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THE KIDNEYS AND THE SKIN.

In the spring the kidneys have much to do. If they are weak or torpid, they will not do it well, and the skin will be pimply or blotchy. That is telling the story in a few words. Hood's Sarsaparilla strengthens and stimulates the kidneys, cures and prevents pimples, blotches and all cutaneous eruptions. Don't fail to take it. Buy a bottle to day.

A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING.

TOPICS OF INTEREST GATHERED FROM FAR AND NEAR FOR REPORTER READERS . .

Albert Miller, of Millhaven, started ploughing on Monday, 17th inst.

The Toledo stage has changed hands, the new proprietor being J. G. Stevens who succeeds Mr. Somerville

The grist mill at Chaffoy's locks on the Rideau canal, has been reopened under the management of Mr. H. Woodruff

On Friday last the water in Wilts creek, (the outlet of Charleston lake), was higher than the lake itself and as a consequence the water ran up stream into the lake.

The Algonquin butter factory began operations on Tuesday under the management of a Mr. Whaley, of Athens, who arrived last week but will not move his family here until the roads are settled.

Two popular young residents of Elgin, Miss Cheney and Frank Seed, were united in marriage at that place on Thursday morning last by Rev. Mr. Philip. Mr. and Mrs. Seed took the B. & W. train for Brockville on a honeymoon trip.

A serious accident occurred to Herbert Earl, of Algonquin recently. He is a sufferer from asthma and took by mistake a large dose of wood alcohol (a deadly poison) which made him totally blind for a time but he says his sight is slowly returning.

"Billy" Neilson, Lyn's popular butcher, has joined the ranks of the benedictines. He was quietly married at Napanee on Wednesday last to Miss Jennie Gunn of that place, the ceremony taking place at the home of the bride's mother. Congratulations.

"How much is the toll?" asked two old women of an Indiana toll-gate keeper. "Twenty cents for a man and a horse," answered the gate keeper. "Well, then, get out of the way; we are two old women and a mare. Get up, Jenny." As the two old women went flying down the road the old man simply exclaimed: "By Gum!"

Hereafter anyone in Ontario compelled to take an oath may do so if he wishes after the Scotch fashion of up-lifting the hand and repeating the following words: "I swear by Almighty God, as I shall answer to God at the great day of judgment, that I shall tell the whole truth, and nothing but the truth so far as I know it, and the same shall be asked of me."

Just as a traveller was writing his name on the register of a Lavenworth hotel, a bed bug appeared and took its way across the page. The traveller paused and remarked: "I've been bit by St. Joe fleas, bitten by Kansas city spiders, and interviewed by Fort Scott greybacks, but I'll be darned if I ever was in a place before where the bedbugs looked over the hotel register to find out where my room was."

Owing to bad weather and the breaking up of the roads the revival services in the Methodist church, Addison, had to close. They were highly interesting and were well attended, many coming from Athens and Greenbush. The meetings were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Lawson, who preached some very practical and earnest sermons which were highly appreciated.

A remarkable discovery has been made in county Mayo, Ireland, where a wooden boat, believed to be nearly 2,000 years old, has been dug up by some laborers. They struck something hard with their spades, and at first thought it was a coffin. Later, a boat, beautifully carved from the trunk of an oak tree, was revealed. It was 46 feet long and showed absolutely no signs of decay. The wood was so hard that hatchets made scarcely any impression on it.

At the late session of the Ontario Legislature the Game Laws were amended in order to provide an open season for moose from Oct. 15th to Nov. 1st in each year in the region north of the main line of the C.P.R., between Mattawa and Port Arthur, and south of the main line: an open season for moose and caribou from Nov. 1st to 15th. For some time it has been against the law to shoot these game animals, but the policy of protection has been attended with such favorable results that it was no longer desirable to maintain it.

Newspaper subscribers often wonder why a publisher keeps on sending the paper when the subscription has expired. An exchange thus explains the matter:—When a subscription is paid to a certain time, and the time expires and the paper stops, it looks as if the editor doubted the integrity of the subscriber, and in nine cases out of ten the subscriber will give the editor a calling down for insinuating that his credit was not good. Rather than cast any reflection against a neighbor's honesty to pay a small debt it has been customary for newspapers to continue sending the paper after the time has expired. The city weeklies and dailies do not generally follow this rule as their subscribers are at a distance, and, besides, they are not acquainted with them and do not know their financial standing. One should deem it an honor to know that his credit is not doubted when the publishers continue to send the paper. Should the subscriber desire to have his paper discontinued he should inform the publisher and remit to date, if any amount is owing.

DELIVERY OF Massey-Harris Machinery.

One Hundred and Nineteen Machines delivered at Athens on Saturday Last by Alex Taylor.

Saturday last was a busy day for the Massey-Harris agents in Athens. For two days Mr. Taylor, the local agent, had been busy with a gang of men unloading the machinery to be delivered to the farmers. The spring like weather and the busy time in the sugar bushes prevented a large number from coming for their machinery, and quite a few loaded up and started for home without coming down to add to the display on the street and partake of the excellent dinners provided at the two hotels for their patrons by the Massey-Harris Company. Nearly 50 patrons sat down to dinner and, when the tables were cleared those who had their dinner at the Armstrong house went down to the Gamble house where a meeting was organized, by appointing Thos. Berney, a former local agent of the company, to act as chairman.

Mr. McLean the general agent of the Company for this district was first called upon. He said this was the 10th or 12th place he had assisted in delivering machines this spring and he found, in talking with the farmers who had bought their machines from Mr. Taylor, all loud in their praise of his manner of doing business. He could say on behalf of the Company that they were bound to turn out a good machine and have none but reliable men as their agents, and from the remarks made in his hearing to-day he believed that the patrons were well satisfied with the machines formerly bought, and also with Mr. Taylor.

Mr. S. A. Taplin, although not a very extensive buyer of machinery, was glad to say that anything he had purchased from the Massey-Harris Company had given him the best of satisfaction. He contrasted the advance in the manner of doing the work on the farm 40 or 50 years ago with to-day and thought that with the labor-saving tools which the farmer now had that their lot was one of the most desirable for any young man to choose.

A. E. Donovan, while not a farmer, was proud to be associated with that great army of 900,000 of the stalwarts of the country in gatherings like this. These annual gatherings of the farmers with the agent of the Company were productive of much good in creating a mutual confidence in each other. He was a believer in the credit system adopted by the great manufacturing concerns of the country as many a man, while not able to pay cash for a piece of machinery, felt impelled to greater exertion to meet their payments promptly.

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A. W. Johnston, Charleston, said had he consulted his private intarsata he would have remained at home with his sugar bush, but, believing that these gatherings were just what the farmers wanted to get acquainted with each other and be able to select the best kind of machinery, he decided to come. In his younger days there was not such need of machinery as now. Help was plenty and cheap in those days but now with the scarcity of help and the high price of labor it was imperative for them to have lots of machinery and that of the best kind. Referring to Mr. Taylor, who took Mr. Berney's place as local agent only a couple of years ago, he was of opinion that Taylor was the best man of the two for the business, as it was quite possible to trade or dicker a little with Aleck which could not be done with Berney.

Messrs. J. K. Knowlton, Chantry, and Wm. Henderson, Greenbush, excused themselves from making a speech.

The chairman then called upon B. Loverin, of the Reporter, who, as the oldest machine agent present, might be able to give them some pointers. Mr. Loverin said that it was over 40 years ago when he first commenced to handle machinery. As Mr. Johnston had remarked it was much harder to sell machines in those days than at present. The old style farmers thought the cradle and grass scythe were good enough to harvest the grain sown by hand and covered with a few iron pins driven through a wooden frame. He was the first agent to introduce the self-rake reaper, steel-tooth horse rake and wind mill into this part of Ontario. Mr. Anderson responded to the call as one of the general agents for the section which closed the speech making. The teams were then hitched on to the loads and drawn up in form in front of Mr. Taylor's salesrooms where an excellent kodak view of the loaded wagons and the crowd congregated to see them off, was taken by the Reporter's kodak.

REAR YONGE AND ESCOTT COUNCIL.

A special meeting of the council was called by the reeve on Thursday, 20th inst., at one o'clock to take into consideration the Counties' Road System By-law. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read, adopted and signed by reeve and clerk.

The council decided to neither accept nor reject the by-law until next meeting.

John Hudson was appointed pound keeper in the place of Wm. Jacobs, resigned. \$35 was granted to repair the town line road between John Shaw's residence and the corner near Mr. Breece's on condition that Elizabethtown give an equal amount. Messrs. Joynt and Breece were appointed to oversee the work.



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The clerk was instructed to procure six copies of the Municipal World for the use of the council and an order was given on the treasurer for \$5 to pay for same.

Mrs. George Brown was given an order for \$4 for taking care of Mrs. Baker four weeks.

Council adjourned until May 28th at one o'clock then to meet as a Court of Revision.

R. E. CORNELL, clerk.

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