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The dependability, the speed and the efficient performance of the

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are characteristically Canadian. The demands of business and long distances covered in Canadian tours, both demand the sureness, the speed and the comfort of "Canada's Standard Car"

We have 1 Chevrolet, almost new, with extra Tire, Bumper and all equipment; also 1 Overland, 1 Baby Grand Chevrolet 1 Ford and 1 McLaughlin Six, all repainted and A-1 shape.

Several Good Farms in Vicinity of Athens

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LOCAL NEWS

ATHENS AND VICINITY

Baltimore Boat-Shipped, Fresh Oysters at Mat. Addison's Henry street

A. M. Chassels, the old reliable merchant tailor, is still doing business in his old stand and desires to thank his old customers for their patronage during the past thirty-seven years. Call and see his new spring suitings.

House Wanted—By middle of April or sooner, must have at least 3 bedrooms—apply to A. Thompson, Tailor, Athens.

FARMERS—Do you want to sell a horse or buy one? Do you want to buy or sell a cow? Use the bulletin service in the office of the Merchants Bank of Canada in Athens. We will help you make your purchases and sales.—Ask for the manager.

Married: Clarke—McLean, at Brockville on March 31, Lulu Evelyn McLean of Genevieve, N.Y., to Francis Widmer Clarke, Athens.

On Wednesday morning fire destroyed a barn at the rear of the residence of J. J. Hone, the property of Mr. Ardie Parish, besides the barn Mr. Parish lost his car, both partially covered by insurance.

Sunrise Prayer meeting on Easter Sunday morning at 7 a.m. in the school room of the Methodist church.

For Easter, Birthday or other nice cards let Miss Grace Rappell sell you some.

Mrs. Martha Holmes has purchased from Lois Moulton the Elgin St. residence now occupied by Mrs. James Wallace. Possession is to be given in October.

Wesley Towriss, Glen Buell, who recently sold his farm there, has purchased from the Algire estate the commodious brick residence corner of Elgin and Central streets.

The maple sugar and syrup supply is, as yet, rather meagre but farmers are expecting another freeze-up, following which the saccharine fluid will flow more freely.

Wild geese and smaller harbingers of spring are much in evidence so it is hoped that winter is relaxing his grasp.

"O, gentle Spring, do speed your step
And chase out Winter burly,
Display some energy and pep,
And get here, bright an early."

Mrs. G. E. Judson and son, Lyman were recent guests of Brockville friends.

W. H. Smith, B.S.A., made a business trip to Ottawa last week.

Mrs. T. E. Kendrick spent a couple of days in the Capital last week attending the executive of the Board of Managers of the Woman's Missionary Society. While in the city, he made a brief visit to a former pastor of this place, Rev. F. A. Read.

Everett King was at Brighton last week on a visit to his uncle, Edward King.

Mrs. A. Johnston has returned to her Victoria St. residence after spending the winter with relatives.

Mrs. O. Lillie has returned from Soperton to her Sarah St. residence much improved in health.

Principal Snowden, of the Public School staff has been invalidated home for a number of days consequently his pupils are accorded an extended holiday.

Burton Algire was taken to Brockville last week for surgical treatment.

Several cases of measles are reported.

On Wednesday evening of this week, at the residence of Rev. Mr. Bradley, Reid St., Miss Barclay home on furlough from several years of active missionary work in Egypt, was united in marriage to Rev. Mr. Bennett, who leaves in a short time with his bride to take up mission work in northern Africa.

The customary services were held on the morning of Good Friday.

Preparations are in progress for bright and joyous Easter services in the various local churches.

S. Seaman, Toronto, made a brief visit last week at the home of his half brother, Wm. Percival.

Mrs. Russell, Delta, was an Athenian visitor last week, a guest of Mrs. Munsel Brown.

Mrs. Wm. Keyes, of Lansdowne, spent the past week with her sister Mrs. (Dr.) Moore.

Mr. A. Thompson was called to Ottawa on Tuesday afternoon owing to the death of his nephew there.

The W.M.S. hold their Easter Thankoffering Service on Thursday, April 8, at 7.30 p.m. in the Methodist church. Good program and public are cordially invited.

Mrs. Mary Rappell and Miss Grace who have spent the winter at Leeds at the home of Mr. Albert Brown, have returned home and this week are moving to the Foley house on Wellington St. Miss Rappell wishes to let her friends know that she has just received a new and full supply of Toilet Goods, Soaps and Polishing Cloths, and will be pleased to receive and fill orders at anytime.

Mrs. Cook, Brockville and Mrs. Stevenson, Montreal guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Wiltse.

OTHERS

Lord, help me live from day to day,
In such a self forgetful way,
That, even when I kneel to pray,
My prayer may be for—Others.

And, when my work on earth is done
And my new work in Heaven's begun,
May I forget the crown I've worn
While thinking still of—Others.

Others, Lord, yes Others—
Let this my motto be;
Help me to live for others,
That I may live for Thee.

TENDERS WANTED.

Tenders addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to April 15th, 1920, by the Council of Rear Yonge and Escott, for crushing 1,000 cords of stone for the township roads this season. Contractor can furnish the complete outfit, or use township crusher and spreading wagons.

R. E. CORNELL, Clerk,
Athens P.O., Ont.

NOTICE

All parties owning hens or any other fowl must keep them enclosed on their own property as they are prohibited from running at large by a Village Bylaw.

F. BLANCHER,
Village Officer.

Tenders Wanted

The Council of The Incorporated Village of Athens ask for Tenders up to May 1st, for Crushing, Grading and Delivering on the Streets of Athens, of Two Hundred Cords of Stone.

GEO. W. LEE, Village Clerk.

ROTHSCHILD'S RULES.

1. Seriously ponder over and thoroughly examine any project to which you intend to give attention.
2. Reflect a long time, then decide very promptly.
3. Go ahead.
4. Endure annoyances patiently, and fight bravely against obstacles.
5. Consider honor as a sacred duty.
6. Never lie about a business affair.
7. Pay your debts promptly.
8. Learn how to sacrifice money when necessary.
9. Do not trust to much to luck.
10. Spend your time profitably.
11. Do not pretend to be more important than you really are.
12. Never become discouraged; work zealously and you will surely succeed.

Syrup Cans AND Sugar Supplies

We are looking forward to a record year in Syrup Making and have increased our stock of Cans and other utensils, so we may be in a position to supply the demand

WE MAKE A BETTER CAN

Reduced Prices on Quantity Lots

THE Earl Construction Company

Genuine Ford Repair Parts
GARAGE AND AUTO SUPPLIES
Athens Ontario

Are Your Eyes Right?

If you do not have eye comfort, make an early visit to our "Optical Parlor"

We have the most Scientific Equipment for Eye Sight Testing, backed by years of successful experience.

We can assure you of a Prompt, Courteous and most Expert Service.

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You Require Them NOW

We have them in styles to fit all shapes of shoes.

A Rubber well fitted wears longest.

A few Men's Rubbers left at 60c a pair

Rubber Boots

We have them small enough for the Kiddies, also Misses, Boys, Ladies and Men's sizes, all Fully Guaranteed Goods.

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Athens Ontario

Easter Hats

Get your Easter Hat Now and enjoy wearing during Eastertide.

We have them to suit all purses and fancies.

MISS C. GRAY

MILLINER
Athens Ontario

Do You Know

That we are so situated that we can save you REAL MONEY on the Very piece of Furniture you are planning to buy Call and see our showing, we are confident you'll be satisfied with our prices.

Geo. E. Judson

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W. Templeton, 142 King St. W., Toronto, for free sample.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Sunday School Lesson, April 4, 1920.
Easter Lesson, Luke 24:13-35. Israel Ruled by Judges. Print 2-6-16.

Commentary—I. Israel Forsaking Jehovah (vs. 6-13). 6. When Joshua had let the people go...

QUESTIONS—Give a brief account of the life of Joshua. What was the last service he rendered to Israel?

PRACTICAL SURVEY. Topic—God working through national leaders.

I. Joshua a great leader. II. Disobedience and chastisement. I. Joshua a great leader. Great nations have always great leaders.

10. Were gathered under their fathers—This expression means that they died. Knew not the Lord—The leaders of Israel at this neglected the Lord.

11. Israel punished (vs. 14, 15). 14. Anger—The wrath of Jehovah was kindled against Israel.

12. Disobedience and chastisement. The point of departure is recorded in verses 8-10. Another generation arose, morally poor, and historically penniless.

13. Ashtaroth—The plural of Asherah. This was the female deity corresponding to the male deity Baal. The worship offered to her was grossly impure.

14. Hand of the Lord—The Lord was greatly displeased with Israel because they had disobeyed and forsaken Him.

WOOD'S PHOSPHODINE. The Great English Preparation. Tones and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new Blood in old Veins.

From place to place to hear causes and to pronounce judgment. The Lord raised up these persons. It was the work, even if humanly, essentially was employed.

17-23. Even when the Lord raised up deliverers and signally wrought with them for the relief of His people, they refused to give heed to them.

Good horses are very often ruined if not lost by improper care. The way the colt is trained the horse will follow. Good care, kind treatment and regularity in all things will not only add years to the horse's life, but it will make the animal more sure and useful.

WHEN THE HORSE IS SICK. When the horse is taken ill, it is not always convenient to obtain the services of a veterinarian, so it is important that the owner have some knowledge of treatment.

GENERAL ADVICE WORTH KNOWING. In cases of bowel trouble injections of warm soapy water are beneficial. Salt, turpentine or glycerine may be added in small quantities.

FARM NEWS AND VIEWS. It is most essential that as many good points as possible should be embodied in the stock book. The first, undoubtedly, is that he should be purebred.

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It is therefore necessary that in selecting a bear one should be sought for compactness in frame, as long and deep in carcass as is possible consistent with strength.

When an ungraded sample of grain is sown the plants produced from the large seeds have a considerable and adverse influence on the plants produced from the small seeds.

Starts the calf right by giving him a good fall. Clean falls are as necessary in feeding calves as in milking cows.

Another of those ancient nooks immortalized by their associations with Charles Dickens seems doomed to destruction. This time it is a block of buildings situated in the Hampstead road, which are shortly to be offered for sale.

Life in the Isle of Utilia is described in The Oregonian as an existence of unbroken ease. There are no worries or ceaseless struggles for you daily outlives. Nature takes care of all that.

Utilia is one of the Bay Islands, a string of six verdant keys in the Bay of Honduras, an arm of the Caribbean sea, which were discovered by Columbus in 1492.

The verdict rendered a thousand times when corn gets sore. Do them to death by Putnam's Corn Extractor; it cures painlessly in twenty-four hours.

A mystery that farmers, poultrymen and many a housewife would like to have solved is: How do rats carry eggs? This mystery is enacted, in one form or another, annually on thousands of farms and sometimes even in city homes.

LET a woman ease your suffering. I want you to write, and let me tell you of my simple method of home treatment. Let me tell you the true, tried, tested, and put you in touch with women in Canada who will gladly tell you a method has done for them.

SHILOH 30 DROPS COUGHS. SINCE 1870. The Great English Preparation. Tones and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new Blood in old Veins.

finds no indication that the hen has broken the egg. The following day the second day two others are gone. Then, suddenly, the trusty broody hen leaves her nest, "broken up."

How do rats carry eggs? Some time ago the query was put up to the most famous of all American naturalists, John Burroughs, who, according to the Scientific American, admitted that he didn't know, but that he had formed an explanation, current among farmers, but he couldn't say that it was the correct one.

DR. MARTEL'S PILLS FOR WOMEN'S AILMENTS. Thousands of women have testified in the last 25 years to the healing qualities of Dr. Martel's Female Pills.

DICKENS NOOK SOON TO BE LOST. Mornington Crescent, in Hampstead Road, Where Novelist Went Early to School.

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MARKET REPORTS TORONTO MARKETS

FARMERS' MARKET. Dairy Products: Butter choice dairy, Do. creamery, Margarine, Eggs, new laid, do., Cheese, lb., Dressed Poultry: Poultry, lb., Chickens, lb., Turkey, lb., Live Poultry: Roast, lb., Boaster, lb., Poultry, lb., Fruits: Apples, bbl., Do. bbl., Apples, bunch, Do. bunch, Vegetables: Beets, bag, Carrots, bag, Cabbages, each, Cauliflower, each, Celery, head, Cress, bunch, Lettuce, head, Onions, bbl., Potatoes, bag, Parsley, bunch, Spinach, bunch, Turnips, bag.

MRATS-WHOLESALE. Beef, forequarters, cwt., Do. do., medium, Do. hindquarters, Do. do., medium, Carcasses, choice, cwt., Do. medium, Do. common, Veal, common, cwt., Do. medium, Do. prime, Heavy hogs, cwt., Shop hogs, cwt., Abattoir hogs, cwt., Mutton, cwt., Lamb, yearling, lb.

SUGAR MARKET. The wholesale quotations to the retail trade on Canadian refined sugar. For delivery are now as follows: Atlantic granulated, 100-lb. bags, No. 1 yellow, 100-lb. bags, No. 2 yellow, 100-lb. bags, No. 3 yellow, 100-lb. bags, Acadia granulated, 100-lb. bags, No. 1 yellow, 100-lb. bags, No. 2 yellow, 100-lb. bags, No. 3 yellow, 100-lb. bags, Edgemoor granulated, 100-lb. bags, No. 1 yellow, 100-lb. bags, No. 2 yellow, 100-lb. bags, No. 3 yellow, 100-lb. bags, Lawrence gran., 100-lb. bags, No. 1 yellow, 100-lb. bags, No. 2 yellow, 100-lb. bags, No. 3 yellow, 100-lb. bags.

THE worms that infest children from their birth are of two kinds, those that find lodgement in the stomach and those that are found in the intestines. The latter are the most destructive, as they cling to the walls of the intestines and if not interfered with work havoc.

OTHER MARKETS

WINNIPEG EXCHANGE. Fluctuations on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange were as follows: Open, High, Low, Close. Oats: May, 0.99%, 0.99%, 0.99%, 0.99%; July, 0.94%, 0.94%, 0.94%, 0.94%. Barley: May, 1.57%, 1.57%, 1.56%, 1.57%; July, 1.53%, 1.53%, 1.53%, 1.53%. Flax: May, 5.48, 5.48, 5.38, 5.48; July, 5.24, 5.24, 5.13, 5.19. MINNEAPOLIS: Minneapolis—Close: Wheat, spot, No. 1 Northern, \$2.76 to \$2.85. Flour unchanged; Minnesota, \$3.00 to \$3.10. Rye, No. 2, \$1.75 to \$1.75. Bran, \$4.00. Flax, \$4.00 to \$4.00.

Sore Flies Before It—There are many who have been afflicted with sores and have driven them away with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, which acts like magic. All similarly troubled should lose no time in applying this splendid remedy, as there is nothing like it to be had. It is cheap, but its power is in no way expressed by its low price.

Pointing Spring-ward.

Exquisite new suede gloves in dove and fawn shades, and made in the fashionable strap-wrist style. New spring topcoats of silvertone velour in the pretty reindeer brown shade, with patch pockets and narrow belts. New certones in pretty flowered patterns and light and dark colorings—for slip covers and cushions. New wool Jersey cloths in mixed color effects, and intended to make the practical sports suits and coats. There are plenty of brown and blue effects. Stunning new separate skirts of tricotee and the glistening baronet satin that is so pretty.

Spring Foulards.

Their popularity never wanes. And each season they appear in new weaves and patterns. Dark blue or black foulards with white or colored printings are as usual, much to the fore this spring. But a woman may choose brown or taupe or gray or French blue—for these are likewise listed among the colors. They are most attractive, are forty inches wide, and though not inexpensive (what is these days?) are certainly among the most practical spring and summer silks.

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

A Budget of News From the Old Land

Bishop of Limerick since 1914, the Rev. Dr. Herbert E. Jones has died at Hove, aged 65.

For 49 Shorthorn cattle sold at Moreby, Cumberland, £22,222 was paid, an average of 255s each.

At a Goodmayes (Essex) whisky drive a bottle of whisky was won by a local temperance reformer.

Bones, fats and swill saved in the home army commands from 1916 to 1919 were sold for £1,566,838.

First elected in 1874, Mr. Samuel Edwards, "father" of Birmingham City Council, has died, aged 84.

Cadon George Marshall Argles, who had been rector of St. Mary's and St. Clement, York, for 48 years, has died.

Two burial urns supposed to date from the Bronze Age (about 500 years B.C.) have been found near Sherwell, Isle of Wight.

Taxicab fares in London will be increased by 50 per cent. on March 1st, but the initial hiring charge of 6d is to be discontinued.

A recluse, Fanny Ivens, 50, of Salisbury Mansions, Haringey, London, was found, after having lain dead for at least five weeks.

A member of Datchet (Bucks) Parish Council, Mr. Alfred Talbot, 73, retired farmer, was found in his house shot through the head, a shot-gun lying beside him.

Found guilty of the murder of his wife at Wolverhampton last August, Andrew Fraser, 31, a discharged naval stoker, was sentenced to death at Staffordshire Assizes.

Not one of the seven children and 22 grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. John Rhodes, Lee Farm, Myerscough, Lanes, who have celebrated their golden wedding (fifty years) has died.

Nothing could beat the way in which labor put its squabbles below ground and decided to go into the war and win it, said Lord Asquith at the Constitutional Club, London.

The Board of Agriculture has obtained treasury sanction to pay compensation to allotment holders disposed of their plots within two years after the termination of the war.

Lord D'Abernon, who has presided over the Liquor Control Board since its formation in June, 1915, has resigned. The board was responsible for the strict curtailment of drinking hours during the war.

Dr. Richard A. Shekleton, of Holywood, Co. Down, was granted a divorce in Dublin from his wife, Helen Kathleen Shekleton, on the ground of her misconduct with Major Bell Syer, and agreed damages of £1,000 were assessed against the latter.

Of 3,863,392 demobilized men, said the Minister of Labor in the House of Commons, 339,294 or 8.8 per cent., were drawing out-of-work donations on February 6th, distributed as follows: Ireland, 27,643; England, 273,458; Wales, 7,288; Scotland, 30,500.

The fire at Cross House, Newcastle-on-Tyne, on December 23, when 12 persons lost their lives, was caused through kinema films in the basement coming into contact with an electric light bulb or a match or a cigarette end being dropped on them, it was found by the coroner's jury.

A case of plague has been reported in the Japanese steamer Ala Maru, lying in the Thames.

Raeburn's portrait of Lady Mary Seymour was sold at Christie's, London, for £4,200.

Dr. Haydn Keeton has completed his 50th year as organist of Peterborough Cathedral.

Attired only in her nightgown, Frances Clements, aged 25 years, of Mansfield road, Hampstead, N.W., was stopped by a policeman about 7 a.m. in South End road, half a mile from her home. She was fast asleep, and the constable took her in an ambulance to Hampstead General Hospital. She was still asleep when examined by the doctor, who certified her to be suffering from somnambulism as the result of a nervous breakdown.

The ex-Kaiser's yacht Meteor is said to have been bought by Mr. V. Behar, a Glasgow carpet merchant.

Virulent X-rays disease has attacked Mr. A. C. Taylor, who has worked the apparatus in Peterborough Infirmary since 1896.

A brigadier-general and twenty colonels are among the applicants for the £250 secretaryship of Northampton War Pensioners Committee.

A statue to Seaman J. H. Carless, V. C., who was killed in the battle of Heligoland Bight in 1917, has been unveiled at Walsall, Staffs.

Some Berkshire Territorials have just received by post Christmas gifts

WOMAN OPPOSES DR. MACNAMARA

Latter for Lloyd George, but Liberals Hostile.

Other Interesting Contests in Great Britain.

London cable says: Undoubtedly the keenest of several by-elections now being fought in in Cambridge, where Dr. MacNamara seeks re-election on receiving ministerial promotion. Dr. MacNamara will go forth in Premier Lloyd George's new programme aimed at Labor's alleged absorption by syndicalism and Socialism. Dr. MacNamara was originally elected for the constituency as a Liberal, but the Liberal organization revolted from him when he helped oppose Sir John Simon in Spen Valley, Cumberland, Liberalism are now supporting Mr. J. C. Carroll against Dr. MacNamara, but indications are that the election will rest largely between Dr. MacNamara and Miss Susan Lawrence, Labor candidate, who will certainly receive a big woman's vote in such a working class district.

Mr. Walter Runciman, shipping magnate, formerly a member of Mr. Asquith's administration, is fighting North Edinburgh, vacant through Scottish League changes. Patrick J. Ford has been adopted as a Coalitionist by both wings of the party. James Maxton, Scottish Labor organizer, is Labor candidate.

In Northampton, Mr. Charles McCurdy, new Food Controller, will fight Miss Margaret Benfield, Laborite, Northampton Liberals are supporting Mr. McCurdy. "In special circumstances in this election and because we feel he is the best man for the office to which he has been appointed," maintain the Liberal party as a separate instrument and offer uncompromising opposition to fusion proposals.

ORDER BRITISH FROM PALESTINE

Constantinople cable says: Despatches from Beirut announce that Emir Faisal, recently proclaimed King of Syria, has given the French until April 6th to leave Syria, and the Arabs have ordered the British out of Palestine.

Prince Faisal, son of the King of Hedjaz, has been ordered to explain to the Supreme Council of the Allies the crowning of him as King of Syria. Mr. Lloyd George announced that recognition was denied him by the Allies as the ruler of the country, and Lebanon protested against his sovereignty.

After the ceremony of his proclamation, Emir Faisal declared that this would not affect relations with the Allies.

ASQUITH DECLINES. Refuses Lloyd George's Invitation for Coalition.

London cable says: Herbert H. Asquith, former Premier, who recently was elected to the House of Commons from Paisley, Scotland, in a speech at the National Liberal Club to-day, replied to Premier Lloyd George's declaration that all the old parties should unite against the Labor party to prevent Bolshevism.

Mr. Asquith said the appeal was for class cleavage, and the most mischievous thing that had been done.

"I am glad we are approaching the close of a transient era of organized insincerity," Mr. Asquith declared, adding that the free Liberals would not be "harassed to the wheels of the Tory chariot."

Mr. Asquith branded the Irish bill "a most fantastic and impracticable scheme, and the greatest travesty of self-government ever offered a nation."

IRISH UNREST Spies Honeycomb the Sinn Fein Banks.

London cable says: The recent seizure of Dublin Castle mail bags, says an Evening News despatch from Belfast, has disclosed the fact that the Republican army ranks are honeycombed with spies and informers, to whom are attributed some of the more recent Irish tragedies. The newspaper adds that to-day there were further transfers of large bodies of the Irish Constabulary from the north of Ireland to the south.

The inquest on the body of Lord Mayor MacCurran was resumed at 7 o'clock this evening in the Cork City Hall. There was a large police guard. It was announced on behalf of the Attorney-General that all facilities would be given for the fullest investigation.

Several witnesses were examined concerning the circumstances of the murder and the subsequent visit of the military to the Lord Mayor's house. Their testimony, however, added little to the details already published. Nothing was disclosed to throw light on the motive or identity of the assassins.

WHEN BOSTON WAS IN TROUBLE.

In 1774, on the 1st of June, the Boston port bill went into operation. At noon the harbor was closed against all vessels and business was suspended. In a 20 days' notice the citizens of Boston were deprived of their means of gaining a living. Indignation ran high throughout the colonies, contributions were raised in other cities for their relief, and the people of Marblehead offered the Boston merchants the use of their wharves.

The man who stands in his own light doesn't necessarily keep other people in the dark.

Once upon a time the gallant used to kiss his lady's hand. The modern girl will tell you it's entirely out of place.

GERMANY MUST RESTORE ORDER

Allies to Hold Aloof in the Ruhr Valley.

United States Concurs in Their Decision.

Washington despatch: The United States has joined Great Britain and Italy in the proposal to grant permission to the Ebert Government to send troops into the Ruhr district to prevent its forcible occupation by Spartans.

This became known to-day in military circles after it was announced at the State Department that Secretary of State Colby and Colonel Davis, the American military representative at Berlin, had exchanged messages on the situation. The stand taken by this Government is a direct variance with the French proposal that Marshal Foch enter the disputed territory with 80,000 Allied troops. It was clearly understood here by officials that the French position was based on the distrust that would be felt throughout all France were any large German military force within striking distance of the Allied zones of occupation.

IRISH OUTLOOK NOW VERY GRAVE

Conditions in West and South Extremely So.

Public So Enraged As to Be Irrational.

London special cable says: The Dublin correspondent of the London Times describes the situation in Ireland in the darkest colors. He says the outlook is serious. Conditions in the west and south are extremely grave. The position, had last week, is now definitely worse. Public feeling is so fiercely intimated as to become quite irrational. The most outrageous charges against the Government are accepted as gospel truth.

The correspondent says the Sinn Fein asks the country to accept the monstrous theory that Lord Mayor MacCurran was killed by actual agents of the Government. He describes the overnight riot in Dublin as another danger signal, and says it is impossible to get an impartial account of the incident, the popular version being that the soldiers provoked and assaulted civilians. The correspondent learns that the soldiers were stoned by the crowd because they left the theatre singing the National Anthem as a protest against the failure of the theatre orchestra to play it. He adds that public opinion throughout the country is expressed by a wild charge against the police and soldiers, who hardly would be human if they did not resent the campaign of murder and calumny.

There isn't much difference between trying to flatter an egotist and carrying coals to Newcastle.

SHOT SON TO SAVE HIS SOUL

Chicago Father's Method With Wayward Boy

After Every Other Means Had Failed.

Chicago despatch: Frank Pinano, jun., to-day was at the County Hospital with three bullet wounds in his body. Frank Pinano, sen., was held at a police station, where officers said a murder charge would be placed if the 18-year-old boy died.

POLES ROUTED THE BOLSHEVIKI

Red Assault Ended in Severe Reverse

And Big Captures By the Defenders.

A Warsaw cable says: Extremely heavy fighting is reported on the Polish front. A communication issued to-day announces that after the greatest artillery preparation yet experienced, the Bolshevik infantry advanced in columns against the breachhead at Zwieliel, aided by tanks and armored motor cars. After a sharp engagement, says the communication, the Polish troops launched a counter-attack with bayonets and hand grenades, driving the enemy far from the Polish line.

The Poles, the communication continues, captured one tank, and some machine guns and prisoners. Simultaneously the Poles attacked the Seventh Bolshevik Division, which was on the offensive in the sector of Emilozen, and compelled the enemy to retreat easterly, abandoning his batteries, horses, ammunition carts and machine gun. At other points attempts to cross the River Slez were checked.

The communication adds that intensive artillery fire continues by both sides along this and other sectors, and that the Bolshevik are concentrating as rapidly as possible and reforming their shattered units for the purpose of re-attacking.

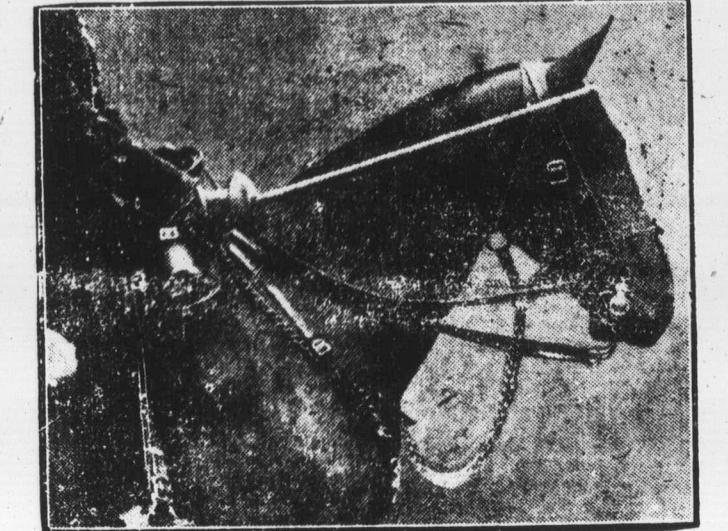
On the Podolian front the Bolsheviks have attacked Novosienlawke, Leczyca and Novocostantynow and the sector south-west of Deranza. Heavy fighting followed these attacks, which were preceded by artillery preparations. A number of villages in the region of Deranza changed hands time and again, but the Poles counter-attacking in the end were the victors. There was much hand-to-hand fighting in these villages, the fighting lasting all day and night.

MISSPOKEN.

Mistress—"I saw the milkman kiss you this morning. In the future I will take in the milk myself."

Jane—"It would be no use, mumm. He's promised never to kiss anybody but me."

You can't always tell how sharp a fellow is till you sit on his point of view.



NEW WEAPON FOR IRISH POLICE. Dublin's mounted police force has been issued a new weapon in the shape of an ash stick. In a recent Sinn Fein battle the rioters thought they were swords. The picture shows the close resemblance.

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Where the Black Bass Splash

(Crawf. C. Slack)

Are you weary of the office and its daily routine work?
Are you tired of estimating and dictating to your clerk?

Are returns quite insufficient which you find among your bills,
What's the use of all this worry,
There's no use to stew and fret,
For my friend a scanty living out of it is all you'll get.

When the "Grind of Greed" perplexes, and is pressing you for cash,
Come away with me I'm going where the Black Bass sport and splash.

When the gang which you have helping (Which you've helped too many a day),
Come to you some worried morning and demand a raise in pay.

When your customers all murmur at the price of goods you sell,
And you feel a lot like telling them all to go to Kell,
But you have to curb your feelings for such words would never do.

For no doubt you'd lose your helpers and perhaps your custom too,
What's the use of all the worry just about a little cash,
Come away with me where the the beauty Black Bass splash?

We will take along our spinners and the bait and Muskrat traps,
And we'll watch for Mr. Musky" and and catch him too perhaps?

We will build a camp of drift-wood 'Mong the Fir trees growing tall,
And with fragrant Hemlock feathers we can make a bed for all,

I've coraled a slab of bacon so we'll have a fish and fry,
And a friend of mine has promised That he'll lend a jug of rye,

So just come along don't worry? you'll forget about the cash,
And will catch the halcyon fever, Where the shining Black Bass splash,

Every spring I catch the fever when I see the meadow creek,
Hurry on to join the waters where the gems of life are thick,
Every day I hear the music of their far off coaxing call,
High above financial clamor, High above this human brawl,

How I long for their seclusion there to hide from stress and strain,
Just to rest within their shadows and to taste of life again,
So don't worry over money, for to-day it's common trash,
Not compared with sweets of nature where the shining Black Bass splash.

Charleston
There was a good run of sap this last two days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Heffernan were Sunday visitors at Jas. Kavanagh's. Mrs. J. McKenny and children, Frankville spent the week end with relatives here.

The ice is beginning to break away from the shore. Miss May Latimer has returned from Brockville.

Mrs. B. Killingbeck is quite poorly Miss Cora Kelsey is spending a few days at Portland.

Trapping for muskrats seems to be a favorite pastime at present.

Rockspring News
Miss Bertha O'Neil has taken a situation in Brockville.

Mr. Andrew Wallace has returned after taking a course in the Dairy School, Kingston.

Miss Helen Tackaberry spent the week end with Miss Richards. Mrs. Melvin Logan and Mrs. Will Logan are spending a few days in Brockville with their aunt Mrs. L. Sanford.

Miss Helen Burrigge, B. B. C., was a recent week end visitor at her home here and Miss Mildred Johnson, B. B. C., was at her sister's, Mrs. Jas. Guinness.

Miss Addie Tackaberry is spending a few days with Mrs. Levi Howe.

Philippville
Almost everything sold at Nathan Carr's sale last Friday brought a high figure, six ducks and one drake sold for \$22.75 or 3.25 each.

The snow is about all gone and the roads are in a bad shape especially when there are some heavy snow banks.

Syrup making is rather slow so far and the farmers do not like to put a price on the syrup for fear that they would not be asking enough.

There are a number of families are still confined to the house with the flu. Miss Anna Stevens is under the doctor's care with a nurse, and is reported some better.

Milton Denny was very fortunate

Greenbush
Mrs. Ernest Kendrick is visiting relatives before taking up house-keeping in her home in New Dublin to which she and Mr. Kendrick intend to return as soon as their household effects arrive from Saskatchewan where they have spent the past three years farming.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kendrick and daughter returned from Cana, Sask., and are operating the farm owned by Mr. Ed. Smith.

Miss Ellen Wallace who has been visiting friends here for the past two months has returned to Cape Vincent, N.Y.

Mr. Henry J. Davis met with a very serious accident while engaged in Mr. Root's sawmill on the 15th inst. a plank having caught in the saw was thrown so as to hit Mr.

Do not forget to file your

Income Tax Return

on or before the 30th of April, 1920.

Dominion of Canada



Department of Finance

ALL persons residing in Canada, employed in Canada, or carrying on business in Canada, are liable to a tax on income, as follows:—

1. Every unmarried person, or widow, or widower, without dependants as defined by the Act, who during the calendar year 1919 received or earned \$1,000 or more.
2. All other individuals who during the calendar year 1919 received or earned \$2,000 or more.
3. Every corporation and joint stock company whose profits exceeded \$2,000 during the fiscal year ended in 1919.

Forms to be used in filing returns on or before the 30th of April, 1920.

ALL INDIVIDUALS other than farmers and ranchers must use Form T 1.

FARMERS AND RANCHERS must use Form T 1A.

CORPORATIONS and joint stock companies must use Form T 2.

Penalty

Every person required to make a return, who fails to do so within the time limit, shall be subject to a penalty of Twenty-five per centum of the amount of the tax payable.

Any person, whether taxable, or otherwise, who fails to make a return or provide information duly required according to the provision of the Act, shall be liable on summary conviction to a penalty of \$100 for each day during which the default continues. Also any person making a false statement in any return or in any information required by the Minister, shall be liable, on summary conviction, to a penalty not exceeding \$10,000, or to six months' imprisonment or to both fine and imprisonment.

General Instructions.

Obtain Forms from the Inspectors or Assistant Inspectors of Taxation or from Postmasters.

Read carefully all instructions on Form before filling it in.

Prepay postage on letters and documents forwarded by mail to Inspectors of Taxation.

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in securing the services of Mr. George A. ——— to assist him in carrying for his large stock of Holssteins.

R. C. Haskin has got in a large stock of cheese box material ready for the coming cheese season.

Wm. Chant is working the M. Denny bush and Mac Johnson has Chester Lockwood's bush on shares.

Morton
Mrs. B. Simpson and little son of Jones' Falls, spent a few days last week, with her mother, Mrs. J. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Richards motored to Kingston one day last week. Miss Mary Glover, Jones' Falls,

spent the week end with Miss Daisy Somerville.

Mrs. A. Dillon spent a few days last week in Lyndhurst, where she was engaged as dressmaker.

Mr. A. Dillon visited friends at Briar Hill on Sunday last.

The many friends of Mr. T. Kearney, are pleased to see him able to be out doors again.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Petrin are moving into the village.

Great excitement was caused on the 29th, about noon, when word reached the village that the farmhouse owned by J. N. Somerville, was on fire. With the assistance of the neighbors it was overcome.

Miss Ella Smith, Mrs. M. Sweet, and Miss Ethel Sweet, were Sunday visitors at J. N. Somerville's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blackman and family, of Leeds, were guests of J. Stewart's on Sunday last.

Mrs. H. Dean has arrived home from Ottawa, after a three weeks visit.

Miss Maud McMacheon is visiting friends in California.

Mr. Clare Somerville, of the West, is renewing old acquaintances in this village.

Maple Syrup is selling in this vicinity for \$3 per gallon.

G. B. Somerville expects to open his factory at Ellenville this week.