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WORLD OF SPORT

HOCKEY

Glencoe defeated Dutton at the former place on Monday night, 8-3. The local team are putting in some hard practice and a number of matches are being arranged. Rodney will have a fairly strong team this year, as all of last year's players, Pinfold, Thomas, H. and A. McGill, Vogan and Young are available, and, with McPherson, formerly of Dutton, should put up a pretty good argument. A number of others are at it, too, so the citizens will have the opportunity of seeing a few contests before the season closes. —Rodney Mercury.

The return hockey match on Tuesday night, played here with Essex, resulted in a dispute, the visitors claiming the result a tie, and the home team say it was 3 to 2 in the local's favor, claiming that the goal was scored after time, but before the referee (A. Cowley) had blown his whistle. There was a fair attendance, the receipts being over \$6. — Tilbury Times

THE GUN

A grand shooting match, for 300 live pigeons, will be held in Belle River on Wednesday, Jan. 21, at Seguin's hotel. The match will be between Tilbury and Belle River, but will be open to all. The event will close with an oyster supper and dance at night. Everybody welcome. —Tilbury Times.

FAMINE IN SWEDEN.

Seventy Thousand Persons Are Starving.

London, Jan. 16.—Telegrams from Stockholm, Sweden, confirm the distressing accounts of the famine in northern Sweden. About 70,000 persons are affected by the famine, which extends from the 61st to the 67th degree north latitude, and from the Gulf of Bothnia and the Russian border far into the interior. The starving people are eating pine bark, which is dried, ground to powder, and mixed with a kind of Iceland moss, and made into a stew of famine bread.

Coincident with the failure of the crops is the extreme scarcity of fish. The fishermen return from their expeditions empty-handed. Even ptarmigan (grouse of the northern regions), usually found in great numbers in the stricken district, have almost completely disappeared.

It is estimated that the expenditure of about \$5,000,000 will be necessary to save the population from starvation. Thus far about \$200,000 have been subscribed, of which sum over \$12,500 was sent by the Swedes in the United States. This amount does not include the money necessary to save the cattle or supply seed for the spring sowings. The peasants are making pathetic sacrifices to avert the extermination of the hardy northern cattle. In previous times of severity good fodder was obtainable by mixing reindeer moss and aspen bark. Now this is not available, and finely-chopped twigs of birch, willow and aspen are substituted. The mixture is boiled and fed to the cattle warm, but it is found that the milk of cattle thus fed leads to typhoid fever. This and other diseases are certain to spread unless relief is hastened.

The situation threatens a repetition of the terrible famine of 1867, when thousands died from starvation and typhoid. A special commissioner of the Swedish Government, who has just returned from the scene of the distress, emphasizes the necessity for the adoption of immediate plans to avert the disaster. His report has caused a most painful impression, and will, it is hoped, enhance the national efforts to provide remedial measures. Up to the present, 1,600 carloads of wheat, valued at over \$100,000, represent the total quantity of provisions and fodder shipped to the famine-stricken area.

COST OF RAW MATERIALS.

Cheaper Abroad Than in the United States.

Washington, Jan. 16.—At a hearing given by the House Ways and Means Committee to various manufacturing interests, concerning imported materials, W. H. Seaver of the National Wire Company said that steel billets and raw material cost about \$10 a ton less abroad than at home. He added: "At the present time we can buy it abroad and pay the duty cheaper than we can buy it at home." Conditions, however, he said, are somewhat abnormal at this time.

"Is there any one company or corporation that controls the price of raw material in this country?" was asked. "I should say yes," answered Mr. Seaver; "that being the United States Steel Corporation."

"What has been their act toward raising or lowering prices?" Mr. Seaver asked.

"Their policy has been to retain the prices at such a high level that the independent concerns have found it very difficult to live," replied Mr. Seaver. Replying to a question as to the average price of steel in this country and abroad, Mr. Seaver said: "I know it to be a fact that in spite of the enormous demand of this country certain companies are still holding on to the export business at prices which I know are very much less than those obtained in this country. I know the steel corporation has offered wire rods in Canada at a price which is several dollars less than they offered the same rods for domestic use."

C. H. Cramp of the shipbuilding firm said that steel billets cost \$27 a ton abroad and \$49 here. It cost more under ordinary conditions to build ships here than abroad because of the higher price of labor.

Force of character often is more pronounced in what is not done than in what is done.

The world is wide, but some people take a decidedly narrow view of it.

"Shut your eyes, open your mouth and see what luck will bring you."

The mother smiles at the childish game, and doesn't realize that it is a game she as a woman has perhaps played for a great many years.

Many a woman is weak and sick, nervous and discouraged. She suffers from headache, backache and other ills. She wants to be well, but all she does is to shut her eyes and open her mouth for medicine and trust to luck for results.

She "doctors" month after month, often year after year, in this same blind, hap-hazard fashion, and receives no permanent benefit.

Women take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

"My disease was displacement and ulceration of the uterus, and I was in a terrible condition with pain and weakness. I had heard of ever being well again," writes Mrs. Harry A. Brown, of Orono, Penobscot Co., Me. "I had doctored with four different doctors in four months and instead of getting better was growing weaker all the time. I decided to try your 'Favorite Prescription.' 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Pellets,' as I had heard of the many cures resulting from their use. I bought five bottles and felt so much better after taking them that I kept on until I am well as ever in my life, and to Dr. Pierce all the praise is due. I cannot say enough in favor of his medicine. Before I began taking your medicines I only weighed one hundred and twenty pounds. I now weigh one hundred and sixty pounds. I gained forty pounds in six months. I shall doctor no more with home doctors. It is only waste of money. I am now in perfect health, thanks to Dr. Pierce's 'Favorite Prescription.'"

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets clear the muddy complexion.

ANOTHER GIFT OF \$45,500.

Sir William Macdonald Gives \$170,500 to Guelph College.

Guelph, Jan. 16.—President Mills of the Agricultural College has been advised by Prof. Robertson that Sir William Macdonald has decided to give a further sum of \$45,500 toward the erection and furnishing of the two Macdonald buildings for manual training and domestic science. Sir William, makes a total of \$170,500. The additional sum has been thought necessary owing to the increased cost of building. The news has naturally caused much satisfaction at the college, where the completion of the Macdonald Institute and the Macdonald Hall on a splendid scale is now assured.

REMARKABLE SUCCESS

Of a New Catarrh Cure

A large and constantly increasing majority of the American people are suffering from catarrhs. This is entirely the result of our changeable climate, but because modern investigation has clearly proven that many diseases, known by other names, are really catarrhs. Formerly the name catarrh was applied almost exclusively to the common nasal catarrh, but the throat, stomach, liver, bladder, kidneys and intestines are subject to catarrhal diseases as well as the nasal passages.

In fact, wherever there is mucous membrane there is a feeding ground for catarrh.

The usual remedies, inhalers, sprays, douches or powders, have been practically failures, as they do not reach more than temporary relief was concerned, because they simply dry up the mucous secretions, without having the remotest effect upon the blood and liver, which are the real sources of catarrhal diseases.

It has been known for some years that the radical cure of catarrh could never come from local applications, but from an internal remedy, acting on the blood and expelling the catarrhal poisons from the system.

A new internal preparation which has been on the market only a short time, has met with remarkable success as a genuine, radical cure for catarrh.

It may be found in any drug store, sold under the name of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, large pleasant tasting lozengers, composed principally of antiseptic ingredients, Blood root, Red gum and similar catarrh-specifics.

Dr. Ainslie in speaking of the new catarrh cure says: "I have tried the new catarrh remedy, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, upon thirty or forty patients with remarkably satisfactory results. They clear the head and throat more effectively and lastingly than any douche or inhaler that I have ever seen, and although they are what is called a patent medicine and sold by druggists, do not hesitate to recommend them as I know them to be free from cocaine and opiates, and that even a little child may use them with entire safety."

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District Dashes

Miss Draper, of Chatham, is visiting in town. —Resident Standard.

Miss Ida Tobey, recently a teacher at the Fourth Line school, has accepted a situation in the school at Elmira. —Blenheim News.

Mrs. J. W. and Miss Steinhoff, and Mrs. D. A. Gordon and family, left on Wednesday for Citronelle, Alabama, where they have leased a cottage and will spend the remainder of the winter season. —Wallaceburg Herald-Record.

A business change took place last week in South Wallaceburg, when Robt. Appleford disposed of his restaurant and confectionery business to John Fleming, formerly of Chatham. Mr. Fleming is now in charge. As soon as the same is completed he will occupy one of the stores in the Stonehouse block. —Wallaceburg Herald-Record.

Thomas Buchanan, Leamington, has patented a railway tie that will soon take the place of the wooden ones now in use. As soon as the necessary formalities to assure protection are completed, the patent will be offered for sale to railway companies. —Leamington Post.

The custom returns for December for Chatham district amount to \$85,306.93, a decrease of \$217.96 from the same month of 1901. The returns were as follows: Chatham, \$5,320.13; Ridgeway, \$314.37; Blenheim, \$281.89; Glencoe, \$150.10; Tilbury, \$329.93; Romney, \$278; and Rondeau, \$908.82. —Glencoe Transcript.

Col. J. B. Rankin, K. C., Chatham, was in Romney last week assisting F. H. Macpherson in auditing the accounts of Romney Township. Sworn statements from Percy Gahan, Alfred Costworth, Councillor John Featherston, Reeve Fox and Clark Hodgson were taken by the auditor. Mr. Macpherson will have his report on the county audit ready in about a month. —Comber Herald.

What nearly cost Archie Patterson his life occurred late Saturday night as he was returning home from Rodney by way of Black's Lane. As it was his horse was instantly killed. He was in the act of crossing the M. C. R. tracks when along came No. 3, the fast mail, westbound, striking the horse with the above result. The train was brought to a stop and on investigation being made it was found Mr. Patterson was unhurt save for a few bruises. How he escaped being killed is a miracle. —Rodney Mercury.

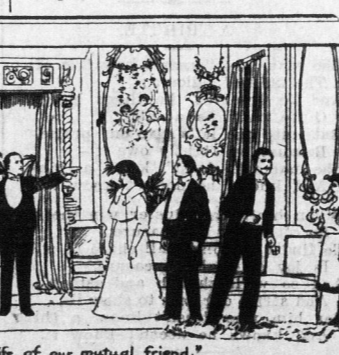
A correspondent of the Bureau of Industries, writing from Harwich, Kent County, says that in many orchards three-fourths of the apples were left to rot or were fed to hogs, as help was scarce and the price of apples was so cheap that they were not worth picking. "We could," he says, "get only 65 cents a barrel after they were picked for the best kind of apples, and 50 cents for the best Greenings I ever saw." —Glencoe Transcript.

The other night it was discovered that there were some mice under one of the counters in Thompson's drug store. On opening the front of the counter to investigate, it was found that the mice had built a nest with bank-notes in one corner. The bills had been taken from the till which used to be under the counter years ago. There were at least fifteen dollars used in the building of the nest, but only four dollars were passable. —Tilbury Times.

Monday morning when the north-west blizzard howled along our streets and the mercury was down below zero, along came a supply of anthracite coal to a number of our villagers, but the supply was very limited, indeed, it came by mail wrapped up in little boxes, and down went our hopes again below zero.

Some practical joker was laughing at our sad predicament, but thanks to Fortune we have the small supply of wood and we will fight it out with Jack Frost on this line. —Comber Herald.

It will be news to many of the residents of the town and district to learn that a strong company of local capitalists has been formed to test the neighboring territory for oil, and that the drill is now pounding away at the rock on the Steers farm, being the north half of lot 12 in the 4th concession, gone of Chatham Township. A large extent of territory following the gum beds that extend from Petrolia to the river at St. Clair has been leased and a number of test holes will be put down. An experienced driller, Mr. John Bouskill, is in charge of the drilling rig. So sanguine are the local members of the company of a rich strike that not a dollar of the stock has been placed on the market or can be purchased. Some thirty years ago a local company was formed to test the same territory, but soon disbanded for lack of funds. The indications at that time were that a large oil field existed in this territory. —Wallaceburg Herald-Record.



American Hustler, at the Grand, January 22

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Squire Mack, an industrious and highly thought of Indian, residing on Walpole Island, was frozen to death on Thursday morning last. He left home during the forenoon on Thursday on a shooting expedition, going out toward Lake St. Clair. It is presumed that returning home across the marsh he lost his way owing to the fierce storm that was then raging. Searching parties sent out to search for him on Saturday discovered the body in a lonely part of the marsh, while the trail showed that he had been wandering about and had several times set down to rest. When found the body was in a sitting posture, with the shot gun across the knees. Deceased was about 45 years of age, was sober and industrious and leaves a wife and four children. He was a Chippewa and belonged to the Muncy band, an application having been recently made to the Government to transfer him to Walpole Island. —Wallaceburg Herald-Record.

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