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Stopped Most Terrible Suffering by Getting Her Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Denison, Texas.—"After my little girl was born two years ago I began suffering with female trouble and could hardly do my work. I was very nervous but just kept dragging on until last summer when I got where I could not do my work. I would have a chill every day and hot flashes and dizzy spells and my head would almost burst. I got where I was almost a walking skeleton and life was a burden to me until one day my husband's step-sister told my husband if he did not do something for me I would not last long and told him to get your medicine. So he got Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me, and after taking the first three doses I began to improve. I continued its use, and I have never had any female trouble since. I feel that I owe my life to you and your remedies. They did for me what doctors could not do and I will always praise it wherever I go."—Mrs. G. O. LOWERY, 419 W. Monterey Street, Denison, Texas.

If you are suffering from any form of female ill, get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and commence the treatment without delay.



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WATFORD, JULY 28, 1916

NOTE AND COMMENT

On the British front in France there is a belief that the war will end this year. Recruiting must be continued, so that even if the war does not end this year it will be brought to a victorious conclusion next summer by Canada's help.

Calgary News Telegraph: Canada's new wealth from livestock and general farm production was between \$700,000,000 and \$800,000,000 last year, according to E. F. Hebden general manager of the Merchant's Bank of Canada. If this rate can be maintained for a few years, the Dominion will be able to meet its share of the war burden and still have a handsome surplus for development.

If our local grocers would let the people know about the prices of their goods through printer's ink, as the travelling grocers and foreign merchants do by flooding the country with price lists, catalogues, etc., there would not be so many duped farmers or complaining merchants. The advertisers who put their goods before the people and keep them there are the ones who sell their goods. They must say when too late, "I would have duplicated that bill of goods," but they should have let the farmer who sent away and bought advertised goods of a foreign merchant know it before he bought. That's the business of it.—Forest Standard.

"Carry your own lifeboat," is the motto of an Italian inventor, G. Piperno, who has visited England with what is probably the most ambitious life-saving appliance on record. When not in use the apparatus is packed into what looks like a man's suitcase, measuring 24 in. by 16 in. by 8 in. and weighing 20 pounds. When disaster is imminent the passenger brings the suitcase on deck, breaks the seal,

and the apparatus opens out and becomes a small boat. If it is necessary to abandon the ship the passenger steps into his private boat, closes the outer cover, and launches his craft by hurling himself overboard, the apparatus rights itself in the water, the top cover is thrown open and the occupant finds himself sitting in an absolutely unsinkable ship.

A Legless Farmer

As an example of pluck and energy consider Myron L. Briggs, of Battle Creek, Michigan. Mr. Briggs, who has no legs, does practically every kind of farm work, and is prospering. Briggs is about forty-five years old, strong and healthy. He hitches up his three-horse team and cuts his own hay, wheat and oats, then goes out and cuts more for neighbors who have no binder. He can climb up a ladder over the high crossbeam into the haymow, and throw down or mow away hay almost as rapidly and as well as any able-bodied worker. He can hitch up his team and drive out into the field alone, and plough or harrow all day, using seats on each implement. He rides a two-horse cultivator, and cultivates corn and potatoes by a hand-stick attachment that operates two cultivator gangs. Mr. Briggs lost both legs in a street car accident sixteen years ago. For eighteen months he lay in a hospital hovering between life and death. Then he slowly recovered.

OLD DAYS ON THE FARM

Trusty Old Nag Versus Auto

It was usually in winter when the singing class were held and some of the boys had horses and cutters. It would have been hard to beat a trusty old nag and a comfortable cutter with "cumfy" robes, in the golden olden days, as the shortest way to a country girl's heart, and some years later in our civilization the good-old buggy in fall or summer was the king of siege guns in affairs of affection. Talk about autos you gay Lotharios of today! Mere speed and burning up roads shouldn't count with the right kind of a girl and I don't believe it does. Why, you've got to have your hand on the steering wheel and your eyes on the road and your voice is drowned in chugs and whirs and sputters. The fellow with the slow old nag—a long and shadowy road—has an incomparable advantage. He can even lay down the reins.

Don't tell me you fast-moving lovers of the twentieth century that you've out-distanced those singing school boys—a going down the primrose way—Lover's Lane, I mean. I won't believe it.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Warrior of To-day

The methods of warfare have changed enormously in the past year. The sword, for example, has almost disappeared from war.

A story comes from the Argonne about a French chasseur who took a German officer prisoner. The chasseur, a boy, said to the officer: "Give up your sword!"

But the officer shook his head and answered: "I have no sword to give up. But won't my vitriol spray, my oil projector, or my gas-cylinder do as well?"

No better protection against worms can be got than Miller's Worm Powders. They consume worms and render the stomach and intestines untenable to them. They heal the surfaces that have become inflamed by the attacks of the parasites and serve to restore the strength of the child that has been undermined by the draughts that the worms have made upon it, and that their operation is altogether health-giving.

A stand to hold ice cream cones erect, made of stiff paper, is the invention of a New York man.

Parchment manuscripts nearly 800 years old, from which the ink has faded from view, have been read by a Berlin scientist who photographed them with ultra-violet rays.

Holloway's Corn Cure takes the corn out by the roots. Try it and prove it.

Kept Too Busy

"Why don't you advertise?" asked the editor of the home paper. "Don't you believe in it?"

"I'm agin' advertisin'," replied the proprietor of the Haysville racket store. "But why are you agin' it," asked the editor.

"It keeps a feller too darn busy," replied the proprietor. "Advertised in a newspaper one time about ten years ago and I never even got time 'to go fishin'."

From Here And There

Ashford: "How are the acoustic properties in that new church?"
Bassford: "Great! If you sit well back you can't hear a word of the sermon."

Russia maintains at Moscow an experiment station for the study of flax cultivation and manufacture.

Helmets for aviators have been invented with wireless receiving telephones built into the ear flaps.

According to a British scientist X-rays are the most extreme rays at the ultra-violet end of the spectrum.

Rubber-covered canvas disks that prevent slipping are attached to the soles of new shoes for very young children.

Experiments by German scientists have proved the truth of the old theory that tightening a man's belt lessens hunger.

A Cuban has invented a material made of palm fibre to be used as a substitute for cedar in cigar boxes.

Spring controlled arms that engage the sides of a pocket feature a new thief proof holder for pocketbooks.

According to a London chemist the surest way to determine the age of a painting is to analyze the pigments.

A sliding weight on the handle of a new ice pick does the work, the hand that holds it remaining stationary.

More than half of Sweden is covered by forests, only Finland having a greater proportionate area of timber.

It Makes New Friends Every Day.—Not a day goes by that Dr. Thomas Electric Oil does not widen the circle of its friends. Orders for it come from the most unlikely places in the west and far north, for its fame has travelled far. It deserves this attention, for no oil has done so much humanity. Its moderate cost makes it easy to get.

A milk bottle can be converted into a pitcher by the use of a recently patented handle and spring controlled cover that can be attached without the use of tools.

To lessen the humming of telephone wires fastened to buildings a new German system encloses them in cement cylinders that are softer on the inside than the outside.

A clock attachment for a new electric stove permits food to be placed on it at any time with the assurance that the heat will be turned on and off again when desired.

So successful have been the experiments of a Vienna botanist in the utilization of a nettle fiber that he predicts that Austria can become independent of foreign cotton.

A novelty for smokers is a receptacle for ashes in which they drop out of sight and which even prevents their odor or that of cigar stumps from permeating a room.

Earthquakes cause electrical waves and an Italian has invented apparatus which has registered them several minutes before seismographs have shown earth movements.

An Illinois inventor's pencil sharpener consists of a hollow shell carrying a knife blade over which a pencil is drawn, the debris being collected within the shell.

The Last Arithma Attack may really be the last one if prompt measures are taken. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy will safeguard you. It will penetrate to the smallest bronchial passage and bring about a healthy condition. It always relieves and its continued use often effects a permanent cure. Why not get this long-famous remedy to-day and commence its use? Inhaled as smoke or vapor it is equally effective.

Voters' List—1916.

Municipality of the Village of Watford County of Lambton.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in section 9 of "The Ontario Voters' List Act," the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised assessment roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections, and that said list was first posted up at my office, at Watford on the 3rd day of July, 1916, and remains there for inspection, and I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law. Dated at Watford this 3rd day of July, A. D., 1916.

W. S. FULLERTON,
Clerk of Watford.

Fall Fair Dates

Strathroy	Sept. 18, 19, 20
Petrolia	Sept. 21, 22
Forest	Sept. 26, 27
Sarnia	Sept. 27, 28, 29
Bridgen	Oct. 5
Alvinston	Oct. 2, 3
WATFORD	Oct. 10, 11
Wyoming	Sept. 23, 30
Wilkesport	Sept. 25, 26
Glencoe	Sept. 25, 26
Florence	Oct. 5, 6

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

No less than four radiating surfaces gather up almost every scrap of heat and send it through your comfortable rooms.

McClary's Sunshine Furnace

Drop in some time soon and hear about McClary's special installation service that gets out of every ton of coal all the heat there is in it. Sold by T. Dodds & Son, Watford, Ont.

TAKAKE

The Harmless but Efficient remedy for Headache, Neuralgia, Anaemia, Sleeplessness, Nervous Exhaustion, &c. 50c AT ALL DRUGGISTS, or by mail from GEORGIAN MFG. CO., COLLINGWOOD, ONT.

T. RENOUTH & CO.

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Flour, Oatmeal, Cornmeal, Wheat Kernells, Flaked Wheat and Barley, All Kinds of Feed, Grain, Seeds and Poultry Food.

We Carry Full Stock of

INTERNATIONAL STOCK FOOD

FOR HORSES, CATTLE, SHEEP, HOGS AND POULTRY.

CALDWELL'S MOLASSES MEAL

AND THREE DIFFERENT MAKES OF CELEBRATED CALF MEAL.

ALL KINDS OF GRAIN TAKEN IN EXCHANGE

Chopping and Rolling Done While You Wait

PHONE 39

HANDSOME, LUXURIOUS FURNITURE

Buffets	Extension Tables	Brass Beds	Iron Beds
Sideboard	Parlor Tables	Walnut Beds	Oak Beds
China Cabinet	Card Tables	Pedestals	Dresser
Chiffonier	Magazine Stands	Child's Rockers	Book Cases
Dressing Table	Jardiniere Stands	Bed-Room Chair	Secretaries
Hall Seats	Umbrella Stands	Rocking Chairs	Desks
Morris Chairs	Hall Mirrors	Kitchen Cabinets	Hall Racks
Music Cabinets	Living Room Chairs	Felt Mattresses	Dining Chairs
Parlor Sets	Library tables	Couches	Pictures
Davenport, and anything kept in a first-class furniture store.			

MASON & RISCH PIANOS

Agents for Mason & Risch Pianos, Gramophones, String Instruments, Sheet Music, Edison Records, &c., and all kinds of repairs. New and second hand sewing machines and all supplies.

HARPER BROS.

PHONE 31.

FINE FURNITURE MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS UNDERPAKERS

BROCKVILLE LAWN MOWERS

Are The Best in The Market And We Want to Show You Before You Buy

14 inch cut	3 knife	9in. wheel	\$3.75
16 "	3 "	9 "	4.00
16 "	4 "	9 "	4.50
16 "	4 "	10 1/2 "	6.00

Every Mower Guaranteed Satisfactory and can Refer you to Over a Hundred Owners Right Here.

The N. B. Howden Est.

ARKONA

Miss Marguerite Abel of Toronto is visiting at the home of Mr. Jas. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Middleton and son of Crosswell, Mich., are spending a few days with Mr. Jos. Jaynes.

Miss Marguerite Swan has returned home after spending a month with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dickison and daughter Dorothy, of Detroit, are spending a few days with Mr. J. F. Dickison's.

Mr. Ivan Crawford of London spent Tuesday at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Barnes of Toronto are visiting with friends here.

New Idea Patterns kept in stock.—Brown Bros.

Our mid-summer shoe sale is now in full swing. Make your selection while the choice is good.—Brown Bros.

Miss Stewart of London is the guest of Miss Anna Hobbs this week.

Miss Margaret Fuller who has been attending the Summer school held at Alma college, St. Thomas, returned home last week.

Just received a shipment of new Tartan Gingham.—Fuller Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herrington of Forest who have been visiting friends in town returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Peter Blackburn of Sarnia spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Thoman this week.

For that picnic—olives, canned goods, pickles, etc.—Fuller Bros.

Miss Della Davidson, who has been visiting friends in Capac, Mich., returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith of Sarnia called on Arkona friends this week.

Small Crop of Apples This Year

The following information is furnished by the Fruit Commissioner at Ottawa, relative to the apple situation in Ontario: East of Toronto the crop is very disappointing and will not exceed that of 1915. There has been very serious development of scab, and a heavy dropping of fruit in all sections. Unsprayed orchards are practically worthless on account of poor quality. There has also been some damage by hail in the Cobourg district. In western and northern parts of the province there is a medium crop, but the quality, particularly in Western Ontario, is good only in well sprayed orchards.

CHOP STUFF

The Sarnia Red Cross made \$312.65 out of a carload of old paper.

Corp. Wm. O'Dell of Strathroy was reported killed, in Wednesday's casualty list.

London, Ont., has gone back to standard time. The daylight saving scheme did not give satisfaction.

Miss Grace Mead, formerly of Watford, has been engaged to teach in Howard township after the holidays.

A new silo owned by Henry Kerton, who lives near Camlachie, was blown down during Thursday's storm.

Plum and cherry trees in Huron county are suffering from a blight; the fruit falling off and covering the ground.

Lieut. Bernard Robinson, son of Rev. F. S. Robinson, Strathroy, who was wounded some time ago, is home.

Bruce Rose, son of Mr. Ed. Rose, of Petrolia, who is visiting in Detroit, was assaulted and robbed in broad daylight in that city.

Pte. Reg. Buchanan was reported killed, and Pte. Thos. Hiller a pioneer of war in Monday's lists. Both joined at Strathroy.

A Wallaceburg man has a new grass cutter made like a field mower with teeth moving sideways, that will cut any length of grass or weeds.

In Saturday's casualty lists Pte. Denshaw of Sarnia is reported a prisoner of war, and Lance-Corp. F. James, Pte. Roy Hempley and Pte. John Forter as wounded.

While Frank Wright, sixth line, Plympton, was milking, the cow became frightened and kicked him, throwing him against the wall and causing concussion of the brain.

Dr. W. A. Henderson of Sarnia, who has been on active service for a year with the Royal Army Medical Corps is expected to arrive home about the 10th or 12th of August.

At Forest on Thursday last, Miss Gertrude Bailey became the bride of Milton McCordie. The wedding was a quiet one, performed at the home of Major and Mrs. Bailey by Rev. D. J. Cornish.

Farmers spend millions of dollars every year on poisons to kill insects which might otherwise be destroyed by birds without any such cost, if they were here in sufficient numbers, and the boy with the gun is the chief cause of the lack of birds.

The death occurred at his home, lot 21, con. 7, Caradoc, on Thursday, 13th inst., of Alexander Campbell, for many years a well-known and highly esteemed resident of the township. Deceased was in his 81st year.

Mr. C. W. Hersee of Blenheim admits that he was properly "stung" this season on a poultry deal. He wrote to the Sunnyside Poultry Farm, Sarnia, in response to their advertisement, and procured a setting of their pure bred Rose Comb Black Minorcas. In due time the chicks arrived, brown, one white and two black. He has since been unable to get any reply in answer to letters addressed similarly to the one he wrote ordering the eggs.

Watford's Busy Store

Now is the time to Paper, as next year prices will be much higher on account of coloring material. We have a large stock of distinctly new patterns at old prices—some odd lines, enough for one room, at bargain prices. Call and let us show you our patterns and prices.

SHOES of all descriptions, including Pumps, Colonial and Strap Slippers. Roman Sandals for children, also patent button with blue top or white top.

CHINA—a large assortment suitable for Wedding presents, also Dinner Sets and Toilet Sets, a large assortment at low prices Call and let us show you our stock.

OUR GROCERIES will please you; they are always fresh. A trial order will convince you we can serve you well.

P. DODDS & SON
Watford's Busy Store

A BIG CLEAN UP OF DRYGOODS
SALE LASTS UNTIL AUGUST 5TH
Bargains All Over The Store
Swift, Sons & Co.

Children's Gingham and White Lawn Dresses, ages 6 to 12—35c to 65c. About half price, big table full.

8 Pieces Curtain Scrim and Nett in cream and white. Sale price 15 cents.—Swift's July Sale.

6 Dozen Men's Fancy Stripe Shirts, sizes 14 to 16½, Sale Price 89 cents and 95 cents. Special work shirts at 50 cents.

4 Dozen Men's Silk Caps the kind that folds in your pocket for the car, regular 75c, 85c, 90c. Sale price 60 cents.

Holeproof Silk Socks in black, tan, gun metal, navy, Palm Beach. Special at 50 cents.

Men's Neckwear Bargains:—4 doz. hook on at 15 cents, 3 dozen wash four in hand 2 for 25c, 3 dozen silk knit four in hand 25 cents, 6 dozen men's regular half dollar flowing ends. Sale price 35 cents.—Swift's July Sale.

Soft collars in 3 shapes, in white 15 cents, cool and dressy, sizes 14 to 16, 6 dozen outing shirts, white and fancy, sold at \$1.35 and \$1.50. Sale price 95 cents.

Smart Silk Waists:—Cream and black—\$1.75 and \$2.50, lawn and fancy muslins \$1.00 to \$2.90, new mid summer styles. Big table odd waists 29 and 39 cents. Sale price.

Big table men's fancy straw hats half price, good styles, every hat in the house has got to be sold, 3 dozen sample hats, new shapes half price, 2 dozen men's soft felts in grey, tan, pearls, half price.—Swift's July Sale.

Ladies' hosiery and underwear, specials:—Piles of odd lines and ranges in black, tan and white hose 15, 19, 25 and 35c, Silk hose 50 to \$1.25, black only, children's cotton and lisle and silk hose, black, cream, pink, blue.—Swift's July Sale.

This is a Cash Sale, no Goods Charged at Sale price. Come Early and often.

Ladies' coats for car wear \$3.50 and \$4.50, half price; half a dozen suits in 34, 36, 38 size, half price; a suit for \$5.00.—Swift's July Sale.

Hundreds of July Bargains All Over The Store
SWIFT SONS & CO.

The Wheatley School Board was informed last week that unless definite action is taken to provide better accommodation for the Continuation School there the Department will withhold the grants. The school board at once decided to build.

Scroggie & Elliott's stock of dry goods at Sarnia was damaged to the extent of \$3000 last week through someone opening a water tap on the top floor when the pressure was off for repairs of main. The open tap was not discovered until the store was opened next morning, the water flowing all night.

Mr. James Henderson, an old and respected resident of Adelaide Township met with a severe accident on Friday last, when assisting his son, Maitland Henderson, in hauling in hay from the field. It appears that the team became unmanageable and ran away, causing the wagon to upset, when Mr. Henderson was thrown on the ground with great force. Medical assistance was at once procured and although badly bruised and shaken up, he is doing as well as could be expected.

WANT COLUMN.

FOR SALE.—A good second-hand baby carriage. Apply to HARPER BROS. if

DRAY BUSINESS FOR SALE.—Complete outfit. Owner going west. Apply to ROY HOLLINGSWORTH, Watford. if

FOR SALE.—Brick residence on corner of Front and Warwick Streets. For particulars apply to A. DUNLOP, 237 Grand Ave. E., Chatham, Ont. m31-11

WORN OUT HORSES and fallen animals of any kind bought.—LETT BROS., fur ranchers, lot 18, con. 13, Brooke; Rural phone 4821. Watford P. O. Phone messages at our expense. if

SEVERAL dwelling house properties and two business properties in Watford and a few farms in this vicinity for sale. A stable and drive shed centrally located in Watford to rent. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister & C., Watford.

MARKETS

WATFORD

GRAIN AND SEEDS	
Wheat, fall, per bush	90 @ \$ 90
Oats, per bush	45 45
Barley, per bush	48 50
Beans, per bush	4 00 4 50
Timothy	4 00 5 00
Clover Seed	12 00 16 00
Alsike	9 00 12 00
PROVISIONS—	
Butter, per pound	22 22
Lard	18 20
Eggs, per doz	25 25
Pork	14 00 15 00
Flour, per cwt.	2 50 4 00
Brar, per ton	25 00 26 00
Shorts, per ton	26 00 28 00
MISCELLANEOUS—	
Wood	2 00 2 75
Tallow	8 8
Hides	17 17
Wool	32 42
Hay, per ton	8 00 9 00
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—	
Potatoes, per bag	9 9
POULTRY—	
Turkeys, dressed	18 21
Turkeys, per lb.	15 17
Chickens, per lb.	10 12
Fowl	7 10
Ducks	11 12
Geese	9 10
London	
Wheat	85 to \$ 93
Oats, cwt.	1 70 to 1 75
Butter	27 to 28
Eggs	25 to 26
Pork	14 75 to 15 00

Receipts were 34 cars, 473 cattle, 569 calves, 570 hogs and 177 sheep.

To-day's quotations:

Choice heavy steers	8 25 to 8 75
Butcher steers, choice	8 15 to 8 40
do., good	7 80 to 8 10
do., medium	7 60 to 7 80
do., common	7 00 to 7 25
Heifers, good to choice	8 50 to 8 75
do., medium	7 50 to 8 00
Butcher cows, choice	7 00 to 7 25
do., medium	5 75 to 6 50
Butcher bulls, choice	7 75 to 8 00
do., good	7 25 to 7 50
do., medium	6 75 to 7 00
Feeders	7 25 to 7 50
do., bulls	5 50 to 6 00
Stockers	7 00 to 7 50
do., medium	7 00 to 7 25
do., light	6 00 to 6 50
Canners	4 00 to 4 25
Cutters	4 50 to 4 75
Sheep, light clipped	7 25 to 7 50
do., heavy, clipped	5 00 to 5 50
do., light, unclipped	7 00 to 8 25
do., heavy, unclipped	7 00 to 7 50
Spring lambs	14 25 to 14 75
Calves, veal, choice	9 00 to 11 50
Hogs, fed and watered	12 00
do., f. o. b.	11 25
do., weighed off cars	12 15 to 12 25

East Buffalo.

East Buffalo, July 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; slow. Veals—Receipts, 2,100 head; active; \$4.50 to \$12.75. Hogs—Receipts, 2,100 head; active; heavy and mixed, \$10.50 to \$10.55; yorkers, \$10.15 to \$10.50; pigs, \$10 to \$10.15; roughs, \$9 to \$9.15; stags, \$8.50 to \$7.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 200 head; active and unchanged.

FARM FOR SALE

Fifty acres, east ¼ lot 21, con. 1, S. E. R. Warwick. Soil clay loam. On the premises are a new frame house, good barn, frame stable and granary, two spring wells, a good windmill. For further particulars apply to

ROBT. WILLOUGHBY,
Lot 24, Con. 1, N. E. R., Warwick,
j28-m2 R. R. No. 8, Watford P. O.

FAMILY DOCTOR'S GOOD ADVICE

To Go On Taking "Fruit-a-tives" Because They Did Her Good

ROCHON, P. Q., JAN. 14th, 1915.
"I suffered for many years with terrible indigestion and constipation. I had frequent dizzy spells and became greatly run down. A neighbor advised me to try 'Fruit-a-tives'. I did so and to the surprise of my doctor, I began to improve, and he advised me to go on with 'Fruit-a-tives'.
I consider that I owe my life to 'Fruit-a-tives' and I want to say to those who suffer from indigestion, constipation or headaches—'try Fruit-a-tives' and you will get well". CORINE GAUDREAU.
50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

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ICE CREAM made from pure cream just like velvet, put up in sodas and all the latest dishes.

Confectionery fruits, bread and cakes.

CHANTRY FARM
KERWOOD
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—AND—
Lincoln Sheep
ED. DeGEX, Proprietor
Karwood Ontario

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Bell, Gerhardt, Heintzman, Marton Orme.
Organs
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Feb 15

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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S GASTORIA

Her Atonement

A Story For Memorial Day

By ESTHER VANDEVEER

The summer of 1863 was an eventful period of my life. I was then a girl of eighteen, and the war between the states was at its height. I was living in Pennsylvania just north of the Maryland line and on a road leading up to Gettysburg.

One morning persons began to pass our house, making all the haste they could. Some of them were on foot, some in vehicles of different kinds, and nearly all carried articles of furniture or household utensils. When asked why and whence they were moving so hurriedly they said that a great army of Confederates was advancing to invade the northern states.

We held a family conclave to decide what to do. We were all Union sympathizers and knew we had nothing to expect from the southerners. But it didn't make much difference which side we were on, for the fences were sure to go for firewood, and soldiers who are bent on pillage don't mind which side they loot. We decided to stay at home and protect our property as far as we could. We buried the valuables—some silver and a little jewelry—and I walked back and forth over the ground under which it lay so that the recent digging might not be noticed. Father took down his fowling piece and started off northward to join the Federals.

When he had hidden everything that was hidable we waited. Father and the boys—the boys had long ago enlisted in the Union army—had always kept guns in the house for hunting and two or three revolvers. After father's departure I found that one revolver had been left, and I took it and put it in my pocket—for women had pockets in their dresses in those days—not knowing but that I might have occasion to use it.

It seems to me now, an old woman, that I must have been a plucky girl, though I didn't think so at the time. Indeed, the idea of a horde of men, with weapons to kill, sweeping over us like a cloud of locusts was enough to terrify any one. I felt the danger, but I kept my self possession. And I have noticed all through my long life that it is the unexpected that happens. Vice versa; the expected does not happen. Surely this was illustrated in the first locust which came in advance of the swarm. A young fellow in gray uniform, with gold braid on his sleeves, rode up to the house. I was on the porch. He took off his sombrero, smiled and said in the most deferential manner and voice:

"Can you tell me if there is a road leading eastward within a few miles north of us?"

There was certainly nothing to be afraid of in this young fellow, and I bravely answered:

"I can, but I won't."
He seemed rather amused than offended at my blunt reply. At any rate, he smiled, showing a set of very white teeth.

"You are a Unionist, I suppose?" he said.
"I am," was my firm reply.

"Then you are quite right to refuse information to a Confederate."
He looked up the road, hesitated, then spoke again.

"Would your Union sympathies prevent your giving me a crust of bread? I've been on the go for twenty-four hours with not a bite."

This was certainly not what I had dreaded. I had pictured a lot of rough men coming to the house and helping themselves to what they could find without asking permission. Here was a handsome young man deferentially begging a crust of bread.

"I will give you what we have," I replied and went into the house. He dismounted and, throwing the bridle rein over a picket in the fence, followed me. The cook had run away with other fugitives, and since there was no one to do anything but myself I set some cold meat and bread and butter on the table and made a cup of coffee. The young man was really hungry—indeed, he seemed famished. And it did my heart good to see how he enjoyed the coffee.

"That's the first cup of real coffee," he said, "that I have tasted in more than a year. You northerners have no idea what privations our southern people are enduring. The blockade has cut us off from every luxury."

While he was eating I was wondering why he wanted to know about a road running eastward. I asked him some questions, which he answered frankly, and from his replies I learned



that he was an officer on the staff of a general commanding one of the corps of the Confederate army and that he wished to reach the general commanding troops on the road next east and running parallel with the one on which we were. In his sword belt was a folded paper, which I presumed he was carrying to this commander.

The only persons in the house besides myself and the officer were mother and Aunt Charlotte, and they had locked themselves in a room on the second floor. My eyes were fixed on the paper the young man carried, and, womanlike, I was curious to know what was in it. Then the idea popped into my head to do my country a service by appropriating it. Had I been a man this might have been easy, for I had a revolver in my pocket and could produce it instantly, while his own pistol was in a holster on his hip. A man might have pointed his weapon at him and ordered him to throw up his hands, then possessed himself of the paper. But this was a good deal for a woman to do. At any rate I shrank from it. I determined to use more feminine means.

I noticed that it was difficult for him to keep awake while he was eating. There was nothing surprising in this, for I have heard that in wartime a man may pass several days without sleep, and many a man has slept under fire. When he had finished his meal I went to the cupboard where father kept his cigars and, taking the box, offered it to the officer. He opened his eyes with delight, and taking one bit off the end, and I lighted a match and held the flame to the cigar.

I now had an object and softened my manner toward him decidedly. Pointing to a lounge, I invited him to take a nap on it. He protested against the nap, but could not refrain from stretching himself upon it for a few whiffs of the cigar. I asked him if he would not take half an hour's doze, provided I would awaken him at the end of that time. He positively refused, though he confessed that he had had no sleep for two days. While he was refusing to sleep he passed into slumber.

He had hardly fallen asleep before I had the paper from his belt. I read it and it proved to be a message to a general on another route just when and where to meet the corps on our road and march together toward Gettysburg. Leaving the young man sound asleep, I went outside, mounted his horse and galloped away northward.

It was evening when I reached the camp of one of the corps near Gettysburg and delivered to the general the dispatch. He read it with great interest and said that it indicated what the southern forces were intending. Then he sent it to the commander of the Federal army.

All was changed when I reached home. An army—or part of one—had swept over the place, but though the fences and other articles that could be moved were gone, the place was not injured beyond repair. Our buried valuables had not been disturbed. The officer from whom I had taken the dispatch had, of course, vanished. Notwithstanding the service I had rendered the Union cause my heart smote me for the position in which I had placed him.

Then a boom coming down on the north wind announced the great historic battle that proved to be the turning point of the war. For three days we listened to the booming, like distant thunder; then down the road came the Confederates in retreat. They did not stop, but we expected another visitation when the Federal army would follow them. This, however, did not occur at once.

The Confederates left numerous wounded men in the different houses along the route, and we all took hold to care for them. I was very busy preparing such articles as they needed. Several wounded men were quartered at our house, but I left them much of the time to the care of my mother and my aunt, while I devoted myself to the production and distribution of supplies. This led me to a great number of the neighboring houses.

One day I went to a farmhouse to leave some lint. When I entered the living room, where several wounded men were lying on cots, there, pale and helpless, lay the officer whom I had robbed. Though I had done a legitimate deed of war, I felt as guilty as if I had run a knife into him. Perhaps if I had met him strong and well I should have triumphed over him. As it was, I was seized with a desire to atone for what I had done.

I did not dare face him and beat a hasty retreat. But the next day, summoning my resolution, I returned and walked into the room where he was lying. He recognized me at once, but I did not receive the look of reproach,

of bitter antagonism that I deserved. "I presume," I said, "that you despise me?"

"Why should I despise you? All is fair in war." Then, with that pleasing smile with which he had greeted me the first time I saw him, he added, "and in love."

It would be impossible to express my feelings as I stood over him looking down upon him, that smile on his face, which grew sad as he thought of the disadvantage that had accrued to his cause through his yielding to the fatigue which had overcome him.

"Forgive me," I said.
"I have nothing to forgive."
"I will do what I can to atone for what I have done. I will nurse you back to health."

"I shall feel a pride in being nursed by so brave and energetic a woman."

I kept my pledge. I devoted as much of my time to him as I could spare from my work for his wounded comrades. And when he had recovered he declared that my tender care had saved his life.

Three years later he reminded me of my words, "I will do what I can to atone for what I have done," and declared that it would require a lifetime of devotion on my part to enable him to bear the position in which I had placed him with his commander and brother officers. I replied that my life would be devoted to that purpose.

We are now an aged and feeble couple. Our grandson is an officer in the United States army, and my husband participated in the war between his united country and the Spanish at the end of the last century.

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Suspicious.
"Let me show you 'Love Letters of Wise Men,'" said the clerk in the book emporium.

"Are they signed?" asked the cautious bookworm.
"Yes, indeed; every one of them."
"Then they must be forgeries. Wise men never sign their names to love letters."

Incredible.
"I was talking with Professor Hooz last night. You know he's just back from an exploring expedition to central Africa."
"Did he make any important discoveries?"
"Well, he says he found a race of people so uncivilized that they had never even heard of moving pictures."

Box Trees of Aalsmeer.
Aalsmeer, Holland, is noted for its strawberries and the clipped box tree. This local industry, which has been brought to a perfection unknown elsewhere, has been carried on for at least 200 years, as the village records show. The nurseries are most curious and interesting. In the rich peaty soil box trees grow in every size and shape.

Practical Mother.
"That woman next door is a thoroughly practical woman. Hear that rumbly sound?"
"Yes. But what's practical about that?"

"Why, she's roller skating round her kitchen, taking off flesh and getting the baby to sleep at the same time."

Deduction.
"What conclusion did you draw from your study of that ancient Egyptian inscription?" asked the professor of archaeology.
"Why," replied the superficial student, "I decided that the old Egyptians had their comic artists the same as we have."

Hugging a Delusion.
Willie—Father, what does hugging a delusion mean? Father—Well, my boy, young Mr. Strong is an instance. He thinks your sister Clara is only twenty-two.

A Little Learning.
Walter—Will you have coffee, sir? Diner—Sure. Bring me a large demitasse.—Chicago Herald.

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WHITE OF THE MOON.

What Causes Fair Luna, in Its Color, to Rival Pure Snow?

The moon has no light of its own and shines through being illuminated by the sun. What sort of surface must the moon have to reflect the light so whitely as it does? This question is put forcibly in a letter to Nature from J. Evershed of Srinagar, Kashmir, who describes the moon as far whiter and more brilliant than the snow clad summits of the Himalayas when these are still lighted by the sun. He writes:

"Why does the moon appear so white if it is composed of rocks similar in reflecting power to those on the earth? The rock surface of the moon should reflect far less light than the cloudy surfaces of Venus and Jupiter, and it would be of interest if those who know would explain the apparent whiteness of the moon as seen in daylight."

"A direct comparison of the moon with terrestrial rock surfaces illuminated by sunlight is possibly to some extent vitiated by the superimposed blue light scattered by the intervening air, which may affect the color of the moon. Yet it is very difficult to believe that this can convert the gray and browns of rock surfaces into an almost pure white."

"On several occasions in this valley I have compared the waning moon, setting behind the Pir Panjal mountains and, of course, in full sunlight, with extensive snow fields. These snows are perhaps fifty miles distant, and there is a considerable amount of blue scattered light superposed on the snow, although less than on the moon. Also the light absorbed by the atmosphere is approximately and may be exactly the same for each if one considers the whole path of the light from sun to snow and thence to the observer. When the air is transparent enough to see the moon clearly it appears to me to be distinctly whiter than the snows, which seem dull and yellowish in comparison."

Mr. Evershed throws out the suggestion that the moon's surface may be covered with ice.

Concentration.
"My daughter," says the first mother proudly, "is the most popular girl in town. Why, we counted them up one day, and she has no less than fifty-three gentlemen admirers. Isn't that splendid! It must seem so very different to have a daughter like your Irene, who has but the one suitor."
"Yes," crisply retorts the other mother, "but I would beg you to remember that my daughter has landed her one beau, while your daughter is wondering which of the fifty-three is coming to the point."

"Peddler's Acre."
Lambeth "old" church has numerous historic monuments, and in one of the windows is the full length figure of a peddler with his pack, staff and dog. This is supposed to represent the unknown person who presented "Peddler's acre" to the parish upon condition that his portrait and that of his beloved canine companion should be preserved in the church and that his dog should be given a grave in consecrated ground.—London Saturday Review.

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Blenheim	Oct. 5 and 6.
Bridgen	Oct. 5 and 6.
Comber	Sept. 25 and 26.
Chatham	Sept. 19-21.
Delaware	Oct. 11.
Dresden	Sept. 28 and 29.
Essex	Sept. 27-29.
Florence	Oct. 5 and 6.
Forest	Sept. 25, 26.
Glencoe	Sept. 25, 26.
Leamington	Oct. 4-6.
London	Sept. 8-16.
Merlin	Sept. 28 and 29.
Meibourne	Oct. 4.
Muncey	Oct. 6.
Petrolia	Sept. 21 and 22.
Ridgetown	Oct. 9-11.
Rodney	Oct. 2 and 3.
Sarnia	Sept. 28 and 29.
Strathroy	Sept. 18-20.
Thamesville	Oct. 3 and 4.
Wallaceburg	Sept. 26 and 27.
Wallacetown	Sept. 28 and 29.
WATFORD	Oct. 10 and 11.
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R. R. 7, Watford.

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Lower School Examinations

The candidates from Lambton named below, have passed the Lower School examination for entrance into Normal Schools and Faculties of Education.

In addition to the above, they require to pass the Middle School examination before they can be admitted to the Normal Schools, and the Upper School examination before they can be admitted to the Faculties of Education. Those who have already passed either of these examinations are reminded that the Normal Schools open on September 1st, and that application therefore must be made to the Deputy Minister of Education not later than August 25. For information concerning the Faculties of Education, applicants are referred to the Registrar of the University of Toronto or of Queen's University, Kingston.

LAMBTON

F. G. Babcock, J. L. Barge, A. V. Barnes, K. Carrolthers, R. U. Churchill, M. Coke, H. Fessenden, I. C. Hopper, C. Hills, V. I. Jeffrey, M. V. Knowles, B. J. Leitch, H. M. Lochie, B. V. Leitch, G. Lightfoot, I. E. MacBean, M. A. McGeechay, I. P. Maw, A. G. Minnelly, D. J. Pierce, A. Pepper, A. M. Purvis, J. A. Paul, L. I. Rankin, O. M. Simpson, V. Vance, G. I. Whyte, L. Wilkin, F. Waddell, F. A. Young.

The following candidates at the Lower School examination were not successful, but in view of their marks they are permitted under the regulations to qualify for a Lower School certificate by taking the subjects named in brackets along with another departmental examination (Middle or Upper School) which they

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V. E. Acton (art), M. J. MacKenzie (arith.), M. L. McIntyre (art), C. M. McCordie (art), B. O'Donnell (art), W. I. Smith (art), P. O. Thompson (B. and C. his.), P. Wadsworth (B. and C. his.).
The Watford High School candidates who passed are Maude Coke, Fernie Waddell, Ada Minnelly and Alma Barnes.
Vern Acton failed in art, and Margaret McKenzie in arithmetic.
Twenty-six candidates wrote.

Entrance Into the Model Schools

The candidates named below have passed the examination for entrance into the Model Schools. They are reminded that the autumn Model Schools at Clinton, Cornwall, Kingston, Madoc, North Bay, Orillia, Port Arthur and Renfrew will open on Wednesday, August 16, and that those who wish to attend in order to qualify for limited third-class certificates should make application not later than August 8 to the Deputy Minister of Education on a form to be supplied by him. Applications will not be accepted from those who will not be eighteen years of age on or before December 31, 1916.

Cora Adams, C. A. Anderson, Pearl Atkinson, H. E. Bennett, L. P. Blerworth, Nellie Brown, C. Buchanan, E. Bowie, N. M. Crozier, F. Cooke, G. A. Cooke, Annie Conroy, M. M. Cooper, Marguerite M. Cooper, E. Davy, E. E. Evans, V. Finley, M. M. Fairfield, Gertrude George, T. E. Glancey, E. M. Grexton, A. A. Henson, P. Ireland, J. M. Leng, O. H. Lynn, C. L. Minor, A. Millale, T. C. Millale, C. O. Moscrop, A. McCartney, H. L. McMullen, M. M. McLeod, T. Norton, Agnes Ptolemy (Pt. A.), Hazel Percy, E. Reclman, F. M. Roblin, H. Stewart, S. V. Smyth, M. L. Walker, G. L. Wemp, M. Yeoman, L. White.

Effects of Drainage on the Soil

That drainage has a marked effect upon soil conditions is admitted by all. One good effect is rapidly followed by another, resulting from it, which in turn produces another. The first effect of the removal of the surface water from the soil is aeration or the admission of air into the spaces previously filled with water. It is through this free entrance of air and consequent aeration of the ground above the drains that the other beneficial effects noted are brought about.

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- 2.—Crops begin a healthy growth at once.
- 3.—Fertilizers are not wasted by surface washing.
- 4.—Crops are better able to withstand drought. The greater depth of soil and extended range of roots, together with the change in the texture of the soil, render it capable of retaining more moisture.
- 5.—There is no loss of crops from heavy rains. A sufficient number of drains of proper size, accurately laid, will carry off the heaviest rainfall.
- 6.—Frost does less injury to crops. Grass and fall wheat will not be injured by freezing or by heaving of the soil.
- 7.—Crops make a more vigorous growth.

8.—The profits from the land are greatly increased. Crops are no longer drowned out, necessitating re-planting. There is no waste time and labor in cultivating irregular fields. Waste land is made highly productive.

9.—Sanitary conditions of the farm are improved.

10.—Roads and walks are bettered. Roads are rendered more firm and sustain travel much better.

11.—The attractiveness of the premises is increased. All plant life makes a more vigorous growth, adding beauty to the farm.

12.—Disease among farm animals is decreased. Sheep and other animals pastured on low, wet lands are much more subject to some forms of disease than those running on well drained soil.
(To be continued)

George Keys, Expert Hydro Lineman, is Killed

Petrolia, July 21.—George Keys, an expert lineman on the hydro system, was electrocuted this morning about 10.50, while working on the wires of the high-voltage system on King Street. He was rushed in an auto to the office of Dr. Calder, where all means to restore him were used, but to no purpose. He had been employed for over a year on the system in and around Petrolia. He was an ex-member of the 70th Battalion. He leaves a wife and a family of two children.

The coroner's inquest resulted in the finding of the following verdict: "That the said George Keys came to his death in the Town of Petrolia on the 21st day of July, 1916, by an electric shock, caused by an automobile on the highway coming in contact with the construction wire, said contact causing the construction wire to come in contact with the high tension wire."

"We recommend that the authorities of the Town of Petrolia enforce the Ontario motor laws, and further recommend that the hydro commission of the Town of Petrolia take every precaution possible in construction work to protect the public."

The jurors were, R. J. Campbell (foreman), Albert Hesse, R. W. Parker, John Strevel, J. R. Steadman, C. J. Collins, Newell Healy, E. H. Hooper, T. Murdoch.

Mr. Keys was a native of Watford and well known to many here.

BROOKE COUNCIL

Alvinston, July 22nd, 1916. Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present but Mr. Campbell. Minutes of former meeting read and confirmed.
Engineer's report read on the proposed

repairs to the Thompson Drain, estimated cost \$780.

Bourne—Kennedy, that report be laid over.—Carried.

Engineer's report read on the proposed repairs to the Dolbear Gray drain, across lots 19, 20 and 21, con. 2 and 3, estimated cost \$120.00.

Johnston—Bourne, that report be accepted and Clerk instructed to prepare By-law for submission at next meeting authorizing the repairs mentioned in report, and to borrow by the issue of debenture the funds required.—Carried.

Engineer's report read on the proposed repair to the 6 and 7 Con. drain across lot 11, estimated cost \$355.

Bourne—Johnston, that report be accepted, and by-law be prepared authorizing work and loan.—Carried.

D. J. McEachren, President of the Brooke Municipal Telephone System, asked that the sum of \$1300 be advanced the Telephone System, \$1971 for running expenses and \$229 for construction work.

Johnston—Kennedy, that amount asked for be advanced.—Carried.

Account for \$80 received from Solicitor, being Solicitor's fees in connection with the suit Armstrong vs. Brooke.

Bourne—Kennedy, that accounts be paid.—Carried.

Bourne—Kennedy, that Monro Drain By-law be read a third time and finally passed.—Carried. By-law read and passed.

Duncan Campbell applied for remuneration for one sheep killed by dogs, valued by Inspector at \$15.00.

Bourne—Kennedy, that Mr. Campbell be paid \$10.00 being two thirds value.—Carried.

Kennedy—Johnston, that application having been made for a loan under the authority of the "Ontario Tile Drainage Act", that the clerk be authorized to publish the necessary notice for the passage of a by-law in order to procure funds for such persons as may be desirous of draining their farms under the provisions of said act, and that a special meeting of the Council will be held in Code's Hall, Alvinston, on Saturday, the 19th day of August, 1916, at 7.30 o'clock p.m. for the passing of the By-law.—Carried.

Kennedy—Johnston, that Council do now adjourn to meet in Inwood on Saturday the 26th day of August 1916.—Carried.

W. J. WEED, Clerk.

Berry-pickers in the Niagara district get 1½ cents a box, a 50 per cent increase.

DRAIN TENDERS WANTED

Tenders will be received up to Aug. 25th, 1916, for the construction of the Clark Local Drain in the Township of Warwick. Plans and specifications may be seen at my residence lot 5, con. 2, Warwick. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J28-4t J. W. BLAIN, Commissioner.

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