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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes all items of interest for this column. Call Phone 11, send by mail or drop them in GUIDE-ADVOCATE Letter Box.

THE OAT HARVEST has started. SCHOOL holidays are half gone. THIS WEEK will about finish the berries.

THERE will be no issue of the Guide-Advocate next week.

STRAW HATS, the balance at Hot July prices.—SWIFT'S.

GUARANTEED Ford size Tires from \$16.00 up.—R. MORNINGSTAR. jyl918f

NEXT MONDAY is Watford's civic holiday and all places of business will be closed.

ONE can't square himself with God unless he pays what he owes to his fellow men.

MR. DUNBAR, of London, will conduct the service in Trinity Church next Sunday evening.

THE increase in freight rates goes into effect on August 12th and will continue until after the war.

GET YOUR LIST OF SPECIAL PRIZES for the fall show ready. The committee will call on you shortly.

The average girl is a queer creature. She'll make fun of a young man one day and marry him the next.

EVERY MAN who tries can excel in something, even if it isn't anything more than having a cleaner backyard than his neighbors.

LADIES TAILORED SUITS for early fall get your orders in as soon as possible.—SWIFT, SONS & CO.

SEND IN THE NAMES of your summer visitors, or if you are going away visiting let us know. Your friends are interested if you are not.

WHEN you have a half day to spare see if you can't help one of your farmer friends who are so badly pressed for help just now.

MISS R. CLARK sang a very beautiful solo at the service in the Methodist church last Sunday evening which was very much appreciated.

MR. JAMES HAMILTON, of Petrolia, was elected to the office of District Deputy Grand Master of St. Clair District at the recent meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons.

SATISFACTORY progress is being made on the new Merchants Bank building. The brick and masonry work has been completed and the interior work is being rapidly pushed forward.

BUY your overalls and work shirts before the fall prices and goods come to hand. Big Saving.—SWIFT, SONS & CO.

EVERY BUSHEL of the great wheat crop of Kansas was harvested by labor secured through the United States employment service, and the Kansans are wondering how it was done.

TWO CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTORS, John E. Morrison and Telford Thompson, were sentenced to serve two years in Burwash penitentiary with hard labor after trial by court-martial at London last week.

NO GYPSIES are to be permitted to pursue their wanderings about Ontario this summer, the order that everyone must work being due for strict enforcement, and horse-trading and fortune-telling not being rated as work.

POTATOES sold on farmer's markets at local Ontario points on Saturday last, as follows:—Belleville, \$2 per bag; Brantford, \$2.25; Chatham, \$2.50; Kingston, \$1.60 to \$2.75; Port Hope \$1.80; Woodstock, \$1.80; Stratford, \$1.50 to \$1.60 per bag.

PICK OUT YOUR SUIT FOR FALL, we will make it later on.—SWIFT'S TAILORING DEPT.

WARNING it again given out that if more care is not taken in the use of sugar in icings and making candy for private consumption, the Government will be compelled to follow the United States in adopting a sugar rationing—an ounce and a half a day.

CAPT. C. S. WYNNE, M.C., formerly at Watford, who was wounded and gassed last October, was recently discharged from the hospital at Stirling, Scotland, and has been assigned by the R.A.M.C. to duty as medical officer of the Prisoners of War Camp at Loch Doon, Scotland.

THE UNION SERVICES will be continued next Sunday. In the morning the service will be held in the Methodist church when the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. In the evening the service will be held in the Presbyterian church. Rev. A. C. Tiffin will preach at both services.

COLLEGE students, particularly those who have had experience in farming, should plan their vacations this year helping with the harvest. Things are so serious this year that they can well forego their usual vacation, well earned though it be, to aid in the saving of the crop.

Mr. Charles Nichol, of London, who has been visiting Watford for the past thirty years in the interest of the A. M. Smith Co. of London, has given up travelling and joined the firm of Gorman & Eckert in which he is financially interested. Mr. Nichol made many friends in Watford who will miss his bi-weekly visits.

THE CROWN PRINCE is on the run.

REV. Sylvester Smith, rector of Forest for over 30 years, died there this week.

A WISE WOMAN doesn't attempt to manage her husband—she feeds him and trusts to luck.

FIRST SHIPMENT of Hawes Hats for early fall.—SWIFT'S

"HINDY" is said to be on the job again. This must be about the sixth time he has come to life again.

ALL WHITE SHOES at cost to clear out. Also all high top ladies' shoes at a small advance on cost at S. B. HOWDEN'S.

JUDGE MACWATT, senior judge of Lambton, has been elected president of the County Judges' Association.

THE county judges are the latest body of men seeking increase of salary. Wonder will they go on strike if they don't get it.

A NUMBER of books are overdue at the Public Library. Will members who have such kindly return them as soon as possible.

The farmers who have already threshed are getting large returns for their labor in some instances nearly fifty bushels to the acre.

SUNDAY NEXT, August 4th, will be the Allies "Remembrance Day." Special intercessory services will be held in all churches.

*FREIGHT WRECK, said to be caused by a hot box, occurred at Kingscourt Wednesday night, wrecking nine cars of merchandise.

"GET IN YOUR COAL NOW!" advises the Fuel Controller. Yes, we will all follow his advice if he will see that a supply is billed to Watford right off.

THE REGULAR MEETING of Tecumseh Chapter I. O. O. E. will be held at the home of Mrs. N. B. Howden on Tuesday, Aug. 6th, at the usual hour.

ANOTHER LOT of Billie Burke Dresses in Saturday. They are new, smart styles, and low priced.—SWIFT'S.

JOHN WANAMAKER, the merchant, has just been celebrating his 80th birthday at his country home near Philadelphia. Mr. Wanamaker began his business career at the age of 13 and with a salary of \$1.25 a week. To-day his two stores in Philadelphia and New York give employment to twelve thousand persons.

As a financier Billy Sunday has no equal in church work. At Chicago he made the statement to his audience that two members of the church were flirting with other men's wives, and if they did not put a ten dollar bill each on the collection plate he would expose them, and behold when the offering was counted there were fifty tens.

THE PROFESSION of lecturing is becoming common in these war days, when everybody has some kind of an idea to put over. California farmer's wife made a remark about the new hired hand seeming to know a lot about agriculture, the farmer replied: "Yes, he talks so entertainingly about it, I'm kind of scared for fear he's more of a lecturer than he is a farmer."

TWENTY business men of Seymour, Ia., closed their desks one afternoon in the harvest season, motored to a farm where help was badly needed and before supper put up ten acres of oats. They would accept but 25 cents an acre, and when they returned to town gave the money to the Red Cross. Tell it to the I. W. W.!

A LITTLE GIRL wrote the following composition on men:—"Men are what women marry. They drink and smoke and swear, but don't go to church. Perhaps if they wore bonnets they would. They are more logical than women; also more zoological. Both men and women sprang from monkeys, but the women sprang farther than the men."

THE JUDGES in the town garden contest in connection with the Thrift Exhibit made an inspection of the gardens entered in the contest during the past week. They report some exceedingly fine, well-cared-for plots that will yield a large amount of vegetables for winter use. The children's gardens, though not as numerous as last year, are, many of them, in excellent condition, considering the dry weather, and a credit to the owners.

THE PRINTER'S DOLLARS—where are they? A dollar here and a dollar there, scattered over numerous small towns all over the country, miles and miles apart—how shall they be gathered together? Come here, ye truants, to thy father's house—ye are wanted. Come here in single file—by columns or platoons—so that the printer may send thee forth again, to battle for him and vindicate his credit. Reader, if you discover a stray dollar-and-a-half around your premises, send him home tenderly. We have many places to put him.

THE labor supply in Canada has been depleted to the extent of nearly half a million men by the army, and further by the war industries. Farmers, themselves have been obliged by military necessities to forsake the furrow for the trenches. Those that remain have partially to depend on assistance from the towns and cities to save this coming harvest. Those who promised to help in this work of national necessity by going upon the land, or taking the place of someone else who is better able to do so, should take their promises on the registration card literally, arrange their affairs and do what they said they were willing to do.

SHRAPNEL

The name "Satan" is only an Old Nick name.

Beware of the woman who loves money more than she loves love.

The man who is wedded to his job has no trouble in getting wedded to a girl.

Quite a few married men are taking the rest cure this summer. Their wives are away from home.

There are cheap ways to get a good complexion, but some girls prefer the more expensive brand sold at the drug stores.

Did you ever notice that when two women are very polite to each other it is almost a certainty that they dislike each other.

Some people make a cloak of their religion. Others try but fail, because they have not enough to make a summer wash tie.

The old-fashioned girl who used to blush when the Stork was mentioned now has a daughter who is lecturing on Eugenics.

When you hear a man say that his own town doesn't amount to much you can be sure that he is a chap that is of little importance in the town.

It is said that a fool and his money are soon parted, but where do fools get their money? A person must have some brains to make money these days.

Years ago a young wife would keep her hubby on his good behavior by threatening to go home to mommer. Now she threatens to get a job in office or store.

Sometimes a man gets the idea that his employer can't get along without him when the boss suddenly makes the experiment and the business crawls along about as usual.

A Member of Parliament who was showing his young son the sights at Ottawa was somewhat taken back when the youngster asked to see the red tape and the plums.

That new invention of an electric bulb over a keyhole is scarcely needed these days. It should have been in use in pre-prohibition days when it was hard to find the keyhole late at night.

The increase in the price of rouge and talcum since the war began is said to have greatly reduced the amount of weeping done by the fair sex. Crying is now an expensive luxury.

A patriot is a man that refuses to hook up the 65 buttons on the back of his wife's gown; a martyr is one who tries and succeeds; a coward is one who remains single so that he won't have to try.

Some people imagine that if they make their voice quiver when singing their hearers will think they have had it trained, but they do not deceive many. Push in the tremolo stop of your vocal organ. It does not improve the sweetness of your voice.

Kaiser Bill and the Clown Prince are changing their opinion about the "undisciplined mob" from the U. S. A. The million Americans now on the western battle front are just as good at fighting as at singing "The Star Spangled Banner."

When shopping if the man attending to your wants says "I haven't got it," "I will order it," or "I will attend to it," with the "I" in large capitals, you can't always be sure that he is the boss, in fact you would be fairly safe in betting that he doesn't own any more of the business than his week's wages.

Mr. John Bridge, of London, has been appointed inspector of bakeries, confectioneries and eating houses in the district west of Brantford to Glencoe, with centres at St. Thomas, Tillsonburg, Woodstock, St. Mary's, Petrolia, and Wyoming.

NO PAPER NEXT WEEK

There will be no issue of the Guide-Advocate next week, August 9th. It is customary for us to take a week's holiday every summer on the date of the civic holiday week, and this year it is absolutely necessary in order to get out the accumulated job work and get matters down to normal in our office. Correspondents and advertisers will please remember this notice and get their favors in early for the following week. The office will be open to receive subscriptions and orders for job work or advertising.

LAMBTON'S FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

The Government Inspector Makes His Annual Visit. A Suggestion Made for the Directors to Consider.

Mr. W. A. Cork, inspector of mutual fire insurance companies, was here last week making his annual inspection of the books of the Lambton Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company. He reports the company in a flourishing condition with a large surplus on hand and invested in war bonds and debentures. He speaks highly of the efficiency of the secretary-treasurer, Mr. W. G. Willoughby, whose books are a marvel of neatness and who has a thorough grasp of all the details of the business.

It is sometimes remarked that an insurance company doing as large a business as the Lambton should have an office in town instead of at the Secretary's residence at Walnut, and undoubtedly the contention is well taken. The headquarters are supposed to be in Watford, and as the business is growing larger each year a town office is becoming an absolute necessity for the speedy transaction of business and to keep pace with competing companies. The Lambton is in a flourishing financial condition and some of the large surplus on hand could not be expended to better advantage than in the erection of a commodious office, fitted up conveniently with vaults, board room and business office; or if the Directors did not feel like going to that expense, no doubt suitable premises could be leased.

The suggestion is worthy of consideration by the Directors, and if adopted would certainly be found of great convenience in the transaction of their business. That it would give prestige to the Company and prove a good investment no one can doubt.

Starding Field Crop Competition

The field crops of oats entered for competition with the East Lambton Agricultural Society have been judged by Mr. A. B. Rose, of Echo Place, an official judge of the Department of Agriculture, who reports the following winners:—

1. John Zavitz
2. E. H. Shibley
3. E. A. Kidd
4. Geo. McCabe
5. W. G. Shugg
6. W. W. Taylor
7. W. Annett & Sons

PERSONAL

Mrs. North is visiting her niece Mrs. Crawford.

Miss Muriel Taylor has returned from a visit to Detroit.

Mr. John Jack, Stratford, is the guest of Mrs. P. E. Fuller.

Rev. J. C. Forster is enjoying the cool breezes of Lake Huron.

Mr. R. N. McKenzie is spending part of his vacation at the lake side.

Mrs. R. M. Dussin, Toronto, is visiting her sister Mrs. L. H. Cook.

Mr. Robert Tiffin is spending his holidays with friends in Trowbridge.

Mrs. Fick and daughter, Windsor, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Harper.

Mrs. W. Sparling, Forest, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. D. Cameron, Erie St.

Mrs. Annie Splan, of Detroit is visiting at the home of her sister Mrs. Ed. Upton.

Mrs. E. D. Swift left last Saturday for Moose Jaw to visit her sister, Mrs. F. W. Tanner.

Postmaster Evans, of Strathroy, made a short call on the Guide-Advocate on Saturday.

Mrs. John Brent and two children, returned to their home in Coleville, Sask., this week.

Mrs. Wm. Reid, Chatham, was the guest of her aunt Mrs. M. J. Mitchell over Sunday.

Rev. S. P. Irwin and Mrs. Irwin are spending a month's holiday in London and vicinity.

Mrs. C. McCallum left last week for Saskatoon where she expects to make her home in future.

Miss Dockstader, of London, is spending a few weeks with her friend Miss

Mansfield, Front St.

Mr. and Mrs. David White and three children, Toronto, are summering with friends in this vicinity.

Miss Roberta Fox, B. D., of the Collegiate staff, Yorkton, Sask., spent the week end at T. G. Mitchell's.

Misses Freeda and Louise Dodds are spending a few days this week with Evelyn and Louise Dodds.

Mrs. Robt. Smith and son Stuart, of Baldwin, Mich., spent the week end with her grandmother, Mrs. Jane Foster.

Misses Evelyn and Louise Dodds returned Friday after spending a few days with Miss Freeda Richardson, Kerwood.

Mrs. B. Oke and son Edgar, who has just returned from France in poor health visited his aunt Mrs. H. Restorick, last week.

Rev. A. C. Tiffin is in Goderich attending the bedside of his father, who is at present very low, having taken a paralytic stroke.

Mrs. Stout and son Charles, of South Bend, Indiana, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Restorick, returned home Saturday.

Cadet J. B. Tiffin, of Camp Leaside, Toronto, spent a few days at his home here. His many friends are pleased to see him looking so well.

Mr. Malcolm McDonald, Rio Vista, Cal. is visiting his sister Miss McDonald, St. Clair street, and other relatives in Brooke after an absence of over 34 years. Mr. McDonald left here in March 1884 and notes great changes in the country since he left.

CHOP STUFF

Mrs. Angus McCabe, of Adelaide, is dead.

E. Kellor, of Iona, raised a cabbage that weighed six pounds.

Euphemia township will celebrate its civic holiday by a monster picnic.

Mrs. James Healy, of Strathroy, died last week at Bear Lake, Mich.

D. S. McMillan, a well-known Sarnia barrister, died last week after six months' illness.

Norman McLeod, of Sarnia, a well-known G. T. R. conductor, dropped dead at London on Saturday.

Thamesville people are agitating the sinking of a deep well in the village for the improvement of the water supply.

Hugh Healey, a lad of 14, son of ex-Mayor Healey, of Kingsville, realized \$130 for new potatoes from a piece of land a little over one-quarter of an acre in size.

In the first month's operations of the Aerial Mail Service between New York, Philadelphia and Washington, a total of five and two-fifths tons of letter mail was transported.

There will be no issue of the Dresden Times this week. Their foreman has enlisted in the Dragoons and subscribers are notified that the publisher is "up against it."

On Monday evening eighty-two Park-hillites pulled flax on the eighteenth concession. One fellow was so doubled over that he had to lie in the sun to get warped back the other way.

R. Johns, of Exeter, sold a big pig to I. Armstrong last week which weighed 700 pounds and realized \$102. Mr. Johns paid \$60 for this sow, and was called a fool for doing so. But as she raised three litters of pigs and sold for over one hundred dollars, it was not a bad investment.

The Doherty Stove Company, Sarnia, is contemplating some improvements which will be much appreciated by the employees of the company. Plans are now being prepared by Architect R. W. Fawcett for the installation of lavatories, lockers and shower baths at the company's plant.

The death occurred at Toronto last week, after a lingering illness, of Bassett Blewett, who was a grain buyer in Blenheim until about twenty years ago. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Jean Blewett, whose literary work is widely known, a son, J. G. Blewett of Edmonton, Alberta, and a daughter, Mrs. A. E. Kelly.

The corn crop in Essex, Kent and Lambton counties is promising according to a statement by P. Fancher, corn expert for the Ontario department of agriculture, following a tour of the corn growing districts. To warm weather with occasional showers is attributed the remarkable advancement made by the corn, which in the three counties named is considerably in advance of the crops in other parts of the province.

The funeral of the late Catherine Tobin wife of Wm. Otten, was held at the family residence, 5th con., Bosanquet, on Friday July 19th. Mrs. Otten has been a resident of Bosanquet for over 35 years. She was 82 years of age. She leaves to mourn her loss five children: Wm. Otten and Mrs. Wm. Brander, of Bosanquet; Mrs. Seich, of Newcastle; Miss Lou, of Colorado, and Fred of Detroit. All were present at the funeral. The interment was at Arkona cemetery and services were conducted by Rev. J. C. Moorhouse assisted by Rev. Mr. Otton, a relative of the deceased. The bearers were, Fred Wright, Dan Hampron, Geo. Sharp, Henry Turner, Henry Curtis, and Wm. Munroe.

In Edmonton, Alta., July 22nd, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Francis, (nee Kate Aitken), a son.

HUSBAND SAVES WIFE

From Suffering by Getting Her Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—"For many months I was not able to do my work owing to a weakness which caused backache and headaches. A friend called my attention to one of your newspaper advertisements and immediately my husband bought three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me. After taking two bottles I felt fine and my troubles caused by that weakness are a thing of the past. All women who suffer as I did should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. JAS. ROEBERG, 620 Knapp St., N. S., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Women who suffer from any form of weakness, as indicated by displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, backache, headaches, nervousness or "the blues," should accept Mrs. Roebert's suggestion and give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a thorough trial.

For over forty years it has been correcting such ailments. If you have mysterious complications write for advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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NOTE AND COMMENT

No delays are permissible in the United States. In response to a request for postponement of the July draft call in the northwest, where wheat is ready for harvest, Provost Marshal General Crowder has informed the Department of Agriculture that the military program will not permit of delay in filling the monthly demand for drafted men.

James Dowling, a British private, 68 years of age, has won 12 war medals. And Kaiser Bill thinks of beating a nation made of such men.

The city of Prince Albert, Sask., has defaulted on the interest due the first of July on two issues of debentures floated in London in 1913, the first issue of £102,700, at 4 1/2 per cent, and the second £200,000 at five per cent. Holders on present coupons for payment had them returned—no funds.

Holland has 22 women candidates for parliament. We can see where the mere Dutchman is to be crowded out of the limelight entirely.

If the allies keep on "nibbling" a thousand prisoners or so at a time, the Germans will begin to wonder whose offensive this is.—Springfield Republican.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Medicine was prescribed by one of the best physicians in the country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENNY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. All Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills for constipation

THE ARMORED MOTORS.

Canadian Corps Did Splendid Work Against the Germans.

The work of the Canadian Motor Machine Gun Corps during the last great German offensive is dealt with in the following article by Roland Hill, correspondent with the Canadian forces at the front.

Delaying of the great German attack on the Somme the Canadian Motor Machine Gun Corps did heroic work, and gained special mention from the commander of the British army, which fought the brunt of the wonderful retirement. Several times these swift armored cars found themselves fighting alongside tanks, and more than once they followed the track of their heavier allies. Tanks were the battleships of great fighting, Canadian armored cars were the light cruisers. They remained hidden in broken buildings until sections of Huns had rushed down the main roads and then, like Juggernauts, drove down on the enemy, sweeping clear paths with their batteries of machine guns.

At the crossroad at Villiers-Carbonnel on the St. Quentin road, they delayed the Hun advance five hours and gave the infantry time to dig some semblance of shelter.

The Germans brought up light field guns to try to catch some of them, but they shifted too quickly to ever become a target. One car only was broken in this sharp engagement. It had run off the road into a deep ditch and the Germans had come on so densely that it was impossible to get the car back on the road. The last of the others saw it was when only two of the crew remained alive. A young Canadian came forward, standing in the road keeping a group of about twenty of the enemy at bay with rifles of his dead comrades. Another man was firing the remaining machine gun at a body of Germans who were trying to surround some British infantry.

An almost similar affair, but without the loss of any car, happened at Bray. Three cars worked along the roads which centred on the village. They dropped little parties with extra guns in farm buildings on the outskirts and held back the Huns until fresh infantry battalions could come up and take up the defence. "We just slaughtered the Huns by the thousand," said one dirty, blood-stained officer, "and more than once they broke back into their second waves when we got our guns spraying at them at the same time. All a section about a hundred yards away."

In hot corners where we were fighting the British must have taken a toll of ten to one. They were magnificent. Some of them who had been fighting steadily for three months refused to be taken out. They declared they would stick to it to the end if we could get them rations. Our ammunition lorries brought them up plentiful supplies in less than an hour and many of those fellows kept fighting until they fell exhausted from sheer exhaustion. By that time reserves were up in plenty, and the line at Bray was saved for a time anyway.

Another good work the cars did was in bringing in wounded. Each time they returned for ammunition and petrol they carried in scores of battered men. One car rescued a badly wounded British brigadier. "Pluckiest officer I ever saw," explained a Canadian sergeant in charge of the car. He had stayed with a little post of about a dozen men right to the last, and when the machine gun crew were laid out he fired the gun himself until badly wounded. He made us leave him with the field ambulance and would not let us take him back to a casualty clearing station. "Go back and give them blazes," were his parting words to us.

Canadians Give Aid.

One of the most unique undertakings to raise money for the American Red Cross has been an all-star production of a successful war play, "Out There," which has been visiting the large cities of the republic and playing to enormous audiences. The cast is made up entirely of famous stars, several of whom are Englishmen like George Arliss and C. P. Huggie. There are two Canadians in the cast, Miss Julia Arthur, who came from Hamilton, and Mr. George McFarland, whose home was in Montreal. Another less well-known Canadian, Miss Catharine Proctor, of Toronto, is understudying all the female roles. The play selected for presentation is by an Englishman, Mr. J. Hartley Manners, and it is familiar to Canadians, as it was presented for an all-Canadian tour during the past season, visiting practically every town that had theatrical accommodation from coast to coast. James K. Hackett, who is sometimes claimed as a Canadian, has a role in the drama, but Mr. Hackett only happened to be born in this country and his parents were Americans, so we can hardly lay claim to him.

Government Grows Seed.

A beginning has this year been made in the growing of standard seed on the available lands of various provincial institutions, this being rendered possible through co-operation between the Provincial Secretary and Agricultural Departments. One hundred and eighty-one acres in all are being thus utilized, 32 acres being seeded at Fort William, 15 at Burwash, 22 at London, 5 at Woodstock, 25 at Hamilton, 55 at Whitby, and 27 at Brockville. The plant-

increases 90 acres of oats, 27 of potatoes, 27 of barley, 27 of wheat, 10 of mangolds, 10 of peas and 10 of beans. Much difficulty has been experienced in securing suitable seeds, this being further evidence of the urgent necessity for the inauguration of the new and practical policy.

A Record Prison Record.

When Onesime Charbonneau came up in the courts in Montreal recently he informed the judge that he had spent eleven out of the last fifteen years of his life in jail. He asked for a two-year term, and as he does not make a very good citizen anyhow, the judge obliged him.

Tibet Takes Up War Game.

Tibet is engaged in a looting expedition, just as she has been for centuries. She has invaded Szechuan, a border state of China. The only significance this has during the present world war, according to the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin, is that some thousand years before Solomon was born, Tibet boasted of a high state of civilization, as did her neighbor Szechuan. But ages of warfare have made Tibet the domain of half savage marauders. Tibet boasts the sacred city of Lhasa, the seat of official Buddhism, where squalor, art, religion and high pretensions are mixed in inextricable confusion.

Mrs. Max Green, daughter of the great Irish leader, John E. Redmond, has entered the fight to line up Ireland beside England and against Germany.

The second group of college women to work in France is the Wellesley college unit, which is now engaged in the Lyons district.

It is expected that the war department will establish regular field training camps for army nurses in order to overcome the shortage.

Major Alexander Lambert, surgeon-in-chief of the American Red Cross in France, recently advocated the sending of sisters of soldiers and other young American women to France as war workers.

Women are all right for the Red Cross but will never make soldiers, according to Lieutenant Colonel Maria Leona Botchkova, commander of the famous Russian Battalion of Death.

THEY CLEANSE WHILE THEY CURE.—The vegetable compounds of which Parlee's Vegetable Pills are composed mainly dandelion and mandrake, clear the stomach and intestines of deleterious matter and restore the deranged organs to health action. Hence they are the best remedy for indigestion available today. A trail of them will establish the truth of this assertion and do more to convince the ailing than anything that they grow more popular daily.

Prominent American women engaged in war work in France, such as Mrs. Vincent Astor and others send a message back to the effect that hundreds of energetic women should be sent over immediately.

It is folly to expect uniformity of opinion in his world.

We cannot measure the enjoyment of others by our own.

Whether the corn be of old or new growth, it must yield to Holloway's Corn Cure, the simplest and best cure offered to the public.

The big grudge is invariably the product of the little mind.

To-day is never made brighter by thinking of to-morrow's troubles.

We should not expect to find good judgment and experience in youth.

It is well to know; it is better to try, for by trying you learn how.

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A Bit of Progress

By KATHERINE BATES

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The sunlight fell so hotly on the pile of guano bags crowding the little wharf that the man leaning against the heaped-up sacks could hardly believe that it was May, and not July. He drew his eyelids together and through his lashes looked down the gleaming river toward Norfolk, three miles away. On either side of the river trucks farms stretched away toward the pine forests farther inland; just now the farms were at their greenest, strawberry fields, cabbage patches, acres of spinach, all in verdant strife. The river ducked in here and there, flinging clear, shimmering streams a little way back into the country, and the marshes around these inlets gave a rank, yellow tinge to the green outlook. Now and then a pine grove not yet cleared away led the greens to the other extreme, to the dark somber hue which had little but name in common with the brightness of the water-grass. The man on the wharf sighed as he noted these varying shades.

"It would take me to make this pay," he said. "Yes, sir, what this here fertile patch of old Virginia needs is an Iowa man—J. Archibald Jernigan could make his pile here, but none of these lazy Southern truckers will make their salt."

The cool sound of the incoming tide swishing against the wharf turned his thoughts from the farms. There would be shade on the other side of the guano bags; he sprang upon them and dropped down into the shadow, dropped down beside Ianthe Yarbrough, who lolled in placid ease against the bags.

"Beg pardon, miss," said Mr. Jernigan, startled into a stammer, although his was by no means a hesitating nature.

"Don't mind me," said the girl calmly. "I heard you talkin' to yo'self, but I reckon I'd let you come over if you wanted to."

She smiled at him with indolent interest and Mr. Jernigan smiled back. "Daughter of the gentleman over there?" he asked, politely, waving his hand toward a clump of pines around a small white house.

"Yes, this is pa's place. From Norfolk?"

He swelled with the importance of the man who comes from a distance. "From Wellsville, Iowa. Fine state, Iowa."

"You are a long ways from home," she observed.

Mr. Jernigan drew down his mustache.

"An aunt just died down there—in Norfolk—consumption. Doctors sent her here, no money spared, none whatever, but I come on and buried her a week ago tomorrow. Aunt that brought me up."

"I'm cert'nly sorry she died," Ianthe said softly.

"Lamentable, lamentable, but we must all die, and she was past sixty. Pretty country you've got 'round here, Miss—er—Miss?"

"Did you walk down yonder road?" she asked with a sudden increase of interest. "Sweet honeysuckles is all in bloom over there, gullies on each side the road jus' filled with it, and yallah jasmine climbin' over everything it can lay vines on—smelled as sweet as it looked, didn't it?"

"Very nice smell, very nice, indeed," agreed Mr. Jernigan, "but ain't yore pa goin' to be a little late with his kale for the Boston and New York markets?"

"I reckon," she answered. "Mos' folks round here are too late for the markets." She laughed a little as she added: "Pres' Lewis, who has the truck patch next our, never does get anything to market in time."

"I infer he don't prosper," said Mr. Jernigan. "I'd like to give him a few notions about trucking."

She turned to him quickly. "Would you? Oh, do—for pa can't put up with his bein' so way behind; pa'd like to be—be progressive, and Pres' frets him. You see, Pres' don't get on, no, he don't prosper, jus' as you say."

"Is there any special reason why he'd better be prospering?" Mr. Jernigan asked, looking delicately away toward Norfolk.

Ianthe picked up a long pole lying on the wharf near her; she bent back, and looked around the corner of the wharf prodded with the pole the mud where the tide still left uncovered oyster shells and various bits of debris.

"Well," she at last said frankly, "there's me."

"Quite a reason," he said gallantly. He looked at her attentively, and repeated, "quite a reason."

"Yes, I reckon, I am," she agreed.

"S'pose you do give Pres' some new notions? I don't know as he could carry them out, but he could talk them to pa, and after all talk does about as well as goin' with pa. You tell me them, and I'll tell Pres'."

"Well, there's English walnuts—this sorter land and yore climate order be just the thing for them," he began. In time he warmed to his topic, and Ianthe drank in his wisdom as eagerly as ever heathen drank in the gospel. But the sound of a horn at last broke in on the conference, and Ianthe lazily struggled to her feet.

"Ma's blowin' me up—we'll, 'm cert'nly obliged to you. You don't know any more for another time?"

"I don't know as—"

"Well, good-by," she interrupted.

"Pres' will be obliged, too." Mr. Jernigan looked at her wonderingly. "Talk about the selfishness of men," he thought, "women ain't made of anything but that self-same article." Aloud he said with dignity: "I am going to say I didn't know as I had anything mapped out yet, but of course I don't get to the end of my ideas in half an hour."

His tone seemed to remind Ianthe of the hospitable traditions of Virginia.

"Come along to supper," she suggested, "only don't talk to pa as if you knew much, or maybe he'll suspect Pres' didn't make up those fine new notions."

For many weeks after this Mr. Jernigan stayed in Norfolk, although he was badly needed in Wellsville. He spent his mornings conscientiously doing the many sights of the neighborhood—Soldiers' home at Hampton, Fortress Monroe, Hygeia hotel at Old Point, every one of which would have been run to far greater advantage had an Iowa man been at the head—and in the afternoons he taught Ianthe Yarbrough the essentials of progressive trucking. Her father had taken a liking—naturally—to him, and often he went to supper with the Yarbroughs. After supper he and the father sat on the front steps and smoked, while he watched—a little grimly—Ianthe and Pres' Lewis sauntering by the river. Pres' was a tall, dark, lazy-looking boy, who evidently had no finickiness about accepting another man's cerebral fruits. He profited by the hints Ianthe gave him during the river bank strolls, and when Mrs. Yarbrough was through with the dishes he and Ianthe came to the steps, and new ideas scintillated. Over the porch of the little house grew a Mueschal Niel rose, its hundreds of buds making the air sweet, but Mr. Jernigan's bitter heart did not let him enjoy the sweetness. Yes, his heart was bitter. He said to himself as he sat listening to Pres' talk, sat watching Ianthe crush the rose leaves against her cheek, that his vexation referred purely to a matter of good sense. "Waste is what I can't stand—owe that to the back-East bringing up Aunt Mary had—and waste it surely would be for him to get that fair flower of the South!"

There had to come an end—Wellsville would no longer be put off, and one night when Mr. Jernigan went into the Yarbrough sitting room for his hat, after the usual placid evening on the steps, he made himself say: "Well, folks, I guess this is the end of my visits. I must get back—and come to Wellsville, all of you, and I'll see that you meet the elite."

They were all standing, but Ianthe dropped into a chair.

"Going—?" she said.

Pres' turned to her—then the color rushed to his dark cheeks. He stepped toward Mr. Jernigan.

"You've been talking crops to her, you have? You've been making love to her—you've—"

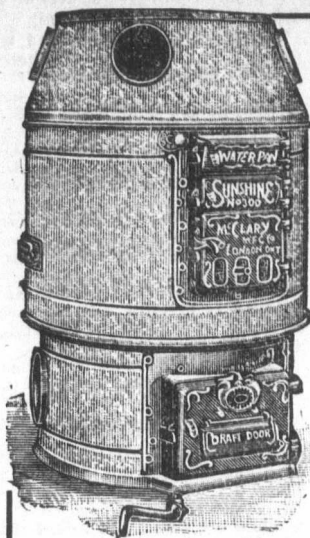
Mr. Jernigan laid a hand on the boy's mouth. "Stop your fool talk," he said. "Miss Ianthe—"

Ianthe sprang to her feet. "I don't care two strawbers if you are goin' way—I don't, I don't," she cried, throwing open the door leading to the steep stairway, and then going upstairs as fast as she could.

Mr. Jernigan retreated dignifiedly. "I shall call upon you tomorrow," he said to the dazed Mr. Yarbrough.

"Good night, Mrs. Yarbrough, ma'am—good night, Mr. Lewis. Let me wish you success in your trucking in case I don't see you tomorrow."

He did not take the road toward Norfolk. Through that misty gray light, the light that wraps one around, the light that the dwellers on the Elizabeth river call a June evening, he made his way to the wharf where he had first seen Ianthe. There were no guano bags there now, but he sat down on the planks where she had sat, and took up the long pole which still lay there. He whipped the water with the pole—sang with subdued nasality. "She don't—don't care—two strawbers—two strawbers—no, she don't she don't." Then he drove the pole into the mud, and meditated. Ianthe was by him, Ianthe in the purple calico which made her eyes too look purple. "No call-cos," he said suddenly. "Wellsville's best quality silk for Mrs. J. Archibald."



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NOTE AND COMMENT

Neither the Kaiser nor any of his sons has been wounded so far. Guns can't shoot that far.

"I shall stand no foolishness from America," said the Kaiser. How are you standing it now, old boy?—Detroit Free Press.

After using all the foul fighting tactics ever invented by man or devil the Boche now wishes the Allies to fight strictly according to the rules of civilized nations.

Strikes and rumors of strikes fill the air. But they are far less commendable than the striking brave boys are doing on the firing line, at all hours, at \$1.10 per day.—Hamilton Spectator.

Strikes would seem to be wholly unnecessary in these times. If an injustice is being done, there are people in authority ready, willing to see that an adjustment is promptly made. If the cause is not just, the striker is only wasting his time.

Rochester Herald: The age of the nickel is gone. The jitney is no longer the financial asset that it used to be. It is a waste of time to change a dollar into twenty parts in the hope of saving money, for the nickels always travel in pairs now or as triplets.

The Woodstock Sentinel-Review pertinently points out that the writ of habeas corpus was originally intended to protect the citizen from illegal imprisonment. That is still its proper use. It was never intended to shield the citizen from the responsibilities of his citizenship or to relieve him from the duty of defending his country in its time of need.

Ottawa Journal: The world it on fire, and half of us are engaged in bellowing by turns that our share of the fire brigade has too many clothes or too big feet, or is likely to get a cold in its head if it keeps on, or has paid too much for a trumpet, or that the chief should be on the north end of the blaze instead of some other end, or trying to get the firemen away by habeas corpus.

An Ottawa clergyman complains in the newspapers that the employees of the finance department work seven days a week and the department says that it is necessary. The men in the trenches and other battle centres in France and elsewhere work seven days a week. If it is necessary for civilians to labour seven days a week in order to give combatants adequate support only weak patriots would offer criticism.

Save the Wild Berries

Every effort should be made this season in the interests of food production to save the wild raspberries and other small fruits which grow in abundance in this neighbourhood. Wild fruits of all kinds are most valuable and the crop should not be allowed to go to waste.

It has been suggested that motor-car owners should volunteer to carry people to and from berry patches, as many persons are unable to reach these spots through lack of some conveyance. Parties of young girls and boys, who are too young to enlist for work on fruit and other farms, could do this work, and might go berry-picking with some older person in charge. Let some patriotic organization take the matter in hand, as no doubt many automobile owners will willingly volunteer to carry berry pickers if it becomes known with whom arrangements can be made.

Save our foodstuffs for our soldiers by doing your utmost to preserve all fruits and vegetables possible for winter use.

To keep the chairman of a meeting in touch with parliamentary law a device has been invented on which is a movable pointer which indicates what action is permissible with any motion.

It is best to cut cantaloupes in half the long way when preparing them for the table. This gives each person the stem and blossom end of each melon. The blossom end is sweeter than the stem end.

Some Recollections of Trying Experiences at the Front.

I paused in one place and bent in my saddle to shake the hand of a brother officer of the old 17th Nova Scotia Highlanders. We had been together at the very start, and felt a camaraderie not known in later units of swifter changing personnel.

I had heard of dread presentiments in France, but never did I encounter a more remarkable case than that of my brother officer. He had been on the line for nearly two years, and was noted for his sangfroid. But that night his hand trembled, and he was ashen pale. He tried to smile at some pleasantry of mine, but his face was overcast by a cloud of sickening apprehension.

"Bye, old man, my time has come," he said huskily in parting. "Nonsense," I answered. "They haven't made a bullet that can hit you yet."

But I watched him move off as one who has received his death-warrant. Many a time he had passed unscathed, where it had seemed that scarce a blade of grass could live. I thought of him as one who lived a charmed life. For such a one to lose heart seemed direct tragedy.

Two hours later, in leading his company across a field, his head was blown off his body.

On leaving my pal of the old 17th, I felt overwhelmed by a wave of sadness that had been rising within me all day. This was the end of a bitter, bitter day. How could a man keep up his courage through weeks and months of such calamity?

With brooding sadness, I pulled my horse up at the cross-roads, to let a long column of motor-torries pass. While I paused thus in moody silence, I heard from up the road the sound of singing. A small squad of men were coming out of the trenches, and, true to convention, they were singing as they came.

"Who are you?" I asked as they passed, thinking that they were some cyclist company, or fatigue party, that had been up for special duty in the trenches.

"We're the Princess Pats," came the proud reply, and then I heard them launch off again into another song.

I had seen that same regiment, then nearly a thousand strong, pass down the road towards Ypres not less than a week before. I remembered how I was thrilled as I thought of their fighting prowess, and gazed at their colonel, appearing every inch a soldier, riding his charger at the head of his men. Behind the colonel came the pipes, playing Blue Bonnets Over the Border. After that came the long lines of companies with their full complement of officers. It took fifteen minutes for the entire regiment to pass, going in; but it took less than a minute for that remnant to pass, going out.

All that was left of them went by. They had been cut to pieces often before, but this time they were decimated. The gallant colonel had been killed while leading his men over the top. All the company commanders and other officers had been wounded or killed, and only one boyish-faced subaltern remained, who now marched at the head of the column. The service at Knox Church on Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Burton of Warwick Village. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Newell and children of Springfield spent a few days this week with Mrs. Newell's parents Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Kadey.

Neil Fair has sold his fine racing stallion, Jay Bars, to T. McDonald, of Sarnia township, for a very handsome figure.

Steadily and shoulder to shoulder, Steadily we'll ride and sing, Marching along, steady and strong, Like the boys of the Old Brigade.

Down the road I followed them into the darkness, until the sound of the singing grew faint and died away. Then, with light heart restored, I too struck up a song, and cantered down the road. For me the flashing glimpse of that brave remnant had swept all clouds away.

I had seen a star at the end of a bitter day.—Arthur Hunt Chute in the North American Review.

Ontario Sold Bonds.
Hon. T. W. McGarry, Provincial Treasurer of Ontario, announced on May 20th the sale of \$3,000,000 10-year 8 per cent. gold bonds of Ontario to a syndicate headed by R. C. Matthews & Co. at 99.49. The issue was sold subject to tender. Altogether there were six bidders, and as the margin between all the offers was close it appears that competition was exceedingly keen. Compared with recent issues the price obtained by the province is considered highly satisfactory and is another testimony of the soundness of the financial position of the province. The loan is made to provide funds for important capital expenditures authorized by the Legislature, particularly the further extension of the Hydro-Electric. The proceeds of the sale will be paid into Consolidated Revenue Fund and paid out from time to time as the occasion makes it necessary.

Confiscate Aliens' Lands.
When the Canadian Army and Navy Veterans met recently at Winnipeg, they passed a resolution asking the Dominion Government to confiscate all land belonging to alien enemies. It was suggested that the money thus secured, which would be a handsome sum, could be utilized for war purposes.

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WARWICK

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lester, 2nd line, spent Friday with his cousins Mrs. H. Restorick and Mrs. Stout at Watford.

Fred T. Eastman of Warwick is serving the Empire in the artillery of the American army.

Miss Mary Mansfield of Watford and her friend Miss Dockstader of London, are at Wisbeach this week.

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BROOKE

Miss Mary Lewis, Toronto, returned to her home on Thursday after a month's visit with her cousin, Miss Verna Acton.

Mr. Dunbar of London will conduct the service in St. James' Church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

The quarterly sacramental service will be held in the Walnut Methodist Church on Sunday morning, August 4th, at eleven o'clock.

A life-long resident of the township passed away on Thursday, July 25th, when Miss Elizabeth Lucas died at her home on the 13th concession, the farm on which she was born, aged 72 years. She was a confirmed invalid, confined to her bed for over seven years previous to her death. The funeral took place from the residence lot 16, con. 13, on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 for Mt. Carmel cemetery and was well attended. The service was conducted by Rev. S. J. T. Fortner of the Brooke circuit and Rev. A. I. Brown, of Kerwood, the latter an old and much-esteemed former pastor of deceased preaching the sermon in Mt. Carmel church. The pallbearers were five brothers and a brother-in-law of the departed, namely, George, Albert, W. W., John and James Lucas and Theo. Oakes. Deceased was a life-long member of the Methodist Church and before her long illness took a deep and active interest in all matters calculated to advance the welfare of mankind. Her long illness was borne cheerfully and with true Christian fortitude.

None are more unjust in their judgments of others than those who have a high opinion of themselves.

Some people are born tired, and some seem to have been born for the purpose of making others tired.

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- 27TH REGT.—1ST BATTALION
- Thos L. Swift, reported missing since June 15th, 1915
Richard H. Stapleford
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L. Gunn Newell, killed in action
F. C. N. Newell, T. Ward
A. H. Woodward, killed in action
Sid Welsh M. Cunningham
M. Blondel W. Blunt
R. W. Bailey A. L. Johnston
R. A. Johnston G. Mathews
C. Manning W. Glenn Nichol
F. Phelps H. F. Small
E. W. Smith C. Toop
J. Ward, killed in action C. Ward
F. Wakelin, D. C. M., killed in action
T. Wakelin, wounded and missing
H. Whittitt B. Hardy
- PRINCESS PATRICIA'S C. L. I.
- Gerald H. Brown
- 18TH BATTALION
- C. A. Barnes Geo. Ferris
Edmund Watson G. Shanks
J. Burns F. Burns
C. Blunt Wm. Anterson
S. P. Shanks Walter Woolvett
- 2ND DIVISIONAL CAVALRY
- Lorne Lucas Frank Verks
Chas. Potter
- 33RD BATTALION
- Percy Mitchell, died of wounds Oct. 14, 1916
Lloyd Howden
Geo. Fountain killed in action Sept. 16, 1916
Gordon H. Patterson, died in Victoria Hospital, London
- 34TH BATTALION
- E. C. Crohn S. Newell
Macklin Hagle, missing since Oct. 8, 1916
Stanley Rogers Wm. Manning
Henry Holmes, killed in action Sept. 27, 1916
Leonard Lees
- C. Jamieson
- 29TH BATTERY
- Wm. Mitchell John Howard
- 70TH BATTALION
- Ernest Lawrence Alfred Emmerson
C. H. Loveclay A. Banks
S. R. Whalton, killed in action Oct., 1916
Thos. Meyers Jos. M. Wardman
Vern Brown Al. Bullough
Sid Brown, killed in action Sept. 15, 1916
- 28TH BATTALION
- Thomas Lamb, killed in action
- MOUNTED RIFLES
- Fred A. Taylor
- PIONEERS
- Wm. Macnally W. F. Goodman
- ENGINEERS
- J. Tomlin
Basil Saunders Cecil McNaughton
- ARMY MEDICAL CORPS
- T. A. Brandon, M. D. W. J. McKenzie, M. D.
Norman McKenzie Jerrold W. Snell
Allen W. Edwards Wm. McCausland
Basil Gault
- 135TH BATTALION
- Nichol McLachlin, killed in action July 6th, 1917
- 3RD RESERVE BATTERY, C. F. A.
- Alfred Levi
- 116TH BATTALION
- Clayton O. Fuller, killed in action April 18th, 1917
- 196TH BATTALION
- R. R. Annett
- 70TH BATTERY
- R. H. Trenouth, killed in action on May 8th, 1917
Murray M. Forster V. W. Wolloughby
Ambrose Gavigan
- 142ND BATTALION
- Austin Potter
- GUNNER
- Russ G. Clark
- John J. Brown R. N. C. V. R. T. A. Gilliland
1st Class Petty Officers.
- ARMY DENTAL CORPS
- Elgin D. Hicks H. D. Taylor
- ARMY SERVICE CORPS
- Frank Elliot R. H. Acton
Arthur McKercher
- 98TH BATTALION
- Roy E. Acton, killed in action Nov. 3, 1917
- 64TH BATTERY
- C. F. Luckham Harold D. Robinson
Romo Auld
- 83RD BATTERY
- Walter A. Restorick George W. Parker
Clare Fuller
- 67TH BATTERY
- Edgar Prentis
- 69TH BATTERY
- Chester W. Cook
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If the name of your soldier boy does not appear in this column, kindly notify us and it will be placed there.

A Misunderstanding

By WILLIAM AMORY

"But you are not listening," Helen Fairfax turned her eyes back to her lover with a murmured "Forgive me." They were earnest eyes, shining with a tremulous love-light, and she was a clever girl, with keen mind and keener intuition, and he had grown into the habit of talking to her freely of his life, his profession, in a way that surprised himself.

But tonight her attention wandered. Tonight of all nights! Tomorrow he was to sun up his great case. Surely a woman should share the self-denial of a man's destiny. Was Helen, after all, like other women—given to moods, absorbed in the subjective—when the veil was lifted? They had been engaged six months; each day had been a fuller revelation of her nature. Was this the nearer view? Ah, no—banish the thought. Helen was Helen—there was no more to be said.

He took up the lines of the argument of his case and stated them to her, clearly, concisely, as though she were a man. This time her eyes did not wander from his face; they deepened, their pupils growing larger as she gazed. How splendid he looked! How alert; how alive!

How could she keep at this wide distance. How incidental and how futile sounded all that rapid flow of words! When would he have done, that she might throw herself upon his breast? "Don't you think so?" he asked her, suddenly.

"Oh, Harold, I did not hear what you were saying."

"Not hear what I was saying? Haven't you been following? I never needed your co-operation more, your intellectual sympathy more, than I do tonight. You know how hard I have been working on this case; you know what a notable case it is. You know also, that the eyes of the legal world are upon me. My summing up tomorrow will be a crisis in the beginning of my career. Could you not follow me—help me by your sympathy—your interest?"

He waited to see the flash of protest in her eyes, for some little lance that she would thrust to cross his own, but instead she nestled her head into the curve of his shoulder and whispered: "Forgive me, I am moody tonight; very moody and absent-minded."

"We have no right to be moody nor absent-minded, dear," he answered seriously, "where another's interests are involved. It is a sign of weakness. And there is something besides love. A strong woman should keep even love at bay when a man has work to do—not lure him nor tempt him with it. I do not like to say it, sweetheart, but I love you—and the wounds of a friend are faithful. I am disappointed at your failure to sympathize with my work tonight."

Two big tears welled in her eyes, but she said no word. Had Harold Ford been a hero, a knight of chivalry, he would not have stopped in his quest until he had found the source of those two tears; he was, however, only a very busy man of today. Not that the two were altogether incompatible, but that the combination is rare, and Harold did not happen to be both in the fullest sense; furthermore, he was deeply absorbed in an immediate practical affair. It was striking 11, and time for him to leave her. Though he said no more, and his good-night salutation lacked nothing outwardly, there was a mental reservation which, to the psychic sense of Helen, robbed it of its fullest bliss.

"Six o'clock tomorrow, dear," he repeated as he went out the door. "Six o'clock tomorrow," she answered.

Did her voice quiver, or was it fancy? He was conscious of saying to himself as he passed down the steps: "Are all women alike. I wonder—after all—tears and moods?"

The following afternoon, in the gathering dusk, he mounted the steps again. His attitude had changed. The stress and irritation of an absorbing effort had given place to a buoyant reaction. He had won his case, and won it in so brilliant a way that the triumph was the smallest part of his self-congratulation? Even the judge had said words to make a young lawyer's heart take courage. But what were the words, what was the triumph, what was anything, until he had shared it with Helen? He could see her in the gathering dusk, as he waited, her eyes glistening with delight! He could hear her vibrant "Harold!" Poor child, had he been harsh last night? Ah, no, only impatient for a moment—and frank—to make her the utmost that she was capable of being. If he had uninten-

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tionally hurt her, he knew a potent balm to heal with, to make her rejoice. Why was the servant so eternally slow in opening the door? How long they were making him wait! He rang again.

"Tell Miss Fairfax I am here."

"Yes, sir." The servant stood silent and awkward.

Harold wanted to quicken him with a shove; what was the matter with the fellow? He walked into the library; the light was burning low; the servant followed him, and closed the door with an air of mystery that gave Harold a mingled shock of impatience and of fear.

"I was to give you this, sir, when you came," and the man held out a letter.

"Is Miss Fairfax not at home?"

"She is at home, sir."

"Then tell her at once that I am here."

"Yes, sir."

Harold was alone with his letter; he opened it and read:

"It is midnight, you have gone, and yet it seems as though you are still here—so close to me that I can see your eyes and feel your touch—Harold. Forgive me that I was not more as I should have been this evening, but—I was a coward. Dear, I have not been well for many weeks and yesterday I saw a specialist. He told me I had a most serious difficulty, and that I must undergo a dangerous operation at once, if I would save my life. Tomorrow is the day appointed. I implored him to wait, but he leaves town in a few days, and if I do not have it done tomorrow it could not be performed for two months, and that is too long to wait, he says; so there was no other way. Tomorrow—our day—when you are to vindicate my pride and hope in you; the day we have waited for so long. There was but one impulse strong within me, almost overmastering—to fly to the shelter of your arms—to seek your sympathy. But how could I tell you when it might imperil your calm, your peace—undo all you have worked for—hamper your ascent, in which tomorrow will be a stepping stone? No. You must not know. Your heart is too tender, I am too much your own for you to stand up in court and plead for legal abstractions when I am lying under the knife. I half hoped you would make me tell you all my heart—but now I am glad you do not know. You will have no shadow on your way tomorrow, and when you receive this it will be all behind us; it will have been over seven hours; for the operation takes place at 11 o'clock. Good-night—good by. I love you—it seems to me that I love you in a new way tonight. Harold—Harold—I must call you back and tell you, and feel your strength to make me strong; but no. I am your love—I must be brave. And then—why should I fear?"

"God's in his heaven—"

"All's right with the world."

"HELEN."

He crushed the letter in his hand, and ratched the door with one bound, like an animal in chase. She was his own; his place was by her side; no man could keep him from her. As he opened the door he came face to face with her father.

"Harold, my dear fellow—"

"Let me go to her," and Harold tried to pass. Mr. Fairfax put his arm across the door.

"No, you must not, now; the doctors are with her; they will let no one in, not even me, and I am her father. Harold, my boy, we must be brave and stand by each other."

A withering quiet, like a blight, fell upon Harold. It seemed to paralyze his powers of motion and of speech. After a moment he heard himself saying, in a voice that sounded like a stranger's:

"What do—they—the doctors—say?"

Mr. Fairfax looked at him pityingly, his own anguish stamped white upon his face.

"Don't lose heart, Harold," he said gravely. "We are hoping for the best, and McKenzie, the doctor who performed the operation, says the chances are in her favor."

REMINDER OF PAST DAYS

Author's Depiction of "Tourist" Printer Will Be Recognized as Drawn From Life.

Thrilling adventures of the old journeyman printers are contained in "These Shifting Scenes," by Charles Edward Russell. These wanderers roamed from town to town, denouncing everything outside of New York as unfit for consideration, and returning by way of freight trains once a year for a visit to that Mecca of journalists. Mr. Russell describes a typical member of the guild, one "Scotty."

"This solid and sorry ragamuffin had so often escaped violent death that he was convinced of a destiny to die of disease and was far more fearful of drinking contaminated water than of riding on car trucks. Once as he clung to the bumpers of a freight car a mad or intoxicated brakeman had fired five revolver shots at him and every shot had clipped or gone through Scotty's hat. Whereupon the brakeman, probably convinced that he had seen a ghost, leaped from the train and was killed."

"Several times Scotty had been in train wrecks. Once the car was on fire and he was pinned down by a pile of loot, but two brakemen worked with frenzied zeal until they freed him and saved his life; and then pursued him down the track pelting him with coal for stealing a ride."

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—THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE

LIQUIDATES DEBT TO FRANCE

In Sending Prune Trees to Devastated Country, California is Repaying an Obligation.

California is generously sending a million and a half two-year-old prune trees to help in restoring the French orchards, and enough seed beans to plant 60,000 acres. Canada is undertaking the planting of thousands of Canadian maples in France. It is pleasant to know that there is to be no lack of outside help for the devastated towns, observes Christian Science Monitor, in stating these facts. English and American architects are at work on plans for new buildings to replace those razed by the guns, both in Belgium and in France.

The Indianapolis News sees sentiment in the prune tree transaction. It says: "These trees are expected to convert 15,000 acres into bearing orchards in two years. It was France which, in 1856, gave to California her first prune trees. The prune, which since then has filled many a gap on the table of the American boarding houses, and has borne the brunt of many a jest, keeps right on proving its worth."

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

COUNTY OF LAMBTON

Treasurer's Notice as to Lands Liable For Sale For Taxes, A. D. 1918

TAKE NOTICE that the list of lands in the County of Lambton liable for sale for arrears of taxes by the Treasurer of the County of Lambton has been prepared by me and that copies thereof may be had in the office of the County Treasurer.

And further take notice, that the list of lands for sale as aforesaid is now being published in the Ontario Gazette in the issues thereof bearing date the 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th days of July, 1918.

And further take notice that in default of payment of the taxes in arrears upon the lands specified in said list together with the costs chargeable thereon as set forth in the said list so being published in the Ontario Gazette before the day fixed for sale of such lands, being the 12th day of October, A. D. 1918, the said lands will be sold for taxes pursuant to the terms of the advertisement in the Ontario Gazette.

And further take notice that this publication is made pursuant to Assessment Act Revised Statutes of Ontario 1914, Chapter 195, Section 149, sub-sec. 3. Dated at Sarnia this 8th day of July, A. D. 1918.

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It is an injustice to set up our own standard of right and wrong and judge people accordingly.

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Clocks That Time Speeches.

On the speaker's desk in the United States house of representatives is a little clock-like machine with a dial graduated in minutes from one to six and a single hand that goes once round the dial in six minutes. This is started and stopped by a tiny lever at the top. The speaker uses it in timing members in a debate wherein the speeches are limited.

The inventor, C. H. Graves of Philadelphia, designed it for keeping time on long-distance telephone calls, which are limited to three minutes. At the bottom of the dial is a scarlet mark. When you get your connection over the wire you press the little lever, which stands at 0, and see the machine going. When the pointer is approaching the red mark you know your time is rapidly drawing to a close. It is astonishing how few persons have any idea how long three minutes are. Nine out of ten will hurry their long-distance calls so that they use far less time than they pay for.

Tea in India.

For years past India, the great tea-producing and exporting country, has received large imports of tea from other countries. The imports have continued and even increased during the war, in spite of the gutting of the market with Indian tea, owing to the shipping restrictions. The imports are mainly low-grade teas, which are "transformed" into Indian teas by mixing with the genuine article. The bulk of the imports are from China, the Shan States, Ceylon and Java; but it is curious to learn that last year 16,000 pounds of tea went to India from the United Kingdom.

Oyster Farms.

One of the large salt-water farms of Japan consists of 50 square miles covered with 5 to 15 fathoms of water. Here the pearl farmer plants rocks and stones which are soon covered with oyster spat. The oysters are then left in special beds until the third year. When they grow large enough, a tiny speck of irritating substance is introduced into the bodies of these oysters and three or five years more are necessary for the foreign substance to become hidden in the layers of nacre which make up the pearls.

The Girl Scouts in various parts of the country have embarked on the task of training women and girl war workers in housekeeping.

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MAKING OF ICE CREAM

Food Control Board Permits But 10 Per Cent. Fat.

A Recipe That Has Proven Successful —Stake Vines and Trim Leaves to Grow High-Colored Tomatoes.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

A GREAT many inquiries have recently come to the Dairy Department of the Ontario Agricultural College regarding the new regulation from the Canada Food Board with reference to the manufacture of ice-cream, and also, as to methods of testing ice-cream for fat.

Order No. 34, section 8, issued by the Canada Food Board reads: "On and after May 1st, 1918, no person in Canada shall use in the manufacture of ice-cream more than 10 per centum of fat, whether of animal or vegetable origin; or more than six pounds of cane sugar, to eight gallons of ice-cream."

As a result of recent investigations made in the Dairy Department of the O. A. College, by Messrs. McMillan, Puritt, and Miss Miller, of the Dairy Staff, we can recommend the following formula or recipe, for a batch or mix which will produce about eight gallons of plain ice-cream of good quality and which will come within the regulations as laid down by the Food Board:

- 4 1/2 lbs. (4 1/2 gallons) cream testing 13 1/2% fat.
- 1 1/2 lbs. skim milk powder.
- 6 lbs. cane sugar—1 1/2 lbs. sugar may be replaced with 2 lbs. corn syrup.
- 4 ounces vanilla extract.
- 8 ounces gelatin dissolved in 6 lbs. (1/2 gallon) skim milk.

The cost of the ingredients in this formula will range from 53 to 67 cents buying in small quantities. If bought wholesale, the cost would be less.

If whole milk and cream are used, mixing equal quantities of these will produce an ice-cream testing not over ten per cent. fat, assuming that the milk and cream are of average fat content—3.5 and 18 to 20% fat respectively.

Three Methods of Testing Ice-Cream for Fat.

It is necessary for the ice-cream maker to test his ice-cream occasionally, and the following methods will give satisfactory results if carefully carried out:

1.—The Glacial Acetic and Hydrochloric Acid Test.

A representative sample of the ice-cream is taken and melted and thoroughly mixed; a 9-gramme sample is weighed into an 18-gramme Babcock cream test bottle. A mixture is prepared using equal parts of glacial acetic acid and concentrated hydrochloric acid. Twenty cubic centimeters of this acid mixture is added to the 9-gramme sample of ice-cream in the test bottle, and is then all well shaken. The bottle is placed in a water bath of 120 to 130 deg. F., and shaken at intervals until a brown color appears. It is then placed in the Babcock centrifuge and the test completed in the same way as for testing cream and the reading multiplied by two.

2.—The Sulphuric Acid Test.

To make the test with sulphuric acid, a 9-gramme sample is weighed into an 18-gramme test bottle. About 9 cubic centimeters of luke-warm water is then added to dilute the sample, in order to have about 18 cubic centimeters of mixture in the bottle. The sulphuric acid is then added slowly, a little at a time, at minute intervals, shaking well after each addition until a chocolate brown color appears in the bottle. No definite amount of acid can be stated, as the quantity will vary with different ice-creams. As soon as the chocolate brown color appears in the ice-cream a little cold water may be added to check the action of the acid. The bottle is then placed in the centrifuge and the test completed in the usual way. The reading is multiplied by two.

3.—Acetic and Sulphuric Acids.

Weigh a 9-gramme sample of ice-cream that has been thoroughly mixed. About 9 cubic centimeters of water is then added to dilute the sample. Add 5 cubic centimeters of acetic acid and then add carefully 8 to 8 cubic centimeters sulphuric acid. Centrifuge, and then add water the same as in other tests. If using an 18-gramme bottle multiply the reading by two, to obtain the per cent. fat in the ice-cream. A 9-gramme bottle which is graduated to give the percentage of fat directly needs no correction when reading. —Prof. H. H. Dean, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

To Grow Tomatoes Most Successfully.

If you are growing tomatoes to a single stem, be sure to remove all side shoots before they become of any size. All the extra food which is used in their growth is wasted and the breaking off of large shoots injures the plants. When August 15th comes it is well to nip off all growing ends so that the fruit will finish ripening, also open out the plant, if very thick, to allow the sunlight in.

These are more especially valuable after the growth has been stopped.

Keep a dust mulch around the plants. If the weather is very dry, soak the ground around them thoroughly in the evening, then make a new mulch in the morning.

When the first fruits in staked tomatoes are beginning to color, remove one-half of each leaf. This will hasten the ripening. Sunlight is necessary for rapid ripening.

Leave only growth enough on your plants to carry what fruit will ripen before frost. There is no use in allowing more to set than will be of use to you and the fruits you leave will be larger. — A. H. MacLennan, Ontario Vegetable Specialist.

Bird Guided by Magnetism?

One of the many explanations that have been offered to account for the fact that migrating birds are able to find their way by night and in cloudy or foggy weather is that they are sensitive, in some way, to currents of terrestrial magnetism, and therefore direct their flight by the magnetic meridians. This suggestion was put forth by M. A. Thauzies, a French pigeon fancier, who declares that carrier pigeons make poor flights during the occurrence of magnetic storms. He also asserts that the general use of wireless telegraphy has diminished the reliability of these birds to a surprising extent. — Popular Science Monthly.

School Children Are Underfed.

Of the 1,000,000 school children in New York city 110,000 are undernourished and in need of attention, while the condition of 500,000 others is only "passable," according to Dr. Henry Dwight Chapin, head of the children's division of the Postgraduate hospital. This medical man said much of the malnutrition of children is caused by war prices. He said that the disparity between wage increases and the mounting cost of food has caused mothers to give their children tea and coffee instead of milk, which had increased from 9 to 15 cents a quart in the last year.

More Conservation.

The following recipe for army pudding should be turned over to the conserving public: The remainder of Tuesday's apple sauce mixed with what was left of Wednesday's peach cobbler. Stir well and add the leavings from Thursday's tapioca. Add all of Friday's vanilla cake that was not used. Place in clean pans and serve rapidly on Saturday. — Trench and Camp.

Will Retain Old Flag.

The new Russian will retain the old flag, which has three horizontal stripes—white, blue and red. A few years ago the Imperial emblem, a black eagle on a yellow field, was placed in the upper left-hand corner of the flag, but the Provisional Government has ordered that it be removed.

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Plympton House Burnt

Petrolia, July 30.—During a violent thunderstorm yesterday afternoon a frame dwelling house on the farm belonging to George Anderson, Plympton and Enniskillen townships, was struck and burned to the ground. The contents were saved by the prompt assistance of neighbors. The building was insured in the Lambton Farmers' Mutual.

Many of the country weeklies are taking their usual holiday this week.

The Late Mrs Weir

From the St. Marys Journal

On Saturday last Mrs. John Weir, who had been in declining health for some time, passed quietly away in her 68th year. The deceased was a woman of a kind and winsome personality, which with her quiet demeanor and her lovable character won her the warmest friendship and the deepest respect of all who formed her acquaintance. She was a native of Lambton County and spent most of her life in Sarnia. Twelve years ago last June she became the wife of Mr. John Weir, who with his brother William resided at their home, "Cadzow Park," on Church St. South, one of the most delightful spots in St. Marys, and in those twelve years she has been the angel of that home, the loving wife of the one brother and the sister and nurse of the other. She was noted for her hospitality and her garden parties which for long years have been given her old friends, prominent among whom were the late William Johnston and Mrs. Johnston, were anxiously looked forward to each season. Her going out will be to that home as the fading of the garden's fairest flower in an untimely frost and her memory, sweet as the breath of Springtime, will hallow the empty halls where her footfall will nevermore be heard. Her aged husband has the warm sympathy of every citizen in his irretrievable loss.

Mrs. Weir was an active member of Knox church. Her only brother is Mr. Wesley Carter of Sarnia. She is survived by three sisters, Mrs. A. Thompson, of Lambton County, Mrs. Eli Taylor, of Brooke, and Mrs. Frank Ireland, of Flint, Mich., all of whom were present at the funeral, as was also Mr. Duncan Weir, of Forest. The remains were laid to rest in St. Marys Cemetery on Monday afternoon.

Some Municipal Figures

The municipal bulletin for 1917 issued by the Provincial Secretary's Department gives the following figures relating to this district—
POPULATION—Brooke 2,209, Warwick 2,544, Watford 1,115, Forest 1,421, Alvinston 708, Arkona 429, Petrolia 3,047.

Taxable Real Property and Land Buildings	Statutory and Property other Exemptions	Land Buildings	Land Buildings
Brooke 2,253,597	451,779	2,800	28,800
Warwick 2,112,435	326,025	2,250	46,500
Forest 139,393	415,808	6,750	53,145
Petrolia 391,860	794,890	30,800	295,100
Alvinston 59,925	216,960	1,700	43,100
Arkona 27,575	78,675	1,300	10,975
Watford 21,000	266,375	4,400	59,300

Kingsville public school has eight teachers. Ladies compose the entire staff.

Obituary

(From the Holton, Kansas, paper.)
Mary J. Reycraft was born Jan. 22, 1861, at Bothwell, Canada, and was called to her eternal rest Thursday morning, June 27, 1918.

When she was only twelve years of age her mother died, leaving in her care seven younger sisters and brothers. After her mother's death, she gave up all her own ambitions and devoted her all to taking her mother's place to care for the younger children. The six-months old baby has often said to them: "Sister Mary was mother," and he knew no one could love a mother more than he did her. In 1885, October 12, she was married to Robert Bateman, came with her husband to his farm near Holton, Kansas, where they have resided ever since. Having done so nobly in helping her father to raise his little motherless children, she was so well prepared to become the mother of Mr. Bateman's seven year-old daughter Lila.

To this union were born two daughters and one son, the son dying in infancy. At the age of fourteen she was confirmed and joined the Church of England. After coming to Kansas she transferred her membership to the Methodist church, at Bateman school house, the present Liberty M. E., to which she has proved true, and as long as health would permit, was active in church and Sunday school work.

Sixteen years ago Mrs. Bateman's health began to fail, but through all these years of suffering those with her most say they never heard her murmur or complain, always so appreciative and grateful for everything done for her.

Before and during her illness she always thought of others first. By her ever patience, kindness and goodness she won the love of all.

Those visiting her were always greeted with a smile and while there was seldom special mention made of the Saviour, who was so dear to her and in whom she placed all her faith and trust, to be in her presence one felt reflected the very goodness and love and made all feel that want to love and serve Christ better. She was a noble Christian woman.

Her companion said he never heard her say one unkind word about anyone, always speaking kindly of all. Her departing words to her dear family was to live so they could meet her in heaven. Requesting her daughters to write to her sisters and brothers the words, "Live to meet me in heaven." These departing words, and her much marked bible mean so much to the family.

She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, three daughters, Mrs. Chas. McBride, of Berthoud, Colo.; Mrs. Marion Shields, and Mrs. Wallace Stons, of Holton, Kansas; eight grand children and five brothers and one sister; one half-brother and two half sisters.

The funeral services were held at the residence three miles north of Holton, on Saturday, June 28, at four o'clock, and her body was laid to rest in Holton cemetery. Rev. Arthur W. Houts, her pastor, had charge of the service. The pallbearers were Fred Ott, S. C. Whitcraft, John Davis, Frank Strohwig, R. T. Shaw I. O. Armel, Miss Gray, Mrs. Boyce, Rev. Houts and Mr. Hardin sang two beautiful selections.

BORN

In Forest on Saturday, July 20th, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Campbell, a daughter.

In Saskatoon, Sask., on Thursday, July 25th, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Brown a daughter.

DIED

In Bosanquet, on Wednesday, July 17th, 1918, Catherine Tobin, wife of Mr. William Otton, in her 83rd year.

In Brooke, on Thursday, July 25th, 1918, Elizabeth Lucas, aged 72 years.

In Petrolia, on Friday, July 19, 1918, Thomas Melton, aged 55 years and 8 months.

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LOCAL HAPPENING

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes items of interest for this column. Please send by mail or in person to the Editor.

GUARANTEED Ford size Tire \$16.00 up.—R. MORNINGSTAR.

Quite a few of the soldier's st at Carling Heights are home of leave.

A WOMAN can add a certain attraction to even overalls, but she look pretty in them.

TWO RINKS of Watford bowlers to Petrolia on Wednesday to take the annual tournament.

BERT FULCHER had a hardwood placed in his barber shop on civic day, thus making the place more full and comfortable.

Chain letters are to be barred fr United States mails. If this is measure, most persons will agree th conflict has its compensations.

L. D. CALDWELL, agent for the York Life Insurance Co. at Sarnia a five day trip to New York in a contest for writing up insurance.

LADIES REUSED WOOL Sweater—SWIFT'S.

TINKER WERE MORE blistered and lame backs in Watford last than for many a day, the result of neighboring farmers reap and d

THE RED CROSS advertises that "want women to mend." But women don't need mending; they' right as they are.—New York Ev Sun.

PRAYERS FOR PEACE marked the anniversary of Britain's entrance in war in the Watford churches on A 4th. The day being very hot the regations were not large.

SIR GEORGE GIBBONS, of London the most prominent barristers in ada, died suddenly in a Montreal ho Thursday of last week. He had undergone a minor operation.

THE AVERAGE TEMPERATURE fo week as recorded at the London we bureau was 96.3 degrees, the mini 61 and the maximum 106.6, both occ on the same day, Tuesday, Aug. 6.

THE MANY FRIENDS of Lieut. Binks will be sorry to hear that wounds are of a serious nature. has been received that he had on amputated and one arm badly wou

THE HYDRO SYSTEM has now bee use for twelve months and users are pleased with the service. The bill continuous service are considerable than for the limited service provide the old system.

CONSOLIDATED RURAL SCHOOL one of the measures advocated by new Minister of Education. Where are in operation they prove of im benefit to the pupils and consequent the community.

A MEETING of the members of Watford Fruit Growers Association be held in the Fire Hall, Watford, Saturday, August 24th, at 3 o'clock. members are requested to attend.—H McKenzie, Secretary.

THE MERCHANTS BANK is giving a to its former customers who make a cation, a complete farmer's account b classified headings for all requi ments for keeping tab on all farm t actions. Call and get a copy.

LADIES AND MEN'S Motor Coats Caps.—SWIFT'S.

A VERY quiet civic holiday was s in Watford there being no special at ion. A number of people motored to lakeside or to see friends, while o went to help with the harvest. The was excessively hot.

MRS. MEAD has received a cableg from Mr. Mead, saying that he has t boarded for Canada. Mr. Mead has been well for some time, but it is h that the rest and care of home will s fix him up again.—Thamesville Hera

TEN CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTORS v sentenced to ten years in prison by Mr Lewis, at the Niagara camp last Satur the sentences by the general c martial to penal servitude for life ha been lessened as above.

A RINK of Watford bowlers, skip by Capt. Stapleford, won a prize of pieces of cut glass at the Sarnia tou ment last week. The rink was comp ed of Capt. and S. Stapleford, J. Irv W. J. Tremouth.

By an official order of the Uni States War Industries Board, which the force and effect of a statute, all U papers must discontinue the delivery free copies. It has been the custom newspapers to exchange with each ot and now that is unlawful.

MR. AND MRS. J. E. ARMSTRONG, Petrolia will have the sincere sympa of their friends here, in the death their daughter, Genevieve, which occ ed on the 4th inst., from what appea to be ptomaine poisoning.