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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE WELCOMES ALL ITEMS OF INTEREST FOR THIS COLUMN. Call Phone 11, send by mail or drop item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE Letterbox.

TAG, YOU'RE IT.
A big money saving event.—SWIFTS' July sale.

PLAN of hall for Orangemen's concert at Taylor's drug store.

LIEUT. RIG. P. BROWN left for London this week to train for a captaincy.

FRANK RESTORICK shipped a car of fine heavy horses to Toronto on Monday last.

GET a new pair of shoes for the 12th. P. Dodds & Son can suit you in any grade.

OWING to the damp weather Wednesday Trinity church picnic was postponed until Thursday afternoon.

IT costs more to die by the carbolic route now. The price of the life-snuffing acid has gone up to \$1.43 a pound.

ALL kinds of candies, oranges, bananas and soft drinks—all ice cold—for the 12th, at LOVELL'S.

SPECIAL MEETING of L. O. L. 505 this (Friday) evening to make final arrangements for the celebration of the 12th.

REMEMBER the Orangemen's concert in the Lyceum Monday night. The best talent procurable will give the program.

LIEUT. F. C. BROWN is appointed signaling officer of the 27th Lambton Regiment, in orders gazetted on Saturday.

THE Lambton boys at the front want sand bags. See that you respond liberally to the call when the ladies tag you on Monday.

A. BROWN & Co opened out a mammoth shipment of fall goods this week.

THERE is no dearth of applications for positions on the staff of the High School. Up to Tuesday 45 ladies and 6 gentlemen had applied.

THE Congregational church Sunday school picnicked at Port Frank on Monday. Despite the cool temperature a very pleasant day was spent by all.

THERE were 992 dairy factories in operation in Ontario in 1914, with 38,092 patrons; 181 creameries, with 36,634 patrons, and a total output of about 25 million pounds of butter.

ORANGEMEN and others who desire a first-class dinner on July 12th will find it at Mr. S. Stapleford's building, Main street, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church.

BUY your clothing now. Our July sale is a money saver.—SWIFTS'.

MRS. JOSEPH KELLER had a slight stroke of paralysis one day last week, which deprived her of speech for a time. She is now some better and able to speak, though not very plainly.

MUNICIPAL TREASURER McLEAY has received from the provincial government through P. D. McCallum, license inspector, the first distribution of the license fund for Watford, amounting to \$103.13.

THE regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Brown on Wednesday evening, July 14th. Roll call will be answered by a favorite song. Meeting commences at 8 o'clock.—SAC.

4 DOZEN boys' fancy straw hats, regular 25c and 35c. SWIFTS' July Sale.

To the list of those who passed the Promotion Examination from Form I to Form II at the Watford High School, published last week, the names of Sadie McEachern and Merrilline McMurray are added.

MRS. BAMBRIDGE and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Parker went to Alvinston on Monday to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Robert Germain, who died at her home there on Saturday last, after a long and painful illness.

THE Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will serve lunches on July 13th in the store recently occupied by Mr. Dowling, on the P. O. corner. Hot tea and coffee, sandwiches, salad, cake, pie, etc., will be served continuously from 10 a. m. to 11 p. m. Prices 10 to 25 cents.

WATCH our windows on the 12th and save money.—A. BROWN & Co.

THE marriage took place at Prince Albert last week of Mr. Percy Restorick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Restorick, Watford, to Miss Mary Thrower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thrower, of Brooke. The happy young couple have the well-wishes of many friends in this district.

On Saturday last Mrs. H. Manning, of Kingscourt, received a letter of condolence on the death of her son, Cecil Manning, who was last week reported wounded. On telegraphing to Ottawa for particulars it was ascertained that Corp. Manning was only wounded in the foot as previously reported.

THE big celebration here on July 12th will, no doubt, bring many strangers to town. Nothing will be more conducive to giving them a good impression of the place than its clean and tidy appearance. Every citizen should see that his lawn is mown and the boulevard trimmed, and the council should not neglect its duty and see that the streets are cleaned up and the weeds cut.

MEN'S cotton shirts and drawers 45c a suit.—SWIFTS' July Sale.

WM. MARWICK owns a new Ford car. NEXT Monday will be Tag Day in Watford.

THE meetings of Havelock Lodge have been called off until September.

WEDNESDAY, June 23rd, was the coldest June day on record in Ontario.

LET the Guide-Advocate know who your visitors are or where you purpose holidaying.

COME in to see us on the 12th. The price tickets will show you how to make expenses.—A. BROWN & Co.

HARRY K. LAIRD will represent Havelock Lodge at the meeting of the grand lodge next week.

WATFORD stores close at 12 o'clock every Wednesday afternoon during June, July and August.

R. E. PRENTIS has purchased a five-passenger Buick Six, which will be delivered in a few days.

THE entrance examination papers this year are said to have been very fair, and a large pass list is looked for.

RECEIPT for subscriptions are acknowledged by change of date on label. When you send money watch for the change.

REV. J. A. SNELL has taken up the work of the Brooke Methodist circuit and preached in the three churches last Sunday.

THERE are some pretty fine autos being purchased by Watford people these days. When we get one it will be a Peerless or a Packard.

On Sunday evening next, in the Congregational church at 7 o'clock, Rev. R. Stevenson will preach on the following subject:—"What is Protestantism?" A cordial invitation extended to all.

SPECIAL July Sale of ordered suits \$16.75 and \$18.75.—SWIFTS'.

EVERYBODY is coming to Watford for the 12th. Meet your friends at Lovell's, where you can enjoy a hot cup of tea and sandwich or a nice dish of ice cream or an ice cream soda.

OWED TO DOMINION DAY From morning to midnight I worked, As I never have worked for pay, For I picnicked the Missus and kids For a treat on Dominion Day.

THE Lambton County Branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund received a donation of \$351.10 from the Arkona branch to be distributed by the central organization according to the calls made up to it.

EVERYTHING in the line of summer shoes at P. Dodds & Son's. Fine, handsome and serviceable footwear, bought right and the customer gets the benefit of the discount we receive by buying in large lots. Call and see us.

A MERCHANT at Woodstock has been fined \$10 and costs for selling a revolver without first getting the permission of the police authorities to make the sale. The purchaser of the weapon is now held on a charge of murder.

6 DOZEN print and lawn blouses 39c.—SWIFTS' July Sale.

ROCHE'S Texas Jim won the 2.11 pace at Listowel on Tuesday in three straight. This makes five straight out of six starts the horse has won this season, and only for a mix-up would likely have won the sixth. Murray Roche is driving. This is some record.

RAY MORNINGSTAR is erecting a garage on the vacant lot next to Dr. Kelly's office, Main street. It will be sixty feet long with show room in front and repair shop behind. Ford car repairs and supplies will be kept and Ford cars looked after. If you own a Ford car or think of buying one call at the Ford garage.

SMALL WANTS
Kitchener wants men,
Lloyd George wants shells,
Balfour wants ships,
Harmsworth wants scalps,
French wants Canadians,
Canada wants waders,
The Kaiser wants the earth,
And will probably get Hades.

EVERY married man who joins the expeditionary force has to set aside \$15 a month for his wife, or she does not get any separation allowance from the government. In the artillery the officers are insisting that the married men set aside \$15 a month to their wives when they enlist. After that they still have about \$15 a month entirely for spending money, because food and clothing are all furnished them.

FARMERS and fruitgrowers in several parts of Ontario are making every effort to stamp out the tent caterpillar, whose visit this year threatens to become very serious. Experiments at the Ontario Agricultural College have proved that a solution of arsenate of lead in proportions of between two and one-half to three pounds to 40 gallons of water, if applied before the caterpillars have made any great ravages, will exterminate them.

Parkhill Gazette Centenary correspondence:—"On Friday last the members of the Centenary W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Taylor. It was Mrs. Snell's last meeting with them and the greatest regret was felt that their faithful leader and organizer was to be taken away. At the close of the meeting the ladies presented Mrs. Snell with a handsomely bound life membership certificate to the Women's Missionary Society. The Centenary friends all join in their deep regret at the departure of their faithful pastor and his able assistant."

A DOLLAR straw hat at SWIFTS' July Sale, worth \$2.00.

No change in Watford markets.

THERE were ten auto loads went from Watford to Arkona Sunday morning.

THE meeting of the I.O.D.E. which was arranged for Tuesday has been postponed until July 21st.

THE heavy rain Wednesday afternoon and night was just what the crops in this section needed.

INSPECTOR PATTERSON, of the Merchants' Bank, inspected the books of the local branch this week.

LARGE sizes cotton blankets \$1.25.—SWIFTS' July Sale.

Over 1,000 persons will take part in the performance daily in front of the Grand Stand at the Canadian National Exhibition this year.

ATTEND the Orangemen's concert in the Lyceum Monday night. It will be a good one. Reserve your seats at Taylor's drug store and avoid a rush.

LAST year Canada imported over 11,000,000 dozen eggs. In order to stimulate production, the Canadian National Exhibition is this year, for the first time, offering prizes for egg exhibits.

THE fruit crop in Lambton county is generally light this year. Except in favorable situations apples and peaches will not average 50 per cent. of a full crop. Cherries, pears, plums, grapes, and smaller fruits, will average a light crop.

Six talented artists at the Orangemen's concert in the Lyceum on Monday night. Alice Dunbar in humorous stories, comic songs and character changes; Ethel Thompson, dancer; Gladys Comber, dancer; Jean Walker, dancer; Posy Charlton, dancer, and the amusing comedian, Bert Rose. Reserve your seats—there will be a big crowd.

A TROLLEY car accident at Niagara Falls Tuesday resulted in the death of 14 people and injury to 84. Packed with people the car tore down the steep grade of Queenston Heights, through Queenston Village and jumped the track at the boat landing and crashed into a tree. Only one or two persons on the car escaped uninjured. All the victims of the disaster are Toronto people who were taking part in a Sunday school picnic.

A PIANO RECITAL, under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Patriotic Society will be given by the pupils of Miss Margaret Hume, in the armory on Friday evening, July 9th, at 8 p. m. Mrs. Bier and Rev. W. G. Connolly, vocalists, will assist. A silver collection will be taken. At the close of the recital the young ladies of the club will serve refreshments. All are cordially invited. Proceeds of the evening will be devoted to the Red Cross fund.

THE Young Ladies' Patriotic Society will hold a tag day next Monday, July 12th. Have your pocket book handy. When a lady comes up to you on the street and ties a tag to a button on your coat it will be up to you to go down into your jeans and give something for patriotic purposes. The money raised to be spent on sand bags for our soldiers at the front. Each bag costs about 17 cents and it is expected that each person tagged will at least give sufficient to buy a bag or two.

HEREAFTER all freakers are to be barred from Canada. Whether they are here for exhibition or other purposes makes no difference, the government has decided that foreign monstrosities must disappear. The customs inspectors at all border points have been instructed by the Department of Immigration that hereafter no freak of any nature calculated to hurt the eye of spectator or offend the sense in any way must be allowed to enter Canada. Both in the west and east many human monstrosities have been coming across for the fairs and in future these will be prohibited.

MEMBERS of Court Watford, No. 44, I.O.F., attended divine service in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening when the Rev. Bro. Robinson preached a very appropriate sermon to them from I James 27: "Pure religion and undefiled before God, etc." The brethren paraded from their lodge rooms to the church, headed by the Citizens' Band. Owing to the approaching storm the attendance was not very large. On return to the court room after service the brethren passed resolutions of thanks to Rev. Bro. Robinson for his inspiring discourse and to the choir for the excellent music rendered.

BORN.

In Bosanquet, on Tuesday, June 22nd, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. George Lochend, a son.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, June 24th, by Rev. A. Moorehouse, Mr. William Wellington, of Bosanquet, to Leola, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Weaver, 6th line, Warwick.

At the home of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, June 23rd, by Rev. P. Byers, B.D., Arthur Douglas Grieve to Mabel Jean Nisbet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nisbet, of Plympton township.

At the home of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, June 23rd, 1915, by the Rev. A. S. Whitehall, Mr. A. Elliott, of Oil Springs, to Miss V. Tripp, of Enniskillen.

DIED.

In Adelaide, on Friday, June 25th, 1915, Mary Mill, beloved wife of Harvey Parker, aged 65 years, 6 months and 17 days.

In Forest, on Wednesday, June 30th, 1915, Margaret, daughter of the late Wm. McClelland, in her 27th year.

A GRAND CONCERT JULY 12TH, FOR PATRIOTIC FUNDS OF THE 27TH REGIMENT

Under the auspices of the 27th Regt. a Grand Variety Concert will be produced, in the Armory, Watford, on the evening of July 12th, proceeds to be devoted to the Patriotic Funds of the 27th.

No expense has been spared to produce the best of talent, selected to fill the desires of the most exacting. A program of over two hours duration (without a break) will be given by Harry M. Bennett, consisting of the latest comic (guaranteed entirely new) and laughable songs, in costume. Jean Anderson Thirde, Toronto's leading soprano, will render some of her best melodies. In addition Margie Munroe, Character Vocalist, Fancy and National Dancer in Costume will produce some of the most amazing and up to date items ever seen on the boards in Western Ontario. Do not fail to hear this the greatest value for your money ever seen or heard of in Watford. This concert will be put on at the popular price of 35c and 25c. It being impossible at such a low price to get out plans of the hall, early doors will be opened on that occasion at 6.30 p. m. and those desiring to book seats in advance may do so at a small additional charge. Concert commences at 8 p. m.

PERSONAL.

Miss Vera Swift spent Sunday in Toronto.

Miss May Reid is visiting friends in Renfrew.

Miss Jessie Hume, Markdale, is home for the holidays.

Mrs. F. K. Matthews returned home from Mitchell last week.

T. B. Taylor, J. P., went to Toronto this week on business.

Miss Laura Richardson, Petrolia, is home for the holidays.

Miss Alice Tanner, Red Deer, Sask., is home for the holidays.

Miss Verna Bambridge is home from Wroxeter for the holidays.

Mrs. H. E. Prentis, Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jos. Keller.

Miss McCaw is in Toronto this week reading examination papers.

Mrs. C. R. Hudgin, Toronto, is visiting her father, Mr. Geo. Dodds.

William J. Fitzgerald is visiting at Mr. E. G. Elliott's, near Inwood.

Miss Kathleen Tanner, was the guest of Mrs. E. D. Swift this week.

Mr. Jas. Vicary, St. Thomas, was the guest of T. Harris over Sunday.

Miss Rosa Brown, Arkona public school staff, is home for the holidays.

Harold Howden left Saturday for Burlington, where he has secured a situation.

Mrs. (Dr.) Clement, Sarnia, is spending a few days with her friend, Mrs. John Baker.

Miss Mable Brock, who has been visiting at Mrs. Nixon's, returned home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Parker spent last week visiting friends in Leamington and London.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Restorick are spending a couple of weeks with friends in Sarnia.

Miss Nellie Louks has returned home after a three months' visit in Simcoe and Ingersoll.

Mrs. Fred Jones is progressing nicely. She underwent an operation on Tuesday of last week.

Fred Williams, Detroit, is spending his holidays with his aunts, Mrs. Baker and Miss Williams.

W. B. Crosse, of the Merchants Bank staff, is spending his vacation at his home in Chesley.

Mrs. Jordon McGillicuddy and family are spending the holidays at Forest, Inwood and Lucan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cook and children, Vera and Elmora, of Clinton, visited at R. S. Saunders this week.

Miss Lois Johnston, Owen Sound, and Miss Florence Johnston, Essex, are home for the vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Brown and son, A. C., are visiting Mr. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Brown.

Mrs. Lamond, Mr. J. A. Lamond and son Gordon, St. Thomas, spent Dominion Day at Mr. S. B. Howden's.

Miss Restorick, Avoca, Mich., is visiting Mrs. Harry Restorick and other relatives and friends in Watford.

Miss Margaret Lamb left on Tuesday to spend the holidays with relatives at Winnipeg and Watrous, Sask.

Mr. C. Potter is in Toronto at present filling the post of Associate Examiner in Mathematics for Toronto University.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Galbraith and family, Drumbo, spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Higgins, Huron street.

Mr. John Roche left this week for a months visit with his sister, Mrs. T. N. Langan, Kankakee, and friends in Chicago.

Mrs. Armstrong and daughter, Willetta, Carstairs, and Miss Brock, Florence, were guests at Mrs. M. Morgan's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Apled and daugh-

ter, Mrs. Henry Ward, and three children, London, spent Dominion day with Mr. and Mrs. Loftus Millar.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tanner, their daughter Kathleen and son Eckert, Toronto, spent the week end at "Rose Lawn," the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Swift.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lamont, Mr. and Mrs. W. Muxworthy, Miss Florence Lamont, Messrs. Harry and Charley Lamont called on Watford relatives Sunday and Monday on a motor trip from Detroit to London and return.

THE GLORIOUS TWELFTH

Big Celebration in Watford For Lambton County

The 25th anniversary of the battle of the Boyne will be celebrated in Watford this year and it is expected that next Monday will see one of the biggest celebrations ever seen in the county. The Port Huron brethren and all the Lambton Jodges are expected to be present with numerous fife and drum bands. The procession will be formed at the Merchants Bank corner at 1.30, and headed by the Watford Citizens' Band will proceed to the Driving Park, where the brethren and their friends will be welcomed by Reeve Kenward. Among the speakers expected are J. E. Armstrong, M.P., Dr. J. B. Martyn, M.P.P., Dr. Pickering, R. J. McCormick, W. H. Stewart, of Rouleau, Sask., Kevs. Kennedy, Fring, McCracken and McGillivray, and the local clergy.

Among the attractions of the day will be a baseball match between Forest and Alvinston for a prize of \$25, a tug of war between Orange lodges, fat man's race, girl's race, boy's race, smoker's race and other athletic sports.

No autos or rigs will be allowed in the park.

Single fare on railways good July 12th. Fare and one third good going July 10th, 11th and 12th, returning July 13th. Special train leaves Petrolia upon arrival of M. C. R. train at 9 a. m. for Watford, calling at intermediate stations; returning will leave Watford at 8 p. m. Special train leaves Brigidon at 7.55 a. m., Eddy's at 7.45 and Oil Springs at 7.58.

The Indian lodge and band from Ravenswood will be present. In the evening there will be a grand concert in the Lyceum under the auspices of the local Orange lodge, when some of the best talent procurable will give the program. Tickets 35c and 25c. Plan of hall at Taylor's drug store. See bills for particulars. Everybody come and enjoy the day.

Professional Certificates

Every Watford High School student that wrote on the recent Middle and Upper school examinations for professional certificates has been successful. The following is the list:—

First-class Professional—Kate Anderson, Bert Currie, Bert Lucas, Annie McDonald.

Second-class Professional—Grace Mead, Jean McKeever, Mary Mansfield, Gertrude Lucas, Olive Clarke, Edith McCormick.

The Guide-Advocate extends congratulations.

BROOKE

It pays to hear H. M. Bennett in his latest comic ditties. See notice elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Sisson and Mr. and Mrs. James Shea left on a trip to Saskatoon on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Logan and Mrs. J. Greer spent a pleasant day with Mrs. C. Anderson and family, of Enniskillen, on July 1st.

Members and friends of the Women's Institute spent a very pleasant and profitable afternoon in the 12th line school house east on Monday afternoon, June 28th. A large attendance marked the occasion and a splendid program was given. The president, Miss M. Fisher, took the chair and, after "The Maple Leaf" had been sung, she spoke briefly and then introduced Mrs. M. N. Norman, of Toronto, the Government representative, who addressed the meeting. Mrs. Norman is certainly a very talented speaker and the branch felt very grateful for being favored with such an able delegate. In the first part of her address she confined her remarks principally to Institute work, referring to the conflict in Europe, and spoke of the wonderful work the Women's Institutes as a whole are doing for the Red Cross. She then chose as her subject "What Constitutes an Attractive Woman." This she discussed from three standpoints, the physical, mental and spiritual, dwelling particularly on the latter two. Miss A. McGugan gave a reading of Scotch dialect, after which the National Anthem was sung. The ladies were then served with cake, ice cream and lemonade, after which the gathering dispersed.

While working on a contract at Wm. Gault's, 2nd line of Plympton, Henry Clark, of Petrolia, accidentally ran a nail through the palm of his hand inflicting a painful wound.

Principal W. C. Allen, who has severed his connection with Glenoe school after a quarter of a century service, was presented with a gold-headed cane and an upholstered chair by the pupils and friends.

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AILING WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Mrs. Doucette Tells of her Dressing Symptoms During Change of Life and How She Found Relief.

Belleville, Nova Scotia, Can.—"Three years ago I was suffering badly with what the doctors called Change of Life. I was so bad that I had to stay in bed. Some friends told me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it helped me from the first. It is the only medicine I took that did help me and I recommend it. You don't know how thankful and grateful I am. I give you permission to publish what your good medicine has done for me."—Mrs. SIMON DOUCETTE, Belleville, Yarmouth Co., Nova Scotia, Canada.

Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dizziness, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and inquietude, and dizziness, are promptly heeded by intelligent women who are approaching the period in life when woman's great change may be expected.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound invigorates and strengthens the female organism and builds up the weakened nervous system. It has carried many women safely through this crisis.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

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NOTE AND COMMENT

You can't blame the June graduates for thinking they are needed to run the world when they see what a mess the grown-ups are making of the job this year.—Detroit Free Press.

General De Wet's sentence is six years' imprisonment and a fine of \$10,000. In what German colony could he have raised a rebellion and escaped with six years' imprisonment and a \$10,000 fine after conviction of treason?

The statement that the Italians captured at Monfalcone two super-dreadnoughts and one cruiser under construction, besides a great quantity of other shipping and war material, gives the victory an importance which would have justified the Italians in not being so modest in their announcement of their achievement.

Success in life does not come by having your own way every time. Yielding a little here and there smooths many a rough place. In domestic life one finds the most perfect house where there is mutual forbearance, and in business the most successful merchant is the one who does not seek to gain every cent for himself.

A READY WEAPON AGAINST PAIN.—There is nothing equal to Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil when well rubbed in. It penetrates the tissues and pain disappears before it. There is no known preparation that will reach the spot quicker than this magic Oil. In consequence it ranks first among liniments now offered to the public and is recorded first place among all its competitors.

MARCHING TROOPS

Caring For the Feet of an Army is a Vital Matter.

AS IMPORTANT AS FIT FOOD

The Manner in Which the Sock and Shoe Problem Was Solved by Our Military Men Has Given Uncle Sam the Best Shod Soldiers in the World.

The care of soldiers' feet is one of the important things in war. A soldier is no better than his feet. Many things enter into the sum total of military efficiency, but two of the great factors making for efficiency in troops are marksmanship and marching power. Infantry that cannot march would be as unfit as infantry that could not shoot. It may be because of the importance of the feet in infantry that the men of that branch of the service are called "foot troops." Infantry without good feet would be more useless than cavalry without mounts, or artillery without cannon or a flying corps without an aeroplane.

Napoleon has been credited with saying that an army marches upon its stomach, which, of course, is true as far as it goes. Soldiers to bring or maintain their efficiency at the highest point must be adequately fed, and a world of endeavor has been put forth by brainy men to insure the proper supply of food, to put into the ration the constituents needed by the human system and to have the food well cooked. But it is just as true, figuratively as well as literally, that an army marches on its feet.

When a recruit or a prospective recruit comes up for his physical examination the examining surgeon gives just about as much attention to the applicant's feet as to his lungs, heart, kidneys, teeth, vision and hearing. He will not pass a man with flat feet, because that man could not march. He will insist on a certain amount of arch to the foot. Too high an arch, which, however, is rare in men, would result in his rejection. Any defect in the feet which would militate against his endurance on the march would be a cause for rejection of the man.

With the recognition of the importance of the soldier's foot came long and earnest study and experimentation with the soldier's sock and his shoe. The sock question was soon satisfactorily adjusted. The necessity of frequent bathing of the feet, especially on the march, was early determined on and woolen socks, light or heavy, according to the seasons, were decided on for marching men. Fresh and clean socks are insisted on, and a sock with a hole in it or a sock that has been darned is not to be worn. At least that is the idea as developed in the American military service. In the matter of the fit of a soldier's socks it is prescribed in regulations that "the socks will be large enough to permit free movement of the toes, but not so loose as to permit wrinkling."

When it came down to the study of the shoe the military men had a serious problem which it is believed in this country to have been correctly solved and which the result that the men of the American army are the best shod troops in the world. The cost of the United States army shoe, garrison or marching, is in round figures \$3, and so popular is it with the men of the army that they rarely buy a pair of private shoes for use when absent from post on pass or on furlough. The quartermaster's shoe of the present day is considered an excellent specimen of the shoemaker's art and is vastly different in fit and finish from the army shoe of a generation ago.

In those states where these shoes are issued by the national government to the organized militia it is one of the perplexities of the national guard officers to keep their men from wearing the shoes in civil life. Before the foot and shoe fit question came under the study of men concerned with the efficiency of troops there was always a great deal of foot soreness among the soldiers on the march. This trouble was always severe and annoying among new troops and among old troops with new shoes. The old idea was to equip a soldier with a pair of shoes that would wear long. The stoutness and durability of the shoe was the main consideration. There was very little consideration for the foot that went inside the shoe. If the shoe was large enough and not very much too large for the man the matter was thought to be settled. Foot trouble among regular troops on the march has been greatly reduced, but of course has not been eliminated. Probably that ideal never will be attained.

A soldier's marching efficiency depends not alone on the size or what is commonly called the "fit" of the shoe, but on the shape. It has been said that Dr. Herman Meyer was the first to formulate the theory that the great

toe must lie in such a position that its axis when carried backward shall pass through the center of the heel. The foot is a lever of the second class; the fulcrum is at the ball and great toe and power at the heel, which is transmitted through the tendo-Achilles from the calf muscles and the weight of the body between. This lever is the prime factor in walking or marching. The leg and body muscles balance the load or shift the levers, which are the feet.—Washington Star.

The great thing in the world is not so much to seek happiness as to earn peace and self respect.

TANGO SLANG.

That There is Nothing New Under the Sun Again Proved. Cartoons of the fox trot, the tango and the cabaret were made by Greek artists as far back as the fifth century before Christ, said Dr. David M. Robinson, professor of classical archaeology at Johns Hopkins university, in a recent lecture at the University of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Robinson referred to the pre-Hellenic versions of modern popular dances while he was elaborating upon love of the Greeks for caricaturing the life of their time upon vases and by means of terra cotta figures. Even the gods were not immune from the scorn of the artists, he said, and the representation of the gods as dancing upon tables to the music of the double flute and lyre and drinking heavily was a favorite device.

The equivalent of the slang phrase of today, "I should worry," Dr. Robinson said, may be found in the Greek expression, "What does Hippocrates care?" an allusion to the day when a Greek jumped upon a three legged table, danced the Attic and Laconian figure, then popular, and finally concluding his hilarious performance by standing upon his head and exclaiming the foregoing phrase when reproved by his father-in-law. This incident was pictured by a vase painter of the day.

According to Dr. Robinson, the oldest joke in history was perpetrated at the same time. The Athenian Joe Miller, who invented it, is unknown, but the witticism gained popular favor at the time and spread even to faroff Rome. It was as follows: "When is a woman hippest?" "Twice—When she is mated and when she is cremated."

"The vases and terra cotta figures of Greece and Rome are the ancestors of the newspaper cartoons and the comic supplements of today," said Dr. Robinson. "These ancients, who were the forefathers of our present humorous artists, knew that laughter lengthens life and that some of the greatest men were fond of the comic."

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nothing could be more "comfy" than the little suit pictured here. It is made of knitted white wool trimmed with blue.

It is usually safe to say that when a child is pale, sickly, peevish and restless, the cause is worms. These parasites range the stomach and intestines, causing serious disorders of the digestion and preventing the infant from deriving sustenance from food. Miller's Worm Powders, by destroying the worms, corrects these faults of the digestion and serves to restore the organs to healthy action.

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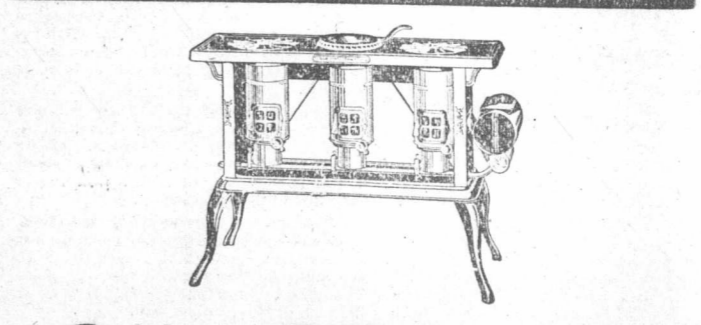
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The rural routes were established for the benefit of rural homes, or in other words the farmers. They have never proven a greater benefit and blessing to the farmers than was ever anticipated by the most sanguine. A farmer who has once enjoyed the advantages of the rural mail service would hardly know how to live without it. It did not come to the farmer, however, until he had many times earned it. The farmers are our heaviest taxpayers. What property they have is in plain sight and is taxed, while the town gents, at least some of them, who deal in notes and bonds, are able to hide their wealth from the assessor.

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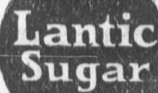
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WAR TIME "AGONIES"

THE TIMES REVEALS STRANGE RECORD OF CONFLICT.

Numberless Charitable Funds, Many of Which Are Anything But Welcome to the War Office, Are Advertised in Columns of Paper—Swindlers Use War to Work on Sympathies of British Public.

The British censor has pencilled out hundreds of important events connected with the war, but discriminating readers of the Personal or "Agony" columns of the big London dailies have unfolded to them the story of the war as it is being lived by the people, and told by the advertisers in appeals to the public, tragical, comical, and ridiculously exaggerated.

The poignant grief of the soldier's wife or mother is sharply outlined in the dignified, simple statements of facts relating to the soldier's identification, asking for news from any one close at hand when he died. The petty ambitions of "society climbers" are portrayed in their efforts to "butt in" among the great folks of the army and navy, by pushing themselves into the limelight through projects designed to contribute to the comfort of the soldiers and sailors but entirely unauthorized by the officials, who, on their part, consider that the Government ought to take measures against such interference. The sordid ambitions of unscrupulous swindlers are revealed underneath the surface of some appeals, the reorganized charities of war, and the benevolent mood of the patriotic furnishing them a happy hunting ground for the exploitation of their nefarious schemes.

Lady Jellicoe, the wife of the commanding admiral of the fleet, has inserted advertisements in all the important newspapers to say that no naval man need be without warm blankets, that all he has to do is to have his commanding officer send word to her, as her supply from charitable contributions is almost inexhaustible. Yet, in the personal columns of the newspapers the appeals for money to buy blankets for soldiers and sailors are repeated with agonizing reference to the unhappy condition of the men so far from the comforts of home.

Possibly the most heart-stirring call is this:

Will you help the sorely-trying womenkind of the brave men at the front? A most urgent appeal is made for funds to carry on the unique and immensely important work of the Royal Savoy Needlework Guild, which in helping to protect the lonely womankind of our brave soldiers against the many temptations of drink and its terrible evils. We are saving many houses from ruin and many lives from demoralization. We ask each member to take a War-Time Abstinence Pledge, and supply them with, and pay for, the work of making garments for the soldiers. Will you help to extend this double benefit to a wider degree? Send us to-day if possible a donation, large or small, or an order for garments. Our need is very pressing and every contribution will be most gratefully accepted and acknowledged. Please address Mrs. —, honorary secretary, Choir School, Savoy Place, W.C.

The Princess Mary has been, on her part, energetically collecting money for the soldiers' "comforts," one of which is recognized to be flint and tinder lighters, that cigars and cigarettes can always be kept alight, and this sum already amounts to over \$500,000. Yet additional appeals flood the columns for money to buy flint and tinder boxes for the soldiers and sailors, the collectors paying from a dollar and a quarter (the minimum charge) to five dollars for each insertion in the personal column, giving an address where the money will be gratefully received. In some cases the donors are asked to send stamped envelope if they expect an acknowledgment.

Mrs. A., the wife of an officer in a certain regiment, appeals for woollen garments, also for games and pipes. Mrs. B. advertises that she would be grateful for any comforts for the soldiers, or the money with which to buy them. Mittens, scarves, warm overcoats or the money to purchase the same already in another appeal. Books and jig-jaws are wanted by still another lady, the wife of an officer unknown to social fame before the war. Warm pants, vests (large) shirts, cardigans, mittens, tobacco, and field-glasses come in the category of some other lady's advertised appeal. Wristlet watches, football shirts and stockings, khaki wool comforts and khaki handkerchiefs — or the money with which to buy them — these include the wants of some lady who has volunteered to receive anything that the kind hearted public will send, paying a good many dollars to the newspapers to spread abroad this fact. Mrs. X., on her part, wants the public to go down into its pockets and furnish her with one thousand raincoats — or the money for their purchase; while Mrs. Y. is collecting 1,000 khaki hose tops, or the money. A dozen other ladies want gramophones, organs, or pianos — or the money.

All of this is, however, nothing in comparison to the appeals for ambulances launched through the "Agony" column of the papers by the wife of an army officer who must have already spent in advertising the idea almost enough to start an ambulance, since the appeal is divided up into eighty sections, each under the direction of a woman whose first name is given to her division.

The Grand Drama.

When God conceived the world, that was poetry; he formed it, and that was sculpture; he colored it, and that was painting; he peopled it with living things, and that was the grand drama, eternal drama. — Charlotte Cushman.

Take Life Like a Man.

It is a pitiable thing to see a young man whining over his lot in life and excusing indifference and inaction because of hard luck or some cruel fate which has put stumbling blocks in his way. No matter what your environment or what you may be called upon to go through, face life like a man, without whining. Turn your face to the sun, your back to the shadows, and look the world in the face without wincing. Make the most of your situation. See the beauties in it and not the ugly features. This is the way to improve an unfortunate environment.

The First Saw.

Talus, the Greek, is said to have invented the saw from having once found the jawbone of a snake, which he employed to cut through a small piece of wood. In early periods the trunks of trees were split into boards with wedges, and, although these levers were not always straight, they were regarded as much better suited to construction than sawed boards because they followed the grain and lasted longer and were stronger. Water mills for the purpose of sawing came into use in the fourth century.

The Office and the Man.

"The office should seek the man, you know."
"That's all right," replied the avowed aspirant, "but I gave it a fair chance, and it seemed diffident."

Worms sap the strength and undermine the vitality of children. Strengthen them by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator to drive out the parasites.

Why We Keep to the Right.

Why do we keep to the right in this country, and why do they keep to the left in Europe? The paradox of these conflicting traffic customs is brought to the attention of the manufacturer of left-hand drive automobiles every time he receives an order from Europe, because they always order a right-hand drive car.

In Europe, in the days of the spear and sword, a horseman kept to the left in meeting anyone in order that he might have his adversary, if such he proved to be, on the free or right.

In this country horseback was the first general mode of travel because of the almost impassable roads. A horseman in meeting an adversary kept to the right in order to have the enemy on the protected side, the horse's body and neck forming a shield and his own body protecting his gun arm.

Traffic custom did not become definitely crystallized until the advent of the automobile, and then in Europe the driver sat on the right side. In Europe the arrangement was all right because with the reverse traffic regulations the driver was close to the vehicles he was passing.

Belgians' Courting Customs.

In love-making the Belgians have some curious customs. In the peaceful days of Bruges an engaged couple would throw chestnuts into the fire, and if the nuts burned quietly the augury for happy relations was good, but if they "popped" or burst, then the whole disposition of the lovers' lives would be altered. Another custom was for a lover to go to the window of his beloved and fire off a pistol. The greater the number of shots the more intense his love must be. The lady was supposed to hide a bottle of Schuapps or gin in the garden for the lover to discover, but it sometimes happened that another admirer was more prompt and found it. To make sure that the bottle fell into the right hands, the lady would often lower the bottle from her window by a string.

Seaweed Pie.

According to some French scientists seaweed will become one of the popular foods of the future. Already Japan uses it in a number of dainty table dishes, and also cultivates it extensively that the supply may not give out.

In Brittany, too, the lower classes gather as much as twenty to thirty tons a year, and call it by the name of Iceland moss. The peasants of Northern France are beginning to follow the example and number it among their articles of diet. In other localities the weed is looked upon as possessing great medicinal value, and in Corsica it is prescribed by the doctors as a sure cure for all kinds of goitre. As gelatines and alkalis are contained in the seaweed it is considered by the Asiatics to be invaluable in cases of severe indigestion.

Mother-of-pearl Buddhas.

The clever priests of China often insert tiny images of Buddha within the shells of a living clam, which are left undisturbed for about a year. At the expiration of that time the images are covered with mother-of-pearl to such an extent that they appear to have grown in his natural manner. The Chinese people hold these shells in great reverence, believing that Buddha dwells within them. However, should a Christian chance to look upon one of the shells it has no further value to them, as its charm is supposed to have left it.

Handsome Gift For Troops.

Major-General Hughes has received for the use of the troops from Charles A. Shannon of Montreal the handsome gift of three portable ranges or traveling cooking wagons, which the Minister of Militia says will be of most valuable assistance in active operations in the field. Mr. Shannon has already presented ed extra equipment for the comfort of the Montreal units to the extent of \$1,250.

Hard and soft corns both yield to Holloway's Corn Cure, which is entirely safe to use, and certain and satisfactory in its action.

House Hints

In cleaning house, begin with the attic. When peeling onions keep your hand under water.

To fasten labels to tin cans, add one teaspoon brown sugar to one quart paste.

In sick room, fill paper bags with coal and lay on fire to prevent noise and dirt. A heavy chalk mark laid a finger distance from your sugar box will prevent ants from troubling.

To brighten the inside of a coffee or tea pot fill with water, add a small piece of soap and a little soda and let boil about 45 minutes.

Kerosene will make tea kettles bright as new. Saturate a woollen rag and rub with it. It also removes stains from and cleans white furniture.

A new clamp to hold a cover on a milk bottle also serves as a handle to carry the bottle.

After five years of work all the telephones in Melbourne have been put under ground.

Most of Japan's pearl divers are women, who begin to learn the trade at the age of thirteen or fourteen.

Dr. Maria Montessori, the famous Italian educator, will conduct a training class for teachers in California.

Mrs. Pankhurst, the noted English suffrage leader, has announced that she will mother 50 war babies.

For emergency use a wooden automobile tire has been invented, made in sections, which are bolted to the rim of a wheel.

So steady are the winds at Curacao that three wireless telegraph stations depend upon windmills to furnish their power.

Mr. A. I. McKinley, of the law firm of Hanna, LeSueur & McKinley, of Sarina, and Miss F. K. Murphy, daughter of Jas. Murphy, of Emmet, Mich., were married on Wednesday, June 23rd, in the R. C. church, Emmet.

Among those who have offered their services to the unit of the 29th Battalion, which is being recruited at Barria for overseas service, is Mr. Trainor, manager of the Bell Telephone Company in that city. Mr. Trainor is a lieutenant, having a short time ago attended military school in London, Ont., and qualified for the position.

The sudden death occurred Sunday afternoon of Mrs. David Ramey at the family residence, North Ekfrid. Mrs. Ramey was only sick a couple of days. She was in her 59th year. Her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Bert Cumlicek, Warwick, and Mrs. W. M. Chisholm, North Ekfrid, and two sons, Orey Ramey, of London, and Oney, at home, survive her.

CREATOR'S FAMOUS BAND

Giuseppe Creatore and his famous concert band need no introduction to the music lovers of Toronto, or of Canada. They were the big musical feature of the Canadian National Exhibition last year, when despite the war scare and the cold wet weather, they drew the most enthusiastic crowds that ever assembled on the grand Plaza. That reputation is world wide is evidenced by the fact that they were the band chosen for the opening ceremonies of the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco during the early part of this year.

Voters' List—1915.

Municipality of the Village of Watford
County of Lambton.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in section 9 of "The Ontario Voters' List Act," the copies required by said sections to be 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 said list was first posted up at my office at Watford on the 21st day of June, 1915, 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.

Dated at Watford this 21st day of June, A. D., 1915.
W. S. FULLER,
Clerk of Watford.

WARWICK.

Miss Minnie Hume is spending a couple of months in Toronto. It pays to hear H. M. Bennett in his latest comic ditties. See notice elsewhere.

Mr. W. H. Stewart, Rouleau, Sask., is visiting relatives and friends in this district.

A little gravel at the culverts on 18 sideroad would make auto travelling more pleasant.

J. Scott Luckham returned to Ottawa last week after a two weeks' holiday at his home here.

Miss Jennie Vance returned last week from a two week's visit with friends in Merlin and Windsor.

Miss Mabel and Mr. Kenton Willoughby, of Lapeer, Mich., are visiting friends in Watford and vicinity.

Miss Ada MacPherson, teacher, of Oakville, is spending her vacation at her home on the 6th line north.

Mr. John Dolan was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, London, Wednesday to be operated on for appendicitis.

Miss Meryl J. Luckham left last Monday for London, where she entered Victoria Hospital as nurse in training.

Geo. Campbell, of Kenton, Man., is here on a short visit to relatives in Forest, Warwick, Brooke, London and other places.

Mrs. Norman Thomas and daughter, Mabel, Grand Rapids, Mich., visited her mother, Mrs. George Graham, 4th line, last week.

Misses Zella and Sylvia Routley, while visiting their aunt, Mrs. Bert E. Gray, of Bronson Lake, Mich., motored to Detroit in Mr. Gray's new Winton car and spent the day at Bois Blanc Park.

On Sunday afternoon next in Zion Congregational Church, Warwick, at 2:30, the Rev. R. Stevenson will preach a special sermon on the subject: "What is Protestantism?" A cordial invitation extended to all.

Mrs. Ed. Ross and little daughter, Helen, who have been with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brent, for the past six months, returned to their home in Port Arthur by way of the Hamonic last Wednesday.

All ladies interested in Red Cross work are cordially invited to be present at a meeting of the Women's Patriotic League to be held at the home of Mrs. James Sullivan, 2nd line south, on Thursday, July 15th. Donations of all kinds gratefully received.

The meeting of the Women's Patriotic League held at the home of Mrs. Hugh Vance was a decided success. A very considerable amount of work was done, which with contributions received, filled a bale which contained 8 quilts, 10 pillows, 10 hospital night shirts, 20 pillow cases, 24 sheets, 1 pair towels, 40 yards bandages, 500 mouth wipes, 54 face cloths, 8 doz. cheesecloth handkerchiefs, 2 doz. turkey red handkerchiefs, quantity old cotton. Donations in cash \$12.25.

WANT COLUMN.

A SMALL leather suitcase, found on road, awaits an owner at this office.

FOR SALE.—A good tent, almost new. Apply to JAS. CRAIG, Warwick, St.

WORN OUT horses and fallen animals of any kind bought.—LETT BROS., fur ranchers, lot 18, con. 13, Brooke; Rural phone 4821. Watford P. O. je4-6t

THE Board of Education ask for tenders for painting, oiling and varnishing the High School. For particulars apply to P. J. Dodds, chairman of the Board. Tenders to be in the Secretary's hands by July 12th.—D. WATT, Secretary. 2-2t

FOR SALE—Double corner lot with good frame house, stable, fruit trees, situated corner McGregor and Simcoe streets, Watford. Also good frame house and stable on St. Clair St. Apply to J. F. ELLIOT, Watford. a2-tf

PRIVATE and other money to loan on mortgages on farm property at lowest rates. A few dwelling house properties and two vacant lots and two business properties in Watford for sale. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister &c., Watford.

Card Of Thanks

The teachers and scholars of the Congregational Sabbath-School herewith express their warm gratitude to the following gentlemen for their great kindness in giving the free use of their automobiles on Monday, in connection with the Sabbath-School annual picnic to Port Frank:—Mr. Freeman Birchard, Mr. Diamond Swift, Mr. Arthur McKercher, Mr. Peter Dodds, Mr. John Hall.

The picnic was an all-round success, and everyone enjoyed themselves thoroughly.

S. B. Howden
J. J. Spackman.

Obituary

On Friday, June 25th there passed away one of Lambton's oldest farmers in the person of Mr. Isaac Maw, Wyoming, in his 80th year. Deceased was born in Yorkshire, England, and came to Toronto in 1855 where he worked in the surrounding County of Peel, as a farmer. In 1875 he came to Plympton where he resided, until 1900 when he retired to Wyoming. Besides his wife he is survived by four sons, John of Petrolia; Isaac, Plympton; Joseph and Frank, Enniskillen; and five daughters: Mrs. J. Maw, of Warwick; Mrs. W. Hendy, Enniskillen; Mrs. R. Brooks, of Petrolia; Mrs. J. Wilkins, Sarnia and Mrs. J. O'Neil, Enniskillen. His oldest daughter, Mrs. Wm. Knight, predeceased him by several years.

The funeral was conducted on Sunday from his late home to Wyoming cemetery by Rev. Mr. McCracken. The pallbearers were: Messrs. J. Page, J. Conman, H. Lucas, M. MacLean, S. Sanders and H. Taylor.

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BIG CLEARANCE SALE

IT HAS BEEN OUR CUSTOM for several seasons to have a July Clearance. As our business increases all our departments increase also in efficiency, and as a result this Sale promises to be the **BIGGEST THING FOR OUR CUSTOMERS** that has happened in our 30 years of successful merchandising in Watford. In the past a popular idea has been to Think of Dry Goods, Think of Watford, Think of Swifts'. Now, for twenty-one days we want every family in this district, the best district in Canada, to connect this idea.

BARGAINS SWIFTS' WATFORD
SALE STARTS JULY 10th and Continues Until July 31st

WE WISH TO CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO THE BELOW LIST. ADDITIONAL LISTS WILL BE ADVERTISED DURING THE SALE.

Striking values in MEN'S SUITS in Grey, Brown and Mixed Tweeds. Sizes 35 to 44. No two suits alike. Samples. But 80 suits in the lot. Values never shown in Watford before. We saved 30% in buying, so you can find in the lot a \$10.00 suit for \$7.00, \$13.50 value for \$9.00. Every suit showing a big saving during July Sale.

Sale of BOYS' SUITS in Plain and Norfolk Styles. Single and Double Breasted in Navy, Brown and Fancy Tweeds. Your choice out of 156 suits, from 24 to 28 and 28 to 35 sizes, in youths'. You save 20 Per cent. on this shipment. Fine range of styles during Sale.

LADIES' RAINCOATS at \$5.00. This is a wonder. Made in a High-grade English Waterproof with Storm Collars and Cuffs. Good range of sizes. 24 coats in all and they will go at \$5.00. During Sale.

We have too heavy a stock in our CARPET Department, so to lower the stock we will sell Union Rugs, Tapestries, Balmoral, One-piece Squares, Brussels Rugs, Wilton, Velvet, Royal Wilton Rugs. Reduced in price about 20 Per cent. During July Sale.

Our CURTAIN Department will show values for our July Sale seldom seen. Lovely Nets in 2 1/2 and 3 yards at 20 Per cent. reductions in one, two and 3 pair lots, in White, Cream, Paris and Arab. 14 pieces Cream and Arab Bungalow Nett, 1-3 Off. During this 21 Days' Sale.

15 dozen Men's Heavy and Light Braces, pair. 18c.
40 dozen Men's Linen Collars.....5 for 25c.
10 dozen regular 50 cent Ties.....25c.
6 dozen Men's regular \$1.00 Shirts.....79c.
18 dozen Men's Cotton Sox, Blue and Brown Mixtures.....3 Pair for 25c.

21 dozen Men's Heavy Sox, Union, 2 Pair for 25c.
28 dozen Men's Balbriggan Underwear, regular \$1.00, per Suit.....69c.

Our LINEN TOWELS at the prices marked are 30% below market price. Table Linens 25% below and Towellings, Crashés and Huckes 33%. A word to the wise—buy now at our July Sale.

400 Yards FANCY GINGHAMS at 6c; cost more to make; good patterns, checks and stripes. 300 yards of the Best English Print at 10c. July Sale.

25 MEN'S V. P. COATS. 50 inches long. Sizes 38 to 46. A good Rain or Dust Coat. Special, \$3.50. July Sale.

About 50 pairs large size OVERALLS, in Black and Blue Stripe, sizes 40 to 48. Special during July Sale.....88c.

LADIES' HOUSE DRESSES. A special range. 44 garments, regular \$1.25 for 90c. 36 garments, regular \$1.50 to \$1.75. July Sale \$1.00

5 dozen Men's Fine Sailor Hats, good style and full range of sizes.....29c.

Penman's Soisette HOSE in Black, Kelly, Rose and Helio. Big Special for the ladies. 3 Pairs for.....\$1.00

Special in LADIES' HOSIERY Sale in Tan and White. A good range of sizes. White, both in Plain and Ribbed, regular 20c. July Sale, 2 pair for 25c. About 10 dozen in lot. Another lot of Black Cotton Hose, small sizes, 5 Pair for 25c. A big range of Ladies' Fine Hose, double heel and toe, 2 pairs for 25c. July Sale.

8 doz. Girls' Straw Hats, reg. 60c. to 75c., Sale Price 38c.
5 doz. Girls' Straw Hats, reg. 35c. to 50c., Sale Price 20c.
4 doz. Boys' Fancy Hats, reg. 60c. to 75c., Sale Price 38c.

COME TO WATFORD CASH OR TRADE. NO GOODS CHARGED AT THESE PRICES COME TO WATFORD

Death of Mr. George Brent

After a severe illness of several months' duration, George Brent passed away Wednesday morning, June 30th, at the family residence, lot 12, con. 4, N. E. R., Warwick, in his 81st year. He was born in Cornwall, England, on July 3rd, 1834, and came to this country with his parents in 1849, settling first in the City of London. After living in London two and one-half years they moved to Adelaide township. On November 12th, 1863, he was married to Mary, eldest daughter of John Nesbit. In the spring of 1866 they moved to Warwick. He is survived by his widow and six children, Mrs. R. Auld, Watford; Mrs. E. T. Ross, Port Arthur; George, of Warwick; William, of Arvilla, Alberta; John, of Kerrobert, Sask.; and Stanley at home. One brother, Joseph, of Adelaide, and one sister, Mrs. George Hawken, of Warwick, also survive him. The funeral services were held at the house on Friday afternoon by the Rev. Robert Stevenson, of Zion Congregational church. Interment at Bethel cemetery. The pall bearers were Wm. Richardson, James Welsh, R. J. and Richard McCormick, Robert Harper and W. H. Luckham.

Calvert—Brown

A very pretty horse wedding was solemnized at 11 o'clock Tuesday, at the home of the bride's parents, 301 Tecumseh avenue, London, when Miss Leta Lorine, one of the twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Victor E. Brown formerly of Watford, was united in marriage to Joseph Fletcher Calvert, science master at the Collegiate Institute, London. Rev. H. H. Bingham performed the ceremony, which took place beneath a floral arch.

The bride, who entered the drawing-

room leaning on her father's arm, was charmingly attired in white satin, with nixon veil and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white roses and sweet peas, and wore the groom's gift, a pearl necklace. The bride was attended by her twin sister, Miss Lella Brown, who wore a handsome gown of silk voile with yellow trimmings, white picture hat, and carried a bouquet of mauve sweet peas. The groom was assisted by W. A. Wells, of Dutton. Little Queenie Moulton of Simcoe, made a winsome flower girl, clad in white China silk. Master Milton Walker played the wedding marches. After a dainty wedding breakfast was served, Mr. and Mrs. Calvert left on the 1.20 train for Sturgeon Lake, where they will spend the season at their summer cottage.

Toronto

To-day's quotations:
Extra prime steers..... 8 25 to 9 00
Butcher steers, good..... 8 00 to 8 25
do., medium..... 7 25 to 7 85
do., common..... 6 50 to 7 00
Butcher cows, choice..... 6 50 to 7 50
do., good..... 5 50 to 6 00
do., common..... 4 50 to 6 00
Butcher bulls, choice..... 6 75 to 7 50
do., good..... 6 20 to 6 30
do., medium..... 5 75 to 6 00
Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs. 7 00 to 7 35
do., bulls..... 5 50 to 6 00
Stockers..... 7 00 to 7 25
do., medium..... 6 25 to 6 50
do., light..... 5 25 to 5 50
Canners..... 3 75 to 4 50
Cutters..... 4 50 to 5 00
Milkers, choice, each..... 60 00 to 80 00
Springers, each..... 60 00 to 65 00
Calves, veal..... 9 00 to 10 00
do., medium..... 7 00 to 8 00
do., common..... 5 50 to 6 00
Yearling lambs..... 7 00 to 7 50
Spring lambs..... 10 00 to 10 7

Culled lambs..... 7 00 to 8 00
Sheep, heavy and bucks. 3 50 to 4 50
Hogs, weighed off cars. 9 50 to 9 60
do., fed and watered. 9 25 to
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CHOP STUFF.

The proceeds of the Napier garden party amounted to \$400.

The Strathroy Dominion Day celebration receipts were \$1,300.

The Ailsa Craig Banner has done away with the Toronto printed inside pages and is now all home print.

Mrs. Marjory Joynt, beloved wife of John Joynt, Cambric, passed away Tuesday, June 29th, aged 63 years.

Jonathan Dawson, of Leamington, died of blood poisoning, resulting from a slight cut on the hand while shaving.

The township of Maidstone proposes to erect a \$2,500 town hall, for which purpose the ratepayers will vote on a debenture by-law July 19th.

Mrs. Moss, wife of Wm. D. Moss, barrister, Glencoe, fell ill while singing in the church choir Sunday of last week, and expired about an hour later.

A Wisconsin farmer put dynamite in rate holes in the barn to kill the rats. He blew the barn to smithereens, but what matter, so long as he got the rats?

Another outbreak of hog cholera has occurred in Kent County. This time the cholera has made its appearance on the farm of Mr. Findlay of Chatham Township.

Despite the cold weather and drought the alfalfa crop in Lambton is well up to average, many farmers reporting a yield of two tons per acre. This year has demonstrated the value of alfalfa as a forage crop, as red clover, alsike clover and timothy are the shortest in years.



Latest Modes in Ladies Shoes

The woman who really CARES spoils her whole appearance is she wears that new suit or dress with a pair of old-fashioned shoes. Only the LATEST shoes will help to complete her triumph. Come into this store to-day and let us show you the latest modes.

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ARKONA HONORS A DEAD HERO

Memorial Service for Lance-Corporal Fair Draws Large Crowd

Residents of Arkona and vicinity and a military guard filled to overflowing the beautiful Methodist Church in Arkona village on Sunday morning last to take part in the memorial service in honor of the late Lance-Corp. Roy Nichols Fair, son of Rev. H. J. Fair, pastor of the church, who lost his life fighting near Festubert recently. Although the church was packed a large number of people stood around the building in hope of hearing the service, while others were not able to get within hearing distance.

The service opened with the hymn "O God Our Help in Ages Past," followed by the special war prayers, part of the burial service read by Rev. Lieut. Connolly, and the reading of the 90th Psalm. Miss Jennie Carrick, of Cambridge, sang a solo, "Abide With Me," the Misses Lucas a duet, "Jesus Saviour Pilot Me," and the choir "Onward Christian Soldiers" and "Fight the Good Fight," the congregation joining heartily in the singing of the hymns.

Before giving his address Rev. Capt. Irwin, chaplain of the 27th Regt., read letters of condolence received by Rev. and Mrs. Fair from the King, the Prime Minister of Canada, and Major-General Hughes, Minister of Militia. The Chaplain took for his text John 15-13, "Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends."

The reverend gentleman said in part:—"We have met to-day to commemorate the passing away on the field of battle of a hero; Corporal Roy Fair gave his very best for King and country, namely, his life. He gave his life-blood for the Empire. The Christ Himself has said: "Greater love hath no man than that a man lay down his life for his friends."

Since the war began ten months ago, life has become greater and grander, something far more mysterious, and the question for Canada to ask herself: Have we a soul big enough to meet the great things about us? All honor is due to the men who have gone forward and shown to the world that Canada has a soul large enough to meet the crisis. The conduct of our men at the front has won the admiration of the whole world.

The London Standard, speaking of their work said, "They achieved the impossible." The one for whom we mourn to-day helped to "achieve the impossible" and so he must ever live on as one of Canada's greatest heroes. This war has revealed that our hero had a great soul, a great heart, and remember, we are going to be judged very largely for the good and great things we do, and in the case before us, Roy Fair followed the example of the Master Himself who died for his friends—and it is just here that we see the better side of war. It brings out many qualities that are unknown, save in the stress of war. It makes men more unselfish, as our comrade says in one of his letters home: "Many a last penny I have seen shared, since I joined the army."

This war also has taught many men and women how to pray, it has made our boys and girls think of and pray for others. We entered this war to keep our treaties, our agreements, but it has long since passed this stage. We are fighting now for our very life, for the right to be free. England has a large army in France and Belgium to-day for she realizes that she can fight Germany better than in England. We have a large army in Belgium and France, for we feel that there is the critical spot. If we were not fighting there, very soon the fight would be on our own soil. Therefore the supreme call for the young men of the Empire now is to serve King and country."

The speaker went on to say that "we have met to-day to honor the memory of a young man who belonged to this town, and who laid down his life for his friends, who was faithful unto death. As soon as war broke out Roy Fair was one of the first to respond to the call for men, and he has brought great honor to this village in dying the death of a hero. I am sure you must all have felt proud the other day when the newspapers all over Canada recorded that Arkona was mentioned in the honor roll. When writing home and speaking of the death of some of his comrades he says, "Remember it is a noble cause and a glorious death" and then later on, by the grace of God, he was able to say of himself, "I know you will be glad to know that if I am killed here I am not afraid to die. I am now living a good clean life and if I have to die I will be able to meet my God with a clean heart." This young soldier was just 21. It seems a short life, but no life is short in the eyes of God if it has done its duty, and this young soldier did his duty—he was faithful unto death."

The chaplain then made an appeal for all to do their duty and suggested three different ways: (A) by enlisting (B) by giving to patriotic purposes (C) by praying for success. If all do their duty success and victory will be ours. The speaker also offered on behalf of the officers of the 27th Regt. their deepest sympathy to the bereaved and prayed that God's Holy Spirit might be their great comfort, realizing that their son had brought distinguished honor and glory to the family. Nothing higher can be said of any father or mother than that they gave their son in this war. The graveyard of Canada is very large in Belgium. Those who lie there have left their remains on alien soil. Around those cemeteries in France our government is going to plant the maple. Maple trees will surround our cemeteries there. But the resurrection morn. and Christ will say "Arise" to our heroes there, "thou wert faithful unto death, for greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends."

The solemn and deeply impressive service closed with the National Anthem and the guard of honor marched back to the town hall.

The late Lance-Corp. Fair was the youngest son of Rev. Hugh J. and Mrs. Fair, of Arkona. He enlisted at Sarina for the first overseas contingent and at the time he was killed had just attained his majority. He met death in a noble and heroic manner, fighting for King, home and continued liberty, like a true Briton who realized his duty and never flinched. He was a young man of thoughtful and ingenious turn of mind and well spoken of by all. Besides his parents he leaves three sisters and two brothers, viz.—Maude, teacher, of Toronto; Mrs. (Rev.) J. W. Johnson, Cambridge; Mrs. (Dr.) Bruce, Biggar, Sask.; Harry E., Assistant Principal, Princess Avenue school, London, and Harold, of Ayr.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Minutes of a special meeting of the Board of Education called for general business held in the Library Board room on Monday June 28th at 7 p.m.

Present—P. J. Dodds, chairman; Dr. Newell, Dr. Hicks, John White, R. C. McLeay, Dr. Howden, J. W. McLaren and Wm. Harper.

McLaren—White, and carried, that the repair and supply committee be authorized to lay cement walks around the High School to replace all board walks; also cement top on well and cement floors in front of furnaces.

Newell—Howden, and carried, that we advertise for tenders for painting, oiling and varnishing the High School. For particulars apply to P. J. Dodds, Chairman of the Board. Tenders to be in the Secretary's hands by the 12th July.

McLeay—Newell, and carried, that we place on record our appreciation of Mr. Charles Potter's services during his long sojourn in Watford. The Board of Education in particular and the public in this vicinity in general are well aware that Mr. Potter spent the best of his ability and time in bringing the school to the high standard it has attained.

Hicks—Harper, and carried, that the Board advertise for teachers as per the following qualifications, to be in by July 12th, consecutive insertions:—The principal to take Science, Geography and Writing; Male Assistant to take Mathematics, Upper School Physics and Book-keeping, also to hold Cadet and Physical Instructors certificate. Two lady assistants, one to teach Latin, French, Lower School English; the other Middle Upper School English, History, Art and English Grammar. Letter to hold Elementary Art certificate.

Harper—Newell, and carried that we adjourn. D. WATT, Secretary.

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Education held in the Library board room on Monday, July 5, 1915, at 7 p.m.

Present—P. J. Dodds, chairman; Dr. Newell, Dr. Hicks, John White, Dr. Howden, R. C. McLeay, J. W. McLaren, Rev. T. M. Mead and Wm. Harper.

The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and confirmed.

Harper—Mead, and carried, that the following accounts be passed and paid:—Wm. Williamson, acct for coal for the Public and High schools, \$464.44; Wm. Harper, 3 picture frames and glass for High School, \$8.25; Walter Scott, fixing closets, sidewalk, etc., \$2.50; A. McDonald, looking after and weighing coal for Public and High schools, \$4.00.

Hicks—Harper, and carried, that the municipal council be requested to provide \$175.00 for Public School purposes by July 15th.

A communication was read from the Dennis Wire and Iron Works regarding iron steps for the High School.

Newell—Howden, and carried, that the communication be received and filed.

Newell—White, and carried, that we adjourn. D. WATT, Secretary.

Merle Holbrook, sang very sweetly. "O Perfect Love."

After the usual congratulations, the whole company proceeded to the dining room where a sumptuous wedding repast was served. The house was prettily decorated with orange blossoms, peonies, carnations and ferns.

The groom's gift to the pianist was a gold brooch. The bride's presents were both numerous and costly. On the evening preceding the marriage her girl friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Parker, and showered her with many most useful kitchen utensils. Mr. and Mrs. Griffith will be at home to their friends after July 24th.

A List of Military Heroes

We have procured from Mr. H. Manning, of Kingscourt, the following list of names of his own relatives who have fallen honorably serving their King and Country during the present European War.

We do not attempt to claim this as a record, but it tends to show to what extent not only the Old Country generally but individual families are suffering, and also the manner in which they are responding during the present crisis.

To commence with Mr. Manning himself. He served in the Imperial Army, completing 12 years in the Norfolk Regiment, the bulk of this being service in India and the Colonies.

The following is a list of those killed:—Private Herbert Manning, brother, Suffolk Regt.; Pte. Herbert Fisher, cousin, Norfolk Regt.; Pte. George Fisher, cousin, Norfolk Regt.; Pte. George Fordham, cousin, Suffolk Regt.; Pte. William Watson, cousin, Suffolk Regt.; Pte. John Watson, cousin, Suffolk Regt.; Pte. Harry Watson, cousin, Suffolk Regt.; Pte. Harry Morlock, cousin, Suffolk Regt.; Pte. William Fordham, cousin, Grenadier Gds.; Pte. Charles Fortham, nephew, Suffolk Regt.; Pte. Henry Fordham, nephew, Suffolk Regt.; Pte. Charles Manning, nephew, Suffolk Regt.; Pte. Henry Manning, nephew, Suffolk Regt.

In addition Mr. Manning unfortunately has another cousin who was wounded by having both legs blown off whilst serving with the 1st Suffolk Regt.; during the early stages of the campaign in Belgium.

This makes a total of 13 killed and two wounded, all bread winners from one family circle.

Advertisement for The Bell Telephone Co. of Canada, featuring a man with a telephone and the text "A NEW ISSUE of the Telephone Directory".

Advertisement for J. White, featuring a large "S-A-L-E" sign and listing various goods like New Strap Pumps, Ladies' finest quality and newest designs, Old Ladies' Comfort Shoes, Girls' and Boys' Shoes, and Men's \$2.00 and \$2.25 Fleet Foot.

Large advertisement for Ford Touring Car, Price \$590, featuring an image of the car and text: "MADE IN CANADA", "Ford Touring Car Price \$590", "Prices of Ford spare parts have been reduced an average of ten per cent.", and "RAY MORNINGSTAR, Arkona, dealer for Watford and Warwick."

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FRUIT BULLETIN: Buy your cherries now: White, Black, Red, Sour, all Niagara Peninsula grown are now most plentiful. The Red Sour is the par excellence for preserving. Have your grocer secure your needs at once. Raspberries begin to arrive next week.

HER DREAMS CAME TRUE

Life Unbearable from Indigestion
Health Restored by "Fruit-a-tives"



MELLE, C. GAUDREAU

Requon P.Q., Jan. 14th, 1915.
"I suffered for many years with *terrible Indigestion and Constipation*. I became thin and miserable. I had frequent dizzy spells and became so run down that I never thought I would get well again.
A neighbor advised me to try 'Fruit-a-tives'. I did so and to the surprise of my doctor, I began to improve and *he advised me to go on with 'Fruit-a-tives'*. I continued this medicine and all my Indigestion and Constipation was relieved. I consider that I owe my life to 'Fruit-a-tives' and I want to say to those who suffer from Indigestion, Constipation or Headaches, try 'Fruit-a-tives'. Give this lovely fruit medicine a fair chance and you will get well the same as I did."
CORINE GAUDREAU,
50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c.
At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

An American Messenger

He Carried a Dispatch In
the European War.

By GEORGE Y. LARNED

Cyrus Delano, an American, went to Italy when he was twenty years old and was so delighted with the country, the climate, the historical associations, that he found it hard to get away. Finally he settled in Rome and became a foreign resident of that interesting city. Several years passed, during which Delano became intimate with many Italian citizens of prominence and was invited to social functions in the royal circles. On several occasions he met the king, who seemed to take a great fancy to him.
Then like a bolt from heaven came the great European war. Italy found herself in a very equivocal position. A member of the triple alliance with Germany and Austria, a bitter hatred existing on the part of Italians against the Austrians, unprepared to enter the fray on either side, the government was in a quandary. Nevertheless the sympathies of both the government and the people were strongly in favor of the allies.

One day when Cyrus Delano was walking idly down the Via Nazionale, watching the knots of people discussing the advance of the German troops into Belgium, he felt a tap on his shoulder. Turning, he saw a gentleman he did not remember to have seen before, who said to him:
"Signor Delano, will you please accompany me. The minister of foreign affairs wishes to speak to you."

Wondering what in the world so distinguished a functionary wished with him, Delano accompanied the man to the foreign office and without any delay whatever was ushered into the office of the secretary. There was another person present whom Delano recognized as the French ambassador. The former asked the American to be seated and then began to interrogate him. When he had finished the questions he said:

"Mr. Delano, this is the ambassador from France. He desires to send a very important message to his government at Paris. In this I am equally interested on behalf of the Italian government. We are beset by spies. If we send an Italian or a Frenchman he is liable to be waylaid by secret emissaries of the members of the triple alliance. An American will have a far better chance to get through with the message than one of a different nationality. Besides, you Americans are fertile in expedients. Indeed, you are a very bright people."

Delano, though he had no preference for either side, was quite pleased with the idea of such a service and at having been chosen for it. He accepted the mission and was told that the dispatch would be sent to him the same afternoon and it was desirable that he depart at the earliest possible moment afterward.

"However," said the secretary, "we have decided to intrust you with a knowledge of what the message contains. If you are waylaid and robbed of the document you can in that case proceed and deliver your message orally. We shall send a person known to be in our confidence to confirm what you say. What we desire to impart to the French government is this: As members of the triple alliance we are expected to threaten France in the south while she is attacked in the north. All the French troops will be needed on the northern border. We are sending word by you that we have no intention whatever of attacking France. For the present at least we shall remain neutral."

"I confess, your excellency," said Delano, "that I feel highly flattered at having been chosen to carry a message of such vital importance."

Delano was then furnished with funds for his journey and given instructions as to the different routes he might pursue. Then he took his departure and began preparations for his journey.

The shortest route from Rome to French territory is by way of Genoa. Therefore if spies were on Delano's track they would naturally expect him to proceed by this route. It was therefore decided that he should go by Switzerland, passing through Lucerne, Berne and Neuchatel.

Having received the dispatch, which was written in as small compass as possible, Delano called a cab and was driven to the railway station. Walking back and forth on the platform was a lady whom he had met at functions at the Quirinal palace, Mme. Tatiani, a Greek, who he had un-



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derstood was distantly related to the queen of that country. The lady on seeing Delano smiled graciously, though he did not remember to have been presented to her.
"Oh, Signor Delano! Are you going on the train? Yes? I am so glad. I dislike traveling very much and shall be glad of your company."

Delano said that he was going to Switzerland, since he could no longer stand the midsummer weather of Rome. He expressed himself pleased in words at the lady's company, but his brows were knit, for he had been assured that he could trust no one, and the most effective spies were women of high degree. However, resolving to be on his guard, he made the best of what he considered a misfortune and at Mme. Tatiani's invitation took a seat in a compartment that she had engaged for her own exclusive use.

The lady was a woman verging on thirty and had been very beautiful. That beauty had but little faded, and her mental attractiveness was at its best. Delano soon became aware that she was endeavoring to fascinate him. She adored Americans, pronounced them a marvelous people, and the absence of European conventionalities in them gave them a freshness that other people did not have. Her eyes were very expressive, and she kept them constantly fixed on Delano's.

At 10 o'clock Delano left the lady's compartment after she had exacted a promise from him to see her the next morning. He was intending to give her the slip at Lucerne and tried to do so, but when he was hurrying away to a train for Berne a man stepped up to him and informed him that a lady wished to speak to him. Resigning himself to another meeting with his fair companion of the evening before, he followed the man to the waiting room, where he found her.

"Ah, Mr. Delano," she exclaimed, with a reproachful look, "were you going to desert me? Did I not tell you that I was going on the same route as yourself? What have I done that you should treat me so?" The last words were spoken with a tinge of sadness and a look from her beautiful eyes that would have conquered almost any man.

Delano was certainly affected by her apparent preference for him, and had he trusted any one he certainly would have trusted her. He would have resigned himself to travel further with her without reluctance had he not been sensible of the great importance of the message he bore.

On reaching Berne the lady begged him to see that her trunks were put on the train for Neuchatel, which did not leave for an hour. Delano went off to look for the trunks and was directed from one railway official to another till he was in a far distant part of the station. Suddenly he saw a man coming hurriedly toward him and two others from another direction. They closed in on him and were dragging him to an exit when they were in turn attacked by several others.

Delano, whose brain worked very quickly, saw at a glance what this all meant. The Greek was an agent of others and had sent him after her trunks to get him where he could be attacked by agents of the secret service with a view to robbing him of his dispatch. What he did not know was that the Italian government had sent men to follow him and be ready to assist him should he be interfered with. He supposed those who had come to his rescue were persons who had seen a stranger attacked and considered it their duty to help him.

The rescuers were all powerful men and soon drove off the assailants. Then one of them picked up Delano's hat that had been knocked off in the fray and offered it to him. The others disappeared in different directions. Then the one who was left said to him in a whisper:
"Follow me."

Leaving the station, the man struck into the town and after turning in different directions went into a wine-shop. Delano followed him and was told by him that he was an officer of the Italian carabinieri, or national police. He and half a dozen men in plain clothes had been sent by the government to shadow and protect him.

"There is another train tonight," he said to Delano, "which we will board at the first station west of Berne. My men will meet us there. Any one of us seen to get on the train here would give us away. I do not expect to avoid them, but it is possible by the plan I propose to do so."

"But how," asked Delano, "did they get word of my coming on my mission?"
"Spies—spies everywhere. They are among the clerks even of the government offices. Doubtless your visit to the foreign office was reported immediately."

Delano and the carabinieri remained where they were till dark. Then the latter sent out for a cab, and, entering it with their hats drawn down over their faces, they were driven some ten miles to a station, where they boarded a train. The other members of the party got on at different points, and Delano was informed that there were in all a dozen men, stout and well armed. All were in citizens' dress and many of them disguised.

Evidently the arrangements made for Delano's protection were far more perfect than those of the other side, for, though the officer in command of the carabinieri pointed out various persons who were secretly watching to take him, they were not in sufficient force to do so. However, on changing trains at Neuchatel they made one last effort. Delano was walking through the crowded station when some one cried out:
"A spy!"

Immediately there was a rush for him by many persons. But the carabinieri, who came from all directions, formed a circle about him, and some with their fists and others with their canes repelled the crowd till the police began to arrive, when the ringleaders vanished and the rest dispersed. Then Delano, guarded by the Italian chief, entered the train and was whirled away to Paris.

When the messenger was driven to the president's residence and sent in word that he was the bearer of dispatches from the Italian government he was admitted immediately.

"This," said the president, "is the most important announcement you could have brought."

USE FOR WHITE OILCLOTH.

White oilcloth can work a transformation in the darkest, dingiest kitchen and add to the charm of the brightest. A yard for a few cents will save you from facing the indifferent or worn paint at the base of the dish closet, shelving and, besides, make cleaning easy and gratifying. The inside window ledge of the kitchen and the bathroom treated in this way will be conducive to beauty and cleanliness. A strip along the wall beside the sink will catch splattered drops of dishwater or drainings and may be readily cleaned with a lightly soaped cloth rubbed over the surface.

A stretch of oilcloth above the jpanning about the range will catch any splattering grease, the vapor of steam or the blackest of escaping smoke, which can then be washed off, though here one of the coarse cleansers may be necessary to restore the pristine whiteness.

A yard of wide oilcloth at 18 or 20 cents will cover the top of a kitchen table with some to spare. A length of a few inches more of the scalloped kind will render the tops of the washtubs slightly and convertible to table uses for a hasty meal for one or two. The top of the refrigerator covered in this way will be taken as a pledge of the sweet, clean interior below.

Rubber Stage Trees.

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It Was Traditional.

"Father," said the minister's little daughter, "the paper says you officiated at the wedding clad in the traditional garb of the clergy. What does 'traditional' mean?"
"Traditional," my dear," answered the good man as he looked at his cheap suit of black, with a sigh, "refers to something that has been handed down."

Kind Man.

"You don't know how to handle a woman," said Mr. Peck. "Keep your mouth shut and refuse to talk when she is roasting you. Why do you argue with your wife?"
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How German Prisoners Are Treated

Hereafter the British Admiralty has announced that there will be no difference in the treatment of German prisoners who were employed on submarines than those who were not so employed. When it was determined to mete out special treatment to those men, Germany retaliated by putting British officer prisoners in solitary confinement. The British Government evidently has changed its treatment of the submarine men on account of the treatment of the British officers. Regarding these, Charles H. Russell reports that each of these officers is locked in a cell, which he is only allowed to leave between the hours of 8.30 and 9.30 in the morning and 8 and 4 in the afternoon, during which time all the officers are allowed to exercise together in a courtyard roughly 35 meters in length and 20 meters wide at one end and 25 meters wide at the other. The cells are approximately 12 feet long and 8 feet wide, but those in which the lieutenants are imprisoned are only about 5 feet wide. Each cell has a window, a bed with which a sheet and one blanket are furnished; the beds, however, are chained up to the wall during the day. They were kept in solitary confinement.

Force, Wisdom and Faith.

When a human soul draws its first furrows straight the rest will surely follow. Henceforth your existence becomes ceaseless activity. The universe belongs to him who wills, who knows, who prays, but he must will, he must know, he must pray. In a word, he must possess force, wisdom and faith. Be conquerors on the earth. Your convictions will be changed to certainties. —Honore de Balzac.

An Illustration.

"How many men there have been whose merits were not appreciated till after their death," said the expert in gloom.

"Oh, well," replied the patient person, "that's the way it is all through nature. A turkey struts around a whole lifetime without any idea what it is really good for." —Washington Star.

His Source.

"How do you suppose Noah managed to keep his arc lights going?"
"Well, from the fact of the flood there must have been a strong current running." —Baltimore American.

To Wear Better.

Lenders—Say, I've been carrying those I. O. U.'s of yours until they are about worn out. Barrows—Sorry, old man. Next time I'll use better paper. —Boston Transcript.

A man does not please long when he has only one species of wit.—La Rochefoucauld.

HER BEDROOM.

The Bride to Be Will Like Old Fashioned Furniture.

IT CAN BE BOUGHT FOR A SONG

Also Attractive Dressing Tables Can Be Made Very Cheaply by Covering With Chintz—Other Uses For That Charming Material.

It is possible for the bride to be to use quite old and cheap furniture with splendid effect in these days when painted furniture is so much in vogue.

Such a bedstead is shown in the illustration. It was one which had been banished in disgrace many years before from the bedroom of the mother of a girl who was about to be married. The man she was to marry was poor, and the girl was ambitious to furnish her future home herself. How she furnished her bedroom is a story like an Arabian Night's tale. She furnished it entirely from her mother's attic.

She resurrected the bed shown here and gave it three coats of paint—black paint—then she rubbed it until there was no suspicion of a shine, just a dull polish. Then she striped it with gold. The bolster cover and spread were made of English chintz, with tiny roses clambering over a black plaid arbor.

Then the dressing table was made of a kitchen table and an old discarded mirror.

The mirror frame she scraped to the bone. She had the glass resilvered and had the frame toned a dull gold. The headpiece had "nobby" little roses, reposing in a basket. She painted the background black, the rim gold, the basket black and gold and the roses



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rose color, to match the color of the roses in her counterpane and the hangings for her dressing table.

She gave the table three coats of paint, the same as she did the bed. She lined the big drawer with chintz made a chintz cover for the top and then put a fringe of the chintz around the table just below the drawer.

Upon each side of her mirror she placed two discarded candle sconces done in black and gold. A little bed side table was done in the same way. Several old chairs were upholstered with the chintz, and by the expenditure of about \$10 this girl had as pretty a bedroom as you would wish to see

Simple Home Remedies.

A salt bath is very beneficial and restful. Purchase of the druggist a box of sea salt; dissolve about a fourth of it in hot water. Saturate a bath towel in the salt water, then let it dry. After the regular bath rub the body with the salted towel or use it morning after the cold bath.

If you want to keep from sneezing press the finger on the upper part of the nose or rub the forehead just above the nose.

To Clean Furniture.

To take white spots from varnished furniture hold a hot stove lid or plate over them, and they will soon disappear. Spirits of camphor or ammonia may also be used.

To remove finger marks use sweet oil on varnished surface and kerosene on oiled furniture.

Unvarnished black walnut will look like new if cleaned with milk (sweet or sour), well rubbed in with an old soft flannel.

To clean willow ware wash with salt water, using a brush.

WASHING FLUID, ETC.

One can potash, 5 cents' worth of dry ammonia, 5 cents' worth of salts of tartar, one gallon of water. Use teaspoonful to a boiler of water.

Easy method of washing: Place the soiled clothes in boiler of cold water

to which has been added a little kerosene and shaved soap; place boiler on back of stove, and when water becomes hot (not boiling) remove clothes to tub. Very little rubbing is needed. In case of very fine materials this method of putting on in cold water may be repeated until the article is perfectly clean, and no rubbing is necessary.

When vegetables or other foods burn place the vessel in which they are cooking in another vessel of cold water. This keeps the burned flavor from going through the food.

Remove all canned foods from cans as soon as they are opened. Use a brush for greasing pans.

THE WHY OF WORRY.

Those Who Live Only in the Present Have No Fear of the Future.

We worry because we are afraid of something. Worry is fear of the consequences of something that has occurred or something that may happen. A curious thing about it is that it is never associated with the immediate present. It is generally in the future, though sometimes in the past.

Animals and babies who are conscious of nothing but the present cannot worry. As all creatures, except human beings, live only for the moment, they do not worry because they have no recollection of what has happened and can form no conception of what may happen.

Human beings having the capacity to look back or forward, mentally, are susceptible to the fear that causes worry, and, as most persons live more in the past or future than in the present, this tendency affects for worry or not, according to our viewpoint of life in other respects. Worry is mental fear of an impending something.

Persons afflicted will be less worried about their condition than relatives or friends who sympathize with them. A person may worry in anticipation of a sickness or operation, but when they have the sickness or the operation is performed, the worry disappears, and though they may fear, they cannot worry in the present. —Boston Herald.

BEST PAYING RAILROAD.

It's a Little One, Built of Scrap Iron on Wooden Rails.

The railroad that pays the biggest dividends on the capital invested is, according to the Technical World magazine, the Grand Island railroad. It is in northern Alberta, Canada, 200 miles from any trunk line or feed.

It is only a quarter of a mile long and built of scrap iron on wooden rails. Its rolling stock consists of two battered freight cars, which are pushed along the road by the men who ship the freight, no locomotives being used.

The freight that is handled on this road consists principally of furs, which are towed up the Athabaska river on scows hauled by men, are laden on the cars, pushed down the railroad and shipped again on other scows, thereby circumventing the dangerous Grand rapids. Returning, the scows carry all sorts of freight for the Hudson Bay company's factors and are floated down the river.

The Hudson Bay company charges \$250 a ton for all freight on this little railroad, and the shipper must handle his own goods and push the cars himself.

Where East Seems West.


Those who have crossed the line into the southern regions of our globe are aware that in Chile the sun seems to rise in the west and set in the east. In spite of knowing the contrary to be the fact, it is well nigh impossible to shake off the strange illusion. And this because our senses conspire to tell us the reverse. As in north temperate latitudes the sun never attains the zenith in its Phoebus driven course, we instinctively face the sunward half of the sky when we look south and below the equator, and we are abetted in our deception by the cold winds which blow, as at home, from the opposite quarter. To all our senses north is south and south north. The sun, rising on our right to set upon our left, seems therefore to travel daily backward from west to east in a thoroughly upsetting way.—Percival Lowell in Youth's Companion.

Bermuda Fish.

There are 293 species of Bermuda fish, but of course all are not edible and many are too insignificant in size to excite the angler. But there are quite enough large ones to make exciting sport for the most fastidious fisherman. For fishing in shallow water the native uses a dinghy, but when he goes to the reef he travels in a whaleboat or motorboat. In almost every Bermuda bay one finds ponds that are stocked with fishes that are being fattened for the market like Thanksgiving turkeys.—Exchange.

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