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## LOCAL NEWS ITEM

### Brief Notes of Interest to Town and Rural Regions

than five hundred thousand dollars to a man? We can only eat, drink, and wear so much, and that is all we can get out of money, be it ever so much. We must cater to thrift and toil, to be sure, there is no place for the idler on this earth—all must labor, all that are physically fit. Those who are not, we must assist. We can be rich without a dollar in our purse, be rich without a purse to put a dollar in. A "penny laid by for a rainy day" all should have. But enough is as good as a feast.

#### SMILES AND FROWNS

If I knew the box where the smiles are kept,  
No matter how large the key,  
Or strong the bolt, I would try so hard—  
'Twould open, I know, for me.  
Then over the land and the sea broadcast  
I'd scatter the smiles to play,  
The children's faces might hold  
Them fast.  
Many and many a day.  
The box that was large  
I'd open, I know, for me.  
I'd gather them every one,  
In my study, school and street;  
And holding, I'd pack  
The monster key,  
I'd try to drop the box  
In the deep, deep sea.  
—Anonymous.

#### Soperton

Master Albert Frye has been spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Johnston, Athens.  
Miss Neilson, of Amherst Island, visited her cousin, Miss L. Sheridan, last week.  
Mrs. W. Goodbody and children, of Brockville, are visitors at W. H. Irwin's.  
Mrs. S. Stafford is on the sick list.  
Mr. Herbert Shire, who has been very ill for the past week, is improving slightly.  
Miss Geneva Garrett is visiting at Seeley's Bay.  
A social will be held on the church grounds in the near future.

#### Toledo

Mr. Hiram Nichols and his niece, Miss Anna Hull, have returned home after spending a few days visiting Ottawa friends. Mr. Nichols' sister, Mrs. R. Stratton, of Ottawa, accompanied them home and is now visiting relatives here. Mr. Nichols reports very poor crops on line to Ottawa.  
Mrs. Irene Gray and Miss Mabel have returned from visiting friends.  
Miss Leverette of Frankville was Toledo visitor on Saturday.  
Miss Muriel Rabb, of Smiths Falls, was a recent visitor at Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Bellamy's.  
Miss Geraldine Wood, nurse-in-training in Ottawa, is spending her holidays with her parents and sister here.  
Mr. Fred Seward, his son, Berdette Seward, and Mr. Percy Oldroyd spent a day recently fishing on the Rideau. They landed 18 fish all told.  
Mr. Percival Oldroyd was a recent Almonte visitor.  
Several from here attended the social at Chantry on Friday night.  
Miss Esther Lewis, of Smiths Falls, has been visiting relatives in this district.  
Visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Nichols recently were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stratton, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stratton and family, of Brockville.

#### Wiltse Lake

A number from here attended the dance in Athens town hall on Friday evening last.  
Miss Hattie Moore is holidaying at her home here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Milton Leach and children, Smiths Falls, were recent visitors at Royal Moore's.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. Shea, Sheatons, were recent visitors at Ed. Foster's.  
Miss Beatrice Hudson, Brockville, was a visitor here last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leach and son, Smiths Falls, were recent visitors here.

Ice Cream Social on Friday evening the 22nd of August, under auspices of St. John's Church, Leeds, on John Niblock's Lawn, Sweet's Corners.

Miss Gertrude Rowntree, Weston; Miss Olive Hewins of Hamilton; Miss Bessie Holmes, Toronto; Miss Ethel Smithers, Murray, Ont.; Miss Lillie Morris, and Mr. Morris of Glen Morris, were week end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Holmes.

Please Take Notice—The Annual Camp Meeting of the Holiness Movement Church is postponed to Sept. 14 to 21—Fuller notice later.

Mr. E. Mansen, Owen Sound, spending a few weeks at the home of his niece Mrs. David Spence.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Holmes, and Miss Edyth Holmes of Toronto were week end visitors in Athens guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Holmes, Wiltse Street.

The Annual Picnic of the W. M. S. of Methodist Church which was held at Lake Elvida, Thursday August 7th, was well attended, visitors being present from Delta, Frankville, Elbe and other places. A good musical program was rendered and the Missionary addresses by Mrs. Drummond of Chiusa and Mr. Sherwood Hall of Corea proved to be not only interesting but most instructive.

Mr. C. J. McIntosh, Editor of the North Battleford Times, Sask., was renewing old acquaintances here this week.

We paid a visit last week to the Apiary on Wiltse Street and for the first time witnessed the process of removing the honey from the hives to the extracting room, separating the same from the comb and filling the cans ready for shipment. We concluded that the delicious honey was a wonderful food product gathered in a wonderful manner by the busy little bees. Mr. Holmes informed us that the honey crop throughout the province is officially reported as below normal and that local customers should secure their supply without delay—Editor.

Just received, a nice line of Preserving Kettles in graniteware, at the Bazaar.  
Born—August 6th, to Walther H. Smith, B.S.A., and Mrs. Smith, a son.  
Mort Tackaberry is building a cottage on the Slack property, Charleston Lake. Norman Hagerman is assisting.

Mrs. Lois Moulton is adding a new porch to her Elgin Street residence.

Fred Scovil is improving the appearance of his Elgin Street property by adding new walks.

Principal Burchell and family are in camp in Mrs. Johnston's house in Charleston village.

Mr. Hubert Cornell, of Toronto, was a recent visitor at the home of his mother, Mrs. Helen E. Cornell.

The Athens junior baseball team will go to Delta on Saturday for a game with the juniors of that town.

Mrs. D. D. Davidson attended the Mills-Davidson wedding on Tuesday evening.

Rev. B. B. Brown, of Montreal, will occupy the pulpit in the Athens Methodist Church on Sunday evening. The morning service is withdrawn until the end of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Corey left on Tuesday for Winnipeg and western points.

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Rappell, who returned from overseas about two months ago and has been visiting his mother and sisters here, left for Moose Jaw, Sask., on Tuesday. After a visit to Mrs. Rappell's parents at Herbert, Sask., they will take up house in Moose Jaw, where he will resume his studies in law.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dillabough and son Ivan have returned home, having spent an enjoyable holiday with friends. Mr. Dillabough visited his parents at Winchester and Mrs. Dillabough her mother, Charles Parish, at Watertown, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scott and family have returned from a visit in Syracuse, N.Y.

Mrs. Fisher has returned from a visit with relatives at various points.

Miss Lillian Burchell returned Friday evening from a fortnight's visit

with relatives at K. Spenceville. Her son, returned with her.

Call at the Mail Order Co. arrived.

A. H. Philpott, of Spenceville, was here this week.

A. E. Donovon, of Spenceville, was here this week.

Sheldon H. of Toronto, was here this week.

Rebecca of Lathrop, was here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Hunter, Riverdale, Cal., and Mrs. T. W. Serviss, of New York, arrived from New York last week and are guests of the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Wiltse.

Mr. and Mrs. Olds and Miss Helen, Syracuse, N.Y., are guests of Mrs. G. E. Judson at Camp Lookout, Charleston.

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Clarence Knowlton, Ottawa, was on a brief visit this week to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Knowlton, being called here by the death of his grandfather, Mr. Stearns Knowlton.

Miss Charlotte Miller, Rocksprings, is spending a week or so here, a guest of Miss Georgie Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Johnson motored to Gananogue on Sunday last for a visit with friends there during "Old Home Week."

Mr. and Mrs. Green Sherman, Grenville, Que., arrived Tuesday to spend three weeks at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hannah.

John Layng and family were at Smiths Falls recently attending the wedding of Miss Alma Polk and Aysel Good, Toronto. The bride is a niece of Mrs. Lyang.

Mrs. Wm. Towriss was at Brockville last week with her mother, Mrs. Eben Yates, Frankville, who is a patient at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital.

Mrs. Geere Gainford is in Brockville, a patient at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital.

Lester Brown has given up cheese-making at Escott owing to ill health and has returned to his Wiltse St. residence.

David Perry has returned from the hospital, where he was being treated for wounds made by a kick from a horse.

Wm. Yates was called from Perth last week owing to the illness of his brother, Philip Yates.

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Decease.

September 20,

was in his 79th year.

of the late Thomas a

ton, of Chantry, and

was united in marriage

Saphrona Byington,

They settled on a farm

where they resided until some 12

years ago, when they took up residence

in Athens.

Besides his wife he leaves a family

of six to mourn his death. They are:

H. R. Athens; Adda, St. Catharines;

L. S. Leamington; Omar, at home;

Claude, Windsor, and Roy at Athabasca, Alta. He is the last of his

father's family. In religion he was a

Methodist and for years a prominent

and energetic member of that faith,

and in politics he was a Liberal.

The funeral took place Monday

afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his

home, Church Street, Athens, and

was conducted by his pastor, Rev. T.

J. Vickery. The interment was made

in the Athens cemetery.

#### Morton

Miss Adella Leadbeater, Ellisville, is the guest of Miss Pery York.

Mrs. Johnston, Seeley's Bay, is spending a few days at Geo. Roan-tree's.

Miss Daisy Somerville spent the past week with friends at Jones' Falls.

Mrs. Wm. Leadbeater and son Philip, of Ellisville, were Sunday visitors at H. F. York's.

The annual social of the Presbyterian Church here will be held on their social grounds Aug. 15.

The baseball match on Saturday last proved very interesting and exciting to the spectators, the score being 14 to 16 in favor of Morton.

#### Guideboard Corner's

Mr. E. C. Wight spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiltse, Plum Hollow.

Miss Dorothy Coleman, Brockville, is a visitor at Granfather Wight's, "The Lilies."

Mrs. Lawson went in to Brockville recently to see her sister, Mrs. Adams

#### Warburton

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. G. Kendrick, of Kingston, were visitors of Mr. R. W. Sturgeon on Sunday.

Mrs. Saxon Washburne, Soperton, returned home after spending the past week with her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Webster.

Mr. Geo. Steacy, Warton, has returned to his home after visiting his many friends in this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. Williamson and son, from Toronto, motored to the home of Mr. Jas. Wilson, where they remained for a few days. Mrs. Wilson and her daughter, Miss Elva Dillon accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bland Webster and family spent Friday in Brockville.

Mr. R. Glenn Madill, who recently returned from military overseas service, is spending a couple of months with his aunt, Mrs. L. B. Webster, before resuming his studies at Queen's University.

Master Cecil Dillon is visiting in Lenhurst.



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 duckboard, I suppose, be-  
 of some silly belief that a duck  
 could walk it without falling. Even  
 airplanes flying at a height of less  
 than 5,000 feet have been seen to wobble  
 and dip drunkenly while passing  
 above trench lines floored with  
 duckboards. And when it is laid up  
 on the surface of the earth and there  
 are no handy trench walls to help out  
 —well, it's lucky for Charley Chap-  
 lin that the wide world didn't see  
 me operate. Nothing could ever  
 again be funny to a man who saw me  
 play duckboard out there in the com-  
 plicated open of that wood!—William  
 Stevens McNutt in Ollier's Weekly.

world-embracing commission of Jesus  
 and in the assurance of the Pente-  
 costal promise (Acts 1: 8). The Chris-  
 tian church is the agency and its mis-  
 sionary activities are the means of  
 accomplishing the world's evangeliza-  
 tion. The gospel has a message  
 straight to the heart of the world and  
 must be preached everywhere "for a  
 witness." It includes the "stranger  
 that is within thy gates," and  
 them "that are afar off." Early  
 missionary pioneers had visions of a  
 world campaign and conquest. Con-  
 tinent were to be conquered for  
 Christ. Paul, the earliest and greatest  
 pioneer of Christianity, acknowledged  
 a universal obligation (Rom. 1: 13-  
 16). The world-crisis, existing and im-  
 pending, is unique in opportunity,  
 danger, responsibility and duty. This  
 with the decades of long-established  
 systems of religious faith creates un-  
 paralleled possibilities in all fields,  
 which will not linger. The under-  
 lying principles of missionary enter-  
 prise were never as relevant or im-  
 perative as to-day.

II. Aims, methods and results.  
 The aim of Christian missions is first  
 to evangelize to spread the knowledge  
 of the great transforming truths of  
 Christianity. This is a means, not the  
 end. The great design of gospel  
 preaching is unchanged and unchang-  
 ing. It remains the "power of God  
 unto salvation." Social and civiliza-  
 tion agencies and intellectual develop-  
 ment have their place, but must  
 never be suffered to eclipse the great  
 design of bringing men into loving  
 subjection to God and believing union  
 with him. Evangelization is to pre-  
 ceede, not to supersede regeneration.  
 "Who will have all men to be saved,  
 and to come upon the knowledge of  
 the truth" (1 Tim. 2: 4). Toward  
 this God has been working through  
 all history. Methods are always

**AGE OF TREES TO PLANT.**  
 There is a difference of opinion in  
 respect to the proper age and size of  
 trees for planting, but it has been  
 proved that a tree which is 1 year old  
 at planting will, as a rule, come into  
 bearing at about the same time older  
 trees do. But, for different reasons,  
 many orchardists prefer larger and  
 older trees.  
 Younger trees cost less originally,  
 and, on account of the smaller root  
 system, there is less labor in plant-  
 ing. Besides, they transplant much  
 better. A young tree is more likely  
 to make a good tree, because the  
 older trees are headed up too high in  
 the nursery, while the younger trees  
 may be headed lower, and, in gen-  
 eral, shaped to suit the ideas of the  
 grower.  
 Trees which produce heavy later-  
 al growth in the nursery should be  
 planted at one year of age. Trees  
 which make but a weak lateral growth  
 are best planted at two years of age.  
 If trees are two years old, it is best  
 to select them in the nursery because  
 the branches which the trees possess  
 determine the character and shape of  
 the tree.

**HOW TO ORDER TREES.**  
 Where a number of trees are to be  
 purchased it is good economy to visit  
 the nursery and make a personal  
 selection. When this cannot be done,  
 it should be specified with the order  
 that only first-class stock be sent,  
 with the privilege of rejecting any  
 poor stock. By purchasing directly  
 from the nursery, the agent's commis-  
 sion is saved, and better stock obtain-  
 ed, and there is less trouble in set-  
 tling any differences.  
 Early orders secure the pick of the  
 stock. The kind of stock desired, the  
 number of branches, height of head,  
 etc., should be stated definitely. It  
 should also be stated in the order  
 that substitutes will be accepted.  
 When this is not mentioned, the nur-  
 seryman feels at liberty to substitute  
 if short of anything ordered. A copy  
 of the order should be kept, with  
 which to check over the stock; in  
 that way there can be no dispute  
 about the stock ordered. Pay a good  
 price, but insist on and accept only  
 good stock.

**NOTES**  
 A trough of corn-cob charcoal should  
 be in every pasture.  
 The sound, well-bred draft mares  
 are farm money earners.  
 It has been proved by every gen-  
 eration of farmers that there is very  
 little if anything to be gained by  
 cross-breeding.  
 A good sheep is one that will pay  
 its own expense with wool; will pay  
 the money it costs if shipped to mar-  
 ket, and will pay a profit if kept for  
 increase.  
 While one class of stock may pay  
 better than another, the fact must  
 not be lost sight of that the average  
 farm needs a few heads of every sort  
 in order to make the best and closest  
 use of all the products.  
 A horse trainer says the training  
 of colts cannot be commenced too  
 early. Accustom them to being han-  
 dled, teach them to lead, to stand tied,  
 to have their feet and head handled  
 and to be tractable.  
 A mixture prepared as follows will  
 keep the agriculturist's implements from  
 rusting: Melt together lard and pow-  
 dered red, one part of the latter to  
 three parts of the former, and if it is  
 desired, add a little lampblack. Paint  
 the iron or steel with a brush.  
 The heifer calves from the better  
 cows should be sawed. To "cash in"  
 a good heifer calf is a deal when she  
 might readily replace a poor cow, is  
 an economic crime. While feed is re-  
 quired to rear a calf well, such expen-  
 diture is justified if the selection is  
 based on records. One calf in five  
 should be reared to maintain the size  
 of the herd.

**SHILOH**  
 30 DROPS COUGHS

**FARM GARDEN**

**HAVE ACRE ORCHARD ON EVERY FARM.**  
 No matter what branch of farming  
 the farmer specializes in, he should  
 have an orchard, even if it should  
 be only a small one. An acre orchard  
 would give all the fruit a family  
 could consume. By having all the  
 fruit one can utilize, the cost of  
 living can be kept down considerably.  
 As a rule, the location of the  
 orchard is limited, as it is wanted  
 close to the house. But where there  
 is choice of location, the soil should  
 have first consideration. There is no  
 definite soil that will suit all fruit,  
 equally well. Fertile soil is heavy  
 clay loam or clay; apples in clay  
 loam or gravelly loam; cherries in  
 gravelly loam, peaches in loam on  
 a variety of soils. The largest variety  
 of fruit however, do best on clay or  
 gravelly loams.  
 The first consideration is next im-  
 portant, unless the surface is five  
 or six feet deep. A subsoil that will  
 not let water through is not suitable,  
 as it prevents deep rooting and brings  
 the water table very close to the sur-  
 face. On the other hand, a sandy or  
 coarse gravel subsoil will let the mois-  
 ture pass through too quickly, and  
 will be unfavorable to fruit in  
 dry seasons. A subsoil of limestone  
 subsoil is best, as it allows the roots  
 to work deep, and it is also proved  
 that the limestone aids in the pro-  
 duction of highly-colored fruit.  
 The orchard should never be plant-  
 ed on a low piece of ground. When  
 the late spring frosts arrive they in-  
 jure the trees on the low land, and  
 those higher up escape unharmed.  
 Cold air has a tendency to sink and  
 warm air to rise because of differ-  
 ence in weight. This causes the frosts on  
 the low ground.  
 The exposure, or the general direc-  
 tion of the slope of the site is an-  
 other important consideration. On land  
 that is rolling it is impossible for all  
 the land to slope in the same direc-  
 tion, but if the orchard is located  
 near a lake or other body of water,  
 the exposure should be toward the  
 water. In case of a region of high  
 winds the orchard should be away  
 from the prevailing winds. A nor-  
 thern exposure retards the growth in  
 the spring, resulting in less injury to  
 the blossoms from late spring frosts.  
 Large bodies of water, warming slowly,  
 retard the growth.

**SUMMER SANDWICHES.**  
 Delicious and Dainty, From Your Garden.

The most delicious of all the sum-  
 mer sandwiches can be made right  
 from the garden. Nothing makes a  
 more acceptable lunch for a summer  
 day than a vegetable sandwich, with  
 a crisp, cool filling and a bit of may-  
 onnaise and a glass of iced tea. Cut  
 smaller in fancy shapes this is an  
 ideal menu for the porch tea also.  
 Lettuce sandwiches have for a long  
 time been favorites. To make them,  
 pick the lettuce the night before,  
 wash thoroughly and put in a cheese-  
 cloth bag on the ice. When ready to  
 use it will be very crisp. Vegeta-  
 ble sandwiches are always better  
 made just before using, as the dress-  
 ing softens them. If this be out of  
 the question, they may be opened and  
 the mayonnaise or cooked dressing  
 spread on them.  
 Another good sandwich is made  
 from ripe tomatoes simply sprinkled  
 with a bit of salt. The tomatoes are  
 cut very thin, and either brown or  
 white bread is used. A particularly  
 dainty and delicious sandwich for a  
 refreshment sandwich is made from  
 cucumbers. Try to pick them all  
 about the same size. Peel and crisp  
 on the ice. Cut small circles of  
 bread, a little larger than the slices  
 and put one slice between, covered  
 with a bit of mayonnaise.  
 If a more substantial sandwich is  
 desired, a supper sandwich is made  
 from cucumbers. Try to pick them all  
 about the same size. Peel and crisp  
 on the ice. Cut small circles of  
 bread, a little larger than the slices  
 and put one slice between, covered  
 with a bit of mayonnaise.  
 Another sandwich that  
 with the masculine side of  
 is an onion sandwich. Cut the  
 into very thin slices and  
 stand for some time in  
 water to extract some of the  
 strength. Spread  
 brown bread with  
 coating of mustard,  
 paprika and salt.  
 A vegetable club sandwich  
 splendid emergency lunch  
 two slices of bread for each  
 and broil one slice of bacon.  
 ready lettuce, tomatoes, and cucum-  
 bers sliced. Put on half the slices  
 a large leaf of lettuce, tomatoes, then  
 bacon and cover with cucumbers and  
 mayonnaise. Add a spoonful of  
 mayonnaise and the second slice of  
 toast and serve at once.  
 A very good sweet sandwich is  
 made by mashing berries; gooseber-  
 ries and currants should be cooked  
 a bit, sweetening them and spread-  
 ing between slices of white bread  
 when cool.  
 Unusual sandwiches for a garden  
 party can be made by picking nastur-  
 tium, clover or rose blossoms and  
 packing them above both the bread  
 and butter to be used in an air tight  
 tin box the night before. Wrap the  
 butter in a cloth. When the sand-  
 wiches are made they will have the  
 flavor and odor of the flowers used.  
 Serve on sandwich plates garnished  
 with the flowers.

**Original "Gag Rule."**  
 "Gag rule" was a phrase applied to  
 a resolution passed by congress in  
 May, 1836, that three-fourths of all  
 petitions, memorials, resolutions,  
 propositions or papers relating in any  
 way to the subject of slavery or the  
 abolition of slavery should lie on the  
 table without being printed or re-  
 ferred. The rule was abolished a few  
 years later.

**Little Things Cause Sunshine.**  
 The sunshine of life is made up of  
 very little beams that are bright  
 the time. To give up something  
 giving up will prevent unhappiness  
 to yield, when perceiving will  
 not fret others; to go a little  
 rather than come against  
 take an ill look or a cross  
 ly, rather than resent or  
 these are the ways in which  
 and storms are kept off, and a  
 ant and steady sunshine secured.  
 Aiken.

**Fully Explained.**  
 Jennie was asked why she did not  
 go next door any more to play with  
 her little chum. She replied: "Our  
 dispositions didn't match, so we dis-  
 banded our acquaintance."

**Be Kind Always.**  
 One great trouble with unkind  
 thoughts is that it is so very difficult  
 to keep them only thoughts; sooner  
 or later they find utterance. We may  
 fancy that we are keeping our un-  
 charitable opinions to ourselves, but  
 they are almost certain to express  
 themselves in look or tone, if not in  
 word. The only way to be really kind  
 is to be kind clear through.—Ex-  
 change.

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**MARKET REPORT**  
**TORONTO MARKETS**  
**FARMERS' MARKET**

Dairy Produce—		
Butter, choice dairy...	0.55	0.60
do., creamery...	0.50	0.55
Margarine, lb...	0.37	0.40
Eggs, new laid...	0.20	0.25
Cheese, lb...	0.35	0.40
Dressed Poultry—		
Duck, lb...	0.50	0.55
Pewee, lb...	0.35	0.40
Chickens, roasting...	0.45	0.50
Fruits—		
Berries, 11-qt...	1.75	2.00
Antaloupe, each...	0.10	0.20
Raspberries, box...	2.00	2.50
Blackberries, box...	0.35	0.30
Strawberries...	0.30	0.35
Apples...	0.25	0.30
Pears...	0.20	0.25
Oranges...	0.15	0.20
Lemons...	0.10	0.15

**MEATS**

Beef, forequarters...	0.10	0.15
do., hindquarters...	0.10	0.15
Chickens, choice...	0.50	0.55
do., medium...	0.45	0.50
do., common...	0.40	0.45
Veal, common, cwt...	0.50	0.55
do., medium...	0.55	0.60
do., prime...	0.60	0.65
Heavy hogs, cwt...	0.10	0.15
Shop hogs, cwt...	0.10	0.15
Abattoir hogs, cwt...	0.10	0.15
Spring Lamb, lb...	0.10	0.15

**SUGAR MARKET**

The wholesale quotations  
 trade on Canadian refined  
 delivery, are now as follows:

Acadia granulated...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 1 yellow...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 2 yellow...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 3 yellow...	0.10	0.15
Atlantic granulated...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 1 yellow...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 2 yellow...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 3 yellow...	0.10	0.15
Domino granulated...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 1 yellow...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 2 yellow...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 3 yellow...	0.10	0.15
Refined's granulated...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 1 yellow...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 2 yellow...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 3 yellow...	0.10	0.15
St. Lawrence granulated...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 1 yellow...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 2 yellow...	0.10	0.15
do., No. 3 yellow...	0.10	0.15
Barris—5c over bags...	0.10	0.15
Cases—2 1/2 lb. cartons...	0.10	0.15
cartons 7c over bags...	0.10	0.15
4c; 10 1/2-lb., 6c. over...	0.10	0.15

**OTHER MARKETS**  
**WINNIPEG GRAIN**  
 Fluctuations on  
 Exchange  
 Oct 11

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 But they are not the cathedrals or the  
 Pyramids. They are the next best  
 thing, unless, as may be the case, the  
 tales of travellers are better. These,  
 too, are not the original, but a teach-  
 er's interpretation—sometimes very  
 good and sometimes not.—Andrew  
 West.

You never can tell—The man  
 is wedded to his art may marry  
 haste and repent at leisure.

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- Class 17—Cooking**
1. Best Apple Pie. 3 prizes—30c, 20c, 10c.
  2. Best Layer Cake. 3 prizes—30c, 20c, 10c.
  3. Best 6 Cookies (white). 3 prizes—30c, 20c, 10c.
  4. Best Candy (home-made). 3 prizes—30c, 20c, 10c.

- Class 18—Needlework (Grades 3 and 4)**
1. Best piece of hand embroidery. 3 prizes—35c, 25c, 10c.
  2. Best hemstitched handkerchief (unwashed). 3 prizes—35c, 25c, 10c.
  3. Best crocheted edging. 3 prizes—35c, 25c, 10c.
  4. Best quilt block. 3 prizes—35c, 25c, 10c.

- Class 19—Miscellaneous**
1. Best Jack in Water (Grades 1 and 2). 3 prizes—35c, 25c, 10c.
  2. Best home-garden (Grades 1 and 2). 3 prizes—35c, 25c, 10c.
  3. Best "Maple Leaf" (Grades 1 and 2). 3 prizes—35c, 25c, 10c.
  4. Best "God Save the King" (Grades 1 and 2). 3 prizes—35c, 25c, 10c.

- Class 20—Hens and Poultry**
1. Best girl (Grades 1 and 2). 3 prizes—75c, 50c, 25c.
  2. Best after (Grades 1 and 2). 3 prizes—75c, 50c, 25c.
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  6. Best applied (Grades 1 and 2). 3 prizes—75c, 50c, 25c.

- Class 21—Competition in the**
1. Best engraving. 3 prizes—75c, 50c, 25c.
  2. Best school scoring the number of points in proportion to the number of its pupils. This must be won three years in succession to become the permanent property of any school. The Lyndhurst School now holds the Shield.

- Class 22—Driving**
1. Best lady driver—75c, 50c, 40c.
  2. Best gentleman driver—75c, 50c, 40c.

**NOTE**—In this class, horse must belong to parents or guardian.

**PROGRAM OF SPORTS**

1. 25 Yards Dash, boys 8 years and under, ribbons.
2. 25 Yards Dash, girls 8 years and under, ribbons.
3. 50 Yards Dash, boys 8 to 12 years, ribbons.
4. 50 Yards Dash, girls 8 to 12 years, ribbons.
5. 75 Yards Dash, boys 12 years and under, 16, ribbons.
6. 75 Yards Dash, girls 12 years and under, 16, ribbons.
7. Boys three-legged race, ribbons.
8. Sack Race for girls (supply own bags), ribbons.
9. Sack Race for boys (supply own bags), ribbons.
10. Girls' Needle Race, ribbons.
11. Horse-back Riding Contest, ribbons.
12. School Parade; the prizes to be awarded on the following basis: 1, deportment; 2, originality in design for displaying the identity of each school section; 3, arrangement of pupils. 1st prize \$2.00, 2nd prize \$1.50, 3rd prize \$1.00.

**NOTE**—This year, points will be given for winners in the sports contest, to be counted towards the shield. Two entries will be allowed from each school in each class with the exception of the relay race, which will be run by one team from each school. Teachers are advised to have a trial contest previous to the day of the Fair, and select the pupils who will enter the various contests. They then make their entry in each race in similar manner to the regular classes in the Fair. Each contestant will have an entry card, entry number on it, and name of school, and class entry.

**NOTE**—Programme outside the tent will be run off as follows: Live stock judging will commence at 12.30. Next will be the School Fair parade, and following this the program of sports as listed on the Prize List. All pupils taking part in the School Parade must be ready to line up at 1.30 sharp. The Parade will not be kept waiting for Schools not arrived at that time. Races will not be kept waiting for pupils who are not there at the time their class is called.

The School Fair board wishes to thank the School Boards and others who so generously contributed to the Prize List.

Come to the Fair; bring your lunch baskets and enjoy a day with the boys and girls.

**RULES AND REGULATIONS.**

Please read carefully and follow out regulations in detail.

1. All exhibits must be the property or the work of the exhibitor.
2. No entry fee is charged for any exhibit.
3. No pupil can make more than one entry in any one section.
4. Wire Coops will be supplied at the Fair in which to exhibit the poultry.
5. Live stock exhibits must be from the pupils home farm and must be halter broken, and led by the pupil exhibiting.

**N.B.**—Any entry will be disqualified unless this regulation is carried out.

6. All exhibits of potatoes, grain and corn, mangles, turnips, etc., must be from the seed supplied by the Department.
7. Each pupil will fill out his or her tickets, being careful to get the correct Class and Section according to the Prize List. These tickets should be securely fastened to the exhibit. Be particularly careful that you have your entry number on each ticket, as well as your name.

8. Classes 17, 18, 19, parents are required to sign a declaration and attach it to the exhibit, stating that the work was performed by the pupil exhibiting.
9. All school boards have been asked to contribute to the School Fair fund, and cash prizes can only be awarded to schools making cash donations.
10. Ribbons will be distributed with prize money.
11. Bring this Prize List with you.
12. All protests must be made to the Agricultural Representative, and his decision shall be final.

**NOTE**—Any person found guilty, either on the day of the fair or after, of wilfully breaking any one of the above rules will, together with other members of the family, be debarred from taking part in a School Fair for the following two years.

**BUY YOUR COAL NOW.**

A survey of the coal situation by the Commission of Conservation proves that a coal shortage next winter, and possibly next autumn, is almost a certainty.

During the year ended May 24, the output of anthracite was only 1,679,000 tons. This production is 65,000 tons less than the week preceding, and is 326,000 tons less than the corresponding week in 1918. While the production is falling off, retail dealers in the United States continue to be deluged with orders from customers who are insistent upon prompt deliveries.

Up to June 7th of the present year, the total production of anthracite was only 33,349,500 net tons as compared with 42,858,000 tons in the corresponding period of 1918, a decline of 9 1/2 million tons, or 22 per cent. It is a fair assumption that the production during 1919 will be less than 80,000,000 tons, whereas the production in 1918 was 99,614,324 tons. If this prediction is verified, there will be a shortage of 20,000,000 tons, or 20 per cent.

The shortage is due to a number of causes, not the least of which is the migration of tens of thousands of Jugo-Slavs, Czech-Slavs, Hungarians, Poles and other Europeans who are returning to Europe.

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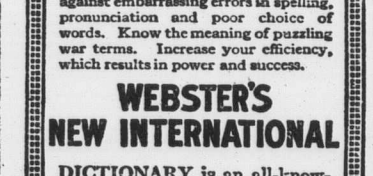
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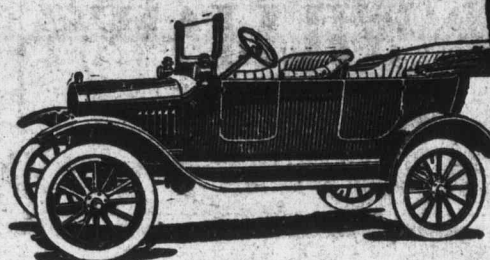
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The call of the West, the call of the harvest, has again sounded, and the plea for help from the Western farmer for the harvesting of this year's crop rings insistently in the ears of the East. While earlier reports were to the effect that crops were no so bountiful, the later news that was received following the anxiously awaited rains has led to the prediction that this year's crop will be much more than an average yield, and the demand for farm laborers for the 1919 harvest is most urgent. Despite the unusually heavy traffic in passenger and freight services the Canadian Pacific Railway, considering the harvesting of the crops as a matter of national welfare, again places at the disposal of farm laborer excellent through train service to Winnipeg, and on arrival there every assistance is given prospective harvesters in securing the positions in the harvest fields. Excursion dates are August 12th and 19th. For further particulars apply to A. J. Potvin, City Ticket Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, Brockville, Ont., 52 King St. West, corner Court House Ave.

- Class 7—Mangels (Yellow Intermediate)**
1. Best 3 mangels. 5 prizes—50c, 40c, 30c, ribbons.
- Class 8—Beets (Detroit Dark Red)**
1. Best 6 beets. 5 prizes—50c, 40c, 30c, ribbons.
- Class 9—Carrots (Chantenay)**
1. Best 6 carrots. 5 prizes—50c, 40c, 30c, ribbons.
- Class 10—Turnips (Purple Top Swede)**
1. Best 6 turnips. 5 prizes—50c, 40c, 30c, ribbons.
- Class 11—Onions (Yellow Danvers)**
1. Best 6 onions. 5 prizes—50c, 40c, 30c, ribbons.
- Class 12—Parsnips (Hollow Crown)**
1. Best 6 parsnips. 5 prizes—50c, 40c, 30c, ribbons.
- Class 13—Flowers**
1. Asters (Mixed Giant Comet). Collection of blossoms. 5 prizes—40c, 35c, 30c, ribbons.
  2. Phlox (Drummond). Collection of blossoms. 5 prizes—40c, 35c, 30c, ribbons.
  3. Best Bouquet from Home Garden. 5 prizes—40c, 35c, 30c, ribbons.
- Class 14—Poultry**
1. Best 3 birds from eggs distributed this year (1 male and 2 females). 6 prizes—50c, 40c, 30c, ribbons.
  2. Best Cockerel from eggs distributed this year. 6 prizes—40c, 35c, 25c, ribbons.
  3. Best Pullet from eggs distributed this year. 6 prizes—40c, 35c, 25c, ribbons.
  4. Best Pen, any variety (spring chickens, 1 male and 2 females). 6 prizes—40c, 30c, 20c, ribbons.
  5. Best Pen, cock and 2 hens, from eggs distributed last year. 6 prizes—40c, 30c, 20c, ribbons.
  6. Best dozen white eggs. 6 prizes—30c, 20c, 10c, ribbons.
  7. Best dozen brown eggs. 6 prizes—30c, 20c, 10c, ribbons.
- Class 15—Collections**
1. Collection of Butterflies. 3 prizes—40c, 30c, 20c.
  2. Collection of Grasses correctly named. 3 prizes—40c, 30c, 20c.
- Class 16—Fruit.**
1. Collection of Fall and Winter Apples, 5 of each variety and properly named. 3 prizes—40c, 30c, 20c.
  2. Five Snows. 3 prizes—40c, 30c, 20c.
  3. Four McIntoshs. 3 prizes—40c, 30c, 20c.

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Epworth League 8.00 p.m.  
Wednesday: Mid-Week Prayer Service at 7.30 p.m.

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### TILE-DRAINING

(Experimental Farm, Ottawa, Ont.)  
On the illustration at the left, which station is owned and operated by Mr. Charles S. Moores, an interesting and profitable result has been obtained. At this station four-year rotations are being run, one on land which is fairly tile-drained, the other on land which is not tile-drained, with good surface drainage. The only narrow lands being ploughed in the furrow kept clear. The soil is similar in character on both areas.

In 1918, Banner oats were sown on both fields. Those sown on the tile-drained land were sown much earlier than those on the undrained land and yielded 55 bushels per acre, costing 36 1/2 c. per bushel.

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Results.  
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Balance, profit . . . . . \$34.79  
The undrained land yielded 21 bushels per acre, costing \$15.70  
If sold at \$1 per bushel. . . . . 21.00

Balance, profit . . . . . \$5.30  
It will here be seen that tile-drained land gave a greater profit of \$29.49. A good time to put in tile drains is as soon as the hay harvest is over.—John Fixter, Division of Illustration Stations, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, Ont.

## NOTICE

### CLERK'S NOTICE OF FIRST POSTING OF VOTERS' LIST.

Voters' List, 1919, Municipality of Athens, Ontario, County of Leeds.

Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in Section 9 of the Ontario Voters' Lists Act the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised Assessment Roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at Elections for Members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections; and that the said list was first posted up at my office at Athens, on the eighth day of August, 1919, and remains there for inspection.

And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law.

G. W. LEE,

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FICTION.

it to be called a log in our times, went to make the front foundation of the fire. The roaring of the ample pile thereupon was a matter of no small architectural skill, and all the ruling members of our family circle had their own opinions about its erection, and these they maintained with the zeal and pertinacity which become earnest people. My grandfather, with his grave smile, insisted that he was the only reasonable fire-builder in the establishment; but when he had arranged his sticks in the most methodical order, my grandmother would be sure to rush out with a thump here and a twitch there, and divers incoherent exclamations tending to imply that men never open fire when they are in a hurry. Frequently her intense zeal for immediate effect would end in a general rout and roll of the sticks in all directions, with puffs of smoke down the chimney, requiring the setting open of the outside door; and then Aunt Louis would come in, and, with a face severe with determination, tear down the whole structure and rebuild from the foundation with exactness precision, but with an air that cast volumes of contempt on all that had gone before.

HIGH FINANCE.

Sanctity of James Russell Lowell as Told by Judge Coquing.

Judge Charles R. Corning, of Concord, N.H., tells a James Russell Lowell anecdote, which throws a pleasant light on Lowell's gentility, as well as on his court. Says Judge Corning: "I was spending the winter of 1878-'79 in Spain, and in December there blew in at Barcelona a company of American and British newspaper men. Among them was Edward King, a well-known correspondent of the period. He persuaded me to join the gang and go to Madrid to Alfonso's second wedding. Lowell was United States Minister, and he and King were old acquaintances. Accordingly I went with King to call at the Legation. Lowell had just got better of a painful attack of gout, which he described with more or less detail as he sat before the open fire blowing smoke from his pipe up the chimney. At last he remarked, 'Well King, it's a devilish bad visitor, the gout. First I had it in one arm, then in the other; then it lodged in my right leg for a week, suddenly quitting for the left leg and ankle. Then the thing would repeat its visit, with a touch now and then in the stomach.' King remarked that the experience required patience but for philosophy, for 'after those weeks of first one arm or leg, then the other, I gained courage and thanked God I wasn't a centipede.' 'What is the financial condition of Spain, Mr. Lowell?' asked King. 'Well,' replied Lowell, 'that has been an interesting subject to me and I have read reports and made inquiries concerning the debt and income, but didn't get anywhere, so I called on the Minister of Finance, to whom I pointed out by reference to a sinking fund. The Minister took my report and spent some time going over the paper, quietly said: 'But, senator, you have called my attention to sinking funds, which obliges me to tell you that our sinking fund was long ago sunk.'

FAMILY HEARTH.

of Family Differed about Its Arrangement.

The fact is that there is no little amount of domestic life which gives us a harbor to so much soft will and self-righteousness as the family hearth; and this is particularly the case with wood fires, because, from the miscellaneous nature of the material, and the sprightly activity of the combination, there is a constant occasion for tending and alteration and so a vast field for industrial opinion.

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Russia Has Had Much During the Ages.

The backwardness of the Russians can be pretty adequately accounted for by three historical factors. There is first, the Mongol yoke which rested upon them for nearly two and a half centuries. During the wonderful thirteenth and fourteenth centuries, while England was stabilizing her parliament and democratic models were being worked out in the free self-governing city states of Italy and the low countries, the Russians lay flattened under an alien Asiatic despotism. By the time they had rid themselves of the Mongols all legal rights of individuals, local communities and social classes had disappeared, leaving the power of the czars unlimited.

In the second place, for a long time after the Muscovites had freed themselves from the Mongols, their settlements in the rich treeless steppes to the south of them—the famous "black soil" destined to become the granary of Russia and indeed, of Europe—were exposed to raids by the nomad Tartars hemming them on the east and south. Until the days of Peter the Great the Russians were for the most part confined to the less fertile forested region of the north, where they were safe from the incursions of the nomads. Let one imagine how our economic development would have suffered had our ancestors been confined to the wooded region of the upper Ohio and the Great Lakes because the fertile prairies from Indiana to the Rocky Mountains lay open to the raids of barbarian horsemen welling up from the great populated area in the southwest!

Then there was the Romnaoff autocracy, which in Shakespeare's day crushed the bulk of the people down into serfdom—which later became slavery—and kept them there for two and a half centuries.—Edward Aisworth Ross in Asia Magazine.

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Sailing is Different. Sailing on the briny deep is entirely different than doing the same stunt on land. This was admitted by a landlubber from Pittsburgh, who has just returned from his first voyage with a brand new seacock story. "The first day I was out," said the amateur navigator, "the old tub rolled like a barrel, and before I knew it I was in the throes of mal de mer. The bunch gazed me and told me my job was driving a trolley car. Instead of sailing, I had to seek my bunk. I had only been in it a few minutes when the ship's surgeon visited me and callously asked: 'What's the matter?' 'O-oh, I'm so sick,' I told him, and I rolled over in agony. 'Come, get up,' he said unfeelingly. 'The ship has been torpedoed and we're sinking.' I fell out of my bunk and scrambled to the deck. The bunch again derided me. Say, have you ever been seasick?"

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Wooden Cannon Yet. Anyone familiar with modern weapons of war and the high explosives used in them would naturally suppose a wooden cannon of little or no use. Wooden cannons have been used with considerable success in Cuba, Haiti and the Dominican Republic. The wood used is very tough, having a twisted grain that curls about the log in such a way that to split the timber with the ordinary means is almost impossible. The best trees are selected and a piece of the log five or six feet in length and about one foot in diameter is cut. After the bark has been removed and the log made perfectly round, it is swung on a crude axle and a hole is burned into it from one end. This log is wound with a sawhike, which shrinks and binds. When the cannon is covered with a layer is wound on after certain time, and this is continued until the weapon has increased several inches in diameter. Then the weapon is treated to a hot blast, which tends further to contract the hide binding until it becomes almost as strong as wire. These crude cannons have been employed with effect in a number of instances, and it is astonishing, so it is said, how many times they can be fired before they burst or are otherwise disabled.

Use Wireless Lamp. A wireless signal lamp has been devised for various kinds of war work, which enables the users to keep up communications under conditions where it would be difficult or impossible to stretch telephones or telegraph wires. A battery fire, for example, would be no hindrance to signalling by this new apparatus. It can be used between a ground station at the battle front and an airplane a considerable distance away, flying over enemy territory.

WART BLEED TO DEATH. Tried to trim a wart with a razor and severed an artery. The only wart cure is "Putnam's," which removes warts, corns, callouses in one day. Insist on getting Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor, it's the best, 25c at all dealers.

Has Artificial Ventilation. A French fort at Verdun has artificial ventilation. It is described by Maj. Gen. Charles A. Clement, U. S. A., who visited the firing line. A fort, looked on as the best that French engineering skill could build, was made of reinforced concrete, extending many feet under ground, and stood near the site of the stronghold referred to. It was smashed to atoms by the Germans, but the French, even as the pieces were flying about them, constructed a new, subterranean fort of rock and granite which effectively resisted the attacks of the enemy. This fort General Clement describes as somewhat resembling an anthracite coal mine. He said that the air in the fort's hospital was pure and, despite the fact that no sunlight ever penetrated the place, the conditions compared favorably with those of similar institutions on the surface of the earth.

The foregoing description gives us a glimpse of French efficiency displayed in the defence of Verdun.—Popular Science Monthly.

Something Like a Beard! Mistakes of military signallers are sometimes amusing. A German prisoner escaped from an internment camp, and to facilitate recapture a description of the man was circulated. The description contained a succession of sibilant sounds, which rendered its reception by telephone somewhat difficult. One signaller, after struggling valiantly with the prisoner's name, appearance, etc., finished the message with "height 5 foot 8 all beard and moustache." The possibility of a 5-foot-8 beard wandering about on its lonesome was questioned, with the result that the following correction was circulated: "Please read 'small' for 'all'."

Poetry Best When Read Aloud. To the average person, poetry never seems so real nor so beautiful when read to oneself; it requires an appreciative reader to bring out the thoughts and preserve the charm of the rhythm. Stirring stories and poems are remembered longer when read aloud, and surely those of us who were brought up on Dickens, Thackeray and Scott remember best, not those stories we read by ourselves, but rather those which were read aloud by a loved but lost voice in the home. The fellow who blows his own horn needs no instruction. He is his own tooter.

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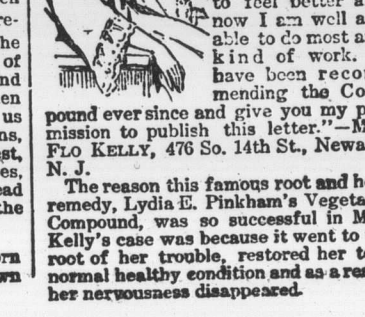
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"A mistake has been made. An official picture is desired. One you sent shows the Prince without hat or coat and with khaki shirt collar turned in. Charming description, but hardly dignified enough."

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