

THE MILDWAY GAZETTE

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MILDMAY, ONT., THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1929

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Quality and Price guaranteed if you buy your Groceries at Phelan's.

Plan for reserved seats for "Eyes of Love" at Phelan's Store.

Mrs. G. Howe of London is visiting her mother, Mrs. Geo. Weber, who is ill.

Blue Water Boys Orchestra Monday, May 6th, Town Hall, Mildmay. Auspices Football Club. Special prizes given. Everybody welcome.

16 Yorkshire Pigs, 5 weeks old, for sale. Henry Polfuss.

If you enjoy good Coffee, try Maxwell House 75c lb., at Phelan's.

C. J. Kunkel has for sale this week a number of benches, suitable for lawn or porch.

A Social Dance will be held in the Parish Hall on Thursday evening, May 2nd. Dancing 5 to 1. Good four-piece orchestra. Everybody welcome!

Sugar Crisp Cookies, 2 lbs. for 25c, at Phelan's.

Mr. Chas. Biggart of Toronto called on friends here last week.

Kitchen Stove and Heater for sale, at very low prices. Apply at this office.

Mr. Jos. Lobsinger, of Detroit, was home over the week-end on a visit to his parents.

Girls Wanted, for factory work. Apply to Royal-Sterling Products Ltd., Harriston, Ontario.

Miss Blanche Traynor, of Durham, has again taken a position in Eickmeyer's ice cream parlor.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Liesemer were at Ca'donia on Monday, where the former attended a convention of Gypsum dealers.

Miss Winnifred Schuett is home on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schuett, after spending the winter at Miami Beach, Florida.

If you need a summer kitchen stove, come in and look over our stock of used stoves. Prices ranging from \$5 to \$25. Liesemer & Kalbfleisch.

Mr. Stephan and Miss Sarah Bickel were in Toronto attending a graduation exercise of the Toronto Bible College. Their sister, Miss Martha Bickel was one of the graduates.

Order your Leghorn Chicks, 15c for May and June delivery NOW. Our strain is the Large Leghorn (4 lbs. and up). Get our catalogue for rearing and brooding instructions. Hendrick Poultry Farm, Hanover.

The engagement is announced of Miss Clara Herrgott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Herrgott of Mildmay, to Mr. Roman Hanush, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hanush of Wheatly, the marriage to take place in May.

Mrs. J. V. Berscht of Didsbury, Alta., and Mrs. Louis Kalbfleisch of Three Hills, Alta., are spending a few weeks with relatives here. Their brother, Alvin Liesemer, who has been in the West for the past ten years, accompanied them.

Mrs. A. L. Oberle, who is disposing of her household effects by public sale on Thursday, expects to leave early in June to join her husband at Alaska. Mr. Oberle went to Alaska last fall, has a good position there and likes the country fairly well.

Misses W. H. Reuber and Louis Ruetz are driving new Chevrolet Sedans, sixes; Jos. W. Sauer a Chev. Cabriolet, and P. M. Lobsinger a Chevrolet Coach. These sales were made with the assistance of P. M. Lobsinger, sub-agent for J. H. Brown of Teeswater. Reich, Beitz and Oliver Harrison purchased used cars through the same agency.

Clark—Lora, art of my art. Hi think you're adorable.
Lora—Hol hi say?
Clark—And beautiful.
Lora—Oh, Arty! Ho test?
Clark—I ope I may croak.
Lora—So do I. Arty have you go any nice good jokes? Even the sky-crappers falls for it. Flatter 'em boss, fitter 'em. There are plenty of jokes in "Eyes of Love" to be presented on May 10th by the Y. P. of the United Church.

BORN

HOSSFELD—In Carrick, on April 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hossfeld, a son.

Mr. Geo. Helwig moved his household effects to Harriston last Saturday.

Mrs. Ervin Woolner of Milverton spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wickie.

The Formosa Dramatic Society staged their play "Peg O' My Heart" at Hepworth on Monday evening.

Mildmay business men have made no move as yet toward arranging a weekly half holiday during the summer months.

Mr. H. C. Evans of Toronto, formerly accountant in the Bank of Montreal here, spent the week-end in Mildmay.

Henry Kreitz is prepared to take in twenty head of cattle for pasture on his farm on the 8th concession of Culross. Phone Teeswater 46r13.

Mr. H. Clarke, manager of the James and Barton Street Branch of the Bank of Montreal at Hamilton, spent the week-end with friends at Mildmay.

Mrs. Wm. Duffy returned home last Saturday from Toronto where she spent the winter months. Her daughter, Miss Vera, will remain in the city.

Mrs. Frank Fischer is moving this week to her newly purchased home at Kitchener. She will be followed by the good wishes of a great many friends here.

Mr. W. G. Tramer, manager of the Bank of Montreal, is moving this week to Mr. B. Goetz's residence on Apsalton street, recently vacated by George Helwig.

There is a possibility that there will be some change effected in the post office department with regard to the payment of rural mail carriers which may work out to their advantage.

Mr. Albert J. Schurr, who has been living in Formosa since last fall, left for Pangman, Sask., last Thursday. He has extensive interests there, and will probably spend part of the summer in the West.

Liesemer & Kalbfleisch report the following sales this week:—Essex Sedan to Anthony Opperman of Formosa, Used Ford Business Coupe to A. W. Underhill, New Ford Coupe to P. Huber of Kitchener, and a Ford Tudor to D. Eickmeier.

Mr. Henry Ervat, who has disposed of his property here to Mr. Louis Koehler of Carrick, purpose leaving in about two weeks to spend the summer with relatives in Alberta and Oregon. Mr. Koehler has leased the property to Oliver Harverson for the summer.

Rev. N. D. Sinclair, formerly of Belmore, who has been pastor of the Tiverton Presbyterian Church for eight years, has received a call to the Allandale-Strand Churches, near Barrie. Rev. Mr. Sinclair has been active in educational affairs of Bruce since coming to this county.

Farmers in this section, who are being held up in their seeding operations by the excessive moisture, are having an easy time of it compared to the farmers of Middlesex county, where the soil is very stiff clay. April was very wet in that section, and practically no spring work has been done.

Auction Sale
The household effects of the late Mrs. Christina Schwehr will be sold by public auction at her late residence in Formosa on Wednesday, May 15th. John Strauss, auctioneer.

Repairing Power Dam
The Walkerton Electric Light & Power Co., in spite of persistent rumors to the effect that negotiations are in progress for the sale of their plants in Bruce County to the Hydro Electric Commission, have commenced the work of repairing the big power dam at Walkerton. The power here is very weak, and local users will be glad to have an improvement in service as soon as possible.

Blasting Does Little Good
The Carrick Council, in an effort to let off the big pond of water that has accumulated on the 6th concession, and has blocked that road for traffic, engaged Steph. Weingart and Grant to blast a few holes in the ground on the roadside, where the water is about ten feet deep. Reeve Weiler and Road Supt. Weigel assisted Weingart, and they put in three heavy shots that tore the ground up terribly and made an awful splash, but the water has not yet showed any signs of diminishing.

TOWN HALL, HARRISTON

Friday and Saturday, May 3 and 4 "Mother Machree" with Victor McLagen, Belle Bennett; "Thrilling Moments" featuring Jack Dempsey, Gene Tunney, Tom Heeny and others. Admission 25c, Children 15c. Two Shows Both Nights: 7.15 and 8.15 p. m.

Monday and Tuesday, May 6 and 7 2 Features: "Night of Love" with Vilma Banky and Ronald Coleman; and "Beware of Bachelors" with an all star cast. Time table: "Night of Love" at 7.15, "Beware of Bachelors" at 8.45. "Night of Love" at 4.00. No advance in price for these special programs. Adults 30c, Children 15c. Watch next week's Gazette for date on Talkies.

Car of No. 1 Western Feed Oats will be in on Thursday to sell at 60c. Phone 43-W for special price off car. J. A. Goetz.

Gravelling Contract
The contract of gravelling Adam street, Mildmay, will be let at the village clerk's office on Saturday afternoon, April 6th, at 2 o'clock.

Live Stock Prices Improve
Farmers who have cattle and hogs to sell will learn with a good deal of satisfaction that live stock prices are improving considerably. Cattle prices have soared nearly 1 cent per pound, and hogs are selling around the \$12 mark.

Paid First Pavement Debenture
Mildmay's debenture debt was reduced \$725.83 on the first of May, when the first pavement debenture became due. John Weiler held this debenture. The interest account on these debentures amounted to \$1200, making a total payment of \$1925.83.

Teviotdale Paving Contract
It will be interesting news to motorists to learn that the Provincial Highway from Harriston to Teviotdale will be paved this season. The contract has already been awarded, and we learn that the work will be proceeded with in the very near future. This piece of road was in very bad shape this spring.

Chicken Case on Friday
The charge of chicken stealing preferred against Tony Koehler and Bernard Ruland of DeGermerton, will be heard before Magistrate Walker at Walkerton on Friday afternoon at 2.30. Koehler is out on bail, but Barney will remain in the Bruce bastille until Friday. The arrests were made by Provincial Constables Neilson and Denton.

Obtains Teeswater Contract
L. H. Koenig & Co. has accepted the contract of rebuilding Adam Little's power dam in the village of Teeswater, and started on the job this week. It is expected that the total cost of the work will exceed two thousand dollars. Concrete contractors will be the busiest men in the county this year, as there will be an abundance of work.

Play Was Well Given
The Formosa Dramatic Club presented their play "Peg O' My Heart" to a capacity audience here last Friday evening under the auspices of the Mildmay Horticultural Society.

Miss Moran in the roll of "Peg" was exceptionally clever, and her work brought forth hearty applause. Leo Oberle, in the part of Jerry, is worthy of special mention, while A. W. Underhill, in the part of Mr. Brent, contributed largely to the success of the play. Cyril Beingsner, playing the part of Larry, the wayward son of Mrs. Chichester, was very efficient, and his work was much appreciated. Other members of the cast, all of whom were worthy of special mention, were: Miss Georgina Kuntz as Mrs. Chichester; Miss Dentinger as her daughter, Ethel Chichester; Mr. Weiss as the legal adviser of Peg; Miss Oberle as the maid, and Mr. Voisin as the butler in the aristocratic Chichester household. The Mildmay Harmonica orchestra delighted the audience during the intervals with splendid selections. The Misses Dentinger contributed fine piano duets, and Mr. Underhill entertained the audience with humorous songs to his own accompaniment on the ukulele. The play was given under the direction of Rev. Father Brick, to whose masterful training is due much of its success. The total proceeds amounted to about \$100.

Mortgage for sale—\$4800 on choice 100 acre farm in Carrick for June 1st. Apply to J. A. Johnston

Jim is one of the star players in "Eyes of Love." Jim—I got a no place to sleep, no place to set a down last night. I go plenty of work. Now I walk a an' walk-a. I break-a da heart. I sell-a da mon-a da poor lotta Jacko for do beefsteak. I eat-a honk-y. I go-a da pain in da stom'. I work you give-a me da spaghetti?

Auction Sale
Of Household Effects at Formosa, on Thursday afternoon, May 2nd. A. L. Oberle, proprietor; J. Strauss, auctioneer.

Don't Take a Chance
Every motorist that values his own physical and financial safety should put on protective insurance. See J. A. Johnston for rates and all particulars.

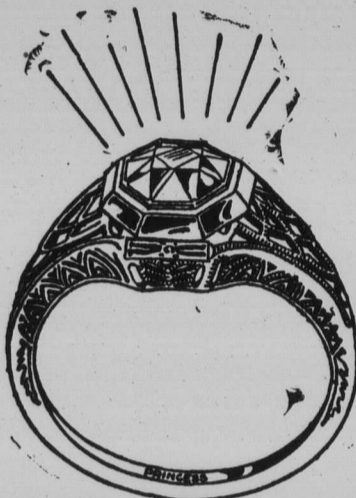
Village Property for Sale
Mrs. Nicholas Kreitz is offering her fine property on Apsalton Street, Mildmay for sale. There are two acres of land, 1 1/2 storey brick veneered house, good stable and garden. An ideal home for a retired farmer, and the price is reasonable. Apply to Mrs. Kreitz or at this office.

Agricultural Representative Moved
Mr. W. K. Riddell, B.S.A., who has been Agricultural Representative in Bruce County for the past three years, has been transferred to the County of Middlesex, with headquarters at London. Mr. Riddell has managed the affairs of his office in a most capable manner, and through-out the whole county there is sincere regret at his removal. His successor will be Mr. Forsythe of Lanark County.

Attended Golden Wedding
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnston were at Glauce this week attending the golden wedding of the latter's parents. Mr. and Mrs. William Innes, which took place on Tuesday. All the members of the family were present, and made their parents the recipients of two valuable gold watches and a basket of fifty daffodils. On Tuesday afternoon from three to six, a reception was held, at which nearly one hundred friends and relatives called to express their congratulations and good wishes. Both Mr. and Mrs. Innes are in splendid health.

Returns After 47 Years
Mr. John Eby of Sheboygan, Wis., one of the early residents of Mildmay, paid a visit to Mildmay last week after an absence of 47 years. Mr. Eby, who is a son of the late Lemuel Eby, who carried on business as a custom tailor here from 1877 to about 1890. He came here with his parents in 1877 from Drayton, and commenced an apprenticeship in the bricklaying and stonemason trade with his brother-in-law, the late George Hamner about 1880. In 1882 he left Mildmay and went to Sheboygan, and has done well at his business. He is now able to retire, and he is apparently still in good health. His wife died a few years ago, and his family are all grown up and married, so he decided to take a trip back to Mildmay where he spent his boyhood days. He found very few of his former acquaintances here, but he had a fine time with his former employer, Postmaster Kramer. Mr. Eby was in Mr. Kramer's employ during part of the time he was learning his trade here, and they found many interesting things to talk about that occurred half a century ago.

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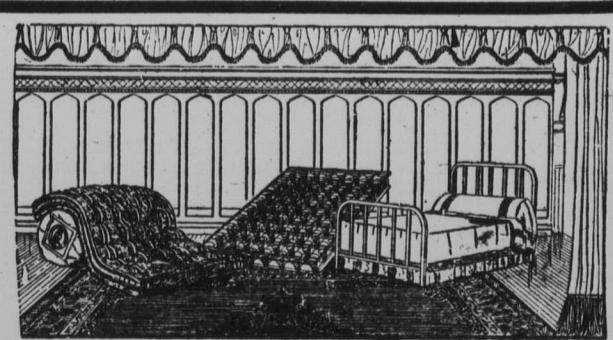
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Rio Coffee 2 1/2 lbs. for \$1.00	Moth Balls 15c lb.	Sandwich Spread 23c	Talcum 19c
\$1.00 Face Powder 49c	25c Writing Pads 19c	75c Tea 59c lb.	\$1.00 Safety Razors 69c
\$1.00 Compacts 50c	15c Envelopes 2 for 25c	LINSEED OIL Soap 5 lb. for \$1.00	\$1.00 Blood Purifier 69c
10c Toilet Soap 5 for 25c	50c Chocolates 39c	25c Vanilla 15c	\$1.00 Box Bon-Bons 49c
50c Stationery 35c	50c Tooth Paste 39c	15c Pork & Beans 3 for 29c	25c Tooth Brushes 19c
25c Cold Tablets 19c	5c Plain Scribblers 12 for 25c	75c Flashlights 69c	25c Stomach Tablets 19c
25c Combs 19c	\$1.00 Ex. Cod Liver Oil 79c	40c lb. Humbugs 29c	50c Digestive Tablets 39c



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The minutes went by slowly. To Cayley, lying hidden in the undergrowth of the foot of his tree, a new world was opening. Suppose Cayley had to make more than one journey that night? He might be able to find them in the boat. His eyes were fixed on the boat as he considered these things, and suddenly, as if materialized from nowhere, Cayley was standing by the boat. In his hand was a small brown bag. Cayley put the bag in the bottom of the boat, stepped in, and using an oar as a punt-pole, pushed slowly off. Then, very silently, he rowed toward the middle of the pond.

I've forgotten
I ever had my nerves

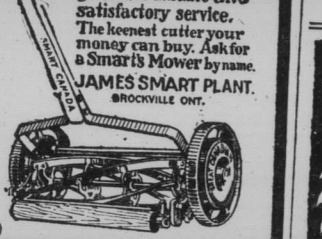


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Easy to use Perfect results

Bill pulled off his shirt and trousers and stood up.

"You mustn't dive from the boat," the old boy said Antony hastily. "You'll shift its position. Slide in gently." Bill slid in from the stern and swam slowly round to Antony.

"What's it like?" said Antony. "Cold. Well, here's luck to it." He gave a sudden kick, flashed for a moment in the water, and was gone.

Bill gazed another kick and disappeared. Antony looked at his watch and saw that it was half past three. He had heard the boatmen talking and had seen the boatmen talking.

Bill picked a handkerchief from his pocket and wiped his forehead. He was a little out of breath.

"Good man," he paddled to the side, took one end of the string and the other end of the string and the other end of the string.

"I suppose I'd better read them," he said. "I mean, just to see—" He looked inquiringly at Bill, who nodded.

"What do you make of it?" Bill shook his head, and asked another question.

"Anything else there?"

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Antony felt in the bag for the keys. He found them. He took them out and looked at them. They were the keys to the office.

"What's the difference between a man looking upstairs, and a woman looking upstairs?—The man stares up; the woman steps upstairs."

"Give me the fourth commandment." "Look it and flashed it over the ground between them.

"But why should he want to throw it away?" "Because it has now done its work, whatever it was, and he wants to wash his hands of the passage. He'd throw the passage away if he could.

"Do you recognize it?" he asked. "Mark's brown flannel suit."

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Evidence in Murder Case Led to Fresh Investigation

Paris.—A dramatic scene occurred at Havre recently when a former hairdresser who had been sent in chains to Devil's Island (the notorious French penal settlement) in 1915 on a charge of having betrayed his country, stepped from the ship a free man, completely rehabilitated by the highest courts of France after having been kept a prisoner for eleven years.

The man, Henri Bellon, now aged 31, was the victim of an incredible drama every bit as strange as that of Captain Dreyfus, one of the most notorious instances of a miscarriage of justice ever known.

NEW TRIAL

In the case of Henri Bellon, the establishment of his innocence is due to a murder trial in Paris that had no connection with the hairdresser's alleged offence. It was evidence obtained at this murder trial that secured for Bellon a new trial which ended in his acquittal.

Bellon's case is one of the most extraordinary in the history of military and civil jurisprudence. He had been invalided out of the army in 1914 seriously wounded, and resumed his profession of hairdresser and wig-maker. He went to Geneva to buy women's hair-nets. There he met a naturalized American named Stanley Mitchell, a Pole by birth, who was working in Switzerland for the French counter-espionage service.

TREASON CHARGE

When Bellon returned to France he was arrested on the charge of treason, tried before a court-martial at Versailles in the latter part of 1915, and on Mitchell's testimony, which was entirely hearsay, was sentenced to Devil's Island for life.

Bellon protested his innocence, and wrote hundreds of letters of appeals to the League for the Rights of Men in Paris but the War Minister refused to authorize a new trial.

Years passed, and one night in the autumn of 1925 Bellon was reading a three months' old copy of the Paris "Matin" by candle light in his hut in the penal settlement. As his eyes glanced down the columns of the newspaper a cry escaped him. He was reading about the trial of a Paris caretaker, Lazare Tissier, for the murder of a bookmaker named Bellay in his cellar in the heart of Paris.

The murderer afterwards took the body to the Bois du Boulogne.

PERFECT CASE

The police case against the caretaker was perfect except that they had not the slightest evidence to show how the body had been taken to the Bois. At a critical point in the police investigation Stanley Mitchell, who had a long police record in France, suddenly appeared and declared that he had seen the caretaker hauling the body in a pushcart.

Mitchell stated that he had been released from prison the previous day, had spent the night in Montmartre, and then had gone to the Bois, where, waking up early in the morning, he saw the caretaker passing with the body.

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Man-Made Plant May Prove Rich

Experiments Being Carried on in West of England are Promising

BIG MEN BACK IT

Would Upset Silk and the Newsprint Markets—May Be Patented

London.—If the hopes of its backers come true, "brotex"—a man-invented plant like the seedless cabbage and the bromberg—may give an entirely new and paying crop to the British farmer and revolutionize the artificial silk industry.

Brotex is the result of long work on a farm in the west of England which has been carefully fenced off and which for a long time excited the wonder and curiosity of neighboring farmers. It is a plant evolved by a very complicated series of graftings and blendings, possessing the range of qualities of tropical vegetation and yet capable of being grown even in a comparatively cold country like England. It grows from seed and matures rapidly, within 18 months attaining a height of from 8 to 10 feet and a stem circumference of from 8 to 10 inches.

Its inventors claim that the seed makes a richly nutritious food. From the bark is obtained a fibre for all kinds of textile purposes similar to those of flax and jute. From the core of the plant is obtained a cellulose for paper making.

It is claimed that an acre of these plants will yield 2,735 pounds of fibre ready for hankling in a textile mill, 12,030 pounds of material ready to be made into paper pulp and 5,265 pounds of seed for cattle feed.

BIG MEN BACK IT

A company has already been formed for its promotion in England. On its advisory council are such prominent men as Sir Robert Horne, former chancellor of the exchequer, and the Earl of Selborne. The corporation now has two big questions before its patent lawyers.

First, whether it is possible to patent the plant itself, so that all and sundry may not grow it.

Second, the question of patenting chemical processes and machinery specially designed to utilize brotex products for textiles and paper making.

If the patent itself can be protected by patent or license it can then be grown only with the permission of the company. If this cannot be done, the company still expects to make big revenue out of brotex by pushing the patents of the special chemical and mechanical processes involved in making it useful in industry. A subsidiary company may shortly be formed in Canada.

BIG FIELD

If the plant does all its owners claim for it, there is a big field for development. In many textile products now manufactured from flax and jute now form an important part.

So far the experiments with brotex cellulose have shown it capable only of being made into a fine quality of paper. So far no work has been done showing whether it is useful and economical in the making of newsprint paper.

The promoters do not claim it can be made into newsprint. They content themselves by saying they are hopeful that further experiments may show possibilities in that direction.

Rum-Running a National Disgrace

Toronto Star (Can.): The intimation appearing in a Toronto morning paper that Ottawa has reached an agreement with Washington that will enable the United States to deal a death-blow to rum-running would be gratifying, if true. Unfortunately, it is far from the truth, and unless the Government of the country takes more seriously its responsibility for coping with the scandalous conditions existing along the border, the neighboring relations between Canada and the United States may be impaired.

Civil Service Salaries

Saskatoon Star-Phoenix (Lib.): The question of salaries in the service is an important one for the whole country. Governments come and go, but the greater part of the actual work of running the public services is done by the permanent staffs. The efficiency of this army of workers is a matter of moment to every citizen and probably counts for just as much in the life of the country as the party stripes of the Government in office. To underpay employees is certainly not the way to secure diligent and faithful work from them.

Provincial Surpluses

Halifax Herald (Cons.): We hear a great deal about surpluses in the other provinces of the Dominion, but it is seen that without the proceeds of the sale of liquor, all the provinces have deficits, some of them very heavy. This is a fact to be remembered when provincial finances are under discussion.

Stout woman (to little boy)—"Can you tell me if I can get through this gate to the park?" Little Boy—"I guess so; a load of hay has just gone through."

Interesting Angle On Public Health

In discussing the question of the need for full-time health service in rural as well as urban areas there are some phases of the problem which one is likely to forget. One realizes, of course, that theoretically certain diseases, for example, typhoid fever and diphtheria, are definitely preventable and that with proper attention to children many of the ailments of later life may be prevented. One often forgets, however, the part that the physician must play in this and the training he must have if he is to be completely effective.

Past generations of physicians have been trained in the school of curative medicine, and in spite of the knowledge which makes their effective in the curative sphere, too frequently, if not generally, their attitude has been in accord with that of the general public. The public wait to consult a physician until incipient disease has become serious. And the doctor waits for the serious disease to come to his office, making little or no effort to prevent it.

The physician of the future will pay greater attention to prevention, and in prevention the health officer must be a specialist, trained by special departments to do special work; and, when the physician trained to do this special work graduates from his medical school, there must be adequately paid and responsible positions ready for him. Otherwise he will not desire to take the special training which is essential if he is to carry on in a career which will mean much to the community in which he does his life work.

Dr. J. G. Fitzgerald, Professor of Hygiene and Preventive Medicine in the University of Toronto, pointed out in a recent interview the significance of this phase of the question. At present in spite of the work of great philanthropies, such as the Rockefeller Foundation, in founding special schools for the teaching of hygiene and preventive medicine, the prospective health officer has little ahead of him to encourage him to embark on a public health career. Training he can get, if at the end of his medical course there is nothing but a position in Ceylon or China available for him, it is little wonder if he hesitates to depart from the conventional ways pursued by previous generations. It is not too much to say that if the county health unit scheme is successful, the stimulus given to the teaching of preventive medicine will be immediate and the number of medical graduates prepared to pursue a public health career will be increased. Within a reasonable time the effect on the average health of our citizens will be far more striking than most of us imagine.

Toronto's Food Well Guarded

Care Taken by Health Department Should Interest Outside Places

OF VALUE TO HEALTH

First—Toronto's milk supply, from the standpoint of quality and safety, is second to no other on the continent. Every quart of milk that has been sold in Toronto for the past ten years at least has contained the necessary proportions of butter fat and total solids to constitute a whole milk as obtained from the cow. In addition to this, 99 1/2 per cent. of the milk supply is scientifically pasteurized and then put into sterilized bottles which are capped, all by machinery, so that the human hand cannot come in contact with the milk from its pasteurization until it reaches the consumer. 1/4 of 1 per cent. that is not scientifically pasteurized is certified.

Second—All waiters and waitresses in restaurants in Toronto, and those engaged in the kitchen preparing food, are required to furnish to the Department of Public Health a certificate from a legally qualified medical practitioner, that they are not suffering from any communicable disease, and also to certify that they have not been suffering from any communicable disease in their homes or in the homes in which they board or lodge.

Third—Toronto's perishable foods are carefully safeguarded at every point by a rigid system of inspection, from the producer to the consumer.

Fourth—All foods that are not protected by a peel, or that are not going to be submitted to a temperature sufficient to destroy all disease-producing germs before being eaten, are required to be efficiently protected from dust, dirt, human and animal contamination.

The current Mexican war seems to be creating about as much impression on the hard-boiled world as the recurrent comic opera affairs in China. A junior clerk was "on the carpet," and at the conclusion of his wiggling, he was told to get rid of the supercilious air. Next morning, he appeared at the office with his hair cut.

Nurse: "Bobby, what would your father say if he saw you'd broken that branch off?" Bobby: "He'd say trees are not so well made now as they were before the war."

Sport Again Becoming Popular in Motherland



WINNERS IN LADIES' CYCLE RACE IN ENGLAND

Miss E. Armstrong, winner, and Miss Bennett, runner-up, in the ladies' race which was a feature of the Marlborough A.C.'s Easter Monday race meet at Herne Hill.

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WIT AND HUMOR

"What a sad looking book store."
"Why? Because it has panes in the window?"
"No, the books are in tiers."

Dressed in Stockings
Mother—What kind of a show did papa take you to see while you were in the city?
Bobbie—It was a dandy show, mamma, with ladies dressed in stockings clear up to their necks.

An Oriental paper, having an English section, printed the following notice:
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Covering the Situation
Visitor—I hardly know what to do with my "week" end.
Native—I suggest that you put a hat on it.

Teacher—Don't you know that punctuation means to pause?
Willie—Sure. An auto punctuated a tire in front of our house yesterday and the driver paused for an hour.

Pedestrian—What's the shortest way to the emergency hospital?
Cop—Just stand right where you are.

Geats must be masculine. They always get rattled at the touch of a feminine hand.

Cross and short-sighted Old Lady in antique shop: "And here, I suppose, is another of the horrible portraits you call 'art!'"
"Excuse me, madam," said the shop-keeper, quietly, "but that's a mirror."

"Men," writes the wife of one of them, "have entirely too high an opinion of themselves, when you consider that, according to scientific investigation, the ingredients of the

average man are: fat enough for seven bars of soap, iron for a medium sized nail, sugar enough to fill a shaker, lime enough to whiten a chicken coup of small size, sufficient phosphorus to make heads for a handful of matches, and a few other things, which, altogether, are worth about 38 cents.

A Mere Nothing
Mike—Were you ever struck by lightning, Pat?
Pat—I don't remember. A man that's been married ten years don't remember such trifles as that.

You can begin swatting any time now—first with the carpet beater, though.

Styles are funny
In women's dresses, they cost her more
But you see less!

Surely this is the last one. The definition of "rigid economy" is "a dead Scotchman."

No matter how much a man may boast of the speed of his car, he dislikes to have his claims confrated by a motor-cycle cop.

A lady asks the editor of a woman's page "why dentitas persits in talking to you when you are in the chair." Perhaps it is because you are in the chair, and require entertainment during the treatment. But it must be hard on the lady not to be able to talk back whenever she wants to.

Paris thunders: "Girls be thin." And the beanpole shape comes in. London, in due time observes: "Ladies, it is time for curves." And at once, no whif confounded, Ad the girls are sweetly rounded. Women are a fickle sex, Now concave and now convex: Sometimes tiny, sometimes bigger, Fluctuating as to figger; Watching with observant glance London, England; Paris, France.

What Price Isolation?
This is a story about a typical Tennessee mountaineer who naitways remained tacked away in the hills, and who at the age of 42 still lived in the very shack in which he had been born. This mounta home

was 50 miles from a railroad and 8 miles from the closest neighbor's habitation. This Tennessee had had never seen a locomotive a street car, an automobile, nor even a two story house.

One day there came to his cabin a pedlar who carried in his pack many things which the mountaineer had never seen before, among them a hand-mirror.

"How did you get hold of that?" cried this Tennessee mountaineer. "Tract's a picture uv my Pap." The peddler did not explain but when the mountaineer had purchased some other things he gave him the mirror, and it became one of his most valued possessions. Each day he looked at his father's picture and then looked it carefully in a chest, showing it to no one.

Then one day his wife came upon his keys in the pocket of his extra sweater. She had long wished to know what it was that he concealed so she opened the chest with the key and found the mirror.
"So," she muttered as she looked into it, "so that's the old hag he's been chasing around after, eh?"

FIND BODY OF ACCIDENT VICTIM

After defying efforts of scores of townspeople who sought and probed diligently for two weeks, the Matland river yielded the body of Jack Burgman at 6.45 o'clock on Wednesday morning to a so-called diving rod.

The victim, who was swept to his death in the flood of April 6th, was found beneath the upper and lower dams in about five feet of water. It was lying almost invisible, although the water was clear and calm, on the bottom of the stream. Mr. Neil of Kingsville claims he caught a glimpse of the body after his diving rod, which he held from a boat, dipped.

Mr. Neil had been searching for the body since the previous Friday, when he went to Wingham at the request of Mr. W. F. Burgman, the lad's father. Mr. Burgman had almost given up hope after 13 days of search, when a friend in Cargill whose son was drowned a few years ago and whose body was subsequently found by a diving rod urged him to call on Mr. Neil. Mr. Neil patrolled the river each day in a boat, but his rod until Wednesday gave no sign, although the spot where the body was found was crossed on Sunday.

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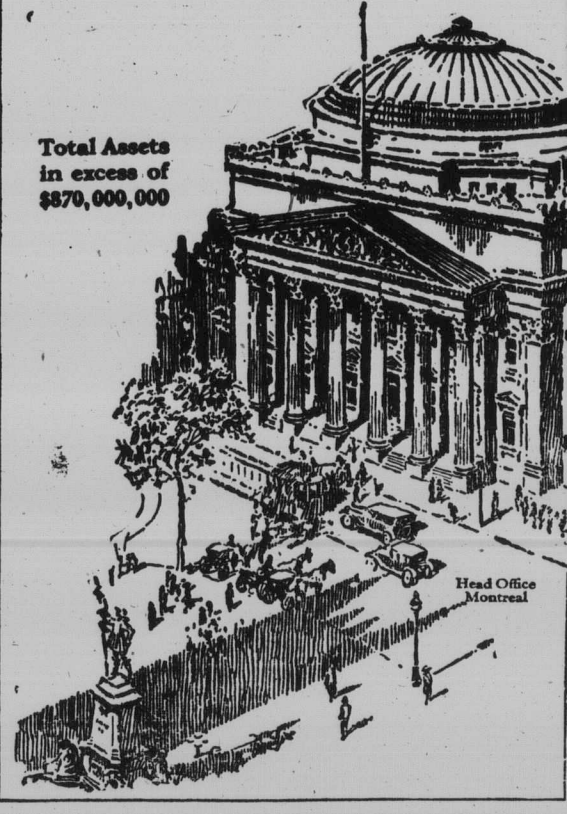
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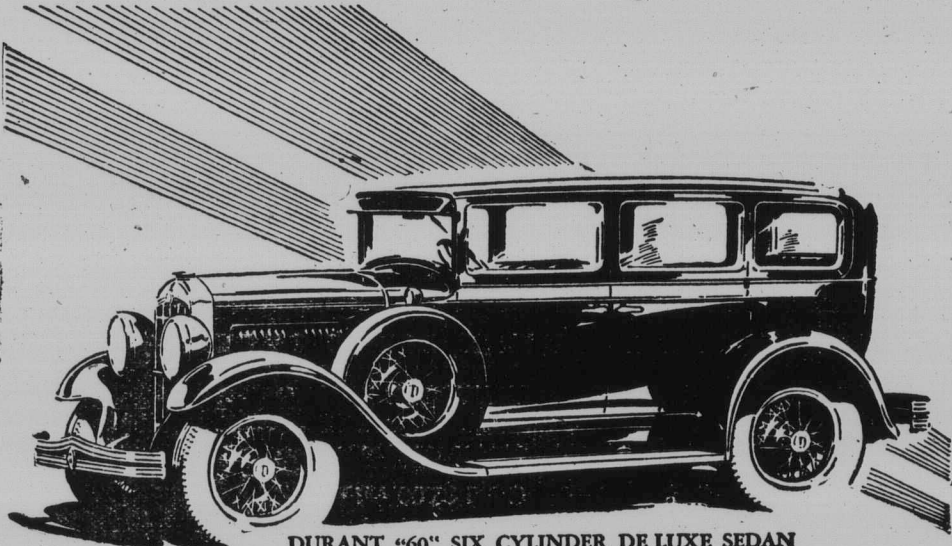
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he and two other boys were thrown into the water when a boat capsized. Two of the boys were saved but the Burgman lad was carried under by the strong current.
The funeral of the lad took place on Thursday afternoon at Wingham.

INQUEST ON DEAD BABY

Coroner Dr. A. H. Hough of Wiar-ton presided at the inquest Tuesday into the death of the boy infant found in the creek near Taylor St. on Monday last week. Following the empanelling of the jury the evidence was taken. The police officers testified that no clue had been found as to who had placed the body in the water. Dr. Hay's evidence went to show that the infant lived after its birth, later coming to its death through bleeding, strangulation or suffocation. The child had not been drowned as was shown by the condition of the lungs which were free from water. He further went on to say that it is very possible in his opinion that the child had met its death as long as two or three months previous to the time it was found in the creek, stating that it would be quite possible for the body to have been preserved in the condition in which it was found for such a length of time by burying it in the snow and ice. Dr. Hay did not think that the remains of the baby had been in the body for more than twenty-four hours when found. The verdict brought in by the jury was in sympathy with the evidence given by Dr. Hay.—Wiar-ton Echo.

SHERIFF GOING BLIND

The many friends of Sheriff Jermy-n of Bruce will learn with regret that he was unable to take his place at the recent spring assizes at Walkerton on account of gradually losing his sight. Sheriff Jermy-n has been a prominent figure in the public life of Bruce for several decades. If his sight does not improve, and there is not much likelihood of that as he has been afflicted with diabetes for over 2 years, he may resign the shrievalty, a position which is worth about \$3,200 a year. He twice opposed C. M. Bowman for the Provincial Legislature in North Bruce and was appointed to his present position on the death of the late sheriff, C. V. Parke.—Chesley Enterprise.

If you know how to spend less than you get, you have the philosopher's stone.

ACCIDENT ON COUNTY LINE

(Wiar-ton Canadian Echo)

What might have proved a fatal accident took place in the early hours of last Friday morning not far from town. Mr. Norman Gildner, the new proprietor of the Pacific Hotel, with Mr. Ed. Pettman, had made a trip to Owen Sound to try out a new Dodge Sedan. It was something after midnight when they reached a spot about two and a half miles south of Wiar-ton, and Mr. Gildner drove too close to the edge of the road. He lost control on striking the side of a concrete culvert, and the car skidded into the ditch, turning over several times before landing at a spot some forty feet from where it had left the road.

Both occupants were thrown out unconscious and lay for some hours on the side of the road in that condition. On regaining their senses they struggled to reach town though it is a marvel how they did it, and eventually got to Dr. Scott's office around 6.30 a. m. With clothing badly torn and blood streaming from their wounds, they presented a woe ful sight. Mr. Pettman was most seriously injured and required 2 stitches to close the wounds in his scalp. Fears were at first expressed as to internal injuries, but these have happily not been realized, although he was badly bruised. Seven stitches were needed to close the head wounds of Mr. Gildner, while he was also seriously bruised.

DEER DOING DAMAGE

Chris. Schwartz is a Sullivan farmer living on lot 18, Con. 8, near St. Peter's Lutheran Church. This spring he saw a buck and doe feeding on his fall wheat. He sent his eleven year old son over to chase the deer off his field. They only gave a few snorts and went on pasturing on Chris' wheat. When an older person went near them the animals soon scampered into the swamp. Deer have become plentiful between the 6th and 8th Concession of Sullivan and have become a real nuisance to the farmers in that locality. No-body is allowed to shoot the deer, and here is a heavy fine for killing these animals, and Sullivan farmers whose fields are being over-run by these nimble-footed animals feel they are entitled to damages from the Legislature for the destruction of their crops by protected animals and he claims seem quite reasonable.—Chesley Enterprise.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section Fifty-six (56) of the Trusts Act R.S.O. 1914, Chapter 121 that all persons having claims against the estate of the said Elizabeth Bergman, late of the Village of Mildmay, in the County of Bruce, who died on or about the 9th day of April, 1929, are required on or before the 4th day of May, 1929, to send by post prepaid or to deliver to George Schneider, R. E. No. 3, Mildmay, Ont., the executor of the estate of the late Elizabeth Bergman, their names, addresses and full particulars of their claims, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, duly verified by law.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after such mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice and said

several members that the act should provide for the cases of widowers. The bill proposes that a testator may bequeath or devise one-half of his or her property as he does see fit. In the past, children and widows have occasionally been deprived of what was considered their rightful share of an estate because the father or mother had his wife and children. It was to meet this situation that the bill was first introduced. It is now proposed that children or widows, and in the new form surviving husbands, may apply to the court and the latter may with its discretion set aside for the applicant's use despite the provision made of the estate in the will. Husbands were included when it was shown that a wife with certain properties in her name might devise these to others than her husband and children. The bill was carried by the committee. The other changes in the bill were occasioned by the inclusion of surviving husbands.

CONSCIENCE MONEY RETURNED

About thirty-five years ago Mr.

long with which the sender penned the words, "Say, Henry, you remember yet, when you first met in Forrester a long time ago. Yours truly, Henry. Did you remember and his moustache, now tinged with gray, waved in place as he realized that he had got his coin and somebody's darling had got a load off his mind at the same time. And it is possible that a shout went up in jubilation, where it is said there is more joy over a sin-r returned than over ninety-and-nine just men."—Herald-Times.

FLIM-FLAMMING THE FARMER

If as declared by Western members of parliament, the grain commission has permitted the skimming and diverting of the best of the wheat from sidings and the Grain Exchange to the big mills and their terminal elevators by agents who inspect the cars and do the diverting, growers of wheat have a real grievance. The farmer is not paid anything extra for his high grade grain and the over standard of the overseas shipments result in depressing the prices he receives. If public officials paid salaries that range from ten to twelve thousand dollars per year fail so ignominiously to perform their duty but seek to enhance their profits by playing into the hands of the big Canadian and American millers they should be given very short shift. The farmer what, with frosts, hail, snow and rain, has a difficult task making grain growing pay without being leached out of his profits by sharks that lurk in the Grain Exchange sidings and the Grain Exchange. Unfaithful servants should have no place in the Canadian public service.—Ex.

"BLESSED ARE THEY"

"Blessed are the merchants who advertise because they believe in it and in their business; for their prosperity shall increase many fold," sagely remarks an exchange, and adds:
"Blessed is the woman who sends in a written account of a party or wedding; for she shall see the details of a function and the names of her guests correctly reported."
"Blessed are all those who do not expect the editor to know everything, but who call up and tell him whenever an interesting event occurs for them; for they shall have a newsy paper in their town."
"Blessed are they who get their copy in early; for they shall occupy a warm place in the editor's heart."
"Blessed are they who co-operate with the editor in his effort in behalf of the community; for their town shall be known far and wide as a good place in which to live."

HELP FOR NEUSTADT

Councillor Seim and Clerk Murray of the village of Neustadt appeared before the Grey County Council on Wednesday of last week regarding the building of a new village of 20 foot pavements in the village this year. They gave a description of the havoc caused there by the flood on April 5th. The County Council was very sympathetic to the request and the following motion was passed: "That the county roads committee be instructed to look into the situation of the streets in the village of Neustadt, due to the damage caused by the recent flood and should they deem it advisable to lay a pavement on the central twenty feet rather than repair with stone and gravel, that they receive the support of this council as to their actions in this respect and in the event of the pavement being laid, an agreement be entered into between the village of Neustadt and the County of Grey governing the construction thereof."

CLAIM FOR DAMAGES IN MOTOR COLLISION

Constable Leitch and Mrs. Leitch of Paisley have entered a claim for damages which were sustained when their car was struck by a car owned by Mr. Con. Krug of Chesley, when they met on the road near Invermay on the night of Sept. 19th last. The Leitch car was so badly damaged that the occupants had to be brought home in another, and Mrs. Leitch suffered injuries to her hand that have caused a disability, as she is unable to thread a needle and do other work which is part of her occupation.

The case is slated for trial at Walkerton on May 6th, and examination of principals and witnesses for discovery was made on Friday last at the county town. Mr. D. Forrester is counsel for plaintiffs and O. E. Klein is acting for the company carrying insurance on the Krug car, who are the defendants in this action. As terms of settlement have been proposed, the case may not be heard in court. The amount of damages stipulated in the writ is \$150 on car and \$3,000 for injuries.

Mr. John McKay, of 6th of Bruce, who has been employed in town during the winter, consulted the local doctors last week as to a sickness he felt coming over him. As the trouble proved difficult to diagnose, he was taken over to Owen Sound Hospital, and shortly after being taken in as a patient there, showed symptoms of sleeping sickness and since then the medical men have become agreed that it is a case of that malady. The patient has now reached a serious condition, and it is feared that he cannot survive long.—Paisley Advocate.

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DROPS DEAD IN FIELD

W. J. Ross, a prominent farmer of Greenock Township, dropped dead while plowing in the field on his farm last Friday afternoon. Death was attributed to heart failure. Mr. Ross was 62 years of age and was well and favorably known throughout the township. He is survived by a widow and family of six daughters. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon.

Cannot Spear With Light

Sportsmen are advised that it is contrary to the Game and Fisheries Act to spear fish with the aid of a light. It has become quite common throughout the country to run an automobile alongside of a stream, turn the lights on the water and catch fish in large quantities. Several prosecutions have taken place of persons guilty of infractions of this law.

The main fair buildings at Paisley known as the "Palace," which had been undermined to a dangerous extent by the recent floods, has finally collapsed. Little by little the building began to slip and now the two main sections have pulled apart and the large section is off the big cedar posts which held it up. It is practically impossible to use the build-

ing without complete demolition and rebuilding. Whether this will be done or not is at present unknown. The entire lot of fair property is owned by the municipality.

Cockburn Bros., proprietors of the Holstein Creamery, were before Magistrate Laidlaw at Durham last week charged for infractions of the Figs Grading Act. The charge was laid by Inspector Morison of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. The defendants were fined on two counts, \$50 and \$25 respectively and costs, and were given suspended sentence on two other charges.

Adhesive tape used instead of tacks to fasten the edges of oilcloth under the table or shelf makes the job easier and neater.

The flood of April 5th and 6th made so many washouts and destroyed so many bridges in Brant township that it is estimated the tax rate will be doubled this year unless the parol work in fairly-passable condition is greatly cut down. The Saugeen, in its rampage, has cut an entirely new course where it crosses the 6th concession.

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May 5, Lesson V—What Hilkiah Found in the Temple—2 Chronicles 34: 14-16, 29-33. Golden Text—Wise word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.—Psalm 119: 105.

ANALYSIS.
I. THE GOOD REIGN OF JOSIAH, vs. 1-7.
II. THE REPAIR OF THE TEMPLE, vs. 8-13.
III. THE BOOK OF THE LAW, vs. 14-28.
IV. THE COVENANT, vs. 29-33.

INTRODUCTION—The reign of Hezekiah, which came to an end somewhere between B.C. 698 and 692, was marked by many efforts toward reform of religious conditions in Judah and throughout all Israel (2 Kings 18: 4-7; 22: 2 Chron. 31: 1, 20, 21). There were evidently many people strongly attached to the old ways, to the local sanctuaries, or high places which he destroyed, and to their forms of worship. Under their influence the young Manasseh who succeeded him had reigned more than fifty years in Jerusalem (2 Kings 21: 1-9) set himself to undo the good which his father had done. He restored the "abominations of the heathen," even built strange altars, in the temple itself, revived the horrible custom of child sacrifice, and "wrought much wickedness." The second book of Chronicles tells of calamity which befell him in later years and of a belated repentance, and a prayer is preserved in the apocryphal books of the Old Testament, bearing his name (see 2 Chron. 33: 11-19). His son, Amon, followed his father's bad example, but was murdered after a brief reign, by his own servants.

Meanwhile the influence of the great prophetic reformers of the eighth century, Isaiah and Micah, Amos and Hosea, continued strong in the minds of their disciples and, in spite of persecution (2 Kings 21: 16), their teaching spread among the people. After the murder of Amon there was an uprising of "the people of the land" against the corrupt court, Chron. 33: 24-25. The child Josiah who succeeded to the throne came under the good influence of the reforming party and when he reached mature age began a series of reforms more complete and far-reaching than anything which had previously been attempted. The parallel story of his reign in 2 Kings 22: 1 to 23: 38 should be read. See also Jeremiah's testimony to his character and his good reign in Jer. 22: 15, 16.

I. THE GOOD REIGN OF JOSIAH, vs. 1-7. Josiah was king in succession to his father Amon from B.C. 639 to 608. The historian tells him witness that "he did that which was right in the sight of the Lord" (v. 2), and that "like unto him there was no king before him, that turned to the Lord with all his heart, and with all his soul (2 Kings 23: 25). The high places, or local sanctuaries, which had been places of worship all over the land from the days of Joshua and the conquest, had become corrupted by imitation of the heathen rites practiced at the altars of Baal. The Levite priests who ministered at these places are said to have gone away far from Jehovah after their idols, Ezek. 44: 10.

The groves, or, more correctly, the "Asherim" (Rev. Ver.), were originally sacred trees standing near the altar. In many cases they were replaced by wooden poles which may have been carved or painted with representations of the deity. The word Baal-im is plural of Baal, and is used because the god Baal was multiplied by the people into many localized divinities such as baal-gad, Baal-zephon, Baal-hermon. Above the altars of Baal were images of some kind (sun-images, Rev. Ver.), perhaps representing the sun as an object of worship. For v. 5 compare 2 Kings 23: 15-16.

II. THE REPAIR OF THE TEMPLE, vs. 8-13. The eighteenth year of his reign was the year B.C. 621. The temple had, no doubt, been neglected and had fallen into disrepair during the long, bad reign of Manasseh. The king's officers (v. 8) were ordered to go to the high priest Hilkiah and ask him to sum up the money collected from the people by the doorkeepers, that it might be used to pay for material and to pay the wages of the workmen, 2 Kings 22: 3-7. The last clause of v. 9 should be, as in Rev. Ver., "of the inhabitants of Jerusalem." The faithfulness of the workmen is especially commended (v. 12). Apparently music was brought in to aid them in the work. The overseers were men who could skillfully (play skillfully on) instruments of music.

III. THE BOOK OF THE LAW, vs. 14-28. This book can hardly have been the entire Pentateuch, which the Jews in



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later times called the Law. The prophets of the previous century seem to have been well acquainted with parts of the Pentateuch, and it is not likely that the knowledge would have been entirely lost. The evidence here is rather strongly in favor of the belief that it was the book of Deuteronomy, or the part of it which contains law, warnings and promises. The measures of reform which Josiah and his ministers undertook under the guidance of this book are all such as are prescribed in Deuteronomy, while some, at least, of the laws of Leviticus and Numbers seem yet to have been unknown. Any reader may for himself make comparison of the reforms begun by Josiah and the law codes of these books. The marginal references in a good Reference Bible will be a guide.

The king's alarm and grief upon hearing the words of the book must have been due to the fact that its laws were not being, and had not been observed, and that terrible punishment was threatened in it for such neglect. See Deut. chaps. 27 and 28, and compare v. 24.

The prediction of Huldah the prophetess concerning Josiah (v. 28) was unfortunately not fulfilled, for he met a tragic death in battle with an Egyptian army at Megiddo, thirteen years later, 2 Kings 23: 29-30.

IV. THE COVENANT, vs. 29-33. The name "book of the covenant" was first given to the law given to Israel by Moses at Sinai, and contained in Exodus, chaps. 20 to 23 (see 24: 7). On the basis of this law a solemn covenant was made between Israel and Jehovah, Jehovah promising guidance and prosperity to Israel, and Israel obedience to Jehovah's laws, Exod. 24: 7, 8. The law in Deuteronomy is an enlargement of that in Exodus, and is called, with its accompanying warnings and promises, "the words of the covenant." Deut. 29: 1. The ancient covenant bond is now renewed, and the people



"Marathon dancing for six consecutive days almost makes one weak."

An amusing story is told concerning the veteran John D. Rockefeller, reputedly the richest man in the world. It appears that the multi-millionaire creator of the Standard Oil Trust had his portrait painted for presentation to a certain public institution. It was a water-color. "Of course," remarked one of his business rivals, when viewing the picture, "it had to be water-color. They couldn't do Rockefeller in oil!"

"Army" Boy Settlers

Farm Notes

A BERRY BEARING CLIMBER

Among climbing vines that are useful in concealing screens, barn verandahs, summerhouses, old stumps and fences is the American Bittersweet, *Celastrus scandens*. This is one of the best climbers, being a rampant grower with glossy green leaves. This plant, if given a chance, will establish itself very quickly, as it twines about everything it can get hold of and is not subject to injury from insects and disease. It is described by W. T. Macoun, the Dominion Horticulturist, in his bulletin, "Ornamental Trees, Shrubs and Woody Climbers." Bittersweet has an advantage over some other very useful vines in bearing bright colored berries, which remain hanging after the leaves have disappeared. It is pointed out by the author in this bulletin, which is numbered 89 and published by the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, that one in procuring a plant should have knowledge that it has borne fruit or has been propagated from a fruit-bearing vine, as some of the plants bear only male blossoms that do not set fruit. The American Bittersweet is but one of many hardy climbing plants described in the bulletin that have been tested at the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa.

PERENNIAL CLIMBING PLANTS

A greater use of climbing plants would add beauty to many of the homes in the country. Houses that lack beauty of architecture may be made very attractive by the planting of some of the hardy climbers. Verandahs, summerhouses, milkhouses, fences, rocks, and old stumps of trees covered with climbing plants will so change the appearance of the place that it will hardly be recognized by one who has known it before. Fortunately there are many hardy native climbers available in most districts and most nurseries carry suitable kinds at low prices. For many years a large number of kinds of these plants have been under test by the Central Experimental Farms system. The results of these trials are contained in Bulletin No. 89, "Ornamental Trees, Shrubs and Woody Climbers." Among the most favored of these for hardiness, rapidity of growth and permanence the Virginia Creeper holds a prominent place. This vine, *Ampelopsis quinquefolia*, a native of the colder parts of Canada, is one of the hardiest and quite suitable for Prairie Provinces planting. While it has tendrils by which it clings to wire supports and trellises, it does not attach itself well to walls, requiring no special support. This variety, found growing wild at Ottawa, is hardy for Ontario and the Eastern Provinces, as well as in British Columbia. Many other attractive climbers or ornamental trees and shrubs are described and recommended in this publication, issued by the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

ORNAMENTAL HEDGES

For dividing lines between properties or separating parts of the home

grounds, living hedges are often more suitable than walls or fences. There are many plants suitable for hedging purposes, and most of these have been well tested at the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa, where there are no less than eighty-four hedges of sufficient length to make reliable comparisons. In testing hedge plants at the Central Farm about one hundred and twenty species of trees and shrubs have been tried out. Many of these have proved unsuitable. The hedges at the Experimental Farm are of different heights and breadths, and include both deciduous and evergreen varieties. These, as well as the method of their cultivation and care are described in Bulletin, 89 published by the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa and entitled "Ornamental Trees, Shrubs and Woody Climbers." For positions where tall hedges are desired the Siberian Pen Tree has proved satisfactory, as have also the Honey Locust, the Common Buck thorn and some of the Birches. For tall evergreen hedges the Douglas Fir and the Norway Spruce are recommended, while for low evergreen hedges the American Arborvitae is very desirable. For deciduous hedges of medium height the Alder Buck thorn, the Wayfaring Tree and the Woody Caragana make good effect while the Japanese Barberry, the Dwarf Caragana are well suited where low growing hedges are desired. The author of the bulletin, Mr. W. T. Macoun, the Dominion Horticulturist, observes that the shape of hedge that has been found most pleasing to the eye, and at the same time ensuring the branches remain alive almost or quite to the ground, is one with the broadest part of the hedge at the ground, gradually narrowing toward the top and the top being rounded instead of being pruned to a sharp point.



She: Dad says you are a promising young man. He: Gosh, yes! Two girls are suing me for breach of promise right now.

Grandpa (to Grandma): "And other things—I will not have you ing out pillow-riding!"

If you want your pets to love-speak kindly to them, and hate them gently. Do not lift your feet by its ears, or pull a cat's tail, drag the dog by its fur, or wake roughly out of sleep. Learn to make them happy, and they will learn to love you.—Humane Pleader.

LIMERICK CORNER

While the contest is closed the interest has by no means flagged as the many letters received testify, but we want to hear from still more readers of Limerick Corner. So send along your opinion with any suggestions you may have for the future conduct of this feature to Limerick Editor, Rooms 421-425, 73 Adelaide Street West, Toronto 2, Ont.

Mrs. Hicks of Niagara Falls South, sends in this very interesting letter:— Dear Editor:—It broke my heart when I saw that the Limerick Contest was closed, even temporarily, but my falling respirations revived considerably when I saw with joy in this week's "Thorold Post" that you had not run out of limericks yet. "O King, live forever!"

I, for one, vote that the contest be continued. It is just at its height. Some people, Hubby for instance, are just beginning to take a real interest in it. We have "sold" him "Salada Tea" (I have a lovely one for Salada Green Tea) so he can hardly wait for a cup when he gets in the house for supper. It is not only the nice new dollar bills (it is the cleanest money I ever saw) but I do enjoy the good limericks so. Mrs. MacNeil, Norwood, for "Keen's Mustard"; Miss Kathleen Walsh, Rheinheim, on "Christie's Sultanias"; and Mrs. Harry McDonnell, Clarendon Sta., on "Beecham's Pills"; Miss Bernice Hall, R.R. No. 2, Sundridge, on "Red Rose Tea"; and Mrs. M. E. Calder, Fenelon Falls, on "Shredded Wheat", are the best ones in this week's "Post". (O, yes, and Mrs. Claude Bongard, Norwood, on "Rock's Bird Seed"). In my opinion, Why not make everybody illustrate his or her limericks, with simple geometrical illustrations (in Indian ink of course).

Please forgive me, I vowed I would not pester that poor over-limericked editor with any more nonsense until he sent out another invitation for limericks. But it seems I can't help it. Well, you did ask for suggestions. I think the "Limerick Contest" is quite the nicest, most "sociable" contest I ever entered. Room for everybody. I have been in lots of contests; I have won a few, and lost out in more, and in either case, did not enjoy the feeling, either that I was left out in the cold, or that anybody else was. The funny part of it is, the limericks you have bought are just the ones that have run off the end of my pen without any effort, almost without any thought, and the ones I have labored over to polish and finish, have gone overboard. Yours very sincerely, FANNIE T. HICKS, R.R. No. 2, Niagara Falls South, Ontario. R.R. No. 2, Niagara Falls South, Ontario.

P.S.—The limericks are getting better. We had many good chuckles over the last batch.—F.T.H.

A few more prize winners:—

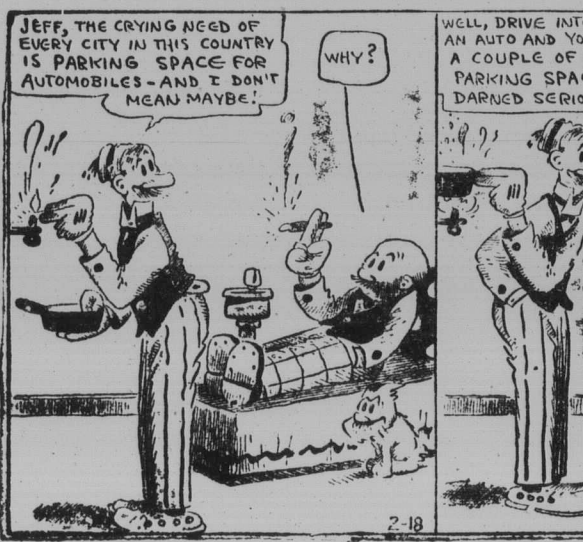
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Whoever named that sea-coast runner I'm Alone, certainly had a sense of humor.—Troy Times.

When a great financier announces that the country is going to be prosperous he means that he is.

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It is this torture in any manner necessary for the happiness or even the comfort of humanity, except possibly in the Arctic regions.

It is not thought for its kindness and comparatively warm, we would say, the whole world is therefore allowing the worst and most unnecessary horror in history to persist in greater degree than ever.

It is his, the world's hard work, the world's suffering, the world's pain, the world's misery, the world's sorrow, the world's grief, the world's agony, the world's torment, the world's hell.

The world is weak in imagination. The brutal beating of a horse, when witnessed, causes indignation, and the brutal beating of a human animal elicits only the exclamation: "How terrible—don't talk like that!"

Religious questions in the world are passed over to religion for adjustment. Strange as it may seem, the world shows little interest in the suffering of the human race.

Religious organizations are richly endowed, have many members, and are engaged in educational, humane, literary, political, social, and medical work, but the great work of this League—the doing away with the foulest horror of history, and the foulest blot on civilization, is starving to death for pure lack of funds, in spite of the fact that its officials give their services without pay—Humane Pleader.

FALSE STEPS
Lives like war, is a series of mistakes, and he is not the best Christian nor the best general who makes the fewest false steps. Poor mediocrity may secure that; but he is the best who wins the most splendid victories by the perpetual of mistakes. Forget mistakes; bring the victory out of mistakes.—F. W. Robertson.

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Shakespeare

I like to think of Shakespeare as a boy roaming the Stratford woods and hazel groves.

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Delighting in the cuckoo-flowered meadows—All white with lady-smocks—and mimicking the cuckoo's cry—or valiantly chasing shadows.

But capturing the spirit of the thing—like to think of Shakespeare as a man, a man who is a man.

The actor's voice, the supreme, every part, the circumlocution who could spin that jargon, the perfect sea, the human attention.

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From a play by C. G. and F. On the village stage, after the fact, I wonder how you look if I were to wear glasses, what, stuffy night? Naturally, in these air-filled wedding-dress precautions must be taken against the first falling out.—Arkansas Gazette.

Civil war has broken out in China again, which, considering the record of the past eighteen years, only shows what a peace-loving people can do, if they try hard enough.—Boston Globe.

Garden Service
Grows Interesting

As the Season Approaches More Interest Develops in This Exclusively Written Column of Your Paper

HURRYING THE SEASON

For a small garden, tomatoes are perhaps the most valuable crop to grow, as when staked, and they should be handled in no other way than to give the best yield for the ground occupied.

For a twenty-four foot row of these being sufficient to keep a small family busy eating for a couple of weeks. This twenty-four foot row, it should be mentioned, is a united double, that is the beans about four inches apart in the row, and two rows twelve inches apart. Corn takes up quite a bit of row, but, as one must get it in the garden at the back to get it at its best, it is well to consider it, even where the plot is small.

One can count on an average of three cobs to every three stalks. Carrots and beets will give a very good return in a small garden, a thirty-foot row of each supplying many meals. Spinach and lettuce should be in the garden, as both come off early, leaving the ground for tomatoes and other late or late starting crops.

For those who like it, Swiss chard will provide a huge quantity of greens from a row twenty feet long. The inner stalks can be used like asparagus. A garden is never complete without a few onions, as these are used in such a variety of ways, and in very limited quantities.

Unless one has a garden measuring over twenty-five feet each, peas are almost out of the question, though they never as fresh as when picked a few feet from the door.

Meeting the Soil For those high-strung people, who have both worrying and getting their garden started, for the last month, the following should be applied to the soil to see if it is ready for working: take a handful of soil and squeeze it, if it impacts into a lump in the hand, it is too wet to work.

But some samples when squeezed it is just the right condition for ploughing or sowing and sowing. It is well to remember that many a garden, especially where composed of clay soil, has been ruined for the entire season by working too early. Wet clay will crack and bake like brick, and this soon.

Hurrying the New Season With a little nitrate of soda, the early start is up for a late spring. In small gardens a heaping tablespoonful is sufficient for a thirty yard row, and ten days or two weeks before the plants should be sown. This should be followed if the latter part of the year is apt to be a little dry, and sprinkle it in before a rainfall or before the hose is used. It should not be applied until growth has started.

Washington Asparagus For there is nothing easier to grow than asparagus, and this vegetable, always in demand, is never cheap. A ten-foot square will give a respectable supply for a small family and will become more productive each year.

A bed may be started from roots or seed, though where a fairly good sized plot is wanted it is advisable to use seed. The Washington, a rust-proof asparagus of giant size, is gaining real favor because it appears to be free of disease and is a vigorous grower. A bed may be established in three years from seed and two from roots. The seed should be soaked in warm water for 24 hours before planting, and sown in drills outside as soon as the ground can be worked. It is rather slow to germinate. The plants should be allowed to grow in the seed row for one season, and the following year the plants should be spaced two feet apart in three feet apart.

Include These Annuals. If one must be limited to half a dozen annuals, make sure that the list includes zinnias. These are easily grown, and will do well on almost any soil. One can get them in the smaller sizes for blooming at the front of the garden, right up to the latest giant dahlia-like flowers with plant three feet high. Godetia, butterfly flower, petunias, gladioli and the helloxes, are also recommended where the choice is limited.

Speed Manchester Sunday Chronicle: There never was a time when so many dangers beset the ordinary citizen, dangers principally due to the vagaries of the machine called civilization. Thousands are killed and maimed on the roads of Britain, in the pits, workshops, offices, by air and sea. This is the Oil Speed; and Speed is the master of the age.

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Be careful of Baby's diet during teething. Do not overfeed him. Watch his stomach and bowels and at the first sign of indigestion, gas or constipation, give him a few drops of harmless, pleasant-tasting Fletcher's Castoria. These simple rules are making teething easy on millions of babies—and mothers, too. For over thirty years Castoria has been the trusted standby of mothers everywhere. It soothes wakeful, cross babies to sleep quickly and easily—and it's purely vegetable, so you can give it as often as needed. It does the work of castor oil better and more gently. For your protection, the bottle of genuine Castoria always bears the Fletcher signature.

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For Troubles due to Acid INDIGESTION ACID STOMACH HEADACHE GASES-NAUSEA

You will never use crude methods when you know this better method. And you will never suffer from excess acid when you prove out this easy relief. Please do that—for your own sake—now.

Be sure to get the genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia prescribed by physicians for 50 years in correcting excess acids. Each bottle contains full directions—any druggist.



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There is no other paint, either prepared or hand made from lead and oil, that will spread as well under the brush and cover as much surface to the gallon as

THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINT.

Figure 360 square feet, two coats, to the gallon and you'll probably have some paint left over.

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S.W.P. for outside and inside use — in half and pint cans. Sherwin-Williams Floor Paint — an oil paint for floors. Marnot Floor Enamel — a new line. It is a varnish paint prepared for floors and any other kind of wood.

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Spring is a good time to **Touch Up That Old Flivver** The cost is small. 1 qt. paint \$2.00, Brush 25c, Sand Paper 5c, Top Dressing 40c; a total of \$2.70. All done in about two hours, and Oh, boy! what an improvement. A good range of the new splashy colors to choose from.

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REPORT OF S. S. S. 8, CARIRCK (For April)

Jr. IV—Helen Schumacher 74.
Sr. III—Elden Huber 68, Anthony Scheffer 66.
Jr. III—Willis Stemler 69, Pearl Schumacher 65, Joseph Ruetz, Edvar Albrecht 61.
Jr. II—Lorne Schumacher 70, Clarence Ruetz 67.
Sr. Primer—Ethel Schumacher 85, Elgin Stemler 83, Calvin Schumacher 82, Leo Ruetz 68.
Jr. Primer—Seraphine Ruetz, M. A. Kieffer, teacher

Gailya—No, no, don't Royal, don't Royal—What eils ycc, Gailya?
Gailya—Nothing. Nothing—only our engagement is—is broken, Ryal.
What caused Gailya to do this? Come to "Loves of Love" on May the 10th, and bird out.

MILDMAY SEPARATE SCHOOL (Report for April)

Room III
Sen. B—Harvey Weiler, (Hubert Schmidt and Alfred Bruder, equal, Leonard Schmidt.
Jun. V—(Francis Schmaltz and Alfred Diemert) equal, Arthur Sauer, Amelia Dietrich, Hilda MacDonald.
Sen. IV—Magdalen Misere, Catherine Diemert, Francis Diemert, Antonette Misere, Norman Herrgott, Agnes Bross.
Jun. IV—(Patricia Sauer, Mary Weishar) equal, Margaret St. Marie, Evelyn Scheffer, Florence Bergman, Florence Misere, Florian Weiler, Margaret Weiler.
Room II
Sr. III—Bertha Diemert, Medefaina Parker, Helen Kuntz, Gilbert Arnold, Wilfred Lobsinger, Oscar Arnold.
Jr. III—Dorothy Schuett, Helen Scheffer, Marie Schneider, Reta St. Marie, Helen Lenahan, Anna Marie Schmaltz, Elden Lobsinger, Robert Dietrich.
Sr. II—May Devlin, Clara Misere, Elizabeth Schneider, Della Misere, Josephine Strauss, Susan Schneider, Loretto Pedy, Rosetta Berberich.
Jr. II—Florence Bross, Stella Weiler, Ralph Weishar, Rita Lobsinger, Kathleen Martyn, Loretto Berberich.
Margaret M. Sugrus, teacher
Room I
Sen. I—Clarence Lenahan, Harold Schneider, Alex. Hundt, Margaret Diemert, Gertrude Huber, Genevieve St. Marie, Grace Devlin, Linus Hoffarth, Leonard Durrer, Oscar Schaefer, Helen Martin, Florence Hesch, Benjamin Bergman.
Primer—Catherine Schneider, Rita Bergman, Peter Fischer, Lavina Lobsinger, Alvina Scheffer, Marie Lobsinger, Eleanor Strauss, Albin Hundt, Harold Schmaltz, Rita Misere, Geraldine Pedy, Anthony Steffler, Francis Durrer.

CARLSRUHE

The Carlsruhe Brewery which has been an active business since it was built by the late David Kuntz about 60 years ago, has ceased to brew and sell beer two weeks ago, by the owner, Mr. Charles Schwan. The Schwan Lager has quenched many a thirst here and in neighboring places. Mr. Schwan will likely retire, owing to ill health.

Mrs. Joseph Timpson attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Ames Hurst who was buried in Blomington last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Linus Poehman visited friends in Formosa.

Mr. Xavier Poehman spent Sunday with Mr. Henry Schurr.

Mrs. John Wandt spent a few days with her daughter, Sister M. Philomina, in Dundas, as she is not in very good health.

Mrs. Clayton Reitzel of Waterloo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ruetz.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hingsperger of Desereton and Mr. Clemens Hingsperger of Kitchener visited relatives here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Lambertus of Walkerton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Poehman and Miss Anna Wandt spent the weekend with relatives in Waterloo and Dundas.

Mr. Eugene Schurr and Miss Gertrude Schurr spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Xavier Poehman.

A large number of relatives and friends attended the funeral of the late Mrs. John C. Hoffarth of Hanover, who met with a very sad death last Friday, when a bottle of liquid stove polish exploded while she was polishing the stove in the morning. She was burned so badly that she died about 2.30 p.m. in the Hanover Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Hoffarth's many friends here were shocked to hear of her terrible misfortune and death. She had been a resident here in the early years of her married life, prior to moving to Hanover.

HELWIG'S WEEKLY STORE NEWS



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Wednesday, April 24th to Saturday, May 4th

TEA SPECIAL Green or Mixed Tea, choice quality. Free with every One Dollar purchase, Three Gold Band Cups and Saucers.	COCOA SPECIAL Price 25c lb. Free with every pound, 1 Gold Band Cup and Saucer.
COFFEE SPECIAL Just Fresh. Free with every One Dollar purchase, Two Gold Band Cups and Saucers.	SUGAR SPECIAL (Redpath Only) 12½ lbs Sugar and a Gold Band Cup and Saucer for \$1.00
JELLY POWDERS Fresh Stock Just In. Six Packages and Glass Fruit Dish for 50c Value of Dish 25c	SODA BISCUITS Just Fresh. Only a limited quantity at a Special 2 lbs. for 30c
LINOLEUM SPECIAL New Spring Patterns. Block patterns 4 yards wide, regular price \$4.25. Special \$3.39 yard	DOLLAR SPECIAL 1 lb. Seedless Raisins 15c 1 pkg. Corn Starch 15c 1 pkg. Baking Soda 10c 1 Jug Vanilla 25c 1 Glass Baking Powder 30c Cocoanut 5c \$1.00 — Free with every lot — Two Gold Band Cups and Saucers
FARM PRODUCE WANTED Cream: Special 48c; No. 1 47c; No. 2 44c Eggs: First and Better 25c; Seconds 18c (Cash or Trade)	SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY FOR THESE BARGAINS

FRED WEILER

MOLTKE

Again, the tilling of the land has come to a stand-still, owing to the recent heavy rains.

Messrs. Harry Baetz and Gustave Voellm and Prof. Hirtle and Miss Alice Henrich, all of Waterloo, spent the week-end at the former's home.

Mrs. Chas. Peter is at present seriously ill.

Miss Zetta Baetz was home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baetz and family visited friends in Hanover on Sunday.

Mr. Henry Ortman has purchased a new Ford truck and will be ready to do all kinds of trucking.

Mr. Otto Weltz has recovered from his recent operation and can go about again.

U. S. S. NO. 15 & 3, HOWICK (Report for April)

V—Helen Wynn 73.
Jr. IV—Gladys Harris 65.
H A—Nelvin Hoffele 72.
H B—Doris Haskins 70, Jean Harkness 75.
I—Stanley Harris 60.
Sr. Pr.—Bessie Peltier.
Jr. Pr.—Robert Harkness, Edna Haskins, Monica Peltier.
A. I. Ingus, teacher.

The next Public Holiday will fall on Friday, May 24th.

The population of Chesley is 1772, a drop of 29 from last year.

Think success; destructive thoughts are your first enemy.

The New Idea Lime and Fertilizer Spreading Attachment

NEW LIME AND FERTILIZER SOWER
Applies an Even Covering 15 to 20 Feet in Width
The Most Important Spreader Invention in Recent Years

A ONE-MAN JOB
Spreading lime with the New Idea Lime and Fertilizer Sower is a one-man job—the driver can do it all. No shovelling from wagon to hopper; no loss of lime or fertilizer between conveyor and cylinder; no working in a cloud of irritating dust.

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This new attachment handles lime in all forms, marl, compost, ashes, fertilizer, finely pulverized dry manure, rock phosphate, etc., applying it evenly over a surface from 15 to 20 feet or more in width. The amount may be regulated to apply from ½ to 5 tons per acre.

For All Model 8 New Idea Spreaders
It may be used on any Model 8 New Idea Spreader and can be attached in less than thirty minutes. It provides an inexpensive means of converting the spreader into a full capacity lime sower, unequaled for efficient work. Something that every progressive farmer needs.

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Young Ideas At Least
Judging by the way they act, most middle-aged people must feel younger than they look.

Good Riddance
"Charley, Charley," whispered his wife, poking him in the ribs. "Wake up, Charley, there are burglars in the pantry, and they're eating all my pigs."
"Well, what do we care," he said "so long as they don't die in the house?"

Everybody knows how to express a complaint but very few can utter a graceful compliment. It's a matter of practice.

To save the expense of sending patients with lupus ailments to the mountains to breathe the rarefied air, British doctors will treat such patients in an aerial health resort by means of captive balloons such as were used in the war. A well-known scientist says he cured himself of a bad case of flu by going up in a balloon.