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To Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co.

Women who are well often ask "Are the letters which the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. are continually publishing, genuine?" "Are they truthful?" "Why do women write such letters?"

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NOTE AND COMMENT

William T Gregory, of Leamington, advocates through the press the forming of boys' potato clubs in all cities, towns, villages and hamlets throughout the Dominion. Patriotic citizens could supply seed, and have the land prepared for planting. Prizes could be offered for the greatest yields. In this manner all vacant lots, back yards, untilled gardens, etc., could be utilized to good advantage. In fact many towns have enough vacant lots to feed the people. This rivalry among the boys would also result in the same among the farmers and in this manner the food production of the country could be greatly increased.

Some Ontario municipal councils are passing resolutions calling for the prevention of emigration to the United States of Canadians eligible for military duty. The indignation felt at such contemptible "slacking" is well warranted. Men may think little enough of their duty to the country as to refuse to enlist when they are able, but the man who

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rushes over the border in fear of possible compulsory service is doubly marked. Like the rat that scampers out of a ship, he deserts his country in its hour of need—not only of men for military service, but of labor in industries.

When "womanhood franchise" is in force, the man who raises four daughters will have just as many votes in his family as the man who raises four sons. And why not? He spends just as much money raising them, his wife and he have just as much responsibility and work as the other man, his grocery bills mean just as much to the town he lives in as the other man's, he pays just as much taxes as the other man, and his daughters take as high a standing at school and in the community as the other man's boys. So, why not?

The Detroit News remarks that "a town in Illinois gave a public funeral for a tramp, stopping all business for half an hour." Would it have given him a square meal, a job and friendship with as much enthusiasm? But it's the way of the world all over again, if it's a tramp or the finest man in town. As long as he's alive he will be the target for half bricks, and as soon as he's dead there's a grand rush on the part of the brick heavers to turn their brigade into a rose garden.

The Ontario Sheep Breeders' Association, realizing that owing to the lack of a central depot where the wool of its members could be properly graded and prepared for the market, it was not getting as high a price as the growers of other provinces, has decided to establish such a depot at Guelph. It will utilize the entire poultry department of the Winter Fair buildings. R. W. Wade, secretary of the association, stated that the wool would be shipped to Guelph from all parts of the province, between May 15th and June 10th. It will be properly cared for and stored, and after it has all been received, experts will be sent there, under the direction of the Dominion Live Stock Branch of the Department of Agriculture, and they will proceed to grade the wool ready for the market. Expert clerks will also be provided, the wool will be weighed, and the names of the owners placed upon it.

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Boys To Work On Farms

A campaign to induce high school boys to work on farms this summer will be undertaken by the trades and labor branch by its employment bureau, especially in the smaller towns. This system was inaugurated last year. Exemption from school examinations will be arranged. The boys will be under the supervision of the district representatives of the department of agriculture.

Miller's Worm Powders will eradicate the worm evil that bears so heavily on children and is believed to cause many fatalities. They are an acceptable medicine to children and can be fully relied upon to clear the food channels thoroughly of these destructive parasites and restore the inflamed and painful surfaces to healthfulness. They are an excellent remedy for these evils.

On Marriage

Some marry for the sake of a good companion and never discover their mistake. This is fortunate.

Never marry a man for his reputation. It is liable to be only a reported affair, borrowed from his ancestors.

Many marry to spite someone else, only to learn that they themselves have the worst of the transaction.

Marriage is a lottery full of chances; herein lies its fascination. All like to chance it, because everyone thinks to win a prize.

The affectionate people before marriage seldom hold out in the

same proportion after the knot is tied. It is better philosophy to commence only as you would live afterwards. From the matrimonial market the saints of both sexes were culled long ago. Do not expect to marry one.

Woman is sometimes the real cause of unhappiness in the married relations of life, but in the majority of instances the case is reversed, and she is really the true character in it.

No man or woman is perfect, and in selecting a life partner compatibility of temperament, a loving disposition, and a thorough knowledge of each other's character go a long way towards the promotion of lasting happiness.

ROLL OF HONOR

Men From Watford and Vicinity Serving the Empire

27TH REGT.—1ST BATTALION
Thos. L. Swift, reported missing since June 15, 1915, Rich. H. Stapleford, Bury C. Binks, L. Gunn Newell, killed in action, Arthur Owens, F. C. N. Newell, T. Ward, Sid Welsh Alf Woodward, killed in action M. Cunningham, M. Blondel, W. Blun R. W. Bailey, A. L. Johnston, R. A. Johnston, G. Mathews, C. Manning, W. G. Nichol, F. Phelps, H. F. Small, E. W. Smith, C. Toop, C. Ward, J. Ward, killed in action, F. Wakelin, D. C. M., killed in action, T. Wakelin, wounded—missing, H. Whitsitt, B. Hardy.

PRINCESS PATRICIA'S C.L.I.
Gerald H. Brown

18TH BATTALION
C. W. Barnes, Geo. Ferris, Edmund Watson, G. Shanks, C. Jamieson, J. Burns, F. Burns, C. Blunt, Wm. Auttonson, S. P. Shanks.

2ND DIVISIONAL CAVALRY
Lorne Lucas, Frank Yerks, Chas. Potter.

33RD BATTALION
Percy Mitchell, died from wounds Oct. 14th, 1916; Lloyd Howden, Geo. Fountain, killed in action Sept. 16, 1916, Gordon H. Patterson, died in Victoria Hospital, London, Charles Potter.

34TH BATTALION
E. C. Crohn, S. Newell, Stanley Rogers, Macklin Hagle, missing since Oct. 8, 1916; Henry Holmes, killed in action Sept. 27, 1916, Wm. Manning, Leonard Lees.

29TH BATTERY
Wm. Mitchell, John Howard.
ANTI-AIRCRAFT
Gunner Woolvet

70TH BATTALION
Ernest Lawrence, Alfred Emmerson, C. H. Loveday, A. Banks, S. R. Whalton, killed in action Oct. 1916, Thos. Meyers, Jos. M. Wardman, Vern Brown, Sid Brown, killed in action Sept. 15, 1916, Alf. Bullough.

28TH BATTALION
Thomas Lamb, killed in action.

MOUNTED RIFLES
Fred A. Taylor

PIONEERS
Wm. McNally, W. F. Goodman.

ENGINEERS
J. Tomlin

ARMY MEDICAL CORPS
T. A. Brandon, M. D., Capt. W. J. McKenzie, M. D., Norman McKenzie, Jerrold W. Snell, Allen W. Edwards.

135TH BATTALION
N. McLachlan.

3RD RESERVE BATTERY, C.F.A.
Alfred Levi

116TH BATTALION
Clayton Fuller.


CONSTRUCTION UNIT
Arthur McKercher
196TH BATT.

R. R. Annett.
70TH BATTERY
R. H. Trenouth, Murray M. Forster.

147TH BATTALION
Austin Potter.
GUNNER
Russ. G. Clark.

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Tommy To His Wife
 Dear Wife.—When this great war is o'er
 And I return again to you,
 I mean to sleep upon the floor
 As for two years I've had to do,
 I'll tell you just how you and I
 Can practice real economy.
 Since I've been fighting Britain's foes
 I've never even donned a nightgown;
 I've always slumbered in my clothes,
 I'll do the same when back in Blighty
 For sleeping suits I will not crave,
 Then see what money we shall save.
 And, lovely, I would have you note
 That blankets you need never buy;
 My Whitney is my overcoat;
 No matter be it wet or dry,
 And pillows, dearest, you may ban,
 I always use a petrol can.
 And sweetheart, don't go buying
 crockery,
 Dinner or tea sets, jug or plate;
 Cash spent on these would be a
 mockery.
 Food served in tins is really great.
 You'll realize its merits fully
 When dining—at the joint is Bully.
 And so you see, dear, this great war,
 Although it has been one of strife,
 Has shown what one can ban and bar,
 And how to lead a simple life.
 P. S.—
 Are you not keen to try
 A life of real economy?

A Lambton Boy's Impressions of England.
 The following extracts are from a letter written by R. A. Smith, a Lambton boy now in England with the 239th Railway Construction Battalion, to a friend here.
 Purfleet Camp, Jan. 31, 1917.
 We enjoyed the railway trip from Liverpool to Birmingham. The tracks are overhead, one can see the cities, birds-eye views. You never saw so many people in so small an area. From above the residential parts of the cities look like two long brick houses, every block the same. Narrow stone streets, nobody lives on the cross streets, there is no room, the main streets are only two houses apart. There is just enough yard to hang a few clothes in. From Liverpool to Birmingham is one line of cities and factories. We got off and had a lunch in Birmingham or Brum.
 The country around Brumshot in Hants county, is one never ending park. The weather while we were there was beautiful, mild and sunny. Your father told me England is the most beautiful country in the world in June. It is in January, what must it be in June? Hills and vales clad with one mass of flowering verdure. There the roads are not like Canada. They are dug down, not graded up. The roadway is stone. You must see the hedges to appreciate them. The beautiful, quaint, old hedges, no modern hedge can compare with the age. Old stone walls, covered with moss from the surface up, the bramble, whin, which even now is blooming, great trees, oak, beech and chestnut, form a roof overhead. Grand, eh? They say "Why don't they cut down the trees and grow grain?" England makes her revenue largely from industrial sources. What pleasure to see a country where greed for more gain has not slaughtered nature, where the love of beauty is greater than the love of gold. Devonshire is more lovely still, they say. Would that I could see Devonshire in June. We had route marches every day around Brumshot and enjoyed them, really we did.
 We have just been out for a route march. We walked for two hours the fastest I ever walked in my life, for that long. Bless the stone roads in England. We left the mud in Canada, but shall be knee deep in it in France before long, I expect.
 Nearly all soldiers are fatalists:—"You die when your time comes," is the universal belief. It is comforting and makes the soldier more daring. It is not without foundation. It's all a chance, we hear every day from the front.

Exhausted from Asthma. Many who read these words know the terrible drain upon health and strength, which comes in the train of asthmatic troubles. Many do not realize, however, that there is one true remedy which will surely stop this drain. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is a wonderful check to this enervating ailment. It has a countless record of relief to its credit. It is sold almost everywhere.

Spring Catalogues Here
 The post office staff were deluged with catalogues from the big department stores last week and if every home in the district is not supplied with one it is not the fault of the department store's advertising departments. But as the old saying goes "you can lead a horse to water but you can't make him drink," so while you receive one of these catalogues it is not necessary to send your good money out of town and purchase goods that you can buy to just as good advantage from your home merchant. Every dollar sent out of Watford makes the town that much poorer, and helps build the large centres to the detriment of the smaller places. To the public we say "shop at home," and to the merchant, "use printers ink freely."

The most obstinate corns and warts fail to resist Holloway's Corn Cure. Try it.
 Indiana is to have a third campaign for a mothers' pension law.
 A New Jersey railroad man has invented a telegraph alphabet using only dots which he claims is learned more quickly than Morse and can be used by any person in an emergency.

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 Proceeds of this stock are for war purposes only.
 A commission of one-quarter of one per cent will be allowed to recognized bond and stock brokers on allotments made in respect of applications for this stock which bear their stamp.
 For application forms apply to the Deputy Minister of Finance, Ottawa.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA,
 OCTOBER 7th, 1916.

Prevention Of Coal Shortage
 This winter we have had a coal "famine" and that suffering has accompanied the shortage of this necessity is undeniable. The average citizen has a notoriously short memory, but now is the time to impress upon him that, in many cases, the suffering was due to lack of foresight. In Canada many people buy in small quantities—often only one ton. If, for any cause, there is a shortage of coal, improvident householders demand that the coal dealers do the impossible, namely, that they supply fuel that is unobtainable. Whereas, had they purchased their coal in the summer or autumn, there would be ample supplies available. While some large consumers, such as manufacturers, cannot store a six months' supply, most householders can, with their present bins or with enlarged bins, store coal to meet their requirements till March or April.
 In recent years, we have had two

coal "famines", first in 1901—02, the year of coal miners' strike, and, second, this year, when the severity of the weather and the extraordinary prosperity in the United States caused an unprecedented congestion of freight. A survey of the conditions in the United States demonstrates that in the future there will be more coal "famines" than in the past and that they will occur at shorter intervals. For this there is only one remedy: Buy your coal in the summer. If you have not sufficient storage, enlarge your coal bin.

All the elevators in Berlin are now being worked by women.
CASTORIA
 For Infants and Children
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 Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Be Warned in Time
 The coal situation in Canada this winter ought to open our eyes to the necessity of laying in an adequate supply during the spring and summer months. Every coal bin should be filled and if necessary enlarged to hold more than a winter's supply. The difficulties of winter transportation are increasing rather than diminishing as the railways are not so well equipped in men and material to handle the traffic. The wise man is he who gives his order for coal now and insists on his dealer filling it in the spring or early summer when transportation facilities are best.

Fall Fair Dates—1917

Strathroy.....	Sept	17-18
Petrolia.....	"	20-21
Sarnia.....	"	24-25-26
Forest.....	"	26-27
Glencoe.....	"	27-28
Bridgen.....	Oct	2
WATFORD.....	"	3-4
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CHOP STUFF

Paralysis has caused the death of a large number of horses in the vicinity of Delhi this winter.

Mr. J. McWhinney of the 9th con-Carudo, took in a small jag of potatoes to Strathroy, for which he received \$123.

A resident of Ridgeway was fined \$5 for cutting a tree in front of his property without obtaining the permission of the council.

Mr. Alex. Wark, for many years principal of the Sarnia model school, died at the home of his son in Plympton on Saturday.

A North Oxford farmer was fined five dollars apiece for five muskrat skins found in his possession in the close season. Fine and costs amounted to \$44.75.

A prayer book printed in 1682, is in the possession of F. H. Thompson of Mitchell. It is 247 years old and has been handed down from generation to generation.

Mrs. Adam Clarke, formerly of Alvinston, died at Saskatoon on February 21st. Besides her husband and a grown-up family she leaves one sister, Mrs. T. E. Grough, 4th line.

James Kesson, of Enniskillen, lost a cow recently, owing to enlargement of its liver. Although normally a cow's liver weighs thirteen or fourteen pounds, this one weighed seventy-five pounds.

A move to have cats taxed at the rate of \$1 each has been taken by the Woodstock Society for the Protection of Birds, which have also petitioned the city council to tie up the animals at night.

Strathroy suffered another serious fire last week when the store on Front street owned by Bruce Parker & Son, tinsmiths and electricians was damaged to the extent of about \$2500.

The Late John Stalker

Mr. John Stalker died at the C. E. E. Hospital, Petrolia, on March 5th 1917, after an illness of nearly three months.

Deceased was born in Trafalgar Township, Halton Co. in 1841, from which place he came with his parents to Warwick Township, where he lived until after the death of his father in 1872. He then moved to the 18th con., Enniskillen, and after farming for a few years he went to Petrolia, where he worked at the trade of house carpenter, until ill-health caused him to give up work, when he went to live with his widowed sister, Mrs. John McDonald, of Petrolia, who with another sister Mrs. Wm. Colter, of the 12th line, Enniskillen, survive him.

The funeral took place on Wednesday March 7th, from the home of his sister, Mrs. McDonald, to Hillside Cemetery. The burial services were conducted by the Brethren of Petrolia Lodge No. 194 and Washington Lodge No. 260, A. F. and A. M.

Rev. McCrae, Presbyterian Minister conducted the services at the house. Deceased was aged 75 years and 10 months.

Officers' and Soldiers, Debts

As applications continue to be received at District and Militia Headquarters from tradesmen and individuals for assistance in the recovery of debts due to them by officers and soldiers serving in the Canadian Expeditionary Force or the Active Militia of Canada and by Officers' or Sergeants' Messes, Regimental Canteens, etc., it has been found desirable to state publicly that the Military Authorities have no power to enforce payment and they are unable to assist in the recovery of private debts.

Therefore, all persons who give credit to officers and soldiers do so at their own risk. Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men are as amenable to the Civil Law of the Country as any other class of His Majesty's subjects, with this exception, that no execution can be taken against their person, pay, arms ammunition, equipment, instruments, regimental necessaries or clothing.

SALE REGISTE

Wednesday, March 21st, farm stock of Delmer Kearney, Brooke. See ad.

Thursday, March 22nd, farm stock of Mrs. E. Jones, Warwick. See ad.

Saturday, March 24, at 8 p. m., C. F. Abbott's residence. Proprietor leaving town. See ad.

Saturday, March 17th, Roche House, Watford, Pasture farm on 4th line. See ad.

Saturday March 17th, cattle at Roche House, Watford, 6 months credit. Neil A. Fair, proprietor. R. Brock, Auct. See ad.

Saturday, March 17th, at 2 o'clock, at the Roche House, Watford, a driving horse, harness and buggy. P. E. Fuller, proprietor. R. Brock auctioneer.

Friday, March 23rd, at 2 o'clock, on the premises, Victoria st., household furniture of the late Mrs. Thexton. Terms cash. J. F. Elliot, auct.

WANT COLUMN.

SOME Private Funds to Loan.—Correspond with Box 321, Watford P. O. 2t. A QUANTITY of Seed Barley for Sale.—W. D. THROWER, lot 2, con. 13, Brooke.

FOR SALE—20 sils, sizes range from 20 feet to 43 feet. Apply to—G. GOODMAN, m-2-3-t

FOR SALE—A quantity of oats and barley for seed.—ROBT. H. MORGAN, London Road, Plympton.

LOST, on Sunday, between the 6th line and 10th line Brooke, a Fur Driving Mitt. Finder please leave at this office.

FOR SALE, 12 pure bred Berkshire pigs, 3 to 12 months old. For particulars apply to CALVIN HODGINS, R. R. 2, Wyoming. m16t2

LOST, on Sunday morning, between 15 and 9 sideroad on 2nd line, S.E.R., Warwick, a Sable Muff. Finder please leave at this office.

FOR SALE OR RENT, a good pasture farm, 100 acres, being E. 1/2 lot 28, con 1, S.E.R., Warwick. For particulars apply to CALVIN HODGINS, R. R. 2, Wyoming. m16t4

CARD OF THANKS—Mr. and Mrs. Rich. Edgar desire to express their sincere thanks to their friends and neighbors for many acts of kindness and sympathy in their bereavement.

FOR SALE.—10 H. P. gasoline or coal oil engine, good as new. Also a shaper, a forge and anvil, and a turning lathe, all in first-class condition. — HARRY WILLIAMSON, Watford. f9-tf

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. Phone messages at our expense. tf

SEVERAL FARMS in this vicinity and a few dwelling house properties in Watford for sale and some private and other money to loan on farm property. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister & C., Watford.

PERSONS desiring insurance on horses and cattle against accident or disease should apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Watford, who represents the Yorkshire Insurance Company, the oldest, largest and wealthiest company, transacting this kind of insurance.

HAVING disposed of my coal business to Messrs. Benjamin Doak and Harry Pearce, and my pool room to Messrs. Robert Stewart and Bert Barnes, I desire to clean up all book accounts, and request all indebted to me to call on me at my residence and arrange for payment within the next thirty days. I take this opportunity to thank the public for past patronage.—H. KERSEY.

MARKETS

Table with columns for GRAIN AND SEEDS, PROVISIONS, MISCELLANEOUS, VEGETABLES AND FRUIT, POULTRY, and LONDON. Lists various goods and their prices.

Bread, stale, can be made new by being steamed. A European violin instructor has invented a diagram printed on paper to be pasted on the neck of an instrument to show a pupil where to place his finger to produce desired notes. The most obstinate corns and warts fail to resist Holloway's Corn Cure. Try it.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

Valuable Farm Property. Henrietta Baker, the Administratrix of the estate of Sarah Jane Williams, deceased, will offer for sale by public Auction

AT THE ROCHE HOUSE, IN THE VILLAGE OF WATFORD. —ON— Saturday, the 17th day of March, 1917

AT THE HOUR OF THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON. The following lands, namely: The East Half of Lot Number 12 in the 4th Concession, South of the Sycamore Road, in the Township of Warwick, in the County of Lambton, containing one hundred acres.

GET READY FOR EASTER LADIES' SUITS AND COATS

SPECIAL SHOWING of LADIES' MENS' and GIRL'S COATS —NEW SWAGGER STYLES THAT IS WANTED. PRICE \$10.00 to \$27.50. SWIFTS



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BORN.

In Brooke, on Monday, March 12th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. James Dempsey a daughter.

In Maisonneuve, Que., on March 6th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Roche, (manager Merchants Bank) a son.

MARRIED.

At the Manse, Inwood on Saturday March 3rd, by Rev. N. A. Campbell, Earl Stanford Weed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Weed, of Brooke, to Alma Pearl Buchan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Buchan.

DIED.

In Warwick, on Friday, March 9th 1917, Margaret, relict of the late John Rycraft, aged 78 years, 10 months, 1 day.

In Plympton Township on Friday, March 9, 1917, Alexander Wark, age 81 years.

In Arkona, on Feb. 28, Michael Moore, aged 82 years.

In Plympton, on Tuesday, March 6th, 1917, Mrs. Maria Moore, in her 76th year.

In Plympton, on Monday, March 5th, 1917, Mr. Thomas Prout, of Briarcrest, Sask., in his 56th year.

In Watford, on Tuesday March 13th, 1917, Alexander Black aged 70 years, 1 month, 5 days.

KERWOOD

Sawing bees are the order of the day. Some of the farmers are preparing to make maple syrup.

The women's institute will hold a social evening at the home of Mrs. H. Lambert on March 21st. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morgan entertained a number of their young friends Monday evening. A very pleasant time was reported.



CHEVROLET

PRACTICABLY MECHANICALLY PERFECT. Buy a car the ladies can drive with safety and enjoy. The Chevrolet would be a source of pride to yourself and your wife. It is a fine appearing, fully equipped automobile at a reasonable price. \$695.00 F. O. B. Oshawa.

R. C. McLEAY DEALER WATFORD

SPECIAL SALE

WE have some odd lines of Shoes at old prices we are clearing out for cash. Many lines are far less than we can buy them for, and it will pay you to buy what shoes you will want for next summer now. See table of bargains. Do not delay as we cannot replace them at anything near the price we are asking.

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Times may change and work become less plentiful for you with advancing years and you will have no such help anywhere as your nice little few hundred dollars saved in some sound Canadian Bank.

Begin now with only one dollar. Make a hobby of it. See how far behind you can leave trouble and hard times. Above all things do not look backward in your run to the harbor of comfort.

WATFORD, ONT., BRANCH - F. A. MacLEAN, Manager.

RUSE OF A CHINAMAN.

Clever Way He Got Around the Law and Gained His Case.

A cemetery is the one sacred spot in China. To desecrate such a place is the worst of crimes. Some years since there lived in a village on the plain of the Yellow river a man called Tu. His little farm furnished him with a comfortable living, but nothing more. Like all farms in that part of China, there was no fence to separate his fields from those of his neighbors. One of these neighbors was a rascal, who, knowing Mr. Tu to be of mild disposition, resolved to impose upon him by plowing a few furrows of Mr. Tu's land and thus incorporating it with his own. This act did not pass unobserved, but Mr. Tu was cautious as well as mild. He knew that litigation came high and was uncertain. "Better," he said to himself, "to endure the wrong than to suffer loss of both land and money."

The next year the neighbor repeated the experiment and plowed up a few more furrows. Again Mr. Tu consulted with himself and determined, as previously, that law was too expensive a luxury for him.

The neighbor, encouraged by this complaisance, continued to add to his own acres at the other's expense. At length he became so bold as to incorporate in this way the family cemetery, where were buried Mr. Tu's ancestors.

Then Mr. Tu saw the chance for which he had been waiting. By plowing up this cemetery the neighbor had committed sacrilege. The only difficulty was that the punishment was so severe that it might not be possible, unless he was careful, to get his neighbor punished at all. For the law was that if the magistrate should take notice of the suit he would have to send up a report to his superiors at the capital of the province and request that proper punishment be inflicted, upon himself, seeing that so heinous a crime had been committed in the district for which he was responsible.

Accordingly Mr. Tu brought the matter before the magistrate in a way that did not involve that official. He brought accusation against his father, who was dead, for having moved his grave off his son's land to that of the encroaching neighbor instead of abiding in the cemetery where he properly belonged!

The Chinese love humor and greatly admire shrewdness. When, therefore, the magistrate read this amazing document he smiled with genuine appreciation of Mr. Tu's cleverness, called up the offending neighbor, made him restore all the land he had appropriated and punished him with due severity for his robbery.—Youth's Companion.

THE STERLING BANK

OF CANADA

WAR SAVINGS ACCOUNTS SAVE, Because---

The country looks for personal sacrifice rather than personal indulgence.

ONTARIO FARMERS

Existing war conditions demand that you give the question of Seed special attention this year. Seed of desirable varieties and high germination power will be factors influencing yields.

If you have not Secured your Seed let the Ontario Department of Agriculture help you.

Farmers having seed grain or potatoes for sale may forward samples to this office stating varieties, price and QUANTITY.

Farmers wishing to purchase seed are also invited to communicate with this office stating variety and quantity, and an effort will be made to put them in touch with farmers having seed for sale.

W. H. HEARST, Minister of Agriculture. Write to W. P. MACDONALD, B.S.A., District Representative, Petrolia, Ont. f23-4

AUCTION SALE

CATTLE

At the ROCHE HOUSE YARDS
WATFORD

Saturday, Mar. 17th, 1917

At 2 o'clock

- 6 Farrow Cows
- 8 Yearlings
- 3 Calves
- 1 Driving Colt, rising 4 years old
- 1 Cow due to calve
- 1 Cow, due to calve in July

TERMS—6 months credit on approved joint notes. 6 per cent per annum discount for cash.

NEIL A. FAIR, Proprietor. R. BROCK, Auctioneer.

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VALUABLE VILLAGE PROPERTY

Comfortable House and one-half acre of ground situated on Wall Street, Watford, will be offered for sale on the premises on—

Saturday, March 24th, 1917,

AT 3 P. M.

This is a most desirable residence property, nicely situated and in good state of repair. Excellent garden lot.

TERMS CASH—For further particulars apply on the premises to—

CHAS. F. ABBOTT, Proprietor. J. F. ELLIOT, Auctioneer. f23-3

BRITAIN— CALLS TO CANADA—

THE FACTORY

She must have Food—

for her Armies in the Field—for her Workers in the Factory—in the Munition plant—in the Shipyard—in the Mine.

THERE'S DANGER IN SIGHT—BUT YOU CAN HELP

DO YOU KNOW—

that the rapidly rising price of food stuffs means that the World's reserve supply is getting small?

DO YOU KNOW—

that a world-wide famine can only be averted by increasing this supply?

DO YOU KNOW—

that a "food famine" would be a worse disaster to the Empire and her Allies than reverses in the Field?

YOU CAN—

help thwart Germany's desperate submarine thrust on the high seas.

YOU CAN—

do this by helping to make every bit of land in Canada produce—the very last pound of food stuffs of which it is capable.

AND REMEMBER—

that no man can say that he has fully done his part—who having land—be it garden patch, or farm, or ranch—fails to make it produce food to its utmost capacity.

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India and Argentina are more than twice the distance away and Australia more than four times.

Canada to Britain	2625 MILES
India & Argentina to Britain	6000 MILES
Australia to Britain	11500 MILES

"No matter what difficulties may face us, the supreme duty of every man on the land is to use every thought and every energy in the direction of producing more—and still more."

Martin Burrell—Minister of Agriculture.

The Department invites every one desiring information on any subject relative to Farm and Garden, to write—

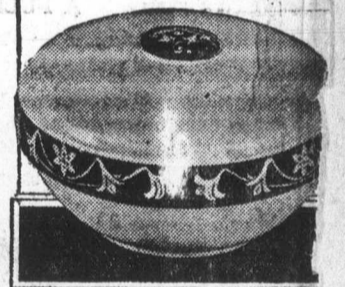
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DRIED VEGETABLES



ON HER TOILET TABLE.

In a rich green field, using lightest red soil. The design has both beauty and usefulness.

Snowdrop Cake.
Beat three eggs, using lightest colored yolks; add a little cream or milk as flavoring. Rub four ounces of butter into half a pound of flour, stir in four ounces of sugar, mix by adding four eggs and milk and stirring thoroughly but lightly; then scatter in a teaspoonful of baking powder. Turn the mixture into a greased cake tin, put in a hot oven, reduce the heat after a while and let the cake bake gradually. When cold coat with sugary icing, inserting a few snowdrops intervals just before serving.

Baked Potatoes au Gratin.
Bake large potatoes until well done cut lengthwise, scoop out, mash well, add butter, a little milk or cream, salt and pepper and whip until fluffy; fill and sprinkle with grated cheese. Put back in the oven for the cheese to melt and brown slightly. These potatoes served with a roast of veal are real addition to the meal.

Word From Br'er Williams.
When I can't git turkey I thanks God fer ham, an' when I can't git ham I shouts halleluia fer 'possum. Dar's a time somethin' ter be thankful fer, ya got de will ter go after it.—Atlanta Constitution.

Advantage of Dignity.
"What are we going to do abou' Elggins? He won't pay his club dues." "Make him a member of the best of governors. Then maybe he'll be ashamed to see himself posted."

The average daily wage of workers in France is \$1.10.

AND COATS

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New Styles,
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\$15.00 to \$35.00.
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The blending is exceptional

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Finest Quality

FIFTEEN CENTS

Oilcloth as a Cove.
 Pretty soon after the new arrival in one of New York's big hotels had been assigned to his room he telephoned down to the office for two strips of oilcloth.

"Another one," said the clerk after assuring the guest that the oilcloth would be sent up immediately. "He is a sonnambulist, I suppose. We keep strips of oilcloth in reserve for fellows like him. They spread it on the floor at either side of the bed. Stepping on cold oilcloth when he gets out of bed is pretty likely to awaken the most confirmed sleepwalker and prevent nocturnal wandering."

Mackerel For Nerves.
 Mackerel is an even better food for the nervous than cod and some other kinds of fish, because it contains a larger percentage of the fat which the nervous system requires. The food value of mackerel is: Water, 73.4 per cent; protein, 18.3 per cent; fat, 7.1 per cent; ash, 1.2 per cent.—Chicago Journal.

Some Purchase!
 Freddie—My pa is awful rich. I guess he's rich enough to buy all Brooklyn. Bobby—My pa's a lot richer'n that. I heard him tell ma this morning he was going to buy New York, New Haven and Hartford.—Boston Transcript.

Cruel.
 Jack—That horse knows as much as I do. Belle—Well, don't tell anybody. You may want to sell him some day.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

STORY OF RUBBER.

The Romance of This Now Highly Prized Material.

WAS OF LITTLE USE AT FIRST.

Not Until the Vulcanizing Process Was Invented Did Its Vast Possibilities Become Apparent—How the Amazon Monopoly Was Broken.

The average man believes that rubber is rubber, just as silver is silver and ivory is ivory; but, as a matter of fact, the different kinds of rubber run into the hundreds. If you were to take up one of the commercial dailies which devote their columns to the news of the different industries you would find prices quoted on thirty or forty different sorts of rubber. Some are called after their geographical location, some take their name from the method of preparation, and others have names descriptive of their form.

Originally all rubber came from the valley of the Amazon. When it was first discovered no one knows. At any rate, when the first white men, following along after Columbus, visited South America they found the Indians playing with balls made from the exudation of the bark of a certain tree, and these balls differed from any the Europeans had ever seen, for they bounced and rebounded and were full of life. But that was not the only use the Indians put this milk of the tree to. They smeared it on their blankets to make them waterproof.

Still, 200 years and more went by, and while many wise men believed this elastic, cohesive, impermeable substance ought to be full of usefulness, nobody found any way to use it to any advantage—it was so brittle in cold weather and so disposed to get soft in hot weather. But in the fullness of time a Connecticut Yankee started to puzzle it out. It took him the better part of ten years, but he did it, and in 1839 gave the world his vulcanization process, which is in use today.

Up to that time rubber was so cheap that ships from South America sometimes used it as ballast, taking their chances of selling it for what they could get in some American port. With the discovery of the vulcanizing process rubber took on a new hue and a new value, and the tropics were searched for it everywhere. It was found in the vines of Africa, and gutta percha, a sort of first cousin to rubber, was found in Borneo, and some years ago a large volume of rubber was found in the guayule shrubs of Mexico.

As rubber grew in value the chemists fell to work and devised ways of recovering it from old shoes and hose and other articles into which it entered, and thus "reclaimed rubber" soon came to equal the new rubber in volume, and all these varieties found some legitimate use. Gutta percha makes unapproachable insulation for ocean cables. Balata, which comes from the Guianas, is famous for belting, and even "reclaimed rubber," taken from junk heaps, serves perfectly well for flooring and mats and other articles where resiliency is not needed.

For many years the best rubber was that which came from the banks of the Amazon. The people of that country enjoyed a practical monopoly and determined to keep it. Not a rubber seed would they let get out of the country, under heavy penalties. But from time immemorial the fear of punishment has given way before the lure of shining gold, and in 1876, by means of generous presents here and there, a venturesome Englishman sailed out of the Amazon with 70,000 rubber seeds, and that was the start of the great rubber plantations of Ceylon and the Malay peninsula.

The beginning was slow. It was twenty-nine years after these seeds left the Amazon before the first plantation rubber was ready for the market, and then the total was only 145 tons. That was in 1905. But since then the production of plantation rubber has grown enormously, until now it is about 100,000 tons.

Various rubbers can be used for various purposes. For some purposes a lifeless rubber will answer well enough, while for other purposes the only rubber that will adequately serve is the one that has life and resiliency and toughness. There are numberless rubber articles of commerce where resiliency and wear combined are necessary and where cheaper grades or too large a proportion of "reclaimed rubber" is the poorest sort of economy.

WAR LOAN

DOMINION OF CANADA

Issue of \$150,000,000 5% Bonds Maturing 1st March, 1937

Payable at par at Ottawa, Halifax, St John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, Victoria, and at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

INTEREST PAYABLE HALF-YEARLY, 1st MARCH, 1st SEPTEMBER.

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN GOLD.

ISSUE PRICE 96.

A FULL HALF-YEAR'S INTEREST WILL BE PAID ON 1st SEPTEMBER, 1917.

THE PROCEEDS OF THE LOAN WILL BE USED FOR WAR PURPOSES ONLY.

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE offers herewith, on behalf of the Government, the above-named Bonds for Subscription at 96, payable as follows:—

10 per cent on application;
30 " 16th April, 1917;
30 " 15th May, 1917;
26 " 15th June, 1917.

The total allotment of bonds of this issue will be limited to one hundred and fifty million dollars, exclusive of the amount (if any) paid for by the surrender of bonds as the equivalent of cash under the terms of the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915.

The instalments may be paid in full on the 16th day of April, 1917, or on any instalment due date thereafter, under discount at the rate of four per cent per annum. All payments are to be made to a chartered bank for the credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture and the allotment to cancellation.

Subscriptions, accompanied by a deposit of ten per cent of the amount subscribed, must be forwarded through the medium of a chartered bank. Any branch in Canada of any chartered bank will receive subscriptions and issue provisional receipts.

This loan is authorized under Act of the Parliament of Canada, and both principal and interest will be a charge upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Forms of application may be obtained from any branch in Canada of any chartered bank and at the office of any Assistant Receiver General in Canada.

Subscriptions must be for even hundreds of dollars.

In case of partial allotments the surplus deposit will be applied towards payment of the amount due on the April instalment.

Scrip certificates, non-negotiable or payable to bearer in accordance with the choice of the applicant for registered or bearer bonds, will be issued, after allotment, in exchange for the provisional receipts.

When the scrip certificates have been paid in full and payment endorsed thereon by the bank receiving the money, they may be exchanged for bonds, when prepared, with coupons attached, payable to bearer or registered as to principal, or for fully registered bonds, when prepared, without coupons, in accordance with the application.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA, March 12th, 1917.

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Suspicious.

"There's a man outside who wants to see you," announced the office boy. "He says he's an old friend of yours."

"Find out whether he wants to borrow money or sell life insurance," directed his employer. "In either case I'm not in."—New York World.

RUBBER.

This Now Highly Material.

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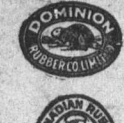


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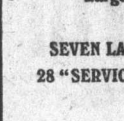
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MADE IN CANADA

ARKONA

Mr Henry Rivers spent Sunday in town

Prof Hobson, of Sarnia, spent Monday in town.

Mr John McKay, of London, made a business trip to town last week

Miss Freda Thoman, of Sarnia, spent the week end at her home here

Big showings of Linoleums at the old prices—Fuller Bros

Mr. and Mrs. George Eastman, of Mount Rose, Mich., are visiting relatives in and around the Ark.

Mrs. Richard Wilson Sr., of Strathroy, is visiting her son here this week

Miss Lizzie Parks, is spending a couple of weeks with friends in Toronto

Lieut and Mrs W A Williams, of London, are spending a few days in town

Rev H Moule and son Malcolm, are visiting friends in London this week

Mrs J Swan of Mt Pleasant Mich, who has been visiting her father, Mr

Chas Cliff, returned home last week Walker and Oahart Overalls and Smocks at the old prices—Fuller Bros

Mr. Harold Eastman, Clinton, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Eastman.

Miss Freida Thoman, who is attending Business College in Sarnia, spent the week end with her parents here.

Don't send your money out of the community to the mail order houses before getting our prices on staple lines. We believe our values are much better.—Brown Bros.

Miss Sarah Lampman and Mrs Glover, who have been visiting friends in Brantford, returned home this week

Serg. Ed Crawford, Corp A Omer and Lance Corp Ed Smith of Lambtons 149 battalion, London, spent the week end at their homes here

Mr and Mrs Peter Blackburn, of Sarnia, who spent last week in New York City, came to Arkona on Saturday and spent the week end with Mr and Mrs Alex Thoman

Fuller Bros. wish to announce their millinery Openings for Saturday March 24th. The newest shapes and styles, in ready to wear and trimmed hats will be shown.—Fuller Bros.

The Women's Institute purpose holding a concert in aid of Red Cross on Wednesday evening, March 21. A good program consisting of solos, duets, quartettes, readings etc, also the popular play "Uncle Ephraim's Summer Boarders" will be given come and help the w I in this work

CONSTIPATED CHILDREN

Constipation is one of the most common ailments of childhood and the child suffering from it cannot thrive. To keep the little one well the bowels must be kept regular and the stomach sweet. To do this nothing can equal Baby's Own Tablets. Concerning them Mrs. Romain Poirier, Mizonette, N. B., says:—"My baby suffered from constipation but thanks to Baby's Own Tablets he is perfectly well again." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

School Reports


Report of S. S. No. 5 Plympton, for February. Names in order of merit. Pupils whose names are marked * have been absent.

Class IV Sr.—Stanley Morningstar, Winnifred Peacock, Ruby Lampman, Jr.—John Barr, Kathleen Simpson, Cora Alexander.

Class III Sr.—Clarence Randall, Mary Gornham and Eric Wark equal, Margaret Lampman.

To City, Town and Village Dwellers in Ontario

A Vegetable Garden for Every Home



IN this year of supreme effort Britain and her armies must have ample supplies of food, and Canada is the great source upon which they rely. Everyone with a few square feet of ground can contribute to victory by growing vegetables.

Four Patriotic Reasons for Growing Vegetables

1. It saves money that you would otherwise spend for vegetables.
2. It helps to lower the "High cost of living."
3. It helps to enlarge the urgently needed surplus of produce for export.
4. Growing your own vegetables saves labor of others whose effort is needed for other vital war work.

The Department of Agriculture will help you

The Ontario Department of Agriculture appeals to Horticultural Societies to devote at least one evening meeting to the subject of vegetable growing; manufacturers, labor unions, lodges, school boards, etc., are invited to actively encourage home gardening. Let the slogan for 1917 be, "A vegetable garden for every home."

Organizations are requested to arrange for instructive talks by practical gardeners on the subject of vegetable growing. In cases where it is impossible to secure suitable local speakers, the Department of Agriculture will, on request, send a suitable man.

The demand for speakers will be great. The number of available experts being limited, the Department urgently requests that arrangements for meetings be made at once; if local speakers cannot be secured, send applications promptly.

The Department suggests the formation of local organizations to stimulate the work by offering prizes for best vegetable gardens. It is prepared to assist in any possible way any organization that may be conducting a campaign for vegetable production on vacant lots. It will do so by sending speakers, or by supplying expert advice in the field.

To any one interested, the Department of Agriculture will send literature giving instructions about implements necessary and methods of preparing the ground and cultivating the crop. A plan of a vegetable garden indicating suitable crops to grow, best varieties and their arrangement in the garden, will be sent free of charge to any address.

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 W. H. Hearst, Minister of Agriculture
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ANNOUNCEMENT

ON March 9th, Mr. Frank Pritchett became manager of our Watford Branch, owing to the resignation of Mr. Lou Kinnell. In order to advise those whom we may not be able to see personally, we wish to state that it is our intention to pay for cream weekly. Every individual lot of cream shall be tested independently of any previous or succeeding lot from the same customer. For all produce we shall pay the highest possible prices consistent with general market conditions. We thank our old customers for past patronage and wish to assure them, also any others who may be considering selling their produce to Silverwoods, that their trade shall have every consideration and the very best attention. By giving the new management a trial you will be convinced. We wish everyone a prosperous year.

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Jr.—George Gornham, Emma Russell, Willie Brereton*, Calvert Anderson*.

E. E. SHERRK, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 17, Brooke, for the month of February. Names in order of merit.

Class IV Sr.—Verlie Lucas, Stanley Healy, Doris Williamson.

Jr.—Winnie Parker, Helen Williamson, Carrie Healy, Irwin Lucas, Ruby Lucas.

Class III Jr.—Beulah Saunders, Lena Healy.

Class II—Muriel Parker, Verlie Williamson.

Primer.—Fred Kidd, Ada Corestine, John Rundle.

GRTRUDE LUCAS, Teacher.

The following is report of S. S. No. 2 and 7, Brooke and Warwick, for month of February.

Class IV.—Harold King, Lily Leacock and Gordon Richardson (equal).

Class III—Rosena Acton, Charlie Barron, Sybil Routley, Mary Trotter, Hilda Trotter, Orville Acton (equal).

Class II—George King, Pearl Acton.

Class I Sr.—Emma Trotter.

Jr.—Mary Barron, Mary Mitchell, Winnifred Hume.

EDITH MCCORMICK, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 5, Warwick, for the month of February.

Names occur in order of merit.

Class IV.—Marjorie Hall, Artelle Poore June Baird.

Class III—Ira Richardson, Frank Hall, Mary Hall, Christina Hall.

Class II—Lloyd Poore.

Pr. II.—Bert Hall, Gilbert Hall, Harold Campbell, Leatha Richardson, Brock Thompson, Lloyd Orr.

Pr.—Mack Hall.

F. H. THOMPSON, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 10 Warwick, for month of February. Names in order of merit.

Class IV—Basil Watson, Linda McIntosh, Arthur Miniely, Russell Parker.

Class III Sr.—Alma McGillicuddy,

Willie Miniely, Franklin Adams, Mary Williams, Zelma Conkey.

Jr.—Gordon Adams, Mac Wiley, Ina McIntosh.

Class II Sr.—Keith Howden, (Elsie Miniely, Sarah Williams) equal.

Jr.—Gordon Miniely, Fred McIntosh, Ivan Parker.

Pr. II—Harold Howden, Martha Williams.

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Splendid Successes
The splendid successes of the British armies in Mesopotamia and on the west front will send a thrill of joy throughout the Empire. Along the Tigris, General Maude's brave men have achieved a brilliant success against the forces of the Turks, culminating in the capture of Kut-el Amara, a point seized by the Sultan's troops a year ago. The fall of Bagdad to the British seems likely now.
On the west front, the forces of Field Marshal Haig and General Nivelle have pushed the Germans back for more than four miles on a front eleven miles wide. This is the greatest German retreat in two years and even more valuable than the actual gain, is the knowledge thus secured that the Teuton lines can be broken at any time the Entente generals say the word.

Satire
(New York Evening Sun)
The Entente Allies started the war, Germany says.
Their plan was, we presume, for Serbia to conquer Austria Hungary while Belgium devastated Germany. England especially, showed her hands when she burlled an enormous army of 100,000 against only two or three millions of Germans. And these Germans, taken completely by surprise, straggled forward into France. They got nearly as far as Paris we believe, before they recovered from their astonishment.
Japanese women have a very prosperous woman's club in Tokio.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Fake Magazine Agents

Because of the activities of fake "magazine agents" the postal authorities are warning the public to beware of this type of swindle. Bogus subscription agents were operating in Western Canada for some time, purporting to be representatives of the Canadian Subscription Company. Before the police could take action the swindlers escaped to the United States. One of the most active of those reported to the police was R. H. Reede. The postal department declares that it has evidence that this form of swindle is being revived. The fake agents in most cases offer subscriptions to well-known publications at far below the regular rates, provided a cash payment is made in advance.

CHOP STUFF
Mrs. Alex. McAlpine, an old resident of Glenora, is dead.
Thos. E. Gough, of Strathroy, has been made a justice of the peace.
Hugh Stephenson, formerly of Forest, died at his home in Winnipeg last week.
No, spring hats with spikes on the top will never be popular in this country.
Miss Katie Prentice, formerly of Petrolia, died at the Soo last week from pneumonia.

Strathroy thieves steal the ribbons from floral tributes on new graves. This is the lowest depth of depravity.
A. D. Donald, of Bosaquet, sustained slight injuries about the head and face by being thrown from his cutter.
Allan McDougall had his arm broken while working in the Alvinston flax mill. It got caught in the revolving machinery.
Mrs. Herman Johnston, a former resident of Inwood, where her husband had a lumber and stave industry, died in Sarnia, last week.
Mrs. (Dr.) E. B. Blain, of Forest, has received word that her brother Capt. (Dr.) F. McGibbon expects to sail for Canada this week. While overseas he has won the two degrees M. R. C. S. and L. R. C. P.

It is claimed by the council of Pelee Island that the late John Rham, collector, was short \$8000 in his collection of taxes for the past three years, and his sureties are to be called upon to make good that amount.
The London Gazette of the 29th contains the names of several hundred Canadians brought to the notice of the Secretary of State for valuable service in connection with the war and among the list are the names of Major F. A. Lister and Lieut. Col. G. F. Poussette, former Sarnia boys.
Rae, the seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cowdie, con. 1, Plympton, had her leg amputated below the knee at the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto, lately. About 4 years ago the child (then 3 years old) was playing in the yard when her father was drawing logs. By some means the log rolled on the child's leg tearing the flesh from the knee to the foot. Since that time every endeavor of the doctors have been made to save the limb without avail.

Detroit merchants are reaping a rich harvest these days at the expense of Canadian customers. Present a \$1 bill at almost any store or amusement place in Detroit you get "nicked" to the extent of five cents. The same amount is deducted from a \$2 bill and ten cents is taken off a \$5 note when the change is handed back. Explaining this, the clerk will say that "the bank charges a discount" on all such money taken. It is not the bank which gives the cut. The same amount is deducted from money gets the rake-off. The exchange on Canadian money is one-quarter of one per cent, and the present condition is only temporary, according to Windsor and Detroit bankers. When a two per cent discount is charged by stores, it means that one and three-quarter cents is made by the owner or shareholders.

A Frenchman was waiting at a railroad station in Ireland when a couple of natives sat down beside him. Said one: "Sure, Pat, it's down to Kilmory I've been and I'm on my way back now to Kilmory."
"Ye don't say so," said the other. "It's myself that's just after being down to Kilmory and I stop here a bit before I go to Kilmory."
"What assassins!" exclaimed the shocked Frenchman. "Would that I were safely back in France."

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Lambton Fruit Growers

The Annual Meeting of the Lambton County Fruit and Vegetable Growers' Association is to be held in the City Hall Sarnia, on Wednesday, March 21st, 1917, beginning at 1.30 p. m. There should be an effort on the part of every fruit and vegetable grower in the County to attend this meeting. A special officer of the Dominion Fruit Branch will address this meeting on the Grading and Production of Fruit for Market. Lambton County produces fruit second to none in the Province and every effort should be put forth to increase the production at this time.

The Late Benjamin Evans.

(From the Yale Expositor)

The death of Benjamin Evans, a pioneer of Brockway township, occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Walter Knapp, northeast of Yale, on Wednesday, February 28, 1917.

Benjamin Evans was born in Warwick, Lambton county, Ont., July 31st, 1836. In 1861 he was married to Evalina O'Dell and came to St. Clair Co. settling on a farm 1 mile north and 3 1/2 miles west of Yale, then Brockway Centre.

Ten children came to bless and make happy the home life, all living:—Cornelius, Sarah, Mrs. Walter Knapp, Yale; Morris, state of Washington; Elizabeth, Mrs. Charles Dudley, Black Duck, Minn.; Susan, New York city; Frank, St. Paul, Minn.; Evaline, Mrs. Van Dorn, New York city; Carrie, Mrs. Walter Williams, Sandusky; May, New York city; Isla, Mrs. Charles Clark, Springfield, Ohio.

Twenty-two years ago Mr. and Mrs. Evans moved to Yale and became identified with the public life, spirit and interests of the town beloved and respected citizens.

The wife and mother passed away March 2nd 1915, and soon after the home was broken up and Mr. Evans was taken to live with his daughter, Mrs. Knapp, on the farm about three miles northeast of Yale, where he passed his last days.

The funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at one o'clock from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knapp.

AUCTION SALE

OF FARM STOCK. MRS. EMILY JONES will offer for sale on Lot 16, Con. 12, Brooke, on Wednesday, March 21st, 1917, the following stock, etc.:—1 driving horse, 1 g p mare rising 5, 1 g p colt rising 3, a yearling colt, farrow cow, new milk cow, 3 two-year-old heifers, 4 yearling steers, 3 calves, 1 sow due to farrow April 16, 8 young pigs, 2 wagons, hay rack, stock rack, gravel box, set of sleighs, cart, buggy, 1 gasoline engine 1 1/2 h p, 1 gasoline engine 10 h p, 1 saw mandrel, 2 cutting boxes, a quantity of seed barley, a quantity of oats, a quantity of hay in mow, a set of double harness.

Sale at 1 o'clock. Terms—\$10 and under cash, 6 months' credit on approved joint notes, 6 per cent. per annum discount for cash on sums over \$10.
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Many a child has been called awkward, has been punished in school for not keeping still or for dropping things when the trouble was really St. Vitus Dance. This disease may appear at any age, but is most common between the ages of six and fourteen years. It is caused by thin blood which fails to carry sufficient nourishment to the nerves, and the child becomes restless and twitching of the muscles and jerking of the limbs and body follow. In severe cases the child is unable to hold any thing or feed itself. St. Vitus Dance is cured by building up the blood. The most successful treatment is to remove the child from all mental excitement, stop school work and give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills renew the blood supply, strengthen the nerves, and restore the child to perfect health. Here is proof of their power to cure. Mrs. S. Shaape, Oakville, Ont., says:— "When my daughter was nine years old she was attacked with St. Vitus Dance. She was sent to a sanatorium where she remained for nine weeks, without any benefit. Indeed when we brought her home she was as helpless as a baby. I got a supply of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and continued giving her half a pill after each meal for several months, when she had fully recovered and has never had a symptom of the trouble since." "You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

INWOOD.

J. H. Morrison made a business trip to London last week.

George Collison of Port Huron visited at L. D. Brown's last week.

Mrs. H. Aylesworth of Watford was the guest of her son, Lee, recently.

H. Kern returned from London Monday and resumed business at his old stand.

The February shipment of the Inwood Red Cross Auxiliary shipped to headquarters at Toronto consisted of 258 pairs day Sox, 6 day shirts, 210 towels, at a valuation of \$292.

The annual meeting of the Inwood Cheese and Butter Factory was held in the Orange Hall on Friday afternoon. A large percentage of patrons were present. Miss Bertha Oakes was appointed Sec'y. Treasurer for the coming year.

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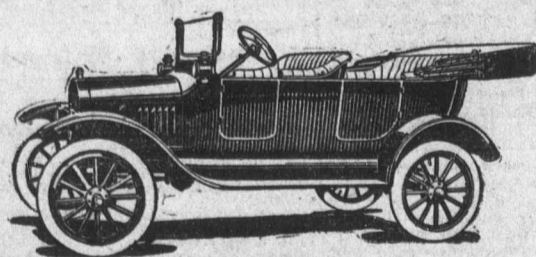
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A Special Short Course in Farm Drainage

The practice of farm underdrainage has grown to such importance that it is now almost impossible to obtain the services of men having sufficient knowledge of drainage methods that they are capable of taking charge of the installation of a drainage system, either by hand or by machine.

The County Department of Agriculture, in co-operation with the Drainage Department of the Ontario Agricultural College, will hold a One Week Short Course in farm drainage, beginning Monday, March 26th, 1917, in the Agricultural Office, Petrolia.

OUTLINE OF WORK

Instruction will be given in home-made and standard types of surveying levels. Their care, construction, adjustment and use will be taken up in detail. Taking levels, map reading and map making will be followed by easy steps so as to be within the grasp of a beginner.

Lectures will cover the principals of drainage and various soil types

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