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- Volunteers in Any Capacity For Whole or Part Time.

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Signed **D. V. CURREY, M.O.H.**

**CITY AND DISTRICT**

There was no police court today.

There are six prisoners in the jail at present.

We buy everything you want to sell. **McGuire & Co.**

Major W. G. McGhie has returned from a trip to the west.

The Daughters of England will hold a whist drive next Tuesday night.

Mrs. Fred Holmes has returned from a visit with her mother in Toronto.

Miss Winnie Calkins has gone to New York to spend a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Van Dyke.

Miss Viola Dawson held a shower at her home on Albert street for Miss Irene Lennox who is to be married shortly.

The engagement of Miss Lephia Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cox, to Frank Greene, son of Chief and Mrs. Greene, is announced, the wedding to take place in April.

The Hamilton Presbytery, which covers the Niagara District Presbyterian churches has far exceeded its allotment in the Forward Movement givings. Its objective was \$210,000 but already \$310,000 has been raised.

Mary Marie, third surviving daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Flynn, died at their residence, 65 St. Paul St., west, Wednesday, after a brief illness. The funeral took place this morning to St. Marys R. C. Church.

James J. Conlon, a highly respected citizen passed away Wednesday at the family residence, Monk St., after two months illness. One sister, Miss Catherine, survives. The funeral will be held tomorrow to St. Marys R.C. Church.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Payne will regret to hear of the death of their son William F., aged 10 years, which occurred at the family home at 41 Queen street Wednesday. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon to Victoria Lawn Cemetery, Rev. F. W. Stewart officiating.

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY**

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**A POSITION WITH A FUTURE.**

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**FARM HELP.**

**THE BUREAU OF COLONIZATION** expects a large number of FIRST-CLASS MEN FROM THE OLD COUNTRY during the latter part of March and succeeding months: some experienced, some inexperienced young men; and experienced married men with and without families.

Farmers with vacancies will kindly write H. A. MACDONELL, Director of Colonization, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, at once for application forms. Applications will be filled as far as possible in the order in which they are received. By authority of **BENIAH BOWMAN**, Minister of Lands & Forests Feb. 20.

**"SYRUP OF FIGS" IS LAXATIVE FOR CHILD**

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from stomach, liver and bowels

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear. Mother! You must say "California."

**THE HIGH WAGES AND HIGH PRICES**

(Clint C. Houston, in Labor, Washington, D.C.)

Senator Calder of New York called at the Department of Labor on official business the other day. Exercising a senatorial prerogative, he took occasion to assert that high wages are responsible for the high cost of living. "Here's an illustration," said the senator, who voted for the anti-strike clause in the Cummins railroad bill, "Yesterday I paid \$12 for the pair of shoes on my feet, and before the war they retailed for \$6.00. High wages are the cause." Ethelbert Stewart, one of the expert investigators and statisticians of the department, was present, and heard the senator's grief against labor. "Suppose we get the facts on the high cost of shoes," suggested Stewart. "This department has just completed statistics on wages and costs of production in six of the largest shoe manufacturing plants in the United States. Before the war the average cost of labor in a pair of shoes was about 37 cents. Since 1914 the wages of shoeworkers have been increased 65 per cent, and the average labor cost in a pair of shoes today is 68 cents. It requires about three square feet to make a pair of shoes for a man. This leather costs the factory on an average of 87 cents a foot, or \$2.61 for a pair of shoes. Add to this the 68 cents paid the shoemaker and you have a total labor and material cost of \$3.29. The difference between this sum and the \$12.00 you paid was added after the shoes left the workman's hands. With this showing of facts it is hardly fair to charge high wages with being responsible for the exorbitant cost of shoes." The senator said the information was both interesting and important, and that he would in the future be more careful in holding labor to account for the high cost of living.

**SIX MILLION JEWS NEAR STARVATION**

**Cold and Disease Add to Sufferings of Destitute Peasants of Poland.**

Eastern Europe is the only part of the world to-day that really understands the meaning of conservation. In the grim sense of the word, according to reports brought back to the American Jewish Relief Committee by relief workers recently returned from these stricken lands.

Not a particle is wasted of any of the relief supplies sent from America by the Joint Distribution Committee of American Funds for Jewish Sufferers or by other organizations. Garbage cans and dump heaps are nationally unknown quantities in a region where 6,000,000 Jews—men, women, and children—are at the point of starvation. Typical of the extreme hardships which these people utilize everything to-day was the use recently made of a shipman of flour, sent to eastern Europe by American Jewish relief agencies. The flour itself was used to feed destitute Jews at the soup kitchens. White bread is a luxury in these lands to-day; the taste of it forgotten by the poor, and none of the flour sent from America is made into bread as yet. It goes farther stirred into the soup issued at the Jewish relief stations.

In order to make sure that not one atom of the flour was going to waste, the seams were ripped from the sacks, which were then shaken over the soup receptacles. The next thing to be done was the cloth of the sacks themselves. There is practically no cotton or linen in eastern Europe to-day, and every scrap of cloth is put to use.

In this particular case, the sacks were needed both as shrouds for the dead, and as cloths in the operating rooms of the hospital. A part of them was devoted to each purpose. Both shrouds and bandages in eastern Europe to-day have to be made by sewing hundreds of tiny bits of used cloth together, so these flour sacks proved very useful.

The thread which had stitched the bags together was carefully saved, also, and used to patch together the rags that form almost the only clothing of the destitute Jewish children in these lands, and to sew together the scraps of cloth that they wear around their feet, in lieu of shoes.

In order to help these sufferers, Canadian Jewish Relief Committee is making an appeal for funds.

**TO THE EDITOR**

HAS HIS OWN OPINIONS.

Editor The Journal:

Sir—Your article in Wednesday's Journal on municipal experiences may have been well written, and I guess it was, but I don't agree with it. Why the workers of this city or any other city should not organize and enter politics here or anywhere else is more than I can understand. It looks to me as though every other class of people seem to organize and get into the game, but as soon as the laboring class do it there is something wrong, I would like to read a little more from you on the subject. Perhaps you can change my mind, and perhaps you can't, but I don't mind reading both sides of a question, particularly when it is handled without bias. Yours,

One of the Workers.

In all the Catholic churches a circular has been read by direction of His Grace Archbishop Neil McNeil, setting forth the duties of Catholics during the Lenten season. Special attention is directed against dancing, theatres and moving picture shows. The faithful are urged to attend church, and observe the fasts.

The season opened on Ash Wednesday, when at all the masses ashes were blessed and distributed.

The regulations are:

1. All work days of Lent are fasting days.
2. The law of fasting binds those who have completed the twenty-first year of age until the beginning of the sixtieth year.
3. Fasting means restriction to one full meal a day, with two refectations in past years.
4. The law of abstinence from meat

**SALTS FINE FOR ACHING KIDNEYS**

We Eat Too Much Meat Which Clogs Kidneys, Then the Back Hurts.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

A well known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

**MOTHERS WATCH CHILDREN STARVE**

**Lack of Clothing Adds to Suffering Among Jewish Residents of Poland.**

The patient resignation with which a mother in Poland accepts what the fates have in store for her children who frequently die of starvation before her eyes, is one of the things that leaves a lasting impression on relief workers there.

Jacob Kashin, who has just returned from abroad, when he had charge of a relief unit for the Joint Distribution Committee, which disbursed funds raised by the American Jewish Relief Committee and other bodies, said that food is distributed to the children in Lodz on a ration basis, and that where the small folks were unable to appear in person because of lack of clothing or illness from the "starvation sickness," the allotment was given to the mother. On one occasion a little woman with terrible suffering appeal for funds for four ration. The following day she appeared again and asked for only two.

"Two?" repeated the distributing agent. "Why you received four yesterday."

"Yes, but to-day I need only two, because," and the worker may have only imagined that he caught a note of relief in the utter hopelessness of the curiously quiet answer, "two of my little ones died during the night."

For the purpose of relieving this terrible suffering appeal for funds is being made by the Canadian Jewish War Relief Committee, of which full details will be given later.

**JEWS STARVING IN JERUSALEM**

**Terrible Destitution Caused by Lack of Employment and Shortage of Food.**

The street cleaners of Jerusalem form a picturesque but pathetic testimony to the terrible destitution of the Jews of that ancient city, according to the latest reports received by the Canadian Jewish War Relief Committee from relief workers abroad.

The problem of employment is so great in Jerusalem that it is almost impossible to find work in the natural way. For this reason, the Joint Distribution Committee of Funds for Jewish Sufferers from the War hired fifty of the most poverty-stricken Jews who applied to them for aid, to clean the streets in the Jewish quarter. The youngest of these street cleaners is fourteen years old. Seven of the street cleaners are between seventy and eighty years old, and eighteen more are between sixty and seventy years old. None of them have adequate clothing or food.

Among uncivilized peoples the custom of shaking hands is unknown, and it always affords them a great deal of amusement to see white men engage in the practice.

**LINCOLN COUNTY CONVENTION**  
**Of United Farmers of Ontario**  
**St. Catharines, February 28, 1920**  
 AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.  
**Griffin's Family Theatre**  
 Delegates from U. F. O. and U. F. W. O. Clubs in the Federal Riding of Lincoln will meet in convention to select a candidate to contest the next Federal Election for Lincoln.  
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and from soup made of meat, bread, all over seven years of age.

In Lent the days of abstinence are all Wednesdays and Fridays, the Saturday of the second week, and Holy Saturday till noon. Eggs, milk, cheese, butter and seasonings made of animal fat are allowed on days of abstinence.

6. On Holy Saturday the obligations of fast and abstinence cease as not extend to the sick, the infirm, women nursing or bearing children, or those engaged in exhausting work, such as regular manual labor, teaching school, etc.

8. In cases of individuals or individual families, pastors can dispense from fast or abstinence, or both, for good reasons.

9. The period of Easter Communion is from the fourth Sunday in Lent to Trinity Sunday.

10. Besides the binding regulations there are pious observances proper to Lent, especially the following:

- (a) Avoiding all public amusements, such as theatres, moving picture shows, dancing, etc.
- (b) Assisting at Lenten devotion in the parish churches, such as the Way of the Cross on Fridays.
- (c) Family prayers. The members of the family assemble at a convenient hour to say together five minutes of the Rosary, on days when they have not taken part in this devotion in church.

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or chops—the kind, you know, that make your guests praise your hospitality, your cooking, your entertainment. Why not this kind of meat instead of the doubtful cuts and inferior meats? We want you to know our meats. A sirloin or porterhouse steak, a roast, chops from the loin, etc., will enable you to judge quality.

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**COURT RULES GIRL MAN'S GIFTS UN**

CHICAGO Feb. 21.—No unmarried girl, Municipal Judge John... said today, has a right to... presents, such as jewelry and... intentions are serious and in... completion of matrimony.

Helen Klein refused to marry Joseph... who works for the... Iron Company in West... So she was forced to return his diamond ring, for which he had paid \$46; a fur coat, \$35; a hat, \$16.

"Must I give them all to her?" Helen appealed, as she pulled her spring bonnet more firmly over...