

An interesting case came up at the division court session held at Thedford, on Tuesday. Last fall the Bosaquet council let seven jobs to J. Melville, W. Waller and W. Ross for repairing and filling washouts on the Nesbit drain. The council paid for two of these jobs when completed, but refused to pay the remaining five on the ground that the work had not been properly done, hence the suit. Judge Taylor decided in favor of the plaintiffs in four of the jobs and on the fifth one as soon as the work is re-constructed in a better manner.

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STRAY CATTLE

Strayed off my premises Lot 1, Con. 8, Gore Sarnia Township, on the 26th day of November, eleven head of yearling Hereford heifers and steers, all dehorned. Ten of them red bodied, the other has a black body. Any person giving information of their whereabouts will be suitably rewarded.

CHAS. L. WARREN,
Camlachie, Ont.
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Watford Boy to the Front

(Dundurn, Sask., Enterprise.)

The completion of the two new houses on First street, the first for Mr. F. E. Livingstone and the second for Mr. J. C. Taylor, are worthy additions to the residential portion of our town, which despite its size is in this respect ahead of many larger places. Mr. Livingstone has during his stay in Dundurn played a considerable part in the upbuilding of both business and residential areas, having built the residence on 2nd st., now owned by Mr. F. B. Summerfeldt, the premises down town now owned by Mr. R. G. Laver, and the drug store now occupied by Mr. A. F. Gledhill, the latter being laid out and fitted up in city style.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Livingstone on Wednesday night was the scene of a men's gathering to do honor to Dr. Wilson, who with Mrs. Wilson and family are leaving this week-end for their new home at Kinderley. The Dr. was presented with a gold tie pin as a token of regard and esteem.

The thought of one's own mistakes will soften criticism of other's mistakes.

Praises this Asthma Remedy.—A grateful user of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy finds it the only remedy that will give relief, though for thirteen years he had sought other help. Years of needless suffering may be prevented by using this wonderful remedy at the first warning of trouble. Its use is simple, its cost is slight and it can be purchased almost anywhere.

Rev. Clarence M. Farney, a Parkhill clergyman, is suing the townships of East Williams and Adelaide, for \$500 damages for injuries he claims to have suffered through his buggy going over an embankment on the Strathroy-Parkhill road as the result of the highway being in a dangerous condition.

Worms cause fretfulness and rob the infant of sleep, the great nourisher. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will clear the stomach and intestines and restore healthfulness.

CHRISTMAS APPEAL

FOR
The Hospital for Sick Children
COLLEGE ST., TORONTO.

Dear Mr. Editor:—

Thanks for your kindness in allowing me the privilege of appealing at this Christmas time on behalf of the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto.

It would take more space than you can spare to tell of the good work done for the sick and deformed children of this Province. Let me, however, in a few words, tell you of the progress of the work of the Hospital.

One nurse, six little white beds, a few dollars, a few friends—this was the beginning. The beds have grown to 250, the dollars to thousands, the friends to hundreds. 1875, the first year, 44 in-patients, 87 out-patients; 1913, last year, 1,648 in-patients, 25,507 out-patients; 1875, 1 nurse; 1913, 70 nurses.

Since 1875, thirty-eight years ago, the Hospital has admitted within its walls 21,013 children as in-patients, and 189,231 as out-patients, a total of 210,244, or an average of 4,743 per year. Of the 21,013 in-patients, 15,200 were from Toronto, and 5,813 from other parts of the Province; 10,150 of the total in-patients were cured, and 6,387 were improved.

In the Orthopedic Department last year, the 1,648 in-patients, 278 were treated for deformities, 25 hip disease, 37 Pott's disease, 2 knock-knees, 19 bow-legs, 82 club feet, 8 lateral curvature of the spine, 44 infantile paralysis, 6 wry neck, and 75 tubercular disease of knee, hip and ankle. In 1913, the Surgical Apparatus Shop manufactured 427 appliances for in-patients and out-patients, including ankle braces, spinal braces, hip splints, bow-leg splints, club-foot splints, plaster jackets, etc. In this Department in 33 years nearly 800 boys and girls have been treated for Club Feet and 650 corrected. Half of these came from places outside of Toronto. Surely we have a fair claim for help from the people of this Province.

Will you, the reader of this letter, help to give crippled children a fair start in life?

Busy dollars are better than idle tears. The sympathy that helps is good, but the Hospital has to have the sympathy that works.

While Christmas Bells are ringing to the glory of Him "who made the lame to walk and the blind to see," give, give, give, and help the Hospital to help God's little ones, upon whom the heavy hand of affliction has been laid.

Will you please send a dollar, or more, if you can spare it, to Douglas Davidson, the Secretary-Treasurer of the Hospital.

I, ROSS ROBERTSON,
Chairman of the Trustees, Toronto

The farmers of Claudioboye township have formed a game protective association to prevent the wanton destruction of squirrels, rabbits and other game in the locality. The objects of the association are:—(1) To protect, both in and out of season, the few harmless wild animals as yet remaining. (2) To further agriculture by protecting the farmers' best friends the insects—and noxious seed destroyers—the birds.

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Judgment Day For Tongues.

We have often fancied, in penitential moments, a day of judgment for us who write, when we shall stand in flushed array before the ultimate critic and answer the awful question, "What have you done with your language?" There shall be searchings of soul that morning and searchings of forgotten pages of magazines and "best sellers" and books of every sort, for the cadence that may bring salvation. But many shall seek and few shall find, and the gods shall be sorted out in droves, condemned to an eternity of torture, none other than the everlasting task of listening to their own prose read aloud.

He Was Excused.

The taleman had wriggled and wriggled, and finally the judge lost patience. "Do you mean to state on oath that you don't think you have sufficient intelligence to render a just verdict on the evidence?" he shouted. "Not exactly that, judge," said the taleman, "but the fact is that for the last ten years my mind has been made up for me by my wife and mother-in-law, and, as I understand this jury stunt, I shall not be allowed to communicate with them." "Excused!" cried the judge. "I'm a married man myself."

Edible Weeds.

Analysis of our edible weeds shows that they possess powerful medicinal qualities. The dandelion, for example, is replete with tonic salts and is aperient, besides being a natural liver medicine; the milkweed is a perfect tonic for the kidneys and a general cleanser of the system; the common yarrow is a good spring tonic for children; while red clover is one of the richest of all nitrogenous plants, and nitrogen is one of the most strengthening elements.

Do the Classics Help Us?

The answer lies in one little word, art. The classics, more than any modern literature, teach us art, and art is the conscious purpose of man to make this world more beautiful. Philip Sidney says that the object of poetry is to make this too much loved world more lovely; I should extend his definition a little further and say that the object of art is to make this world more lovely, more lovable and more loved.—Henry D. Sedgwick in The Atlantic.

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Japan's rice crop this year is estimated at nearly 263,934,000 bushels, a 12,000,000 bushel increase over last year.

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