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MANUFACTURING AND AGRICULTURE

St. Andrew's Brotherhood Wins Debate From John Street.

An interesting debate was held in the school room of St. Andrew's Church last evening on the subject: "Resolved that for the development of Canada Agriculture is more important than Manufacturing." The affirmative was ably supported by Mr. W. C. Mikel, K.C. and Mr. I. L. Moore represented the Brotherhood of John Street Church and the negative was taken by Mr. W. J. Campbell and Major R. D. Ponton representing the Men's Club of St. Andrew's Church.

Mr. Mikel gave an eloquent address in support of the agricultural interests of the country, pointing out that it was the country's greatest wealth producer. In Rome, the citizen who faithfully tilled the soil was regarded as an example in patriotism. The unrest of the farmer had its source not with the farmers but the I.W.W.'s and Bolsheviks were associated with manufacturing. Mr. Campbell who was the first speaker for the negative contended that manufacturing made agriculture possible and moreover was the source of the mental and moral enlightenment of the nation. Manufacturing not only making agriculture possible but newspapers and books and in fact all education.

Mr. Moore for the affirmative pointed out that three-fifths of the population of Canada was agricultural. The farmer worked longer and harder than the mechanic. The farmer was the owner of his land in

the majority of cases and consequently took more interest in his work than the employee. The raw material of agriculture was never exhausted. The raw material in the manufacturing industries often was difficult to obtain and in many cases was exploited. The farmer never went out on strike, his occupation tended to longevity which was a great asset in national development.

Major Ponton compared manufacturing to the hub of the wheel and mines, forests, rivers, land to the spokes. Without manufacturing nothing moves, nothing is exported. Agriculture was only one source of a nation's wealth. Employees in manufacturing plants learned in their vocation discipline which was necessary to good citizenship. The manufacturing interests produced the shells, the guns, the ammunition which drove out the Hun. If it were not for tractors and other farm machinery the farmer could not carry on.

Mr. Mikel in his five minutes concluding the debate indulged in some good natured banter in dealing with his opponents in the debate and gave a rapid fire summary of arguments in support of his contention that agriculture was the more important industry. The judges were Revs. Swayne, Wallace and Elliot and gave their decision in favor of the negative.

Mr. J. O. Moffatt acted as chairman. The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

Startling Figures at Timber Probe

Spanish River Co. One Year Paid Dividend of Hundred and Sixty-Two Per Cent.

Sudbury, Ont., May 12.—The timber probe resumed at Sudbury before the Riddell-Latchford commission. The best part of the day was taken up in a re-examination of officials of the Spanish River Lumber Company. B. W. Arnold of Albany, N.Y., president of the Spanish River Co., testified that in the last eight years his company had paid dividends of \$1,155,000 on a capitalization of \$200,000. Twenty-five per cent had been the lowest dividend paid in any one year and 162 the highest. Asked if his firm had re-employed cutters since the commencement of the investigation, Manager W. J. Bell replied in the negative. J. A. Ferguson,

superintendent of woods operations for the same firm, admitted, however that three cutters had been re-employed and two of these had been sent to points fifty or sixty miles away.

In the Wrong Berth. Bush Foreman John Nash, also of the Spanish River Company, stated that during one season he had bossed operations on berth L, thinking that he was on berths M or N.

"It is possible that the company could return to the government all the logs cut on the dearer berth as having been cut on the cheaper berth without your knowing the difference?" asked Mr. Justice Riddell.

"Yes," replied witness. More witnesses, employees of lumber companies, admitted having taken affidavits as to the accuracy of returns to the government without having verified the figures. Indications are that the session will last the week here.

THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, SALVATION ARMY AND ROTARY CLUB ARE TO CO-OPERATE

At Great Mass Meeting at City Hall on Friday Night—Commission Form of City Government, Housing Problem and Salvation Army Campaign Will be Debated by Able Speakers.

The Forum Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, at a conference yesterday afternoon, arranged to consolidate the public meeting at the City Hall on Friday night with the Rotary Club meeting for the same evening on which occasion the Salvation Army drive for funds will be given new impetus. The meeting will also consider two important questions which have been before the people for some time. The first is the housing programme, and it is expected that the Director of Housing or his assistant will be here to explain the new housing legislation under which the city is about to begin operations. The new Housing Act provides for the appointment of a housing commission in each city; the plan is to take advantage of the

provisions of the Act and, as this is the first step in any work that may be undertaken by the city, it is not unlikely that the City Council will immediately appoint such a commission in order that the housing programme can be undertaken at once. The second question to be considered is the establishment of a commission form of government for Belleville. This question has been under consideration for some time and is rapidly gaining favor here. An invitation to attend the meeting has been extended to the City Manager of Westmont and, if the meeting goes on record as favoring such a change in city administration, the City Council will be asked to put the matter before the people to vote upon at the next January election.

Morning Dispatches

ITALIAN CABINET RESIGNS

ROME, May 12.—Premier Nitti and his entire cabinet have resigned after failing to win a vote of confidence.

GRAND TRUNK NOW THE PROPERTY OF THE PEOPLE

OTTAWA, May 12.—The Grand Trunk became the property of Canada at 4:30 yesterday afternoon when the Governor General gave his assent to the bill.

T. S. R. ASKS PERMISSION TO INCREASE FARES

TORONTO, May 12.—The Street Railway have asked the government to allow an increase in fares to meet the demands of the men for an increase in wages.

FINED \$600 FOR FAILURE TO FORWARD INCOME TAX RETURNS

WINDSOR, May 12.—Six men were fined \$600 for failing for six days to send in income-tax returns.

ODESSA REPORTED CAPTURED BY THE POLES

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 12.—The Russian embassy here received a message that the Poles have captured Odessa, the most important sea-port of South Russia.

Currie's Appointment Formally Announced

OTTAWA, May 12.—The appointment of Arthur Currie as principal in charge of the board of governors pay tribute to the General's great war services and his fine war despatches.

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PARIS, May 12.—Confirmation of reports that Odessa, Russia's most important outlet on the Black Sea, had been occupied by troops of Gen. Petlura, the Ukrainian commander, has been received by the Ukrainian press bureau here, that bureau reported today.

Poles and Ukrainians Deliver Mighty Blow

(Special 4 p.m. Despatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

WARSAW, May 12.—Polish and Ukrainian forces have struck a mighty blow at Russian Bolshevik front far north of Kiev and have driven the enemy back along the Beresina River. Betshita, an important Dnieper river crossing has been captured and serious losses have been inflicted on the Soviet army. Fighting is now going on over a front of approximately four hundred miles.

Russian Reds Will Share Prisoners' Lives

(Special 4 p.m. Despatch from Canadian Press Ltd.)

LONDON, May 12.—Russian Bolshevik authorities have agreed to spare the lives of the soldiers captured from General Denikine's army in Southern Russia and those of other anti-Soviet troops who may in future be taken prisoners. A note to this effect was received by the British officials in answer to appeals sent to Moscow during the past fortnight.

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President Wilson Thought British Naval Experts Too Prudent

Senational Telegram Read Before Investigating Committee at Washington Today—Wilson Was Not Satisfied With Manner in Which British Navy Was Directing Affairs.

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WASHINGTON, May 12.—A confidential cablegram from President Wilson to Rear-Admiral Sims in London, sent during the war, was read to the Senate naval investigating committee today by Secretary Daniels. It disclosed the fact that the American President was not at all satisfied with the way the British Admiralty was directing the work of the British navy and also indicated that Mr. Wilson could not understand why naval experts there were reluctant to allow American experts

to tell them just how things should be done. Mr. Wilson intimated that he considered British naval men too prudent and expressed surprise that the British Admiralty had failed to use Great Britain's great naval superiority effectively against submarine marines. He called on Admiral Sims for comments and suggestions based on independent thought and without regard to the judgment of any one Admiralty was directing the work of the British navy and also indicated that Mr. Wilson could not understand why naval experts there were reluctant to allow American experts

G. T. R. System Now Property of Canada

OTTAWA, May 12.—As the G. T. R. System became Canada's property at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when the Governor-General gave assent to the Grand Trunk Bill, an order in Council will be passed this week in all probability constituting the joint board of management provided for in the agreement to operate the system until the decision of the Board of Arbitration is known. The Canadian National Railways will appoint Messrs. S. J. Hungerford and C. A. Hayes, it is understood, as their representatives on the joint board. For the Grand Trunk Railway two will be chosen

the provincial officers.

Mr. Dewart also pointed out that it cost the province \$128,000 to get about \$229,000 in fines.

Oh, girls; oh, girls! The Big Victoria Day Celebration Dance in the Pictou Armories on the night of Monday, May 24th, is going to be just too lovely for anything. Lovely music, lovely floor space, lovely refreshments; all is going to make it the loveliest event of the season, and our boys will surely want to take us there.

This day brings back to memory A loved one laid to rest And those who think of him today Are those who loved him best.

Days of sadness still come o'er us Tears of sorrow, often flow Memory keeps our loved one near us Whom God called a year ago.

Wife and Son.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Owen McGonnell, who departed this life May 12th, 1919.

Bancroft Woollen Mills

YARNS, BLANKETS and TWEEDS

When sending out our circular letters in the spring of 1919, offering the wool growers of Hastings and adjoining counties an opportunity to wear their own pure wool at the actual cost of manufacturing, we had no thought that the response would be so spontaneous. We were completely taken by surprise. Our mill was taxed to its utmost capacity. Encouraged by the desire manifested by the farmers for pure wool goods, and the many letters received from satisfied customers, who tell us they made a saving of from 100% to 150% on the price of their woollen goods, we have at a very large expense thoroughly refitted and greatly increased the capacity of our mill and are now prepared to manufacture your wool into the line of goods below at the prices attached:

All wool blankets, grey or white	60c per lb.
Knitting yarn, grey, white or mottled	25c per lb.
Knitting yarn, black, blue or red	45c per lb.
Mackinaw, heavy weight, grey	60c per yd.
Mackinaw, heavy weight, black	75c per yd.
Stuffs, stripe, check or plain	55c per yd.
Double and twisted tweeds, winter weight	75c per yd.
Sheeting, white or grey, cotton and wool	70-72 in. 35c per yd.
All wool shirting, grey, 28 in. wide	40c per yd.
All wool shirting, navy, checks or oxfords	38 in. 50c per yd.
Cotton and wool shirting, plain colors	28 in. 35c per yd.

We carry a full line of yarns, blankets, stuffs, tweeds, shirtings, heavy jerseys for men's underwear, strictly pure wool, all our own manufacturing, guaranteed strictly pure wool, samples and prices sent by request. When shipping wool to us address it to THE BANCROFT WOOLLEN MILLS, Bancroft, Ont. See that all tags are securely tied. Write your name and address on opposite side of tag. Advise us by letter of shipment, the class and amount of goods you may require. We guarantee perfect satisfaction and prompt returns. We are in the market to pay the highest cash price for wool you have to sell.

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- Ladies' Comfy-Cut Summer Vests at..... 35
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- A fine drink Tea, regular 65c lb. for..... 50
- Ladies' Sample Waists, special at..... \$3.49
- Ladies' House Dresses at..... 1.98
- All 5c Toilet Soap 6 for..... 25

Get your housecleaning requirements while the sale is on.

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TALK OF THE TOWN AND OF THE COUNTRY

Frederick W. Pringle, a well-known and successful member of the Chicago bar, sends a photograph of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pringle, who have just celebrated the 58th anniversary of their marriage to the Canadian-American, Chicago. They were born near Napanea, Ont., and spent most of their earlier life in that section, but now live with their daughter, Mrs. F. A. Thompson, in Vancouver, B.C. Mr. Ira Pringle is ninety-two years old, and his wife eighty-one. They have four children, twelve grandchildren and one great grandchild. The elderly couple are enjoying good health and are happy in their later years, sharing the success of their children and grandchildren.

Deseronto has excellent prospects of becoming a way-port on the Toronto-Ottawa-Montreal aerial route.

Mr. G. H. Harrold, who was connected with the R.A.F. at Deseronto and in Texas during the war, has taken up the matter of a stopping place for aircraft with the Bishop-Barker people and backed by them. Mr. Harrold expects to open an air-drome in Deseronto shortly.

The machines used by the Bishop-Barker people are Rolly-Royce engines Curtis J.N. 4 and Arco.

Mr. Harrold will be certificated as an engineer to pass all aircraft and he will maintain a repair shop at the air-drome.

The location of this landing place for the fliers is as yet undecided.

Lt. Col. Scott, chief of the Air Board, is expected in Deseronto in a few days on matters in connection with the air force.

The advantage of deeping the St. Lawrence river to northern Ontario country with its great resources of timber and mining depended upon the development also of the French river connecting Lake Nipissing with Georgian Bay, according to statements made to the International Waterways Commission which Friday recommended in North Bay, its se-

tion to hear arguments regarding the deepening of the international waterways to the sea. A. J. Young, a prominent citizen of North Bay, was the principal speaker before the commission Friday morning. He told of the need for more electrical power for the development of industries in the north country. This development would be realized, he said by the canalization of the French river as a tributary to the deeper great lakes and rivers system.

Fred Brown, the well-known Junior O.H.A. Kingston team hockey player, was injured Friday at the Frontenac Glass and Moulding Co. when he caught his left hand in a saw. The result was that two fingers had to be amputated. Mr. Brown's many friends are sorry to hear of his misfortune as it may interfere with his hockey next winter.

The Hamilton Herald says: Belleville's civic government has done well in setting apart forty acres of vacant land for people to divide into garden plots and cultivate, and in arranging to plow the lots free for the amateur gardeners. That is a practical way to combat high prices of food.

In verbal report to the Peterborough council Thursday night Ald. Gordon stated that Peterboro was practically assured of another industry. He received a telegram Thursday night which advanced the negotiations, of which the recent trip to New York was an incident, nearer to a complete understanding, and it was hoped that a definite announcement would be made shortly. This prospective industry was another argument for a housing scheme which Ald. Gordon declared to be Peterboro's first need.

Two mishaps occurred on the Grand Trunk line to Halliburton within 24 hours on Friday, with small damage to property, but fortunately no person being hurt.

Friday evening the Halliburton train, which leaves Lindsay at 2.40 p.m., was derailed three miles south of Kinmount when a cap truck jumped the track. The train crew re-railled the track and a delay of three hours took place.

Saturday morning when the Halliburton train was on its way down to Kinmount and Fenelon Falls a car truck left the rails and another derailment took place three miles north of Kinmount, causing a delay of some three hours.

A Temiskaming farmer, six miles from New Liskeard, recently received \$403 for the potatoes which grew on three-quarters of an acre of land. They were Early Cobblers, and the price paid was \$4.90 a bag.

Edward Moores, tax commissioner of Kingston, has begun his work of assessing that city. He will be engaged in the work for the next three months. It is understood that he will add considerable to the value of real estate which has greatly advanced in the past two years.

Mr. E. P. Cuffe, Norwood, has made an application on behalf of Upper Stoney Lake Cottages Association, through the local representative in the Legislature. Mr. E. N. McDonald, for a quantity of pickled and bass fry to be deposited in Stoney Lake, to replenish the supply of game fish in these waters.

Building activities are going on in Madoc at a great rate. Mrs. John Whytock of that town is erecting a veranda on the west side of the building recently purchased from Mr. John Brown. The removal of the blacksmith shop and the building of the veranda add very much to the appearance of the property. Mr. John Reeves is building a large comfortable and easily accessible blacksmith shop on Baldwin street. Mrs. L. Love is erecting a bungalow on Davidson street Madoc.

Mr. John Burns of Picton has this week completed the rebuilding and fitting up of the terrace on the corner of Elizabeth and Queen Streets Picton. He bought the property last November and has spent the winter transforming a neglected, rundown property into a credit to the town and an asset to the locality where it is situated. Mr. Burns deserves to be commended for his progressiveness. A few more men of his type would help to build up the town and make it more attractive as well as furnish it to date comfortable homes in this time of house scarcity.

Mr. S. Wellington, of Madoc, has purchased for a fancy price, all the mining rights and interests of the International Flourite Mining Company known as the Cowan Mine, on Lot 10 in the 12th Concession of Huntingdon Township. This property is about two miles south of Madoc Village and close to the G. T. E. Mr. Wellington informs us that this is a very valuable property and that he will begin further development at once.

When some one remarked the other evening at a Peterboro meeting to discuss the high cost of living, that she wouldn't know if the ladies failed to fulfill the pledge to forego the use of potatoes for one month, as she had no outfall board, some people laughed, some frankly didn't see what it meant, while a few displayed haughty superiority at such irreverence. A few wondered just how far outis crase had been carried, throughout the city of Peterboro, and made investigations which resulted in surprising revelations.

Practically every store had absolutely sold out of the boards, but were not at all surprised at being asked for them and some offered to add the inquirer's name to the waiting list, which was said to be heavy. "Practically every day we have inquiries for them," one merchant claimed and where we sell one, friends of the purchaser invariably follow up in a few days to have a personally owned deliverer of the past, present and future, and we hear some weird tales of what the board has revealed.

Dr. G. W. Bell of Kingston, has offered a prize of \$10 in cash as first prize for a vegetable garden for the coming season. A second prize of \$5 will also be awarded. Size of plots will enter into consideration in awarding the prizes.

Dr. Bell also offers for distribution to assist greater production, a new variety of potato, called Bell potato, treated ready for planting. These potatoes will be distributed in quantities of one peck, as long as they last. He has also six pecks of a new variety of potato, which he offers in parcels of five pounds. A prize will be awarded to the one who obtains the greatest yield from these potatoes.

The Standard Paving Company yesterday began the work of tearing up Bridge street surface west of Coleman street, in preparation for the base of the pavement on that street. On lower George street the concrete work is being rushed with speed.

A bicycle was last night reported to the police as having been stolen from the garage of Dr. Connor, on Pinnacle street.

In the police station this morning was a black spintel. He had been found wandering about with a chain attached. The owner may have the canine by calling at the station.

Frank Wilson, Jr. of this city was yesterday afternoon remanded for a week on a charge of stealing a cheque for \$25 signed by Captain McManus of the Argyll Light Infantry.

A boy named C. Ballevalut, aged five years wandered away from his home, 18 Green street yesterday and the police were notified. The youngster turned up in time.

A piece of steel shaft was found on the street and taken to the police station.

Congratulations are extended to S. V. Perry, of Trenton, who has won the J. B. Carruther's scholarship, second highest average of marks in subjects of first year (\$50) R. D. Campner, of Picton, who secured the Andrew Haydon Scholarship in Colonial History, Edith Tuttle, Tweed and H. B. Vincent, of Picton, who won the V. K. Green prizes in mathematics, Edith Tuttle, Tweed who also obtained the Jane Rogers prize in English, L. H. Morrow, B.A., of Bath, who won a medal for Latin, Maysie Helen Madole of Napanea, who obtained her degree of Bachelor of Arts.

The Schooner Grace M. Filer, Captain Fagan, arrived in port yesterday with the first cargo of coal from Oswego.

The Steamer Belleville went east this morning after taking on a cargo of general merchandise at the Schuster wharf.

"The Edison" Sang, Whistled and Played

Three Great Artists in Comparison With Recreated Music

Artists from the metropolitan centers of music, singing, whistling, playing, singing in competition with the Edison Diamond Disc Phonograph. "The instrument with the soul," gave a unique program at the City-Hall last evening under the auspices of the J. M. Greene Music Co., Ltd.

The presence of artists with an international reputation was attraction enough to fill the building to the overflow, but an additional feature was the recreation of their music on the phonograph in such a manner that the most highly cultivated ear failed to detect a difference between the original and the reproduced sounds. That was the height of ambition of Thomas A. Edison, the great inventor, and was accomplished only after the expenditure of three millions of dollars in experiments.

Five hundred people from all walks of life, the trained musician, the amateur and the curious, sat for space of nearly two hours entranced by the marvel to which they listened. An ordinary phonograph rarely wins applause but the achievements of Mr. Edison's machine drew round upon round of plaudits from those with the sensitive ear and the spirit of music in their constitution and from the music lover who was completely satisfied as well as amazed by the wonder emitted before him. It had the approbation of both classes, surely a popular proof of the efficiency of the phonograph which seemed more than mere mechanism of inanimate materials.

To Mr. James A. Goodsell, local manager of the J. M. Greene Music Company, is due the gratitude of those privileged to attend. The hall was filled at eight o'clock and was all too small. A thousand or more easily would have attended had the accommodation permitted.

Mr. Willard Osborne, a young violinist of note, directed the recital. He called the attention of the audience to the great inventor's supreme achievement, which recreated the music as given by the world's greatest artists through the means of inanimate material. The artists would sing or play in perfect union, pausing to let the instrument proceed with the recreation alone. Several thousands of these recitals had been given before the most exacting audiences and the verdict was ever the same—that the Edison reproduces without a flaw the voice or instrument recorded. The instrument used for last evening's performance was the official laboratory model A 250 in a "William and Mary" period case and is an exact duplicate of many machines owned in the city and district.

Miss Claire Lillian Peteler stepped upon the platform. It was her first appearance in Belleville. In a moment she was singing with the reproduction of her own voice from a record and had sung her way into the hearts of five hundred listeners. Her first number was the very difficult "Il Bacio" by Ardit, a very difficult composition. The singer with the phonograph and then the phonograph alone while the singer paused, revealed a voice of wonderful richness of quality and ease. Her charming personality seemed almost to be recreated by the machine as she paused to let the record "carry on." In the nature of things one would expect the singer and the phonograph to carry more volume than the latter alone, but even this was particularly undetected. The phonograph used was one made for the home and not for a large amphitheater but the bold notes came forth with undiminished power and appeal. The illusion was perfect and the audience was not slow to express its appreciation of the verisimilitude.

Miss Peteler's second number was "Albers' "Only a Year Ago." Here again the real and the artificial voices sang in unison most completely, then the artist paused and the two still seemed to be singing. As the sounds died away Miss Peteler was greeted with unstinted applause.

The bringing of Miss Sybil Sanderson Fagan, world famous whistler, to Belleville, was an event in itself. She is the only lady whistler on tour on the continent of North America. She whistles with her fingers and possesses amazing control. She whistled an Ardit number, followed by Maskowik's "Serenata," and Nevin's "Narcissus." The same procedure was followed, and the verisimilitude was complete. If the listener took his eyes off the platform, it was impossible to tell when the whistler was whistling, such perfect blending in tone and volume was there. The tonal quality from the record was entirely satisfying. Her next numbers were Bach's "Simplicity." The purity and freshness of the tones in both the whistler and the phonograph reproduction were wonderful. At times Miss Fagan whistled a sort of counter melody to the reproductions and the whole effect was a perfect blending of perfect bird notes.

"The Lover and the Bird" by Guglielmo gave Miss Peteler and Miss Fagan the opportunity of a duet with the Edison.

The recreation of a piano solo on the phonograph is almost too exacting a test on any machine. Edison's triumph was shown in a recreation, "Face to Face" sung by Miss Peteler and recreated by the "Diamond Disc" showed that the tone test claims of Edison superiority were not exaggerated. There was no doubt that the voice from the machine was Miss Peteler's, every quality being preserved on the discs.

The violin is a test to the phonograph. Mr. Osborne is an expert violinist and he put on an experiment. He performed two numbers with the recreated numbers by Albert Spalding of Massenet's "Meditation" from "Tristram" and by Carl Fleisch of Schubert's "Ave Maria." The genius of these artists was revealed in the recreations. Mr. Osborne played at times with them. It was an evidence of the verisimilitude of the recreation and of the distinct tone quality possessed by each violin. Mr. Osborne explained that no two violins had the same quality, being as distinct as human voices.

In "Coming Home," Miss Peteler sang a counter melody to the recreation of her song, thus making a duet.

An admirable closing number was provided by "Believe Me If I Tell Those Endearing Young Charms." The three sang, whistled and played with the phonograph, the four making a quartette which did not fail to bring applause, so unique and instantaneous was the appeal.

At the close of the program, a number of musicians and others met the entertainers of the evening and also expressed their admiration of the Diamond Disc Machine and the recreations.

Rotarians Enthusiastic Over Prospects of Drive

Will Ask Citizens to Get Together With Them and Help Salvation Army to Put it Over—Citizens Meeting Friday Night.

With usual rotary enthusiasm for a good cause the Belleville Club at the regular luncheon held at Hotel Quinte yesterday, perfected plans for putting over the Salvation Army Drive for \$2500.00 next week. The following rotarians have accepted districts to administer:

Foster Ward — Bill Schuster, Lorrie Marsh.

Sansom Ward—Sandy Burrows, Charlie Reid, Vince Doyle.

Ketcheson Ward — Bill Deacon, Gordon Moffatt, Oswald Scott.

Baldwin Ward—Fred Smith, Bill Adams, Bill Doyle.

Bleeker Ward—Bob (Doc.) Tenant, Mack Robertson, Fay Willis.

Coleman Ward—Bill McCreary, Jim Bone, Mace (Doc.) Clark.

Murphy Ward, No. 7—Guss Porter, Jim Jenkins, Vene Hyman.

Murphy Ward No. 8.—Percy Allen, Stan Carman.

Corbyville—Bill Hume.

Rotarian Harry Ackerman as Chairman of the Committee has asked the citizens of Belleville to join with the Rotary Club in making a success of this very necessary work. A citizens' meeting will be held on Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the City Hall, and it is expected that all good citizens will be on hand to show how much we appreciate the excellent work done by the Salvation Army during the war and are doing now to make this world a better place to live in.

The motto of rotary is "He profits most who serves best." This motto can fittingly be applied to the Salvation Army, as there is no organization more unselfish and harder worked than this.

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The City of Our Dreams

Mr. Ernest F. Fredericks Refers to Local Conditions—What Civic Righteousness Means.

At John Street Presbyterian Church on Sunday afternoon Mr. Ernest F. Fredericks, secretary of the Belleville Chamber of Commerce, delivered a stirring appeal for civic righteousness in an address before the men's brotherhood of the church. He said in part:

As a preface to my talk to you today on Civic Righteousness and as a sort of keynote to the subject as it has appealed to me I want to read you a little verse that I have often read and admired because of its strong application in the case of communities undertaking the sort of work that we are engaged in here at the present time.

God give us men. The time demands Strong minds, great hearts, true faith and willing hands; Men whom the lust of office does not kill;

Men whom the spoils of office cannot buy; Men who have honor; men who will not lie; Men who can stand before a demagogue

Denounce his treacherous flatteries without winking; Big men, sun crowned, who live above the fog

In public duty and in private thinking.

The Soul of the City.

"Those of us who have delved beneath the surface of civic affairs and have penetrated beneath the skin of community life know that the city has a heart as well as a body and that it is a spiritual entity as well as a physical organism. We are too prone to pin our efforts and gauge our results by the standard of the material things. Factories, pavements, bridges, sewers—all very essential and a necessary part of the city's development, but not the beginning and end of all things. Back of the smoke from the chimneys, back of the roar of traffic, back of the busy life and the headlong struggle for material gain is the soul of the city.

Antagonism and Petty Officialdom

"Since coming to this city it has been part of my work and one of my chief desires to co-ordinate local effort along the line of civic betterment in many directions. Strange as it may seem I have encountered more opposition than co-operation and there is rampant a certain antagonism that is as inextinguishable and unjustified as are some other things that have been allowed to weave themselves into the local situation. That some of this antagonism should emanate from official circles does not endow it with any special claim for recognition and its existence would be unimportant if it were not for the fact that it is made to appear that every effort to improve conditions here is an attempt to usurp the powers and functions of someone else.

"If an honest effort and a whole-hearted desire to make the city better, to aid in the realization of some of its hopes, to give to the people today and to future generations some of the things they are entitled to and to develop to the utmost the natural advantages of the city, if such an effort can be called an attempt to usurp the rights of some petty official then I want to go on record now as saying that the more such usurpation of authority is attempted the better it will be for the city. If such people feel that they have been robbed of any of such authority they will be likely to have still further occasion to express themselves if I stay here and carry on with the work in hand.

Failure to Sink Personal Considerations.

"Such critics of every effort to help the city have merely failed to realize that there is such a thing as the soul of a city; they are not willing to sink personal feeling in the consideration of the bigger and broader issue that has to do with the common good. As an instance of this I might mention the case of the Bay Bridge. For weeks we have been trying to get to a successful disposition of this matter. Wherever one turns he finds unlooked for conditions that only befog and complicate the main issue. On one hand, it is a desire for personal aggrandizement; another hand, and we find that the issue is being used for political advancement and recognition; at another turn we find an apparently unwarranted desire for financial gain and all these attendant conditions merely operate against the working

out of the problem for the great mass of the people. Here again, we encounter that absolute lack of the recognition of the principle of civic righteousness which has its fountain-head in the soul of the city.

Teamwork at Low Ebb.

"For many years the people of this city have been desirous of attaining certain ends so far as the city's welfare is concerned, yet when these matters are launched in the direction of attainment there is no apparent desire to co-operate in carrying them out. We have men in this city who are loud in their praise of a movement to beautify and improve the city but who will not even consider painting the buildings that they own on the principal streets of the city. There are people who are loud in declaring that the city should have parks and playgrounds and who in the next breath will oppose the grant of a few dollars by the city to aid in the maintenance of a park in one of the most conspicuous sections of the city. We lack co-operation; teamwork is at a low ebb and unless we all pull together on these matters and refuse to permit personal glorification to overshadow the city's welfare we may as well sink back into the slumber which is characteristic of places that are cities only because an act of parliament has designated them as such.

Care in Commission Government.

"A notable forward step in a general improvement of conditions would be taken if we should abolish the present form of civic government and adopt the more modern commission form of city administration. The present system is cumbersome, obsolete and, judging from everyday comment, far from satisfactory to the rank and file of people throughout the city. The most important business in any city is running the city, but if the average private concern was to conduct its affairs as many cities are being conducted they would soon collapse. I confidently believe that the people of Belleville will soon awake to the realization that a simplified and more efficient form of city administration, one conducted along modern business lines, will be necessary before long if the city is to take the place that belongs to it in the ranks of progressive communities in Canada.

"And right here I want to read you another little verse that seems to have been written to fit just such a situation as confronts us here at the present time.

What makes a city great? Huge piles of stone

Heaped heavenward? Vast multitudes who dwell

Within wide circling walls? Palace and throne

And riches past the count of man to tell

And wide domain? Nay, these are the empty husk

Of misty centuries and vain conceit.

In Athens, Sparta, Florence, 'twas the soul

That was the city's bright immortal part.

The splendor of the spirit was their goal,

Their jewel the unconquerable heart.

So may the city that we love be great

Till every stone shall be articulate

Responsibility of Citizenship.

"Paying taxes is not the only requirement of citizenship any more than going to church is the only requisite of Christianity. If we fall in the desire and willingness to serve our city when we have failed in the real principles of civic righteousness we are a long way from the ideal city. It lies far ahead but it is a goal well worth striving for. We picture the city of our dreams as a great centre throbbing with life and light; a place of joy and happiness radiant with the inspiration of higher motives, clean living and a brotherhood of man, where social justice and the common good are ever the highest object of human aspiration and hope. This then is the spirit of civic righteousness and until we awake to the potent influence of this factor in civic development and progress we have failed to touch the soul of the city.

NORTHPORT

A little daughter has arrived to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Mills. Mother and child are both doing well.

Seeding is now well along and will be almost completed this week. Northport church has purchased a new piano from the J. M. Greene Music Co. of Belleville.

Messrs. H. David and J. M. Foster spent Monday in Trenton, the guests of Mr. Ezra David and Mr. Anderson. Quite a number from here attended the recital and concert by the Edison Phonograph Co. at Pictou last week. The Northport Methodist Church

reports, the minister, Rev. J. J. Miller, paid in full for the current year.

Point Anne Boy Arrested

Jose VanWart Admitted Two Thefts Today.

Jose VanWart, a boy aged 17 years but looking much younger, was this morning remanded to the county jail until May 18 after being tried summarily by Magistrate Masson on two charges to which VanWart pleaded guilty. He admitted breaking into and entering on May 7th the office of the Point Anne Quarries Ltd., and stealing a double barreled shot gun and two packages of shells. He also admitted having on the same date broken into the store of Mrs. Esther Palmer at Point Anne with intent to steal, and having stolen a quantity of cigarettes and money.

Another youth was in jail for the same offence. He is only fifteen years of age.

The lad VanWart can neither read nor write.

Graduates From McMaster University

Miss Evelyn Dempsey is Now Bachelor of Arts.

Miss Annie Evelyn Dempsey, daughter of Mr. W. C. Dempsey of Belleville and Roseboro has been graduated bachelor of arts at McMaster University, Toronto, after a brilliant course. She is a graduate of Belleville High School and was awarded the first General Proficiency Scholarship (value \$300) at McMaster University. In June 1916, she won the second Carter Scholarship here. Her standing in the fourth year work at McMaster was as follows: Eng., 8, II.; Ec., 6, II.; Hist., 6, II.; Pol. Econ., 2, III.; Chem., 4, III.; 6, III.; Geol., 4, I.; Min., 2, I.; Math., 8, II.; Pub. Rdg. and Spk., 1, I.; 2, II.

Cornwall Cheese Men Oppose Co-operation

Think Plan Half-Baked and Unnecessary.

Cornwall, May 11.—The Cornwall Cheese Board held its first meeting of the season here yesterday afternoon, with a large attendance of buyers and sellers.

The President asked the members present for an expression of opinion relative to the proposed co-operative selling of cheese, and it was the consensus of opinion that, so far as Cornwall was concerned, nothing could be gained by going into such a proposition. It was felt that if all boards were operated in the same way as the Cornwall board there would be no necessity for such a proposal in order that better prices might be obtained. The general idea was that the plan was only half-baked, and, so far as known, sufficient facilities have not been provided for the handling and holding of cheese in Montreal.

B.H.S. Boys and Production

Hoe and Rake Brigade Began Work on School Plot Today.

Boys of the Agricultural class at the Belleville High School took on a practical course of study this morning, when armed with hoes and rakes they betook themselves to the production lot in East Belleville.

The lot the boys are working at is situated at the corner of Queen street and Foster Ave. The work is under the direction of Mr. G. W. Buntin of the Belleville High School staff. Twenty boys were at work this morning, each looking after a plot and each planting seed which he purchased himself. Carrots, turnips, beets, parsnip seed and so forth were planted. The potatoes are being furnished to the boys but as they have not arrived, they will not be put in until next Tuesday morning. The boys will engage in gardening once a week.

Nights of Agony come in the train of asthma. The victim cannot lie down and sleep is driven from his brain. What grateful relief is the immediate effect of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. It banishes passages and enables the afflicted the frightful conditions, clears the one to again sleep as soundly and restfully as a child. Insist on the genuine at your nearby druggist.

The Buttressed British Empire

Written for The Ontario by Chas. M. Bice, Lawyer, Denver, Colorado.

In 1896, at a moment when it looked as if Germany would override France and dictate terms to Russia one of her foremost publicists declared that the two great years in human history were 1492, when Columbus discovered America, and that year of 1916 when German imperialists took the first step toward the construction of a railroad to India to connect the Western empire with the Orient. How vain was the latter part of that boast!

Germany has fallen from her high estate and all her dreams are of yesterday—brought to naught. The nation that was to be humbled to the dust and her place taken by Germany, since then has arisen to new power and has buttressed an empire where it might have been weak.

The treaty of peace with Turkey reveals fully as clearly as the German peace treaty the defeat of the latter and the ascendancy of the British empire. Through the Turkish treaty Great Britain becomes Mandatory for Palestine, Mesopotamia and other Arabian points. Through a separate agreement, Britain is the controlling factor in Persia. She has secured valuable petroleum rights in the Caucasus and its two chief ports. The Bagdad railroad, the dream of Germany for many years, which was to have menaced British supremacy in India, is now dominated by Britain at the starting point, at the centre and at the terminus. Egypt and the Suez Canal are relieved of responsibility to Turkey, and Britain is in all but name the supreme power. The Dardanelles are to be internationalized, which means that in time, and as the powers with lesser interests become tired, the duty will devolve upon the British navy of guarding the world gateway, the prize sought by two continents for many centuries.

How have these things been accomplished? Did the failure of the American Senate to accept the German peace treaty aid or hinder Britain in her aims of fortification in Asia and Africa? Or was it blind fate?

If Russia had remained an aggressive factor in the world war until the end, that empire would have had much to say relative to the distributions that have been taking place the last week at San Remo. Russia would have demanded, and more than likely received, Constantinople and the straits and Asia would have had her sphere of influence in Persia also. She would have had something to say regarding the Balkans settlement. As it happened she had not a word to say. Lenin and Trotzky are too busy getting rid of the bourgeoisie in their own land to bother with the Bosphorus and Dardanelles.

At the very outset of the war British instinct led armies to the strategic quarters of the globe. No matter how hard it went in Flanders where the decision was said to lie from the outset, the British armies clung to their positions on a far-off border in another continent. One failure had to be recorded, at Gallipoli, the struggle at that strategic field for possession of Constantinople and the straits was terrific. The British fleet was at one time endangered; the flower of the Australian armies was sacrificed to gain control of the Turkish capital early in the war; and it was through a miscalculation that the adventure failed. But what was lost in the stress of war in that direction has been partly retaken by diplomacy after the war.

Mesopotamia was taken and held by Anglo-Indian forces. The right of way to the Caucasian oil fields was not forgotten or overlooked. A new monarch was enthroned in the heart of Arabia as a religious diplomatic necessity to satisfy the millions of Indian Moslems.

The remnant of Turkish misrule was left at Constantinople for the same reason. But from Constantinople to Port Darwin, Australia, Britain has the right-of-way and the Gorman corridor from the North Sea to the Persian gulf has been thrown into the discard. To celebrate the acquisition, an airplane service was established along this route and another one from Cairo to the Cape.

Plans are being made in London just now to building land communications with a straight line of rail-ways will run from London by way of the Dover tunnel to India and Australia meeting at Aleppo, which at the beginning of the war was Germany's headquarters for the con-

quest of the East and the protection of her ally, Turkey. Palestine as an immediate economic asset means a great deal to the Christian world as well as to the Jewish faith; and Judah will have a home at last where it will be protected.

The other day Lloyd George declared that Mesopotamia, the garden of the world and the home of the earliest civilization, is still the richest spot on earth.

Of interest to all is a report of the British Empire Cotton Growing Committee showing where newly acquired lands from the war are to be transformed in a few years into cotton lands. 3,000,000 acres can be added to the Empire's cotton producing areas in Mesopotamia, Egypt, the Sudan and in other parts of Africa.

With new drainage, Egypt can supply near 3,000,000 bales of cotton a year.

In Mesopotamia, when the labor situation has cleared a million acres can be turned into cotton. Much irrigation work was done by the British before the war and the Arabs were encouraged to add to the growing acreage. The committee's survey shows that sufficient cotton can be grown within the empire to supply her cotton demands for exportation and for home use.

From Mesopotamia the world's oil supply will be benefited most materially. Fields as rich as the Tampico field are said to exist along the Euphrates river and oilwells that were burning in the days of Zoroaster for religious ceremonies are still producing.

Wheat Prices Advanced

Winnipeg, May 11.—The Canadian Wheat Board issued new regulations effective at midnight, May 8, advancing the prices to mills of all grades of Western wheat 35 cents per bushel, and wheat Columbia, Ontario and Quebec wheat 40 cents per bushel. Another regulation, effective at the same time, increases the maximum prices of bran and shorts to the extent of \$3 per ton.

Musical at Studio

On Saturday, a very jovial evening was spent at Miss Bowerman's music studio, when the following program was rendered:

- Sonatina in C Op. 36 No. 1, (Clementi) Elizabeth Ethier.
- Waltzes in C Op. No. 1 (Zelcher), Ruby Burr.
- Valse in C Op. 36 No. 1 (Carse) Helen Graves.
- The Mill Wheel Op. 40 (Krogmann) Dorothy Horie.
- Sonatina in G Op. 40 No. 4 (Beethoven) Hosiell Hull.
- Tarentella Op. 16 No. 4 (Sturkow) Wilma Ross.
- Petita Waltz Op. 12 No. 1 (C. Denice) Gladys Beesack.
- Prelude No. 3 (Bach)-Helena Taylor.
- Gavotte in C, (E. Holst) Annie Hull.
- Mazurka in F Op. 40, No. 5 (Krogmann) Mildred Darlington.
- (a) Elin Danse Op. 50, No. 2 (Rhode) Kathleen Tuck.
- (b) Pink Op. 111, No. 3 (Lichner) Kathleen Tuck.
- Tarentella Op. 85 No. 2 (Heller) David Batchelor.
- (a) Valse Brillante (Chopin) (b) Sonata Op. 49 No. 2 (Beethoven)—Jennie Duff.
- Valse in C sharp minor (Chopin) Grace Horie.

OBITUARY

FRANCIS S. DALY
Francis Sylvester Day, seven months old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Daly, of Point Anne died this morning.

A Cure for Rheumatism.—A painful and persistent form of rheumatism is caused by impurities in the blood, the result of defective action of the liver and kidneys. The blood becomes tainted by the introduction of uric acid, which causes much pain in the tissues and in the joints. Par-melee's Vegetable Pills are known to have effected many remarkable cures, and their use is strongly recommended. A trial of them will convince anyone of their value.

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TALK OF THE TOWN AND OF THE COUNTRY

There's going to be one big time at Picton's Big Victoria Day Celebration on Monday, May 24th, as the Races promise to be the best ever held in Picton on that date, and will consist of a 2.30 Class, Purse, \$350.; Free for All, Purse, \$350.; 2.18 Class, Purse, \$350.; and Named Race, \$100. There will also be a rattling good game of baseball between Napanee and Picton. The Citizens' Band of Picton will entertain the day with a good Band Concert. And as a grand finale to the day's proceedings there will be a Victoria Day Celebration Dance in the Picton Armories at night.

Business today was rather quiet, owing to the half holiday closing. The town was pretty well closed up this afternoon.

Friday is the last day for the filing of appeals against the assessment for the year 1920. Of course there is a larger number of appeals than in 1919 but there are not so many as might be expected. The next two days may see more appeals lodged than expected.

No word has yet been received from any of the G.T.R. authorities by the city as to a conference with the city council regarding the location of the railway track on Pinnacle street. It is nine days since the council left the question in abeyance for ten days or so to allow the railway an opportunity to hold a conference with the city council.

Somebody last night or this morning interfered with the new lock on the city hall and the result is that the lock is damaged to the extent of having the bolt bent.

A meeting of interest is being held in the Baptist Church tonight when Dr. J. A. White, of Chicago, a speaker of international repute will address the league of the city.

Because the principle of equal pay for equal work—a principle more generally honored in theory than in practice—was denied by the Ottawa Collegiate Institute board in its new schedule for teachers, Miss Jessie Muir, head of the department of modern languages, is resigning from the staff. Miss Muir has taught in the Collegiate Institute for eleven years with singular success. She went to Ottawa in 1909 with a Master of Arts degree from Queen's University Kingston, from which she holds medals in French and German.

Sergt-Major Harry W. R. Gould died at the Davisville Military Hospital on Thursday. The late Sergt-Major was born in London, Eng., in 1877, and saw service in the South African campaign with the Fusiliers, serving with them for seven years. Later he came to Canada and enlisted with the Canadian Ordnance Corps. In Kingston, being with them for the last ten years. He saw service in Siberia during the last conflict.

The Appleford Milk Products, Limited, which has secured a Federal charter with a capital of \$1,000,000, will control a chain of powdered milk factories throughout Canada, the new factory at Gananoque being included in the merger. U. L. Appleford, of St. Thomas, is manager of the venture in which Ottawa, Brantford and Kingston capital is interested. The cold storage docks at Trenton have been purchased for a factory and a new factory at St. Thomas will be rushed to completion. Similar factories are projected or under construction at Paris, Gananoque, Sydenham and other places. They will engage in the manufacture of Mealomilk and Knowlact, the two brands made by the process of Dehydration, owned and controlled in Canada by Mr. Appleford.

In Orlitia, where the town owns its own electric power plant, the rate for manufacturers is \$15 per horsepower. There is a flat rate of 12 cents per light for house lighting, with 10 per cent. off for prompt payment, and a meter rate for domestic users running from five cents to one cent. Where a cooking range is installed, the rate for the entire domestic consumption is practically one cent per kilowatt hour.

The town is not only supplying a very cheap service to its own people, but it has extended these benefits outside the corporation. The little villages of Atherley and Longford and the hospital for imbeciles are supplied from Orlitia.

There are as well, a couple of lines from which, neighboring farmers draw power, one line being two miles long and the other six. Farmers on these lines are given a flat rate of 12 cents per light with ten per cent. off for prompt payment, thus making the net rate 12 cents per light per 24 hours.

More towns die for want of confidence on the part of business men and lack of public spirit than from the rivalry of neighboring towns or adverse surroundings, says a writer in a western paper. This is true. When a man in search of a home or a business location goes to a town and finds its brim full of hope and enthusiasm over the prospects of the place and earnestly at work to build up the town, he soon becomes imbued with the same spirit, and as a result he drives his stakes and goes to work with the same interest. When, however, he goes to a town and every one expresses a doubt and apprehension of the prosperity of the place, moving about and indulging in mournful complaints about imaginary evils which are likely to befall the town, he feels that it is no place for him, and shakes the dust from his feet, while he departs with all possible speed for some other town. Try and make a live, enterprising, progressive town out of the one in which you live. When you are working for or saying a good thing for your town you are accomplishing a good thing for yours.

No matter what inducements are offered, nothing is to be gained by making a start without preparation. The boy who is so eager to be earning that he gives up the intention of getting an education, the young business man who goes into a new enterprise without first having investigated it, the girl who lets herself be swept into a position of responsibility without taking steps to prepare herself, are all guilty of the same folly.

Time taken for preparation is time saved in the end. But time is not the only thing saved. Heartaches, disappointments, failures, a life of ineffectiveness, all result from making the mistake of starting before one is ready.

The date of the hydro-electric meeting at Smith's Falls, which will be addressed by Sir Adam Beck, chairman of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission and to which an invitation is extended to all interested has been set for Thursday, May 13. The executive of the Eastern Ontario Municipal Power Union is holding a meeting in Smith's Falls on the same date. Development of the St. Lawrence rapids will be discussed as well as kindred matters of the utmost moment to Eastern Ontario.

The greater part of black licorice is derived from Spain, where it is made from the juice of the plant and mixed with starch to prevent it from melting in the hot weather. The licorice plant is a shrub that attains a height of three feet and it grows wild where its roots reach the water. It flourishes especially on the banks of the Tigris and Euphrates Rivers. Since the valley of the Euphrates contains one of the earliest civilizations in the world, the probability is that licorice is about the oldest confection in the world, and the taste of it like so well was enjoyed by the youngsters of three thousand years ago.

According to John Cahill, of Calgary, hog cholera is being conquered by vaccination. Two treatments are necessary, a single injection when the animals are four weeks old and the double treatment when they are four months old. This is said to safeguard them against cholera for one year and the treatment can be repeated with good results twelve months after the double injection. This is a tremendous boon to western hog raisers who were about discouraged by the ravages of this disease.

Help this city by resolving: That you will keep so busy boosting that you will have no time to knock. That you will vote, talk and work for a bigger, better, brighter town. That you will help to make this a good town so the town can make good. That you will increase the value of your property by improving its appearance. That you will say something good about the town every time you write a letter. That you will invest your money where you would make it and where

you can watch it. That you will keep your premises cleaned up and your buildings repaired as a matter of both pride and profit. That you will brag about this town so much that you will have to work for this town in order to keep from being called a liar. That you will take half a day right now to pick up the odds and ends about the place and turn them into either use, money or ashes. That you will contribute as much money as you can afford and as much enthusiasm as anybody, to any movement to develop the resources of the town.

Perhaps the Kingston climate proved a little too cool for them, but at any rate they are, or were, two dusky maids from the Sunny South who decamped during Sunday leaving their employer without the semblance of a notice. It is understood that a Kingston merchant secured two negro maids from the south to work as maids in his home. He paid their transportation from the south, and for a time they acquitted themselves capably in their new work. But Sunday night the wanderlust seized them and Monday morning they disappeared. The matter has been reported to the police and they are now on the trail of the missing maids.

After a period of several years of inactivity, the brick manufacturing plant on the Kingston Road, commonly known as the Lingham brickyard, is taking on a new lease of life under the management of Mr. D. W. Rollins. The entire plant is being overhauled and made ready for active operations, which will be commenced in a few days. Preparing and moulding the clay will proceed at once. Burning will be proceeded with as soon as the kiln is constructed and it will probably be a matter of a month's time before any finished brick are ready for sale. There is plenty of material at hand and the demand for brick is brisk, and the management looks forward to a busy season.

It will be just one hundred years ago next Wednesday that the founder of modern nursing, or as she is more lovingly called, "The Foster Mother of the race," such character being Miss Florence Nightingale, the heroine of the Crimea, was born in England. Complete returns in connection with Sydenham Street Methodist church's canvass in Kingston, for the Forward Movement as announced by Rev. Mr. Brown, the pastor, Monday show that the congregation donated a total of \$18,537. The church was asked to raise \$12,000, exceeding their allotment by over \$6,500.

A woman's hotel is a possibility of the near future for Winnipeg. The Women's Council have a proposition under advisement which will be brought before a public meeting of wage-earning women called for May 14. It involves forming a joint stock company and the purchase of a downtown hotel. Eighty thousand dollars is the sum mentioned as the needed capital.

At an early hour Sunday morning sneak thieves entered the residence of Mr. Peter Kennedy, corner Glenelg and St. Lawrence streets Lindsay. Entrance was gained by removing a storm window on the west side of the house. They carried off a quantity of goods from the cellar and left by a door on the east side placing their spoil in an automobile in waiting. A neighbor heard the car, and, dressing quickly, hurried after Constable Parkes of Lindsay. When the officer arrived an inspection of the house was made, when it was found that the cellar was the only place visited. The police are working on the case.

Wilfred Osborne, a young man whose home is in Prince Edward County met with a distressing accident. He was operating a tractor when from some cause he fell and the tractor passed over him fracturing an arm and leg and severely bruising his body. His condition is serious.

Word was received at Kingston of the death of Mrs. Hugh Sutherland at Winnipeg. She was mother of Mrs. Victor Williams, wife of Major-General Victor Williams, C.M.G., G. O.C., Kingston military district. She had just returned from Tampa, Fla., where she had been spending the past winter.

With the merger of the Canada Steamship Limited and the Dominion Steel Company, several of the names of steamers which sail into Kingston will have their names changed. To make sure that there will be no doubt

that the steamers are Canadian the company has changed the names. All the new names will commence with "Maple." On Sunday the first steamer having a new name arrived at Swift's Wharf. She is known as Maple Hearts. In the course of a few days several other steamers will appear under a new name.

"There was one word," wrote an American Red Cross nurse serving in a French army hospital, "that we quickly learned in five languages. It was the word that came most often to the lips of sick or wounded soldiers when suffering or delirium wrong utterance from them. It is Mutter, mere, moeder, madre and mother."

The steamer Belleville passed by Brockville on Saturday afternoon on the completion of her first round trip of the season from Hamilton to Montreal and return. The Belleville, which belongs to the fleet of the Canada Steamship Lines, was formerly the steamer Corsican of the Toronto-Montreal mail line and is now engaged in the carrying of package freight.

Some weeks ago Mr. Duncan Clark of Campbellford, was working with his wood when a piece of steel from an old axe hit him in the eye. The eye had bothered him considerably until Tuesday of last week when he went to a specialist at Peterboro. Here he entered the hospital and had the eye removed. Mr. Clark returning home on Monday and is improving

nicely. War trophies are being distributed to some towns and cities. Why can't Campbellford get hold of a few? Why doesn't the Campbellford Board of Commerce get busy, asks the Campbellford Herald. The Fish Inspector for Havelock district, Mr. John Adams of Campbellford, has made two convictions for spearing. A resident of Belmont and one from Havelock paid out the sum of \$32.00 on Wednesday for the privilege of spearing maskinonge in Belmont Lake. The Inspector also confiscated a net, two jacks and four spears. And listen! He is after more law breakers. A word to the wise should be sufficient. A public meeting of all Havelock citizens was called on Thursday evening, for the purpose of forming a Board of Trade in the busy little town of Havelock. The need of such a Board is apparent to any progressive citizen, and its services will be used when any proposition comes up in the interests of the village. Again, at this juncture in its history, Havelock needs a real live, progressive Board of Trade to promote industry, attract residents, and induce factories, if possible, to locate in that village. Mr. O. Trumble, Stirling had a narrow escape while putting a cartridge in a gun. The shell exploded, coming back in his face.

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AN AWKWARD PHRASE

Written for The Ontario by
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"Self-Determination" has been much heard of in recent years. It rolls nicely on the tongue. It was conspicuous in the Wilson fourteen "commandments" to Europe. Before that it had been working over-time in Russia and in Europe generally for revolutionary parties. Ostensibly it was made the basis for the treaty of Versailles and minor treaties announced and unannounced. Europe was restricted on that principle. Plebiscites were held in doubtful territories to determine what the majority of the people really wanted. Revolutions and semi-revolutions have been started with "Self-Determination" painted on the banner. The phrase has spread to all lands. India, Korea, Egypt, Palestine, and even Arabia proclaim it. Two parties in the Philippines have joined hands to demand immediate independence. It was announced a few days ago. There are mutterings in Porto Rico. Partition is taking place across the border on that groundwork. One of the Filipino leaders in an impassioned speech placed the issue before Washington: "We urge upon you in your capacity of resident commissioner to the United States to tell the Congress and people of that noble country that we who are gathered here today would prefer to be the lowest and humblest citizens of the Philippines with independence in our hands than the leaders that we

O. B. A. ADOPTS THE NEW RULES

An important meeting of the Executive Committee of the O.B.A.A. the first since the annual meeting two weeks ago, was held at the Central Y.M.C.A., Toronto. President Frank Robbins, of Hamilton, occupied the chair, and there was a large representation from the various leagues. Several matters arising out of the minutes of the annual meeting came up for discussion, some of which were disposed of, while others were referred to the sub-committee. Applications for affiliation were received and accepted from the North Wellington Association, comprising over 25 clubs, and from the Haldimand County League, comprising four clubs. There were several applications for reinstatement from players who have been suspended from various causes. In one or two instances recommendations for reinstatement were made to the A.A.U. of C., and others were referred for further investigation. One of the most important matters brought before the meeting was that of the new pitching rules. One or two delegates were of the opinion that these rules should not be strictly enforced this year, but as the O.B.A.A. constitution provides for the adoption of the National Baseball rules, it was not deemed advisable to make any change, the general opinion being that by the time the semifinals and finals are played the pitchers will have had sufficient experience to enable them to live up to the new rules. A suggestion was made that an organization committee be appointed to carry on propaganda work throughout the province. W. J. Smith was made chairman of this committee, which will be composed of the members of the executive. The date for declaring a winner in all leagues outside of Toronto was set for August 31st, and for Toronto, September 15th. The Secretary will arrange the groupings of the different leagues and conveners will be appointed later. The question of securing suitable trophies for the intermediate and junior series was left with the sub-committee with good prospects. The sub-committee were elected by ballot, the following being chosen: Geo. C. Walker, Hamilton; Ward Patterson, Peterboro; M. B. Dudgeon, Guelph; and S. H. Armstrong, Toronto.

Moscow Says Britain Wants to Negotiate

Foreign Secretary Reported to Have Sent Declaration to Soviet Government
London, May 7.—Great Britain is on the eve of negotiations with Soviet Russia, a Moscow wireless message today asserts. Earl Curzon, the British Foreign Secretary, the message says, has forwarded to M. Tchitcherin, the Soviet Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, a declaration in which direct conversations with Gen. Wrangel, commander of the remnant of the Russian volunteer army, are proposed. These conversations, it is declared, are desired by Great Britain, in order that definite negotiations may be begun concerning the cessation of the Bolshevik advance into the Crimea, and British officers would participate in these negotiations. M. Tchitcherin, continues the message, replied to the British communication with the statement that the Soviet Government was prepared to meet the desire expressed in that communication and enter into negotiations with the British Government, or any one that Government might indicate, concerning the question of hostilities in the Crimean sector, and that the Soviet was prepared to admit General Wrangel as well as British officers to these negotiations. Regarding the Caucasus front, the message states, that hostilities have ceased and that the Soviet has applied to the Governments of the various States, offering to begin peace negotiations immediately. The Soviet promises to take British Government interests in the Caucasus into consideration.

Loss of \$30,000,000 to Run G.T.R. for Year

Senator Casgrain Says Delay in Taking Over System Saves Canada \$80,000 a Day.
Ottawa, May 8.—Every day postponed in the Government's taking over of the Grand Trunk Railway

CHEESE MAKE INCREASING

Cheese Brought 32 1/2 Cents on Saturday's Board
At the Belleville Cheese Board of Trade on Saturday, cheese sold at 32 1/2 cents, the following factories boardings:
Union—25 white.
Eclipse—25 colored.
Halloway—25 colored.
Acme—31 white.
Wooler—25 colored.
Sidney Town Hall—44 colored.
Bayside—25 colored.
West Huntingdon—30 colored.
Zion—60 colored.
Foxboro—50 colored.
Plainfield—30 colored.
Mountain View—30 colored.

OBSEQUIES

MRS. A. MCGOWAN

The funeral of the late Mrs. A. McGowan took place from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. E. Burdett, Patterson St., Friday afternoon, Rev. A. H. Foster, pastor of Holloway St. church officiated at the house and interment was made at Belleville cemetery. The bearers were P. F. Casey, F. White, C. Priory, D. Hyde, R. Adams and H. Hubbel, former neighbors of the deceased. Numerous floral offerings placed on the casket bore evidence of the esteem in which the lady was held in the community.

THIRD LINE THURLOW

The farmers on this line are nearly through putting in their crops as the weather has been fine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Conrite of Toronto have moved into Mr. R. Peacock's house.

The stork called on Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hall and left a fine baby boy. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harris, of Sidney called on Mrs. H. Langabeer on Friday last.

Mr. Herb. Hinchliffe of Sidney, called on Mr. and Mrs. J. Pound on Sunday.

Mr. J. Carscallen erected a machine house on his farm occupied by Mr. Adam Hall.

Mr. A. Brown took dinner on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Langabeer of Belleville.

We are pleased to report that Mr. Harry Pound is able to be home again after going through an operation for tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert. Langabeer and family of Belleville spent Sunday with Mrs. H. Langabeer and family.

Mrs. Frank Pound and family spent Sunday under the parental roof, Mrs. S. Walker of the Fourth Line.

Miss Maude Fauls of Trenton, is visiting Miss Bertha Fauls of this line.

Mr. George Pound has returned to the West to take up his occupation as a school teacher.

A Pill that Proves its Value—Those of weak stomach will find strength in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, because they serve to maintain the healthful condition of the stomach and the liver, irregularities in which are most distressing. Dyspepsias are well acquainted with them and value them at their proper worth. They have afforded relief when other preparations have failed, and have effected cures in ailments of long standing where other medicines were found unavailing.

DESERONTO

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Howard spent Friday visiting in Belleville.

Mrs. S. Thomas, Main St. East is very ill.

Our new policeman, Mr. Wm. Bowen will be on duty on Monday morning. Mr. Bowen recently sold his farm on the Napanee Road to Mr. Wm. Whitton and moved to town.

Dr. R. M. Anderson has been accepted by the Mission Board of the Methodist Church for service in China, in connection with his profession and he and Mrs. Anderson expect to leave Canada about Sept. 1st. Dr. Anderson has prospects of a good business in his town. He is a young man of high ideals, earnest purpose and Christian attainments, and when the call came for a larger sphere of service he did not refuse. Mrs. Anderson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cole, of Deseronto. Best wishes and congratulations are in order for Mr. and Mrs. Anderson from their old friends.

Mr. Fred Graham spent the week-end in town, coming down from Oshawa on Friday night.

Mr. Oscar Fitchett has purchased a new Gray Dorr special.
Mr. (Simmie) Mitchell of Toronto spent the week-end in town with his mother, Mrs. William Mitchell.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Woodcock of Toronto are in town attending the interment of their only daughter, Evelyn, who died in the winter. They are the guests of Miss Stoddart, while in town.

Mr. Orville Watson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Watson, left on Saturday for Sudbury, where he has accepted a position.

Rev. L. M. Sharpe and family spent Tuesday in town with their relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stratton, are removing to Oshawa, where Mr. Stratton has a good position.

The marriage of Miss Phyllis Gertrude Newton, daughter of Mrs. Charlotte Newton and the late Dr. J. Newton, of Deseronto, Ont., to Mr. Howard Bailey of Cleveland, Ohio, took place at the Central Presbyterian Church, Rochester, N.Y., on Tuesday, April 27th. Rev. C. Waldo Cherry officiated. Following the ceremony a small wedding breakfast party was given at the Powers Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey left for a short trip through the west and will make their new home in Cleveland. Miss Andrea A. Maracle, of Deseronto and Mr. John Westover, of Muskegon, Mich., were united in marriage at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. H. J. McIntosh, 14 Ruddiman street, on April 14th. Rev. L. H. Manning, pastor of Central M. E. Church, officiating.

Mr. Murney Luffman spent the week-end with his family.

Mr. A. E. Sharpe spent part of last week at his home near Frankford.

Mr. Crawford of the C.P.R. station at Lonsdale, motored to town on Sunday in his new Ford car.

Mrs. G. H. Richardson, Centre St., returned from Colborne on Saturday.

OTHER EDITORS' OPINIONS

Why doesn't labor try work? Labor, it would seem from the voluminous utterances which lately have been proceeding from the great conference in Washington, is strong for finding some "panacea" for the ills of the nation in general and the high cost of living in particular. Labor, it would seem, has not thought of that age-old and irresistible saviour of nations—work. Labor regards work merely as one of the ills of the "capitalist" regime. Adam, no doubt, regarded it the same way when he was introduced to it through the necessity of earning his living by the sweat of his brow. That's the unfortunate part about work. It's so confoundedly unpopular.

Now labor is commencing to talk about a six-hour day. It's a beautiful thought—the six-hour day. The six-hour day is a development of the old-fashioned ten-hour day, which later became a nine-hour day, and finally an eight-hour day. Judging by past developments, the six-hour day logically will become a five-hour day, then a four-hour day, and so on, until it becomes a no-hour day. Labor, quite frankly, will laugh today at the idea of a no-hour day. But twenty-five years ago it would have regarded a six-hour day as an impossibility, and a stretching of its aims and hopes to an absurdity.

If labor continues its well-known attitude of the past and the present, the no-hour day is the ultimate and certain result. It will be also, that no-hour day. We shall all run around again clothed in fig-leaves. Of course, some work will have to be done. The fig leaves will have to be sewed together, possibly with dried vines or, something—but that work naturally will be done by the women. For food we shall eat the wild potato and the untamed bean. It will be great sport trying to find the potato in the bean. Zeet will be added to the occupation by the fact that wild potatoes and beans are so contrary. They won't want to grow in sufficient numbers to feed us all, and we'll have to scramble for them. That will improve our physical condition. The contest will eliminate the unfit, who will meet sudden death in their covetous attempts on their neighbor's beans, or will pass away quietly of starvation, in the ruins of some abandoned factory. With only the fittest surviving, we will then have the much-advertised super-man reigning supreme, just as he did in the days when his idea of romance was to

bang his lady friend on dome with a club and drag her into his cave, and when his principal activity was snoring the peaceful slumber of running a race with the pegwidgeon to see which one of them could reach a given tree first. Then we'll gradually build up a new civilization—and do it over again.—Eckels Embalmer.

THE NEED OF CAUTION.

Doubtless there is disappointment among the ultra Hydro-radial enthusiasts at the nature of Premier Drury's reply to the deputation which waited upon him this week to urge that the province guarantee bonds for a number of radial projects; but there will be many people who will commend the stand taken by the Premier. Hon. Mr. Drury counsels caution in radial matters and refuses to be stampeded into hasty action, believing the financial situation to be such as to warrant careful investigation, while the government must also be satisfied that there is no unnecessary duplication of existing lines.

The Premier's caution in this respect may prove an asset to the province. It has been one of the weaknesses of the Hydro-Electric project that important undertakings have been assumed with little or no consideration, the enthusiasm of Hon. Adam Beck carrying all before it. There is no need of going further than the Peterborough district to realize that a little forethought and caution in the entering upon important business transactions may be very valuable factors.—Peterborough Examiner.

RIVER VALLEY

Miss Violet Richardson, of Belleville, spent the past week with her parents here.

Mrs. Martin Donohue called on Mrs. George Bolton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heasman spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Robert Bush.

Miss Isabel Parks spent the week-end with Mr. Fred Carr.

Mrs. Chas. Morrow of Stirling, Spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. R. McNary.

Mrs. Earl Heagle is suffering from a badly sprained ankle as a result of a runaway accident.

Miss Ethel Snider of West Huntingdon, spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Irvin.

Mr. John Sager is very ill. Dr. Zwick is attending him.

Mrs. and Mrs. Earl Morrow and party of friends motored to Belleville on Friday evening and attended the play "Green Stockings" given by the Albert College Dramatic Society.

Rev. B. F. Byers called at Mr. F. Irvin's on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Alex. and Mrs. Robert Bush spent Friday with friends at Glen Miller.

We understand that the farmers of River Valley are taking Tuesday afternoon for a holiday during the summer months.

The Women's Institute meeting, which was postponed will be held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Hanna on the 15th inst. at 2 p.m.

Sunday School was very well attended on Sunday afternoon, it being "Mother's Day."

The teacher and pupils of our school observed Arbor Day with splendid results, both indoors and out.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Morrow and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. R. G. Mafoc Junction.

A party of men are at work repaving the roads around here.

Finds Europe's Food Abundant

S. M. Vauclain, Head of Baldwin Locomotive Works, Says Serbia is "Garden of Eden."

PARIS, May 11.—Samuel L. Vauclain, head of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, has returned to Paris after a three weeks' trip to Poland, Rumania and Serbia.

"Europe will be on its feet within two years," he said. He described his trip as a "most successful and satisfactory business experience" and added that he found the country and railroads in excellent condition, but that the distribution of manufactured and raw products of the seaports was being delayed by insufficient locomotives. He said this transportation was absolutely essential for the rehabilitation of Europe and would be the one vital element in creating a European export market, which was the only way to stabilize exchange.

Mr. Vauclain was received at Bucharest by the king and queen of Rumania, and in addition to orders

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of Serbia was almost like a trip through the Garden of Eden. The land was under cultivation and the crops fine. I saw large herds of cattle and the country abounds in live stock of all description. Food in this country is abundant; in fact, large quantities of farm products are going to waste for lack of locomotive power to take it to the seaports. Almost all the war-damaged bridges are now repaired, and the roadbeds are in good condition, if not better than many in the United States."

LATE J. COOK
The obsequies of the late John Cook took place on Monday afternoon from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Hector Grant, North Park St., the Rev. W. H. Wallace and the Rev. Wesley Elliott officiating. The funeral was under Masonic auspices, the deceased having been tyler for many years of the local lodge. R. W. Bro. J. Newton and W. Bro. W. Cook conducted the ritual. The interment was in the Belleville cemetery, the bearers being W. Turner, C. Day, M. Barlow, H. Greenleaf, W. Pringle and W. Thompson.

LATE MRS. MARY McDONNELL
The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary McDonnell took place this morning from her late residence, Cannifton Road to St. Michael's Church, where Father Killeen celebrated a solemn requiem mass. The interment was made in St. James' Cemetery, the Rev. Father Walsh officiating. The bearers were F. Walsh, A. Walsh, J. Donovan, J. Bradden, G. Hamilton, and W. Armstrong.

If a man has a long head and a good strong arm he ought to make good.

Talk An

Rewards totalling and five hundred dollars for the arrest of the motorist who late C. A. B. Brown authorized \$500.00; Motor League, \$1,000; Safety League \$500.00; Ontario Automobile Tr \$500.00. The Safety League on the question of expects that other organizations will incur materially.

The American Institute of Engineers to the about one hundred will reach Belleville early on the evening of week later than expected preparations have been their entertainment E. Allen. They will Pullman coaches. The visit the principal of tries of the county of at the Deloro Smelting Works, Limited will by Beeve Wright. Macville will later be visited trial plant at the latter inspected, the party by er by W. J. Hume ar. Arriving in town the their hosts will banquet Quinte, where all activity will be represented. Dominion Day will be day for Belleville and the visiting association.

Evelyn McCabe, on died in the Children's child was a ward of the

An auto owner was fined \$5 and costs for of the law by speeding, his son being the offend

A guest at a Chinese on Saturday night did whether French toast ordered, included syrup a dispute with the Chin have the police verdict. went to the scene and th up.

On Saturday night of of Chatham and Bridge automobile struck and d C. S. Clapp's delivery autoist did not stop. The wagon escaped injury.

On Sunday afternoon clock an auto accident. the intersection of Front streets, when Edwin J. car, No. 124398, going Bridge street was struck by a Ford owned by W ander of Hillier, the lat 127975 having turned Front. The Ford had its damaged, but only a fe other car suffered. No on

Kingston dealers in mystified by the prices for cheese on the open boards by exporters. It that a supply of last seas is still on hand and the quoted by wholesale c from 27 1/2 to 29 cents. T ac Cheese Board was highest in eastern Ontar 31 1/2 cents on Thursday. stimulate the patrons to tories to produce to the tent this season, for with lishment of condensaries t ing to be less cheese avail port this year than last.

Sunday evening as Mr Haffner, Mrs. Haffner, M and Mrs. Allen Leigh, o were motoring on the Yo were coming in the oppo tion at high speed, struck the wheels around and set the car. Mrs. Haffne arm broken and the othe party a bad shaking up, was a brand new one, and their misfortunes, by leavi on the side of the road o someone unknown stole the tires and rims.

The weight of the earth figures is 6,000,000,000 000,000 tons. This conel been arrived at by an En iversity demonstrator as t of experimental observati small balls of identical we

EARLY SYMPTOMS OF BLOODLESSNESS

Shown by Pallor of the Face and Lips—How to Obtain New Blood.

Anaemia, or lack of blood is so gradual in its approach that it is often well developed before the patient is sufficiently alarmed to consult a doctor or take proper treatment to restore the blood to a healthy condition.

The earliest symptom of anaemia is loss of color, especially in the lips gums and membranes lining the eyelids. There comes shortness of breath on slight exertion, such as going up stairs, palpitation of the heart, increased pallor of the face and lips. If this thinning of the blood is not corrected it will proceed rapidly until a complete breakdown in health follows, when there may be disorders of the stomach, headaches and backaches, dizziness and fainting spells. The most effective and prompt way to increase and enrich the blood at a time like this is through the fair use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills have restored good health thousands of weak, anaemic people, among them Miss Mae Johnston, of Port Arthur, Ont., who says: "Between the ages of sixteen and eighteen I worked in a telephone office, and it was very trying to the nerves and health. I became bloodless, and so pale that friends often said I looked consumptive. One night I had to be taken home from the office, and a doctor was called in who told me I must not go back for a time. Sometimes I would faint, and to walk up stairs would leave me utterly breathless. As I did not appear to be getting any better one of my girl friends whose mother had used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills with great benefit, advised me to try these. I took the pills very faithfully for some time, with the result that they restored me to good health, and now when anyone tells me they feel weak or rundown I always recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as I feel so thankful for the help they gave me."

If you have any of the symptoms described by Miss Johnston try building up the blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Eat nourishing food, exercise a little in the open air daily and watch the color return to cheeks and lips. You can run on these pills as long as you wish, but the most delicate system. You can get these pills through any dealer in medicines, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

CARMEL

Mother's Sunday service was conducted on Sunday by the Rev. McMullen. Quite a number of mothers were present. Miss Lena Sullivan has returned home after visiting her sister in Prince Edward. Mr. and Mrs. Bronson visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Simmons on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Treverton, also Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Huffman visited on Sunday at Mr. Will Grills. Mr. and Mrs. Murney Clapp visited friends in Belleville on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sullivan visited the former's sister at Plainfield on Sunday. Mrs. Matthew Jones is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wright and friends called on Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Treverton. Most of the farmers are through seeding but are looking forward for a good rain. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds visited friends in Belleville on Sunday. Basket ball is the order of the day.

STOCKDALE

Mr. and Mrs. M. Collier moved to Pleton on Tuesday. Mr. Clarence Collier is living in the house vacated by them. Miss E. Fox, Mr. S. Fox and Rev. R. M. Patterson spent Tuesday in Belleville. Miss Fox remained for a few days. Mr. W. E. Twiddy has had a new well drilled. Mr. C. Bellamy took the drilling. Mr. Chas. Kilbank of Trent River, visited here a couple of days this week. Mrs. C. Wannamaker, Mrs. S. White and Mrs. S. Osterhout spent Thursday at D. F. Groat's. Mrs. A. Chase and Mrs. E. Sanborn visited in Frankford Thursday. Mrs. C. Johnson visited her daughter, Mrs. T. Sargent on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. Wannamaker also Mr. and Mrs. S. Osterhout visited friends in Rawdon and Marmora on

Sunday. Our Sunday School was reorganized on Wednesday night. Few changes were made in officers. A. E. Wood, Supt., Jas. Bates, assistant Supt., N. Frost, Sec., C. Palmer, Treas., Mrs. P. Way, Missionary Sec. and Miss Hazel Bates, Temperance Sec. Mr. L. Foot and Miss G. Moran also Mr. Herrington and Miss N. Frost took tea with Mrs. S. White on Sunday. Mrs. A. Chase spent Saturday at the home of her brother, Mr. F. Way. Mr. Thos. Sargent is working the grist mill for Mr. F. Cox.

REDBERSVILLE AND ALBURY Quite a number from this vicinity were in Belleville on Saturday. Mr. E. G. Brickman took tea with friends in the village on Sunday evening. Mr. Milton Thompkins, Belleville, formerly of this place, left on Tuesday morning for Manitoba, where he has secured a new position. Helen Herman took dinner with Hattie Russell on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. G. Grey were guests at Mr. J. Wilson's on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. H. Allison, of Trenton, took dinner at Elijah Russell's on Sunday.

TABERNACLE Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crow spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Leach. Mr. and Mrs. Bryant spent Thursday afternoon at Trenton. Mr. J. Hunt spent Sunday the guest of Mrs. Chas. Daken. Wooler. Mr. and Mrs. Will McCall spent Sunday evening at Bernice Bryant's. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Todd spent Sunday at Mr. E. Cox's near Trenton. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Adams called at Chas. Leach's on Sunday evening. Mr. Matthew Morrison spent Wednesday evening the guest of Mr. J. Hunt. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Haggerty spent Saturday night the guest of Mr. Herman Morrow, Wooler. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams, of Campbellford passed through this vicinity on Sunday. Mrs. Chas. Leach spent last Sunday the guest of her brother, Mr. Peter I. DeLong, near Foxboro.

5TH LINE OF SIDNEY Miss Neta Bamber gave a birthday party to her Sunday school class on Wednesday afternoon of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Rombo, of the sixth line took tea at the home of Mr. J. W. Christie last Sunday evening. Mr. Earl Bird has recently purchased the north thirty-acres of land from Mr. A. McConnell. Mrs. Jack McCullough and daughter Helen is spending a few weeks with her parents near Melrose. Miss Mabel Bartlett has resumed her duties at the central telephone office after her recent illness. Mr. Joe Thrasher and wife moved to their new home in Belleville last week. Mr. Johnnie Johnson has purchased a Ford car. Mr. P. Barlett visited friends at Halloway on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. Wilson entertained some young folks last Sunday.

WALLBRIDGE Sunday school and mission band were well attended Sunday morning. Service was conducted on Sunday night by Rev. T. Wallace. A number of young people from the Stone Church attended. Mr. and Mrs. Bird visited their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. S. Bird, of the 2nd of Thurlow on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hinchliffe and Mr. and Mrs. Sine visited the latter's parents at Ivanhoe on Sunday. Mr. H. Dafeo and the county road gang is at the old stand on the 5th concession grading. Mr. and Mrs. W. Coon, of the 4th concession attended church Sunday night. The farmers are about through seeding. Mr. B. Sine took dinner on Monday at his lot. Mother's Day on Sunday; Father's Day on pay day. Mr. B. Sine took dinner on Monday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Sine. Mr. C. F. Chisholm was able to attend church Sunday night.

6TH LINE OF SIDNEY Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gainsforth of Wooler and Mrs. Sanborn of Stockdale, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. J. A. Lott. Mr. Frank Dafeo and children of Madoc spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Howard Dafeo. Mrs. Wilmet Rose and Miss May Rose attended Miss Neta Bamber's

birthday party on Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Ernest Lott and family spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. C. W. Scott. Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Badgley of Thurlow visited with relatives here on Thursday last. Mr. Wm. Rose and family called on friends on the 4th concession hill on Monday night last. Poor little potato, what a commotion you are stirring up, what a strife you are making, "you dear little things." But you poor old farmers, beware, don't dare to take your seed potatoes to the city and ask \$7.50 per bag, as the government inspected seed is selling for, no matter if your back did ache when you hoed them, or the sun's rays were rather hot on your head or you had to pay the hired man \$5.00 per day, that doesn't count, you really must not ask such a price. If you do look out, those city friends of yours will surely set on you. It looks like home trade surely it does, that's right, spend all your money in your home city so as to improve the roads, etc. But keep cool, you won't need to plant that forty or fifty bushel of potatoes that you were intending to, for all those city lots will be full of spuds. But say those city chaps that buy government inspected seed, will they be pestered with the thistle and the weed and the little potato bug? I am afraid they will, they surely will have to spend one evening this summer to hoe the weed. And in the city they only charge us \$1.00 per lb. for paris green and really it doesn't take many pounds for the season. But I will tell you a secret: get your wives and lady friends interested, and they won't object to taking an old tin pan and a short stick and knocking the bugs off to save expenses. And then when the poor, tired farmer's wife is travelling homeward on a Saturday afternoon and sees her city sister working instead of sitting on a shady veranda, she will feel that there is indeed cooperation.

IVANHOE Mr. and Mrs. Will Sine accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hinchliffe of Wallbridge visited Mr. T. Tammon on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. McGowan of West Huntingdon were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. McMullan on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sine accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hinchliffe of Wallbridge visited Mr. T. Tammon on Sunday. Baby Eugene Frederick is ill with pneumonia, but we are pleased to report that his condition is somewhat improved. Mr. Pee also of the paragonage has been on the sick list too. Mr. Lowery of Halloway visited his sister, Mrs. James McKee on Sunday. Mrs. S. Mitts spent one day last week in Belleville. Mr. E. Tanner and mother of Queensboro spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clements. The Mother's Day services were well attended on Sunday. Mr. H. Wood of Crookston assisted in the morning by giving an address on "Mother as a guide to God." Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Moore, of Stirling visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore recently. Mr. Thos. Tammon who has been ill for the past two weeks is slightly improved.

Here are a few things the Warkworth Journal thinks that village should possess: A radial railway also light and power, a street sweeper, two or three more gossips, a cat killer, a brass band, a village park with an artesian well, a polar bear and a loafers' bench, and a village market, where Dave and Bert can purchase maskinonge, and thus avoid that 15 mile drive to Rice Lake.

The Norwood saw mill of which Mr. W. C. Harrison is proprietor will make the largest cut this season in its thirty-four years history. Besides much custom sawing large cuts are being made for J. Finlay & Sons Co., Norwood, The Thompson, Heyland Co., Toronto, and Pickett & Sons, Toronto. Nine men have been employed in the mill all winter. We understand an American lumber inspector in examining some of the lumber stated it was the best quality cut he had put on in Canada this year.

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GENERAL WILL... work in Child... Belleville. Would con... from a married... as a janitor and... by letter with... expected to Mrs. A... John St. m12-3td.1tw.

KITCHEN WORK... E. P. Spear, Albert... m13.1tw.d13&15.

SALE

ON THE COR... and Hoodie Sis... apply to Mrs. J. E... St. Belleville. m7-5td.1tw.

BEAUTIFUL... plenty of build... water orchard, al... reasonable. Apply... Belleville. m5-14tdtw.

REGISTERED... one year old... Glendale Farm... boro. m12-1d&wit.

Money

TO LOAN ON... and city proper... interest, on terms... S. WALLBREDGE... Barrister, Sta... age St., Belleville... Union Bank.

SMASH... and... COOL & REFRESHING

ROOT BEER... Mountain Drinks... Cool & Refreshing

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On May 4th, to... R. S. Marshall... nt. A. Marshall.

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IS FRANCE WAVERING

Written for The Ontario by Chas. K. Rice, Lawyer, Denver, Colorado.

The old terror of war seems to have somewhat abated in French political circles. M. Clemenceau is no longer in office and a dilettante in politics is in his place. Joseph Caillaux, former premier and twice minister of finance, charged with many treasonable crimes, is found guilty of "commerce and correspondence with the enemy," and sentenced to three years imprisonment, the term, however, beginning with his arrest twenty-eight months ago, and five years' banishment from France. It was evidently a compromise verdict; it was a compromise trial, too, for that matter. Testimony and evidence promised were not forthcoming. Weak links appeared in the chain. Powerful forces were at work to secure his acquittal from the French Senate, sitting as a high court. Caillaux had influential friends in public and still more powerful influences at work for him in secret.

Some of those who did the mental work in Caillaux's case during the heat of the war received short shrift; they were placed before a firing squad or sent where they could no longer be dangerous. They were guilty of "commerce and correspondence with the enemy," only the verdict was more direct and called the crime of high treason. The Caillaux case was more than the trial of an ordinary spy or enemy agent charged with betraying his country's secrets. It was a political trial, involving a national policy of France, which makes the verdict all the more significant. Caillaux represented a party and a distinct pro-

paganda. For a decade before the war Caillaux was working toward a new European deal. His apparent aim was to bring France and Germany to an understanding, to keep France from alliance with Russia or England; in fact to form an anti-English alliance with Germany. Europe was to be re-arranged to meet the desires of Germany and France, and Africa was to be redistributed with the same end in view. Caillaux was a political adventurer and a man of loose habits. He was wealthy and an adroit politician. His appeal was to the proletariat, and today he has a following that refuses to be jarred from him despite all that has taken place.

Intrigue just before the war was charged against him. The murder of the editor of the Figaro of Paris by Caillaux's wife was to shield the exposure of her husband, who was then scheming with German agents according to the accusations of the state. That trial tore the veil asunder and showed something rotten in the state of France. Germany had agents in the seats of the mighty. Her traffic with French agents led Germany to believe that France, when the test came, would collapse and make terms with the enemy. Politically and morally France was in need of a cleansing and, heaven knows, she received it in blood and anguish.

But has France learned her lesson? Has the trial of Caillaux and its results given renewed faith to the friends of France? France may have more to fear from herself and her internal enemies than from the enemy across the Rhine.

Wedding Bells

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On Wednesday, May 5th at eleven o'clock, a very pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Wright, of West Huntingdon, when their daughter, Bessie, was united in marriage to Harry Wilson Leeman, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Leeman, of Belleville, formerly of Frontenac County. The Rev. John T. Hall, of Stirling officiated.

The bride was most becomingly gowned in lemon georgette, the draperies looped with orange blossoms. Her veil was of white tulle banded with orange blossoms and she carried Ophelia roses. She was attended by Miss Emma Lynn, of Queensboro, who was prettily dressed in pink silk and carried a sheaf of pink roses. The groom was assisted by Mr. Murray Wright, of West Huntingdon, brother of the bride.

Only the immediate relatives and closest friends of the contracting parties were present, and after congratulations were offered the happy couple, all sat down to a bountiful and delicious wedding repast.

The bride's travelling dress was of navy blue serge, with Georgette waist, and with it she wore a blue hat and white Thibet scarf. The happy couple motored to Belleville where they took the train for Toronto and western points. On their return they will take up residence in Belleville.

The bride was the recipient of a number of beautiful and useful presents and the good wishes of the community follow them to their new home. —Stirling News-Argus.

The marriage of Miss Phyllis Gertrude Newton, daughter of Mrs. Charlotte Newton and the late Dr. John Newton, of Deseronto, Ont., to Mr. Howard Bailey, of Cleveland, Ohio, took place at the Central Presbyterian Church, Roches-

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The funeral took place on Sunday, service being held in South Bay Church. The Rev. Stainton conducted the service which was attended by a large assemblage. The pall bearers were directors of the Bay of Quinte Insurance Company. Within the past two years two brothers and two sisters of the deceased have passed away. Hamilton Welbanks died at Rednersville on March 16, 1918; Mrs. Emily Ellis died at Toronto, April 23, 1918; Mrs. Almira Cannon died at Petoskey, Michigan, June 30, 1919. Hiram Welbanks, died at Picton, July 3rd, 1919. —Picton Times.

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Late Mrs. McGowan

The funeral of the late Mrs. Ann McGowan, widow of the late David McGowan, took place on Friday afternoon from the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. Bunnett, 10 Bellevue Terrace, Rev. A. H. Foster officiating. The bearers were F. White, P. Casey, H. Hubbell, C. Priory, E. Bunnett and D. Hyde. The interment was made in Belleville cemetery.

Mrs. J. Bird's friends will be pleased to hear that her son Harold Alley has a position on one of the railroads in the States and is doing well. Mr. Wm. Fitchett is on the sick list this week. Dr. Alger, of Stirling, has been attending him.

A number from here attended the I.O.O.F. service in Stirling on Sunday afternoon and report one of the largest processions in years. The sermon by Rev. Mr. Howard was very appropriate and the music by the choir excellent.

Mrs. Clarke is spending a few days with friends in Coneseon. Mr. and Mrs. Warden entertained friends from near Picton recently.

Some of our people report a delightful time in Belleville on Tuesday evening.

Those who attended the quarterly service at West Huntingdon report a very impressive service and sermon by the pastor, Rev. G. C. R. McQuade.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrews left this week to visit friends in St. Catharines and Detroit.

Mr. Daney, of Lindsay G.T.R. staff, is here relieving the agent and Mr. W. Cox as night operator.

Miss Mabel Smith, of Campbellford, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fitchett.

Mrs. French, of Belleville, visited friends here on Wednesday.

Talk of the Town and of the Country

Mr. S. S. McGowan, of Marmora, has a pure bred, Clydesdale colt which was foaled October 24, 1919, and now weighs 720 pounds. That is an unusual weight for a colt six months old. It is well proportioned and promises to be a very fine animal. The sire of the colt is Sir Wilfrid, No. 6502.

About thirty-five Peterboro boys cycled to Peterboro pumping station Thursday to take part in the first of a series of educational observation tours which are being conducted to different points of interest through that city by the Y.M.C.A. there.

About twenty-five students of Queen's have made application in response to an offer made by Prof. Malcolm to engage students for filling in the Union street campus. The work of laying the rails from the street car lines to the dump, and to the campus is still in progress but it is hoped to have the tracks ready for work in a few days. Prof. Malcolm offers students \$90 a month and as the work is to be rushed forward as quickly as possible a bonus may be given if the work is completed within a certain time. It provides a good opportunity for students to make a few dollars against the expenses of next session without "going west." It is not yet certain whether the stadium will be built by day labor or by contract. Prof. Malcolm and members of the athletic committee are busy working over the plans.

Mr. Ed. Hewitt, Marmora, is having a residence erected on the old McWilliams farm, which was purchased by Mr. George Wellman some time ago, and will move into it as soon as the house is ready. Mr. Tim Byrnes and his mother expect to move into the house now occupied by Mr. Hewitt, when it is vacated.

At Cornwall, among prosecutions for alleged infractions of the Ontario Temperance Act heard before Police Magistrate Danis of Cornwall, and D. P. McDougall of Maxville, it was stated that one of the accused had received 30 cases of liquor. Thirty-two days later the Inspector called and could not find any, the owner claiming to have consumed all the liquor himself. This and two other cases were adjourned for a week.

Mr. Wm. Linn, Marmora, has been appointed Cheese and Dairy Inspector for that district, to fill the position left vacant by the death of the late R. T. Gray. He commenced his duties last week. His friends in Marmora and district will wish him

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every success in his new position and he feels confident he will make good. The family had moved to the Maple Leaf factory, but they returned to their home in the village last week.

Nominations are today being held for candidates to fill the offices of reeve and one councillor for Marmora village. In case more candidates qualify than are required to fill the two offices polling will take place on the 17th.

Joseph Lavo, two years in penitentiary, John Gordon, six months in jail, and Ben Gerard, thirty days in jail, were sentenced handed out by Judge Hartman at Halleybury. The trio are T. & N.O. employes and pleaded guilty to stealing butter, sugar and oleomargarine from railway cars.

Another business transfer took place in Bancroft recently. Mrs. B. A. Haase has purchased her business back from Mr. Plumley, to whom she sold last fall. While in business, Mr. Plumley made many customers, to whom the news of his short business career will be regretted. On the other hand the firm name "B. A. Haase" is an old landmark there and has made many friends and customers who will gladly welcome her back into business activities in the village. Mr. Plumley is undecided as to what he will engage in at present, although it is rumored he proposes taking up another business transaction in Bancroft.

A Tweed exchange says: "This year the League will be affiliated with the O.B.A.A. and expect to bring out a good winner."

A syndicate of English and American capitalists are negotiating for the purchase of the cold storage building at Trenton for a large industry. It is understood the pro-

ject is practically assured, but it will take some time to complete arrangements. Trenton will be on the map where it is its just right ere long if the citizens pull together and boost.

The war killed off most of the best English athletes, but the triumph of the Oxford-Cambridge tri-umphant team at Philadelphia goes to prove that "there's life in the old land yet."

One of the largest verdicts that has been rendered by a jury in a court in Watertown, N.Y., in some time was brought in the case of William F. Barker, Portland, Ont., against William Webber, Cape Vincent, N.Y. The amount of the verdict was \$7,980, covering the full amount asked of \$8,000 for the purchase of cattle, and including \$1,980 interest on that amount from June 14, 1914.

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TALK OF THE TOWN AND OF THE COUNTRY

The home of Mrs. William Sutherland, corner of Victoria Ave. and Albert street, was the scene of a very happy event yesterday, May 8th, when Mrs. Sutherland celebrated the eighty-eighth anniversary of her birth. The house was bright with flowers sent in by many friends and messages of congratulation were received by Mrs. Sutherland from far and near. In the afternoon there was a steady stream of callers, all anxious to express their pleasure that one so generally admired and respected had been spared so long to her family and friends. Mrs. Sutherland had a cheery word of greeting for each of her many guests, and her daughters and granddaughters served a dainty tea.

The arrangement made by Aid. Hanna, chairman of public works, and Mr. E. P. Fredericks, secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce, to secure 40 acres of vacant city land for gardening purposes is a most gratifying one. This will afford an opportunity for those who wish to produce an abundance of potatoes and fresh, home-grown vegetables to carry out their desires. It will also afford an opportunity to test the sincerity of those who have been clamoring about the high cost of potatoes and other food products. If a man feels that the farmer is charging too much for the goods he produces he can easily defeat the over-charge by growing the goods on the vacant land that is now made available to all who are willing to work. On forty acres, with an average crop, 3000 bushels of potatoes should be gathered. That with what can be produced on the hundreds of acres of private gardens and other lands, in and around the city, would make Belleville entirely independent of potato producers. Now, then, let us have a show-down or an end of grumbling.

The horse found wandering by Mr. M. J. Lynch has been claimed by its owner.

Some boys playing in a vacant lot on Chatham street were blamed for breaking windows in a basement of a house. They told the police they did not fracture the glass and accordingly no action was taken.

In the assize court yesterday Mr. Justice Logie withdrew the case of Thomas Blue vs. Canadian Pacific Railway Company for damages to an automobile which came in contact at Ivanhoe with some freight cars. The judge said that the plaintiff produced no evidence that the highway was obstructed except at the instant of the accident. Even if there had been a longer period of obstruction, there was still a necessity on the plaintiff's part to prove that that was part of the cause of the injury. The case was accordingly dismissed. Porter, Butler and Payne for the plaintiff; McMurphy and Spence for the C.P.R.

The services in the Presbyterian church, Foxboro, will be conducted by Mr. N. D. Patterson of Queen's University during the summer. There will be a special service on Sunday, May 23rd at 11 a.m. The second Sunday in May is recognized as "Mothers' Day," and it is hoped that many will take advantage of attending church on that date. Mr. Patterson will preach a suitable sermon, and the choir will render special music.

Mr. F. E. O'Flynn leaves for Kingston this evening where he is to address the Masonic brethren of Ancient St. John lodge at a large banquet.

The will of Mrs. Margaret A. Apman, of Brooklyn, N.Y., who died recently, provides a "last treat" for her relatives and friends. The estate is to pay for the coaches used by those who attend the funeral, as well as for lunch, coffee and beer, those mourners at a Long Island hotel. The estate, which is valued at \$22,000, is left to relatives in Germany and the United States.

The office of superintendent of car services, Grand Trunk Railway, has been abolished. W. A. Pitt has been appointed general master car builder at Montreal and will assume the duties hitherto performed by the superintendent of the car department. J. Coleman has been appointed assistant to the general superintendent of motive power and car departments at Montreal. F. Fouse, master car builder at London, becomes master car builder at Montreal, and T. M. Hyman, assistant

ed in the gas plant of the Kingston City Utilities Commission, under the supervision of General Manager Folger. These were ordered by Chairman Elliott of the commission some time ago and the way the work is progressing is pleasing both to the commissioners and to the management.

The Port Hope Guide says: The Central League regrets the loss of their star player, Mills of Belleville. Mills was the best backstop in the League and was strong with the willow. If Mills could only be a little more agreeable on the ball field he would have been quite a popular player. Belleville's battery for this summer will be the Goyer Brothers. If the catcher proves as efficient as the pitcher then the others teams in the Central League will have their work cut out for them. One thing there should be no nagging between the catcher and the pitcher. It is up to the Goyers to demonstrate to the Central League that true spirit of brotherly love.

Harold McGrath, one of the best known novelists of the day, has made reservations at the Carleton House at Cape Vincent, N.Y. for two months this summer and has notified proprietor A. F. Kough that he will be there promptly on July 1. Every year for a number of years Mr. McGrath has gone to Cape Vincent about the first of June and remained through the baseball season, for he is an ardent angler for black bass. This year he proposes to follow his usual custom and remain until the first of September or after.

On Monday morning three Packard motor trucks, which will be used in connection with the building of the provincial highway in the vicinity of Westbrook, arrived in Kingston. It is the intention of the contractor to use as much motor equipment as possible.

August Karpainen, a farmer in McIntyre township, 14 miles from Fort William, was shot and killed at three o'clock Saturday afternoon by August Pansanen, who claims to have mistaken Karpainen for a moose or a bear. Deceased was driving past Pansanen's farm on the road, 300 yards away, with a load of hay. A warrant is out for Pansanen's arrest on a charge of manslaughter. Karpainen leaves a widow and five children.

The person who stands on the street corner looking around for something to gossip about or to find fault with, can always find what he is looking for. But what a life he lives. His soul shrivels and withers until it is shown in his manner and looks. For such a person life has lost its savor. It becomes sour, misanthropic, whining. He passes from bad to worse and sees no good in anybody.

The Ontario government farm at Kemptonville run in conjunction with the agricultural school has been enlarged by the purchase of the adjoining farm belonging to Stanley Langstaff. Immediate possession is given the department of agriculture.

An extension of time in which to complete an interlocking plant at its crossing in Kingston over the Grand Trunk tracks is asked for by the Canadian Pacific railway in an application argued before the Canadian Railway Commission Tuesday.

The Dominion of Canada is far in the lead as the fatherland of Water-town's foreign born. It has been estimated that a third of Water-town originated in the dominion. Among these people are a great many city officials, including two former mayors, Francis M. Hugo, now secretary of state and James F. Pappas, now representing his word on the board of supervisors. The two formerly lived in Kingston.

John Ferguson, a prominent farmer of Lansdowne Station, confirmed reports that farming is suffering from lack of labor at the very time it is needed for putting in crops, because of the inducements offered by provincial highway engineers to secure them for road work. He said that in one case he knew of an offer of \$8.00 a day for man and team for eight hours being made. The farmers were, under such circumstances, unable to get help and production would suffer severely in consequence. A case was mentioned of a farmer and his two sons leaving

period he consulted more than a dozen oculists and dentists, who their farm work and spending all their time on road work, stating that they were not going to bother with anything but hay.

Dr. Duc, of Geneva, Switzerland, a prominent surgeon-dentist tells of a curious operation which he recently made on what he names a "wandering tooth" in the mouth. A university professor suffered from toothache (though his teeth were healthy) headaches, and ailing eyesight for ten years. During this time he extracted several teeth, but abscesses continued to form at the base of the tooth. Dr. Duc, discovering no external causes, eventually took an X-ray photograph of the mouth and found a wandering tooth, which was the seat of affection, buried deeply in the palate. A delicate operation followed, when the rootless tooth was extracted, and the professor is perfectly well today, having even discarded his eye-glasses.

CHAOS IN SUGAR PRICES

Written for The Ontario by Chas. M. Blee, Lawyer, Denver, Colorado.

Ordinary processes are not cutting much of a figure in the price of refined sugar today. In normal times a price was established for each of the districts into which the country was divided by the wholesalers. At this time price and supply depend upon the manufacturers' disposition, distance from seaboard, the moods of the middlemen and things like that. Colorado, being in the best belt, is better off than the communities further afield and that are dependent upon the cane product. The Federal Government is being appealed to to restore war time restrictions instead of shaking a minority finger at profiteers. Congress has started an investigation; but that is chronic with the present body; when there is nothing else to do, start an investigation.

Sugar demand is much greater than the supply all over the world. Sugar prices are artificial. Official figures of the Federal Government show the average value per pound of the sugar imported from abroad in February last at 2.44 cents per pound, compared with 5.38 cents a year ago; 4.8 cents two years ago; 3.61 cents three years ago, and an average of just two cents per pound in the fiscal year immediately preceding the war. From two cents to nine and a half cents three months ago, and a rising market since then, is some jump. Just now the import price for foreign sugar is five times what it was preceding the war. Is there justification for this? The old school economists will answer yes, under the law of supply and demand. But has the cost of production risen to anything like this percentage? Has Nature gone on strike?

World output has not increased since war's cessation as had been expected. According to the foreign trade record of the National City Bank of New York, there will be a falling off of fifteen per cent. the current year from last year. The current year of the war Europe produced 8,670,000 tons of sugar; this year the estimate is 2,500,000 tons. Before war's devastation took place Europe was turning out more than 8,000,000 tons of sugar per annum—a loss of almost five and a half million tons to the world means high prices. The United States during the war and since the war has failed to make up for any part of the European loss. We are dependent upon Cuban production. Before the war the island was producing two and a half million tons per year; for the current sugar year the supply will be four million tons. Porto Rico, Santo Domingo, the Philippines and other cane-producing countries have added slightly to their production in recent times. Java and India that supply a large share of the oriental trade, have not aided much to clear the situation in the west. For the fiscal year which ends in June, this country will have imported nine billion pounds of sugar, as against seven and three-quarter billion pounds for the preceding year. But the cost of this import is nearly twice as much for this year as it was for last year. Our sugar imports are running at the rate of three-quarters of a billion dollars a year. A dry nation has added to the consumption. But without prohibition the yearly consumption would have increased; until it was restricted were imposed there was an annual increase for years; the big increase of this year takes up the loss from the restriction period in this country, in addition to the expected yearly increase. Years will be required to place the European beet market on its feet, and she cannot afford to increase the luxury of its consumption; when it can do so the demand will appear beyond doubt. In the meantime what are the sweet-toothed citizens of Canada and the United States to do? Why not a determined effort to increase the home production? Not one of the best sugar States or Provinces has reached its maximum. Colorado is far from it.

Splendid Program For O. B. Reunion

Committees busily at work and enthusiastic meeting held. A most enthusiastic meeting of the re-organizers of the Old Boys Reunion was held on Wednesday evening, with Judge Willis in the chair. That this celebration will be a complete success was quite evident by the feeling of unity and endeavor shown by the large attendance. Reports were brought in by the various committees and were warmly commended by the members of the meeting. A preliminary draft of the Old Boys program was submitted by the entertainment committee and was unanimously favored. The program dealt with the sports for the big four days of the reunion, and the proposed program is one that will make the celebration the greatest in history. It was decided to ask the City Council to have a Civic Holiday on Tuesday, July 27th, as it is understood that citizens in general, as in former years, have a great inclination to be one of "the regular fellows" on the above mentioned day. The various committees are working in conjunction with the G.T.R. to have a picnic on the 27th, and so far arrangements are seemingly satisfactory. In connection with the land sports, in charge of W. J. Cook, and the water sports, in charge of King Rogers, the committee have decided to hold excursions and ball games, teams to be taken from the Central Ontario League. It is understood that the Cobourg team will be one of the competitors for the title of the "Regular Fellows." At the conclusion of the meeting it was decided to meet again on the night of Tuesday, May 18, at eight o'clock, and it is to be hoped that all interested in the welfare of the reunion will be there, on time.

OBITUARY

JOHN COOK John Cook, of College street, Thurlow, passed away this morning at the hospital as a result of blood poisoning from a wound in his hand from which he had suffered for two months. He was born in Holland in 1841 and had been a resident of this section since a boy of fourteen years. He followed the occupation of stone-mason and bricklayer. He was a well known Mason and a member of Motra Chapter Royal Arch Masons and of the I.O.O.F. He was for years tyler at the Masonic Temple. Surviving are his widow and four daughters, Mrs. Thos. Flood, Frankford, Mrs. A. C. Mott, College Hill, Belleville, Mrs. Hector Grant, North Park street and Mrs. Orville Crowe, of Stockdale.

BACK TO THE LAND

Editor Ontario— Once more let me put the food production situation clearly before you town and city people. The crux of the whole matter is simply this: The farmer says "I am short handed, very short handed, I will engage to supply you city people with wheat for bread, with meat and milk, butter, cheese and part of your eggs but I can't raise your garden stuff and vegetables, you will have to do that yourself or go without. Now let us all get to work with a will. I predict a splendid season for such crops. Let us also knock the high cost of living." D. H. Ackerhill, V.S.

Despite his vigorous objections, the Mayor of Atlanta, Ga., was forced by the City Council to accept a salary increase from \$3,000 to \$5,000 a year.

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Smithfield V. Mrs. P. making S

It cost Isaac Smith Murray Township five dollars for trifling with Mrs. Mary Pearce, formerly of Smithfield, aged 51 years, said promised to marry her before Mr. Justice Logie assize jury yesterday. He did not and that intentions of marrying else.

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The wedding trip was talk several occasions. She wrote friends in Pennsylvania an reply which she read to S seemed to be delighted with

\$500 For Breach of Promise Awarded

Smithfield Widower Denies Any Promise — Mrs. Pearce Tells Story of Love-making Scenes Last Autumn.

It cost Isaac Smith of Smithfield, Murray Township five hundred dollars for trifling with the affections of Mrs. Mary Pearce of Oshawa and formerly of Smithfield. Mrs. Pearce, aged 51 years, said that Smith promised to marry her. He testified before Mr. Justice Logie and the assize jury yesterday afternoon that he did not and that he had no intentions of marrying her or anyone else.

The case was the attraction so far of the assizes. The court room was packed when the action began. The course of love and love-making as told in the witness box was not quite as speedy as the trial which was quite short. The main witness of course was the widow and the widower, plaintiff and defendant.

The old time honored story of kissing and hugging was brought out in evidence. Both admitted these demonstrations.

Mr. E. G. Porter, K.C. outlined the love story. The defendant is a widower who has known the plaintiff for twenty-five years or more. She alleged that last September he began his courtship and under an agreement made last October they were to be married in December. In November he began to show coldness and ultimately broke off the alleged engagement.

Mrs. Pearce Tells the Story

Mrs. Mary Pearce then took the stand. She testified she was the widow of Philip Pearce, who died five years ago. They had two children, both grown up—a daughter and a son. She knew Isaac Smith for about thirty years. She knew him before she was married. Mr. Smith was a farmer all his life. After her husband's death she left British Columbia, coming to Smithfield, where she spent two years with her daughter, another with her mother. Her mother is now dead.

In September last, Mr. Smith came to see Mrs. Pearce at her home. He called twenty-five or thirty times to see her. The first evening she went out with him to Mr. George Smith's the latter being a cousin of the defendant. He made his visits from seven to nine in the evening. Mrs. Pearce was living alone. Mr. Smith called three or four times a week. In October he asked her to marry him. This proposal was made at her home. She agreed. He asked her to go to Pittsburg, Pa., on their wedding trip. He said he had relatives there and she had relatives in Oil City, Pa. They were to be married early in December and then he considered it would be better to wait until Christmas time, when the fall work would be done. She consented. She went to work and spent one hundred and fifty dollars on her trousseau. She bought some clothes ready-made and others she made herself. Counting her labor, the dresses would be worth \$175. She bought some in Toronto and some in Trenton. Her clothes were made up at her home. Mrs. Pearce did not show him the clothes while she was making them up, but she did when they were finished.

He said they were very nice. The trousseau was made up about the end of November. The postponement was his suggestion. On the third week in November, Smith stayed away ten days. Then he came to her house. She showed him the clothes. He did not talk very much and acted in a very cool manner. After that she did not see him again. She had written him a letter on December 10th.

"I wanted to know what was wrong. I had gone to great expense." He came over after prayer meeting on Wednesday. Then it was she showed him the clothing. He did not say anything about the letter. She thought he would say something about the marriage when she showed him the trousseau, but he only said it was nice.

Mr. Mickel's "I know some ladies do wear trail dresses." Mrs. Schryver declared the dress was hardly one to wear on every occasion.

The Judge said to Mr. Mickel "I'm afraid you have not been in Toronto lately."

Mr. Snider valued one farm of defendant's at \$10,000 and the other at \$5,000.

Mr. Mickel moved for a non-suit on the grounds of lack of corroboration, and of no evidence of breach of promise before the action was begun. The Judge held that the evidence from the examination for discovery relating to kissing and hugging seemed a sort of corroboration.

Isaac Smith on the Stand

The defendant went into the box and was asked:

"Mr. Smith you have heard this statement that you said Mrs. Pearce will you marry me?"

"I never said so." He had never used any words of marriage. There was never anything said of marriage.

Mrs. Pearce had been boasting of travelling and he thought he would speak in the same manner. Accordingly he spoke of a trip to Pittsburg and of having half a notion to take her along. He had no intention of going.

Asked if he called twenty-five or thirty times as plaintiff stated, he replied:

"Oh well, probably ten or twelve times at the outside."

Regarding her showing him the dresses he said, "he saw she was beginning to think he was going to make the trip. He told her he was not going."

"Will you explain why you kissed her?"

"Well, I don't know. She seemed to enjoy it."

"How about yourself?"

"You could not begin to tell how many times?"

"Oh no."

"What did you hug her for at all?"

"Just to keep her good natured."

Regarding the visit to his house when he showed her through, Mr. Porter asked—"Did she take any interest while you were over at your house?"

"I don't think so."

They had only been discussing housekeeping.

"That blue dress?"

"She did not say what it was for."

"You did not suspect?"

"I did not ask."

"You never asked the lady to marry you?"

"I never did."

"If I had promised her I would have kept my word. I did not think of such a thing as marrying her or anybody else."

The jury was out only half an hour when they brought in the \$500 award for the plaintiff.

Wedding Bells

MEAGHER—PHILLIPS

At Rochester, N.Y., April 26th, 1920, a quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at Holy Rosary Church by Rev. Father Quick, when Miss Kathryn Phillips, formerly of Reid, Ont., became the bride of Mr. James Meagher, a former resident of Napanee. After a short honeymoon in southern cities, they will take up residence in Rochester.

The bride wore her travelling suit of navy blue serge with hat to match and corsage bouquet of sweet peas. They were unattended.

ham, North Carolina, on May 2nd of chronic nephritis. She was at one time a resident of this city. Mrs. Chesebrough was 72 years of age. The body was taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Goodsell, 38, Moira street, whence the funeral was held this afternoon to Belleville cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Taylor and son, J. C. Taylor, of Durham, N.C., and Mrs. J. K. Bissett, of Savannah, Georgia, accompanied the remains here.

live it was a thing subject to corruption and its place of lodgment was the pit or grave, all of which is directly opposed to spiritualism and Mr. Bice's contentions. See Isaiah 38. As to the soul, somewhat similar language is used in reference to the death, burial and resurrection of the Messiah, as can be gathered from Acts 2. Speaking of the resurrection of Christ it says "his soul (i. e. he) was not left in the hill (the grave) neither his flesh did see corruption. To make this plainer I will quote from Moffatt's translation: "Thou wilt not forsake my soul (me) in the grave, nor let thy holy one suffer decay." The Apostle Peter said that David "spoke with a prevision of the resurrection of the Christ, when he said that he (not soul) was not forsaken in the grave (not hell) nor did his flesh suffer decay." Moffatt: "That Christ was literally dead is evident from the fact that we read that He "was quickened by the spirit" (of God.) Or as it reads in the Emphatic Diaglott translation, "made alive by the spirit." Now Christ could not have been dead alive if he had not been dead. But Mr. Bice insists that Jesus was not only alive but went to paradise the very day of his crucifixion, and also that he was preaching to the spirits in prison between death and the resurrection.

Mr. Bice says that the changing of the position of the comma in Christ's answer to the thief on the cross does not alter the sense of the passage. I am certainly surprised at this statement coming from a man who poses as one possessing considerable ability in the realm of literature.

The thief asked to be remembered at a certain time in the future, namely, "when Thou comest into Thy kingdom." So by placing the comma after today, instead of before, it makes Christ's answer consistent with the thief's request. The answer would then read, "Verily, I say unto thee today (or this day), thou shalt be with Me in paradise" or in My kingdom. That this would not be an isolated case is evident from these passages: "I denounce unto you this day, that ye shall surely perish." Deut. 30:18. "I testify unto you this day that I am pure from the blood of all men." Acts 20:26 revised version. That Jesus did not go to paradise or heaven that day is evident from the circumstance that Jesus, three days after his resurrection, said to Mary "touch Me not for I have not yet ascended to My Father." But to cap the climax I shall now quote Luke 23:42, 43 from Rotherham's Emphatic New Testament:

"And he (the thief) went on to say: "Jesus, remember me whenever Thou shalt come into Thy kingdom. And He (Jesus) said unto him, "Verily I say unto thee this day, with Me shalt thou be in paradise." This to my mind is conclusive and needs no further comment.

But Mr. Bice, lawyer, of Denver, Colorado, does not seem to the writer to be as well schooled in logic as are the lawyers of Belleville, Ontario. For instance, Mr. Bice, in order to prove the existence of disembodied immortal spirits, advocates the idea that Christ and the thief went to paradise the day of the crucifixion and at the same time (between death and the resurrection) he has the Lord somewhere else preaching to the spirits in prison. This would not pass for good logic in Belleville, Ontario, but maybe the good people of Denver, Col. would not go to the trouble of questioning it.

Now as to Christ preaching to the spirits in prison, I find, on referring to a new translation of the New Testament by James Moffatt, D.D., D. Litt. Yates, professor of New Testament Greek and exegesis, Mansfield College, Oxford, that Christ had nothing whatever to do with this preaching to spirits in prison, but the name "Enoch" appears in the passage and the preaching is attributed to him. In a note on this passage we gather the information that this is in accordance with an emendation of the Greek text by Dr. Rendel Harris who it appears has discovered that the word "Enoch" had been omitted through a blunder of some scribe. The note goes on to say that "the story of this mission is told in the book of Enoch." It is inserted in Peter, Chap. 3 paratitically.

Mr. Bice again refers to the parable of Dives and Lazarus and says Dives was in Gehenna and Lazarus in paradise. I wonder where he got this information—not from the Bible. The original word for hell in this parable is hades (not Gehenna) which is translated grave in I Cor. 15:55. I mentioned this fact to once before, but Mr. Bice apparently is not very much interested in Bible information. He evidently prefers to throw up clouds of dust and mud instead of grappling with the scriptures and arguments that his opponent has presented. There is not a word anywhere in the Bible about Lazarus in paradise. Mr. Bice is our

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Ladies to Have Share in Chamber of Commerce

Women's Section to be Organised—Many Lines of Activity for Them to Take Up—Public Meeting May 14th to Discuss Housing Situation—Commission Form of City Government to be Considered—Bay Bridge to be Valuated by Government Engineers—May 15th, Clean-up Day.

At the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon, it was decided to establish a Women's Section as part of the work of the organization at a special yearly membership fee of two dollars. It was felt by the Directors that there are many local activities coming within the range of the Chamber of Commerce program that are distinctly within women's realm and, as there have been frequent requests from women in the city to take part in some of this work, it is believed that by creating a women's membership branch a great deal can be accomplished along well defined lines.

Some of the more important activities which the women will be asked to interest themselves in are: child-welfare, city beautification, clean-up campaigns, home gardens, housing, play grounds and recreation, public market, schools, charities, Chautauque week and numerous entertainment features which are in prospect. A cordial invitation is extended to all the women in the city, who are interested in these or associate activities, to join this new branch of the Chamber.

Public Meeting to Discuss Housing Situation

It was also decided to hold a public meeting in the City Hall about May 14th to which all citizens would be invited, for the purpose of discussing the housing situation in the city and the desirability of establishing a commission form of government for Belleville. These are two important matters that have been before the people for a long while and in the case of the housing problem it is felt that the city is now in a position to make some definite plans towards improving the conditions here.

League Will Not Boycott Foodstuff

One Hundred and Fifty Women Decide to Encourage Production and Thrift—Women's Section of Chamber of Commerce to be Formed.

It is resolved that this meeting deem it unwise to boycott foodstuffs believing there are no short cut solutions to the problem of rising prices and that any local attempt to interfere directly with prices would probably lead to increased local scarcity and other evils, but that this meeting recommend and encourage the conservation and supply and increased production during the coming summer and the thorough study of the question of markets and that it give the utmost publicity to its findings so as to prevent panicky buying and to promote rational and economical methods of purchasing on the part of the consumers in every way possible.

This resolution was adopted at a meeting of the women of Belleville held in the Y.M.C.A. on Thursday afternoon to discuss the question of food production. Fully one hundred and fifty were present and the fullest discussion resulted. Mrs. P. J. M. Anderson, president of the Consumers' Economy League, was in the chair.

Miss Sisson reported that the committee appointed a week ago had interviewed Mayor Riggs and Secretary Fredericks of the Chamber of Commerce and that the Chamber was endeavoring to secure six hundred bays of potatoes so that a supply might be available for the planting of lots.

Mr. Fredericks addressed the meeting and among other things said that the city had turned over to the Chamber of Commerce all available city property as well as lots offered by private citizens. These would be disposed of to the citizens in the order of their application.

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THE THEATRE A MIGHTY POWER

Indiscriminate Patronage to Blame for Quality of Many Plays says Rev. Dr. Scott

That the theatre is one of the greatest educational agencies in the world that it fills a natural human want and that the responsibility for clean drama rests on the patrons, was declared by Rev. Dr. C. T. Scott at Bridge Street Methodist Church last evening.

Theatre Capable of Great Good

"I have no wholesale denunciation to make of the theatre because the institution is capable of so much good and has had such a splendid history," said Dr. Scott.

There is a dramatic instinct in us all, it is natural, instructive. The child with the doll, the boy in military play, children dressing up as parents and elders, these are all examples of the love which human beings have in mimic life.

We must look at the theatre with sympathy. The drama comes of religious origin, the earliest drama expressing great moral truths. Early comedy portrayed the weaknesses of public and private life to the pleasure and instruction of the spectators.

Catering to Public Taste

Yet in the very development of drama there comes the tendency to what people wanted, rather than what they needed and the ancient drama became degraded. The fault was not in the drama but in catering to the tastes of the time. It is not to be wondered at that the early Christian church condemned the stage.

"There is a power in the drama to influence men and women, only secondary perhaps to the pulpit. The weakness of the modern pulpit, of modern education is perhaps its lack of dramatic art and imagination. The theatre will always have its place and responsibility. It is our duty to inspire the theatre with the truest ideals.

French Influence Baneful

"We have lived to see the degradation of the theatre again. Wherein do I condemn the theatre of today?" asked Dr. Scott, who explained that while from choice and calling a minister refrained from attending the theatre, he is always studying conditions. His reply was, "My censure upon the modern drama is its false presentation of life. Aristotle said the object of the drama was to purify the emotions. With the last century the drama fell under the baneful influence of the French school of realism, the real life presented being anything but ideal, and the drama demanding sacrosanctness and suggestion with consequent deteriorating influence upon life and character.

Modern Drama and Divorce

Is there any connection between the drama with its triangle and illicit love and the increase in divorce suits, which are going like an epidemic over the land? The inevitable result is the breaking down of the home life.

Patrons Responsible

The blame rests upon the patrons of the theatre declared the preacher. There are some noble men and women on the stage but this cannot be said of the majority. This condition is due to the indiscriminate patronage of the theatre.

To overcome this indiscriminate we must know something of the plot of the play. If the hero passes through crime, or the heroine is held up as beautiful in spite of moral deficiencies, we know that life's romance is destroyed and its ideal is so distorted as to make it easy to excuse sin. We must also know something of the setting—if the actors are noble. What about the shameless lack of dress displayed on the billboards? Do we go to see it or believe they are camouflaged to catch a few. If you go to see this display, you have lost moral sensibility. We owe it to our fellowmen

Higher Prices Ever Follow Trail of War

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The Power of the Mother

Mother's Day Sermon by Rev. D. C. Ramsay at John St. Church.

The power of the mother over the life of the child is governed by law declared the Rev. D. C. Ramsay at John St. Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning on the subject of "What a Mother Keeps in Her Heart" which was fitting for the occasion of "Mother's Day." Mr. Ramsay spoke from the text Luke 2, 51-52.

A subtle law connects what Mary had in her heart and what occurred in Jesus' life. Jesus was subject to the law of influence just as the human race. The future opened before Him because His mother had set her heart. That does not mean that she set a limit for Him, because He had individuality and life is full of infinite possibilities. Many a great man has been great only because he had a great mother behind him. There is little achievement or success that does not find its source back in some mother's heart. What makes possible that power? Wherever the mother's heart is, there are three lasting things of life:

(1.) Faith. She believes in her boys and girls when others only ignore them. She sees the wonderful in the ordinary. By and by her children learn to believe in themselves for it is always faith that gives us a start in life—faith in ourselves that generally arises from some one's faith in us.

(2.) Hope. The real mother does not lose hope. Very often she has little to build on. Often enough she goes down to the grave with her hope unrealized, but the grave is nothing to a mother's hope and many a mother has won for her child in her death what she has never won for him in her life. This hope finds its way into the heart of her child and he sees the world in a large way.

(3.) Love. This is the great source of all a mother's power. Mothers are specialists in love and because love means more to our life than anything else in the world, mothers are specialists in life. Anything that is big in us was loved in us by our mothers. With these three qualities mothers mould our lives for they are the only abiding qualities and like the great powers of nature work silently, preserving, refreshing and renewing our life.

Loyalty to mother is the first duty of life. There is a form of disloyalty to mother—it is a law of life that young folk grow away from the older people. This tendency has been accentuated in our time by our rapidity of life and our conditions. A great many of the fathers and mothers of us were pioneers and did not have time to keep up with the rapid changes in our modern life. There is no doubt that some of them have old fashioned ideas and it is so easy to grow apart and then to neglect, coldness and sometimes to shame. It is a kind of disloyalty that is not only dispicable but foolish, for it is also disloyalty to ourselves. If there is any decency in us it belongs back yonder to the old fashioned ways and old fashioned folk. In these days, when we wonder what are the great powers of life, it is a time to say that mothers are the strongest power in the world. A worn out woman who can go no farther than the door of her home can send out powers greater than any governments.

Nights of Agony come in the train of asthma. The victim cannot lie down and sleep is driven from his bed. What grateful relief is the immediate effect of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. It banishes the passages and enables the afflicted the frightful conditions, clears the one to again sleep as soundly and restfully as a child. Insist on the genuine at your nearby druggist.

Ex-Mayor W. Jeffers Diamond is reported better today from his serious illness of the past few days. His friends are hoping for his restoration to his former vigor.

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"High prices are the inevitable result of war," the declaration states, "and in comparison with most wars, the present situation is far from abnormal. In the Napoleonic wars, prices in England rose 75 per cent, and took eight years to become normal again. In the United States' civil war, prices rose 100 per cent, and took twelve years or more to become normal.

"As a result of this war, the most gigantic of all in the history of the world, general wholesale prices (as distinct from the cost of living) have advanced since 1913 approximately as follows:

All Due to War. "The United States, 120 per cent; Great Britain, 170 per cent; France, Italy and Belgium, 300 per cent."

Dealing with the causes for this increase in prices, the declaration states that they may all be regarded as directly or indirectly due to the war. "Government action may mitigate or disguise some of the effects of the rise in prices, but it cannot remove the root cause, which is the destruction of wealth."

Peace has not yet been re-established, it is stated. Russia has in the field armies of 1,500,000 men or more, and not less than 1,000,000 men are still under arms in Poland, Roumania and the new States created out of Austria-Hungary. The first step needed is to complete demobilization in all these countries, and then to encourage increased production. The output of factories, mines and manufacturing industries is said to be less than before the war, and far below the demands now made upon them. At the same time, consumption, particularly of luxuries has increased. The declaration says: "The general extravagance now observable throughout the world is a phenomenon which has almost invariably followed in the footsteps of every great human catastrophe. Decrease of gold and excessive issues of paper currency are said to be responsible for a large part of the price increases. It is essential to the recovery of Europe," the statement reads, "that the manufacture of additional paper money and Government credits should be brought to an end, and this must be effected as soon as the war expenditure has been terminated."

Cause of Profiteering

Dealing with profiteering, the declaration reads: "Excessive profiteering, commonly known as profiteering, has resulted from the scarcity of goods. Deflation and a check upon the continuous rise of prices will do much in itself to end the conditions that make profiteering possible. But it is essential, in order to obtain the co-operation of all classes in the increase of production, that each Government should take such steps as are appropriate to the circumstances of its own people to assure and guarantee to the workers that the burdens they are called upon by their efforts to remedy are not aggravated by those who would exploit the economic difficulties of Europe for their own personal ends."

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JOHN WINFORD SCOTT

Mr. John Winford Scott, who came to Trenton some months ago to establish a paint and dye factory, died at his home on Sunday evening from heart failure following influenza. Deceased leaves a widow and five children. Mr. Scott was a travelling salesman for the Nordheimer Piano Company and lived in Gananoque before coming here. The dye and paint works were an experiment and proved, we have heard, quite a disastrous financial undertaking. Mr. Scott was a business man of outstanding ability and was a well known and popular traveller. The remains will be taken to Gananoque tomorrow for interment. He was 37 years of age.—Trenton Advocate.

ELIZA TRUMPOUR

The death took place at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Wilson, of Sulphide, on Sunday last, after a long illness, of Mrs. Eliza Wilson, a former resident of this village. The deceased was a sister of Geo. S. Wilson, of Vancouver, and Miss Wills, of Peterboro. The remains were interred in Bethel cemetery on Tuesday afternoon.—Tweed News.

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Successful Students at Queen's University

Mr. W. J. Embury, son of Mr. R. C. Embury, Cedar Street of this city is to be congratulated upon obtaining the degree of Bachelor of Science in geology and mineralogy at Queen's University, Kingston. He will be leaving shortly on a geological survey trip in the northern part of Manitoba.

Graduates From Dental College

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Mr. Gerald A. Morton, son of Mr. W. H. Morton, of this city, has just graduated as doctor of dental surgery from the Royal College of Dental Surgeons at Toronto. Dr. Morton spent over two years in dental work in C.A.D.C. He will open up an office in Belleville.

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The Power of the Mother

Mother's Day Sermon by Rev. D. C. Ramsay at John St. Church.

The power of the mother over the life of the child is governed by law declared the Rev. D. C. Ramsay at John St. Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning on the subject of "What a Mother Keeps in Her Heart" which was fitting for the occasion of "Mother's Day." Mr. Ramsay spoke from the text Luke 2, 51-52.

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An auto truck owned by Mr. Kiser of this city took fire on Trenton bridge and was completely destroyed as far as usefulness is concerned.

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Ald. R. D. Ponton, Chairman of Parks, has already entered upon the good work of beautification of our city. A transformation has already been effected in the park below No. 1 fire station. Ever since the construction of the railways this former beauty spot has been ragged and unkempt, but since the opening of Spring several dozen loads of earth have been deposited there and the surface raised about a foot and then levelled. Some flower beds have been established and soon we may be expecting a fine green sward in place of the late desolation. The south end of Victoria Park, which was often below water-level, is also receiving a heavy top-dressing of earth. This will gradually be extended northwards until the whole surface of the island is placed well above the highest high-water level. The protecting wall around the outside is also being repaired and extended so that the whole will be enclosed with its limestone revetment. Ald. Ponton is taking a keen personal interest in this work of improvement. He has made an excellent beginning and we are hoping to see it gradually extended until we have systematically eliminated ugliness from our city. St. Thomas has done that very thing. Everywhere in that city the eye is greeted with some new and agreeable picture. Why not in Belleville? It pays.

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During the forepart of haying in 1919 Robert Hamilton, Phillipsville, had occasion to use some money to pay a party at the roadside. He called to Mrs. Hamilton to send him his pocketbook. She did so. After paying the party there was left in the pocketbook over \$300. A day or so after he wanted some more money but the pocketbook was not to be found. A few days ago, while putting down hay for his stock the purse came to light. The money was intact, but mice had taken several nips off the purse. There was great rejoicing in the house of Hamilton.

The city of Galt has apparently been having the same kind of controversy over the problems of paving as we had at Belleville about six or seven years ago. The partisans of concrete, brick, tarvia, and other forms of paving have all been having their say but the advocates of asphaltic concrete, such as we have on our Front street, finally won out and placed a contract. Part of the work is now done and the residents are viewing the result with great satisfaction. The Reporter says:—So much of the West Main street pavement is in a finished condition that residents have now a fair idea of what the completed street will look like when the last foot of asphalt has been laid. The Reporter ventures to say that at the moment many of the objectors of last year are in a more pleasant frame of mind than when operations started on the street last fall. Some, it may be suspected, would not agree—it it could be done—to go back to the state of things that produced the famous by-law introduced and passed on the initiative of the Council. It is possible that they are even now proud of their street, though scarcely one-half of the asphalt has been laid. And well may they be. West Main street will soon challenge the admiration of citizens generally. That intention of citizens generally. That properties abutting it are held at higher figures than one year ago is believable. That values have been stabilized must be the result of the improvement undertaken. That the games for May be scheduled for handsome appearance of the new Saturday afternoons. There are no

pavement will stimulate individual embellishment of lawns, houses and industrial premises along the mile stretch that will mark the greatest single paving enterprise undertaken in Galt, is more than a possibility. It is inevitable. Neighbor will vie with neighbor in beautifying premises and adding to the attractiveness of the street. Effort piled on effort will reduce eyesores and add to the general good effect of the undertaking now approaching completion. Soon West Main street will be a real city thoroughfare, a credit to the citizens who are bearing the expense of the pavement and a considerable item in Galt's good assets. The mud of yester-year has gone forever. In its place within thirty days will be seen as smooth a piece of level roadway as can be shown in any small city in Canada. The gain is permanent to all concerned—and there is nothing left for the good citizen to do than pass on the spirit that brought on the improvement to those whose faith in Galt sometimes wobbles in the face of civic problems out of the ordinary. The city stands to gain by a bold policy initiated by men bold and wise enough to advocate progressive measures that accord with the ideas of the astute and practical city planner and builder.

This year's chairman of public works is acting wisely in letting out to contract important works of construction about the city such as sewers, pavements and concrete sidewalks. Our experiments in civic construction of such works have generally been costly and unsatisfactory. It is the hardest thing in the world for city foremen and superintendents to secure anything like as great efficiency from labor as can be secured from the private firm.

The paving company now operating in the city has about completed the excavations for the permanent pavement to be put down under last year's contracts. After taking off from six inches to a foot of surface from the streets, the excavations have, in nearly every case, disclosed an excellent macadam pavement extending still farther below the surface. The process of road construction in Belleville has been to superimpose one layer of gravel or crushed stone above another. The result has been most unsatisfactory. Ruts, dust, mud-holes and mud have made our thoroughfares unsightly and at times almost impassable. The expense of maintenance has been heavy. The economy of permanent paving such as we have on Front street, is apparent to all who have given the subject any mature consideration. This pavement was put down six years ago and not one dollar has been spent upon it for maintenance or repairs. Competent critics say the present surface will last for thirty years. Then all that will be necessary will be to recover with a thin asphaltic coating and the roadway will be good for another thirty years. Such considerations mean economy and satisfaction.

May 6th was the anniversary of the accession of His Majesty King George. It is just ten years ago since King Edward VII. died, and King George, then the Prince of Wales, was immediately declared king.

It is just five years ago since the 21st Battalion and Queen's Hospital left Kingston for overseas. On the night of May 5, 1915, the gallant 21st Battalion, over 1,100 strong, left Kingston. The crowd that assembled at the Outer Station when the battalion left was the largest crowd ever assembled at any ceremony in that city. Mayor R. D. Sutherland gave the battalion a civic send-off. The 21st was then commanded by Brigadier-General W. S. Hughes, while Queen's Hospital was in charge of Lt.-Col. Etherington.

Fannie Hurst, of New York, the authoress, made public announcement of her secret marriage five years ago to Jacques S. Danjelson, a pianist. Under a pre-nuptial agreement with her husband, she said, they have lived apart since their wedding, so as not to interfere with each other's career. She said they made their appointments for dinner and other engagements in a purely formal manner, "meeting as per inclination, and not duty." They intend to continue that plan, she added.

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Central League fixtures in that city during the month. Saturday afternoon games might be more attractive than the twilight brand, and two games might be played. Twilight games this month would have to start early, and there is always the danger of one team having to play part of an innings by moonlight.

A crazy motorist drove down the main street of Port Hope Wednesday night, at forty miles per hour. Fortunately the crossings were clear of pedestrians, otherwise there would have been some serious accidents.

About fifty students have registered for the summer course in Theology which opened at Knox College, Tuesday. The course is similar to the one given at Queen's last summer, being for the assistance of returned men who have the ministry in view. Prof. Wm. Morgan, of Queen's will be a member of the staff during the second term. Dr. D. M. Ramsay will be acting dean.

There will be two vacancies on the Kingston Collegiate Institute staff at the close of the term. George R. Smith, the master of the Mathematical department has been appointed to the staff of the Ottawa Collegiate Institute at a largely augmented salary over that paid here. His removal will be a source of regret to the Board. Miss Naomi Irving, one of the junior teachers is also retiring. She was a capable writing instructor.

The G.T.R. baseball team in the Central Ontario League, and St. Michael's team in the Trent Valley League turned out for practice last evening at the fair grounds. There were quite a few players out for the practice and the coaches of the two teams are much encouraged. The G.T.R. team looks even stronger than last year. One who follows baseball very closely says the team will perhaps have twice the strength of the champions of last year. St. Michael's has good material also and they are expected to go up high. Catcher Mills, Frank Goyer and Freddy Goyer were among those of the G.T.R. players out last night.

The Belleville Chapter No. 55 of the Eastern Star are holding a social evening in the Johnstons Academy on Tuesday, May 18th. It will be an informal gathering for the ladies and gentlemen of the Masonic societies in the district. The program will consist of progressive euchre, dancing and refreshments. It is expected this will be one of the largest gatherings of its kind this season and the ladies of the Eastern Star in Belleville are looking forward to entertaining their guests in grand style. The proceeds will be donated to the proposed Florence Nightingale home for the care of orphan children of Masonic members.

The Kingston Standard thus refers to the visit of R. W. Bro. F. E. O'Flynn to Ancient St. John's Lodge, A.F. and A.M. on Thursday night in that city.

A most enjoyable time was spent last evening when the Masonic brethren of Ancient St. John Lodge, held their regular meeting, which was supplemented by a banquet. The special speaker of the evening was Mr. F. E. O'Flynn, of Belleville.

A toast to the Grand Lodge was responded to by P. M. John Nicholle, while the toast to the visitors was responded to by Mr. Graham, and Rev. J. P. Wright. Both referred to Mr. O'Flynn, P.D.G.M., of Prince Edward district, and whose presence was a source of pleasure to all.

Mr. O'Flynn in his address, outlined his trip through the middle states to California, and also to Mexico, which he has visited. In a forcible and interesting manner, he spoke of the beauty of the country, and the sterling worth of Canadians everywhere. His address proved most enjoyable throughout.

Another business change has taken place along Front Street, Mr. F. W. Churchill, who has for some time conducted the undertaking business of Churchill & Speer has bought out his partner, Mr. Churchill has also purchased the furniture and upholstery business that has been so successfully conducted for some months past by Messrs. Thompson and Large, 194 Front Street. This will be Mr. Churchill's headquarters and he will carry on both the undertaking and upholstery business as done by the other firms in the past. Mr. Churchill, during his comparatively brief residence in the city, has made a host of friends, and he will probably make a fine success of his new venture.

and Public schools are to be congratulated upon their splendid showing at the annual inspection on Wednesday afternoon. The young lads went through the various movements like old time veterans and were highly complimented by Lt.-Col. Gillespie, of Kingston, the inspecting officer. The afternoon tea at the High School following the inspection of the cadets was a pleasing innovation and proved such a success that it is likely to become a permanent fixture on the annual program. Eighty-seven dollars was realized and this will be turned over to the hospital. This generous gift is much appreciated by the officials.

Messrs. Alexander Munroe, Jr., and William Munroe, Hall's Mills, had rather an unpleasant adventure on Clayton Lake lately. They were engaged in bringing down a raft of logs for the sawmill and as they neared the outlet of the lake a fierce storm of wind and hail stayed their progress. As they had no boat and did not wish to spend the night on the raft they constructed a smaller raft to reach the shore. As they neared an island their raft went to pieces and they were compelled to wade through the water waist deep to shore, where they had to pass the night, wet and without fire.

The Brockville police have been requested by P. Belanger, chief constable of Montreal, to assist in the search being made for two criminals wanted in that city. Albert Dellaghi, alias W. Forgetta, Italian, is described as being 26 years old, five feet six or seven inches in height, and weighs around 155 pounds. He is of a sallow complexion, has dark hair, a gold tooth in the front of the upper jaw, and walks with stooped shoulders and hands behind his back. He wore dark clothes, a fawn raincoat and glasses with a chain over one ear. Dellaghi is wanted for the murder in Montreal on May 5 of one Arthur Palmer. The other fugitive from justice is Winnifred McVey, alias Mary W. Baxter, alias Mrs. Leonard Dandenaunt, five feet and eight inches in height, weight about 170 pounds. She has grey hair and wears glasses and is wanted on several charges of theft.

Mr. Orvil Dainard, Royal street, sent to the office of The Picton Times recently an African goose egg which measured 10 1/2 by 1 3/4 inches and weighed exactly one pound. When broken, another complete egg measured 10 1/2 by 7 1/4 inches was found inside. The outer shell was filled with the white substance of an egg and the inner egg is probably complete. Mr. Dainard will let the goose hatch this egg with others. Last year the goose laid a similar egg just about the same size, which also contained a regular sized egg inside.

Hats off to the women of Belleville. While the ladies in Kingston, Peterborough and elsewhere have been excitedly trying all kinds of more or less bizarre fads to reduce the high cost of living the housewives of Belleville have formed a Consumers' Economy League and have given a fine display of commonsense by deciding that the most effective means in which to attack high prices is for everybody to go to work and produce more and, in addition, to exercise constant economy in the home. Those are the right ideas and they will accomplish wonderful results if only they become generally adopted. Boycotts and overalls came suddenly and vanished as rapidly, carrying on strong for a brief period because of novelty and artificial enthusiasm. To be moderate in our purchasing, to be willing to make our clothing last a little longer and, wherever we have land, to produce something to help out the pantry, are better plans than to refuse to buy necessities altogether with consequent suffering.

A French doctor named Tissot, who lives at Bonneville, near Geneva, was on Friday confronted with an ordeal involving his professional honor. He received a telephone call from a neighboring village informing him that a patient suffering from influenza was in a serious condition. Dr. Tissot started immediately, but his carriage was overtaken by a messenger, who said the doctor's son, seventeen years old, had fallen into a ravine while collecting Alpine flowers and fractured his skull. The boy's condition was described as critical. The physician, after hesitating for a few moments, drove on to his patient. On returning home he found his son dead.

Three members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, who are stationed at Ottawa, previously in the West, were in Lindsay for a few days, Constables Sandiland and Joe Connelly, of that town, and McMahon, of Montreal. Their natty uniforms attracted considerable attention on the streets. The boys were originally stationed at Regina, but

are now doing duty at the Capital.

George Beverly, of Claremont, appeared before Magistrate Johnson of Pickering, charged with abducting Mabel Alexandra, daughter of Albert Peters, of the same place. The father objected to the attentions of the young man to his daughter, who was attending the Continuation School and the accused carried the girl off for three or four days on a visit to his sister. The defendant was bound over to refrain from paying attentions to the girl for three years.

Machinists, toolmakers and other employees of the Peterboro plant of the Canadian General Electric Company walked out at ten o'clock Thursday morning. They demand a wage increase. H. Harper, of Toronto, is in Peterboro in connection with the strike. Several hundred men are affected. The employees of the Canadian Packing Company are still out and are determined to remain out until their demands for a wage increase is granted. Both the plant and the retail stores in that city are affected. The wage increase asked for by each group amounts to 5 cents an hour for an 8-hour day and time and a half for overtime.

Peterboro baseball fans whose enthusiasm has had a hard struggle with the frigid atmosphere of the last couple of weeks, will be given a chance to look over the Central League candidates on Saturday afternoon at Riverside Park, Peterboro. With fair weather conditions due any day now, it will be up to the players to get down to business in preparation for the first game at Belleville on May 24th. The following players should be out on Saturday afternoon: Swanson, Ross, Morris, Klyn, L. Rose, Corrin, Holyman, Collins, Lowe, Harrison, Butcher, Adams, Connors, Jackson, Cherrett, McCorney. No player need feel worried over the absence of his name from the list, as all players of ability, who are willing to practice regularly and work under orders, will be given every opportunity to make good.

A very pleasant and interesting gathering was held at Tweed on Tuesday night when a number of friends bade farewell to "Sandy" Grant, who is leaving Tweed, where he has resided for thirty-four years, to reside in Belleville. There was a large turn-out of Conservative stalwarts, and other friends in the auditorium, when Mr. Grant was presented with a gold-headed cane. Thomas Johnston made an admirable chairman. Mr. Grant replied feelingly, thanking the gathering for the fine gift, and the following also spoke: John Stokes, W. H. De Blois, Charles Ketcheson, John Kingston, W. J. Murgoyne, D. S. Morrison, Andy Wilson, George Stokes, Rev. A. E. Smart, Rev. Mr. Johnston, and W. E. Tammon, president of the Conservative Association. The event was brought to a close by all present partaking of a well prepared lunch, with fruits and cigars. Mr. Grant has been one of Tweed's foremost citizens. He served in the Council, and is also a former reeve, and for nine years ably represented Tweed in the Ontario Legislature. Mr. Grant carried on a harness-making business up till some years ago. He was a splendid type of citizen, and did much to promote the interests of the town he loved so much. He holds the respect of all classes, and in leaving he carries with him the best wishes of the community.

The farming has been on tenterhooks all the spring because of the uncertain weather conditions. But everything has worked out most favorably after all. Tonight will see the finish of nearly all the seeding in Hastings and Prince Edward counties. Even the lowlands west of Madoc road in the fourth and fifth concessions of Sidney have dried off finely and are now nearly all sown to grain wherever fall-plowing was done. On the early sown fields the seed has germinated remarkably well and already there is a distinct shade of green above the soil. The cold nights apparently did not hold back growth nearly as much as might be expected. The unusual heat of yesterday and today should push forward all forms of vegetable growth with a rush. With this reasonably early finish of seeding the farmers will now have abundant opportunity to proceed with the planting of corn and potatoes and should have those processes pretty well completed by May 24th.

The first general election after the adoption of the national policy was in June, 1882. Citizens of Toronto and elsewhere were suffering at the time from a potato famine and, as at present, prices were very high. The chief Conservative meetings were held at the Amphitheatre, on James street, where part of the city hall

Special Sale

—OF—
MEN'S SUITS

—AT—
\$25.00

—ON—
Saturday

We will offer your choice of a nice selection of Tweed and Worsted Suits on Saturday—all sizes—\$25.00. Who says clothing prices are high?

OAK HALL

now stands. The chief speaker on the night was St. John Macdonald. He said, when he appealed to the country in '67, the battle cry was Union and Progress, and his opponents referred to his party as the U.P. Now he was asking a renewal of confidence on account of the N.P., which, he said, stood not merely for National Policy, but also for National Prosperity. No poverty, and (after a pause and with that peculiar smile) he added, "and for New Potatoes." This "brought down the house."

A new salary schedule for rural school principals and high school assistants has been approved by the executive of the Manitoba Teachers' Federation, and a circular is being sent to all school boards in the province asking their co-operation in making it effective. According to this schedule, principals of two-roomed schools will receive \$1,600 for the first year, with increases up to \$2,000 for the sixth year; three-roomed and four-roomed schools, \$1,800 for the first year, increasing to \$2,200 for the sixth year; five-roomed and six-roomed schools, \$2,000 for the first year, increasing to \$2,500 for the sixth year. For high school assistants the schedule provides a minimum of \$1,600 for the first year, with an increase of \$100 per year up to \$2,100 for the sixth year.

Kingston is also advocating that all vacant lots in that city be used for gardening. Have you started your garden yet, asks The Standard. If there is a vacant piece of land you wish to cultivate, communicate with Prof. J. Macgillivray, and an effort will be made to secure it for you. Don't lose time now. Every day lost now means a few more cents added to the price of potatoes next summer. To get the best results from your garden, coat the land with rotted stable manure, if it can be had, before plowing. If this is not available it will pay you to purchase some commercial fertilizer. Use about a pound for five square yards.

There was a start made on Saturday last in the preparations for the shooting competitions at the Barrie field ranges. Representatives of the 14th P.W.O.R. and district headquarters staff teams had a shoot off. The miniature target was also used. The prospects are reported excellent for a very successful season and the Kingston clubs hope to have a representative on the Bisley team this year. There is more or less objection to the conditions imposed by the new regulations prohibiting the aperture and hooded sights. It is realized, however, that the battle sight and the service rifle really constitute the ultimate conditions of rifle shooting in war and the greatest proficiency under such conditions ought to be the aim of all training.

The barge Frank E. Ewen of the George Hall Company's line, Captain P. Le Boeuf, Valleyfield, docked at Belleville Wednesday night at 6 o'clock and on Thursday morning the work of unloading a cargo of 1,233 tons of egg, stove and chestnut coal for the W. B. Reynolds Co. was undertaken. The coal was loaded at Fairhaven, N.Y., where boat men say a plentiful supply of the black diamonds, ready for shipment by water, appears to exist at present. The Ewen was one of a tow of three barges behind the tug Florence, Captain V. Gendron, the others being the Walter A. Sherman and the Melrose, all carrying anthracite cargoes. The Sherman was left at Ogdensburg while another tug proceeded with the Melrose to Montreal.

Marmora Board of Health have fixed the period of May 1st to 15th as the time during which all yards, cellars and out buildings must be cleaned up and put in a sanitary condition.

Chemical Products, Limited, is being organized by Canadian capitalists, with a capital of \$2,000,000 to carry on the work of manufacturing several lines formerly put out by British Chemicals, Limited, at its Trenton plant. These works are being taken over by the new company. The principal lines to be manufactured are: Sulphuric acid, 38,160 tons; acid phosphate, 75,000 tons; soda nitrate, 600 tons; salicylic acid, 456,000 pounds; aspirin, 1,080,000 pounds. Of acid phosphate there is estimated to be a short shortage of no less than 15,000,000 tons. Some idea of the extent of the Canadian market alone for the consumption of chemicals and their various products may be gathered from the fact that the aggregate value of the imports under this general classification last year amounted to \$88,000,000.

A gang are at work just west of the river at Moira getting out rock to be used on the county roads this year. It is expected the crusher will be there next week and a large amount of stone will be crushed for the roads in that section.

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Tablet in Memory of Gallant Soldier Unveiled

Fitting Ceremony at Meeting of Stirling Lodge No 69, A.F. and A.M., Last Night—District Deputy Symons Paid Official Visit—Notable Banquet at Conclusion.

To the Memory of
BROTHER ERNEST GARFIELD RUNNALS
21st Battalion, C. E. F.
Killed in Action
AMIEUS
8th August 1918

Such is the inscription on a tablet of brass that will keep before the minds of his brethren of Stirling Lodge A.F. and A.M. the gallant death and sacrifice of a fellow member who gave his life that freedom might live.

With a few appropriate words last night Rev. W. G. Swayne pulled aside the Union Jack that concealed the tablet from view and then he spoke of the noble life and the work that the hero's hand had gone to accomplish. A brief prayer followed and the simple but impressive service was at an end.

Last night was also the occasion of the official visit of the District Deputy Grand Master Symons to Stirling Lodge. In honor of the event there was probably the largest gathering of Masons ever seen at Stirling. Large numbers of visiting brethren were present from Belleville, Ameliasburg, Bloomfield, Trenton, Frankford, Marmora, Madoc, Deloro and intervening sections.

The following officers of the lodge exemplified the work of the second degree in Masonry—
W.M.—D. Green
I.P.M.—Geo. B. Johnston
S.W.—Geo. A. Bailey
J.W.—Wm. H. Rollins
S.D.—Gilbert B. Bedford
J.D.—Thos. Cranston
I.G.—Frank Johnson
Sec.—Geo. W. Bailey
Treas.—T. H. Matthews
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The district deputy then briefly addressed the lodge and complimented the degree team upon its proficiency and accuracy in the work.

The banquet that followed was a notable event, the only drawback being the fact that nearly all the available accommodation in the spacious dining hall was taken by the visitors and large numbers were unable to gain admittance. The feast that was provided was a most tempting layout and appreciation was manifested in a very practical manner by the hungry diners.

After the feast, W. Bro. T. E. B. Yeats took charge of what proved to be a program of post-prandial oratory of a high order of excellence. The toastmaster called upon Past D.D.G.M. Dr. J. McC. Potts to propose the toast to the Grand Lodge and as representative, Rt. Wor. Bro. C. J. Symons. Dr. Potts, who is a most graceful and effective dinner speaker, extended a cordial welcome to the guests of the evening and led in the cheers that greeted his rising.

the splendid welcome and the outstanding hospitality of which he and the other visitors had been recipients.

Appropriate responses were made by W. Bro. Yeates and W. Bro. D. Green, master of the lodge.

Late Mrs. Eliza Clark

The funeral of the late Mrs. Eliza Clark took place yesterday from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Miller, McDonald Ave., the Rev. A. S. Kerr officiating. The bearers were four grandsons—Gordon Miller, George T. Bowen, Edward Bowen and Fred Bowen. The burial was made in Belleville cemetery.

Belleville's Catcher Figures in Article

MacLean's Magazine Refers to Catcher Mills in May Number

MacLean's Magazine for May contains an exceedingly interesting article on "Baseball in Canada" by George W. ("Knotty") Lee, manager of the Brantford team in the Michigan-Ontario professional league.

Mr. Lee tells of scouting around for players last year and makes the following veiled allusion to Catcher "Peany" Mills.

I have done a lot of scouting for my own teams and also for the Toronto International Club. My itinerary has generally been south from Montreal through the New England States, down through New York and along Michigan and Illinois, ending up around St. Paul, Frankly I have seldom put in much time in Canada on the hunt for players. And at that there is just as good raw material in Canada as elsewhere.

Last year I was tipped off that a certain amateur team in Ontario had some good material. The catcher, I noticed, was handling himself in beautiful shape. He was a natural stand-up-to-the-plate batter and he had a grand throwing arm. But quite apart from this, he was doing things that you never or seldom see done in an amateur game. For instance he made splendid throws to second and caught the runner cold each time. The crowd applauded like mad. After that nine catchers out of ten, would have thrown their arms off, pegging them down to second to get more of the hand-clap stuff. But not this chap. I saw that he passed up any effort to throw to second a couple of times after that when it was clear to anyone who knew the game that the runner would make it. "Using his head," I said to myself. "It takes a professional to pass up the chance for applause."

Then I noticed another trick of his. He came to bat with a runner on first and none out. The first ball was rather wide and high and he made a very ineffectual effort at a bunt. The pitcher promptly put the ball back in about the same place and my man promptly squared away and lammed it to the fence for a three-bagger. All through the game he did things that did not show on the surface, but indicated that he was thinking all the time and thinking quick. The way he squatted behind the bat, the way he threw, his quickness once in throwing a bunted ball to third instead of first, everything he did was right. "An old ball player," I said to myself.

Much to my surprise I found, on talking to him after the game, that he was not only young but had actually never seen a professional game. He was just a natural-born ball player. I offered him a job on the spot but he passed it up without any hesitation.

He was getting one hundred dollars a month and liked his work and he had a good chance for promotion. So there he is. If any big league scout develops a line on a catcher who would develop in time into another "Moon-sy" Gibson or "Oblee" Meyers I can give him the address.

Welcome Spring

Editor Ontario:—
It is the mercy of God that He has given us sufficient to sustain life through another long, cold winter, and brought us safely through to behold another beautiful Spring.

How anticipating it is to look out upon the beautiful prospects of a prosperous Summer. The frost and snow all gone, the cold sleety rains over, the flowers appear on the earth, the time of the singing of the birds has come, the voice of the turtle is heard in our land. (Sons of Solomon 2:11-12). This time of season proves more beneficial for the future prospects than a mere January thaw in mid-winter. Though these thaws oft times take off the snow and loosen out the ice, but it does not take out the frost. There are no flowers to be seen, no melodious music from the summer bird; the voice of the turtle is not heard.

These all wait their season and when it comes everything moves out of their hiding place and goes to work. The spiritual significance of winter is the natural, state of man's heart after the fall when he reached his hand unto iniquity which blighted the tender regards and simplicity they had for God's commandments, which became frost-bitten and all the channels and rivers of God's pleasure, became frozen up. Sin prevailed over the whole earth and so the curse followed until the natural course of man's life became winter. God saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. Though man has sought to bring about reformation, getting people to reform, this answered the purpose of a January thaw in mid-winter, but it never took out the frost of sin, or brought back the beautiful melodious sound of the spring birds; the voice of the turtle is not heard. These represent the joy of salvation which comes to the new-born soul.

But God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life. (John 3:16). In His wrath God remembered mercy and provided a way of redemption for every soul through the shedding of blood and through committing iniquity, yet God provided a way to sustain life, until these bodies of ours go back to mother dust, and our souls shall partake of the full benefit of the atonement. And we should come forth with the joys and melody of spring-time, and say, oh, Death, where is thy sting; oh, grave, where is thy victory?

Through the adamite perfection all came under the curse and lived in mid-winter, but through the redemption of Jesus Christ, salvation was provided for all who came under the stonement, and found the joy of salvation, and entered into the endless summer of eternal rest through the redemption of Messiah who paid their redemption on Calvary.

Solomon who lived in the heights of dispensation and in the heights of his glory said the winter is passed, etc. Yet the Jewish blessing consisting of this world proves there must be another winter because God said while the earth remaineth, seed time and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night should not cease.

But we today, living in the gospel dispensation, have a greater advantage of enjoying a personal experience of spring-time than those who live under the law, for what the laws could not do in that his own weak through the flesh, God sending His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh, and for sin condemn sin in the flesh, etc. The veil of the temple was rent in twain and we have the pleasure of enjoying the full splendor of spring-time by launching out into the experience of holiness which takes out the frost of inherited depravity and lets the soul rejoice in the melodious sound of full salvation. Pride is turned into humility, passion into meekness, hatred is turned to love, and there is nothing left in the soul that would hinder it from blossoming out in full splendor and sending forth a fragrant smell like Noah's sacrifice which abated the wrath of God from off the earth.

Also religion brings joy. The singing of the birds and the voice of the turtle is heard in praise and gratitude for the return of spring. We rejoice ever more, pray without ceasing, and in everything give thanks, until universal righteousness spread over the earth and we hear the angelical choir singing peace on earth and good will toward men.

The day of Pentecost was the first spring-time for the Gentile world after the apostles got all the frost out of their experience they learned in the upper room at Jerusalem, blessing and praising God for full salvation. When suddenly there came a sound from Heaven like as a rushing mighty wind, and cloven tongues of fire sat upon each of them, and they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, etc. Thus Peter was enabled to back up a message under the blazing rays of the summer sun full of power and zeal of the Holy Ghost that burned its way to the hearts of men and caused three thousand anxious souls to cry out, "What must I do to be saved?", and again five thousand, and God added to the church such as should be saved.

Thus winter had to give place to spring. (Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these.) Righteousness prevailed while the apostles and their followers lived and continued until the dark ages rolled in and crushed righteousness out, launched the church out into the mid-winter again. Nevertheless God has brought a spring-time back to earth many a time and caused her to reap a bountiful harvest.

Martin Luther, John Knox, John Wesley, with all their co-laborers, and all saints who labored before or since who blossomed out in full splendor of spring-time and dispersed the cold winter in this twentieth century and also when God sent us a beautiful spring-time and a bountiful harvest under the faithful laborers of His true ambassadors, truly winter had to give way. Small churches were dotted over the land like lilies in full bloom, and the joy and full sound of the singing birds, and the voice of the turtle is heard as in prayer and praise to God in our land.

Truly righteousness covered the earth as the waters cover the sea. Yet it may be our lot to live through another winter. Nevertheless God will gather His summer fruit and those who are left and remain when the great angel sounds the blast of the trumpet will be caught up with those who blossomed in all ages to meet Jesus in the air. So shall we ever be with God to enjoy one eternal summer where frost and snow cannot come. We will hear the welcome call, come ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world. Can we describe the fragrance of the blooming flowers and the melodious sound of the singing bird, and the voice of the turtle is heard in our land.

(Rev.) W. F. Dolin.

None Will Escape Their Income Tax, Thinks Collector

Ottawa Intends to See That Its System Shall Be Worked Thoroughly.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 8.—With a strenuous plea that the Dominion income tax system in Canada was as yet in its infancy and expressing the hope that within five years it would be second to none in the world, R. W. Breadner, Commissioner of Taxation, made a lengthy reply to many criticisms of the system before a meeting of members of the Commons and Senate to-day.

Million Make Returns.

There would be about one million persons in Canada make returns this year, he showed, as compared with half that number in 1917, when the Act was passed. Every class in the community was being reached and there were only two now outside the pale of taxation. These were "occupant slipper" and "miners or fishermen, who had a dozen homes in various parts of the country within a year. He hoped to see legislation passed to get the former into line and as to the latter they might adopt a system of compelling employers to take one per cent. from the man's monthly salary, provided it went to \$100.

"We intend to see that this system shall be worked and worked thoroughly. No one will get out of paying the just tax when we get through," said the commissioner after detailing the wide scope of the work of his staff. There was a file kept for every person and they had details of his responsibility since the Act was passed.

had been successful in every prosecution it had undertaken. "And there are others who will be so prosecuted," he added.

Breadner said he told Sir Thomas White when the system was inaugurated, that they must expect criticism and difficulty for the first five years. His staff went through telephone lists, auto-owners' lists, etc., and this was only the start of their work.

Within the last two weeks over 10,000 letters were sent to persons who had not filed a return in Toronto. Last year between ten and twenty thousand such letters had been sent out. As to being cumbersome, both British and United States officials had complimented his staff on the simplicity of the Canadian form.

"Despite what anyone says to the contrary, the people of Canada, are certainly honest," added Mr. Breadner.

Some Seed Potatoes Have Been Secured

Chamber of Commerce Obtains 50 Bags of Guaranteed Stock — Price is \$7.50 a Bag

After a great deal of effort the Chamber of Commerce has succeeded in securing an initial shipment of thirty-five bags of guaranteed seed potatoes for residents of the city who are planning to have home gardens this summer. It was only with the greatest difficulty that these potatoes could be secured because all sections of Quebec and Ontario appear to have been drained of all reserve stocks of seed potatoes. The Department of Agriculture was in communication with telegraph and the best that they could offer was an unsuspected grade at the maximum price and it was not felt that it would be safe to take a chance on this stock.

The thirty-five bags that are under way to this city will have to be sold at \$7.50 a bag and even at that price it was impossible to get any further deliveries at this time. Mr. Fredericks, Secretary of the Chamber, has been in telephone and telegraph communication with people in various parts of Quebec and Ontario with a view to securing some supply for planting. In the majority of cases no potatoes were available at any price, while in some other instances the potatoes were not guaranteed, which made them undesirable for the purpose for which they are intended.

Rotarians Visit Oshawa

Belleville Men Attend Charter Meeting of New Club

A number of Belleville Rotarians attended the charter meeting of the Oshawa Rotary Club at Welsh's parlors, Oshawa, last night and were treated royally by the new fledgling rotarians of that town. There were twenty-five Oshawa men present and about fifty from Toronto besides, two from Hamilton. The charter was presented by District Governor Harry Stanton, Mr. W. B. Deacon, vice president of the Belleville Rotary Club brought greetings and Ald. J. Bone spoke on behalf of the public affairs committee, telling of rotarian interest in community questions in Belleville. The others present from Belleville were Messrs. H. W. Ackerman, J. G. Moffatt and O. H. Scott.

In the afternoon the visitors were entertained at the Oshawa Golf Links.

A Cure for Rheumatism.

A painful and persistent form of rheumatism is caused by impurities in the blood, the result of defective action of the liver and kidneys. The blood becomes tainted by the introduction of uric acid, which causes much pain in the tissues and in the joints. Par-melee's Vegetable Pills are known to have effected many remarkable cures, and their use is strongly recommended. A trial of them will convince anyone of their value.

YOUNG PORKERS ARE OFFERED

Potato Prices Remain Almost Unchanged—Market Smaller

Naturally this morning's market was not as large as usual, owing to the opportunities the farmers have of concluding seeding operations. Work is almost finished it was stated by a number of farmers today. The rural sections are looking for rain now.

Young pigs were the most plentiful of offerings today. The porkers seemed to have taken entire possession of the north side of McAnany street. They were held at \$9 to \$10 each.

Potatoes were naturally quite scarce. The ruling price is six dollars per bag although one man was hardy enough to ask \$7.00 for 90 pounds of tubers.

The egg market was fairly large, prices ranging from 47c to 50c per dozen. Butter prices have steadied a little, being from 62c to 5c. Produce men are offering dairy butter at 58c and are offered it as low as 52c.

Meats steadied somewhat, beef hindquarters selling at 23c whole sale, veal 22c. Lamb is offered at 40c and mutton at 25c per pound.

Hogs are quoted at \$19 per cwt. this week. Grains show no changes of note. A considerable quantity of corn and seeds was offered.

Poultry was scarce at \$1.75 to \$2.50 per fowl. The wholesale trade is demanding a drop in the price of eggs as they claim that production, now being flush, there is no occasion for maintaining the present extremely high prices as the bulk of stock is going into the coolers for late fall and winter consumption. The shippers are buying at 47c.

Indication are that wool prices will be somewhat lower than last year, but in the absence of any sales, it is impossible to quote any definite prices.

The Canadian hide market in sympathy with the United States hide market is tending downwards owing to the action of Congress in attempting to control the manipulation of values. Deacons quoted today at \$3 to \$2.25, calfskins 35c, beef hides 16c to 24c.

was supposed to be with Col. Smith when he died and came to tell her of his dying words, Miss Cella and he decide to dine at home instead. Cella is very indignant over the way affairs have gone and has very little to say to him and makes preparations for herself and aunt to sail for America the next day.

But, Col. Smith alters the plans by proclaiming himself to be Col. Smith and in love with Cella. Col. S. F. Maines took the part of Col. Smith splendidly.

Mr. V. P. Hunt as Mr. Farady acted his part with precision. Mr. D. Blatchford as Robert Steele and Mr. T. G. Mason as James Raleigh and Mr. J. Moulton as Martini, the butter played minor parts.

The hall was packed. The proceeds went to the Armenian Relief Fund. Members of the Albert College Choral Society sang a couple of selections also Mr. R. J. F. Staples and Mr. S. M. Anglin rendered selections in between acts.

Last evening an automobile coming down Front street struck a buggy near the silent policeman at the Bridge street corner. Fortunately no damage was done as the horse was a quiet animal. The occupants were not thrown out.

The authorities are investigating a complaint on behalf of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. It is reported that there is a horse in a barn on Grier street which is suffering for lack of feed.

A motorist said to be driving at a greater speed than twenty miles per hour came down Front street about noon on Friday and at Bridge street intersection almost struck a car moving eastward from the lower bridge, the latter having the right of way, of course. The offending auto driver will be summoned to court for immoderate driving.

Bay of Quinte fishermen are having a great year with whitefish at twenty-two cents a pound. They are also catching large quantities of ling which are dried and salted and are being sold as dried codfish. The ling brings the fishermen fifteen cents a pound.

The death sentence imposed at Toronto upon Coppin in February by Justice Latchford on the charge of murdering his wife, has been commuted to life imprisonment. It is expected that Coppin will be removed to Portsmouth penitentiary this week.

Two large barns, cow and horse stables and a hen house were destroyed by a fire of mysterious origin on the farm of W. J. Kennedy at Tinkiss Crossing, about four miles west of Corawill, on Tuesday afternoon. Two calves in one of the barns were burned, as well as the machinery and harness and a large quantity of hay. Mr. Kennedy's loss will be between \$5,000 and \$6,000 with insurance of \$1,800 on barns and contents in the London Mutual Insurance Co.

Talk of the Town And of the Country

On Wednesday thirty-five friends assembled at the home of Mr. Frank street and surprised a young man, Mr. B. A. Sanford, who served with the constabulary in France has been in Kingston for treatment wholly by surprise, he is able to express his gratitude and the address, yesterday to Kingston.

Akey vs. Hydro Electric was an action brought by plaintiff for \$10,000 death of his son at the Tweed by coming in collision with defendant's pole. The suit was by his mother and water and went to the water pipe went to and was found dead, holding onto the wire, wife became alive by of the insulator by some cause. On the application plaintiff the action was the fall assize on the absence of a necessary witness, E. Guss Porter plaintiff; W. C. Mikel, defendant.

Upwards of 7,000 gallons Jamaica rum were unladen from steamer Ham Hope. The spirits shipped, oak casks, and said to be water and instead of being shipped in bond from Jamaica to Winnipeg cover. The police are constant watch on the and the cars will be checked by the police line to its final destiny.

John Macdonald, secretary of the Board of Education, is searching the country for coal for the schools during the winter. He is finding some trying to place contracts he will succeed. If this done, there may have doubling up in connection schools next winter so the dren may be made comfortable.

So far this year Chas. Baltimore chicken man, 10,000 chickens, which shipped. He expects to 20,000 more this year. hatched by incubators in 75 per cent crop. The old-time "clucker" is 100 per cent.

John Van Albert of Holland, is the tallest man world—eight feet five in heel to head. He has five New York and will soon buy. His limbs and body portion with his height, a 14 glove, 9 1/2 hat and No.

In the death of Hon. Se Pringle, Cobourg loses spirited citizen. Senator Pringle interested in everything to the town, and though, kept in the background, his money were always a disposal of an object of advancement to the town, and citizens in general will genially and his public

The Earl of Meath, fourth Empry Day celebration, in Great Britain, having the Prime Minister send yearly religious observance, the reply that religious character should only be with the greatest caution opted the most suitable award would be the anniversary signing of the armistice on the 11th.

Edward Reid, when Smith's Falls, his former residence, for the week-end

Talk of the Town And of the Country

In the \$10,000 action of Mrs. Mary Pearce, vs. Isaac Smith, as a result of which she was awarded five hundred dollars for blighted affection, Mr. Justice Logie gave 15 days stay to enable defendant to appeal. Mr. Mikel on behalf of defendant took the legal objection that there was no corroboration in law of the promise of marriage, and if there was a promise, there was no evidence of the breach of the promise, and it is understood the defendant will appeal on these and other grounds. The judge gave 15 days stay to enable defendant to appeal. E. Guss Porter, K.C., for plaintiff; W. C. Mikel, K.C., and George Drewery for defendant.

On Wednesday evening about thirty-five friends assembled at the home of Mr. Frank Wilson, King street and surprised him by presenting him with a purse of money and an address, which was read by Mr. B. A. Sanford. Mr. Wilson who served with the construction troops in France has been in hospital at Kingston for treatment. Taken wholly by surprise, he was however able to express his gratitude for the gift and the address. He returned yesterday to Kingston.

Akey vs. Hydro Electric — This was an action brought at the assize by plaintiff for \$10,000 for the death of his son at the village of Tweed by coming in contact with a live guy wire attached to one of the defendant's poles. The deceased was sent by his mother for a pail of water and instead of going direct to the water pipe went to the guy wire and was found dead with his hand holding onto the wire. The guy wire became alive by the breaking of the insulator by some unknown cause. On the application of the plaintiff the action was postponed to the fall assize on the ground of the absence of a necessary and material witness. E. Guss Porter, K.C. for plaintiff; W. C. Mikel, K.C. for defendant.

Upwards of 7,000 gallons of No. 1 Jamaica rum were unloaded Tuesday from steamer Hamonic at Port Hope. The spirits shipped in huge oak casks, and said to be the finest, were shipped by bond from Kingston, Jamaica, to Winnipeg and Vancouver. The police are keeping a constant watch on the consignment and the cars will be double-sealed and checked by the police all along the line to its final destination.

John Macdonald, secretary of the Kingston Board of Education, is searching the country for a supply of coal for the schools during next winter, and is finding some trouble in trying to place contracts and hopes he will succeed. If this cannot be done, there may have to be some doubling up in connection with the schools next winter so that the children may be made comfortable.

So far this year Chas. Sully, the Baltimore chicken man, has hatched 10,000 chickens, which he has shipped. He expects to hatch out 20,000 more this year. Of eggs hatched by incubators he reports a 75 per cent. crop. The average with the old-time "clucker" is from 90 to 100 per cent.

John Van Albert of Amsterdam, Holland, is the tallest man in the world—eight feet five inches from heel to head. He has just arrived in New York and will soon join a circus. His limbs and body are in proportion with his height. John wears a 14 glove, 9 1/2 hat and No. 12 shoes.

In the death of Hon. Senator Clive Pringle, Cobourg loses a public spirited citizen. Senator Pringle was interested in everything pertaining to the town, and though, while he kept in the background, his time and his money were always at the disposal of an object of charity or advancement to the town. The town and citizens in general will miss his geniality and his public spiritedness.

The Earl of Meath, founder of the Empire Day celebration movement in Great Britain, having written to the Prime Minister suggesting a yearly religious observance, has received the reply that religious observances of a national or Imperial character should only be adopted with the greatest caution and it adopted the most suitable anniversary would be the anniversary of the signing of the armistice on November 11th.

Edward Reid, when down to Smith's Falls, his former place of residence, for the week-end, was run-

into by a motor-cycle, ridden at a fast pace. He lost a tooth and sustained many bruises, but his feelings were relieved somewhat when seeing that the cyclist had ruined a perfectly good suit of clothes, greatly damaged the motor-cycle and come by sundry severe bruises.

Strange things have happened since the "dry" law came into effect.

On Monday, a Kingston collector of the street mail boxes found a bottle of whiskey in the parcel post box. How the whiskey came to get in the box is not known, but it is quite evident that some person was suffering with a guilty conscience. The collector took the "strong stuff" with the rest of his mail matter to the post office, and it was afterwards handed over to the Inspector's department.

The bottle was filled, and the cork had not been pulled and would have gladdened the heart of some thirsty one.

The Illinois Central Railway has introduced a "snore muffler," and promises that patrons of its sleeping cars will no longer be disturbed by the nasal noise performers. Of a truth, peace hath her victories no less renowned than war.

Judgment was reserved in the court of review, Montreal, Tuesday, in an appeal from the judgment of the superior court which exonerated the C.P.R. Company from all liability for the death of Abraham Mardler, resulting from a bullet fired by Patrick O'Connell, then employed by the C.P.R. as a special constable and lately stationed at Brockville as special agent for the Grand Trunk Railway. Mardler was surprised by O'Connell and another detective in the act of robbing a C.P.R. freight car near Hochelaga yards. When the detectives ordered to stop was ignored, O'Connell fired his revolver in the air. This caused Mardler to run faster, whereupon O'Connell fired a second time, aiming, it was said, at the ground. The bullet, having ricocheted, it is said, struck Mardler, who died the following day from his wound. Ella Marazter, widow of Mardler, entered suit against the C.P.R. for \$20,000 damages.

Announcement was made Wednesday that the Oshawa Telegram, a new paper, will make its initial appearance on May 13th. The paper will be published by Messrs. Alger, well-known in journalistic circles.

The Cobourg town council has written for information in regard to the provincial subsidy for paving streets in towns, as extensions of the provincial highway. On the Cobourg Front Road the highway department has widened the road to 30 feet, which would be the subsidized width in town. The government grants aid for paving to the extent of 80 per cent. for this width, and if so the town will pave from the Dyeing Co. bridge on William street to the eastern limits of King street. The cost to the town would be about \$6,000 a mile, according to this plan.

Mr. Alex. Birchard showed the Lindsay Post Wednesday morning a hen's egg which measured 6 1/2 by 7 1/2. It was laid by a hen belonging to Mr. W. Bailey, of Cambridge.

Mr. A. A. Knight, of the Department of Agriculture, followed Mr. Birchard with an egg laid by a Barred Rock belonging to Mr. James Casey, of Valentia, which measured 8 by 6 1/2 and weighed 3 1/2 ounces. The egg was well formed.

Not to be outdone in the egg competition, Miss Beatrice O'Neill, 48 Ridout street, exhibited an egg from a Black Minorca which measured 8 1/2 by 8 inches and weighs exactly four ounces. It is a well formed egg. If the hens in the district keep up this competition much longer, one egg will be sufficient for a family.

An interesting surgical case occurred in the township of Bromley when the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Edwards became sick with stomach trouble. The little boy, three years old, became ill a year ago but apparently rallied. About a month ago he again became ill and appeared to be suffering intense pains in his stomach. Dr. Cotnam deemed an operation advisable and the trouble was partially thought to be appendicitis. The operation was performed and a needle, three inches long, somewhat corroded, was extracted from the child's stomach. The parents have no idea when the child swallowed the needle, but it

presumably must have been a year ago when he first became ill. The little patient is recovering.

The Prescott-Brockville section of the provincial highway, which is under the supervision of A. L. Baldwin, C. E., of Gananoque, is to be dragged its entire length to put it in shape for traffic. M. J. Higgins is to have charge of the work. On the Gananoque-Brockville section F. L. Brinkman, C. E., has completed location of the limit from Glenora Park to the town limits of Brockville and the survey is to be carried westward from Glenora Park. Several culverts have been installed and the road has been raised at Brystat Beach. At Lily Bay blasting has been carried on removing a side hill to give the highway proper width.

Joseph Barcroft, a reader of physiology at King's College, Cambridge, Eng., has lived for six days in a hermetically sealed glass box.

The experiment arose out of a 30-year-old controversy as to whether it is possible to calculate the amount of oxygen in the blood from a knowledge of the amount of oxygen in the breath. The test was also made to demonstrate whether it was necessary that airmen should have oxygen apparatus when flying at great heights. It proved that oxygen was not necessary to flying men but it did not prove to what height they could fly with safety.

While in the box Barcroft kept a record of his sensations and made scientific observations. He said he suffered from sleeplessness but otherwise did not experience much inconvenience except on the last day when the atmosphere became extremely rarified. He then had headaches and nausea. He was watched continually while in the box. He took food and slept in two small compartments fitted up with wicker-chairs, a table, a small bed and a bicycle on which he exercised every morning.

It was just one year ago Tuesday that Daniel Gallivan was found dead in a house on Thomas street, Kingston, which was destroyed by fire. It will be remembered that the coroner's inquest brought in a verdict that Mr. Gallivan had been murdered, and though it was expected that developments would occur, nothing has come out of the case in the twelve months.

Bears and dogs live 20 years, foxes 15, hons 70, cats 14, squirrels, hares and rabbits 7, hogs 30. A horse has been known to live sixty-two years; their average age is 25, sheep 10, cows 15, camels 100, eagles 104, ravens 11, tortoises 107, swans 360, elephants 400, whales 1,000.

To make this city prosperous: Don't fret. Talk about it. Write about it. Beautify the streets. Patronize the merchants. Be friendly to everybody. Advertise in its newspapers. Elect good men to all offices. Avoid gossip about your neighbors. Keep your sidewalks in good repair. Do your trading with your own merchants.

If you don't think of any good word don't say anything about it. If you are rich, invest something; employ somebody, be a hustler. Remember that every dollar invested in permanent improvements is so much on interest.

Be courteous to strangers that come among you, so that they may go away with good impressions. Always cheer on the men who go in for improvements, your portion of the cost will be nothing only what is just.

Don't kick at any proposed improvement because it is not at your door, for fear your taxes will be raised fifty cents.

Mr. Wilson, freight agent of the St. Lawrence division of the New York Central railway, is in Kingston investigating the possibilities for more direct connection with the railway with Kingston as an export point. There is no announcement to make at present regarding the result of his negotiations but the plans anticipate an important development of the American markets for Canadian exports of all kinds.

Many of the students at Queen's University have completed their examinations and have left for their homes. On Sunday a number of the preachers in the Kingston churches said good-bye to the students.

The Collingwood Shipbuilding Co. Kingston started on Monday to lap out keel for new government steamer which will be built this season. Some delay was occasioned in getting the material for construction but good progress has been made and the

work will now proceed. The vessel will be practically a duplicate of the "Canadian Beaver" launched last fall and which is now ready for her trial spin.

One of the largest and probably most interesting real estate transfers that has taken place in Oshawa for some time was consummated Monday night when the building, land and equipment complete, the property of the late Ford Martin, consisting of the theatre and the stores occupied by Sebert Blatt, electrician, and W. H. Harris, barber, was purchased by Mr. Harry Cawker, the well known councillor.

Mr. Cawker takes possession immediately and will personally manage the theatre. He intends making some alterations and was in Toronto Tuesday making arrangements for booking the best pictures possible to be played here at popular prices.

Although the exact figures at which the property was sold could not be ascertained, The Oshawa Reporter was given to understand the deal involved an investment of approximately \$50,000. The property has about 60 feet frontage on King St. and 100 feet on Celina St.

In police court before Magistrate Mason this morning, an unfortunate case of a young man who issued a cheque over his own name on an out of town branch of a bank which does not exist at present having recently been absorbed into another bank, was heard. The youth admitted procuring money from a Belleville merchant by fraud on the strength of the cheque and ultimately made compensation and paid the costs. In view of the sad circumstances surrounding the case, the accused was let go with a warning.

It is quite evident that there will be no scarcity of back yard gardens this year in Port Hope. Just a few days ago Mr. R. S. Brown of that town, purchased twenty-five bags of seed potatoes and they have nearly all been sold. Nothing will assist production so much as six dollar potatoes.

Two boys of tender years faced Magistrate Mason this morning in children's court on a charge of breaking and entering the club house of the Belleville Golf Club and stealing a number of golf balls valued at over ten dollars. One of the lads admitted the charge, the other tried to throw the blame on the first one of breaking into the place, but confessed to having a part in stealing the balls. There were fourteen in all stolen. The first boy was allowed to go home for eight days and the other being a ward of the Children's Aid Society was taken to the Shelter until May 15.

Fire on Sunday destroyed the storehouse and contents of the Beaver Falls mill of the J. P. Lewis Pulp and Paper Co. almost in the centre of the million dollar plant.

The flames were fought by relief expeditions from four communities. Conservative estimates place the loss at \$100,000, while some paper mill experts place the damages at several times that figure. Harry S. Lewis, principal owner, who took a cheery view of the near disaster to his industry, expressed the belief that \$50,000 might cover the destruction. The company is fully protected by insurance.

Magistrate Jeffs of Hamilton got a glimpse of housing problems the other morning. Maude Graham charged her husband with non-support. She said she had moved thirty-seven times since 1917. The wife said it was because hubby wouldn't pay the rent. He said it was on account of her tongue. She faints. Their two-year-old child was in the court room in happy ignorance of what it was all about. The case was dismissed.

It is reported that on the occasion of the recent visit of Superintendent of Prisons W. S. Hughes to Portsmouth penitentiary there was a general investigation and clean up of traffic in contraband such as tobacco. Some prisoners, it is stated, had quantities of dope that escaped the vigilance of guards. Warden Farnford has taken over the duties of the penitentiary and when questioned said that he had no knowledge of what transpired before he came to Portsmouth, but there was always more or less tobacco found among the prisoners. Asked whether there was any likelihood of an allowance of tobacco to former neophytes he stated that at the present there was not.

On Monday morning Mr. Fredericks of the Chamber of Commerce will commence to lay out the new park and beauty spot to be established in the section surrounding the Union Station. Mr. Fredericks has been given a free hand by the railways to make what improvements he deems

advisable. It is Mr. Fredericks' intention to lay out walks, flower beds and grass plots in attractive design with shrubbery planted in the background. When completed it is anticipated that such a transformation will have taken place that our people will scarcely believe it is the same place.

Mr. Jack S. Panter, son of ex-Mayor W. H. Panter has passed his fourth year at the Toronto School of Science with honors in electrical engineering. Mr. D. Mackenzie Waters, son of Mr. D. M. Waters, of this city, has graduated with honors in architecture at the same institution. Both graduates of the school are veterans of the Great War whose courses were interrupted by their service abroad.

Belleville is to have a big summer of circuses and shows. The Hagerbeck-Wallace Shows Co. will play here on June 8th. Ringling Bros. and Barnum and Bailey's Combined Shows on July 17th and the Sheesley Shows July 28-31. Belleville are not yet decided whether to visit here yet. Their great attraction is George Carpentier, the champion of Europe in the manly art.

The Ontario cannot too strongly endorse and commend the wisdom shown by the ladies of the Belleville Consumers' Economy League in the course they have taken in regard to the high prices of potatoes and other products. They are not engaging in any ill-natured and ineffective boycott of producers as the women's organizations have foolishly been doing at Peterborough and elsewhere but they have taken the logical course to relieve potato scarcity by entering upon a campaign to produce more potatoes. In short, they have decided that the best remedy for high prices is for everybody to quit grumbling and go to work.

At the meeting of Eureka Lodge, A.F. and A.M. on Wednesday night, R. Wor. Bro. F. E. O'Flynn gave a most interesting and illuminative account of his experiences in southern California the past winter. There were much appreciated addresses also by W. Bros. Rev. A. H. Foster and W. C. Mikel, K.C. A number of visitors from Franck lodge, Frankford, were present.

Mr. Ernest P. Fredericks, secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce, will deliver an address on "Civic Righteousness" at John Street Presbyterian Church at three o'clock on Sunday afternoon. A strong, earnest and plain-spoken address may be expected.

With only a week more to file appeals against the 1920 assessment in Belleville, the total number of appeals is not much greater than last year, in spite of all the objections that have been heard. How many more appeals will be lodged between now and May 14th remains to be seen.

There has been a most gratifying response to the city's offer to turn over forty acres of vacant land, belonging to the corporation, to those who desire to cultivate vegetable gardens the coming summer. Although announcement of the offer was made only yesterday afternoon in The Ontario, one-third of the lots have been taken up already. There are those who desire to enjoy the pleasure of the profit of producing their own vegetables will have to speak quick.

The Amateur Athletic Union, Ontario branch, has written to the secretary of the Ontario Amateur Baseball Association objecting to Jimmy Cockman, of Guelph holding an office in the Guelph Amateur Baseball League, taking the ground that as Mr. Cockman is a former professional ball player he is not eligible to hold office in an amateur organization. The O.A.B.A. have been aware that he held the office of president last year, but did not care to interfere, appreciating the work that he has done for amateur ball in Guelph. Now, however, that the point has been raised by the Athletic Union, there is no alternative but to have Mr. Cockman resign, which he is perfectly willing to do. This will not interfere in any way with his work as an umpire. A special meeting of the league will likely be held some evening this week in Guelph when his successor as vice-president of the league will be elected.

On Tuesday morning the Canadian Beaver left its moorings at the dock of the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company, Kingston, and started out on its trial trip up the lake. This ship is the largest steamboat ever built in Kingston, and is so constructed that it may be used for lake or ocean traffic with equal facility. During the winter months, the carpenters and joiners, plumbers, elec-

tricians, painters and finishers of all kinds have been at work putting the mass of steel, and it is now ready to carry large cargoes in the service of the Canadian Merchant Marine. The sailing of this ship on her trial marks the opening of a new departure in the shipbuilding industry in Kingston. It was not considered practicable by some to build ships of this size in this city without an enormous expenditure on new equipment. The Collingwood Shipbuilding Company has demonstrated that it is not only possible but easy, and have ship equally as large.

The Exclusive Children's Clock Co. Limited has written Mayor McLean, of Lindsay to the effect that they expect to commence moving their plant to Lindsay in the course of a few days.

The building in which they were housed in Toronto has been sold to the Laura Secord Candy Co. They were more enthusiastic now about their removal to Lindsay and regret that conditions were such as did not permit them to get going in Lindsay sooner.

In the choice of Dr. Edward Ryan as president of the Ontario Neuro-Psychiatric Association, the members showed a due appreciation of his zeal on behalf of the medical profession. It was he who originated and carried to success the formation of the association after several months of hard work, and his appointment is a testimonial to the esteem in which he is held by the profession, and a recognition of his high standing in the field of psychopathology.

By the will of the late Richard Brown, Toronto, father of Mrs. J. M. Kerr, Cobourg, amounts of \$500 each are being bequeathed to the Missionary Society of the Methodist church, the Superannuation Fund of the Methodist church, the Methodist Union, to assist needy churches; also \$500 to the Hospital for Sick Children. The estate is valued at \$543,626.

Last year in Cobourg 1,111 automobile licenses were issued. And this year the number will likely be near the 1,500 mark. It looks as if this district was prosperous.

Commencing last week and continuing still Drs. Clark Carroll, Shaver and Woodrow are making a dental survey for the Educational Department of Ontario of the 1,200 pupils of the Brockville Public Schools. They are being assisted by Miss J. Nicolson, school nurse. It is needless to say that the dentists mentioned are giving their services gratuitously. The matter of the care of the teeth is an important one, and it is well that the children should be examined while in tender years, as it will tend to correct maladies of later life.

Last Wednesday the Agricultural Class of Port Hope High School visited Cobourg City Dairy, and were shown the process of making butter.

Activities slowly but surely increase in volume at the celestite mines out at Dempsey's Lake, four miles from Calaboga. The existence of celestite deposits there first became known fifteen or twenty years ago. The deposits appear to be very rich, for outcroppings show at points a considerable distance from where drilling and digging have been going on. Mr. Banbridge, the manager states that he knows of no other mine of the kind in Canada, and that the only one in the United States of which he has any knowledge is marked by the presence of acids and clay which are not easily separated from the ore.

Goodwin Britton, a member of the Lindsay Boy Scouts, has the distinction of being the only Boy Scout in Canada to receive the special award of the Cornwall Scout Badge.

Mr. George Robinson, of Napanee who was injured some time ago was brought to Kingston and was reported to have one of his feet amputated. He was removed in Jas. Reid's motor ambulance from the Grand Trunk station this morning.

This equally applies to Belleville as well as to Cobourg: Pedestrians have the first rights to the sidewalks, but the small boy with his wagon seems to think differently. The lads use the walks for an amusement path, and using the foot as motive power propel their vehicles more or less swiftly along the walks, regardless of the number of people using them. If the lads cannot draw the wagons along by the tongue they should not be allowed to use the walk but compelled to take the roadway. The use of the walk or the walks constitute a danger and a

nuisance. On Tuesday evening the Cobourg and District G.W.V.A. held a very successful public meeting in the Victoria opera house, when the aims, objects and accomplishments of the Great War Veterans' Association of Canada during the past three years were ably expounded by Comrade E. D. O'Flynn, of Belleville, president of the Ontario Command, G.W.V.A. and Comrade W. E. Turley, Ontario secretary.

Col. E. D. O'Flynn gave a forceful and incisive address on the work thus far accomplished by the association, and his plea for the co-operation and support of the citizens of Cobourg was received and marked approval and cordial applause.

Kingston merchants are drily in receipt of circulars from German manufacturers in Berlin, Hamburg, and other industrial centres soliciting orders for their goods. One significant statement in these circulars is: "The finishing of our products is held entirely neutral; that is, without factory inscriptions of any sort." This means the absence of the pre-war "Made in Germany" stamp that distinguished all articles made for export.

Navigation has been resumed on the Welland Canal where the steamship Stormount of the Montreal Transportation Company, well known on the river, carried away the head gates and one foot gate at lock 3 on her first trip of the season. The vessel damaged her rudder and was forced to return to Port Dalhousie where she has been laid up during the winter for repairs.

This year, owing to the costliness of flowers, it was suggested in Kingston, that on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 9th, the people wear short white and red ribbons; white in memory of departed mothers, red in recognition of living mothers. The suggestion is worthy of action.

Master D'Arcy McManus, twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McManus, Pembroke, met with an unfortunate accident on Tuesday evening. With some other boys he was playing with a .22 rifle, and was in the act of loading the weapon when it was discharged, the bullet entering his left foot. It seems that the bullet in some way became stuck and while trying to force it into place the trigger was pulled, causing it to discharge. Judge McNamara was near at hand at the time and carried the little fellow to a nearby surgery, where the bullet was removed and the wounded member given attention, after which the boy was removed to his home.

The double header freight train which left Port Hope on the Midland Division about five o'clock Tuesday evening, jumped the track one mile south of Millbrook. Three cars of coal and one car of eggs went over a steep embankment and the scattered coal and the scrambled eggs made a sorrowful looking mixture. A special car was sent out and transferred the passengers from the 10.30 train and traffic was opened Wednesday morning. With the numerous accidents on this line it might be well for the officials to give a little attention to the roadbed.

Dr. Maloney, district medical officer, is in the city of Kingston making an investigation into conditions at a Kingston slaughter house, and it is understood that some charges are to be made as a result of his investigation.

Uniform clothing for girl students at the London Collegiate Institute and the two highest grades in the public schools was strongly urged by a deputation from the London Council of Women, which waited upon the board of education at its regular monthly meeting.

Mrs. Godwin, who was the mover of the resolution at the last meeting of the women's council, said that many women had approached her regarding the clothing of their daughters attending school. As she had daughters of her own, she knew that many girls wore very inappropriate clothing to school. She said that she had interviewed several teachers on the subject and that they were of the opinion that many of the children were overdressed. They thought, too, that many of the dresses were cut too low.

In the opinion of Mrs. Godwin, a neat uniform, such as the nurses wear would tend to create efficiency among the students. She recommended that a neat middie blouse and a serge skirt be adopted as the regulation dress for all girls in the high schools and in the seventh and eighth grades of the public schools. This is a good resolution that would be well to be adopted in Belleville.

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THE NEW POLAND.

One of the largest visible consequences of the European war is the rise or resurrection of the Republic of Poland. The land, with its brave, patriotic and republican people, was divided by the tyrants of Russia, Prussia and Austria in the last quarter of the eighteenth century and held down hard ever since. Now a population of over 30 millions is Poland again.

New Poland reaches from Silesia to Vilna and Lithuania included, nearly 500 miles, and north to south will average about 400 miles, the total area being about that of Germany. Its bonds of union are language, religion (Roman Catholic) and historical tradition. It may be that the new state is a little overdone by the force of pedantic tradition, as territory now largely Russian has been forcibly included on the east, and territory now largely German is being incorporated on the west and north. But no one can much blame the Poles for seizing a little more than enough after centuries of repression and injury, though Prussia indeed did the same thing with the Alsace-Lorraine in 1871.

The achievement of the Poles in so quickly creating a powerful state out of districts long severed and tyrannically governed is a tribute to the brilliant talents of the nation. For long the Poles have been leading industrial organizers, engineers, artists and professional men of Russia and Ukraine, but they have had no chance to learn the art of government, while excelling in every other art. Many like Paderewski have been making great sacrifices to give their efforts to the construction of a Polish Government, and for amateurs have done wonders. Especially consider their difficulties, two-thirds of the country ravaged by the war, railways formerly of three different national systems, and depleted of all material, uncertainty yet as to the frontiers and the ownership of Silesian coal mines and Lithuanian forests, constant warfare since 1918 with Germans, Bolsheviks and for a time the Ukrainians. And yet the state is going in good order, the enemies are fleeing or keeping their distance with respect.

Poland stands between teeth-grashing Germany and red Russia, a ticklish position and very important to western civilization. France has always been Poland's friend and recognizes in her now a natural ally. Great Britain must see Poland as an advanced post of established culture against barbarism, remembering also how a Polish army once saved Vienna from the Turks, and before that Tartar armies split against the walls of Warsaw.

ORGY OF ROBBERY AT BERLIN

In these disturbed days, when the "revolution profiteer"—the successor of the war profiteer—flaunts his newly acquired wealth in the face of an impoverished populace, robberies and burglaries in Berlin increase at an abnormal pace. Street signs are full of announcements offering rewards for the return of stolen goods, and in one of the main business streets of Berlin a fancy goods store displays this notice: "Gentlemen burglars are requested not to break open the shop front nor to tamper with the locks. There is nothing to steal here. All the property is removed from the shop windows at night."

There have been scores of hold-ups, and the other day a man was stripped of his clothes, shoes and hat and left on the sidewalk in his underclothes.

It is not safe for hotel guests to leave any portable property of any description in their rooms. Articles of clothing have a way of vanishing into thin air, and hotel proprietors decline all responsibility. Police statistics indicate that the number of hotel robberies has trebled within the last five years.

To leave typewriters unpadlocked is sheer culpable negligence on the part of the owner. The Berlin criminal police has been obliged to

organize a special department dealing exclusively with stolen machines.

Cases of housebreaking have quadrupled within the last three years. Articles of clothing, bedclothes, carpets and curtains are the objects most desired by the thieving fraternity.

Dishonesty among factory hands has grown to a deplorable extent, the police say. Leather belting disappears wholesale; it is cut up and sold to shoe repairers.

Nor are churches, cemeteries and museums immune from robberies, the booty carried off being mostly ancient gold ornaments and jewelry.

EMANCIPATION OF TURKISH WOMEN

A striking illustration of the general emancipation of Turkish women which has been affected by the war is afforded by the designation of Mrs. Halide Edib Hanem, as Minister of Education in Mustapha Kemal's cabinet.

Mrs. Hanem is the wife of Dr. Adan Bey, formerly president of the Turkish Red Crescent and until recently Mustapha Kemal's Minister of Health. She is 35 years old, the mother of three children, a devout Mohammedan and has attained fame as the author of several strongly pan-Islamic novels.

Shortly after Turkey entered the war the need for nurses became so great that women, for the first time were permitted to accompany the armies and enter military hospitals as relief workers. They are said to have demonstrated remarkable efficiency in taking care of the wounded, a fact which soon made it possible for Turkish women to enter university classes with men. At the present time, however, they are still barred from theaters and amusements of various kinds, except special performances for women only.

Mrs. Halide Edib Hanem is, perhaps, the most celebrated pioneer in the movement for the higher education of Turkish women. She was the first Turkish girl to graduate from the American women's college here, despite the persistent opposition of former Sultan Abdul Hamid, who forced her to discontinue her studies many times.

Dr. Mary Mills Patrick, president of the college, and American diplomats in Turkey, always took a great interest in her struggle for education against such strong odds and she finally finished her course a number of years ago. Subsequently three of her sisters graduated from the same college.

Although educated in a school where the teachers were all Christians, she retained her Mohammedan faith but removed the black veil from her face as many other Turkish women have since done. She is a firm believer in the superior cultural value of Mohammed's teachings. Mrs. Hanem resided for a time in England and other European countries. She is slight in build, but has an attractive face and possesses convictions on the subject of Turkish nationalism. Because of her unusual power as an orator, he has been a popular speaker in behalf of the nationalist movement in Anatolia.

ICELAND AND ITS 1000 YEARS

Civilization is a thousand years old in Iceland, yet the country remains a land of perpetual wonder.

Now two scientists have found there what is declared to be the largest volcanic crater in the world—the mouth of an old volcano measuring five miles long by three miles wide.

When we realize that that crater was made by the earth's internal violence, and that the huge opening was made in the rocky surface to allow molten lava to pour out, the facts are staggering.

But our knowledge of Iceland teaches us to expect unparalleled happenings there, for Iceland is the true home of volcanoes. It has over a hundred of these fiery mountains, and of these 25 have been active within the time of man.

The fact that old craters are numbered by the thousand, and that lava issues from hundreds of them, shows how widespread is the activity of the boiling rock which seethes and flows beneath the surface. We hear much of Vesuvius and Etna, because they threaten great centers of population, and because we remember that Vesuvius in 14 days swallowed up Pompeii and Herculaneum.

But there occurred in the Icelandic volcano, Skapta, in 1783, the eruption which produced in 25 days more lava and volcanic dust than Vesuvius and Etna have thrown out in 3,000 years.

The material flung from this raging crucible of fire and fury was sufficient to form a mountain as great as Mont Blanc. The mountain's icy covering of glaciers was turned to rivers, but the boiling lava followed the true rivers to their beds, and turned them into steam, dried them up, dried up the great lake of Skapta, reached the sea, and made it boil far along the coast and destroyed every living thing in its waters.

The lava flow was in places 600 feet wide

and 600 feet deep, and evaporating the water of the cataracts, took the place of the banished stream, and became a cataract of-boiling mineral.

And yet, in that land of ice and fire, of boiling water and steam rising from a thousand geysers in the world—in this land of terrors a wonderful people live. They were Vikings, and in this bitter cold they built up a splendid civilization. When all the rest of Europe was withering in ignorance, these people created a marvellous literature and it endures till now, with no break for a thousand years.

They cannot master the volcanoes, but they master the climate sufficiently to enable them to snatch harvests from the warmer plains in the short, intense summer to overcome the long winters when the daylight lasts but four hours out of 24. They plough and sow and reap and mow; they raise stock and send it to us; they breed magnificent ponies, which are the descendants of the ponies taken there by the Vikings. Columbus knew these people and learned of America from their writings.

The Journal of Commerce of New York reports that in 1919 the new organizations of American shipping and shipbuilding companies represented a capitalization of \$323,613,000, as compared with \$120,353,000 in 1913, and \$271,503,000 in 1917. The fact that the authorized capitalization of companies formed between August 1, 1914 and December 31, 1918, amounted to \$500,000,000 shows that the organizations last year are significant of American determination to have a merchant marine under private ownership.

The American Shipping Board has asked for tenders for the re-conditioning of the Leviathan, the former German liner of 54,282 gross tons launched in 1914. The enormous size of this ship is indicated by the estimate of \$6,000,000 for the cost of repairs. It is expected the American Navy Department will bid for the job.

"The hen is now laying to us," chants The Minneapolis Journal. And then it has another thought and adds: "But, alas, so is the owner of the bird."

Marse Henry Watterson attributes the dubious reputation given to daylight saving by legislators this year to the disinclination of the public in its present state of mind to say anything.

The world of trouble shows large capacity for spreading. Now the Persian Government is worried by Bolsheviks. The Russian Reds have not yet crossed the Persian frontier in force, but their agents are busy inciting revolt against the Shah and his British friends. Already the Persian gendarmerie have repudiated their Swedish officers, and are reported to have entered in an alliance with the Bolshevikized Cossacks who have remained in the country. With the arrival of the Russian Reds on the shores of the Caspian, the semi-revolutionary movements in Persia looking like coming to a head. The young Turks are encouraging the Georgians to revolt, and at Baku the Russian Reds are in control.

Premier Drury's stand against increased indemnities was squarely in line with his party's platform of economy. It will be admired by the whole province for honesty and courage.

If ever there is to be a check in the twin processes of cost-boasting and mad indulgence in luxury, the Farmer-Labor Government should give the nation a lead. The pleas that farms are being neglected and labor men's jobs lost during the ten or twelve weeks spent by members at Toronto, that \$1,400 does not foot the bill of loss and expense incurred, and that it should be made possible for any one, however humble his means, to represent a constituency, will not hold water. Those whose farms would go to ruin would be compensated by the proposed \$2,500, nor by \$5,000, nor by any amount if they love their farms. Not those of humble means, but those of larger financial concerns would be specially encouraged by the greater indemnity. The man who lost his job because of attending Legislature, if there really be such, would never go back to it if granted \$2,500 a year. He would become the most eager and possibly venal professional politician. But was not the verdict of last election against professional politics and wasteful expenditure?

Stick to it, Mr. Drury, the country is with you. The very men who cry loudest for more pay will respect you more if you continue to stand by your platform.

Through Hon. Mr. Lemieux, Sir Lomer Gouin, premier of Quebec, announces that he has no intention of quitting public life at present. This is good news, not only for the prov-

ince which he has served so well, but for Canada as a whole. In the history of provincial premierships in this country few have equalled and none surpassed the record of Sir Lomer. Fifteen years ago, when he took over the rulership of his province, Quebec was suffering from the most advanced of the provinces industrially, commercially and socially, and the progress has been sound economically. Premier Gouin is sane, safe, solid, exactly the type of man needed to head public affairs in this period of unrest and uncertainty. When he does elect to retire from public life in his own province, it is to be hoped that his distinguished usefulness, his sagacity, tact and vision, will be employed in some field broad enough to include the entire Dominion.

be buried in the ruins. Well, how has it worked out? The conclusion of the San Remo conference of the supreme council—which amounts to being a meeting of the League of Nations—finds the dominating members of the league standing together, pooling their power and influences to see to it that the conditions of the peace treaty are carried out, and that in a way that will protect the little fellows and make for peace. In the matter of Turkey differences have been brushed aside and a policy that will end the bloody misrule of the Turk, and make for a happier Near East agreed upon. The Adriatic issue nears a settlement that will be just to all parties concerned in the Fiume flare-up. Especially gratifying is the announcement that the Entente nations are solidly a unit in the determination to make Germany live up to the peace agreement. The leaders of the League of Nations have shown a firmness in these crises that is promising for the world's future.

MY GRANDDAD'S RHYME

Planting time, and my memory goes
 Back to the corn-field with its rows,
 Fresh in my mind the procedure still,
 Even the number of grains to the hill,
 Retained in my memory from boyhood time.
 Regarding them is my Granddad's rhyme.

"The honey depends on the bees in the hive,
 Of grains to the hill put seven or five,
 One for the blackbird, one for the crow,
 One for the cut-worm, four to grow,
 One for seeding and two for us,
 One for the poor unfortunate cuss,
 Plant on the hillside, hoe and weed,
 And you'll have enough for every need."

Away back home in seventy-three
 Granddad taught this rhyme to me,
 Grand old man he, Quaker inclined,
 Patient and honest, confiding, kind,
 Trusting in all he met by the way
 But folks have changed since Granddad's day,
 Should you trust all today you'd find
 That some of the lot would steal you blind.

I'm planting yet, not planting corn,
 Not on the farm where I was born,
 With me it is always planting time,
 But it takes more grain than at Granddad's time
 About the same will suffice for the crow,
 The blackbird, too, and the cut-worm foe,
 But the planter today has foes ever new,
 Cut-worm knaves Granddad never knew,
 Should you put in a grain for each servile foe,
 You wouldn't have room for them all to grow,
 Should you plant with a view to satisfy greed,
 You would run out of acres and run out of seed,
 With the view of supplying the tuft-hunter's mill,
 You would need a bushel at least to the hill.

Ten for the grain trust, ten for the meat,
 Ten for the leather trust, ten for the heat,
 Ten for the sugar trust, ten for the wool,
 Ten for the chaps with a government pull
 Ten for your extra railway fare,
 Ten for the war-made millionaire,
 Ten for a shack with a roof like a sieve,
 Twenty at least for the right to live,
 Ten for a screen-wove shoddy coat,
 And ten for the paper on which this is wrote,
 Five for the church where you go to prayef,
 A score for the hypocrites you'll find there,
 One hundred extra put in by the way
 For cut-worms new being born every day,
 Ten for the cannors, and two for us,
 None for the poor unfortunate cuss,
 Ten for the oil trust, ten for the gas,
 A ten-fold more for the privileged class,
 A hundred per cent for the man with the dough,
 And only two for the man with the hoe,
 Two for us to get to plant and to weed,
 And all we get is our cake and our seed
 Good old Granddad, long now away,
 Lucky that he didn't live to-day,
 Christian man, confiding and kind,
 Trusting all—they'd steal him blind,
 Things have changed since seventy-three
 When he taught this rhyme to me:

"One for blackbird, one for crow,
 One for cut-worm, four to grow,
 One for seed and two for us,
 One for the poor unfortunate cuss."
 —Crawf. C. Slack

OTHER EDITORS' OPINIONS

PEOPLE WANT TO PAY HIGH PRICES

But the surprising thing in the situation is that the high price caused by scarcity and increased cost of materials and labor, does not effect the retail market. Clothing dealers, especially in the large centres, are selling more clothing than ever before. This same manufacturer stated that the firms supplied by them in Ontario often were ordering larger stocks of ready-made clothing than ever before. High prices seem to have no effect on sales, unless it is to increase them. The story is told of a shoe merchant who secured a large stock of shoes which he was able to sell at a special price. It was intended that they should be offered at \$5 per pair. The clerk in error, marked them at \$15. They were placed in the window, and the entire stock was exhausted in a short time. They probably sold quicker than if they had been marked at \$5. The public seems to expect to pay big prices and they would be disappointed if they did not have to pay them.—Picton Gazette.

A VALEDICTORY

The St. Catharines Journal has ceased publication. It is the oldest newspaper in that city, being established in 1859. J. M. Elson, who has had charge of the Journal for the past eleven years in his valedictory says:

"Though reluctant to take this step, the ever-increasing cost of all commodities that enter into the printing and publishing business has brought the time when operation is carried on at a loss. The prospect is that newsprint, now already very high and scarce, will be advanced shortly to \$100 a ton, and may, perhaps, go considerably higher. If this should occur, not a few other newspapers will find it a problem to carry on. In addition to this, the increased cost of living makes it necessary for employers to present shortly a new scale of wages, which, it is understood, will be on the average of \$10 per week more per man. With the present staff the increase would mean, if it became effective, between \$3,000 and \$4,000 a year more than at present. Under all circumstances, therefore, the management finds it impracticable to publish except with greatly enlarged capital."

The foregoing paragraph speaks a lot. The public does not realize the heavy expenditure of newspapers. It is mounting steadily and uninteruptedly. The valedictory of Mr. Elson is food for thought.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

BUSINESS MEN NO LONGER BOOZE

Legislation will do and is doing much for the cause of temperance, but there are other and equally good influences at work. One of these is example; another is education. Time was when it was not uncommon for even reputable business men to become intoxicated, and their condition was taken by many as a matter of course. Now, as we all know, the number of business men who drink to excess is infinitely small, and is becoming smaller with each year. Not only that, but whereas in former times intoxication while frowned down upon was in many instances tolerated, now it is regarded as nothing short of disgraceful. No man who is worthy the name gets intoxicated in public in these enlightened days, and if he does his act is regarded as one really disgraceful. There is little or no sympathy for him; there is, to the contrary, contempt, and generally the feeling is that he is a weakling with more appetite than brains. It follows, naturally, that as this feeling toward the drinkers to excess grows, these men by reason of the very shame cast upon them by their condition, will be constrained to govern their appetites more, and hold themselves within bounds, so that they will not wholly forfeit the respect of their fellow citizens. The more we impress the fact of this degrading influence and effect of excessive drinking, the sooner will it come to such drinkers that they are surely forfeiting their place and position in the community.—Kingston Standard.

Two Brothers in San Francisco claimed for sentimental reasons a gold ring which belonged to their dead father. The court settled the dispute by ordering the ring cut in two, and half given to each son.

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Mr. R. J. G. to the Ont Hotels—P—Evidence of Ancient Tour.

With a newly acquired complexion and with smile, Mr. R. J. Graham, leading captain of industry, assumed his seat in the office of Grahams Limited after an absence of four months. Since the Ontario Mr. Graham the latter ding about considerable that four months seen surface of this mundane most people behold in an ordinary lifetime. I has lost 17 lbs in weight is a very substantial sh the scales at 263 and not doing any worrying of undue frailty. He has visited and lately acquainted with a can continent that to me is a terra incognita. travelled with a mind previsions and has come rich store of information only an experienced man might be able to gather life.

The Itinerary

Briefly, the Itinerary west coast of South Am Panama Canal. They along the coast by land until they arrived at San there they crossed the Buenos Aires, and then their course to Rio J which port they took New York.

"How did you find life in South America?" asked ario.

"Abominable all about," said Mr. Graham. ally, Spanish cooks and about the worst on earth, ely hotel at Lima is as best along the west coast the capital of Peru and a city with a population large as Toronto. But one decent hotel. The business of this one good trim tourists to a fin charged Mr. Graham's per cent sum of \$20 each per and also charged up \$25, kind of coin to bring it from the station to the h. The menu was a tiresome meat, unrelieved by fruits. Of the eight courses at least six would be me form.

West Coast a Des

The west coast of South Mr. Graham continued, There is no living tree or of vegetation to be seen the few small valleys wh tion is carried on. Fruits tables are not therefore, not being grown loc people get along without Englishman living in La that he hadn't seen any r years. In southern Chile there is an abundant r cereals are extensively gr Graham did not visit that the rainlessness is an as other way. The great g and nitrate deposits of B Peru are possible only in without rainfall.

The Best Hotel in the

While the west coast had hotels in all Mr. Graham's he found at Buenos Aires hotel he had ever seen. This was the Hotel Plaza, his party stayed at the Plaza and in all that tim