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Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Chap-  
ter 121, Section 64, that all creditors and  
others having claims against the Estate of Wil-  
liam Boyd, who died on or about the first day  
of February, 1912, are required on or before  
the first day of July, 1915, to send by post prepaid  
or deliver to Messrs. Elliott & Moss, of the Vil-  
lage of Glencoe, Solicitors for Charles Maitland  
Macfie and Nichol Alexander Black, Executors  
of the last will and testament of the said de-  
ceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses  
and descriptions, the full particulars of their  
claims, the statement of their accounts and the  
nature of the securities, if any, held by them.  
And further take notice that after such last  
mentioned date the said Executors will  
proceed to distribute the assets of the said de-  
ceased among the parties entitled thereto,  
having regard only to the claims of which they  
shall then have notice, and that the said Ex-  
ecutors will not be liable for the said assets or  
any part thereof to any person or persons of  
whose claims notice shall not have been re-  
ceived by them at the time of such distribution.  
Dated the ninth day of June, A. D. 1915.

**ELLIOTT & MOSS,**  
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### District and General.

Caledonian games will be held in  
Dutton Dominion Day.

Chatham people are loudly protest-  
ing against 8 cent milk.

C. G. Yorke, B. A., has been engaged  
as principal of Rodney Continuation  
School for another year.

Napier annual garden party will be  
held on the lawn of Dr. Sawers on the  
evening of Friday, June 25.

Lieut.-Col. H. C. Becher, of London,  
commanding officer of the 1st Bat-  
talion, has been killed in action.

Aldborough Old Boys will hold their  
annual picnic and reunion at Port  
Glasgow on Thursday, August 19.

Neil Stalker and Daniel McNabb, of  
Dunwich, left last week for Saskatche-  
wan to look after their land interests.

A picnic will be held at S. S. No. 10,  
Campbellton, under the auspices of  
the Red Cross Society, on Friday,  
June 25.

Hugh Campbell, of Florence, had  
three fingers crushed by a falling pike-  
pole at a barn-raising. One finger was  
amputated.

The report of the Middlesex county  
council to the Strathroy hospital has  
been reduced from \$500 a year to \$250.  
Hard times is the reason given.

Out of 100 dog owners in Petrolia  
only sixteen have paid their licenses.  
Thirty delinquents will be brought  
before the magistrate to explain matters.

The Synod of Huron in session at  
London voted down by two to one a  
resolution commending the govern-  
ment for establishing the dry canten.

During the past year Edmonton's  
population has decreased by over  
13,100, and is now 50,330. Of the de-  
crease nearly 5,000 is accounted for by  
enlistment.

Severe frosts in Western Canada did  
some damage last week. In some  
places five degrees of frost were regis-  
tered. There was a light fall of snow  
at Brandon.

Three well-known Essex county  
horsemen appeared before P. M. Bea-  
man at Essex and pleaded guilty to  
violating the Stallion Enrolment Act  
by using stallions not enrolled.

Owing to the demand for wet goods  
having fallen off the Walkers will  
close down their distillery at Walk-  
erville until conditions will warrant  
manufacturing operations again.

A test was made at London, when  
the Minister of Militia was in the city,  
of a device invented by the Walkers  
of Toronto, to offset the effects of  
chlorine gas. The test was successful.

Since the war began German sub-  
marines have sunk about 100 merchant-  
men, many of them neutrals. On the  
other hand, 29,000 British cargoes  
have crossed the German submarine  
zone in safety.

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

Those who criticize the British navy  
for the part it has played in this war  
know nothing of what it means to be  
able to say that not an enemy ship  
of commerce is today on the seas, and  
not a German above-water fighting  
ship dares to come out of hiding.  
Britain rules the waves.

While playing near a pigery Friday  
afternoon, the two-year-old daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. Stevens, Huron line,  
Sandwich, thrust her hand through  
the railings where the pigs were feed-  
ing and was severely bitten by an old  
sow. On being examined by a doctor  
the hand was found to be badly  
mutilated and necessitated amputation  
at the wrist.

Pioneer preachers in Upper Canada  
covered the extensive circuits on  
horseback. With building of roads  
came the two-wheeled cart, and then  
the top buggy, which for thirty years  
has been the standard vehicle of the  
country minister. To-day the auto-  
mobile is entering the field. About  
ten ministers of London Methodist  
conference already own motor cars.

Under the direction of the agricul-  
ture department of the Ontario Agri-  
cultural College, beekeepers' confer-  
ence will be held on Wednesday, June  
30, at 1:30 p. m., on the farm of John  
A. Patten, in Dunwich township, con-  
cession seven, three miles south of  
Dutton. A qualified apiary instructor  
will be present, and local beekeepers  
will be asked to assist in the discussion  
of practical questions.

The late Joseph Peel Ker, whose  
sudden death occurred on Wednesday,  
June 9th, from acute indigestion, was  
born in Grimsby, Sept. 4th, 1841, and  
came to Bothwell in 1865, at the first  
oil excitement, and has lived there  
ever since. He was married to Miss  
Emily Tyrell on September 20th, 1870,  
at Newbury, by the Rev. B. Lawrence;  
his father was Henry Ker, and his  
mother was Harriett McCollum.

Bradstreet says:—"One of the most  
interesting events of the week is the  
recovery of five to seven cents per  
pound in the market values of wool in  
Toronto, following the lifting of the  
embargo placed recently on wool grow-  
ing from Canada to the United States.  
This is an important change, as farm-  
ers are clipping now and about one-  
third of their wool crop generally finds  
its way finally across the border."

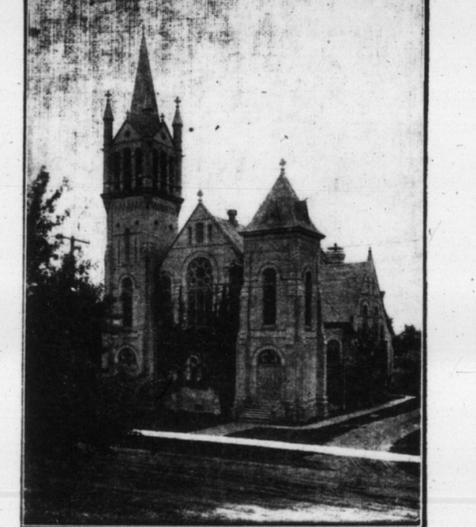
Chatham merchants have decided to  
organize on their own account, to pre-  
vent smuggling, and have hired four  
Chatham girls who will henceforth act  
as special "plainclothes" officers. The  
girls will engage in conversation with  
the purchasers, find out what has been  
bought, hand in a list of the names  
and articles to the authorities, and  
then notices will be served to the  
erring ones to call and settle. If  
they don't, prosecutions will follow.

### SEMI-JUBILEE WAS A GREAT SUCCESS

Glencoe Presbyterians Celebrate Twenty-Fifth Anniver-  
sary of Opening of Their Church.

The last two Sundays were red-letter days in the history of the Glencoe  
Presbyterian Church, when the twenty-fifth anniversary of the opening of the  
church was fittingly celebrated. And the closing service proved an appropri-  
ate climax to the interesting series of services held; the church was crowded  
to its utmost capacity, some being turned away.

On Sunday, June 13th, the services were opened, a full report of which was  
given in last week's issue.  
On Wednesday, a reunion picnic was held in the Agricultural Park. The



Glencoe Presbyterian Church.

day was fine, and a large crowd, estimated anywhere between 800 and 1,000,  
was there. The ladies were early at work, and a splendid dinner was served  
in the crystal palace, which had been fitted up with tables tastefully decorated  
with flowers and flags for the occasion.

After dinner the children were treated to an automobile ride on the race  
track, to the great delight of the juveniles. The owners of cars, irrespective  
of denomination, very generously put their cars at the disposal of the commit-  
tee, and gave the children a genuine half-hour of real pleasure.

This was followed by a programme of addresses and music. Mr. J. C.  
Elliott, M. P. P., performed the duties of chairman in his usual happy manner.  
The following gentlemen gave addresses:—Revs. W. J. Ford, L. L. B.; A. A.  
Graham, B. D., Moosejaw; James Wilson, Toronto; Dr. Dugald Currie,  
Beaverton; W. A. Brenner, B. A., St. Thomas, representing the Presbytery



Rev. Dugald Currie, D. D., and Rev. George Weir, B. A.

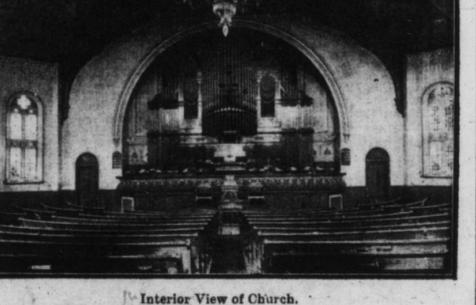
of London: Dr. D. Stalker, of Calumet, Mich., and Mr. Peter McArthur.  
The pastor, Rev. Geo. Weir, gave a few words of welcome and expressed the  
appreciation of the congregation to all who had assisted in making the occasion  
a success. Miss Flora Finlayson, Toronto, sang three solos in excellent voice,  
and the choir rendered heartily the chorus "For King and Country." Four  
members of the Highland Pipers' Band, London, enlivened the proceedings of  
the afternoon with their stirring strains.

A series of races for children and young people, in which was keenest  
interest and competition, concluding with a baseball match between single  
and married men, brought a most enjoyable day to a close. It was declared by  
many to have been one of the most successful functions ever held in Glencoe.

Sunday, June 20th, marked the closing of the semi-jubilee celebration,  
which will be long remembered by the members of the congregation. The  
day was fine and a shower in the early morning had laid the dust; the roads  
were ideal for driving or motoring.

Rev. Dugald Currie, D. D., who was pastor when the church was built 25  
years ago, was the preacher for the day. He was in good form and was  
greeted by a large congregation. The choir, which is one of the best in West-  
ern Ontario, was ably assisted by a male quartette from Alvinston, and led

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Interior View of Church.

### Farm Drainage.

During the past month much drain-  
age work has been done by the Middle-  
sex Branch of the Department of  
Agriculture. The farms of the follow-  
ing men have either been surveyed for  
the drainage over part of the farm, or  
the levels have been taken to find an  
outlet:—J. G. Lethbridge, Glencoe;  
Peter McArthur, John McArthur,  
Appin; Joseph W. Haniss, Kerwood;  
Chas. A. Miller, Westminster; Samuel  
Wood, John Wood, Strathroy; D. A.  
Campbell, Mr. Devlin, Mr. Roycraft,  
Glencoe; C. C. Henry, Metcalfe; A. E.  
Rosser, Ailsa Craig.

The land affected by the surveys  
comprises about 400 acres. The diffi-  
culty met with in digging drains  
generally is that the total fall is not  
known and the man who constructs  
his ditch with too steep a grade and  
consequently it runs out of the ground  
or becomes too shallow to be contin-  
ued. The result is that the low spots  
that need drainage the worst are not  
drained. In such cases the drains  
have to be taken up and regraded be-  
fore they are of any use. To avoid  
these mistakes we must have an ac-  
curate method of determining the  
grade and of digging to it.

The Middlesex Branch of the Depart-  
ment of Agriculture, London, Ont.,  
will survey your farms free of charge,  
or if occupied with other work, will  
make application for a field-man from  
Guelph, in which case the cost is small,  
consisting of railway fare to two cents  
a mile, and board while on the job.

It is a well known fact that under-  
drainage pays for all expenditures in  
three or four years, and in many  
instances the increased returns from  
the drained land has repaid the farmer  
in one year. Now is the time to con-  
sider drainage and plan for next year's  
crop.

### Death of Fred. McCallum.

The death occurred at St. Joseph's  
Hospital, London, on Monday of Fred-  
erick C. McCallum, of Ekfrid, son of  
Mrs. Ann McCallum, of Glencoe. Mr.  
McCallum, it will be remembered, was  
found unconscious in his barn on the  
25th of March last, with a wound in  
his head. It is surmised that he fell  
while in a faint brought on as a result  
of being injured in a runaway accident  
in January. His money and watch  
were in his pocket and there were no  
evidences of his having been assaulted.

He was never able to give a coherent  
statement of how he came by his in-  
jury, being partially conscious only at  
times. On May 12th he was taken to  
the hospital, and for a time it was  
hoped that he might recover, but on  
Wednesday last he took a turn for the  
worse and gradually sank until the  
end came.

Mr. McCallum was one of the younger  
members of a large family, and was  
one of the most prosperous and re-  
spected farmers in Ekfrid. He was  
unmarried and lived alone. His age  
was about 47 years, and his was the  
first death to occur in the family.

The funeral took place from the resi-  
dence of his brother William G. Long-  
woods Road, Ekfrid, yesterday after-  
noon to Oakland cemetery.

### Death of Dougald McCallum.

Dougald McCallum, of the 13th con-  
cession of Metcalfe, passed away on  
Sunday morning after an illness of ten  
days with pneumonia.

Mr. McCallum was in his 55th year  
and was one of the most prominent  
and highly esteemed residents of the  
township. Prior to his illness he had  
always enjoyed the best of health, and  
his demise was a sorrowful surprise to  
his many friends.

Mr. McCallum was a carpenter by  
trade, but was engaged also in agri-  
culture. His parents, the late Mr. &  
Mrs. John McCallum, were natives  
of Argyleshire, Scotland, and were  
among the early pioneers of this sec-  
tion, their grandchildren numbering  
between sixty and seventy. Besides  
his wife, a daughter of Alexander Mc-  
Neil, Mr. McCallum leaves a family of  
seven boys—John, at home; Peter,  
school teacher, in Kent county, and  
Neil, William, Donald Kenneth, Hugh  
and Gordon, at home. He also leaves  
five brothers and four sisters. Another  
brother, Neil, died in February last.

The funeral took place from his late  
residence on Monday afternoon and  
was one of the largest ever seen in the  
neighborhood. Service was conducted  
by Rev. Dr. Fraser Smith in Burns'  
church, Moss, of which Mr. McCallum  
was a member, and interment was  
made in Kilmartin cemetery.

### Methodist Church.

REV. W. G. HOWSON, MINISTER  
The pastor's subjects for next Sun-  
day may be as follows:—Morning,  
"Near to Nature's heart, and the heart  
of God"; evening, "After three years  
of pastoral work among the Methodists  
of Glencoe." Good singing. A warm  
welcome for all.

### Dominion Day in Petrolia.

Dominion Day, 1915, will go down in  
history as one of the biggest show  
days Petrolia has ever had. The great  
attraction—the aeroplane—alone will  
bring hundreds of people into Petrolia  
from every section of the country.

The machine will be of exhibition  
in the Fair Grounds after one o'clock  
in the afternoon and the mechanics  
who accompany the pilot will be  
pleased to answer all questions. It is  
said that if there is an extra seat at-  
tached a well-known young lady of the  
town has signified her intention of  
accompanying the airman on one of his  
flights.

Public school promotion examina-  
tions will be held on June 28 and 29.

# Woman Against Woman

or A Terrible Accusation.

## CHAPTER XVII.—(Cont'd.)

"No! no!" she gasped. "Not for the world! I trust you! I love you! Do you think I would stand in the way of his happiness? Oh, when I think of the misery I have caused him; when I think of all the shame and torture he has endured for my sake, I wonder that I live. It has only been the thought that through all he has loved me, only the poor belief that in some sort of way I was necessary to his happiness that has kept me alive at all. But if I thought he loved you, I would not stand in his way for one little minute. You would not deceive me, Ailsa? You would not make him hate me, because I kept him from happiness? You would not let me add that to the other sins that I have committed against him?"

The beautiful quivering face was hidden in the washes of dishevelled golden hair. It seemed to Ailsa that she would have died to have spared that young wife the additional sorrow that must sooner or later come upon her. She almost burst into tears for his treachery to the little creature who trusted him so tenderly, who loved him so self-sacrificingly.

"Hush!" she whispered, soothingly: "you are exciting yourself uselessly when you will need all your strength. I have a plan for you which we will try—and I—as soon as you are well, plan to counteract this awful influence, which is ruining you body and soul. You will help me, will you not? You will do all you can? There will never be any question then of your retaining—his love. You will be happy as in the early days of your marriage—you and he. You were happy then, were you not?"

Mrs. Dunraven had forgotten her own suspicions of the might have observed the wistfulness of the tone, and it might have told her the truth; but she was thinking of the days which the words recalled, and answered, faintly:

"So happy! He worshipped me then; I know it; and let what may come, those days, that memory, can never be taken from me. I have seen the change come over him daily, hourly, and it has broken my heart, knowing it to be all my fault—all, all! I have no word of censure for him, no thought of his being foolish or ungenerous—so kind, so thoughtful, so generous always—but I have watched the mad passion go out of his kisses; I have watched the light die from his eyes; I have felt his arms looser about my waist. I have seen the change daily, hourly; I have striven to close my senses to it; I would not think of it; but it has all been pitifully true. And the fault is all mine; yet I am helpless to prevent it. You are the only person in all this world who believes in me, and I think I worship you next to you to me. I would give my life for you if you required it of me. Leslie loves me, but he does not believe what I have told him. He does not accept my word; you did unsupportably. I am not selfish enough to see those I love suffer because of me. Ailsa, let me look into your eyes."

She drew herself up, and taking the girl's face between her hands, looked into the dark, suffering eyes eagerly.

"She shall not know," he answered, softly. "Do you think I am not sorry for you both—that I would not help you if I could?"

"I know! I know!" she answered. "But there is nothing under Heaven that can help either of us now. We must bear the burden and trust to Heaven. There is no happiness in all the world, so why should we expect it more than the rest? I am ready to continue in the way that fate has marked out for me as patiently as I can."

## CHAPTER XVIII.

It was a long, hard day to bear, long in its burdens, long in the terrible suffering that was sent upon that afflicted household, and perhaps Ailsa suffered most of all. Without making it apparent, she managed to avoid Lloyd Ogden, giving as an excuse that Mrs. Dunraven needed her, and it may be that Lloyd loved her all the more for her strict attention to the one he loved next to her.

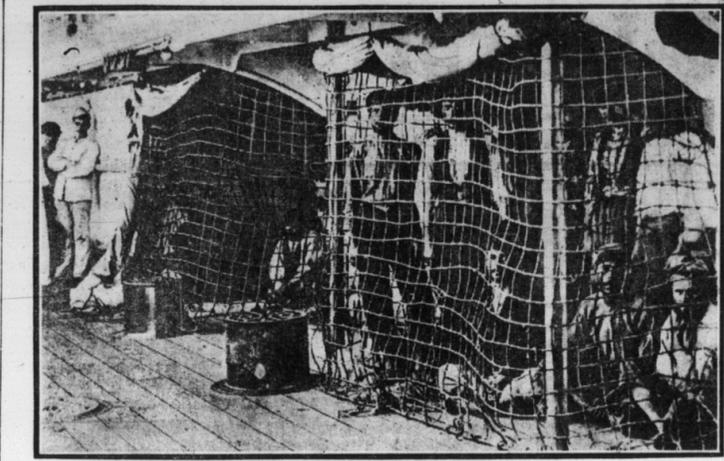
The doctor passed silently from the room of one patient to the other, keeping his eyes open and observing everything that occurred.

Once or twice Muriel came in with that noiselessly unceasing tread, but never that doctor Paxton was watching her with an attention that never flagged, she left again, concealing her discomfiture behind a smile which did not deceive the wise doctor as much as she had intended.

It was late, perhaps nine o'clock in the evening, when Doctor Paxton entered Mrs. Dunraven's room, and stopping by Ailsa's side, placed his hand gently upon her shoulder.

"The other patient wants to see you for a moment, he said, gently. She started, and shrunk back from him, her face whitening.

"Mrs. Dunraven," he gasped. "You must understand how—impossible it is! I can't put my strength to a greater test—I don't dare!"



Turks Confined Behind Netting on the Deck of a British Warship.

Particulars are lacking (doubtless for censorial reasons) as to the exact circumstances or locality in which these Turkish prisoners were taken, but the photograph came from a certain place in the Mediterranean. Presumably, therefore, they were captured during the naval operations in the Near East. The photograph is interesting in itself as showing the ingenuity of the British sailor in arranging an improvised prison on board. Although there may be a certain loss of personal dignity in being confined behind netting, yet this open-air prison is decidedly more humane than would be some dark corner below decks, and we may be sure that the prisoners are treated with the customary humanity and courtesy which the men of the British navy invariably display towards their foe.

to shut out the crime we had committed. I would not look into the honest eyes of the man whose wife I had promised to be and see the look of disgust and reproach in them for all the happiness the earth might hold."

To her surprise, Dunraven was upon his feet and laid his hand heavily upon her shoulder.

"Do you value his respect more highly than my love?" he questioned, hoarsely.

"Yes," she answered, fearlessly. "I value his respect more highly than your love. But, above and beyond that, I value the trust your wife has placed in me. Goodness knows I regret the wrong that I have done her, but with God's help and the strength I shall pray for Him, it is all past and done with. Leslie, I—I am going to ask you something—a favor. Will you grant it?"

She was looking at him beseechingly, prayerfully. She even leaned her hands heavily upon his breast.

"What is it?" he asked, hoarsely. "Go away for a while. Out of the country, if you will. You will need change of air, change of scene. I promise you that I will remain here, that I will take your place beside Ethel, that I will save her for you, that nothing shall happen while you are away. It would be the greatest kindness that you could show to me or to yourself. Will you go, Leslie—for my sake?"

He hesitated a moment, then turned away sorrowfully.

"Will you promise me one thing in return?"

"What?"

"That you will be no man's wife until I come back and give you my permission. Promise that, and I will go. It will be like death, and yet, perhaps, you are right. Promise that, and I will go."

She lifted her eyes pleadingly, then slowly said:

"I promise."

## A Brave French Child.

The remarkable adventures of a twelve-year-old boy, Andre Guede by name, on the battle field beyond the Marne, were told in a letter that Alexandre Millerand, the French minister of war, has made public.

When the troops were passing through the village of Neuilly-en-Thelle, little Andre said to his mother, "I'm going to follow the soldiers!" Off he went, and the regiment he followed was soon in the thick of the fight. Sub-Lieutenant Grivelet took the boy under his protection.

During the three days of the Battle of Boulliaucy the youngster remained by the side of the lieutenant on the firing line, and would not leave him, even though the German artillery and machine-gun fire swept the ranks. Lieutenant Grivelet was wounded, and, still under fire, Andre carried the officer's sword, revolver, maps, and equipment while they looked for an ambulance.

The lieutenant was picked up by the Red Cross wagon and driven to the railway station to take the hospital train. Andre ran for miles after the vehicle, and succeeded in hiding himself in the train. So he accompanied Grivelet to Riva Bella, where he remained happy in the companionship of his wounded friend.

The total progeny of a single fly in one summer amounts to over two million.

When crossing rivers, the Cossacks to avoid getting wet, throw the left stirrup-leather across the saddle and the right stirrup-leather in the opposite direction. Then, placing their feet in the reversed stirrups, they stand upright.

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# ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN

Marriages are contracted very early in Persia.

Over 1,000,000 of the 2,750,000 women in New York are foreign born.

Canada has three policewomen—Toronto with two and Ottawa with one.

There are 62 policewomen in the United States at the present time.

Russia furnishes more woman fighters in war time than any other nation.

Kenilworth, B.C., school teachers have put on three quarters' pay. It is claimed that women are drinking to a greater extent than they used to.

# NEWS ACROSS THE BORDER

WHAT IS GOING ON OVER IN THE STATES.

Latest Happenings in Big Republic Condensed for Busy Readers.

Thirteen banks in St. Louis show aggregate deposits of \$253,605,592.

New York and New Hampshire again fear a grasshopper raid in the fields.

New York police carnival will have its own reviator showing by Patrolman Murphy.

One hundred pupils of Iola, Kan., high school said they had never seen a saloon bar.

Wanamaker has bought a building at Atlantic City as a sanitarium for store employees.

After the review of the fleet at New York, three U.S. submarines went on the crippled list.

John Sperandio, of Collinsville, Ill., though without hands, has qualified as a school teacher.

A Minneapolis man, to show belief in Union wages, left \$5 in his will to each of his palbearers.

Pittsburg magistrates refused to convict for gambling some Syrians playing cards for beans.

Former financier Addicks, once political power in Delaware, at 74, has been jailed for debt.

Excitement over the wedding of her son caused the death of Mrs. Elias Lyman at Burlington, Vt.

Some tourists cancelled their passages on the Minnehaha as she carried munitions to England.

A German glove firm is being sued by United States for \$332,367 fraud in customs undervaluations.

After 30 years in Sing Sing the jail tailor, John Bowman, has been released; he was a murderer.

Jonathan Huber, of Jassamville, Pa., has completed his forty-second term as public school teacher.

Ida Woods, of Pangburn, Ark., while at a picnic was bitten by a rattlesnake, walked 50 yards, and died.

Chas. Frohman, play producer, lost on the Lusitania, was once a newsboy on Philadelphia streets.

A hobo told Chicago judges that the city could not be prosperous as cigar ends now thrown away are shorter than usual.

The convicts of West Virginia pen, at Moundsville, 1,927 in number, are to have Saturday half holidays in summer.

Mrs. S. Vandever claims to possess the axe with which Abraham Lincoln once split rails. She lives at Montgomery, Mo.

Almost every farmer in Montgomery County, Alabama, has stopped work to look for a hoard of train robbers buried gold.

A dying message was sent from Margate, Eng., to his sister at Hubble, Mich., by Herbert Thomas with the Canadian contingent.

A Pennsylvania man was freed of a white slavery charge because he conveyed his victim into the State by auto and not by rail.

# WIT AND HUMOR.

"And," said the sergeant, as he ceased his humming and turned away from the squad of recruits to whom he had given a free and easy lesson in French, "we have to look after 'em, and no blooming error. Times is different, ain't they? . . . Stand easy, you fellows, and cast your eyes over them phrases. And don't grin. This ain't no hippodrome. Mebbe you'll thank God when you get over there that He brought you into contact with a man who could teach you to ask for your grub in a foreign country instead of having to waggle your fingers and point and scratch your sides like a lot of chimpanzees."

"Eh!"—as one of them asked a question in a subdued voice—"If you wanted coffee? Well, didn't I pronounce it a dozen times—'Donny moir caddy olly.' 'Struth, Where was you educated, me lad! Back parlor of some pub. I shouldn't wonder. And don't forget the sixty plain, either. If the Frenchy likes anything mor'n another it's manners. . . . 'Give me beer.' Like a duck asking for water. Third column, page two. Pronounce it. 'Van.' Eh! 'Van beer!' No, one van. That's wine—they don't have anything so common as beer. You're going out as a gent, me lad, not as a dray-horse."

# COLT DISTEMPER

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He placed his hand upon her hair and smoothed it gently.

darkness eternal, in a vain endeavor.

to go to him, to tell him that she had

and the Welsh last.

war, or longer if it lasts!

## BRITISH WOMEN REGISTER

OVER 60,000 OF THEM WANT TO DO MEN'S WORK.

11,000 Ask to do Armament Work—Agricultural Colleges Training Women Farmers.

Over 60,000 women have already registered for war service in the labor exchanges throughout the British Isles. Of these 11,000 have asked for armament work, 9,000 for clerical, and 7,000 for agricultural employment. About 2,000 have offered to work as shop assistants, 1,200 as tailors and dressmakers, including those prepared to work power machines and 1,200 as ordinary needleworkers.

The women offering to do armament work are, for the most part, women who have not undertaken work before; those offering themselves as shop assistants, on the other hand, have done other kinds of work, but feel that, as large numbers of young men are employed in the distributing trades, the greatest immediate need for women deputies might be expected from this quarter.

**The Various Schemes**  
of training in agriculture, which have been undertaken by the Board of Trade have been progressing very satisfactorily. At the Harper Adams College, Newport, Shropshire, a second class of 30 students has just finished their course of instruction in farm operations. These women have been drafted from Birmingham and Shrewsbury, and are of varying social status, most of them having received a good general education. The work includes instruction in stock feeding and tending, dairying, poultry keeping, horticulture, and general farm work. The Board of Trade inspector, visiting the class before the conclusion of the course reports that, without exception, the women appear to be enjoying the work and that they far exceeded expectations in energy, enthusiasm, and capacity. The pupils informed him that they hoped to be able to endure the hard physical labor should they be placed on farms at the completion of their course.

Within the past week about 36 women have been placed on farms maintained in their own counties where farm hands are urgently needed. Negotiations for 14 others are in hand. About 96 are in training or have just finished their course.

**Other Agricultural Colleges**  
which are co-operating in the scheme are Swanley, Garforth (Leeds), Sparsholt (Winchester), the Midland Agricultural Training College (Kingston-on-Soar), and Aberystwyth. The course at most of these colleges is of about three weeks and includes the rudiments of milking.

Every effort will be made to use the women in their own counties, and in this way to diminish the housing problem. The women's horticultural societies have co-operated very well, but the fullest advantages of the scheme can only be secured if the farmers will show no diffidence in testing the ability and good will of the women, all of whom are carefully chosen before being sent for training. In other trades and occupations there is very little change in the nature of the demand for war service. Footmen are being constantly replaced and so are light porters, cleaners, messengers, and liftmen. There is a fair demand for women accountants to replace men, and one training college reports an order for 100 women with statistical training to undertake classifications involving percentages. The banks are employing women in constantly increasing numbers, and in some of the outlying post-offices the same thing is happening. But the higher branches of the Civil Service still show a great reluctance to admit women who, with similar academic training to the men they would replace, would be willing to act as deputies.

**CANADA'S HOPEFUL FUTURE.**  
Prosperity Will Make Us More Self-Reliant.

It is estimated in Canada that war orders will total at least \$400,000,000 before peace arrives. This will effectually offset shrinkages in certain Canadian staples, such as timber and live-stock. If, as it is hoped, the wheat yields the 250,000,000 bushels asked for last autumn the country will be able to export 175,000,000 bushels. The total agricultural exports may amount to \$250,000,000 in the present fiscal year—just about double what they were in the previous year. In the year up to March 31st last domestic manufactures were exported to the value of about \$175,000,000. War orders may bring up the total to \$300,000,000—a conservative figure; and total exports between \$650,000,000 and \$700,000,000 may be recorded, instead of the \$350,000,000 as in the last fiscal year.

This volume of business will bring prosperity to Canada as will make her much more self-reliant than ever before; she will embark in new commercial and manufacturing enterprises which she would not have thought of, and thus become habituated to industrial pursuits that will enrich her commensurably in the future. Commercially Canada has every reason to look forward to the future with increasing confidence and assurance. Her exports are now greater than her imports, and will likely continue to be.

## ST. VITUS DANCE IN YOUNG CHILDREN

Can Only Be Cured by Enriching the Blood and Toning Up the Blood.

One of the commonest forms of nervous trouble that afflicts young children is St. Vitus dance. This is because of the great demand made on the body by growth and development, together with the added strain caused by study. If it is when these demands become so great that they impoverish the blood, and the nerves fail to receive their full supply of nourishment that St. Vitus dance develops. The remarkable success of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in curing St. Vitus dance should lead parents to give this great blood-building medicine to their children at the first signs of the approach of the trouble. Pallor, listlessness, inattention, restlessness and irritability are all symptoms which early show that the blood and nerves are failing to meet the demand upon them. Here is proof of the great value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in cases of this kind. Mrs. Alfred Sochner, R.R. No. 5, Dunnville, Ont., says: "Our ten-year-old daughter, Violet, suffered very severely from St. Vitus dance. The trouble came on so gradually that we were not alarmed until it affected her legs and arms, which would twitch and jerk to such an extent that she could scarcely walk and could not hold anything in her hands steadily. She suffered for about five months before we began giving her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, but she had not taken these long before we found that they were the right medicine, and after she had taken nine boxes she had fully recovered her former health and strength. I can strongly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to every parent having a child suffering from St. Vitus dance or any form of nervousness."

In troubles of this kind no other medicine has met with such success as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. You can get these Pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**AUSTRALIAN GOLD MINES.**  
Yield Has Been Gradually Declining For Twelve Years.

The Australian gold mines, for a time among the most productive in the world, appear to be giving out. The yield has been gradually declining for twelve years, and that of 1914, according to reports to the comptroller of the currency, was the lowest since 1896, amounting to only 42,300,000, as against \$79,300,000 in 1903. The yield in the state of Victoria in 1914 was the smallest since 1851.

The Australian gold yield, in fine ounces, has been as follows in the last three years: 2,048,910 in 1914, 2,205,061 in 1913, 2,321,343 in 1912. The highwater mark was in 1903—3,827,954 ounces.

The state of Victoria has given the world, since her mines were opened in 1851, more than 1,435,618,000 of gold. Her largest production in a year was in 1856—3,053,744 ounces.

The state of Western Australia has been the premier Australian gold-bearer since the beginning of the present century, having supplied in the last fifteen years 23,000,000 ounces, as against 9,000,000 by Victoria. The third largest gold-producing state in Australia is Queensland.

**Where He Was Going.**

A sergeant standing at a window in the barracks saw a private pass in full-dress uniform, with a bucket in his hand in the act of fetching water from the pump.

Sergeant: "Where are you going?"  
Private: "To fetch some water, sir."  
Sergeant: "Not in those trousers, surely?"  
Private: "No, sir; in the bucket."

**A GOOD THING**  
When It Comes Along Don't Let It Get Away From You.

"I really feel that it is hardly possible to say too much in favor of Grape-Nuts as a health food," writes a lady. "For 9 or 10 years I had suffered from indigestion and chronic constipation, caused by the continued use of coffee and rich, heavy foods. My ailments made my life so wretched that I was eager to try anything that held out a promise of help. And that is how I happened to buy a package of Grape-Nuts food last spring. "That ended my experiments. For in Grape-Nuts I found exactly what I wanted and needed. From the day I began to use it I noticed an improvement, and in a very few weeks I found my health was being restored. "My digestive apparatus now works perfectly, and chronic constipation has been entirely relieved. I have gained in weight materially, and life is a very pleasant thing to me so long as I use Grape-Nuts once or twice a day. I have found by experiment that if I leave it off for a few days my health suffers. "A physician in our town has great success in treating stomach troubles, and the secret of it is that he puts his patient on Grape-Nuts food—it always brings back the power of digestion. Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont. Read, "The Road to Wellville," in pika. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.



Col. S. L. Barry, D.S.O.

Though the name of Colonel Barry is not one with which the public are very familiar, he occupies a position of peculiar importance at headquarters. He is the Prince of Wales' Equerry at the front, to which position he was appointed lately by General French. An old and intimate friend of the British Commander-in-Chief, Colonel Barry served with the 10th Hussars in the Boer War, when he gained his D.S.O. He stands in high favor with the King, is very well off, is as good a sportsman as he is a soldier, and is personally one of the most popular members of the general staff. The Prince has the greatest regard for his Equerry, and the friendship that exists between them is of the peculiar kind that is probably never found except between men who have been soldiering together on active service.

**Rifles of the Armies.**

Each army now fighting in Europe uses a rifle different from that used by each of the others. The Russians have the longest rifle, the French the longest bayonet, while the Austrians use the heaviest bullet. The rifles with the largest calibres are those of the French and the Austrians. The German rifle attains the greatest muzzle velocity. The British have the shortest rifle, but with the bayonet added the weapon is longer than the rifle and bayonet of the Belgians and Austrians.

**WHEN BABY IS ILL**

When he is troubled with constipation, indigestion, vomiting or worms, give him Baby's Own Tablets. They sweeten the stomach, regulate the bowels and cure all these troubles simply because they banish the cause. Concerning them Mrs. Phyllis Duval, St. Leonard, Que., writes: "We are well satisfied with Baby's Own Tablets, which we have used for our baby when suffering from constipation and vomiting." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**The Same Thing.**

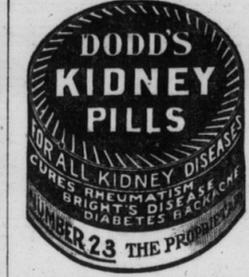
"Say, ma, have you noticed how fat the cat has grown lately?"  
"No; but I've noticed how scarce the mice are."

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Bridgewater.

**FREIGHT SERVICE TO RUSSIA**  
C.P.R. Will Represent the Russian Government.

The traffic arrangement by which the C.P.R. will represent the Russian Government in providing for through freight services from the Dominion to Russia by the Trans-Siberian Railway and the Russian Volunteer Fleet, which is an auxiliary of the railway, is an amplification of the connection which the company has sustained with the Trans-Siberian Railway, which is a state-owned system. The company has offices in Moscow and Petrograd in which it does business, the only railway on this continent to have such offices in Russia. If it would seem strange that the company should do business in either city, it need only be mentioned that the C.P.R. is the only railway in America which is a member of the Round the World Conference of which the executive of the Trans-Siberian Railway is a chief element. The Canadian Pacific, in its round-the-world tours, uses, of course, the Trans-Siberian Railway line, which the average Russian always calls the "Transcontinental" line—this being the notion the system conveys to his mind. On this line there are three types of engine the wood, oil and coal using engine. The wood engine is a special type, which is not built at all on this continent, but it serves the purpose in the physical circumstances of the system, which is differentiated in several ways from those on this continent.

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**TURKEY'S CHAIN OF SPIES.**

Turkey boasts of more spies to the square mile than any other country, as anyone who has been to Turkey will agree. The peculiar thing about these spies is that they themselves cannot be trusted, so that a regular chain of spies is the result. There are spies, to spy upon the spies. The Government officials have their own spies to watch other people; but even the great authorities themselves are already being spied upon. What is more, the method of spying is quite open, for the spies will stand by wherever two or three foreigners are gathered together, and listen to the conversation. Visitors to Turkey naturally get worried over such attentions, especially when it might be their bad luck to be followed about for weeks or months. It is the "uninitiated" visitor who usually receives the most attention, since he or she will carry on conversation in a quiet undertone. The person who knows Turkey converses in a loud tone for all and sundry—the spies, especially, to hear that he is only engaged in pleasure or legitimate business. Politics are naturally given a back seat to avoid unnecessary trouble.

**No Cure Guaranteed**  
**More Never known to**  
**Corns pain in 24 hours.**  
The following officers of High Court were present at the opening session: J. A. Stewart, High Chief Ranger, Perth, Ont.; J. A. A. Brodeur, High Vice-Chief Ranger, Montreal, Que.; A. P. van Someren, High Secretary, Brantford, Ont.; Robert Elliott, High Treasurer, Brantford, Ont.; Dr. U. M. Stanley, Chairman of the Medical Board, Brantford, Ont.; W. G. Strong, Superintendent of the District High Court for Ontario, Brantford, Ont.; W. L. Roberts, First High Auditor, Brantford, Ont., and A. Shultis, Second High Auditor, Brantford, Ont., and N. J. Stevenson, Toronto, Ont.; R. T. Kemp, Listowel, Brantford, Ont.; A. E. Galpin, London, Ont.; H. Davidson, Winnipeg, Man.; A. R. Coffin, Truro, N.S., members of the Executive Committee.

**36TH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE HIGH COURT CANADIAN ORDER OF FORESTERS**

Over Five Hundred Delegates In Attendance.

The 36th Annual Meeting of the Canadian Order of Foresters convened on Tuesday afternoon, the 15th of June, in the City of St. Catharines, at 2 P. M. Delegates were in attendance from all parts of the Dominion, every province being represented. The High Court meets in this city for the first time since its inception. The following officers of High Court were present at the opening session: J. A. Stewart, High Chief Ranger, Perth, Ont.; J. A. A. Brodeur, High Vice-Chief Ranger, Montreal, Que.; A. P. van Someren, High Secretary, Brantford, Ont.; Robert Elliott, High Treasurer, Brantford, Ont.; Dr. U. M. Stanley, Chairman of the Medical Board, Brantford, Ont.; W. G. Strong, Superintendent of the District High Court for Ontario, Brantford, Ont.; W. L. Roberts, First High Auditor, Brantford, Ont., and A. Shultis, Second High Auditor, Brantford, Ont., and N. J. Stevenson, Toronto, Ont.; R. T. Kemp, Listowel, Brantford, Ont.; A. E. Galpin, London, Ont.; H. Davidson, Winnipeg, Man.; A. R. Coffin, Truro, N.S., members of the Executive Committee.

The Annual Reports of the various officers of this Order are again of a very satisfactory nature, showing that the steady progress which has been its experience since its inception in 1879, was continued in the year 1914, which is the period covered by these reports.

This Order confines its business entirely to the Dominion of Canada. In all its departments, in spite of the adverse general conditions which have been experienced in Canada, uniform progress is demonstrated. The increase in the insurance funds during the year amounted to \$375,295.94, this increase being the second largest in the Order's experience, and only some \$5,000.00 less than the largest increase in any one year, which occurred in 1912. The standing of this fund at the end of the year, after the payment of 599 death claims, amounting to \$613,890.12, showed funds on hand of \$4,740,368.01; the amount at the present time being \$4,884,441.13. The yearly revenue derived from the investments of the Order now constitute a very substantial and increasing annual income. Interest earned on investments of insurance funds during 1914 amounted to \$223,761.64, and paid 36.44 per cent of the total death claims on the Order.

In respect to the matter of investments, it is interesting to know that the Order confines the investment of its funds to the purchasing of municipal and school debentures of the Dominion of Canada. During the last two years, with an exceptional market in such direction, from the investor's point of view, the Executive Committee has been able to take very extensive advantage of the situation. The Sick and Funeral Benefit Fund shows a larger net increase than that experienced in any previous year in the Order's history, the increase for the year being \$58,071.58. Interest earned on investments of Sick and Funeral Benefit Funds (Sick and

## When a Woman Suffers With Chronic Backache

There is Trouble Ahead.

Constantly on their feet, attending to the wants of a large and exacting family, women often break down with nervous exhaustion. In the stores, factories, and on a farm are weak, ailing women, dragged down with torturing backache and bearing down pains. Such suffering isn't natural, but it's dangerous, because due to diseased kidneys. The dizziness, insomnia, deranged menses and other symptoms of kidney complaint can't cure themselves, they require the assistance of Dr. Hamilton's Pills which go direct to the seat of the trouble. To give vitality and power to the kidneys, to lend aid to the bladder and liver, to free the blood of poisons, probably there is no remedy so successful as Dr. Hamilton's Pills. For all womanly irregularities their merit is well known. Because of their mild, soothing, and healing effect, Dr. Hamilton's Pills are safe, and are recommended for girls and women of all ages. 25 cents per box at all dealers. Refuse any substitute for Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut.

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**The Only Way.**

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## FIRST TORPEDOES USED.

Whitehead Adopted Idea of Austrian, and Then Navy Used It.

The first navy to use torpedoes was the Austrian. Although the actual inventor of the modern weapon, Robert Whitehead, was an Englishman, he originally got the idea from an officer in the Austrian navy. The Austrian's idea was to construct an ordinary sort of clockwork boat, and render it dangerous by loading the front of the vessel with a charge of some explosive. He mentioned the idea to Whitehead, who was then living in Austria, and he, seeing the vast possibilities of the idea, at once set to work to improve it. At the end of two years or so he had produced a rough sort of torpedo, on the lines of the modern one. This first weapon did not work properly, and after running a little distance, sank. At last, however, workable ones were produced, and Whitehead sold them to the Austrian navy. Since then, of course, other navies have adopted the torpedo, and his name has become famous.

In Russia the standard as regards height for military service begins at 5ft. for infantry and 5ft. 3in. for cavalry.

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## SATURDAY, JUNE 26th

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THURSDAY, JUNE 24, 1915.

"Anyway, sociologists generally are long-haired she-men and short-haired he-women who futilely nose about gathering useless statistics about other people's business," says the Montreal Mail. That should make them be good.

This war is strange and terrible. We are not accustomed to it as Canadians, having lived so peacefully, with plenty of everything. We often think those European countries so thickly populated, and with seemingly a mad rush for life, do not consider war as seriously as Canadians do. Sir Adam Beck who recently returned from the front, says the fields are being tilled and the people do not seem to worry even in the hearing of guns, only a few miles distant. In Belgium the Germans are destroying the crops as they go. What next winter will bring forth no one knows, but it will be harder than last, and we will still give it we half our own loaf.

The Christian Science Monitor believes that great changes are coming as a result of the war, that will make more than make up for the terrible wastage of blood and treasure. Universal suffrage, universal prohibition and universal disarmament may all come to pass. Men and women are learning lessons of endurance, patience and thrift. They are becoming abstemious and efficient. The world will be sadder, but it may be wiser after the war. With the burden of militarism removed and the drink evil abolished, the peoples of Europe, although maimed and decimated, will no

longer be impoverished. Respecting the world-wide wave toward prohibition, the Monitor says:—For many years prohibition has been considered as purely a moral or social influence. It is now coming to be regarded as one of the greatest of economic factors, and a large part of the world seems to be headed toward prohibition. The enormous increase in efficiency of individuals and the tremendous saving financially that universal prohibition would bring can scarcely be conceived.

He was a young fellow riding home on a car. Evidently something had gone wrong at the shop. He was easing his mind to his companion. "It's nobody's business what I do off duty," he said. He said it again and again, as though it was the principle of the thing he stood for—"It's nobody's business what I do after hours." The young man felt he was right. He will continue to feel that he is right until some friend or some circumstance shows him that he is wrong. Some day a big man in whom he has confidence, or a big jar which will not bother about his confidence, will show him that it is somebody's business what he does "after hours." It's his own business, first of all. It's his family's business. It's his boss' business. That was where his complaint seemed to be: he thought it was not his boss' business. But it is. Why? Because what a man is "in hours" depends on what he is "after hours." Life isn't divided into compartments. It is like a stream. You can't contaminate the source at night and have it clear and sweet in the morning. What a man can do at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning depends on what he is doing at 10 o'clock to-night. A man's fitness on Monday depends on how he spent Sunday. It doesn't matter what region you take into account. Physically—it you have gripped at night, it modifies your power next day. Morally—it you have high carousal at night, you are "not there" next day. Mentally—it you have jaded your mind at night, your mind will jaded you next day. Socially—if you were a fool last night, you feel some subtle loss of self-respect and per-

sonal worth today. What you are today is the sum of what you were yesterday and the day before and last year. It affects your value—and that's your boss' business. It affects your power, which is tremendously more important—and that is from it—and you can't get away with it.

"MAN IS FILLED WITH MISERY." This is not true of all men. The well, sound of lung, clear of eye, alert and buoyant with health, are not miserable, whatever may be their social condition. To be well is to be happy, and we can all be well by getting and keeping our bodies in a healthful state. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will help all to do this.

#### City and Country Labor.

The unemployment problem is still existent in the cities and the scarcity of labor is still complained of in rural districts. The question is how can the one be reconciled with the other, and the one brought to supply what the other needs and the other to take what the one possesses in excess. After the war there may be a rush of immigration, but that cannot be for a year at least. We must, therefore, make the best of the situation and try to get along with what we have. A Toronto paper has been publishing letters from a number of men who have accepted positions on farms. They all, without exception, speak in good terms of their experience. The pay is not lavish, but the food is good and abundant, the bed clean and life in the open brings a keen appetite for meals and a pleasant desire for sound refreshing sleep. One man writes:—"I have tramped miles and miles after deer and dropped too exhausted to eat or sleep. Here when I'm hungry I have a good meal to go to and when I'm tired there is a nice clean bed waiting. You know how I hated to break from the city, but now Mary and I are both glad we came. You should see her with her skirt tucked up bustling to and from the barns. It's the pastoral life for us all right. Men who wander about the cities idle and hungry while there are opportunities like this offering are crazy."

Perhaps readers of this may think the writer of the foregoing has hit upon a soft spot. It is more than likely however, that he is possessed of that Mark Twainism that leads to success and, at this period of time, begets some fulfillment of the scriptural injunction to bear one another's burdens. Every man, yes and every woman, who goes to work in this strain of spirit, and to all it is possible, is helping to take the handicap off somebody else's shoulders and is contribu-

ing to the welfare alike of his own country and the empire. He is uplifting his fellowman, he is assisting in the clothing and feeding of his countrymen, maybe his townsmen at the front, and he is setting an example that cannot be too extensively followed. He is doing his share towards reconciling the wants of the city with the needs of the country. Also probably prolonging his own life as well as making matters easier for others. Above all he is proving himself a true patriot in earnestly doing his best to promote production.

#### Landmark of Dunwich.

The old log building which stands by the residence of T. A. Braddon, at Coyne's Corners, was moved to another location by C. Davis the other day. The building, which is well preserved, is one of the landmarks of the township. It was erected in 1826 and for 45 years used as a rude school house, but nevertheless many of the pioneers, who have since passed away, received a knowledge of the three R's therein. For the last 44 years it has been used as a storeroom.

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Notice is hereby given that all persons residing within the License District of West Middlesex who propose to apply to the Board of License Commissioners for Ontario under the Liquor License Act for a Tavern, Shop or Club License to take effect within the said district on and after the 1st day of May, 1916, are required to make application therefor to J. B. Gough, of Alvington, License Inspector for the district, not later than the 15th day of July next.

Forms of applications for Tavern and Shop Licenses can be procured from the said License Inspector either by mail or on personal application therefor.

Public Notice of the time and place at which the meetings of the Commissioners will be held will be given by advertisement at least two weeks previous to the date of such meetings, at which time the particulars required by the Act will also be published for the information of the public. By Order of the Board.

CHARLES E. LOCKE,  
Secretary of the Board of License Commissioners for Ontario.  
Dated at Toronto, this 18th day of June, 1915.

#### SEMI-JUBILEE SERVICES

(Continued from Page One)  
the congregation in the hearty service of praise, also giving very acceptably several special numbers.

At 2.30 p. m. another rally of the Sabbath School and its friends was held, when the auditorium of the church was well filled. The pastor presided and was assisted by Rev. C. C. Strachan, of Yorkton Presbytery, Saskatchewan, an old Glencoe boy, and Rev. Dr. Currie. Interesting and appropriate addresses were given by these speakers. The choir gave a special number at this service also.

The climax was reached when the evening service came. Although the church had been delivered, and imbued with the spirit of joyfulness and earnest desire to carry into daily life the deeper lessons suggested by this very happy and significant event in the history of the congregation.

In the morning Dr. Currie took for his text John 13: 3-5, and pointed out that Jesus, in the act of washing the disciples' feet, was preparing them for entering in the right spirit upon the solemnities of the few hours remaining to Him in the world. In these hours were crowded events which make them the pivot on which the history of mankind swings. In less than twenty-four hours the Master partook of the Jewish Passover, instituted the Lord's Supper, gave the address and the prayer contained in the 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th and 17th chapters of John, went to Gethsemane to endure its awful agony, was betrayed and arrested, taken to Annas, thence to Caiaphas and the Jewish Council where He was convicted of blasphemy and adjudged worthy of death. Then He was taken to Pilate's judgment hall where He was tried and declared innocent. Pilate sent him to Herod, who found no fault in Him. Again He was returned to Pilate, who delivered Him to the Jews to be crucified. He then made His sad journey to Calvary, bearing His cross, where He was crucified. All these things happened in less than twenty-four hours. It was in order to fit them to enter profitably into these solemnities as well as to give an example of greatness by service that the Master took a towel and basin and washed the disciples' feet, that they might have the humility of spirit necessary to appreciate His teaching and suffering.

In this way did the Master teach all ages the importance of preparation for the highest religious activities. The services of the sanctuary should always be entered upon after solemn and prayerful preparation. The most trivial events happening before a religious service, such as the unseemly rivalry of the disciples before the last Passover, may defeat the end in view entering upon it.

Dr. Currie expressed the hope that this celebration not as an end but as the beginning of a new and brighter era in their history, and that the future might be marked by regular and faithful attendance upon the services of the church and that they would seek to measure up to the standard of discipleship laid down in the New Testament as evidence to themselves as well as to the world that they are true Christians—"We know that we have passed from death unto life because we love the brethren." "By this shall all men know that ye are My disciples, if ye have love one to another." No one can wish a better future for Canada than that from sea to sea its people should regularly meet together in the right spirit for solemn worship.

In the evening the text was from II. Peter 2: 15. The reference in the passage is to the attempt made by Balaam, as recorded in Numbers, to curse the people of Israel. The Israelites were about making a new departure. It was forty years since they left their bondage in Egypt. The adults who had left Egypt had at that time passed away; a new generation had come on the scene who had been disciplined in the hardships of the wilderness, and had been trained by Moses, one of the world's great master minds. They were entering upon new conditions—a new order. Their achievements and wonderful experience aroused the dread and envy of other nations. One of those nations sought through Balaam to transfer the favor of Jehovah from Israel to themselves. Rich rewards were offered Balaam that he might influence Jehovah against Israel. Balaam wished to retain the favor and approval of God, but was also eager to obtain the rewards offered him by Baal, King of Moab. He made the attempt to do the impossible—to serve God and mammon. It was in vain that he offered costly sacrifices in order to win Jehovah's favor for Moab—he was compelled to become an unwilling witness to the faithfulness of God to his own people. Instead of cursing, Balaam was compelled to bless Israel. Not until he had succeeded in tempting them to sin did a curse come upon the Israelites. God has made us masters of our own souls so that no one can bring a curse upon us but ourselves.

Like Israel, the Canadian people are on the threshold of a new experience—a new world. This is a time of testing. As in the past the progress of the world has been through toil and suffering, so today we are called upon to make great sacrifices and endure great suffering. To the young man of this generation comes a clarion call for a supreme sacrifice to secure the coming generations the freedom of the world. The prize to be received is of priceless value, but the price to be paid is very costly. The future of the congregation, under the leadership of their esteemed and faithful pastor and the officials associated with him, was full of hope and promise, and he was sure they would respond now and at all times of crisis to the call and the needs of their king and country.

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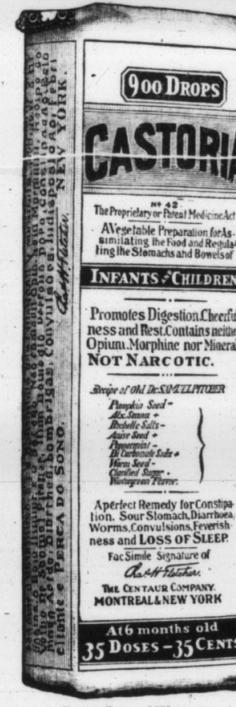
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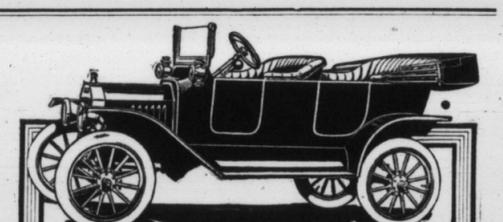
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School days are drawing to a close. Red Cross sheet shower Saturday afternoon.

John Oldrieve is confined to bed with pneumonia.

Councillor George Parrott is again confined to his bed with illness.

The lawn social and the weather are not very well adapted this season.

Markets—wheat 81, oats 50c, barley 70c, butter 20c, eggs 18c to 19c, hogs \$8.50 to \$8.60.

Sheet shower for the Red Cross, at Town Hall, Saturday afternoon, June 26, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Next Thursday is Dominion Day, a statutory holiday, and business places in town will be closed.

J. D. Brown, who was in the hospital for some weeks, is home and much improved in health.

Miss Margaret Stinson suffered a severe attack of appendicitis on Thursday but is now convalescent.

Public schools close for the summer holidays on June 29th and reopen Sept. 1st. High schools reopen Sept. 6th.

A goodly number of Glencoe people attended the annual garden party of the school at Pratt's siding on Tuesday evening.

P. D. Keith is preparing to erect a garage 38 x 70 feet on his business lot on Main street adjoining the post office grounds.

Stanley Humphrey has taken the local agency for the Overland car and expects to have a demonstrating car here today.

The lawn social of S. S. No. 12, Moss, announced for July 1st, has been postponed to July 8th. It will be for Red Cross purposes.

Rev. Dr. Currie's son, George, of Montreal, has enlisted for service with the Princess Pats and will leave shortly for the front.

Those who held the belief that a cold 21st of March means three cold months to follow are more than ever convinced that they are right.

During July and August Glencoe stores will close every Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock, commencing Wednesday, July 7th.

Miss Bechill and Miss Humphries and Mr. McCracken and Mr. Humphries will sing at the Crinan church garden party on Monday evening.

D. A. Weaver, a pupil of the public school, had some caps of a toy pistol in his pocket and they accidentally exploded with the result that he was severely burnt.

The Epworth League will hold a lawn social at E. Magin's on the evening of Monday, July 8th. There will be music by the Wardsville band, and other entertainment.

Russell, son of David Leitch, of Metcalfe, was taken to the hospital at London on Wednesday of last week and operated on for appendicitis. He is making unusually good recovery.

A number of Glencoe people attended the annual garden party of Cook's church, Caradoc, on Friday evening. Owing to rain the occasion was not the big success it usually is.

Baskets, dishes, etc., which were left at the crystal palace on the day of the Presbyterian picnic were taken to the Sunday School hall of the church and may be had there by their owners.

A number of St. John's church people went to London on Sunday to attend the special services in St. Paul's cathedral in connection with the annual meeting of the Synod of Huron.

Great preparations are being made in Strathroy for a gigantic celebration on July 1st. Five hundred dollars will be offered in prizes and \$1,800 spent on entertainment. There will be a mammoth street parade at 10 a. m. and an aeroplane flight afternoon and evening. Baseball match, races, athletic sports of all kinds and lots of good band music. Fireworks in the evening. See particulars in advertising columns.

A few copies of the Presbyterian semi-annual souvenir are left. They may be had at the Transcript office or Scott's drug store. Price 25 cents. Sent by mail to any address for 30 cents.

The Sunday School in S. S. No. 1, Moss, has contributed \$100 to the Red Cross Fund and the same has been handed to A. E. Sutherland, treasurer of the Glencoe Patriotic Association, to be forwarded.

The Newbury Methodist lawn social, billed for Monday evening, has been postponed on account of wet weather to Thursday evening, June 24th. There will be a ball game at 8 p. m., Woodgreenes, Newbury.

W. C. Allen, principal of the public school, is assisting Miss McEachern in the entrance examinations at the high school this week. There are fifty candidates writing for entrance and five for the public school graduation.

The young people of Argyle church, Crinan, will hold their annual strawberry festival on the church grounds on Monday evening, June 28th. Music will be furnished by the Wardsville brass band in addition to a splendid varied programme.

The Ladies' Aid of Bethel Methodist Church will hold a garden party on the grounds of John Boyd Tuesday evening, June 29th. A first-class programme is announced, including brass band music and foreign and local talent of high reputation.

A regular meeting of the Ross Mission Band will be held at the home of Mrs. John Strachan Monday evening, June 28th, at eight o'clock. Mrs. (Rev.) Stevens, of Melbourne, will be present and will give an address. All the members are earnestly requested to be present.

Albert Smith, of London, S. O. L. Smith, of Aberfeldy, Euphemia township, passed away rather unexpectedly last week, having taken sick while attending the wedding of a cousin in the city. The remains were brought to his former home and interred in Augustin cemetery.

A sheet shower, in aid of Red Cross work, will be given in the Town Hall, Glencoe, Saturday afternoon, June 26, from 3 to 5 o'clock. It is hoped that all the ladies of Glencoe and vicinity will each donate a sheet—dimensions 60 x 90 inches. A cup of tea and sandwiches will be served.

Marian Irene, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McKee, of Minneapolis, formerly of Glencoe, died recently after a short illness at the home of her parents. Mr. McKee is cashier of the South Side State bank and a member of the board of park commissioners of Minneapolis.

The ladies of Burns' church, Moss, forwarded another lot of articles for Red Cross purposes last week. The consignment consisted of 43 sheets, 17 towels, 65 doz. handkerchiefs, 82 pillow slips, 1 blanket, 2 flannel shirts, 1 pillow, 15 bandages, 2 pairs of socks, 6 cakes of soap, a quantity of old cotton and mouth wipes.

Two attempts were made on Walkerville factories on Monday. A heavy charge of dynamite was exploded beside the outer wall of the Peabody Company, Limited, factories, where a large order for British uniforms is being pushed through. Only \$1,000 damage was done to the wall of the factory and nearby windows. Another attempt was made on the local armories, but the explosive was discovered in time, packed in an old valise.

M. C. Campbell left for Detroit on Tuesday to take treatment at Harper Hospital for his ailment, and was accompanied by Mrs. Campbell. The many friends of Mr. Campbell will regret to learn that he has declined considerably in health during the last two or three weeks. His ailment, which appears to be anaemia, dates from a year ago last January when he fell while stepping off a train at Middlemiss, receiving injuries which caused profuse bleeding.

The needle club of Ferguson's Crossing met at the home of Mrs. J. D. McBride on Thursday afternoon of last week and packed a box of supplies, consisting of 2 dozen sheets, 19-pairs

pillow slips, 2 dozen towels, 14 dozen handkerchiefs, 158 yards bandage, 3 pair socks, for the soldiers' hospital. They also sent \$20 in cash to purchase surgical supplies and drugs. At the close of the meeting Mrs. McBride served a dainty lunch. The thanks of the society is due all members for their generous response to the appeal for donations.

The Grand Trunk will put a new time table into effect next Sunday. A change of local interest is in the afternoon mail train from London. This train now reaches Glencoe at 6 o'clock; in future it will leave London at 5:32, reaching Glencoe about 6:40 and Windsor at 9:15. The object of changing the time of this train so materially is doubtless to give an evening service from the east for passengers to local points at which the International Limited does not stop. The mail will still be carried on this train, it is understood, which will be rather an inconvenience on account of its late arrival at points west of London. If it could be arranged to have the mail carried on the westbound train now arriving here at noon it would be quite a convenience. No. 377 train from Glencoe to Wyoming and Petrolia will be timed to connect with the evening train from London.

A couple of women strangers with considerable heavy baggage arrived at Glencoe on Wednesday and engaged rooms for a week or ten days at the home of Mahlon Annett. Being uncommunicative and their actions quite mysterious, suspicions were aroused that they might be German spies and the authorities were advised to keep an eye on their movements. On their becoming aware that they were suspected they took a rather hurried departure on Saturday, one for Toronto and the other for Chicago. While here they received a large quantity of mail and the only inkling that could be obtained from them as to their business was that they were here for "educational purposes." Perhaps they were here for good intention, but curiosity, to say the least, was aroused by their secretiveness and the knowledge they possessed of the village and the people. While we do not wish to excite alarm, it might be well to scrutinize with a little care some of the transient who are going about the country while we are at war with a nation noted for espionage and deviltry.

A grand concert will be given in the evening under the management of Miss Jean Ogilvie, of St. Thomas, assisted by the winners in piping and dancing during the afternoon competitions.

Stone-Smith.

A pretty wedding took place on Wednesday, June 6, at the home of Mrs. Lella Smith, 121 Richmond St., London, Ontario, when her daughter, Mildred Victoria, was united in marriage to Frank Stone, of that city.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. D. Anderson, pastor of the Memorial Methodist church.

The bride was given away by her mother, and looked charming in a gown of white embroidered voile and wore a white veil and orange blossoms, carrying a bouquet of roses. She was assisted by her sister Bessie, while Wendel Chanda assisted the groom. The wedding march was played by Mrs. W. L. Wilson, of London. When the register was being signed Miss Beulah Sullivan, of Parkhill, sang sweetly "Perfect Day."

After congratulations all present partook of a sumptuous wedding repast. Many gifts were received, both beautiful and useful.

Mr. and Mrs. Stone left via G. T. R. for points west, and will be at home to their friends after July 1st. Guests attended from Glencoe, Dresden, Parkhill, Alvinston and Detroit.

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#### BRAW DAY AT DUTTON

Caledonian Games in All Their Old-Time Glory.

Dutton, June 19.—The old-time glories of the Caledonian games, for which Dutton in former years was justly celebrated, are to be revived on Dominion Day, when the many sports of Auld Scotia will be indulged in at the Driving Park. Besides the cultivation of national games, the society has for its objects the encouragement of Scottish music, history, poetry, and the uniting more closely of Scotchmen and those of Scottish descent.

The Caledonia Society at Dutton has won fame as being one of the best in Canada. Their Chief has the honor of wearing the beautiful medal won at the World's Fair, Chicago.

One of the most exciting features on July 1st will be the tug-of-war, which promises to be keenly contested. The camps represented on the teams will be Kintyre, Dutton, Inverary, West Lorne, Glencoe, and Stirling, of St. Thomas. Kintyre has chosen the old commander, James Duncanson, to captain their lads. The managers for the dancing and piping will be James Bruce, D. McMillan. The managers for the athletic sports are H. McKillop, W. Hollingshead, W. A. Galbraith, J. H. McIntyre, D. K. Littlejohn and R. Robbins. The field secretary is William Patton and R. Robbins.

A grand concert will be given in the evening under the management of Miss Jean Ogilvie, of St. Thomas, assisted by the winners in piping and dancing during the afternoon competitions.

Stone-Smith.

A pretty wedding took place on Wednesday, June 6, at the home of Mrs. Lella Smith, 121 Richmond St., London, Ontario, when her daughter, Mildred Victoria, was united in marriage to Frank Stone, of that city.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. D. Anderson, pastor of the Memorial Methodist church.

The bride was given away by her mother, and looked charming in a gown of white embroidered voile and wore a white veil and orange blossoms, carrying a bouquet of roses. She was assisted by her sister Bessie, while Wendel Chanda assisted the groom. The wedding march was played by Mrs. W. L. Wilson, of London. When the register was being signed Miss Beulah Sullivan, of Parkhill, sang sweetly "Perfect Day."

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## About the Household

### Serving Rhubarb.

Baked Rhubarb.—Wash and wipe dry the rhubarb. Cut into inch lengths without peeling. Arrange a layer of the rhubarb in the bottom of a buttered earthen baking dish, covering with sugar, repeat this process until a sufficient quantity has been used. Cover lightly; do not add water. Bake for one hour and serve cold.

Rhubarb Puffs.—Cream together one cup of sugar and two tablespoons of butter, add two well beaten eggs, one-fourth of a cup of milk, one teaspoon of baking powder and flour enough to make a stiff batter; then stir in one cup of finely chopped rhubarb; half fill well buttered molds with the mixture and steam for half an hour. Serve with any preferred pudding sauce.

Rhubarb Dumplings.—Wash and cut the rhubarb into inch pieces and stew with a little more than half its weight in sugar, adding a very little water. Make a batter by using a scant cup of sweet milk, a pint of flour into which has been sifted two teaspoons of baking powder, and a little salt. Drop this batter by spoonfuls into the boiling rhubarb, and cook for ten minutes. The result is a delicious pudding, which should be served hot, with or without cream.

Rhubarb Snowballs.—Boil half a cup of rice until soft; wring small pudding cloths out of hot water, and spread the cooked rice about half an inch thick over the centre of the cloths. Spread about half a cup of chopped rhubarb on each, sweeten well, tie up the cloths closely, and steam for 20 minutes. Then turn out of the cloths carefully and serve with rich cream.

Rhubarb Fritters.—Peel young rhubarb and cut into three-inch lengths. Make a batter of two well beaten eggs, one pint of milk, a little salt, and six large tablespoons of flour, beating until smooth. Dip each piece of rhubarb in the batter and fry to a golden brown. Serve very hot, piled high on a napkin lined plate, and well powdered with sugar.

Rhubarb Custard.—Make a custard by using the yolks of two eggs, a pint of sweet milk, and two tablespoons of sugar. Line a deep pudding dish with pastry, and cover the bottom with a layer of chopped rhubarb which has been rolled in sugar. Pour this over the custard and bake. Make a meringue of the whites of the eggs, spread over the baked custard, and set in the oven to brown.

Rhubarb Souffle.—Put the rhubarb, cut fine, into a double boiler with plenty of sugar to sweeten, and steam until tender; then press through a sieve. To three cups of this sauce add the well-beaten yolks of three eggs, then fold in the stiffly beaten whites of the eggs, and bake in a well buttered dish until it begins to crack open on top. Serve hot.

Rhubarb Pie.—One cup of finely chopped rhubarb, one-half cup of sugar, one heaping teaspoon of flour, the yolk of one egg, a small lump of butter, and a drop or two of lemon juice. Bake with one crust, and cover with a meringue made of the white of an egg, beaten stiffly, and to which has been added one large tablespoon of granulated sugar. Brown in a warm oven, and serve hot.

### Useful Hints.

After the dust is wiped off a mirror a little camphor on a cloth will brighten it.

It is better to clean meat by wiping it with a wet cloth than to let water run over it.

To place ferns upon the window sill means their death, as the plants cannot stand a cold draught.

Every housekeeper should possess a wooden spoon for stirring all fruits or soups containing any acid.

To sharpen scissors take a bottle and cut with the scissors as if you had to cut the neck off the bottle. This is effective.

To clean a mirror after using grudge stale crusts of bread through it. The bread collects all the fat, grease and skin from the small teeth.

To keep out moths whole cloves sprinkled among furs and woollens will be found as effective as the ill-smelling moth preparations.

The castors on large and heavy

pieces of furniture should have a drop or two of oil applied to them once or twice a year to keep them running smoothly.

When making milk puddings use half milk and half water for mixing them. This is more economical, and the pudding will taste almost as well as if made with all milk.

It is said that stains on blankets and other woolen goods can be removed by using a mixture of equal parts of glycerine and yolk of an egg. Spread it on the stain, leave it for half an hour, and then wash.

Often a good table cover gets torn at the corners through having been carefully pegged out on a windy day. This spoils the appearance, even if the rent can be darned. If the tear is a very bad one the only thing to do is to round off each of the four corners to match, hemming them very neatly.

To remove shabby leather chairs take one pint of linseed oil, boil it, and let it stand till nearly cold. Then stir into it half a pint of vinegar. When the two are perfectly amalgamated bottle, and it is ready for use. Shake the bottle well before using the mixture. Pour a little on a soft cloth, rub it well into the leather, turning the flannel as it gets dirty, then rub with a soft duster till the polish is restored. This polish softens the leather and prevents it from cracking.

Paint Brush Help.—When whitewashing or painting a ceiling, the liquid is apt to run down your hand or arm and is very annoying. To eliminate this trouble, use a large paint brush and a large rubber ball. Cut the ball in half, make a hole in the centre of one-half and push the handle through with the cup side toward the brush. If care is taken not to splash this will catch the liquid, which can be emptied from time to time into the can.

Double Boiler Substitute.—To cook oatmeal and other breakfast foods without a double boiler, take a two-quart lard or other tin pail which has a tight fitting cover. Into this put the breakfast food mixed up with boiling water. Then cover the pail and place it in a common iron kettle, in which there is about two quarts of boiling water. Cover the kettle and let it boil 15 minutes. Less time is required than a regular double boiler, for the iron kettle sets in the stove.

If the kettle is needed for potatoes the pail of oatmeal may be placed in first and the potatoes put around it.

### About the Early Day Newspapers.

At a very early period daily news letters were circulated concerning public and official acts in Rome, Venice and China. The first printed newspaper was the Gazette, published in Nuremberg in 1447. Other countries followed Germany in issuing printed newspapers in the following order: England, in 1622; France, 1631; Sweden, 1644; Holland, 1656; Russia, 1703; Turkey, 1827.

The progress of journalism has been most rapid in America. The first American newspaper, consisting of three pages of two columns each and a blank page, was published in Boston on Sept. 25, 1690, under the caption of "Publick Occurrences, Both Foreign and Domestic," but it was immediately suppressed. In 1704 the Boston News Letter appeared, printed on one sheet of foolscap paper. It flourished for seventy-two years.

The following data will show the advancement in the United States: First printing office in 1639; first newspaper in 1690; first political paper in 1733; first daily paper in 1784.

### A Business Transaction.

Casey—Hivins, Pat! Phwere did yez get the black eye?  
O'Brien—O! paid Clancy a grudge yesterday an' that's the resate he gave me.

Paraffin-wax models are made of every new British battleship laid down, and these models are tested in a tank specially erected for the purpose.

## Horses High Priced and Scarce in Britain

The statement that draught horses will be a scarce commodity in the British Isles when the war is over is no rash statement, but is based on stern facts, as the following extract from "The Farm and Stockbreeder," a prominent British agricultural publication, goes to show.

Where Canada stands as a future source of supply the question of the times for us to answer, and our answer should take a very material form. Let the season of 1915 be a record established, not in the breeding of mares, but in the breeding of good draught mares. Let Canada stand ready to supply the deficit of the Motherland—at a profit.

Following is the extract:  
"Week by week the draught horse appears to be getting dearer. Since the war began prices have advanced

very rapidly, and a horse of weighty characteristics is easily disposed of at a high price. Buyers are much less discriminating than they were because they find they cannot obtain a sufficiency of horses. The very best are exceptionally dear, and—at the markets in the West and Midlands of England particularly—buyers have been keenly competing for such horses as farmers are able to sell. One really wonders where these horses come from. Trade has been so brisk, in doubt, that it suggests some little sacrifice on the part of the breeders, and tempts them to market stock which otherwise they would hold up. It is doubtful if we have reached the limit of market values, but it is fairly safe to say that horses were never dearer in the recollection of living breeders."



Garibaldian Patriotism Has Carried the Day.

The old gentleman is General Ricciotti Garibaldi, the only surviving son of the great Italian liberator, who has been organizing the Italian legion in France. Next to him is his wife. Beside her is Sante Garibaldi, who has been fighting for France in the Argonne; and on the right is Joseph Garibaldi, commander of the Italian legion which has been fighting in the Argonne.

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

INTERNATIONAL LESSON,  
JUNE 27.

Lesson 13.—David, the Shepherd of Israel.—Review. Golden Text.—  
Ezek. 34:15.

The Holy Scriptures are concerned primarily with sin and salvation. Many events are passed over without mention by the inspired writers, and the history given by them is penetrated in every part by a spiritual purpose. Our lessons during the past quarter, taken in the main from the lives of Saul and David, the first and the second kings of Israel, illustrate this truth. The psalms which we have studied belong also to this period of David's life, and our Easter lesson concerning the resurrection of our Lord, was the record of the fulfillment in him of "the sure mercies of David" (Acts 13:34), even the everlasting establishment of David's throne. The leading truths which are contained in our lessons stand out clear to view.

1. The risen Lord is the Saviour of hearts, dispelling sorrow and giving hope and joy to despairing souls. Thus he came to the grief-stricken women at the sepulcher, and thus he continues the revelation of his grace and truth to all who yearn for his presence. To them who most lament his absence he appears most surely and quickly. They who miss him most find him first.

2. Character is a matter of inward condition of the heart, and not of outward appearance. This was the lesson which the venerable and holy Samuel needed to learn when in his old age God sent him to anoint David. The aged prophet was made to see that the fairest to the eye is not always the fittest in the soul.

3. The Lord guides, and guards, and provides for his people. This is the lovely lesson of the Shepherd Psalm. Out of the heart of the shepherd king the Lord sent forth this song of solace to his flock in every age and clime.

4. No foe is formidable enough to fear if one goes forth with God by his side. Goliath fell before David's faith, and by the mere force of the shepherd boy. The son of Jesse went armed by an invisible power which no spear or sword or shield could withstand. "The weapons of our warfare are not carnal," even as his were not; but they are mighty, nevertheless.

5. The righteous walk ever under the protecting care of God, who delivers them from the subtlest enemies and raises up for them friends and defenders in most unexpected quarters. Thus David was saved from the murderous wrath of Saul and given his noble friend, Jonathan, where he might naturally have looked to find a foe.

6. A true friend is the gift of God, and genuine friendship rests upon a foundation of love between them who share a like precious faith. God gave David and Jonathan to one another; and no distrust ever sprang up between them because both trusted God. Fidelity in friendship is not possible to the faithless.

7. Magnanimity and mercifulness are the fruits of faith in God. David could safely spare Saul, since he knew God would care for him. Revenge is born of distrust in God quite as much as it springs from bitterness toward men. If we believe God when he says, "Vengeance is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord," we shall be ready to feed our enemies when they hunger and to give them drink when they thirst. He who takes his case into his own hands has lost confidence in the Lord's care for the moral order of the universe.

8. He who believes will not make haste. David hastened not to enforce his rule over all Israel, knowing surely that God would fulfill his promises to him. Thus civil war was averted and his throne more firmly established at last. A man who hurries to seize his own assumes that

## New Paths to Newer Worlds

Most of us Cling to Traditions, Worship Dogma, and are Content to Live in Conformity to Custom.

"Ye have not passed this way heretofore."—Joshua, iii, 4.

Nothing is more impressive in the story of the Exodus than the trouble which the leaders of the host encountered in persuading their followers to continue their march to the land which had been promised them by God. Whenever the journey became perilous Moses was reminded of the security of Egypt and besought to return thence. Whenever a chance encounter like that at Mount Sinai proved attractive Moses was urged to press on no farther, but to accept this halting place as the new abode. And even when the promised land was in sight across the Jordan there were those who were afraid to advance because they had "not passed this way heretofore."

It is doubtful if there is any more serious obstacle to progress than the innate reluctance to tread unfamiliar paths which is here illustrated. Creatures of habit by the very constitution of our physical organism, we feel at ease only when following a road which we have "passed" over many times before or which has been beaten smooth by the feet of the multitudes that have preceded us.

### Adventurous Souls

There are who welcome new ideas and find the fact that they have "not passed this way heretofore" the best of reasons for passing this way now. Such men are the explorers, discoverers, inventors, reformers of their time. Most of us regard age as sure evidence of sanctity, familiarity as sound criterion of truth and precedent as identical with righteousness. That our fathers believed a certain doctrine is sufficient reason for our believing it! That a certain thing has been done from time immemorial is proof positive that it must continue to be done! That a certain path has been the road for generations of hurrying feet is evidence that this is "the path which we must

God will come too late to keep His word; but the Lord is never belated in the fulfillment of his purposes. The heavenly King never hurries and is never tardy.

9. The presence of God in worship stirs the hearts of the worshippers with joy. The ark was the symbol of the divine presence; and when David brought it to Jerusalem, he confessed by his act his conscious need of God and his desire for worship. God met him in his pious deed and filled his soul with inexpressible gladness. Ours is a glad God, who delights to give joy and peace to them who adore Him.

10. The holiest, if unwatchful, may fall; and sin by men whose previous history has been most blameless cannot escape the condemnation of God or the consequences of wrongdoing. The rebuke of David by Nathan, the prophet, at the command of God, shows how no sin, however secret, can be hidden from the divine eye or be shielded from the divine judgment.

11. There is forgiveness with God to all sinners who in hearty repentance and true faith return to him. This is the saving truth which David, out of personal experience, sings in notes almost divine in the quarter. And he also reminds us that if a man cover his own sin, God will not cover it.

12. By prayer the tempted prevail over temptation. Satan trembles when he sees the weakest saint upon his knees.

Fortunate is the man who really deserves his own good opinion of himself.

## FROM BONNIE SCOTLAND

NOTES OF INTEREST FROM HER BANKS AND BRAES.

What Is Going On in the Highlands and Lowlands of Auld Scotia.

Dumbarton's roll of honor now includes over 1,000 names. The Wishaw bakers have raised the price of bread half a cent on the two-pound loaf.

There are now upwards of 50 Belgian refugees given accommodation in the Dunblane district. A destructive fire occurred in the cabinet and chair factory of Thomas Dunlop, Bursyind, Bath.

A Dundee flag day in aid of the Soldier's and Sailors' Families Association has realized the sum of \$2,805. Considerable damage has been done in the upper Spey Valley by flooding, where the river is controlled by high artificial banks.

Major J. J. Bell fell dead on Ayr race course at a parade of the Ayrshire Yeomanry, of which he was second in command.

While three men were working on the Forth Bridge, one named Cairns slipped and was fatally injured. The other two were seriously injured and taken aboard the Red Cross vessel.

Edinburgh Town Council is sending a letter of thanks to Lord Rosebery for his gift of two figures of the old town guard for the Corporation Museum.

News has reached the headquarters of the Scottish Women's Hospital, Edinburgh, from Serbia, of the death of Nurse Louisa Jaldan of Glasgow, from fever.

The Duke of Buccleuch has placed a part of Drumlanrig Castle, his seat near Thornhill, in Dumfriesshire, at the disposal of the War Office as a hospital for wounded soldiers.

Wilson and Clyde Coal Company have commenced operations for the opening of a new colliery at Law. The seams will produce an excellent quality of house coal.

The military authorities have been in communication with the provost of Nairn to ascertain the amount of accommodation available in the town for the billeting of troops.

One of the most serious fires in Dundee for years recently broke out in one of the Harbor Trustees' warehouses, on the eastern wharf and damage amounting to \$150,000 was caused.

An appeal to the women of the highlands and the west of Scotland to use their influence in obtaining recruits for the army is made by Mr. Douglas Campbell of Argyll writing from the front.

The enrolments at Glasgow University have been seriously depleted by students who have given their services to the army and navy. The decrease in the number of students attending is placed at 618.

The bridge across the railway at the Underedge, Dunbar, has now been completed. Workmen have been putting up fences on the north side of the railway.

The special committee of Glasgow Corporation on the wages of employees have agreed to recommend that a war bonus be paid to 12,909 employees, the cost of which will be at the rate of \$334,550 per annum.

### Her Opposite.

Nell—Do you believe people should marry their opposites?  
Belle—Yes; my fiance lives just across the street.

"Have not" is poor indeed, and meanly clad.  
But poorer still is plaintive "If I had!"

Battle cruisers are Dreadnoughts in which a part of the armament has been dispensed with for the sake of high speed.

## Concrete Work is Easy

For the best part of a score of years the best of the fertilizer made on our farm was allowed to seep away through the cracks in the plank floor of the stable and was lost so far as crop production was concerned, writes a correspondent. The loss of fertilizer itself was no mean item. The floors had to be replaced every few years. We had thought of cement, but it was not convenient to bring masons from town, and it never occurred to us that without experience we could lay cement floors ourselves. The time came when our plank floors had to be replaced again. Lumber was considerably higher than it had been on previous occasions. With many doubts and fears we decided to try our hand at concrete work.

The cement floor that we laid has now been down seven years. It has given perfect satisfaction and is as good to-day as the day it was laid. Anyone who can lay plank can also do concrete work. First we grad-

ed the floor, digging out the gutters and elevating the passageway between the cattle as we had planned. Over the cement bottom we spread two inches of sharp gravel and tamped it down thoroughly. Over this again we spread three and one-half inches of concrete mixed in the proportion of one part cement to eight parts of gravel. The method that we followed was to lay a piece of studding on edge three inches from the wall. The studding was four inches wide. We then filled in the three and one-half inches of concrete, and immediately finished off the top with a half-inch of sand and cement mixed in the proportion of one to four. When the first three-foot stretch was done we moved the studding out, and so continued across the stable. The gutters were easily handled. The cement was laid in the bottom first, and then the sides built in against temporary moulds. Our conclusion is that no one need hesitate over concrete work because of lack of experience.

## CANUCK GUNS' GREAT WORK

VIVID DESCRIPTION OF FIGHT AT YPRES GAP.

Col. Morrison Tells How They Came Up Through Crowds of Fugitives.

Lieut.-Col. Morrison, D.S.O., commanding officer of the 1st Artillery Brigade, tells of the stand the Canadian gunners made.

A striking feature of the story is that half of the 1st Infantry Brigade, under Brigadier-General Mercer, of Toronto, and one Battery under Lieut.-Col. Morrison, were all that filled the gap, a mile and a half wide, immediately after the French troops had been forced to retire before the German gas attack.

On April 22, he says, the guns were going in the afternoon from Poperingue to Ypres trenches, two half batteries under Lieut.-Col. Maclaren of Ottawa, were already in the trenches with the 2nd and 3rd Canadian Brigades near St. Julien. I was on the road with a battery and the ammunition column two miles west of Ypres, and the 1st and 4th Batteries, under Major Ralston and Major Sharman were at Poperingue, preparing to come up. As I approached Ypres tremendous firing could be heard about two miles to our half-left, and it seemed to be coming nearer, preceded by a great cloud of dust and smoke.

The Fugitives.

It was about 5.30 in the afternoon. I halted my column and rode ahead to reconnoitre. I had not gone half a mile when I saw broken troops—French—streaming across country ahead of the dust cloud, mounted and on foot. Then came the ammunition waggon without artillery, horses with men on them but no guns behind them, baggage waggon, infantry in broken groups and singly, all heading towards Poperingue.

Flying People.

"I rode back and selected positions for my guns beside the road and waited, expecting every minute to see the Germans following the shells that were following the retreating French and beginning to smash near us. Then came the saddest sight of all, the miserable inhabitants of Ypres, chiefly women and children and very old men, streaming along the road, many of them wounded, many more too young or too old to hobble along.

"With these came wounded soldiers, partially asphyxiated, traction motors, staff officers in racing motors, trying to get to the front; behind all, the town of Ypres beginning to blaze in the thickening gloom under a very hell of a shell fire."

### Steady as Veterans.

He says he was afraid his column would be swept back by the back rush to the rear, but they stemmed the crowd. "My men were cool as veterans, cooler than many veterans I have seen."

Communicating with headquarters he was told to stand fast, and moved off down the road till the stream of fugitives had passed. At 3.30 in the morning they got orders to advance and support General Mercer's brigade at the Ypres canal.

### Supporting Mercer.

"I had just got my one battery in on the canal bank when Mercer's half-brigade was ordered to advance. Later we found that his two regiments and my one battery were all that filled the gap that the French troops had left in the line, about one and one-half miles wide.

### Into the Fight.

"Our infantry went forward as game as wildcats, and my four guns did their best to give them adequate support at two thousand yards' range. The infantry reached the foot of the ridge at what is now known as Hill 29, and held on.

"Mercer's two regiments were supposed to be in support of the British brigade, but they also charged, and part of the 4th Battalion, under Lieut.-Col. Bocher of London, were the only troops to actually reach the ridge. During the night they had to be withdrawn.

"Mercer's regiments and the British brigade were then withdrawn to Weite, and their places taken by a division of French troops, and my guns were sent under the French General Commander from Ypres to the point on the canal directly north where the Germans had gotten across.

### Ten Days Under Fire.

"Since that, for ten days, we have been firing about one hundred and fifty rounds per gun per day, supporting French attacks on the ridge, subjected day and night to a grueling from 17-inch, 12-inch and 6-inch shells.

"Of the men actually engaged with the guns, I have lost over fifty killed and wounded, and about the same number of horses killed, though the latter are a scab in the rear."

# TURKISH REFUGEES' STORIES

### There is a Shortage of Food, and Government Resources Are at a Low Ebb

A despatch from Rome says: A correspondent of the Idea Nationale, telegraphing from Dedeagatch, gives a terrible picture of prevailing conditions in Turkey, which he evidently obtained from refugees from Constantinople arriving on the Bulgarian frontier.

The troops, he declares, are short of both food and ammunition, the army is ravaged with typhus and there is an appalling increase in the number of sick. The shortage of coal, too, is pronounced, and the scarcity of fuel is responsible for the immobilizing of the Turkish fleet, which no longer able to take the offensive, is now anchored in the Sea of Marmora.

Talaat Bey, he continues, produces each day for the edification of the population glowing accounts of victories on land and sea obtained over France, England and Russia, but the number of sick and wounded arriving in the capital tells other tales. The houses of Christians, especially Greeks in the Phanar quarter, have been sacked by mobs, often with the connivance of the police. Christians attempting to flee from the capital are set upon, robbed and maltreated by the Turkish officials and soldiers. The authorities wink at these outrages and encourage their perpetration in order to keep alive the flame of hatred of the Moslems against the Christian allies.

# NEAR THE HEAD OF LAKE GARDA

### Italians Occupy Mori on the Western Side of the Trentino

A despatch from Rome says: Italian troops have occupied Mori on the railroad from Rovereto to Arco and Riva, important towns at the head of Lake Garda. As there is only one railroad in this section the fall of Arco and Riva before the Italians invading the Trentino from the western side is believed to be only a question of a few days. Mori is about five miles south of Rovereto, the objective of a strong Italian movement, but the road to that place is fortified to such an extent that it will be a hard task for the Italians to force the Austrian defenses.

Fierce fighting in the Monte Nero zone, north of Tolmina, on the Isonzo front, is reported in an official report from Gen. Cadorna, the chief of staff, issued by the War Department. The Alpine troops are giving a good account of themselves in this region, using mountain paths unknown to the enemy, and falling unawares on the strongly fortified Austrian

trenches. Almost all of this region is now in the hands of the Italians. A daring raid by an Italian airship on a railroad station eight miles into the interior from Trieste is reported in an official announcement, which says: "An Italian dirigible passing over the enemy's entrenched camps threw high explosive bombs on Divazza railway centre. Notwithstanding the enemy's intense fire the dirigible returned undamaged."

Divazza is on the railway from Laibach, the Austrian headquarters, to Trieste. It is 70 miles from the coast of the Adriatic.

A despatch from Verona, the Italian headquarters for the Trentino operations, says that among the prisoners recently taken in the Lago di Misurina district was a Bavarian, which is taken to indicate that German troops are aiding the Austrian forces.

### ENQUIRIES ABOUT PENSIONS.

Should be Addressed to President of the Board at Ottawa.

A despatch from Ottawa says: A statement from the Militia Department is to the effect that enquiries in regard to pensions should be addressed to the president of the Pensions Board in Ottawa, as that officer is in a position to give prompt information in regard to such matters.



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# FRENCH GAINS AT SIX POINTS

### Army of 200,000 Germans Hurdled Attacks Against the Allied Lines.

A despatch from Paris says: The heaviest fighting of many weeks is reported by the French War Office. In the north, between Souchez and Neuville, the fighting has been furious. On this front the Germans arrayed an army of 200,000 men, with heavy reserves in the rear, drove forward against the French in a desperate effort to regain the ground lost during the last few days.

Repeated attacks were hurled back by the French forces, which, striking quickly while the Germans were in confusion, pressed forward making important gains on three sides of Souchez, and advancing in three directions from Neuville. The French batteries during a fierce battle of 24 hours fired nearly 300,000 shells, while the Germans used probably no fewer.

The death toll in the face of such artillery work has necessarily been very large. The French War Office admits that the French losses have been serious. It asserts, however, that the German casualties have been even greater. In spite of this fact the spirit and morale of the French troops is said to be excellent.

More than 1,000 German prisoners have been made during the struggle—500 on the Souchez-Neuville front and 500 in the Vosges.

In the Vosges, Altonhof, a suburb of Metzler on the River Fecht, has been captured. Steinbeck, a little to the north of Metzler, has fallen into French hands after a furious assault. It would appear that Souchez, north of Arras, and Metzler, in the Vosges, are doomed to fall into French hands. The new positions won about Souchez will give the French batteries clean sweep toward the German positions in the town, and the same is true respecting Metzler.

# BOARDS TO REPORT ON PENSION CLAIMS

### Medical Men Will be Appointed in Every Military Division of Canada.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Boards of medical men are to be appointed in every military division of Canada in connection with the granting of pensions to wounded soldiers or the families of those killed on active service. Already between 300 and 350 pensions have been granted, most of them being for the families of dead soldiers. It is already apparent that the sum of \$2,000,000 set aside for pensions this year will be quite insufficient for the purpose. If more is needed before another session of Parliament it may be obtained by Governor-General's warrant.

The establishment of medical boards in the different divisions will materially assist in the work of paying pensions, which is expected to reach large proportions. Reports will be sent from these medical boards to the pensions board in Ottawa, which will then pass on each case.

When a man is temporarily incapacitated the practice so far has been to pay him his regular active service pay until he recovers. Where it is evident, however, that the injury will outlast the war, the man is put on the pension list at once.

The problem of caring for convalescents is expected to prove one of the heaviest burdens of the war, and action will shortly be taken to deal specially with it.

The blood of a man weighs about 20lb.

# FIGHTING STRENGTH OF ENEMY

### Nearly Four Million German and Austrian Soldiers Permanently Out of the Field.

A despatch from London says: Hilaire Belloc, the military expert, estimates that the German and Austrian losses up to the present total nearer four million men than three million men. He bases this calculation on a careful analysis of the figures of the British casualties given by Premier Asquith in the Commons. Those figures, he points out, show one-fifth of a total of 258,000 are dead. The total British casualties, therefore, work out five to one for each life lost. The total enemy losses he estimates at six to one per man killed. Basing this multiple of calculation on his losses have been greater than those of the allies. Mr. Belloc believes this multiple is low, for the German lists of killed are belated

and the Austrians lost enormously more in proportion in prisoners than the British. To the Prussian lists of killed must be added rather less than one-fifth for non-Prussian lists of the German Empire and further 80 per cent. for Austria and Hungary. Multiplying these by six, Mr. Belloc arrives at 3,250,000 enemy casualties before the great Galician effort. This, according to his estimate, cannot count for less than half a million; this makes a grand total of three and three-quarter millions permanently out of the field. "The enemy's potential manhood for actual fighting within the first year," Mr. Belloc concludes, "has probably been diminished by nearly one-half from all causes."

# PRICES OF FARM PRODUCTS

### REPORTS FROM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES OF AMERICA.

**Breadstuffs.**  
Toronto, June 22.—Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.25 1/2 to \$1.26 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.23 1/4 to \$1.24 1/4; No. 3 Northern, \$1.20 1/4 to \$1.21 1/4, on track, lake ports.  
Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 59 to 60c; No. 3 C.W., 58 to 59c; extra No. 1 feed, 58 to 59c, on track, lake ports.  
American corn—No. 2 yellow, 80 to 80 1/2c, on track, lake ports.  
Canadian corn—No. 2 yellow, 78c, on track, Toronto.  
Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, 55 to 55c; No. 3 white, 54 to 55c, according to freights outside.  
Ontario wheat—No. 2 Winter, per car lot, \$1.15 to \$1.17, according to freights outside.  
Peas—No. 2, nominal, per car lots, \$1.50 to \$1.60, according to freights outside.

Barley—Good malting barley, 70 to 73c; feed barley, 65c, according to freights outside.  
Buckwheat—Nominal, car lots, 75 to 77c, according to freights outside.  
Rye—No. 2, nominal, \$1.05 to \$1.10, according to freights outside.  
Manitoba flour—First patents, in jute bags, \$7.20; second patents, in jute bags, \$6.70; strong bakers', in jute bags, \$6.50, Toronto. In cotton bags, 10c more.  
Ontario flour—Winter, 90 per cent. patents, \$5, seaboard, or Toronto freights outside.  
Milfeed—Car lots, delivered Montreal freights. Bran, per ton, \$25; shorts, per ton, \$27 to \$28; middlings, per ton, \$28 to \$29; good feed flour, per bag, \$1.80.

**Country Produce.**  
Butter—Choice dairy, 21 to 23c; inferior, 18 to 20c; creamery prints, 28 to 29c; do, solids, 26 to 28c.  
Eggs—No. 1, nominal, steady, straight new-laid being quoted at 21 to 22c per dozen, in case lots, and selects, 23 to 24c.  
Beans—The market is quiet at \$3.10 to \$3.15 for prime, and \$3.20 to \$3.25 for hand-picked.

**Poultry**—Chickens, yearlings, dressed, 16 to 20c; Spring chickens, 45 to 50c; fowls, 13 to 15c.  
**Cheese**—The market is easier, being quoted at 18 1/2 to 19c for large, and at 19 to 19 1/2c for twins.  
**Eggs**—No. 1, 23 to 24c; No. 2, 22 to 23c; No. 3, 21 to 22c; No. 4, 20 to 21c; No. 5, 19 to 20c; No. 6, 18 to 19c; No. 7, 17 to 18c; No. 8, 16 to 17c; No. 9, 15 to 16c; No. 10, 14 to 15c; No. 11, 13 to 14c; No. 12, 12 to 13c; No. 13, 11 to 12c; No. 14, 10 to 11c; No. 15, 9 to 10c; No. 16, 8 to 9c; No. 17, 7 to 8c; No. 18, 6 to 7c; No. 19, 5 to 6c; No. 20, 4 to 5c; No. 21, 3 to 4c; No. 22, 2 to 3c; No. 23, 1 to 2c; No. 24, 1/2 to 1c; No. 25, 1/4 to 1/2c; No. 26, 1/8 to 1/4c; No. 27, 1/16 to 1/8c; No. 28, 1/32 to 1/16c; No. 29, 1/64 to 1/32c; No. 30, 1/128 to 1/64c; No. 31, 1/256 to 1/128c; No. 32, 1/512 to 1/256c; No. 33, 1/1024 to 1/512c; No. 34, 1/2048 to 1/1024c; No. 35, 1/4096 to 1/2048c; No. 36, 1/8192 to 1/4096c; No. 37, 1/16384 to 1/8192c; No. 38, 1/32768 to 1/16384c; No. 39, 1/65536 to 1/32768c; No. 40, 1/131072 to 1/65536c; No. 41, 1/262144 to 1/131072c; No. 42, 1/524288 to 1/262144c; No. 43, 1/1048576 to 1/524288c; No. 44, 1/2097152 to 1/1048576c; No. 45, 1/4194304 to 1/2097152c; 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### Wardsville

Wardsville, June 17.—Greagan Bros. are engaged repairing the Commercial Hotel.

The band has received their new uniforms and will appear in them for the first time at the Cashmere lawn social.

Frank McGregor had the misfortune to lose one of his valuable team of standard bred mares Saturday night. She was in harness and working as usual Saturday and was found dead Sunday morning. Acute indigestion is supposed to have caused death.

The strawberry crop seems plentiful in this vicinity.

Wardsville, June 18.—A public meeting of ladies was held in the Music Hall on Wednesday evening for the purpose of organizing an association to aid the Red Cross. About 50 ladies were present, and the following officers were elected for the year: President, Miss Eliza Campbell; vice-president, Miss Bella Gardiner; secretary, Mrs. (Dr.) Glenn; assistant secretary, Mrs. Frank Henderson; treasurer, Mrs. George A. Love; executive committee, Mrs. Corneil, Mrs. Staples and Mrs. Jackson. Much enthusiasm prevailed and the collectors raised the handsome sum of \$182 to begin the work, which was augmented by a linen shower. Meetings will be held every Wednesday afternoon to continue the work.

Wardsville, June 21.—Miss Pauline Wilson is visiting her sister Florence at Birr.

Mr. Hobbs, of Birr, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. A. Mulligan.

Miss Gertrude and Peter Depew are visiting friends in town.

Don't forget the lawn social on Friday evening, June 25, to be held on the Presbyterian church lawn. A good programme is being prepared. Refreshments served on the grounds. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Mrs. G. Brown and family are visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. E. Dyes.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Snelgrove and family motored to Sutherland on Sunday.

Mrs. Yates, of Edmonton, is visiting relatives here.

### STRATHBURN.

Strathburn, June 21.—Mr. Farris, one of the old pioneers, is very low and there is little hope for his recovery.

John McRae, of Niagara, was a visitor at Strathburn on Sunday.

Farmers are busy cutting their alfalfa, which is better than the hay prospects this season.

Mrs. Wm. Dohie has fully recovered from her severe illness.

Miss Walsh, of Chicago, is visiting at H. Kook's.

Walter Hailstone and W. Siddall are engaged erecting foundations for barns for Mr. McLean.

THE FLAGGING ENERGIES REVIVED.—Constant application to business is a tax upon the energies, and if there be not relaxation, lassitude depression are sure to intervene. These come from stomachic troubles. The want of exercise brings on nervous irregularities, and the stomach ceases to assimilate food properly. In this condition Parmentier's Vegetable Pills will be found a recuperative of rare power, restoring the organs to healthful action, dispelling depression, and reviving the flagging energies.

### Appin

August the 4th belongs to Appin. Please remember the annual monster garden party will be held on that date. Famous talent. Biggest crowd. Best time.

The park committee have started to build their new cement bandstand.

James Macfie lost a horse by lightning the other night.

Thomas King has engaged a blacksmith for the summer.

North Ekfrid Presbyterians had to postpone their garden party on account of rain.

Appin and Melbourne baseball game was called on account of rain and will be played at a future date.

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### CRINAN.

Crinan, June 22.—Rev. Dr. Stalker, of Calumet, Mich., occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church on Sunday.

The Working Men of the Crinan Presbyterian church have sent the following to the soldiers:—Sixteen sheets, 18 pairs of pillow cases, 52 towels and 488 handkerchiefs.

Several of the farmers have replanted their corn fields.

Miss Dyer is at Mrs. W. J. Webster's.

The lower on W. J. Webster's farm is nearing completion.

Mrs. McMillan, of London, spent the week-end with her brother, John Stalker, before leaving for the West.

Miss Mary Jamieson has been engaged as teacher in S. S. No. 9 for the coming year.

All Night with Asthma. Everyone knows how attacks of asthma often keep their victim awake the whole night long. Morning finds him wholly unfit for a day of business, and yet business must be carried on. All this night suffering and lack of rest can be avoided by the prompt use of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy, which positively does drive away the attacks.

### PARKDALE

The Ladies' Aid in connection with the Methodist church, Newbury, met at the home of Mrs. E. Haggith Friday afternoon.

Mrs. W. G. Munro and Miss Ward, of Wardsville, spent a day last week with their niece, the Misses Smith.

Miss McKim, of Merlin, spent a few days this week at R. Campbell's.

### Melbourne

Miss Edna Petch is at home owing to the continued illness of her mother.

Miss Alice Wellman, accompanied by her brother Mac, is spending a few days in Detroit.

The Presbyterian church is holding its annual garden party on the church lawn on Wednesday evening, June 30, when a good time is expected.

A large number from here attended the school picnic on the Muncie Reserve last Saturday.

The ball team are having a very successful season and are worthy of the support of all fans. The boys provide good clean sport at all times. Encourage the team by your presence.

We understand that the G. T. R. are changing their timetable next week, which will give a better service to London and also a later evening mail.

The Melbourne ball team played a postponed league game in Appin on Monday afternoon and were leading at end of fourth innings by score of 7 to 2, when the rain came down in torrents, saving Appin from a very severe beating.

Features of the game were the heavy hitting by the Melbournites and a spectacular one-handed catch by Mac Wellman. Mac must have been witnessing some fast stuff in Detroit.

Miss Winnie Huntley, of Courtright, is visiting friends in this section.

Our streets are to be oiled very shortly, which will make a decided improvement. Why not form a board of trade and undertake further improvements?

A large number are writing on the high school entrance here at present.

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### KNAPDALE.

Knappdale, June 21.—Little Margaret McLachlin, of Glencoe, spent the week-end with Mabel Hillman.

Federick McDonald paid a visit to Florence recently.

Miss F. Mitchell, of Glencoe, spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. N. Leitch.

Wesley Babcock and sister Alice are visiting Sarnia friends.

Mrs. D. McNaughton is visiting in Detroit.

Mrs. R. McDonald has returned home after visiting her son, D. McDonald, Big Bend.

### KILMARTIN.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Campbell and family were in Warwick last week attending the wedding of Mrs. Campbell's sister, Miss Isabella Shields, whose marriage took place on June 16 to A. W. Samis, of Olds, Alberta.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 24, 1915.

### Newbury

On account of the rain storm Monday night, the Methodist garden party was postponed till Thursday (tonight).

Mr. Love, of London, spent the week-end the guest of Miss Bessie Fenwick.

Mr. Love sang "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" in Knox church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Parish left for her home in Ottawa on Sunday afternoon.

John Cox, of Bothwell, visited his niece, Mrs. Thos. Bifr, over Sunday.

Four pupils from here wrote on the entrance exam this week.

Mrs. Bentley and Mrs. John Wood, of Bothwell, visited Mrs. McVicar, "Ingleside," on Thursday.

Posters are out with particulars of the Knox church lawn social June 30, J. W. Bengough, of Toronto, with others will furnish the program.

A quiet home wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Merner on Thursday at five o'clock, when their daughter, Alberta May, and William Tomlinson were married.

Rev. Dr. Ford, performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate relatives and a few girl friends of the bride. The bride looked pretty indeed in a gown of white duchesse satin with lace trimmings, her veil being caught with orange blossoms. She wore the groom's gift, a pendant. The arch beneath which the young couple stood was made of maple leaves and daisies and looked very pretty. The bride and groom were unattended. Miss Margaret Haggith played the Wedding March, and Miss Ella Jeffery sang "Because" during the signing of the register.

The groom's gift to the pianist was a cameo pin. After supper Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson motored to Bothwell, taking the train for London. The bride received many pretty gifts. Her going-away gown was cream serge with brass buttons, and hat to match. Their new home will be in Glencoe.

On Tuesday evening a number of the young people "showered" Miss May Merner at her home prior to her marriage, when she was given a complete set of 1817 silver knives, forks and spoons. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was spent. Mrs. Tomlinson will be missed, she having been a member of the choir and an active member of the A. B. C. of the Methodist church.

The impression seems to have got around amongst the women of the country that, with the war on and the male sex being decimated, a bonus is being paid on all boy babies. The Militia Department has had a number of inquiries on the subject. One Ontario woman wrote personally to Gen. Sam Hughes, Minister of Militia, to find out the truth of the report. The Minister reluctantly had to admit that the report was untrue.

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### Glencoe Boy Writes From Front.

The following letter has been received by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Currie, of Glencoe, from their son who enlisted with the Strathcona Horse in Alberta and has been at the front in France for some time:—

France, May 31, 1915.  
Dear Father and Mother,—Just a few lines to let all know that I am well. Jack Cummer, formerly from Tillsonburg, who enlisted in Calgary, and who has been a bosom friend of mine, got a bad wound in the back. I have got through thus far without an injury, but my comrades are falling round and about me in every direction. Owing to the censorship of mail I can't say very much. I hope this war will soon be over, and when I get back to Canada—well, I guess I'll stay. This isn't war, its hell. I'm glad and I'm thankful to my God that I am spared until the present after going through what I have to date. My nerves were a bit fussy at the start, but I gradually became accustomed to it. I thought I had an idea of what war was, but I tell you that we got an awful baptism and certainly more than we were looking for.

The Germans have certainly overlooked all the rules of civilized warfare. One of the mean tricks was to pick out a man from among them-

selves, and during the night he would conceal himself in between the Allies and Germans' trenches and he would call out to the Canadians for help that he was wounded. Of course it was only a fake and every man who went to his assistance was killed by the others who were working in co-operation with him.

The respirators we have now are being successfully used and prevent the effect of the gas.

We are having lovely weather here and are making the best of it. When we are not in the trenches there is always a baseball game on.

There are several boys I know in another battalion. It often happens that we are billeted close to them and we can see one another. There are only a few of us spared that left Youngstown last fall where we were drilled prior to leaving for Valcartier.

Write soon and often. Good-bye, and love to all.

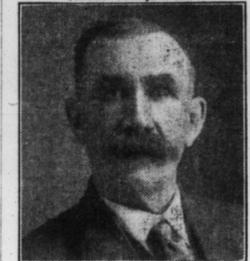
Your affectionate son,  
W. A. CURRIE, JR.

Metcalf township council passed a grant of \$25 toward the Strathroy agricultural society.

It is reported that Tony Cortese has been appointed officially as the Italian recruiting officer for London and district. It is said that the appointment was made through the Italian consul-general in Montreal.

## WILL WE EVER WALK ON AIR?

Train Of Thought Inspired By A Letter About "Fruit-a-tives"



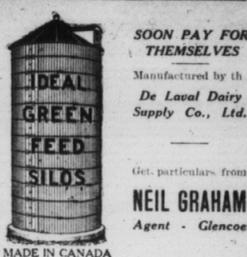
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