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WALKERTON.

Mr. Jacob Lambertus, formerly of the South Line, Brant, and who recently took over the Vendome Hotel in Local Option Teeswater, is evidently thriving in the dry belt, as he this week placed an order for a handsome Ford touring car.

That a local option vote will be taken in both Greenock and Brant at the coming municipal elections in January seems now all but assured, as the signatures of over 25 per cent. of the electors have been secured for the petition in every poll visited. Just what the ultimate fate of the measure will be it is probably too early to predict, but any doubts as to a vote being taken on the plebiscite in January would seem to be removed.

Rev. M. G. Wilson was asked last week by the Methodist congregation of Harriston whether or not he would consider a call to that place. As the reverend gentleman had previously accepted an invitation to remain for a fourth term in Walkerton, he was obliged to decline the Harriston call, although the salary connected with the latter charge is \$100 a year better than is paid here, the Harriston stipend being \$1100 while Walkerton is but \$1000. Both places also grant a free house to the pastor.

The first big fish story to reach Walkerton this season was brought in from Mildmay on Monday last, when Misch Hinsperger, a former Walkerton printer, arrived to hand with tales of a big catch, and some beautiful speckled trout to support it. The largest fish which measured 19 inches and weighed nearly 3 lbs., was presented to Nine Host Brick of the Walker House, while Art McCartney of pool-room fame, came in for a two-pounder. Other persons were also favored, until some 13 fish had been scattered over the neighborhood. The catch was taken from the mill pond in Mildmay on May 1st, the opening day of the season.

Out Of Work in Vancouver.

The following article which appeared in the Vancouver News-Advertiser April 25th, is a startling revelation of the state of affairs among the working classes of that city. With the paper came a letter from a subscriber in Vancouver who says:—"This is an A 1 description of the many scenes which take place in Vancouver every day. And the steady influx of settlers from the old land and Eastern Canada is daily adding to the large army of unemployed in Vancouver at the present time." Here is the story:—

"Wanted—Men to act as guards and ushers for horse show. Apply office, Horse Show Building, 11 a. m., Monday 24th inst."

By the time appointed there were three hundred and fifty men lined up for a job which twenty could fill, and at that, still they arrived. They came by ones, by twos, by threes and by quartettes, and at ten minutes before the appointed time the crowd before the office was so dense that one could not have broken it with a pickaxe.

One man struggling for the wherewithal to get the price of his next meal and a bed was stricken with a fit and the crowd had to give way while the poor individual exhausted his contortions and at last lay passive.

Others less ardent at an early hour gave up the struggle and went their way. Still others waited, hoping against hope, and fascinated by the visions of fair horses and fairer horse women who thronged the streets adjacent to the Horse Show Building, biding their time, and at length the disgruntled ones coming out, took their courage in their hands and endeavored to get within hailing distance of the office, only to be met with the cry, "They've got all they want."

The approaches at the Horse Show Building were at as early an hour as eight o'clock yesterday morning thronged with a mass of men looking for the ten or twelve dollars which they might earn on account of the show and which would keep them maybe over a week, or help them to pay for a job, and every hour from that time on the crowd grew bigger.

There were men of all kinds from the veriest hobo, with unshaven chin and nothing to cover his body but a pair of patched and worn overalls, to the newcomer from the old sod, slick and trim, in the outfit of breeches and gaiters with which he had been provided by the loving folks at home to encounter the "wild and woolly." Then there were old men with grey beards, men who had just arrived and wished to seek the first work that came to hand. Yes, old men who did not even know where Stanley Park was, and what it contained, although they were within four miles of it.

It was a rather pitiful sight, to see the numbers turned away, capable and incapable, when the cry went up, "We have all we want."

But the whole story resolves itself into this: How many people are there coming into the city every day who have no idea what they are going to do, and who have no idea of doing it when they do get something.

Childhood's Opportunity.

No greater encouragement to thrift has ever been presented in any country than is offered to the people of Canada under the provisions of the Canadian Government Annuities Act, which was unanimously passed by both Houses of Parliament in 1908. While any resident of Canada may purchase, the Act was devised chiefly to enable wage-earners and others with limited incomes to make absolutely safe provision for the closing years of life in a way that would be impossible to make under any other conditions available. For example, a mechanic, whose weekly wage is but little larger than his weekly expenditure, is, by paying \$1.00 a week, purchasing Annuities for his two boys aged 5 and 7, the Annuities to become payable at 60. From that time as long as they live a yearly income of \$574.76 and \$497.78 respectively will be paid them by the Government. If they die before they are 60, the money paid in will be refunded to their heirs together with 3% compound interest. So that for a total of \$2,808 to be paid in an income combined of \$1,034.54, or greater than the income to be derived from an investment of \$20,000 at 5%, would be received. The one thing is feasible for a man even with a very limited wage, while the other would be quite impossible for him. Taking advantage of the low rate to be obtained when the children are young is what parents should aim at—the children would carry the payments themselves as soon as they are able.

What a payment of 25 cents or 50 cts a week would purchase at any age may be ascertained upon application to S. T. Bastedo, Superintendent of Canadian Government Annuities, Ottawa, to whom letters go free of postage.

Finished His Sentence.

A story comes from St Paul, Minn. of a man who had spent nineteen years in prison. He was released recently upon parole; but after a brief experience with the world, its trials and temptations, he returned to the prison authorities and asked to be allowed to finish his sentence saying that he found his freedom distasteful and that he feared he would break his parole. The case is perhaps not so hard to understand as one might think at first sight. Man is largely a creature of habit, and it is quite conceivable that after nineteen years in prison a man might grow so accustomed to the life of such an institution that he would feel lost when removed from the familiar surroundings. Experience with people who are sent to jail at intervals for short terms is that they acquire the prison going habit. Imprisonment loses its terrors for them. They may grow eventually to like it. When this stage is reached in the development of an individual the prison sentence loses its efficacy.

Beware The Fly.

The house-fly season is coming on again with all its annoyance and dangers to health. Scientists and medical experts have thoroughly investigated the habits of the house-fly and demonstrated the fact that disease is spread by this pestiferous insect to an alarming extent. It is urgently recommended that a policy of prevention be followed by householders—prevent the fly from depositing eggs by the removal of all kitchen refuse, &c., the burning of all outside closets, removal of manure piles, &c. Different substances, such as coal oil and chloride of lime, may be mixed with garbage to destroy the maggots. We are told to remember the following suggestions: Keep flies away from the sick, especially those suffering from communicable diseases. Do not allow them to settle on the faces of sleeping infants. Do not permit them to light on food of any kind. Carefully screen all doors and windows in the hot summer months, especially those of sick rooms. Keep your yard and cellar free from waste of any kind, and if your neighbor does not, report him to the health department.

Punishing Children.

The assistant teachers at Kent School have come to the defence of the principal Mr. John Spence, who was summoned to court on a charge of assaulting a small boy. The child declined to take a whipping on the hands, and then he received it on the shoulders. The flesh was discolored and in places the skin was broken. So far as can be ascertained the regulation strap was used. The indictment was dismissed by the magistrate but the Crown has asked for a stated case. Perhaps this action was justified on the part of the Crown officials but there is room for question.

A good deal of nonsense has been printed with reference to this case. It might be well for parents to remember that respect for authority must be taught somewhere. If the children run wild at home, the school is the country's only hope. No man can be a good citizen if he is a law unto himself. Obedience is the foundation stone of citizenship. Corporal punishment is necessary sometimes. It always should be a last resort but when the time comes to administer it the teacher should do his duty.

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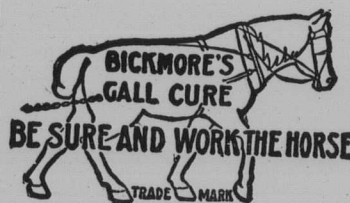
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Don't sow too early in the spring-time.

Sow plenty of seed; don't make a mistake for the sake of 5 lbs. extra. See

that the seed is of the very best quality. Don't sow on poorly drained soil; alfalfa roots cannot grow in water.

Do not pasture alfalfa. You can get better results by cutting and feeding from the field.

Don't leave alfalfa down too long. Let some other part of the farm have the benefit of the fertilizing elements of the alfalfa plants.