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Thursday, April 6, 1916

SALE REGISTER

Wednesday, April 12th—Giving up the W. P. Secord Farm—Auction Sale of Horses, Cattle, Hogs and Grain, the property of **Orren B. Partlow**, Lot 26, 9 Con., Yarmouth, 1 mile west of the Village of Orwell, commencing at 1 o'clock sharp, the following, viz: HORSES—1 span of Belgian brood mares, 9 and 10 years old, weight 2,800 lbs., in foal to Jovin; yearling horse colt, yearling mare colt (by Jovin), and from the above brood mares; 2 geldings rising 2 years old, by Hofwart; mare colt rising 2 years old, by Hofwart. CATTLE—2, 2-year-old grade Holstein heifers, with calves by their sides; 4 2-year-old grade Durhams and Holsteins, due to freshen about date of sale; 3 2-year-old grade Durhams to freshen in April and May; 3-year-old fat heifer, cash; 3 heifer calves, 2 bull calves, grade Durhams; 2 steer calves, grade Durhams 9 shoots, weighing about 125 lbs. each. GRAIN—150 bushels oats, quantity of spring wheat. Terms: 6 months, 6 per cent. per annum off for cash.—**Lind-say & Pound, Auctioneers.**

Monday, April 10th—Going to the Front—Clearing Sale of Farm Stock, Horses, Cows, Hay, Grain, and Household Furniture, the property of **D. J. Chapman**, 9th Con., Malahide, just south of the M. C. R. Station, Aylmer, commencing at 1 o'clock sharp: 20 head of Holstein, Durham and Ayrshire Dairy Cows, all under 7 years of age but three; five to freshen, balance are in. Some of these have given as high as 38 lbs. of milk in a day as 2-year-olds and some as high as 63 lbs. per day on grass. Two yearling heifers, yearling pure-bred Holstein bull, big enough for service, 11 spring calves, 2 veal calves; pair Chambattan mares, 3 and 4 years old, broken single and double, good anywhere; work mare, 10 years old; black horse, work mare, 9 years old; sorrel horse; all the above are good workers and quiet; 8 shoots, about 100 lbs. each; sow, due to freshen about time of sale; 50 hens, 2 geese and a gander; setting of goose eggs, good for setting; 4 ducks and a drake; good collie dog; Massey-Harris binder, nearly new; Massey-Harris drill, nearly new; discs, steel land roller, set of 4 drags, nearly new; hay rake, set of hobs, nearly new; 2 wagons, in first-class shape; 2 buggies, cutter, gravel box; Frost & Wood hay loader, nearly new; land cultivator, 3 scufflers, Fleury plow, Cockshutt, 2-furrow plow, wheelbarrow, nearly new; demora, milk wagon, new pair of shafts, 2 chains, small hen house, Bain wagon box, with hog rack; flat rack, spring seat, pair springs, nearly new, cap. 4,000 lbs.; 11 condense cans, neck yokes, roll rubber roofing, can harness oil, Daisy churn, milk pails

and strainer, hay fork, rope and car complete; shovels and forks, 2 sets of heavy double harness, in good shape; set milk harness, set single harness, phaeton buggy, stone boat, quantity of wood, quantity of hay, 250 bus. oats, 50 bus. wheat, 2 bus. timothy seed, kitchen table, cupboard, Art Souvenir heater, cook stove, wood heater, buffalo robe, good as new; robe, and other articles too numerous to mention. Positively no reserve, as Mr. Chapman has enlisted with the 91st Battalion. Terms: \$10, 6 months, and 6 per cent. off for cash.—**Moore & Winter, Auctioneers.**

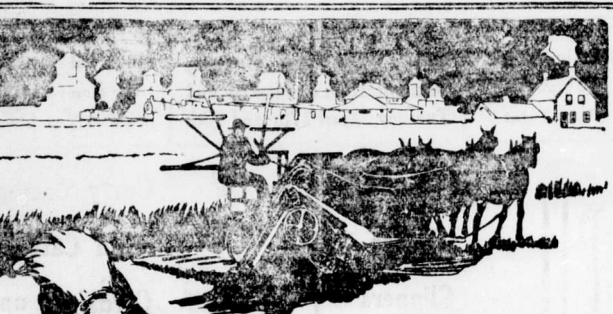
Saturday, April 15th—Commencing at one o'clock p.m., on Lot 6, in the 5th Concession of the Township of Bayham, about four miles from Richmond or Stratfordville and two miles from Calton, Administrator's Sale of Farm, Stock, Implements, &c., the property of the late **Franklin Raymond**, who died intestate in March, 1916, namely: Span of excellent bay mares, about 1,150 lbs. Cattle, all high-grade Holsteins—2 cows, years old, fresh; cow, 3 years old, fresh; cow, 3 years old, to freshen soon; 3 cows, 6 years old, fresh; 2 cows, 2 years old, to freshen soon; 2 heifers, 1 year old; pure-bred Holstein bull, 1 year old; excellent brood sow and 7 shoots, about 50 hens, part pure-bred; young collie dog. Set good heavy harness, new two-furrow gang plow, top buggy, new Deering mower, new Deering binder, set flat harrows, corn scuffer, new two-horse corn cultivator, two-horse hand cultivator, walking plow, demora, cutter, disc drill, manure spreader, disc harrows, long ladder, heavy wagon, stock rack, double box complete, spring seat, slings, hay fork and rope, wheelbarrow, bobsleighs, land-roller, piano box, fodder corn rack, cream separator (Magnet), 4 milk cans, cross-cut saw, quantity of feed, quantity of corn on cob, chains, forks, shovels, and numerous other articles. Also the following chattels, belonging to Mrs. Raymond, will be sold, viz: 2-year-old cow, to freshen soon; 3-year-old cow, to freshen soon; 3-year-old cow, fresh now (Durham); new buggy with top, new set single light harness, new set double light harness, buggy pole and removable seat. The Farm—will be offered for sale, and will probably be sold at the Sale. The farm consists of 140 acres—50 acres in the 4th and 90 acres in the 5th Concessions of Bayham, about 80 acres under cultivation, the remainder in bush. The land has been well kept up. Everything is fascinating to a prospective buyer. Ten acres of lovely wheat, about 20 acres of new seed clover. A grand stand. What a prospect for a bumper crop of clover hay, and that to be supplemented by a big return of clover seed at a big price. Oat ground all ready for the seed. Corn ground nearly ready. Never did a better chance invite a buyer. Come to the sale; look over the prospect, and hear what this place has done for Mr. and Mrs. Raymond in a few years. NOTE—This farm must be sold in the near future, if not at the sale. The Administrator will not be bound to accept the highest bid on so short a time, but if he gets a fair bid it will be accepted. The difference between the existing mortgage (\$2,800) and the purchase price will have to be cash or something just as good. Terms: \$10, 5 months' credit, 5 per cent. off for cash. All these chattels must be sold, as the widow cannot stay on and manage the farm.—**James Nevill, Administrator. Lind-say & Pound, Auctioneers.**

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A LETTER FROM CORPORAL HILL.

Hugh Was Evidently So Anxious to Land and Get at the Germans That the Progress of the Boat Seemed Slow — The Other Aylmer Boys Seem to Have Had Their Share of Sea Sickness.

Through the courtesy of Mr. E. W. R. Hill, we are able to give a report in diary form of the trip of the 43rd Guelph Battery. We congratulate Corporal Hugh on having escaped the unpleasantness of being sea sick in crossing, and trust the other boys are feeling all the better for their experience. The letter reads as follows: s.s. Missanabie, 2nd March, 1916.

We started to-day at noon. The only other boat with us is the Scandinavian. To-night all the port holes are blanketed; they won't even let you smoke on deck on account of the light. We are following the Nova Scotia coast. I was up on deck just now, and could see four lighthouses at once. It looks as if we were going to call at Halifax. They don't tell us anything of what they are going to do; in fact, if we try to guess anything about our movements, etc., they seem to do the very opposite.

March 3rd.—We woke up this morning to find that the cruiser — is with us. She has four funnels, and looks to be an old type of boat. We travel in line, the cruiser leading, we come next, and the Scandinavian behind us. Harry and Maurice are both sea sick, and have not appeared in the dining-room to-day.

March 4th.—Struck bad weather to-day. The waves are breaking right over the hurricane deck. The wind is straight from the east, and we go right into the waves, so it really doesn't give the boat much motion. Of course, the propellers have been coming out of the water all day. A man was washed overboard the Scandinavian to-day, and we were delayed an hour while they picked him up. It was a miracle how they ever got him at all. A lot of fellows are sick to-day, and the dining-room is pretty empty. The table next to ours had only one person at it for dinner. Our table was about half full, so we all had two dinners. Harry and Maurice both too sick to move out of their bunks. They are right over the propellers, so get the full benefit of all the rough weather. Have been on board a week to-day. We went 284 knots the second day.

March 5th.—The wind changed to the south in the night, and the sea is catching us broadside. This morning we had service in the dining-room. When the preacher was reading the lesson an exceptionally big wave came along, and he went sliding along the floor among some pails and the dishes on the table. Maurice appeared on deck to-night; no sign of Harry yet. It beats me how it is that I am not sick.

March 6th.—Harry is up on deck again, but not down in the dining-room yet. He and Gerry are on guard to-day. They have guards all over the ship on the lookout for German spies on board. We have lifeboat drill about every second day, and we all know exactly what to do in case the Germans get us. Tell the girls that the money belt they gave me is the handiest thing I have got. I never take it off, only to take a bath. Did 332 knots to-day, the fourth day out, the best yet.

March 7th.—To-day was the strongest wind I ever felt. It was impossible to stand up against it. Big husky men who tried to walk across the deck were thrown off their feet and swept into the railings. They did not get that man who was washed off the Scandinavian after all. To-day after

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the wind went down a little, Eric and I went on deck and had lots of fun trying to walk against it.

March 8th.—This morning we woke up to find that the cruiser — had left us and we were now being escorted by another cruiser, the —, they say. We have been going against a head wind all day. If it keeps up to-night there will certainly be some sea on to-morrow. Starting with this morning we have to wear our lifebelts wherever we go, down to the dining-room, up on deck, or anywhere. They certainly are taking us on an indirect course. It seems to me that every time we pass another boat we change our course, so that the Germans could not locate us from any information they might receive from these boats. To-night we are heading straight south. That compass Bet gave me comes in mighty handy. It is two weeks to-day since we left Guelph.

March 9th.—We stopped for quite a long time last night, as the Scandinavian's engines broke down, and we had to wait for her. We have been going awfully slow all day. Going head first into the big seas, you would think the old boat was going to stand on end sometimes. It buries its nose right under the water, but always manages to come up again. Eric managed to buy a chicken from the baker to-day, so we are going to have a big feed to-night. There is a boxing tournament on this afternoon.

10th March.—Eric was sea sick to-day; the chicken we had last night was too much for him. We are supposed to be directly south of Ireland now. They do not go near enough for us to see it, though. The officers and sergeants put on a concert in our dining-room last night, and it was very good, too. Lieut. Crowe of the 43rd played the violin. I don't know what is wrong with this old boat. We only made 202 knots the eighth day out. We stop nearly every night, and we seem to be going around in circles to-day.

March 12th.—To-day we are zig-zagging all over the place. We never run half a mile in the same direction. Our lifeboats are all swung out in readiness. We are not allowed to say anything about our convoy, but we are well looked after. We are not supposed to post any letters until four days after we land; so I suppose this will have to wait.

Corporal HUGH B. HILL, 11th Howitzer Brigade, C.F.A., C.E.F.

The letter ends here. He evidently did not get time to write any more, or finish it off.

GLENCOLIN

Thursday (to-night), April 6th, is the date for the sugar social. Miss Mabel Pound is ill with measles.

Miss Bessie Firby is visiting in London and St. Thomas this week. Miss B. Disbrowe is on the sick list.

Come and help in our contest at League on Wednesday evening. Miss Tresa Thomas is on the sick list. Mr. E. Dell is remodelling his house.

MT. SALEM

Bruce, eldest son of Mr. John Hawley, has enlisted, and left here on Monday.

Mrs. McConnell does not improve very rapidly. Miss Merle Hawley is with her for a few days.

Mrs. Learn has been quite ill for a few days. Her daughter, Mrs. Boyd, who has been with her, went to her home on Sunday.

Mr. R. Boyd has hired to Mr. Jabez Cohoon for the summer.

Mr. J. Shain was a caller here on Sunday.

Mrs. Graves is suffering with a very sore eye.

Farmers will soon be getting ready to till the ground.

Mr. Clark is preparing to move into his house at the corner here.

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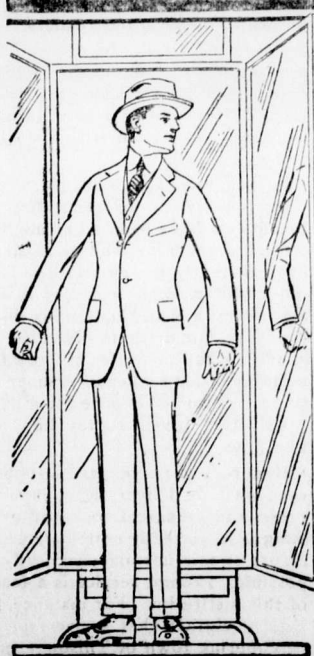
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