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DAIRY FARMS

Prizes To Be Awarded For The Best

Farms A committee, composed of leading farmers and dairymen, have completed arrangements for the holding this year of a dairy farm competition through Ontario. The prizes will consist of sixty gold and silver medals and diplomas, as well as a large number of special prizes, the details of which have not yet

been arranged.

The province will be divided into four districts as follows: From Kingston east; from Kingston to Younge street, Toronto; Western Ontario, north and south of a line of the contario of the co Ontario, north and south of a line running from Hamilton to Goderich. There will be a competition this year for the best farms in each district and five gold medals and ten silver medals will be offered this year in each district.

The first outsiness.

Percy M. Stinson, aged 23, of London, was instantly killed on the G. T. R. tracks, one mile east of Dorchester. It is supposed that the young man met death by stepping from one track directly into the path of an engine on another.

The farms will be judged twice; once about July 1, and again some time during December, thus giving the judges an opportunity to see the farms under winter and summer

conditions. Next year the farms in Eastern Ontario and all farms in Western Ontario, which win prizes in the competition this year, will be allowed to compete in special competitions to decide the best farm in Eastern Ontario and the best farm in Western Ontario. They were from Western Ontario. Two years from now it is proposed to hold a final competition, in which the leading farms for both Eastern and Western

farms for both Eastern and Western Ontario will compete, to decide the best farm in the Province. Exceptionally fine prizes will be offered in this final competition.

All branches of farm work will be included in the competition. In all, 1,000 points will be allowed. These points have been subdivided as follows: house and surroundings, 150: farm buildings, 150: live stock. 150; farm buildings, 150; live stock, 200; crops, 200; farm management, 150; farm machinery, 75; permanent improvement, 75. Several prizes will be offered to the farms that score the highest points on the house and surroundings; on poultry; on orchards and other similar departments. 150; farm buildings, 150; live stock, epartments.
Competitions of this kind were

held in Ontario some 25 years ago, and created great interest. The gold medal farmer in the Province at that time was Simpson Rennie, the well-known Farmers' Institute speaker, who now lives in Toronto.

RETURNED \$2,500 TO COMPANY

Galt, May 14.—An interesting bit of fire insurance history has just come to light in the official records

allowed \$6,250. At their next stocktaking the firm became convinced they really had not lost more than \$3,750. Having confirmed this by a second stock-taking they immedia second stock-taking they immediately returned the fire insurance companies \$2,500, overpaid by them, the share of the Gore being \$289,43. The explanatory letter was ordered inscribed in the company's minutes in full, and a resolution record by R. S. Stranger, which is the stranger of the company's minutes in full, and a resolution record by R. S. Stranger, which is the stranger of the company is the stranger of the company of the compa lution, moved by R. S. Strong, seconded by W. K. McNaught, M.L.A., was passed, expressing the appreci-tion of the high-minded and honorable course pursued by the Messrs.

COBBLER'S KNIFE SLIPPED

London, May 14.—John Hatton, a Dun-das Street cobbler, was taken to Victoria Hospital this afternoon with three knife wounds in his wrist, side and throat, the wounds in his wrist, side and throat, the origin of which is as yet unexplained. His brother came in fron dinner and found the man trying to tie up the wound in his wrist. At the hospital he was so weak that he could give no coherent account of the accident. It is thought that his knife slipped while cutting a piece of leather. His recovery is doubtful.

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manner of repatrs, at my usual moderate prices. Galt hospital netted \$1000 from tag day, Opp. McINTYRE HOUSE

************** NOT FAR FROM HOME News Gathered From Our Ex-

changes and Various Sources

**************** The population of Tillsonburg is Philip H. Volmar, of Chatham, while walking around the house, fell dead. He was 87 years of age.

The total assessment of Tilbury is \$360,449, and the population 1,463. The population shows a falling off of 83.

Chatham is trying to secure a sugar beet factory, but the promoters want \$100,000 in local capital before they will

Mrs. Emily Crouch, whose suit for damages against the Pere Marquette was heard at the Kent assizes, was awarded \$1,200 and costs for the death of her husband in 1907, when he and daughter as well as Dayid Toll, were killed by a train.

The Eric Wollen Mills, Dunnville, owned by John Slingsby, were destroyed by fire Sunday evening. No one was in the building and the gas was cut off outside so that the fire is thought to have been caused by spontaneous combustion. The loss is estimated at \$12,000, insured for \$8,000.

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&Gladys Schram, while walking with her mother in Chatham, was attacked and frightfully bitten by a stray bull mastiff. She was knocked down and terribly bitten about the face and arms before her mother could tear her away. Fourteen stitches were necessary in treating the wounds. The dog has been shot. There are no traces of hydrophobia.

D. G. Willson, one of the most pron D. G. Willson, one of the most prominent residents of Howard, died at his home on April 29. He was the eldest son of the late John Willson and was born in Howard on the Willson homestead, adjoining Ridgetown, on Sept. 7, 1842. He married Catharine McKinlay, who with a son and two daughters surpression. who with a son and two daughters surwhe him. The deceased was a most
successful farmer, and his farm and
residence were the finest in the township. For many years he was active in
the Howard Agricultural Society and
always took a leading part in municipal
and political affairs, although never a
candidate for office. He was a staunch
member and supporter of the Presey. member and supporter of the Presby-tarian church. Relatives from Dun-wich attended the funeral.

WOMAN KILLED

And Another Injured While Walking on

Sidewalk at Oil Springs come to light in the official records of the Gore District Company of this town.

A. H. Lofft and Company, dry goods merchants, St. Marys, had a loss by fire, for which the adjusters allowed \$6,250. At their next stock. stantly killed, the sidewalk crushing her skull. Josie Traun sustained only slight injuries. Both ladies were on their way to the station to take a train when the fatality happened. The freak of the elements in gathering up the moss off the boards and planks, which was seen by many, was one of the most peculiar. For twenty feet the walk on which the women were on, was carried—women scantling and all. Then with a swishing sound, the planks and its load of human freight were hurled to a deep ditch be-low. The sidewalk fell on both women.

SAME AS REAL INDIAN

Chatham Indian Lister Refuses to Pay

Taxes
Chatham, May 15.—An interesting
point has been brought up in connection
with the Indian listers or restricted perwith the Indian listers or restricted persons in this city, of which there are close onto one hundred, some of whom are large property owners.

One of the men on the list was recently served with a notice to pay his taxes. It is a well-known fact that Indians do not restricted persons in the service of th

taxes. It is a well-known fact that Indians do not pay taxes, and this man claims that he is in the same class, as he has been put on the Indian list in respect to privileges of the city.

He announces that he will appear before the city council at their next meeting dressed in a blanket and with feathers in his bair, to plead his case. If he gets out of paying his taxes there are others who will take the same course, and the city will find it expensive work putting on the probibitive list.

CROPS IN APRIL

Statement Issued by Government Census Office

Ottawa, May 12.—The census and statistics office issued to-day a statement of crops and live stock for the month of April. Vegetation is later than usual this year, and seeding has been delayed by the weather conditions throughout the northwest Provinces. Winter wheat at the end of April was winter wheat at the end of April was uniform in all parts of Ontario and compared with a standard crop it ranks at 76.5 per cent. Hay and clover average 83 per cent. Fodder for stock has been ample, as is denoted by the condition of farm animals. Horses are 92 per cent. of standard, milch cows, 88; other horned cattle, \$4; swine, 91, and sheep 85.50 per cent. 85.50 per cent.

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TO SOLVE KINRADE MYSTERY

Attorney-General Says the Government Does Not Intend to Drop the Matter

Toronto, May 14.—"The crown investigation of the Kiurade murder will continue. The case has not been dropped—it never will be dropped until it has been solved. The mills of justice may seem for a time to grind slowly, but in view of the department, the slow course is the sure course in this unusual and unfortunate case."

Hon. J. Foy, the attorney-general, made the foregoing official statement in

made the foregoing official statement in an interview following the meeting of the provincial cabinet yesterday. The statement bespeaks the decision of the

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Hon. Mr. Foy pointed out that the Government reward offered was still standing, and the department would appeciate all information. In the meantime, it is understood, Inspectors Miller and Rogers are being detained on the case, as well as an officer on the other side of the line. It is known that the department is in touch with the United States authorities through the American consul.

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The Attorney-General has gone over the reports of the crown counsel and the alienists in detail. He has also had before him the letter of Foreman R. B. Spera, of the coroner's jury, and the verdict, and the crown course has been determined in view of all these documents. Speaking of the foreman's communication, Mr. Foy said it had been fully considered, as had also the recommendation in the verdict. In view of the fact that the responsibility now rested with the department, the minister felt that his course must be determined felt that his course must be determined with that fact in view. There had been too much speculative sensationalism. The crown could not afford to precipitate an abortive action in so serious a case.

ANOTHER OUTBREAK

Report That Cattle Disease Has Re-appeared in Michigan

Windsor, May 17—It is reliably reported to-night that the foot and mouth disease has again broken out in Michigan. The location of the outbreak is given as Volina Township, in Cass County, about seventy-five miles from Detroit.

The Department of Agriculture at Washington has been notified, and will start an immediate investigation.

ADULTERATION OF COFFEE

A bulletin has been issued by the Inland Revenue Department in re-gard to the examination of ground coffee made in various parts of the Dominion, showing that while adulterations still are made, the practice is growing less. Of the 449 samples purchased by the inspectors in October, 45 were adulterated, or 77 meant, parts while on a part while 87 per cent. pure, while on a previous occasion only 60 per cent. was found to be unadulterated. Adulteration consists, as on former occasions, of addition of roasted cereals or of chicory, or of both cereals and chicory to e

in regard to the presence of chic-ory, the report says: Many coffee consumers are accustomed to using coffee containing small percent-ages of chicory, and would be likely to complain did their grocer fail to add the complain did their grocer fail to add the chicory. Hence the retail grocer becomes accustomed to such addition, and one can well understand how a subordinate may consider himself as doing no more than habit and duty require, in adding an ounce or so of chicory to the pound of coffee. He is only furnishing such an article as he believed his customer wanted.

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No such explanation can be given for addition of roasted grain to coffee; this is simply a fraud, unless the addition be

MILK COMMISSION

Toronto, May 14.—Dr. A. R. Pyne, brother of the Minister of Education, and an analyst of note, it is understood, has been selected by the Ontario Gov-ernment as chairman of the new milk

enment as chairman of the new milk commission. The personnel of the commission will include J. R. Dargavel, M.L.A.; Finlay Macdiarmid, M.L.A., and W. F. Nickle, M.L.A.

The commission will hold their meetings in different parts of the Province, as may be convenient to the work in hand. It is understood that they will commence their dytics about they are commence their duties about the end of the present month.

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Hypolite Mailloun, the wealthiest landowner in Sandwich West, died Monday, aged 79 years. Before he distributed his property he had 900 acres, and was worth \$100,000. He was a son of Peter Mailloux, who was born where Windsor now stands, in 1790.

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