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BOSANQUET COUNCIL

Council met on the 10th inst. All the members present. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. A number of orders were given.

The McPherson drain by-law was read a 3rd time and passed. The reeve with Messrs Menhennick and Tebbell were appointed a committee to see about a roadway across the Parkinson estate with power and act.

The clerk was instructed to write to the owners of the lands assessed for the Goosemarsh drain in reference to putting in steel pipes.

A by-law was passed to borrow money to pay the commuted statute labor expenditure.

George McCubbin's report in reference to drain on north side of 26-27 side-road in con. 4 and 5 was adopted.

Council adjourned to meet on Monday June 14th, at 10 a.m. as a Court of Revision on the assessment roll and for general business.

GEO. SUTHERLAND, Clerk.

Nearly all children are subject to worms, and many are born with them. Spare them suffering by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, the best remedy of the kind that can be had.

THE WESTERN FAIR
London, Ontario

The Western Fair, London's popular Agricultural Exhibition, will be held this year from September 10th to 18th. It is considered by the management that this year, above all others, should be the one when extra efforts must be put forward to make the effort a great success; therefore with the assistance given by the Government the board of directors have decided to make a cash addition to the prize list of \$3,000. Good as it was before, this will certainly make London's prize list very attractive. The list is now in the hands of the printer and will soon be ready for distribution. Thousands of advertising maps and hangers have been sent throughout the country during the past week announcing the dates, and arrangements are being made as quickly as possible to assure exhibitors and visitors alike that this year's exhibition will be the best ever held at London. Any information regarding the exhibition will be gladly given on application to the Secretary, A. M. Hunt, London, Ont.

Earl Kitchener Praises Canadians

"Towards the end of last month the Germans carried out a violent attack on a portion of the allied front held by the French northeast of Ypres. In order to succeed the enemy employed vast quantities of poisonous gases in defiance of the recognized rules of warfare and in violation of their pledged word. The allies were utterly unprepared for this diabolical method of attack, which undoubtedly had been long and carefully prepared by the enemy.

"The forced retirement in front of the heavy clouds of gas which preceded the German advance at Ypres resulted in the left flank of the Canadian division being exposed. The Canadians suffered severely from the poisonous fumes, but, nevertheless, they held to the position in the most determined manner. This was an ordeal to try the qualities of the finest army in the world, and all the more credit is due the soldiers of Canada, who were unprepared for such an attack, and were at the same time exposed to a withering fire.

Crop Prospects

Ottawa, May 11.—The Census and Statistics Office issued to-day, in the form of a press bulletin, the first crop report of the present season. It deals with the area and condition of the fall wheat crop, the condition of hay and clover meadows at the close of the winter and the progress of spring seeding up to the end of April.

Owing to the mild winter and the favorable conditions which prevailed during the critical months of March and April, the fall wheat crop is reported as being exceptionally good on April 30.

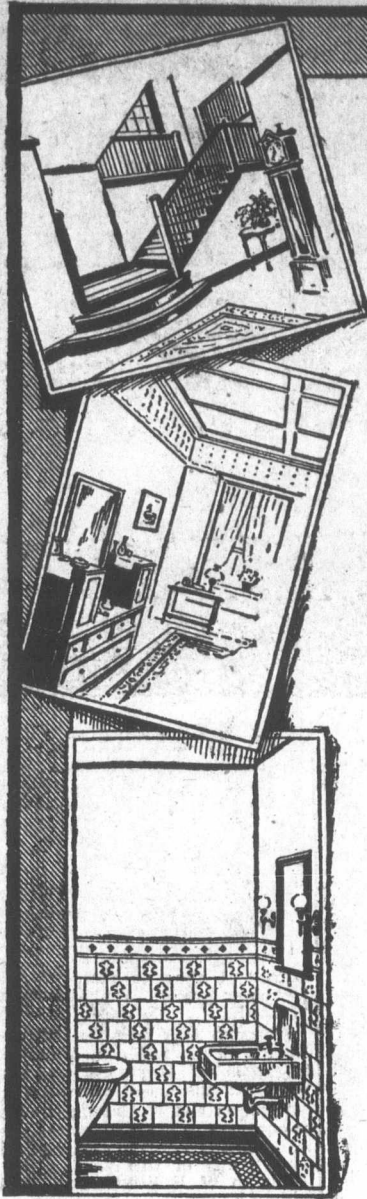
In Ontario, where 1,043,000 acres were sown as estimated last fall, not more than 6.8 per cent. is reported as winter killed, and in Alberta, with 230,000 acres estimated as sown, the proportion winter killed is only 6.2 p.c. These proportions are lower than in any year since 1908-09 for Ontario and lower than in any previous year on record for Alberta.

Last year the percentage winter killed was 19 in Ontario and 15.6 in Alberta. In Ontario the area winter killed amounts this year to 71,000 acres, and in Alberta to 14,300 acres. These figures, deducted from the areas sown, leave 972,000 acres in Ontario and 215,700 acres in Alberta as the areas under fall wheat to be harvested.

With 10,900 acres in Manitoba, 4,100 in Saskatchewan and 6000 acres in British Columbia the total area under fall wheat to be harvested this year amounts to 1,208,700 acres, as compared with 973,300 acres, the area harvested in 1914. Whilst therefore, as previously reported, the area sown to wheat last fall was 9 per cent. more than the area sown in the fall of 1913, the increased area to be harvested, owing to the small area winter killed, amounts to 24 p.c. Not less satisfactory is the general condition on April 30, which measured by the standard of 100, as representing a full crop, is 93 in Ontario, as compared with 81 last year and 83 in Alberta, as compared with 87. For Ontario the figure is higher than in any year since 1910 when 95½ was recorded; for Alberta this year's condition was only exceeded last year and in 1911.

The condition for the whole of Canada on April 30 was 91 which, converted into a standard of 100 as representing the average condition at the same period for the six years 1908-14, indicates a condition of 112, or an anticipated yield per acre of 12 per cent. in excess of the average, provided that conditions between now and harvest time are not abnormal.

HAY AND CLOVER MEADOWS
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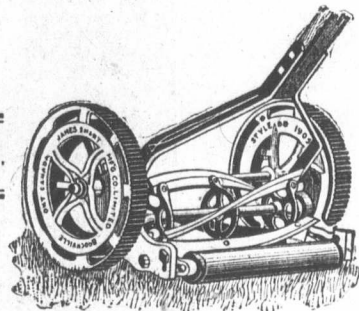
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winter killing proved to be unusually small, not more than 10 p.c. being the estimate for all Canada as compared with 14 p.c. last year and 22 p.c. in 1913. The average condition was 91 p.c. of the standard or full crop, as compared with 86.7 p.c. last year (May 6), 89.6 p.c. in 1913 and 74.6 p.c. in 1912.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

The Chink Had It Down Pat

Maybe China knows what is going on in the world, and maybe she doesn't. The reader may judge for himself, from this analysis of the European war written to a French paper, "L'Echo de Chine," in Shanghai:

"Now there is a great battle in Europe," says the Chinese correspondent. "This began because the Prince of Austria went to Serbia with his wife. One man of Serbia killed him."

"Austria was angry, and so wrote Serbia."

"Germany write a letter to Austria, 'I will help you.'"

"Russia write a letter to Serbia, I will help you."

"France did not want to fight, but they got ready their soldiers."

"Germany write a letter to France, 'You don't get ready, or I will fight you in nine hours.'"

"Germany, to fight them, pass Belgium."

"Belgium say, 'I am a Country; I am not a road.'"

"And Belgium write a letter to England about Germany, to help them."

"So England help Belgium."

"There you have it—an explanation of the war in a hundred words. In spite of the author's halting English, some of the European governments might have done worse than employ this Shanghai Chinaman to prepare their rainbow-hued books of diplomatic defense for them."

You will search through many volumes of war comment without finding so apt a phrase for the crux of the big war—"Belgium says, 'I am a country; I am not a road.'"

—Tacoma Tribune.

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