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## COUNTY OF LEEDS ADVERTISER.

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B. Loverin, Prop'r

**GLOBE CLOTHING HOUSE**

### Your Easter Suit and Overcoat...

The most important garment in the Easter wardrobe is the SUIT—next the light-weight OVERCOAT, then your GENTS' FURNISHINGS. To be rightly attired no detail should be neglected. Easter preparations must be made early. Are you going to appear in new spring tops? Here they are:—

New Spring Suits, new Spring Overcoats, the swell Long Coat, or the short Box Coat, a veritable flower garden of new Spring Neckwear, fancy Colored Shirts, correct Collars and Cuffs, Gloves, etc., etc., at economy prices.

**GLOBE CLOTHING HOUSE**  
The Up-to-Date  
Clothing & Gents' Furnishers  
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**A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING.**  
TOPICS OF INTEREST BATH-ERED FROM FAR AND NEAR FOR REPORTER READERS...

The Manitoba Government will again increase the price of Provincial lands another half dollar per acre on April 1st.

The first canal lock built in America was at Saint Ste Marie in 1790. It had a lift of 9 ft., and a depth of 2½ ft., and was wrecked during the war of 1812. It is now shown as a curiosity.

The old idea that anthracite coal ashes are useless on the farm or garden is exploded. They are good for any heavy clayey soil, and they make excellent mulching for fruit and shade trees, especially pear trees.

You must not think, because a number of our citizens have a wild look about the eyes and a generally dilapidated appearance these days, that they have been out on a toot or something of that kind; they are simply learning to play ping pong.

The B. & W. will soon commence operations in the way of relaying ties along the road, having given an order of 4,000. They will also continue the retimbering of the trestles, and expect to commence work soon on the new engine house to be erected.

At the last meeting of Kitley council it was decided by a vote of 3-1 to abolish statute labor in the Toledo polling subdivision. The township is divided into four subdivisions and if the experiment is a success in this one it will probably be adopted in the others.

The South Leeds Conservatives will meet in convention at Delta on April 10th to contest the riding at the coming provincial elections. Three candidates are in the field, Messrs. W. B. Carroll, Gannaque, W. Beatty, Delta, and Dr. Preston, Newboro. A hot time is expected on the 10th.

Editor Boyle, of the Beeton World, wants \$3,000 from the man who thumped him the other day. Now the scribe of the North Bay Despatch puts the chip on his shoulder by this frank invitation: "Will some gentleman of wealth please knock the stuffing out of the editor of this great family journal?"

The site for the new model cheese curing station at Brockville will be on Perth street, the government having leased the land from the G. T. R. for a nominal sum. The site is a very convenient one and the shipping facilities are excellent. The curing room will be 45x80 feet, two stories high. The stations will be ready for use by the time the warm weather sets in.

A subscriber to a country weekly was exceedingly annoyed because his paper came to him so damp that it was useless as a news medium. He wrote to the editor of the paper, asking why the "Clarion" was wet when he received it. The editor replied that it was probably because there was so much dew on it. If your paper feels damp just glance at the date on the slip which bears your name—Exchange.

Bellefleur school board has decided to abolish vertical writing in the schools of that city. The inspector being asked for his opinion said: "It was a bad day for the schools when the teachers introduced the fad of vertical writing. I never was in favor of it from the first. It was advocated however that this system was more easily taught and learned. But it has developed into a back-hand writing. The system has been put out of the Toronto schools and other schools of the province and across the line. It will be a good day for the schools when they return to the old and tried Spencerian system."

A young couple were married at Fenelon Falls recently, and a number of their friends and relatives assembled at the station to see them off on their honeymoon. Old slippers and rice were showered on the happy pair as they were boarding the train. When they got comfortably seated in the car, the groom noticed a boot in the aisle, and thinking it was one that had been thrown in the car by one of his jovial friends, threw the boot out of the window as the train was moving out. It happened that the boot belonged to a well known Toronto commercial traveler, who had removed it to ease his weary feet. On the arrival of the train at Lindsay, the groom was compelled to purchase a new pair of boots for the drummer.

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We teach the best, simplest and most modern systems, in the shortest possible time and guarantee perfect satisfaction.

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M. J. KEHOE, Proprietor

**A "HERO'S" TONIC**

For soldier or civilian South American Nerve proves itself the greatest of system toners, nerve healers and blood cleansers.

A battle-scarred veteran just home from the war in South Africa, who was all run down and weak, the aftermath of that dread wild fever, says: "I found South American Nerve a remarkable medicine and heartily recommend it to everybody in need of a good tonic." It's a grand remedy for all "run down" people. One bottle gives great relief. A few bottles never fail to cure.

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Pt. I.—Mabel O'Neill, Abel Rowson.  
SUSIE DOOLAN, Teacher.

**BOILING SAP.**

I am sitting in the shanty all alone.  
It's two o'clock this morning by the watch.  
There's a pancake in the ashes and another on the stone,  
And the kettle's nicely boiling on the crotch.  
A fox came down the alleyway and took a look at me,  
An owl came through the branches for a peep,  
And a bug crawled through the mosses to see what he could see;  
I made a big pretense I was asleep.  
I am boiling sap for mother—'tis sugar-making time;  
The maple pulse is throbbing with the thaw;  
I cut their little arteries—now isn't that a crime?  
To bring a load of syrup home to maw!  
—Spring Post.

**EARLY SPRING GARDEN HINTS.**

Was your garden dug up in the fall? It should be getting pulverized by the frost and air and be more easily worked in the spring.

Is your chimney full of soot? Clean it and save the soot. It is a splendid fertilizer and preventative of insects, especially around fruit trees and bushes.

The garden is the best paying part of the farm. You don't believe it! Well, keep an account of it next year and see if it's not.

Do not think that because certain vegetables are cheap it doesn't pay to raise them. The chances are that they may produce three or four times more value on the same piece of ground than fancy vegetables, with far less work.

**JUDSON & SON'S**  
Special Sale on  
**SATURDAY, APRIL 5**

**Mattresses**—S-a grass centres, good clean cotton on both sides, X I C ticking, regular price, \$5.50; on Saturday bargain day. **\$3.78**

**Mattresses**—Same as above, in No. A. ticking, regular price, \$5.00; special for Saturday. **\$3.65**

**Mattresses**—Extra heavy, filled with grass, heavily padded with cotton batten on both sides, made in two pieces, with Eclipse ticking, regular \$6.00; Saturday for. **\$4.17**

**Centre Tables**—24x24 top, with English curved rim shaped legs, shelf and top of quartered oak, gold finished and polished, regular \$6.00; on sale Saturday for. **\$4.17**

**Centre Tables**—24x24 top, hardwood, shaped legs, regular \$2.00; Saturday. **\$1.17**

**Centre Tables**—24x24 top, nice embossed rail, with brass feet, finished golden, regular price, \$3.50 on sale Saturday. **\$2.27**

**Centre Tables**—16x16, hardwood, filled with soft mat from, regular price, \$1.25; on sale Saturday for. **68c**

All goods on Bargain Day must be Cash.

**Coming In!** If you are a fisherman, bird shooter, or big-game hunter, send 25 cents for a FOREST AND STREAM 4 weeks' trial trip. It is now printing chapters on Duck Shooting, describing with portraits all the American wild fowl; chapters telling how to train dogs for field trial work; and practical instructions to boys in shooting, fishing and camping out; shooting stories, fishing stories, and game and fish news. Illustrated, weekly. For sale by all news-dealers. Neither you nor your family can afford to be without it. It is the best reading, and has the largest circulation, of any paper of its class in America. It is the SPORTSMAN'S FAVORITE JOURNAL of shooting, fishing and yachting. Per year, \$4. With any one of the Forest and Stream large artotypes of big game and field scenes, \$5.50. Send for illustrated catalogue of books.

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**THAT AWFUL DEPRESSION**

Which Mrs. Greeney experienced is but the story that thousands could tell of their sufferings from Dyspepsia. Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets is the panacea.

"I have proved Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets to be the only effective remedy for my dyspepsia. I have used most everything I could hear of, but these tablets 'touch the spot' and take away the awful depression and distress in almost quicker time than it takes to tell it. You may publish this that all sufferers from Indigestion and Dyspepsia may find the relief I did. Mrs. M. Greeney, 51 Alice St., Toronto.  
Sixty tablets, 25 cents.

Sol by J. P. LAMB & SON

**License District—Brockville and Leeds.**

PURSUANT to sub-sections 5 and 6 of section 11, chapter 194, R.S.O., and amendments thereto, I hereby give notice that the Board of License Commissioners will meet on **THURSDAY, the 17th day of APRIL, 1902,** at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m., at the **REGISTRY OFFICE, in the TOWN OF BROCKVILLE,** for the consideration of licenses for the ensuing year.

That the total number of licenses issued during the current year was 40, and the total number of applications for licenses for the ensuing year is 40. All persons interested will therefore take notice and be governed accordingly.

**E. H. PHILLIPS,**  
Inspector Brockville and Leeds  
Dated at Caintown, this 1st day of April, 1902.

**SOPERTON SCHOOL.**

Sr. IV.—Alice Horton, Zelda Frya.  
Jr.—Gladys Suffel, Pearl Irwin, Hazel Neff, Jiba Dorman, Mabel Irwin, Eva Best.

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# THE SPRING FEELING.

## Variable Spring Weather Destructive to Weak People.

Even Usually Robust People Feel Run Down and Out of Sorts at This Time - Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Are the Very Best Spring Tonic.

The spring months are a trying time to most people. At no other time of the year do health and strength seem so hard to gain and to hold. You do not feel that you are really sick, but you feel about as bad as you could if you were seriously ill. That feeling ought to be got rid of—and it can be. What you need is a tonic to enrich the blood and free it from the impurities which have lodged in your system during the winter, and which are responsible for your present condition. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the only reliable, never failing tonic medicine. These pills make new, rich blood, strengthen the nerves and bring health and vitality to every organ in the body. They are an ideal spring medicine and the best thing in the world for all diseases having their origin in impoverished or impure blood. The case of Miss Belle Corson, White Rock Mills, N. S., is strong corroboration of these statements. She says: "Three years ago this spring I was very much run down. The least exertion exhausted me. I seemed to lose ambition and a feeling of languor and sluggishness took its place. My appetite failed me and my sleep at nights was disturbed and restless. In fact I was in a pitiable condition. After trying two or three medicines without benefit, I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and they speedily worked a change for the better and by the time I had used a half dozen boxes I felt stronger than I had done for years. I have since used the pills in the spring and I find them an excellent tonic."

Because of their thorough and prompt action on the blood and nerves these pills speedily cure anaemia, rheumatism, sciatica, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, scrofula and eruptions of the skin, erysipelas, kidney and liver troubles and the functional ailments which make the lives of so many women a source of constant misery. Other so-called tonic pills are mere imitations of this sterling remedy. Get the genuine with the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" on the wrapper around every box. Sold by all medicine dealers or sent post paid at 50c cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by addressing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Particularly Out, Ma'am.

The old colored man had grown gray in service. He had almost become the custodian of the family secrets as he was of the family silver.

The married daughter, who lived in a distant town, had come home for a visit. Callers were coming all day long and old Pompey was kept busy opening the door and receiving the visitors.

One bright morning the ladies of the family went out for a drive. Just after they left the bell rang, and Pompey recognized in the caller a former dear girl friend of his young married mistress.

"Are the ladies in, Pompey?" said the young lady.

"No, ma'am, they're all out, ma'am," responded the old retainer.

"I'm so sorry I missed them," replied the visitor, handing in her cards. "I particularly wanted to see Mrs. Bell."

"Yes, ma'am, thank ye, ma'am. They're all out, ma'am, and Mrs. Bell is particularly out, ma'am," was the reply that greeted her hearing as the visitor opened the gate and the front door closed.

### ANOTHER HAPPY MOTHER.

Tell How Her Baby of Eight Months Profited by Wise Treatment.

Teething time is the critical age in a child's life. Any slight disorder in the stomach or bowels at that time greatly increases the persistence of the little one and may have serious and even fatal results. It is impossible to take too great care of your baby's health during this period, and no better remedy than Baby's Own Tablets is known for the minor ailments of childhood. Among the mothers who have proved the worth of this medicine is Mrs. R. McMaster, Cookstown, Ont. Her little baby girl was suffering from the combined evils of indigestion, constipation and teething, and the mother's strength was severely taxed by the continuous care the child needed. A box of Baby's Own Tablets, however, made such an improvement that Mrs. McMaster is now enthusiastic in their praise. "It gives me great pleasure to testify to the value of Baby's Own Tablets," she writes. "My baby of eight months was much troubled with constipation and indigestion, and was very restless at night. I procured a box of Baby's Own Tablets, and the results were so satisfactory that I have not used any other medicine since. My baby girl is now regular and healthy, and getting her teeth seems much easier, and she rests a great deal better. These Tablets are a great help to little ones when teething."

Baby's Own Tablets are guaranteed to contain no opiate or other harmful drug. They produce natural sleep, because they regulate the stomach and bowels and comfort the nerves. They promptly cure such troubles as colic, sour stomach, constipation, diarrhoea, worms, indigestion and simple fever. They break up colds, prevent croup and allay the irritation accompanying the cutting of teeth. Dissolved in water, they can be given with absolute safety to the youngest infant. Sold by druggists, or sent postpaid at 25 cents a box, by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. Free sample sent on application. Mention this paper.

chooses, maybe, the dainty, light bon-corset; she who is given to favoring the Empire style (and for evening wear this is ultra modish) wears the perfectly-boned little "bust-bodice"—the only kind permissible if the Empire lines are to be right—and, for the dame of heavier build, there is plenty of choice—it is to her the corsetiere gives much brain and finger work in order to provide a support both comfortable and becoming.



A VERY S...

In a new Sailor Shape, with slighted with lace; round the crown is a front, and slightly towards the back foliage on each side.

You cannot go far wrong if you go to a Parisienne but don't be inveigled into trusting your figure to the tender mercies of any other. A friend of mine lately tried a celebrated and certainly expensive London corsetiere, who shall be nameless, for some straight-fronted corsets, under the innocent delusion that all articles are so designated bore a strong family likeness. I shook my head and thought "she will be a sadder and a wiser woman, but held my own counsel. Later, I asked, "How did you like the S. F. Corsets?" "Well, my dear, for a few days I felt quite numb, but after a time you get used to them!" Now,

With French Corsets  
You feel the first time you wear them that you have known them all your life; you can bend like a flower in the wind, or pick up a pocket handkerchief from the floor with your teeth! For evening wear I cordially recommend the "corset-yupon," Le Fourreau, hailing from 265 Rue St. Honore, a Princess frock, especially, looks ravissante over it; it is a somewhat luxurious commodity, I confess, for everyday wear. Another good model—without the petticoat attachment—is the "Plus que Drole," fastening ingeniously with no lacing behind, which gives such a pretty line to the back.

The Spring Skirts  
are in the main of the same type as those we have been wearing, only more so. They are still slim above and flowing out at the feet all round in flower fashion. The colors, soft, delicious pastels for the most part, are very enticing, especially in the new face cloths, so soft, so brilliant, so light. Among the favorite hues to choose from, I give the palm to champagne, old ivory, sable, algemarine, and last, and loveliest, the new capucine, a soft rosy red, which has not yet wandered far from its birth place Paris, and being made only in exclusive materials, will not yet be general. These cloths lend themselves to the building of the smartest and daintiest of costumes for 5 o'clock and visiting, and may be embellished by an infinite variety of garniture in the way of chenille embroideries, incrustations of Flemish, Irish, or Venetian guipures, the new little zig-zag fancy ribbons, (on the principle of the zig-zag laces we have had a long time), or what is very popular, arabesques and Greek designs worked in soft cashmere and cameo tints, outlined with gold or silver threads. The corsage to go with these may be the blouse-bolero, the three-quarter coat, or, for a dressy costume, give the preference to a Louis

there will be a chance of picking up all sorts of little novelties and objects d'art to take back with you, and I am told things are to be sold as reasonably as on their native soil. Nous verrons!

Then, another Parisian flavor has already been imported, in the shape of a salon opened by the great M. Worth—not at Earlscourt, but in new Burlington street. His numerous English customers have been urging this step, as it will save them many a rough crossing. I believe at the opening of this salon de modes, a week or two back, there was

A Ravishing Show  
of tempting frocks, and as M. Worth is an Englishman himself, none of us need have patriotic qualms over succumbing to the beautiful creations he offers. The only prod our conscience need give us is on the score of our purses, which may prove unequal to the sums of necessity asked for such seductive triumphs. To those who need have no such qualms, M. Worth will be a real boon, and he is bound to win the success he deserves.

Returning for a second to hats, there are some useful ones being shown for buying and sports in very fine English straw, just as

Supple and Flexible  
as the Panama, the crown can be in a pretty sort of dimpled shape and the brim made to go up and down, inside and out, every way, awfully nice for travelling or yachting. Then, for the indispensable sailor, there is a smart coronation band, with His Majesty's monogram,

of the moment, when every coronation band, sleeve are mondrous feature to have them the tendency is to have them in as plain can be at the and very bouffant below the

Had we been shown a model of a year or two back we leave a year or two back we innocently have seen it in down, for that is really what is like when cut out. A pretty is to make this tight fitting with two rows of transparent lace—with an equal width of tucks between—the same appearing round the widest part of sleeve, and again at the wrist. all square of it back and front the neck is in keeping. They appear below this yoke, with fastening concealed under the one side. Odd collars are valent with blouses as with coats, and linen ones, are being prepared by embroider their own shades of Harris tweed on Parma violet design being same, the hemstitching pale blue, and the tea up

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from their sins to God, we must go to them with tenderness and love. We should ever be ready to witness for Christ, to tell to others what he has done for us.

Thoughts. — "Paul was kicking against the goads (1) by refusing the kingdom of God; (2) by resisting the Holy Spirit; (3) by striving against the new impulses that were being awakened in his soul; (4) by opposing the goodness of God; (5) by destroying God's people."

PRACTICAL SURVEY.  
The conversion of Saul of Tarsus is one of the most important events in the history of the Christian church. It furnishes most positive testimony to the divine origin of the gospel. The account is fully authenticated. On several occasions the apostle repeated the story in detail before public assemblies. Saul's conversion was sudden and thorough. By the power of the gospel he had so bitterly opposed, the whole current and purposes of his life were changed.

Saul the persecutor. Such was the reception into which he had fallen that he verily thought he ought to do things contrary to the name of Jesus of Nazareth. Which things he did, causing the saints to be imprisoned, and when they were put to death he gave his voice against them. At the time of his arrest he was engaged in a systematic course of bitter and cruel opposition to the disciples of Christ. The expression "breathing out threatenings and slaughter" (v. 1) gives some idea of the enraged condition of his mind.

Saul the conqueror. Jesus Christ made a personal appeal to this misguided persecutor. "Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou Me?" (v. 4). Saul then awoke to the fact that in persecuting the saints on earth he was persecuting the Lord of Glory. A mighty struggle took place in the mind of Saul. It was useless for him to longer "kick against the goads." Resistance was of no avail; he must yield to a superior power. The lesson was hard to learn, but the crisis had arrived when he must acknowledge the grace and power of Christ or absolutely set himself against Christ and at last suffer utter destruction.

Saul a chosen vessel. "He is a chosen (choice) vessel (instrument)

Wholesale. There is a good and a bad trade. The blue weather the past week effect on retail dry goods. Their development of trade at Toronto fine mild weather of cheerfulness trade circles an confidence in for business. This week has The wholesale men's orders men's trade, being goods of the Dominion as reported remarkable numbers lack of orders can be played in the in the fair. Who covered fragments facts London week, as reported in Brads there has been expansion trade. The jobbers are experienced a better demand from country retailers who are desirous to be well provided for the increased business looked for the coming season.

March Failures.  
R. G. Dun & Co. report liabilities of commercial failures for three weeks of March \$6,110,458, against \$6,192,185 last year. Failures this week numbered 207, in the United States against 206 last year, and in Canada 22 against 29 last year.

There is no future pang can deal that justice on the self condemned that he deals on his own soul. — Byron.

# RICH BLOOD, STRONG NERVES

Are Necessary to Good Health—Both Result From the Use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

"About one-fifth of all the blood used in the human body is sent direct to the brain, and out of this is created the nerve force, which controls and regulates the action of the various organs. When the blood gets thin and watery, as it usually does at this time of year, the nerves are first to suffer; they are starved and exhausted. Headache, dizzy spells, indigestion, weak action of the heart, languid depressed feelings, weakness and functional derangements of the bodily organs are the result. You can feel Dr. Chase's Nerve Food doing you good day by day, as it strikes at the root of trouble and creates new, rich blood. You can prove that it builds up new tissues and adds flesh if you weigh yourself each week while using it.

Mr. J. McFaul, carpenter, 315 Manning avenue, Toronto, states: "I have used Dr. Chase's Nerve Food for acute indigestion, nervousness and inability to sleep, and now, after a thorough test, I am pleased to say that my nervous system has been built up, and I rest and sleep well. I can speak very highly of this preparation, knowing it to possess curative properties which I have failed to find in other remedies."

Mrs. M. Colwell, 538 Ossington avenue, Toronto, states: "I think Dr. Chase's Nerve Food a splendid medicine. I was very much run down in health, had dizzy spells, was quite nervous, and was troubled a great deal from indigestion. The use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food has greatly improved my health generally. My nerves are sturdier, my digestion is good, and I have not been troubled with dizziness of late."

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is for the blood, as well as the nerves. It cures each and every ailment resulting from thin, weak, watery blood. It depletes cells. 50 cts. a box, 6 boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers, or Edmanston, Bates & Co., Toronto.

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Newsy Budgets by the Reporter's able staff of Correspondents

has moved to Brock-... come to a sud-... been in... time, passed... fine...

Tired Out

"I was very poorly and could hardly get about the house. I was tired out all the time. Then I tried Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and it only took two bottles to make me feel perfectly well."—Mrs. N. S. Swinney, Princeton, Mo.

Tired when you go to bed, tired when you get up, tired all the time. Why? Your blood is impure, that's the reason. You are living on the line of nerve exhaustion. Take Ayer's Sarsaparilla and be well again.

25¢ a bottle. All druggists. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is made of the most valuable and purest ingredients.

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him his happiness. We envy... has engaged... Mr. John Male... family, of... Sunday with... David Wiltsie... visiting friends... Easter Sunday... has entered... carrying His... Ball's... of Mt... for a few... it will... is sec... and... ing... into... the... hand form... We ext... party... Mr. and Mrs... Mr. Lawson... address in our church... Sabbath morning. The church was beautifully decorated with evergreen and the pulpit and altar with flowers.

LANSDOWNE.

A new baby has arrived at Amp. Seaman's. Mrs. Richardson spent Easter in Kingston. Mrs. Hanna, of Lyn is visiting Mrs. Wright. Miss Susie Summers, of Oakville, is here visiting friends at present. Mrs. Frank Findlay spent Easter Sunday with her parents at Escott. Mac Simpson, of Kingston is renewing old acquaintances here at present. Mrs. Mitchell, of Toledo, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. B. Leverette. Urban Warren is spending some of his Easter holidays in Dulce maine at Mr. Sliter's. Rev. W. E. Reynolds, of Athens, assisted the Rev. R. Stillwell last week in the special services here. Mr. R. W. Foley, and his sister, Jennie, of Tilley, visited their cousin, Mrs. E. E. Warren, last week. Three of the telephone poles near Lansdowne village fell on Saturday last. Some of the villagers pushed them out of the road so that the teams could pass. O. W. Landon, D. F. Warren, Fred Johnston, Will Reid, of L.O.L., No. 26, and Herb Cook, of L.O.L., No. 100, attended the meeting of the Grand Orange Lodge held in Smith's Falls. The church was beautifully supplied with flowers for Easter. There was a large congregation. The choir gave some beautiful anthems. Mrs. (Rev.) Stillwell presided at the organ in the absence of Miss Redmond.

MORTON.

Miss Susie Willis, Athens, is spending her Easter holidays at her home here. Miss Lizzie Roddick, Lyndhurst, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred B. Taber, returned home to-day. Mr. Charlie Dawson goes to Jones' Falls soon to begin his summer's work on the locks. Mrs. Dawson and children will also spend the summer there.

GREENBUSH.

W. G. Olds commenced ploughing several days ago. Large flocks of wild geese can be seen flying north. Mr. Spicer has moved to Mr. D. Carpenter's farm. Mr. Saul Griffin is engaged helping T. Kerr in his sugar bush. John McBratney has gone to the North West with a car-load of horses and settlers' effects where he will conduct farming. He had a prosperous season last year. Mr. John Hanna is moving to the premises vacated by R. E. Foster. Mr. Hanna will engage in the general store business. We welcome him and wish him prosperity.

The People's Column.

Advertisements of 6 lines and under in this column, 25c for first insertion and 10c each subsequent insertions.

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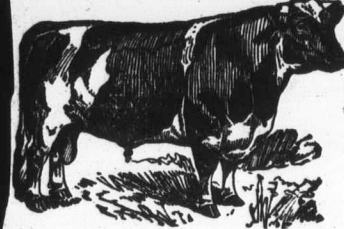
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LANSDOWNE.

A new baby has arrived at Amp. Seaman's. Mrs. Richardson spent Easter in Kingston. Mrs. Hanna, of Lyn is visiting Mrs. Wright. Miss Susie Summers, of Oakville, is here visiting friends at present. Mrs. Frank Findlay spent Easter Sunday with her parents at Escott. Mac Simpson, of Kingston is renewing old acquaintances here at present. Mrs. Mitchell, of Toledo, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. B. Leverette.

Urban Warren is spending some of his Easter holidays in Dulceanaine at Mr. Sliter's.

Rev. W. E. Reynolds, of Athens, assisted the Rev. R. Stillwell last week in the special services here.

Mr. B. W. Foley, and his sister, Jennie, of Tilley, visited their cousin, Mrs. E. E. Warren, last week.

Three of the telephone poles near Lansdowne village fell on Saturday last. Some of the villagers pushed them out of the road so that the teams could pass.

O. W. Landon, D. F. Warren, Fred Johnston, Will Reid, of L.O.L., No. 26, and Herb Cook, of L.O.L., No. 100, attended the meeting of the Grand Orange Lodge held in Smith's Falls.

The church was beautifully supplied with flowers for Easter. There was a large congregation. The choir gave some beautiful anthems. Mrs. (Rev.) Stillwell presided at the organ in the absence of Miss Redmond.

MOITON.

Miss Susie Willis, Athens, is spending her Easter holidays at her home here.

Miss Lizzie Roddick, Lyndhurst, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred B. Taber, returned home to-day.

Mr. Charlie Dawson goes to Jones' Falls soon to begin his summer's work on the locks. Mrs. Dawson and children will also spend the summer there.

GREENBUSH.

W. G. Olds commenced ploughing several days ago.

Large flocks of wild geese can be seen flying north.

Mr. Spicer has moved to Mr. D. Carpenter's farm.

Mr. Saul Griffin is engaged helping T. Kerr in his sugar bush.

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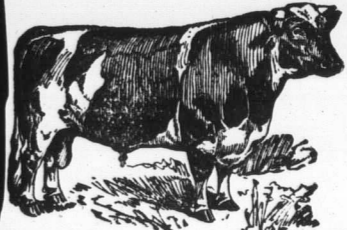
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not surely desire to be known through the country as your bastard son." "As what?" demands Sir Harry, turning on her with a fierce, menacing gesture and upraised hand as if to strike her. "Jeannette, you say that, and you know you lie—you know you lie!" he shouts, now roused to frenzy. "I've done you wrong, a base wrong, I know, and it's laid on my heart heavy, and made me dread the sight of you these long years. I've wronged you, and I've been a coward and a traitor to you as well as to her—the woman I wronged worse than you."

"Don't bring her name up! I cannot and will not endure it now," George interposes in a low, agitated voice. "But I did wrong her worse than any one," Sir Harry persisted, in a vague, wild way, staring blankly at him. "Of course I did! What's the use in talking? She's my wife, and I've wedded her, and I never let her bear my name, or live in my house, and let her go to America and die there in exile."

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But, madam, I always give my customers what they ask for. Had you named a particular brand of soap you would have got it. I named a particular brand! How was I to know anything of brands? But I know better now, and I know what ruined my blankets—and my hands are in a nice plight, too. I can assure you, madam, that it is not my desire to sell anything that will be injurious to either the hands or clothing of my customers, and I shall be glad to know how you prove that what I sold you injured your blankets and your hands.

Well, I was telling Mrs. Neill my trouble, and she lent me a little cutting, and here it is; you can read it. "Dr. Stevenson Macadam, Lecturer on Chemistry, Surgeon's Hall, Edinburgh, describes the destructive property of soda upon wool very graphically. "After mentioning how strong alkali, such as potash and soda, disintegrates the delicate structure of wool, he says: "On one occasion I employed this property of soda in a useful way. There was a large quantity of new blue serge suits in our hospital, which, when given out, were said by the patients to be not so warm as the old blankets were, and that led to an investigation as to whether the blue serge were genuine or not. They looked well, and weighed properly, and I got a blanket sent to me for examination and analysis. I found soon that there was cotton mixed with the wool, and the question was as to separating the two, because

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ALL THE NEWS OF THE TOWN

The Events of the Week chronicled for Reporter Readers .....

Mrs. Everetts spent the Easter vacation in Toronto. Mrs. W. G. Parish is on a visit to relatives and friends in Toronto. Miss Philp, of Elgin, is the guest of the Misses Patterson, for a few days. Mr. B. W. Falkner spent Good Friday at his home in North Augusta. Prof. Mense, of Brockville, spent over Sunday the guest of friends in town. Mrs. J. W. Poland, who has been seriously ill, is slightly better at this writing. Special Easter rates in Photos, until April 10th, at FALKNER'S studio. Athens and vicinity was visited by a slight fall of snow on Tuesday morning. Mr. A. L. Hagerman, of Toronto, is spending the Easter vacation at his home here. Mr. Crawford C. Slack, of Montreal, is spending a few days in town with his family. Miss Mabel Slack is spending a few days in Brockville the guest of friends there. Miss Elma Derbyshire, of the Brockville teaching staff, is holidaying at her home here. Mrs. J. Duggan is spending a few days the guest of Mrs. Chas. A. Woodcock, of Brockville. Miss Edith Brown spent several days last week visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Knapp, at Plum Hollow. Miss E. Halladay, of Elgin, is spending a few days the guest of Miss Lucy Patterson. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hall and daughter, Miss E. Alford, have returned to Athens after visiting friends in Morton last week. We are informed that our fellow townsman, Mr. A. E. Donovan, has received an invitation to take the stump at the coming provincial elections. J. S. Rowsome, of Athens, was in Brockville on Wednesday last, the guest of his sister, Mrs. Albert Shaver. Mr. Rowsome is returning from the Guelph Agricultural College where he has been a student. J. Halladay, M. P. for North Bruce, passed through Brockville recently on his way home for the Easter adjournment. He was accompanied by Miss Helen Donovan, of Athens, who will spend the holidays at Mr. Halladay's home in Chesley. James Cummings, of Lyn, who spent some months last summer in South Africa as special trade commissioner for Canada, has presented Sir Richard Cartwright with a handsome Boer stick, which he obtained at Lady-smith. The stick is curiously carved and adorned with the figure of a Boer rifleman. Mr. Barnes CANED.—There was a very pleasant gathering yet marred by a feeling of sadness, in the school room of the Methodist church, Smith's Falls, on Wednesday evening last, when Mr. S. M. Barnes was presented with a handsome gold-headed cane on his retirement from the Methodist Sunday school. Short speeches and good music made up a pleasing program, and a brief but feeling reply was made by Mr. Barnes. General regret was expressed for the loss sustained by the school in the forced withdrawal of Mr. Barnes, whose new duties occasion his removal to Perth.—World. During the spring and summer we intend driving out into the country and taking kodak views of farm buildings, choice stock, and portraits of leading farmers and other prominent people, and have cuts made to illustrate a series of articles under the heading of "Morning Strolls," in which we will give the most improved systems of farming, the keeping of choice herds of cattle or other stock, and any items of interest gathered from the best farmers we may visit. Several years ago we spent considerable time and trouble collecting a series of articles for the Reporter along the above lines, which we believe were well received by our readers. The first article will appear as soon as our arrangements are complete for having the cuts made by a Toronto firm. Posters were issued from this office on Monday announcing that the executors of the Isaac Robeson estate will sell by public auction at the Armstrong House, Athens, on Saturday April 19th at 2 p.m., all the real estate of the late Mr. Robeson. Consisting of 6 parcels as follows:—1st, the brick house on Wilsee street; 2nd, vacant lot on Pearl street; 3rd, house on Henry street known as the Barnett property; 4th, house and 1/2 acre of land on Wilsee st. known as the Geo. Slack property; 5th, village lot and house near the dock at Charleston; 6th, part of lot 4 in the 10th con. of Yonge, wood lot containing 30 acres. Also a spring wagon, open buggy, potash kettle, cooler, sled and other articles. Any of the properties can be inspected on application to I. C. Algire, Athens.

Housecleaning has commenced in town. Mr. George Stevens is confined to his home through illness. Mr. Boyce, of Lyn, was the guest of Mr. Chas. Wilson this week. Fishing is now engaging the attention of a number of our anglers. Master Spencer is spending the holidays with relatives in Kingston. Miss Laura Ballis, of Brockville, is spending the Easter vacation at her home here. Mr. Harry Williams, of Brockville, spent over Sunday the guest of old friends here. BORN.—At Athens, on Thursday, March 20th, to the wife of Jet Hawkins of a son. Miss Willis, the popular assistant at the post office, spent Easter at her home in Morton. The exterior of Mr. C. L. Lamb's store has been decorated with a becoming coat of paint. Miss Belle Davidson, of Elgin, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. A. Lamb, over Sunday. Mr. Mon. Brown, of the Asylum staff, Brockville, spent over Sunday with his parents here. Mr. Frank Wilsee, of the Asylum staff, Brockville, was a visitor at his home on Sunday. One of our young gentlemen intends to buy a carload of poultry to ship to the Manitoba markets. Miss Molly Stinson, who is attending Ottawa Normal College, is spending the vacation at her home here. Miss M. McAndrew, after spending several weeks in Athens, returned to her home in Toledo on Thursday last. Miss Myrtle and Master Arnold Loverin, of Greenbush, are spending this week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Loverin. The millinery openings in Athens were held on Saturday last, and as usual the feminine sex collected in large numbers to see the display. Mr. Almeron Wilson, accompanied by his wife and family, left yesterday for Delta where he goes to take charge of Delta cheese factory for this season. Miss Cora Wilsee, Athens most popular alto singer, was in Brockville on Easter Sunday, and sang at the musical exercises at St. John's church. Mr. Munsell Bates, who has been attending the Brockville Business College, leaves on Monday next for Manitoba, where he expects to make his future home. Mr. W. F. Earl, C.O.C.F. delegate to Toronto, returned home on Saturday. He was accompanied as far as Oshawa by his son Glen, who visited his uncle, Mr. Jas. Judson, while there. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered in the Methodist church on Sunday morning next. A cordial invitation is extended to all who are christians to be present. The Farmersville Lodge, I.O.O.F., of Athens, intend to hold their annual At Home in their well appointed lodge room on Wednesday evening, April 16th next. This event promises to be par excellence of the many social events of the season. The services in the Methodist church on Sunday next will be the last in that sacred edifice before building operations are commenced. We understand a large tent, capable of accommodating 400 persons is to be purchased, in which service will be held until the completion of the new building. AUCTION SALE.—On Thursday, April 13th, E. C. Slier, auctioneer, will sell at Thos. Somerville's farm near the Orange Hall, Leeds, at 1 p.m., 2 heavy work horses, 13 selected cows, 7 pigs and a lot of first class machinery. Everything to be offered is in first-class condition and well worth the attention of buyers. Byron W. Loverin, Greenbush, purchased a cream separator, last week, to separate the cream from the milk of his cows, given on Saturday nights and Sundays during the season. As his cows milk nearly the year round it will be used to make up the milk after the cheese factory closes in the fall and before the factory opens in the spring. The separator, which is one of the largest and best kinds made was purchased from Geo. W. Gardner, Lvn. The services in the Methodist church on Sunday last were principally on Easter topics. The pulpit was beautifully arrayed with flowers appropriate to Easter. The attendance at all the meetings was very large, and the services bright and interesting. The evening service was probably the best of the day. The scripture portion of the service was taken by Mr. L. A. Kennedy, a former well known resident here, who spoke very ably. Dr. S. S. Cornell read a very comprehensive paper on christianity which could not fail, with the many arguments presented, to set those, who are not christians, thinking of their spiritual welfare. During the day the splendid choir, under the leadership of Mr. D. Fisher, rendered excellent and appropriate Easter music. Mr. Sim Manhardt ably assisted with his trombone.

Kings Evil

That is Scrofula. No disease is older. No disease is really responsible for a larger mortality. Consumption is commonly its outgrowth. There is no excuse for neglecting it, it makes its presence known by so many signs, such as glandular tumors, cutaneous eruptions, inflamed eyelids, sore ears, rheumatism, catarrh, wasting and general debility. Children of J. W. McGillin, Woodstock, Ont., had scrofula sores so bad they could not attend school for three months. When different kinds of medicines had been used to no purpose whatever, these sufferers were cured, according to Mr. McGillin's voluntary testimonial, by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which has effected the most wonderful radical and permanent cures of scrofula in old and young.

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Mr. A. Staples, of Preston, representing Clare Bros., stove and furnace manufacturers was in town drumming for business on Tuesday.

Lace curtains from 25c per pair. Carpets from 12 1/2c per yd. Wall paper from 5c per roll and upwards, at KENDRICK'S.

Rev. J. R. Frizell, at next Sabbath evening's service, will preach especially to young men. All young men are extended a cordial invitation to be present.

FOR SALE.—1 team of Horses, 1 Massey Harris spring tooth harrow on wheels (new), 1 horse rake, 1 cultivator, 1 drag 18 feet in 4 sections (new), 1 mowing machine. Will sell cheap; no more use for them.—J. P. LAMB.

The service in St. Paul's Presbyterian church was well attended on Sunday. The interior of the church was nicely decorated with flowers suitable to the occasion. Rev. J. R. Frizell preached on "The Resurrection," and handled his subject in an able manner. The choir was ably supported by Miss Miriam Green, who sang a delightful solo.

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