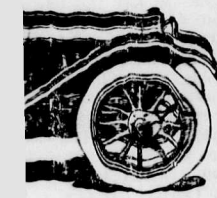
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## **Ford** New Prices Aug. 1, 1916

The following prices for Ford cars will be effective on and after August 1st, 1916.

Chassis	\$450.00
Runabout	475.00
Touring Car	495.00
Coupelet	695.00
Town Car	780.00
Sedan	890.00

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These prices are positively guaranteed against any reduction before August 1st, 1917, but there is no guarantee against an advance in price at any time.

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## **Ploughs**

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## **MAKING THE GREAT CANADA.**

(Cleveland Plain Dealer.)

The sacrifices that our big sister who lives next door to us on the north is making to do her share for the Mother Country in the present war of Europeans are so vast and inspiring that they challenge the admiration of the world. Nobody likes a fight, but everyone loves a person who fights well when called upon to put up a battle. Nobody courts trouble, but everybody feels like cheering a plucky soul who, being in trouble, goes sturdily about the task of forcing an honorable way out of it.

Germany blames Britain for the present conflict. Britain blames Germany. It can be safely stated, however, that Canada and the Canadians are without the pale of European political hatred. The Canadian fights without political rancor. He fights because it is his duty and he goes about the performance of it calmly, deliberately. Your Canadian is not a boastful person. Of his soldierly exploits in the present war—and they have been glorious ones—he says nothing.

With Canada it is a simple matter of fighting from a sense of responsibility to the British Empire. Canada has not shirked that responsibility. She is not fighting because she loves war and enjoys the daily perusal of casualty lists. Her griefs are such that a people less staunch and loyal would be crushed under their weight. The war has dealt heavily with the great Dominion. She has given freely the best of her manhood to the British cause—a sublime spectacle of unselfishness and devotion to principle.

Her reward? There must be a reward for such heroic sacrifice. It will probably come from the fact that a great sorrow binds those who feel it closer and closer together. The war is a bitter trial to the Canadian spirit, but the trial will leave the Dominion eventually a stronger, greater country than ever. Canada is suffering much, but she suffers uncomplainingly and the tempering process of affliction, added to the cohesive influence of a great cause that demands universal sacrifice on the part of her sons, will mean a country more glorious when the days of trouble are past.

A new method of fish refrigeration has been invented in Denmark. It consists of freezing the fish by direct submersion in a fluid cooled off to 15 degrees below zero, centigrade, the fish being frozen in two to four hours. The inventor claims that by this quick method the fish tissues are not broken, the fish keep their dried and natural appearance on being thawed, and the slime is not dried up as it is when the freezing is done in air, but forms a protective layer around the fish. A French Government expert who studied the new system made a favorable report concerning it.

The sugar production of Formosa has risen since the island was taken over by the Japanese in 1895 from 75,000 to 350,000 tons annually. Millions of dollars have been invested by Japanese in sugar mills in Formosa, and the war has further stimulated the trade in sugar there. According to The Manchuria Daily News, 31,000 tons of Formosa sugar are to be sent to Australia, 3,000 tons to Hong Kong, 15,000 tons to Canada, and 25,000 tons to India, China, Manchuria, and Korea.

## **C. O. Learn**

REAL ESTATE BULLETIN

For Sale or Exchange—\$2,500 will purchase 100 acres of land within two miles of Calton. God barn, small orchard, 65 acres cleared, well watered; would make a good stock farm. Will exchange for small farm near Aylmer—Apply to C. O. Learn, Aylmer, Ont.

For Sale—100 acres, N. 1 Lot 12, Con. 4, Bayham; soil sandy and clay loam; fair farm buildings; good orchard; convenient to church, school, and village; a very fair farm for the small sum of \$2,500—Apply to C. O. Learn, Aylmer, Ont.

For Sale—Three modern houses two minutes walk from Post Office. An investment. Apply to C. O. Learn, Aylmer.

For Sale—100 acres, parts of Lots 5 and 6, Concession 4, Bayham. Large cherry orchard, 225 trees; large hip roof barn; 9-room House, and other outbuildings. This is a good productive farm, and is offered at a bargain, as the proprietor has purchased a larger farm—Apply to C. O. Learn, Aylmer, Ont.

For Sale—35 acres of Choice Land, suitable for Market Gardening, half-mile from New Sarum; fair buildings, good orchard, 4 acres of timber. The price is right—Apply to C. O. Learn, Aylmer, Ont.

## **Digestive Troubles**

cause headache, biliousness, constipation, impure blood and other unpleasant symptoms. If these troubles are neglected they weaken the body and open the way for serious illness. Many chronic diseases may be traced back to indigestion that could have been immediately

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## **OLD-FASHIONED COURTESY.**

It was characteristic of the late Lord Strathcona that he adhered to his life to old-fashioned politeness in letter writing. He long shrank from the use of an amanuensis or a typewriter as being a breach of courtesy. He patterned the openings and subscriptions of his letters on the old Hudson's Bay model. Even the longest or most official letter he persisted in writing by hand at an almost incredible cost in time and patience. On one occasion, which Mr. Beckles Wilson notes in his "Life of Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal," at least considerable physical suffering was involved. He had had the misfortune while in Scotland to fracture one of the bones of his right wrist. His arm was put in splints, and while chafing under the restraint, he seized the occasion to make a voyage to Canada by way of New York.

In transit his arm became worse, the inflammation spread, and he became unable to leave his berth. On arriving at New York he was met by Sir William Van Horne, who found him in a very feverish and distressed state. Nevertheless, he insisted on accompanying his friend immediately to Montreal, where he was induced to put himself in the care of a surgeon. What preyed upon his mind most was that he had a number of letters to answer.

"But," urged his friend, "you can employ an amanuensis."

"I've never done such a thing," Lord Strathcona declared emphatically. "It would give great offence, I assure you. I have always written my letters myself, and I must do so now."

But after considerable argument he consented to try the experiment.

"At least, I must sign the letters," was his stipulation. "Put the pen between my fingers, and, although it will perhaps be a little difficult and painful, I must certainly sign the letters myself."

So the letters were dictated, and when the sheets were brought to him the invalid begged to be left alone to consider them and affix his signature. A pen was fastened between two of his disengaged fingers and a bottle of ink placed on the table.

When, a couple of hours later, the secretary entered to despatch the correspondence, he found that to every letter Lord Strathcona had added a postscript, scrawled slowly and painfully, explaining how and why the writer had been forced to depart from his lifelong practice of writing his own letters and apologizing for doing so.

"And in every case," concludes the narrator of the anecdote, "the postscript was longer than the body of the letter."

Many of the best and largest steamers belonging to Dutch companies have been withdrawn from service between Holland and East Indian and South American ports on account of the danger from submarines and mines and the prohibitive rates of war risk insurance. Only smaller boats will be operated on these routes until there is a material improvement in conditions, it is announced. The result of these withdrawals is a threatened shortage of various East Indian and South American products in Holland and such a congestion of passenger traffic that accommodations on steamers from Amsterdam to East Indian points are booked for months ahead.

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

## **INFANTILE PARALYSIS.**

WHAT IS IT?

The following instructions regarding infantile paralysis are issued by the Provincial Board of Health:

Infantile paralysis, also called anterior poliomyelitis, is a communicable disease chiefly of children between the ages of two and fourteen years. Older children and adults may also be affected by the disease.

The cause is unknown. It is known, however, that the agent causing the disease is present in the secretions of the nose and mouth and in the intestinal tract from being swallowed.

The disease is epidemic in some United States cities and in at least one town in Ontario.

It is believed that infantile paralysis is spread from one child to another by means of the secretions of the nose and mouth by direct transfer. It is possible also that it is spread by flies which have been in contact with intestinal discharges. It may become widespread in country as well as in crowded city districts, and persons who have been in contact with cases of the disease may harbor the contagion and give it to others without contracting the disease themselves; that is, they are "carriers."

What to Do About It.

1. Every case must be quarantined for a period of six weeks.
2. All children who have been in contact with a case must be quarantined and kept under observation for a period of two weeks.
3. Adult members of the family who are wage earners may be allowed to go about their work subject to the regulations of the Provincial Board and on the discretion of the Medical Officer of Health.
4. Where there is an outbreak, gatherings of children, such as picnics, picture shows, and playgrounds should be prohibited.
5. The source of origin of each case should be carefully inquired into in order that proper quarantine may be maintained.
6. In houses where cases appear all doors and windows should be screened, the premises kept clean, and no accumulation of garbage or waste permitted.
7. All cases should be at once notified to the Medical Officer of Health, and by him to the Chief Officer of the Provincial Board.
8. Mild cases, showing slight headache, rise of temperature and vomiting persisting for a few days with slight muscular weakness and absence of paralysis, should be quarantined. These are probably one of the chief sources of contagion.
9. As infantile paralysis is a most one of the chief sources of contagion, serious disease, and in the present epidemic giving a high death-rate, the public is urged to second the efforts of the authorities in every way in order to prevent a severe outbreak in the province.
10. All materials, such as cloths, etc., carrying secretions and discharges from patients, should be burned, boiled, or disinfected.

If the disease shows any tendency to spread, special quarantine measures may be necessary.

JOHN W. McCULLOUGH,  
Chief Officer of Health.

## **SOME HOLIDAY "DONT'S."**

Already our newspapers report quite a formidable list of drowning accidents at holiday resorts, even though the holiday season can scarcely be said to have more than begun. The sense of tragedy about all these accidents is nearly always heightened greatly by the fact that they were clearly preventable, and that by the exercise of the most ordinary amount of care and good judgment. It seems almost hopeless to advise some people in these matters, for they will persist in being foolish and taking all sorts of chances; and yet holiday resort statistics indicate that the people as a whole are learning to take care much more than they did. The persistent effort to instruct and advise holiday-makers is bearing fruit.

Of course there would seem very little excuse nowadays for any person not knowing how to swim, and if everyone who ventured into a canoe or went in for a dip could swim even a little, the number of drowning accidents would be very greatly reduced. But the fact that one can swim, and even swim well, does not by any means ensure him against accident on the water. The swimmer may be presumptuous and foolish just as the man who cannot swim often is.

"Which are the pictures in your gallery which you value most highly?" "I dunno," replied Mr. Cumrox. "Mother and the girls told the man to go round and take off the price marks I had put on 'em before I had time to learn 'em by heart."



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## **VOTERS' LISTS, 1916.**

Of the Town of Aylmer, in the County of Elgin.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That I have transmitted or delivered to the Persons mentioned in Section 9 of the Ontario Voters' List Act, the Copies required by said sections to be transmitted or delivered of the List, made pursuant to said Act, of Persons appearing by the last Revised Assessment Roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at Elections for Members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections; and that the said List was first posted up at my office at Aylmer, on the 29th day of July, 1916, and remains there for inspection.

And I hereby call upon all Voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law.

Dated Aylmer, July 29th, 1916.  
D. C. DAVIS,  
Clerk of Aylmer.

## **NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**

In the matter of the Estate of John Richardson, late of the Township of Malahide, in the County of Elgin, Yeoman, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, Pursuant to Section 56, of the Trustee Act, being Chapter 121, Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, that all Creditors and other Persons having any Claims whatsoever against the Estate or Property of John Richardson, late of the Township of Malahide, in the County of Elgin, Yeoman, who died on or about the Ninth day of May, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixteen, are on or before the Twentieth day of August, A.D. 1916, to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executor of the last Will and Testament of the said John Richardson, Deceased, at his office, Brown House Block, Aylmer, Ontario, a statement in writing of their names and addresses, and full particulars of Claims with Vouchers, and the nature and value of all securities (if any) held by them.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN, That after the said last-mentioned date, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the Claims of which notice shall have been received as above required, and the said Executor will not be liable or responsible to any person of whose Claim notice shall not have been received as aforesaid, at the time of such distribution for the Assets of the Estate or any part thereof so distributed.

Dated at Aylmer, this Thirtieth day of July, A.D. 1916.

A. E. HAINES,  
Solicitor for the Executor,  
Arthur Earl Richardson.

## **NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**

In the matter of the Estate of John Chambers, late of the Township of Malahide, in the County of Elgin, Yeoman, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, Pursuant to Section 56 of the Trustee Act, being Chapter 121, Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, that all Creditors and other persons having any Claims whatsoever upon or against the Estate or Property of John Chambers, late of the Township of Malahide, in the County of Elgin, Yeoman, who died on or about the Thirtieth day of January, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixteen, are on or before the Tenth day of August, A.D. 1916, to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executors of the last Will and Testament of the said John Chambers, Deceased, at his office, Brown House Block, Aylmer, Ontario, a statement in writing of their names and addresses, and full particulars of Claims, with Vouchers, and the nature and value of all Securities, if any, held by them; and

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN, That after the said last-mentioned date, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the Claims of which notice shall have been received as above required; and the said Executors will not be liable or responsible to any person of whose claim notice shall not have been received as aforesaid, at the time of such distribution of the Assets of the Estate or any part thereof so distributed.

Dated at Aylmer, this Tenth day of July, A.D. 1916.

A. E. HAINES,  
Solicitor for the Executors,  
Solon Chambers,  
John Rowan Summers,  
Albert Chambers.