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MR. JOHN G. KENT, a man of wealth and extensive business in-terests, who has refused to accept any remuneration whatever for his services as General Manager of the Canadian National Exhibition, pre-ferring to serve the public free of charge. He is President of the To-ronto Board of Trade and has been on the Exhibition Board since 1905, always showing a close interest in the work. He was President in 1912-13, the two best years in the history of the institution. Mr. Kent is head of the Boy Scouts in Toronto and is identified with many philanthropic enterprises. Long and continued illness has compelled Dr. Orr, Manager since 1903, to seek a long rest.

BISHOP HORNER ENJOINED

At Toronto yesterday it was judically ordered that "the late Bishop," or Mr. R. C. Horner of the Holiness Movement Church of Canada, must not officiate in church till the trial has disposed of the question whether or not he was validly deposed. The injunction was accordingly granted by Mr. Justice Sutherland at Osgoode Hall. Justice Sutherland remarked that if Mr. Horner wished to contest the decision of the Church it was incumbent upon him to take action through the courts. He was deposed by a vote of the General'Synod at Ottawa.

-Trinity church, Addison, will hold their annual garden party on the evening of Wednesday, August 1st. A good program will be given. Single tickets 40c, double tickets 75c.

Passed Lower School.

The candidates named below have passed the lower school examination for entrance into Normal school and faculties of education. In addition to the above they require to her daughter, Mrs. Capt. Duclon. pass the middle school examination before they can be admitted to the Normal school and the upper school examination before they can be admitted to the facuties of education.

H. A. Brown, H. M. Brown, J R. Burchell, G. M.Hart, H. S. Percival, H. R. Rahmer, E. M. Russell.

Mr. J. K. Redmond Dead.

Mr. J.K. Redmond died yesterday in Brockville, where he was receiving treatment. Deceased had been in failing health for years, but the end came unexpectedly. The Reporter will contain an obituary next week.

Dr. N. F. Dupuis Dead.

The students of Queen's University
Kingston, The Province for Flying Corps. California, of Dr. N. F. Dupuis, formerly Dean of the Faculty. He was a nephew of Mrs. (Dr.) Addison, of

THE RESTLESS SEX

Robert W. Chambers's great new novel in Cosmopolitan is making a hit. Everyone is talking about it. If you haven't started "The Restless Sex," begin with the second instalment in August Cosmopolitan.

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construction but it is a great narra- week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. tive of a girl's struggle against man- Jos. Thompson. Misses Jane and

pictures by the foremost writers and Lake, Mr. Thompson's summer artists of to-day.

Purely

Mr. Clarence Rowsome left this week for Toronto.

Mrs. Barry, New Dublin, is a guest of Mrs. L. G. Earl.

Miss Nellie Beach, Brockville, is a guest of Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Moore.

Mr. James Scott returned Saturday from the Canadian West after an absence of several months.

Mr. George Hickey left yesterday on a business trip to Ottawa.

Miss Mabel Jacob is engaged to teach Hard Island school.

Mrs. S. J. Dillabough is visiting friends at Winchester.

Miss Muriel Brouse, Brockville, s a guest of Mrs. Morford Arnold.

Miss Pearl Stevens is able to be down stairs following her severe attack of inflamatory rheumatism.

Miss Edna Whaley was successful in graduating from the Brockville Business College.

Misses Janie and Lillian Harte, of

Grantley, Ont., are guests of their uncle, Dr. J. F. Harte. Miss Blanche McLean is taking a

summer course at Queens University Mr. Watts, C. N. R. agent and Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilyard Leggett and son, of Lansdowne, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Rahmer.

W. McCue, of Forfar, were in town

Miss Hazel Latimer has returned from a visit with Miss Leita Gorman at Chantry.

Frances and Beverly Hutton of Smith's Falls, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cross

Mr. and Mrs. M. Anglin, of McIntosh's Mills, left to-day via C. P. R. for Biggar, Sask.

X Miss Gladys Gainford has accepted a position in the Bank of Toronto at Greeceville, Sask. and left on Monday for the West.

Mrs. Harry Saunders returned to Kingston on Monday after spending a couple of months here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cowan, of Port Arthur and Miss Jessie Anderson, of Belleville, were guests last week at the Rectory. Miss Wilhelmina Kyle, of South

Augusta and Mr. Wilfred Baker, of Brockville, were guests of Gladys Gainford on Sunday last.

Mrs. Geo. Evans and Master Edweek to spend a few days, guests of vacation.

and public school principal for the the week-end. past two years here, has been engaged to teach next year near College.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Fleichman have taken possession of their cottage on Beecher Island at the lake. Their in Athens for a few days visiting camp which has a Blaugas lighting friends, the guest of Miss Rhena system is very beautiful at night.

Mr. John Giles, son of Rev. W. W. Giles, who spends his summers at the lake, has enlisted in the American navy. Mr. Robert Mack, who usually comes here for the summer with his mother, is in the American

Miss Celia Pollock came out from Brockville recently to spend a day or so at her former home with Mrs. X Mr. Levi Scott returned last week Falls, where she enters he hospital

on probation to train as a nurse. Miss Anna Stevens, of Regina, a former teacher in the Athens public school, was a visitor in Athens on Sunday, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Yates. She was accompanied by the three small children of her deceased sister, Mrs, Walter Olds, of Green-

bush.

It is not a novel of ingenius plot daughter, Helen, of Brockville, were Grace Mooney, Toronto, and Miss Get August Cosmopolitan to-day. Dorothy Morrison, Brockville, are to visit friends in South Mountain home.

Personal

Money Talks

Certainly it talks, but unless you have sense and pluck enough to make it talk to you directly through money saved, the talk is useless.

LISTEN TO-DAY. Commence a Savings Bank Account, and what you hear will help you.

Mr. E. Duffield is very ill at his Tom Marks Co. home on Prince street.

Miss Ella Deming is in Ottawa on visit to relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stevenson, of

Brockville, spent Sunday at the lake. Mrs. McCue. Forfar, is visiting her

daughter, Mrs. W. H. Rowsome. Miss Gladys Kilborr, of Oelta is

visiting at Roy Robinson's. Miss Violet Robinson is engaged to teach school at Escott.

Mrs. David Forth is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Karley, at Sydenham. Mr. Robert Blair spent Sunday with friends in Plum Hollow.

Miss Vera Kirnen, of Philipsville, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ar-

Mrs. E. Beale sr., Beale's Mills, has been the guest of Mrs. Thornhill

Mrs. (Rev.) A. H. Barker and daughter, Gladys, of Delta, are guests at the Baptist Parsonage. Miss Alma Stevens returned

Toronto Saturday after a vacation at her home her.e Rev. and Mrs. Vickery and daugh-

ter Dorothy, have been in Richmond for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cross and

daughter, Helen, were last week visiting friends in Smith's Falls. Mrs. P. Ferguson, returned to Lyn

yesterday after a visit with Mrs. H. R. Knowlton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Parish Brockville, are enjoying a few holidays at the lake.

Mr. Jos. Seeley, of Cardinal, visited his sister, Mrs. Thos. Howarth last Sunday.

Miss Jacqueline Moulton goes to win went to Alexandria Bay last Burlington Beach, this week for a

Miss Beatrice McDaniels S. J. Nichol, formerly of Cobourg Brockville, visited Miss Edna Whaley

Mrs. S. Halliday, of Seeley's Bay, Guelph; at present he is taking a and Zada and Anderson Halliday, summer course at the Agricultural of Smith's Falls, were recent guests of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Thornhill.

> Miss Ruth Read, of Sydenham, was Kendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Foley, of Hanmer, C. N. Railway system, are visiting at the home of their parents

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Davison and Miss Irma Bennett, Kemptville, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. A.

from Lansdowne, where he has been doing line work on the Rural Telephone System.

day at Hexton visiting Mr. Ander-Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bishop, of Os

Mr. Thos. Howarth spent last Sun-

wego, N. Y. are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Emma Young, of Redan, has Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lewis and returned home after spending a month with her sister. Mrs. Malvin Livingstone.

Miss Jessie Percival leaves to-day It is full of great stories and great at Pleasant Mount, Charleston From there she will go to Iroquois to camp during he session of the Summer School.

The Tom Marks Company of players will be at the Town Hall August Ist. in the funniest of all comedies, "Bringing up Father." Don't miss seeing Tom Marks in the character of Jiggs and Miss Grace Perdue Marks as Maggie. The performance is filled with un-to-date vandeville No waits during the evening. Price 25c, 35c, 50c.

Fire at Addison.

Lightning was responsible for the loss by fire Saturday morning of the barn of W. H. Murphy, Addison, and its contents. The barn was struck by lightning at 3.45 and burned to the ground, together with all contents. The residence of Mr. Murphy nearby was also slightly damaged. Some insurance was held on the

A Fair Market.

Saturday morning saw a fair sized market in thec ounty town with eggs for a few days, and called on old selling at 35 cents, potatoes \$2.50 per bushel for old ones and the new variety at 90 cents a peck. Strawberries went at 15 cents a box and raspberries at 25 cents a box.

Brought Piper.

Mr. R. J. Campo, of Dick's Bazaar, instituted something unusual in the advertising line, when he brought a Scotch piper here to lend attraction to his sale.

Falls From Ladder.

K While working at a barn at Theodore Foley's, Eloida, Henry Hagerman fell from a ladder injuring his

personal columns.

Alfred Male has purchased the French Farm near Harlem.

N. H. Howe, Addison Road, is having his barns altered and improved. The Reporter is glad at all times

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#### FOR HOUSEWIVES.

How to Keep Fruit Juices Without Sugar.

Fruit juices can be kept without sugar for use later on in jelly making. This enables the housewife to get along with fewer jelly glasses. Moreover, with bottled juice a greater variety of jellies can be made, as juice that will not jell can be put up when the fruit is ripe and combine later with fruits that will jell. or fruit ripening at different seasons can be combined. Juice of strawberries, cherries or pinappie can be kept without sugar and later when apples are plentiful made into combination jelly. It is really surprising how much fruit sa allowed to go to wasts in the ordinary garden. Until one has made an effort to save all the fruit grown, including the windfall apples, no idea can be had of the large amount wasted. An effort to save all the fruits and vegetables will result first in the housewife learning that there are probably only about one-third or one-quarter of the necessary can's on hand and finally that to save, all the food drying will have to be resorted to in some cases.

The next notteenble result will be that more fruits, vegetables, jellies and jams will be served all winter, the family will fare better and enjay better health and need bills will diminsh correspondingly. It may be even necessary to supply less fortunate neighbor, with some of the preserves to finish them up at the end of the season, or some may be carried over, as unsugared sterilized juices of currants, apples, crabappies and granes keenfrom nine to eighteen months and then make excellent jelles.

To put up unsugared fruit juices for jelly making, proceed exactly as if jelly were to be made in the time. Come the fruits until they are soft and strain out the juice through a financh bag, lied and pour while hot into bottles, previously acalded. Fill the bottles full leaving no air space between juice and cork or seal. Place the filled sealed between on their sides in water near the bottles are cool cover the cork with a paraffin seal. Through sterilization and sealing are absolutely essential to success.

To made jelly

Minard's Liniment for sale every-

#### GERMANY'S CREDIT.

#### An Estimate of the Economic Conditions of the Empire.

The war had begun to go against The war man negative to as a second the average man immediately looks at the war man, compares it with the the war map, compares it with the war map of two three or six months ago and sees that this is so. If he were to look at the economic map he would see that the war is going against Germany even more pronouncedly, and in a way which no Hinden ourg line can check.

Cabled reports from Berne on Sat urday week stated that the exchange rate for Gorman reichsmarks had fallen to 71 Swiss francs per 100 warks as against a normal mint parity of 123.42 Swies france for 100 marks. The rate for Swiss france at New York on that day was 5.03 france for a dollar. Arbitraged under the system of international exchange, this would make the mark worth 14.1 cents here, or at rate of 56.4 cents for four marks or at rate of 56.4 cents for four marks, the unit of quotation which prevailed before we entered the war. This represents a discount of 40.3.4 per cent, the lowest, so far as we in America know, that German exchange has

The greatest discount on German the greatest discount on German exchange prior to our entrance into the war was 30 1-2 per cent, reached on February 9th last, and on March 30th, the last day marks were quoted in the New York market, the rate stood at 70, which showed a discount of approximately 26 1 2 per cent. Thus, the German exchange which is the the German exchange, which is the measure of her credit, has fallen 14 14 per cent, since the United States became arrayed against her.

In the matter of her exchanges with

Switzerland, the case is even worse than it appears to be. Germany has free and unrestricted facilities for trading with Switzerland. No barbar-ous British blockade can interfere with these relations. She can export anything she wants to the country and she can import what she needs or can get. The fact that her exchanges

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are so poor indicates that she has been importing from Switzerland on a vast scale. But she is paying for these imports at a ruinous rate. The argument that she must hold on to her gold to protect her circulating paper gold to protect her circulating paper currency will not explain away the situation, for Switzerland has more gold than she knows what to do with, and would gladly accept goods in pay-ment for goods, as she is doing with her two entente neighbors—France and Italy.

The plain, evident truth is that Ger-many can neither new in gold nor in

many can neither pay in gold nor in goods, but must pay in credit, which is worth less than 60 cents on the dol-lar. How long this can cor linus nobody knows, and it would be rash to predict a speedy collapse, in view of the lessons taught by the war, because of what the financial markets show. But it is quite apparent that Germany is desperately hard up, much more so than either England or France, her chief European rivals, and it is also apparent that she has no "vast accum-ulation of goods with which to deluge the world when peace returns." This seems to be pretty much of a myth, else she would use some of her goods in correcting her exhcanges with Switzerland.

Germany is having an unhappy time Germany is having an unnappy time of it in a military way. We hope and believe she will have a worse time before the war ends. But when the war does end she will have an even greater problem to solve, and one the solving of which will require more than wentime financial legerdemain. financial legerdemain. Brooklyn "Eagle."

#### Gratitude!

An usual form of testamentary gratitude is recorded in the diary of Henry
Grenville. "A man who had spent much
this time in fishing left a direction in
his will that as he had derived much
neurishment as well as pleasure from
the fish be had caught at Chertsey it was
only fair to the descendants of those fish
that he in return should become their
food. He therefore desired that his
body be cast into the Thames at Chertsey."—London Tatier.

#### WHEN YOUR COLOR FADES

When a girl-or a woman-finds her color fading, when her cheeks and lips grow pale, and she gets short of breath easily and her heart palpitates after slight exertion, or under the least excitement, it means that she is suffering from anaemia—thin, watery Headache and backache fre quently accompany this condition and nervousness is often present.

The remedy for this condition is to build up the blood, and for this purpose there is no medicine can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They build up and renew the blood, bring brightness to the eyes, color to the cheeks, and a general feeling of renewed health and energy. The only other treatment needed is plenty of sun-light, moderate exercise and good, plain food. The girl or woman who gives this treatment a fair trial will soon find herself enjoying perfect health

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from any dealer in medicine, or by mai! post paid at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

#### Poison Gas of Beetles.

Most people think that the use of poison gas in warfare is a purely human, or perhaps one should say, inhuman idea. Yet the plan has been adopted by nature. Certain kinds of beetles known as bombardlers, and called by scientists branchinus, make free use of poisonous fumos to keep their enemies at bay. A typical species known as as branchinus crepitans is largely attacked by certain ground beetles. These ground beetles are very active, and can easily overtake the bombardiers. Just as they get within reach, however, a strange thing happens

The bombadier has the power of tecting a peculiar liquid which when it comes into contact with the at-mosphere, bursts into a sort of a pale blue-green flame. This is immediately followed by a kind of smoke. Now upon the pursuer. No sooner do No sooner do the ground beetle than the creature is blinded and stupified. A strange paralysis overtakes the insect, and it seems unable to move any farther. Quite a while elapses before the ground beetle recovers. In the meantime the bombardier makes good his escape.—The American Boy.

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#### REVERSION TO TYPE.

#### Habits of Animals Which Date Back to Days of Their Ancestors.

Just as men have developed from their savage state into pleasant civil-ized beings, so naturally dogs and cats and horses and hogs and other domes-tic animals are very different from the wild things that were caught in the forest and trained to usefulness, but there are some habits inherited from their far away ancestors which they still retain, and by which they are distinguished one from the other

We never question, for instance, why a horse runs so swiftly and has such power of endurance, but we must remember that his ancestors had to flee and defend themselves from the wolves—their greatest enemies—and that their rearing and plunging was also a former means of defense if the enemy sprang on their backs. Their neigh was a watchword and call when wild horses went in droves, and some sort of signal was necessary to keep

sort of signal was necessary to keep them from straying.

Sheep, when frightened, always run to an elevation, because their ances tors originally came from the moun-tains. They always follow a leader, because in the dangerous mountain pass their ancestors had to go in single

Hogs grunt because their feeding grounds were thick woods, where the could not see one another and sound was necessary to keep them together.

Dogs have a way of turning around aeveral times before they lie down.

This looks very foolish now, but when they were wild things, centuries ago, they also the tall grass and turned

they slept in the tall grass and turned

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around several times to hollow out a bed, and they have never outgrown this habit, but to this late day they will turn around on a rug, just as if MAKE TOURISTS MARVEL.

will turn around on a rug, just as if they were in the tall grass.

Cats have, perhaps, the most traces of old ancestral habits, says the Virginia "Pilot." Many times they do have a trace of the lion or the tiger very near the surface. Their uncertain temper, their purring and growling, their sudden bounds, their tendency to scratch, all comes from the forest and the jungle.

and the jungle.

All these and many more traits can be found, but when we canter across country on our ponies and fatten our respectable hogs for the markets, and make pets of our dogs and cats, we forget how far these traits have traveled, and that when the world was younger its live stock was of a very different order.—Buffalo Commercial.

#### Indian City of Juggernauts Temple and Chariot.

so say of any place in India that it is strangest and most curious city in the empire is to make a bold statement, for

is strangest and most curious city in the empire is to make a boid statement, for India is a museum of curious places, each one stranger than the last. Yet it is probably true that Puri is the strangest place in India. Here in this little seaside viliage, only a few hours from Calcutta, you come closer to the mysteries of India than anywhere else, in a playsical sense at least.

At Puri is the world-famous temple of Juggernaut, whose death-dealing charioth has become a stock figure for ruthless destruction of human life in every modern language. The Car of Juggernaut is perhaps not quite up to advertisement, but there are strange things enough in Puri to make up for that. The temple of Juggernaut houses the rudely-carved figure of the god himself, hewn out of a log and never finished. The story goes that a certain king was instructed from above to build the temple, and the god would come from the sea. He came as per schedule in the form of a floating log, and the god sent a sculptur from their immortal real to carve the log into god-like semblance. The sculptor arrived and set to work; but the gods are jealous of heavenly secrets in the way of carving. The people were warned that no man must watch the sculptor at work. The king who built the temple, with a highly human curiosity bored a hole in the wall and peepred. The sculptor disappeared in a rage and left the god half-finished; and that half-carved log is perhaps the most sadred idol of India to-day.

Once a year he is placed on a great car and drawn through the streets for a visit to another temple. This is the occasion when the devout fling themselves beneath the wheels of the charlot, but the car is hardly heavy enough to account for much mortality. Most of the casualities occur in the struggle to get a hand on the ropes that haul it.

The greatest mystery of Puri is its effects on the matter of caste. India is iron-bound in the matter of caste nas much to-day sever crossed the threshold. The vievroy of India came to Puri to visit it, and was refused a d

#### Odd and Interesting Facts.

Switzerland in June and July had the heaviest, most continuous rains known for fifty years.

Sacremento, Cal., business men have formed a Barefoot League for health and amusement objects.

By a new French process aluminum can be so substantially nickel-plated that the metel con be hammered and bent without cracking.

Iron safes and cash boxes are in de-mand nowadays among native merchants of Indo-China, and Chinese doing busi-ness in the faraway region of Asia.

Successful experiments with cotton growing have been carried on in the canal zone by a North Carolina man.

The Sharp Contrasts Between Aus-

### tralia and New Zealand.

One of the first surprises awaiting the tourists from the northern hemisphere is to find that Australia and New Zealand may not be grouped as two islands of like appearance, differing mainly in size, near neighbors which may be treated as a unit. New Zealand is nearly twice as far from Australia as Bermuda is from New York and not only east, but also

Four days' travel across a chilly sea is required for the traverse from Wellington to Sydney, and after exchanging the chill midsummer climate of the New Zealand lake region for the heat of Alelaide one readily accepts the evidence of the map that the southern coast of the Australian mainland has the latitude of central New Jersey, while the southernmos of the three islands which compose the Dominion of New Zealand occuthe position of southern New foundland

In climate and vagitation the two dominions are as unlike as Norway and South Carolina. New Zealand is a land of mountains, gorges, rivers and flords. The higher peaks of the South Island are eternally snow capped, and the glaciers of its southern Alps rival those of Switzerland. The surrounding seas are too cold for

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Among the mountains of the North island volcanic fires are still active, and the geysers and hot springs are little less impressive than those of the Yellowstone park. The aboriginal inhabitants of New Zeaby Dr. Cook were the most advanced of all the south Position land at the time of their discovery of all the south Pacific races, while the aborigines of Australia are the lowest in intelligence of all human beings.

Australia is in no sense inferior to New Zealand in geographic interest, but lofty peaks, profound canyons and active volcanoes are lacking. Its rivers are unimpressive and its permanent lakes small and few in num-It is a continent composed of plains interrupted by ridges and mountain knobs.—National Geogra-

### Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

### Neck of Mutton.

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Don't despise it.

It makes fine broth.
Judiclously cooked it is good eating.
Cooked by itself it may not be tempting.
A little elaboration and the whole thing is transformed.
Try cooking it slowly in a little water till nearly done.
When nearly done cover with the following mixture:
Two cups breadcrumbs, two tablepoons fine-chopped sweet herbs and the yolk of an egg.
With this mixture over the mutton neatly brown the whole in the oven.

Blessed are the happiness makers! Blessed are they that are without fric The United States has more telegraph offices and more line mileage than any other nation. Germany is second in rank.

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#### BATHS A MONTH LONG.

Natives of Japan Take Them Hot and Sleep in the Water.

number of baths taken daily by the Japanese at the hot springs and the length of time they remain in the water length of time they remain in the water run counter to all western medical opinion regarding the utility of hot baths for invalids. Five or six times a day for an hour or longer at a time would not be considered an uncommon regime. A smile of incredulity was raised some years ago when Professor Chamberlam told us of a tiny spa where the bathers stayed in the water for a month or more, with stones on their lays to prevent them from floating in their sleep. Yet I could name another remote little spot where a very old man-well advanced in the nineties, in fact-has literally lived in the shallow warm water of the spring for years, his knees and neck supported by a beam, from early morn till midnight.

night.

The high temperature at which the baths are teken has excited the wonder of the spring for years, his knees and neck supported by a beam, from early morn till midnight.

The high temperature at which the baths are taken has excited the wonder of many travelers. At Kusatsu, for instance, that of the chief bath in 123 degrees F., but such a temperature necessarily involves special precautions before entering the bath, with a limit of from three and one-half to four minutes' immersion.

from three and one-half to four minutes' immersion.

When we remember that water at 115 degrees F. can just be borne by the hand, but not by the whole body, it is possible to realize the agony of afflicted humanity in the Kusatsu baths. At the same time the Japanese skin cannot be so sensitive as that of the European, for the daily bath is enjoyed by the natives at a temperature that makes the boldest of us wince.—Herald of Asia.

#### IT IS UP TO CANADIANS

In order to facilitate train move-

ments and release passenger train crews for other work, the railways of the United States are making drastic reductions compared to which those in Canada early this year appear mild. Thus, for instance, the Pennsylvania Railroad merely on its lines east of Pittsburg has eliminated no less than 102 trains, or mor elimin than double the number taken off the whole of the Canadian railways. This will cut down the passenger movement by an amount equivalent to 2,268,000 train miles per annum or over 6,500 train miles every week day. A number of parlor cars, res-taurant cars and observation cars are being discontinued. The Boston & Maine has taken off no less than 255 trains or more than five times the number taken off in Canada, saving approximately 41,000 train miles per week. Strenuous efforts are also be-ing made to increase the carload and to impress on merchants the mportance of rapid unloading so that the freight equipment shall be kept busy to its utmost capacity, and terminals should be kept clear. The American should be kept clear. The American railroads realize that speed in freight movement is one of the greatest aids they can give to help win the war and according to all reports are achieving remarkable results. It is up to Can-adians to see that Canada is not left behind in this patriotic race.

#### Widowed Birds.

The married life of most birds could he taken for a model by members of the human family. For instance, the staid, dignified and homely baldheaded eagle never mates but once and lives with his one mate until he or she dies. If left a widower—even a young widower—the baldheaded eagle never mates again. He remains alone and disconsolate in the nest of the rocky craig or in the branches of the tail pine that formed his domicile while his mate was alive. No other fe-male eagle can tempt him to forsake his desolate life. With him once ; widower, always a widower. The gold-en woodpeckers live in a happy married state, mating but once. If the male dies his mate's grief is lasting and she remains a widowed bird the rest of her life.

JETa woman ease your suffering. I want you to write, and let me tell you of my simple method of home treatment, send you ten days' free trial, postpaid, and put you in touch with women in Canada who will gladly tell what my method has done for the m.

If you are troubled with weak, tired feelings, he adeche, be acked, be acked, bearding down to be a constipution, caterial conditions, pain in the sides, regularly, bloating, sense of falling or misplacement of internal organs, nervousness, desire to cry, palpitation, hot flashes, dark rings under the eyes, or a loss of interest in life, write to me to-day. Address:

Mrs. M. Fammers, Er. g. Windser, Sat.

#### The Echo.

Midst mourtains wild I met a shepherd w upon a long, long linglish horn.
And sweet his melody did flow. The horn,
So strong the resounding, was but the
instrument
That midst the hills the charming echo
wakened. walkened.
And every time the shepherd walted, silent.
Until the coho died, that long persisted, And flew from height to height; its sounds were sweet.
Beyond compare, and inexpressible.
It seemed to me, a choir invisible.
On instruments ethereal were expressing the earthly tongue in heaven's wondrous language.

and thought I then—"O genius! Like this horn, Thou, too, must sing the earthly song to wak-n In hearts another song. Blessed he who nears!"
midst the mauntains heard I in "Nature is but a symbol, like his horn. She sings but for the echo, which is God.

God.

Blessed be he who hears the song, and hears the echo!"

-Viacheslav Ivanov in Russian Review.

#### How to Carry Water.

If you want to carry a full pail of water any distance without spilling or to carry water from one room to another in a flat dish or tray you should always have something floating on it. If it is drinking water a clean saucer will do, and a flat piece of wood is the best thing for a pail. It is the little waves that arises from the water's lapping against the sides and then rushing to the other side that makes the water spill over. The floater stops this.—New York Sun.

Next to its unique flavor, the great economy of Salada Tea has been reason for its enormous sale.

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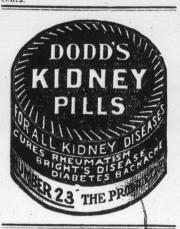
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WANTED - PROLATIONERS TO train for nurses. Apply, Wellandra Hospital, St. Catharines, Ont.

WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT for only two in family. Apply, 15 St. Mathew's Ave., Hemilton, Ont.

#### MONEY ORDERS

A DOMISION EXPRESS MONEY ORder for five dollars, costs three cents.



### What It Would Be

A teacher was endeavoring to explain the term "facs:mile" to his

"Now," he remarked to one sharp youth, "what is your father's trade or profession?"
"He's a lithographer," was the reply.
"Very well. Supposing a man came to your father with a document which he wented reproduing in every wert. he wanted reproducing in every parti-cular, your father agreed and the do-cument was faithfully copied, what would it be?"

'Well," replied the boy thoughtful-

ly, "it depends."
"On what?" asked the teacher. "On the document."

"How so?"
"Well, if it was a ten dollar bill, for instance, the other would be a counterfeit. If the document was a check the copy would be a forgery."
"You don't understand what I mean."

"Oh, yes, I'm quite sure I do," went on the boy. "I'm just coming to it now. In either case it would be about ten years." mean.

#### Other People's Money.

In handling other people's money the principal must be kept intact. If, as a trustee, those to whom you are responsible insist upon an income which you in your heart know cannot be obtained without taking some slight chance, give up the trust with the contraction of the cont out hesitation, says World's Work. There is no more bitter experience through which an honest trustee can pass than the rendering of an accountpass than the rendering of an accounting for a lost or deposited trust. No reason or excuse can weigh for an instant against the actual result which faces. A single slip in the handling of funds like this may doom all future generations of that family to lives of poverty. This is the greatest responsibility ever laid upon a trustee, an executor, a banker or an adviser, and no honest man should assume it unless he is prepared to endure for the sake of the future all the criticism that may centre upon him on acount of extreme conservatism in the present.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

What Tipping Means. Fourteen thousand six hundred per cent is a pretty high rate of rent! But it's just what you pay when you hand the cloakroom pirate a jitney for watching your hat for an hour. Do you get us? Well, it's just like this: When you pay 10 cents for the loan of a dollar for a year you pay 10 per cent. But if you pay 10 cents for the loan of a dollar for a day you pay 365 times as high a rate, or 3,650 per cent. It's just the same way with your \$3 hat. When you pay 5 cents on it for an hour you are paying the rate of \$438 a year, counting only twelve at the rate of 14,000 per cent. Tell this business hours a day. And this is at to the cloakroom girl to-day and get her "comeback." But don't blame us if she's a bit snippy.--Worcester Post.

#### As the Years Go By.

The letterhead of a certain lawyer bears a legend that savors of sound philosophy. It runs, "I am anxious for business, but have passed the experimental age and am now demand-ing cash for my services."—Case and Comment.

Ex-King Constantine is one who is justified in talking about the trouble caused for him by his wife's relatives -- Washington Star.

The Waste of War is terrible, but the waste of food in times of peace is colossal. Rich and poor alike eat tons of food that has little food value-and this useless food breaks down the so-called eliminating organs and depletes the physical and mental powers.

Shredded Wheat Biscuit is all food, prepared by a process which makes every particle thoroughly digested. It is 100 per cent. whole wheat. Two or three of these Biscuits with milk, make a nourishing meal, supplying the greatest amount of energy at lowest cost. Delicious with sliced bananas, berries or other fruits. 1,745

" Made in Canada.

## RUSSIAN DELEGATES' LEADERS **UPHOLD COURSE OF KERENSKY**

Strong Backing for War + Minister — Another De- FISH PRICES monstration Tuesday.

Petrograd Cable-Another manifestation of armed sailors and soldiers and workingmen and women, in which shots were fired, took place along the Nevsky Prospect yesterday. The ex-

tent of the casualties is unknown.

Yesterday's disturbances were a repetition of those of the day before, except that they occurred at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, whereas the first outbreak occurred around midnight.

The manifestants were grounded

The manifestants were grouped along the same part of the Nevsky Prospect. A number of stray shots were heard, followed by the firing of rifles against upper windows and roof tops at a seemingly imaginary foe. KERENSKY UPHELD.

London Cable—Leaders of the workmen's and soldiers and peasants' delegates issued an appeal to all work-men and soldiers of Petrograd. The

"Certain persons, who are unknown summon you, contrary to the unanimous general will, not excepting that of the Socialist parties, to appear in the streets with weapons, and invite you to protest in this fashion against the disbandment of regiments which have dishonored themselves at the front by criminal breach of their duty

towards the revolution.
"'We, the delegates of the revolu-tionary democracy of all Russia, declare that the disbandment of the regiments was the result of representations by the military committee, and by order of Minister of War Kerensky, whom you elected. Consequently, every act in defence of the disbanded regiments is an act against your brothers shedding their blood at the front. We remind you that no military unit should appear with arms without spe-cial authority of the commander-inchief, who is in agreement with us.

"Whoever infringes this order we brand as traitors and enemies of the revolution. We are taking all meas-tures in our power to see that this order the carried out."

"Simultaneously the provisional Government posted a proclamation

"In view of the armed demonstrations of certain military units July 16 and on the night of the 16th and being wounded, all demonstrations are prohibited."

## **BRITISH TANKS** AIDING RUSSIA

Washington Ieport-British armored motor detachments are taking part in the Russian offensive in Galicia, according to semi-official information received to-day from Petrograd by the Russian Embassy here. This is the first mention of the presence of British forces in Russia, and says the armored cars are co-operating effectively with Belgian detachments sent there soon after the war began.

SAVED BOY FROM DROWNING.

Woodstock, Report John Citing, a merchant, of this city, saved a boy's life at South Side Park to-day. A young attention and the same playing in the water about the dam and was caught in current and carried over the dam. Mr. Utting jumped into the water, which was nine or ten feet deep, and was successful in rescuing the lad, who was in

HEAVY GERMAN ASSAULTS

Picked Troops Mown Down Everywhere, and

the Attacks Utterly Failed.

British Guns Busy, and Infantry Making

Many Small Raids.

BROKEN UP BY FRENCH

# TO COME DOWN

Food Controller Hanna's Significant Statement.

May Control the Actual Distribution.

Toronto Report.-The initial meeting of the Government Food Controller's Fish Committee, was held yesterday afternoon in the office of Hon. W. J. Hanna. Mr. Hanna himself was present, and also Mr. G. Frank Beer, who will be chairman of the Fish Committee, and Mr. F. S. Wiley, Mr. R. Y. Eaton, the third member of the commitee, was unavoidably absent in Man-itoba. At the conclusion of the conitobs. At the conclusion of the con-ference Mr. Hanna issued a statement which revealed the extent of the authority and the measure of power invested in the members of the special fish committee. It also announced that within a short time the consuming public in this and other parts of Canada will see a material reduction in the price of fish. Mr. Hanna's statement was as follows:

"The question is being asked whether the Fish Committee will need to assume control of the actual distribution of fish. Such action may be neces-sary. It is hoped, however, that the interests concerned may adjust their methods to the requirements of the public. The price to the consumer must and will be lower.

"The Fish Committee is now ascer-

taining the proportion of the fish sup-ply, which comes direct from the fishermen to the large retail distribuand the proportion which goes

tors, and the proportion which goes from the fishermen to the so-called wholesale man and thence to the smaller retail dealers.

'I have vested in the members of the Fish Committee like powers to those vested in me by the order-in-Council which appointed me Food Controller for Council Controller for Canada."

The powers cited in the order in-Council and referred to by Mr. Han-na are very comprehensive and dras-tic if the food controller or his appointees should wish to exert these. For instance, the Fish Committee may govern the price of fish or the storage, distribution, sale and delivery thereof, or the committee, if it desires, may purchase, requisition, store, sell and

deliver fish It is the intention of the Fish Comnittee to keep the public informed of its work through oficial statements. These statements, however, will be is-sued only when there is real informa-

SAVED BOY FROM DROWNING.

# GERMANS HAVE ABANDONED THEIR VERDUN ASSAULT

French Firmly Hold All Their Gains, and Take PETROGRAD NOW Heavy Toll of the Foe.

British Fliers, In Raids and Air Battles, Disturbances Quelled, Situa-Again Beat the Huns.

London Cable.—After having tried ineffectually to overcome the French gains in the Verdun sector between the eastern edge of the Avocourt wood and Hill 304 the Germans have ceased their costly enterprise and are now contenting themselves with throwing shells into the positions which General Petain's men forced them to evacuate Likewise along the Chemin-des-Dames the violent infantry activity of the early week has ceased, and artillery duels instead are taking place

The British and the Germans continued their violent artillery duels in Northern Belgium, and Field Marshal Haig's forces are keeping up their harassing patrol raids on numerous sectors of the front. One of the most successful of these enterprises was carried out each of Monchy-le-Preux, in the Arras sector, in which the Brit-

ish gained ground and took prisoners.
"There was rather lively artillery activity in the region of Cerny and onne.

"In the morning we repulsed a Ger-man attack west of the Cerny sugar

"On the left bank of the Meuse (Verdun front) the enemy did not react in the course of the day west of Hill 304, except with his artil-

"In the forest of Parroy there were patrol encounters. We took pris-

"Eastern Theatre, July 17 .- There was cannonading and rifle-firing in the region of Mayadag. During the night several enemy patrols attempted to penetrate our line at Travena Stena. and in the neighborhood of Monastir, but were repulsed.

"British aviators bombarded the station at Aangista."

BRITISH REPORT. London Cable.—The British of-ficial communication issued this even-

ing says:
"We carried out a successful raid last night in the neighborhood of Fresnoy. Several of the enemy were killed and their dugouts bombed.

"Owing to clouds, there was little aerial activity yesterday until the evening, when a number of combats took place, in two of which large formations were engaged on each side. In the course of the fighting eight German aeroplanes were downed and six others were driven down out of six others were directly machine was control. Another enemy machine was shot down by our fire from the ground. Four of our machines are missing.

GERMAN REPORT. Berlin, Cable.-Wednesday's War

Office report reads: "Army group of Crown Prince Rupprecht: There was heavy artillery fighting on the coast in Flanders. From the Yeer to the Lys it iners. From the Yeer to the Lys it increased considerably toward the early morning. Between Hollebeke and Warneton British reconnoitring advances were repulsed in a hand-to-hand engagement. At La Bassee Canal, Loos and Lens, and also on both banks of the Scarpe there was lively artillery fighting in the evening. When darkness set in the British made an attack north of the Arras-Cambrai Road. They were driven back except on a narrow sector west of Du Vert

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"A British battalion which advanced north of Fresnoy was driven

vanced north of Fresnoy was driven off effectively by our fire.

"Army group of the German Crown Prince: On the Aisne and Champagne fronts the artillery fighting for the most part was light, owing to the gioomy weather.

"On the left bank of the Meuse (Verdun front) there was fighting throughout the day. After strong artillery preparations for three hours the French attacked on a front of five kilometres (three miles), from Avocourt wood to the region west of Dead Man Hill. In the southeastern corner of Malancourt wood and on corner of Malancourt wood and on both sides of the Malancourt-Esnes Road the French penetrated trenches we charged recently, after bitter fight-ing. Elsewhere they were driven back. A fresh assault delivered in the even A fresh assault delivered in the even-ing by the enemy in an attempt to in-crease his gain, broke down without any success and with heavy losses. East of the Meuse the firing was heavier than usual.
"Army group of Duke Albrecht:

There is nothing important to re-

Front of Prince Leopold, of Bavaria.—There was an increase in the fighting at Riga, south of Dvinsk, and at Smorgon.

"In eastern Galicia the firing was

strong at Brzezany.

"In the Carpathian foothills Bavar-"In the Carpathian foo'hills Bavar-ian and the Croatian troops, in a com-bined attack, captured the heights to the east of Novica, which were stub-bernly idefended by the Russians, and repulsed Russian counter-attacks in the captured positions. At other points on the Domnica line also the Russians were forced back in local

engagements.
"Fronts of Archduke Joseph "Fronts of Archauke Joseph and Field Marshal von Mackensen.—A gradual revival" of artillery activity was noticeable, especially on both sides of the Suchitsa Valley and along the Putna and the Sereth.
"Macedonian front.—There
nothing new to report."

TELLER PULLED GUN

And Held Man Alleged to be a Forger.

the Windsor branch of the Merchants Bank to-day held Frederick Atkinson. alias Williams, a captive by pointing a revolver at his head, a telephone call e officer. placed him under arrest on a charge

It is alleged that Atkinson, who is connected with a prominent Amherstburg family. has obtained quite a large sum of money by means of fictitious cheques bearing various names, some of which he cashed in Ford and others in Walkerville. When arrested to-day he was trying to obtain \$50 on a cheque endorsed with the name "J. C. Clark." a mythical individual. Walkerville police say the prisoner gave his name as George Gregory, and his residence as College street, Toronto, when he put through the "phoney" cheques there.

Atkinson will be arraigned in the police court to-morrow morning. It is alleged that Atkinson, who is

# TEUTONS MAKE DRIVE AGAINST THE RUSSIANS

Great Offensive Opened to "During the days of July 18 and 19 Check Invasion of Galicia.

KORNILOFF'S WORK

Eye-Witness Tells of the Marvellous Dash of His Troops.

London Cable.—The Times correspondent at the headquarters of the Eighth Russian army on the 11th, summarizing the fighting, telegraphs:
"I have been watching the splendid work of Korniloff's army. With relatively small numbers it carried out an astonishing exploit. Within three days it has broken the lines of the Third

Austrian army under General Nadas along a front of 12 miles, forced the Dniester, captured the historic city of Hallez, advanced 15 miles, and has taken 100,000 prisoners, 170 German officers and a hundred guns. Of the enemy's troops the Austrian fifteenth division lost four-fifths, the German 93rd and Austrian 36th division lost factor 44 bettel half its effectives. Out for 44 battalions of 32,000 bayonets there remain not more than 18,000. Our losses were about a third of these. I regard that Archduke Joseph believed Korniloff's offensive was not serious, but the enem yis now thoroughly alarmed and offering desperate resistance, Ka-lusz having changed hands three times in 24 hours."

TEUTONS ON OFFENSIVE.
London Cable.—Having brought up neavy reinforcements all along the line the Germans and Austro-Flungarians in Eastern Calicia have started what apparently is a tremendous offensive against the Russians. From Brody, near the northeastern border of Galicia, southward to below Kalusz the concretions are the below Kalusz. the operations are in full swing, but have not yet develop-ed to an extent where particulars of the battles in their entirety are avail-

The latest German official commu The latest German official communication announced that the Germans have accepted the gage of battle thrust upon them by the Russians, and in a counter-attack on the line guarding Lemberg from the cast have defeated the Russians over a wide front near Zlochoff, which lies on the Tarnopol-Lemberg railway line, about forthy which the carrier of the ca

To the north of Volhynia, and still farther north on various sectors to the Baltic Sea. especially around Smorgon and Dvinsk, heavy artillery duels are being fought. Near Lutsk, in the famous Volhynian fortress triangle, the Germans report the angle, the Germans report the cap ture of many Russian prisoners.

THE OFFICIAL REPORT. The Petrograd War Office statement

"As the result of a night attack our detachments occupied the village of Novica, to the south of Kalusz, but, Novica, to the south of Kainez, but, suffering great losses in this operation, withdrew to the eastern end of the village. Two enemy attacks on the above-mentioned detachments were

repulsed by our fire.

"In the engagement near Novica on Tuesday we captured three machine guns, eight officers and 220 men.

"Roumanian front: Fusillades have

"Caucasus front: Our scouts attacked three Turkish cartels ten miles south of Petrakale, seized prisoners and burned the bridges across the

## DUTCH CLAIM OF VIOLATION **GISCREDITED BY THE FACTS**

# REPORTED QUIET

tion Well in Hand.

Special Commission to Aid in Control.

London, Cable.—The latest reports from Petrograd indicate that the dis-turbances of the past few days have been quelled, and that the situation is now well in hand. The streets of the capital are being patrolled by Cossacks

now well in hand. The streets of the capital are being patrolled by Cossacks and other mounted troops.

A Petrograd despatch reads:
"Owing to the urgent necessity of restoring public order and settling important questions, inc Provisional Government has decided, in agreement with the executive of the Workmen's and Soldiers' delegates, to create a special commission which will be in constant touch with the commandant of the Petrograd district.
"The commission comprises M. Skebeleff, Minister of Labor, and Ljeut, Lebedoeff, director of the Minister of Marine, representing the Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates."
Only Kiev appears to have reflected to a minor degree the disturbances here. A group of soldiers seized the arsensibut other troops immediately took their station to guard the public institutions. Later they succeeded in arresting some of those in revolt, while others concerned in the movement fled.

A special congress of delegates representing all the councils of Russia has been summoned to meet at Petrograd, July 28, to determine the future composition of the Catinet and the Government policy. Until then the present Ministers have been given assurance of support. The congress will consist of delegates from the local and Soldiers' Socialists, Maximalists and Minimalists' orsanizations and the regimental committees.

Barley.

It's Scotch.

Or it's pearl. The Scotch is as good A cooling drink is made of it. It's good qualities are understood. It admits of numerous additions. Additions may be medicinal or mere

soaked twelve hours in several waters. Then put it with some lemon peel

This should be simmered an hour. then strained, the lemon juice and sugar being added.

With the addition of honey and licorice root one has a remedy for coughs and colds.

ENLIST OR LEAVE BRITAIN.

London, Cable.—A convention made between the British and the Provisional Russian Government was laid Russian Government was and Denote Parliament to-day to the effect that Brit-ish subjects of military age in Russia and Russian subjects of military age and Russian subjects of military age here must either return to their own country or serve in the army of the country in which they are residing. Rus-sians who remain in Great Britain will be subject to the operations of the mili-fary authorities by an order-in-Council which it is expected will be issued on August 20.

Practically Impossible for . British Ships to Have Been in Holland Waters.

London Cable—The allegation of Dutch newspapers that part of Mon-day's encounter between British destroyers and German merchantmen which were attempting to run the blockade from Rotterdam, occurred in Dutch territorial waters, in generally discredited in naval circles here. The discredited in naval circles here. The only reports thus far received from the Admiralty come from commanders of British forces in the action, in the form of wireless summaries, the substance of which was covered in yesterday's official statement. The complete reports, when received, are expected to clear up the situation satisfactorily.

It is explained that the shoals along the Dutch coast in this district extend so far to sea that it is necessary for ships to steer a course well outside the territorial limits. The attack is said to have occurred at a point more

said to have occurred at a point more

than four miles from shore.

It will be a source of great satisfaction to all the allied countries if Monday's coup succeeds in putting a halt to the traffic between the Rhine and Hamburg, which has been increas-ing in recent weeks, with greater boldness on the part of the German captains. The British withheld theirstroke until the largest flotilla thus far sent by this route was well on its way, and then dealt a quick, hard

Already it has been announced from Rotterdam that Germany has decided to lay up thirty coal steamers there, instead of attempting to run them home through the sea lane.

## **NEW CHANCELLOR** IS OPTIMISTIC

Michaelis Foresees a German-Austrian Victory

In Inaugural Message to Teuton Ally.

Copenhagen Cable.—On the occasion of his acceptance of the German Chancellorship, says a Vienna despatch, Dr. Michaelis sent a message to Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, declaring that he considered it his chief and invioiable duty to preserve the previous in-heritance of the closest and most loyal confederation. It was his firm conviction that Austria-Hungary and Germany would be victorious, and that the war would secure for the heroic peoples a happy and bright future.

Count Czernin, in reply, said he saw the most secure guarantee of a happy future for the peoples in intimate and confident co-operation with the leaders of the German policy and firm insistence upon the well-tried alliance. Austria was ready for a glorious peace, but, otherwise, was determined to fight to the last. Germany and Austria would in co-operation force conditions in securing an undisturbed

# HEAVY FOE REINFORCEMENTS HOLD UP KORNILOFF'S DRIVE

Teutons Try Desperately to Retain Vital **Lomnica River Line of Defence** 

## German Counters Fail to Regain Any Ground Won by French at Verdun.

General Korniloff's armies in east- | tion, attacked and occupied one of the ern Galicia have been held up for a time by the hurrying of heavy contingents of German reserves to the front, stiffening up the Austrian defense along the River Lomnica.

The holding of this river line is vital to the safety of the Teutonic position, not only in this part of the front, but northward to the Galician border, and that stubborn resistance be offered there had been an-

On the British front there is pro-nounced aerial activity, and there has been a notable amount of heavy work done by the artillery, particularly along the lines in Belgium.

HEAVY FIGHTING IN GALICIA.

Petrograd Cable—Heavy fighting is continuing in the region of Novica and Kalusz, in Fastern Galicia, the War office announced to-day. The Russians were driven from a height in this region by a strong attack, but afterwards, by a counter thrust. re-occupied the eminence.

The Austro-German guns have opened a heavy fire along the front from South of Brzezamy and in the region of Halicz. The text of the official statement reads:

"Western front: There has been intense artillery fighting on the part of the enemy in the region of the village

of Polutory, south of Brzezany and in the neighborhood of Halicz.

"South of the village of Novica, to the south of Kaluss, enemy detach-

heights. Our detachments slowly retired on the line of the River Berez-

"An hour later the enemy renewed the attack from the direction of the village of Novica, but, as the result of a valiant counter-attack by our infantry and cavalry, the enemy was thrown back, and we recaptured the above-mentioned height.
"There has been no material change

in the situation on the Roumanias and Caucasian fronts.

FRENCH HOLD VERDUN GAINS. Paris Cable—After heavy shelling, the Germans counter-attacked several times during the night in the Verdun sector, but failed to regain a

parcel of group captured by the French yestorday, according to to-day's War Office statement. The statement follows:

The artillery fighting became rather violent late at night east and weet of Cerny. We repulsed a surprise at-tack on a small post north of Vienne Le Chateau ,on the western border of the Argonne, and took a number of

prisoners. "On the left bank of the Meuse, after a violent bombardment, the Germans made several counter-attacks on the positions we captured yesterday from Avocourt wood as far as the western slopes of Hill 304. All their efforts were defeated by the heroic resistance of our troops, which inflicted sauguinary losses on the Germans, without yielding to them the slightest

part of the conquered ground.
"A German attack near the Calonne the south of Kalusz, enemy detachments, after strong artillery prepara-elsewhere was calm. trench was without result. The night

London

Germans are intent on breaking the

French line in the region between

also delivered attacks on a front of about a half-mile. Here they succeeded in penetrating French first-line positions, only to be expelled from them in a counter-attack.

There has been no diminution in the artillery duels between the British.

the artillery duels between the British and Germans in Northern Belgium. nor in the ceaseless small attacks the

British have been making against the German trenches for many days. Around Monchy-le-Preux these infarr-

ry attacks have resulted in the British egaining all the ground they lost to

FRENCH REPORT.

Paris Cable.—The official com-munication issued by the War Office

the Germans east of Arras July 11.

"The artillery was particularly ac tive to-day between the Somme and the Aisne. South of St. Quentin a enemy attack delivered about 1.30 o'clock against the hillock of Moulin-sous-Toutvent failed comm-

pletely.

"After a bombardment of extreme violence, lasting the entire morning.

Cable.-Apparently the east of Hurtebise, sending forward the Fifth Guard Division, which engaged at several points in thick waves. The attack was a complete Soissons and Rheims, they having failure on both wings, only in the centrelivered another tremendous assault tre were the Germans able to reach

some elements of our first-line trench, where counter-attacks arrested them after they had suffered additional leavy losses.

St. Quentin, where for some time the situation has been calm, the Germans also delivered attacks on a front of about a half-mile. fantry, caught under the fire of our artillery, was not able to debouch. The artillery was active on the left bank of the Meuse.

> 1.100 shells were thrown into the city of Rheims BRITISH REPORT.

London Cable. The official report from Eritish headquarters in

Tance to-night reads:
"Early this morning the enemy again attacked our positions south of Lombaertzyde under cover of a very beavy bombardment, to which our ar tillery replied vigorously. His troops succeeded in reaching our line only on a small portion of the front attacked, and those who entered our trenches were at once driven out by our counter-attack.

"Later reports show that the raids attempted by the enemy last night west of Cherisy, were pressed with great determination and strongly sup-ported by artillery. His radding par-ties were repulsed by our infantry with rifle and machine gun fire, and tailed to reach our line at any parts." the Germans attacked our positions with rifle and machine gun fire, and from north-east of Craonne as far as failed to reach our line at any point."

#### THE ATHENS REPO

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#### COMPULSION THE FAIREST WAY

Speed in the reinforcements for our fighting units when they will be most urgently needed in the fall and winter when the present supply will be exhausted is the first and most compelling argument for an immediate enforcement of Conscription. We must not, however, overlook the obvious defects of our old Voluntary system, some of which have been well stated as follows: "It tends to deplete the country of its most patriotic and self-sacrificing citizens and to leave slackers in possession. It allows men to enlist for the front whose services would be invaluable at home, while others who could easily be spared thrive and fatten by increased wages and profits. It fails to equalize the task of defending our freedom. It fails to bring out the full strength of the country's man-We can see all this as we look back. The magnitude of the efforts still to be made leaves us no option but to adopt conscription. which, after all, is the only just method in a democratic country. For, where the citizenship is equal, every citizen is equally responsible for its defence. Delay is fraught with the Throughout the wood their perfume utmost peril.

#### MEN WHO SHOULD NOT TALK (Winchester Press)

When you hear the man on street proesting that Canada has done enough in this war you can That comes from the many stars of make a safe bet that the speaker is one who has done nothing himself. The man who is loudest in protest against conscription is the man who has no son or brother at the front, and the man who, if he gives at all, gives very little to the patriotic or Red Cross Funds.

#### SANE ADVICE

(Providence (R.I.) Journal) Every German or Austrian in the United States, whether naturalized or not, unless known by years of association to be absolutely loyal, should be treated as a potential spy. Keep yours eyes and ears open. Whenever any suspicious act or disloyal word comes to your notice communicate at once with the Rhode Island Bureau of the Department of Justice, Federal Building, Providence.

We are at war with the most mer ciless and inhuman nation in the world. Hundreds of thousands of its people in this country want to see America humiliated and beaten to her knees and they are doing, and will do, everything in their power to bring this about.

Take nothing for granted. En ergy and alertness in this direction may save the life of your son, your husband, or your brother.

#### Purely Personal Items

Misses Fern and Bernice Sheffield, of Prescott, are guests of their aunt, Mrs. Moulton; Main street west.

Flight-Lieutenant H. A. Coon, Kingston, was a Sunday visitor in

Miss Leita Arnold, and Miss Bernice Jephcott, of Toronto, are spending a few days with Mrs. W. G. Parish at the lake.

Mr. S. Whitmore, of Delta, was in town yesterday.

Mr. Harold Percival was home from Brockville for the week-end. He was accompanied by Mr. Harris Fournelle a Cornwall boy who is a fellow worker wih him in the munition factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Marsh Ripley, Elgin, are in Athens to-day looking for a suitable residence. They intend to live in Athens in order that their child may be educated at the A. H. S. Mr. Marsh was a great friend of the late Bethuel Loverin, a former editor of this paper, and was associated with him on many of his hunting trips.

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#### The Legend of Painted Rocks

By L. Glenn Earl

Rich in ancient Indian lore, Are many points on Charleston's

shore If you but take the time to heed The wind-worn rocks where all may read

The life of that forgotten race You'll trace a history on the face Of some half-buried slab of stone, Or rocky spur that stands alone, Braving the winters' storms and snow.

Checking the summers as they go.

Rock House Cave, as we have named The place, in legends is far famed. Echo Rock and Tallow Rock Bay, As such they're known by us to-day, Each have a history to relate Of life as lived at that distant date,

When Redmen ruled these hills and

And 'round their campfires told the tales, That some old brave with patient

hand, In honor of his famous band, Crudely carved in pictured word The many legends you have heard.

But 'mong the legends, sweet and old, Among the stories that are told,

Of Indians ways, beliefs and creeds, Of the mighty chase and war-like deeds

The legend of Painted Rocks will start A throb in many a lover's heart.

Painted Rocks, as you have seen

Are stained in red and brown and green; And in those weatherbeaten stains

That through the years have braved the rains, The story of an Indian maid is told,

And what great love one heart can hold.

A summer's eve! A perfect night! The full round moon is at her height;

The fragrant flowers of white and red,

spread. And tiny waves as they come and go Kiss the shore, and soft and low, Murmur along the sandy beach To the lilies just beyond their reach, And back to heaven throw the light

night. The Night Wind, lingering 'mong the trees

Scarce stirs a leaflet with his breeze; And tiny voices of the wood, Chirp that all is well and good

A summer's eve!. A perfect night! Her father's camp is bathed with light

Of Moon and Stars and Milky Way, A softer glow than light of day; And Kee-wa-san, in her birch canoe, Drifting along, sees the heavenly view

Reflected from the tranquil lake, Save where the tiny ripples break From her paddle, and hasten away To loose themselves on the quiet bay

Kee-wa-san, a pretty maid, In happy babyhood had played In warm white sand along the beach When scarce her tiny arms could

reach, The pretty flowers that enticing stood

In wild profusion through the wood; And as the seasons swiftly flew, She, to a beautiful maiden grew, For deeds the braves have done in

war. For pretty maid, and stalwart man, Fairest of all was Kee-wa-san.

Her dark hair loosely hangs in braids,

As is the custom of the maids; And around her head a dainty band Of sweet grass, woven with patient hand.

The wayward locks pretends to hold; And woven in the grass is gold, And bits of silver, bits of shell Found where many a brave could

Of spirits watching o'er the vein Lest someone digs the wealth for gain.

And in her hair, two feathers, white, Catch the silver of the light; Around her neck some glimmering

throng Threadlike in texture, but tough and strong

Holds a tiny uncut stone. Found in a land but little known. Above her elbows, shapely, bare, Two bands of gold are snuggling

there; And in her leathern dress are quills. Plucked from the porcupines in the hills.

And stained by the juice of a certain seed, That wise men gather from a weed.

And Kee-wa-san in her light canoe, Unheeding the damp of the evening

Revels in the beauties of the night. The tiny stars and the pale moon-

light. But in her father's camp the men Have gathered 'round their chief

again, For an Evil Spirit had appeared. From 'mong the broken crags that

reared Their rugged heads at the back of

the camp, Protecting it from night time's damp, And had demanded from the tribe, Some tribute, sacrifice or bribe, To appease his wrath at some fan-

cied slight, The hunters had given that very night, By breaking the law the Spirit had

made. By killing game in a certain glade. Before the braves, the Evil One, Demanded atonement for what they'd done,

Demanded in no uncertain strain, Their prettiest maid at dawn slain,

Or he would pour on the luckless camp, Hunger and Want, in his wrath

would stamp. Man in his strength, woman and child, From the face of the land they had

defiled; And many were the threats he made, If the sacrifice should be delayed.

Throughout the camp, the threat was borne, And many a maiden's heart was torn With dread lest she should pay the price,

And she be chosen for the sacrifice: For no one dared the god defy, And all knew well that one must die.

The women wept as their babes they nursed, The braves the Evi! Spirit cursed: And the hunters who'd brought this

terrible hour. Offered themselves to the Spirit's power:

But the Spirit leered and shook his head 'A maid must die at dawn," he said.

The chief, whose many years had seen, These grand old hills grow bright

and green, Where the winter's ice and snow had lain, Come from the spring with sun and

Called all the maidens to his side, To let the evil one decide Which girl, at the coming day

rain.

Should give her life that they might pay, To the dreaded Spirit his terrible bribe.

To take his curse from over the tribe. But Kee-wa-san, waited not the word,

Scarce seemed her chieftain to have heard, But threw herself at the Spirit's feet,

With broken voice does she entreat, That she be allowed to die and right The wrong that was done the Spirit's might.

The Spirit willingly gave assent, And through the night the tidings

The Owl in his dead tree on the hill, Whispered the news to the Whipporwill:

And the Night Wind hastened away to sigh To distant flowers that the maid

would die: And tiny ripples to wild waves grew, Against the rocks their fury threw; And the Moon hid her face behind a

cloud, And the Ferns and Rushes wept aloud;

The Roses withheld their faint per-And the twinkling Stars hid in the

gloom: The Dew-drops found a grayish mist

To fling o'er the grass where the ser pents hissed; Gone from the earth was the perfect

night. And nature went with the maid in her plight.

At last the first gray streaks of dawn, Crept slowly o'er the upland lawn; The Sunbeams tarried on their way, As loath to bring that fatal day; And Kee-wa-san in her tent alone, Prayed the goddess of Love to loan, Her strength to face the coming day, And to wing her spirit far away,

To the beautiful garden of dreams she knew. Was out beyond the rainbow's hue.

And when the morning broke alight, Fair Kee-wa-san in robes of white, Gave for her tribe, all she had to give.

Gave her life that they might live. And the Goddess of Love in sympathy,

Painted the rocks that all may see; And in the pictures painted there, Is told the tale of this maiden fair; And yet to-day in letters dim. Along the top of the great rock's rim, Here and there, we trace a word,

Of the love that in that young heart stirred; Of a maiden whose love was pure

and strong; And may the painting last along The ages that yet must come and go, And may it brave that winds that blow,

On Painted Rocks' hard, flinty face, That bear a history of her race And may we, paddling by at night, .With hearts that are free and gay and bright,

A thought to this wonderful maiden give,

Who gave her life that others might live.

#### K. McLaughlin Writes Letter ot Sympathy To Soldier's Mother

Keith McLaughlin to Dead Comrades' Mother-An unusual Let-

(Winnipeg Free Press)

One of the most realistic and touching of the letters from the battlefield that have yet appeared in print was published in last week's Neepawa Register, and related the circumstances under which Lance-Corporal Reid Howden, son of Hon. J. H. Howden, former attorney-gen-

eral for the province, met his death. The letter was written by K. Mc-Laughlin, a comrade of the brave, dead soldier, and was sent by him to the sorrowing mother, with a view to comforting her by letting her know of the calm courage of her son when the call came.

The letter is almost "literature," being written in such an unaffected style, and yet every line and every sentence is tinged deeply with the tragedy—the inexpressible tragedy of the Great War.

The letter follows: "Somewhere in France "Dear Mrs. Howden: As Dan Campbell asked me to write you concerning your son Reid. I will try and tell you about his last trip in the

"We had made two previous trips in this part of the line and Reid was given a stripe because of his coolness and courage. You know it is quite an honor to get stripes on the field, far more than in England and Canada. We all went up for that third trip with smiles on our faces, though everyone's heart was heavy, for they knew most of them would never come back. Your son seemed to- know something would happen. and gave a few francs, part of his last pay, to his friend, Harry, who worked in the cook kitchen. went into the line Saturday night, and we knew we were going over Sunday morning. All Saturday we lay in the muddy front line while the artillery on both sides shelled heavily. At 4.30 on Sunday it seemed as if every gun on earth opened up, and we shelled the enemy's trench for ten minutes and then lifted to his suports.

"As the artillery lifted our first wave advanced, and your son was in this wave; then the second wave followed, and after that the third. Of course, the Germans immediately saw them, and then a regular hell on earth started-shells were crashing away, and the machine-guns working. In fact you would not believe anything could live there. We lost a great number of men going over. I was supposed to be in the third wave, but through excitement we went too fast and got into the first. Then we ran into his wire, which was supposed to be blown away by artillery, but there it was, 20 feet through, and so thick that a cat couldn't crawl through. One of my crew wa hit here but managed to get back. We stood in front of the wire trying to get through, with Fritz shooting us down. A number saw the hopelessness of our position and retired

back to the trench.

In a Shell-Hole. "I was lying in a shell-hole against the wire with Dan Campbell about 20 feet away when I heard someone calling my name, and Reid came creeping into the shell-hole covered with blood and mud. I did my best to bandage him up, but I was doubtful regarding his wound. He had been held up by the wire and was slinging bombs into Fritz's trench when a German shot him in the upper part of the arm and the bullet passed out about an inch from the spine. Where the bullet entered was hardly noticeable, but there was a bad wound where it came out. Reid and I lay all morning in the old shell-hole, and he was very cheerful. He did not suffer much pain, and talked about getting to 'blightly,' and then home. We were unable to move because Fritz was shooting all the time. A few wounded men tried to get back but were mimediately killed. Of course, Reid was unable to move, and I promised o bring him a stretcher as soon as it got dark

and I put my overcoat over him. He gave me his wrist watch, and said it was presented to him by his school said he was sorry he was such a bother. In fact he was the stuff that she can send out men like your son. heroes are made of. About two o'clock he dropped off to sleep, and when I felt him half an hour later he was cold. I felt his heart and

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#### Chantry

Chantry, July 20-Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Percival spent Sunday with Charles Ables.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheney, of Perth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seed.

Mr. Carmen Eyre's youngest daughter had her collar bone broken. A number of the boys from here attended the concert at Elgin on Tuesday night and had a wet night to come home.

The rain is putting the farmers back in their haying.

Mrs. A. Jeacle, of Smith's Falls, spent a week with her mother, Mrs. Isaac Derbyshire.

#### Greenbush

Greenbush, July 23rd-Miss Bernice Taplin spent last week at Delta the guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Arnld. Miss Taplin has engaged to teach the Addison school for the coming year.

Mrs: Robinson and daughters of Montreal, are guests at the home of Mr. Wesley McVeigh's on Sunday They motored to Gosford where they were the guests of Mr. Herbert Wiltse.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hall spent Sunday at Glen Elbe.

The members of he Methodist church here are planning to have their annual social on the evening of August 7th for which a good musical and literary program is being prepared.

The Misses Wilma and Bessie White are visiting friends at North Augusta.

Miss Anna Stevens of Regina is spending the holiday season at the home of her brother-in-law, Mr. Walter Olds.

The young people of this place took an outing at Charleston Lake on the 17 inst. which was much en-

Born-On Monday July 16th to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gifford a son. Mr. Allan Moore and family, of Sask., are spending a month at the home of Mr. Moore's mother.

Miss Dack, of Brockville, is guest at the home of her uncle, Mr Jas. Hewitt.

Miss Mabel Loverin is visiting friends at Charleston Lake.

#### Soperton

Soperton, July 23-Mr. Brayman, Brockville, was a guest at E. J Suffel's last week.

Mrs. W. J. Frye, Forfar, guest of friends during the week returning to her home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Webster and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Orr, Bellamy's, visited at T. J. Fryes on Sunday last. Also Miss Geraldine Orr who remained to spend a few days here and at Delta.

All weeds on the roadside have been cut in this road division under commission of R. Thompson.

The extreme heat is curing the hay very rapidly.

The donation sale held in Delta Saturday evening July 21 in aid of Red Cross under the direction of the Women's Institute was a decided success. Considerable over \$100.00 being realized. The thanks of the Institute is extended to all who as sisted.

OTTAWA FAIR HOLDS

ANNUAL MEETING

The Ottawa Winter Fair in spite of the adverse conditions which it has had to face during the past two years has made remarkable progress and last year had one of the most successful shows in its history and one of great importance from breeding and feeding standpoints to live stock men in Eastern Ontario and Quebec. The Winter Fair last year made a profit on the year's business of approximately \$1000.00. At the annual meeting held recently the following officers and Chairmen of Committee were elected: Hon. President. Peter White, K. C., Toronto; Col. W. J. Cowan, Cannington; A. P. Westervelt, Ottawa. President, Wm Smith, M. P., Columbus; Vice-President-J. C. Stuart, Osgoode Sta.; General Director—R. W. Wade, Toronto; Secretary-Treasurer—W. D. Jackson, Carp. Chairman of Horse Committee; J. W. Brant, Ottawa; Beef Cattle, J. H. Grisdale, Ottawa; Sheep, G. B. Rothwell, Ottawa; Swine, J. C. Stuart, Osgoode Sta.; Dairy Cattle, E. S. Archibald, Ottawa; Poultry, Geo. Robertson, Ottawa; Seeds, T. G. Raynor, Ottawa; Reception, Wm. Smith, M. P., Columbus. The 1918 show of the Ottawa Winter Fair will be held January 15-16-17-18 and another prosperous year is looked forward to.

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#### TRICK OF THE CAMERA.

It is Not Difficult to Make a Picture of Yourself as Twins.

In the Woman's Home Companion C. H. Claudy describes the photographic trick of having one person appear twice in the same picture and tells the ama-teur photographer how to accomplish it. What you actually do is this: Cut from a piece of thick, stiff pasteboard a piece which will fit into the inside of the camera and be held in place by the folds of the bellows. It should be fit-ted in the fold of the bellows which will hold it about an inch or an inch and a half in front of the plate. Its width should be half the plate opening and a trifle more-say one-eighth of an

"Make this piece of carboard thoroughly black on both sides by dipping it in ink and letting it dry. See that the cardboard is well 'seated' in the beliows folds so that light does not

leak past the joints. "Pose your subject and proceed to focus so that the image appears on the right side of the ground glass in the camera (left side of the finished picture will be the result). The left side of the ground glass appears blank, because it is kept from exposure by the cardboard. Insert the plate holder, take a picture, put back the slide and remove the plate holder; on no account move the camera, however. Very gently slide the cardboard from the left side to the right and replace the ground glass Pose the subject on the opposite side of the center this time. Then replace the plate holder, remove the slide and make a second exposure exactly the same length as the first."

#### HISTORIC KAVALA.

This Grecian Seaport Was Known as Neapolis In St. Paul's Time.

Kavala, the Grecian seaport which has figured so often in press dispatches during recent years, is noted as the birthplace of Mehemet Ali, the remarkable son of an Albanian farmer whose as viceroy of Egypt during the first half of the nineteenth century almost precipitated Europe into a war of nations. The house in which this vitty, wily pasha was born in 1769 is in a narrow, crooked street not far from the Turkish school which he founded, although he himself never

learned to read or write, In Roman days Kavala was known as Neapolis, and it was here that St. Paul landed on his way from Samothrace to Philippi, where there was a thriving colony of Christians, to whom the Epis

tle to the Philippians was addressed.

Prior to the beginning of the Chris tian era Neapolis was the seaport of Philippi, whose ruins are to be found some ten miles from shore on the high-way from Kavala to Thessaly. Here fleet of Brutus and Cassius was at or during the famous conflict on the fields of Philippi in 42 B. C., when the assassinators of Julius Caesar me defeat at the hands of the legions com manded by Antony and Octavius.

Practically all that remains to connect ancient Neapolis with modern Kavala is a Roman aqueduct, whose from Mount Pangeus to the town and

Our Cleep.
As a race we sleep too little. An infant's life is nearly all sleep. Gradually as the child grows older the hours of ep are shortened. "Youth till the age of twenty is reached requires fully ten nours' sleep. Although nature demands fewer hours' sleep in summer than in winter, it has been proved that eight hours of sleep are required for the average adult in good health. By this is meant not simply eight hours in bed, but that amount of good, sound, restful sleep night after night. Our power to work is intimately related to our ability to sleep, and there is no more reli le indication of sound health than the capacity to sleep naturally, and the re active and energetic the waking life the deeper the sleep.

Tripled Her Baking Capacity. "One day, when baking cookies," says a housewife in the Woman's Home Companion, "I expressed a wish for larger pans. My husband said, 'Why not have some made to fit the oven? He then measured the grate and went down to the hardware store. In a few days I had two Russia iron pans 191/2 these pans hold three dozens of cookies I can do my baking very much more quickly than I could with the old pans, which only held twelve cookies."

Wenderful Man. "Where is he from?" "I don't know, but I think he was raised on a desert island." "What in the world makes you think

"He says no woman ever made a fool of him."

His Regular Bath Day. Prospective Boarder-What are your rates? Hotel Proprietor-Two dollars a day for single room, \$2.50 a day for room with bath. P. B.—That is \$14.50 a week. H. P.-No; only \$14. P. B.-Yes, but I was counting Saturdays.

Not So Wrong, A Russian applicant for naturalization papers was asked, "What is the constitution of the United States?" "Rugged and healthy," he answered. Of course there is a laugh, but still he said something.

Cold Cash.

Beau (earnestly)—No, she isn't exactly pretty, but she has that indefinable something— Bagg (impatiently) -Yes, I know. My gigl's old man has piles of it too.

#### DEATH OF ALFRED IRELAND

Mr. Alfred Ireland, a respected esident of Elizabethtown, died Friday afternoon at five o'clock at the General Hospital where he had been a patient since May 7. His illness became acute several weeks ago and while it was recognized he had little or no hope of recovery he cheerfully bore up and was resigned to his fate.

The late Mr. Ireland was born in the township of Elizabethtown August 1, 1848, and was nearing his 69th birthday. He always resided in the township and for a continuous period of 50 years was a member of the family of Mrs. Margaret Stewart, on the second concession, northeast of the town. He was a faithful and conscientious citizen, always ready to aid in any undertaking having for its object the welfare of the comunity. Deceased is survived by one brother, Mr. George Ireland, of Athens; also two nieces and two nephews, now resident in the United States. A man of unobstrusive and gentle disposition, always amiable and kindly disposed to his neighbors the late Mr. Ireland will be missed especially in the neighborhood in which he so long resided. In religion he was a Presbyterian.

#### LEARN TO SWIM

The Knowledge May Save Your Own Life-and Others.

Now that the holiday season is once more with us we may expect to have the usual crop of boating and drowning accidents, which unfortunately, are apparently the neccessary accompaniment of the summer season. These accidents are the more regretable, since most of them could be avoided, if every child were taught to swim. Our governments and municipal councils are becoming more and more paternal every day, and things which were left to the discretion of the individual a few years ago, the State now takes under its control and renders obligatory. Education, the administration of factory acts, health legislation of all kinds, etc., are enforced by the State to-day, in the atempt to make conditions better and render life more secure.

The art of swimming so far has not come under the category of indispensable accomplishments like reading and writing, with the result that valuable lives are 'needlessly lost every year. Very often it is not the one who cannot swim who is drowned. An accident occurs, a canoe turns turtle, an over trustful wader gets beyond his depth, an enthusiastic but careless follower of Isaac Walton slips off a rock or bank or wharf, and immediately the cry goes up, if anyone is near, "man howning." The natural instinct of the man or woman who can swim is to rush to the rescue, often in the hurry forgetting to divest themselves of boots, etc., so that their generous eagerness handicaps them for rescue work at the start.

Usually the first action of the drowning person is to clutch the rescuer round the neck or to twine he arms and legs around his body, rendering all efforts at rescue portive, and frequently the swimmer is dragged down and drowned, while the other party who had no business to be in such a position is rescued by someone else, often from a boat. Every man, woman, and child, should be able to swim, whether they ever intend to go near water or not, and, and thus tend to prevent such accidents, and we should begin with the children in the schools. Swimming parades should be encouraged under competent in-

#### A Simple Art

Swimming is so simple an art that there is no excuse for any one not learning it, who is physically fit. It is almost as easy as learning to walk, and certainly much easier than riding a bicyle, and like walking, once it is learnt, it is never forgotten. One's muscles may get soft from want of practice so that one easily tires in the water, but a swimmer who does not take cramps too badly should be able to keep afloat until rescued. The writer has taken a bad cramp in the legs when half a mile out to sea, and swam to the shore with arms alone.

All that is required to learn to swim is from three to five feet of water, and the shallower the water the more confidence the learner will have. Just look at a dog for a minute or a frog, and boldly attempt to imitate them. Your head will go down and you will probably swallow more water than is good for you at first; but don't mind these discomforts; stick to it. Lash out on all sides with your arms and legs and all at once it will come to you, and you will wonder why it was you didn't succeed at your first attempt.

There is another w

you have a big brother trust, and that is to ju your neck and do your be out, knowing that help is at hand if needed.

But remember, above all things that you cannot learn to swim on the kitchen table or sprawling over a chair. These so called aids are no a bit of use, you have to learn in water, and it should not take you half an hour. Another thing to remember both while learning and afterwards is that water will not do your eyes any harm, and there is no need to keep them shut eihter under or on the water.

#### Cramps Not Serious

Some people recommend beginners to hold on to a boat or surf board and so learn the proper use of the legs. If learning to swim was a matter of months of hard work these ex traneous aids might be all right, but the ordinary boy or girl with a little practice, should learn to support himself in the water after a couple of lessons at most. And another word of advice; learn to swim on your back and to float, keeping your head well back. Occasionally, a good swimmer will take a slight cramp in the leg. If so, just keep your chest full of air and rub the cramped mus cle until it gets better.

#### Rescue Work

As to rescue work so long as you have plenty of air in your lungs you won't sink. If you are in difficulties and some one swims to your rescue don't grab him: just put your hands gently on his shoulders, and keep your lungs full of air, by breathing lightly and quickly, don't begin to gasp, and don't lose your head. Allow your rescuer to look after you and do as you are told for both your

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ford also to the rescuer: if the wning person loses his head and isists on clutching you, your best hance is to give him a knock-out blow behind the ear: in other words be cruel in order to be kind. It is much easier to rescue an unconscious person than one who does his best to drown you also.

Remember that people "drown" from suffocation, not from becoming waterlogged, and the suffocation occurs when the head is submerged and an attempt is made to breathe. Then a small amount of water is usually inhaled, which results in suffocation. An unconscious person does not usually breathe and the danger of suffocation is therefore lessened. respiration in this case being restored artificially without much trouble.

This does not pretend to be an article which will teach people to swim, whole books have been written on the subject, and as mentioned above it is only in water you can learn, but if it should be the means of inducing only one boy or girl to learn to swim this summer, it will have been jus-

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Lesson V. July 29,1917. God's Gracious Invitation.-

Commentary.—I. The invitation extended (vs. 1-5)—1. ho—This word is used to call attention to something of great importance. He who sounds great importance. He who sounds forth the word realized the dire need of those to whom he speaks, and longs to have their souls satisfied, every one that thirsteth—All those who thirst tor the living waters are included in the call. Physical thirst is an intense longing. The agony of those who are dying from the lack of water is indevation is brought to a place where we all have access to it, but we must come. There is something for us to do. The fountain is opened and everything is ready, but we must individually take the steps that lead to it. The grace of God is frequently spoken of in the scriptures under the figure of water. Water is purifying and sat? tying in its nature and is abundant. So that hath no money—In Oriental cities it is a common sight to see a water-seller with a goatskin bottle of water upon his back, going along the street offering water for sale. We meed no money to procure salvation.
wine and milk—The unfermented juice
of the grape is said to contain thirty
per cent, more nourishment than milk.
Milk contains all the food elements essential to the sustenance and growth of the body. The saving and keeping grace of God is presented under the figures of objects that are of great value and that are highly esteemed without price—Salvation canot be pur-enased with money. While it is of chased with money. While it is of priceless value, it is absolutely free. It can be obtained by the rich and the poor on equal terms. All must come to the great Source; all must some with penitence, submission and faith and all who meet these conditions will find satisfaction.

wherefore do ye spend money for that which is not bread—The prophet gently rebukes those who are spending money and labor for the vanities of this life when they can secure salva-tion and spiritual joys "without money and without price." The condition of Israel then was the same as is that of those who are giving themselves up to pleasure. hearken diligently unto me —isalah insists upon gaining the at-tention of the people, for he has a message of great importance. The Lord has for them the highest good. Their souls may be abundantly satisfied. 3. incline your ear—Pay careful attention. tion. hear, and your soul shall live— There are conditions which we must meet if we would have spiritual and sternal life. They who hear and heed God's gracious invitation secure soul made a covenant with Abraham and his posterity that promised great tem-poral and spiritual blessings. There was included in the covenant the com of the Christ, through whom all the nations of the world would be blessed. sure mercies of David—The mercies which God had promised to David. If Israel would turn fully to him these blessings would be bestow ed upon them. 4. I have given him-Jehovah had promised the Messiah to Israel and to all the world, and it is of him the prophet apeaks under the term David. Jesus was promised as the great Teacher and the Captain of our salvation. 5. thou—The Israelitish nation. Through Israel other nations were to be blessed. shalt call a nation that thou knowest not—The nation here mentioned refers to the peoples who would own the sway of the Mes-siah an denter his kingdom. It would clude the Christian in all ages, nations that knew not thee-Gentiles shall run unto thee-Shall be attractone of Israel—Jesus draws individuals ed to thee. because of the .... and nations to himself. Through Israel came the law, and through Israel came also the gospel of Jesus Christ. he hath glorified thee—"The Holy One of Israel" put great honor upon Israel imbered blessings the nation.

II. Conditions to be met (vs. Seek ye the Lord—The invitation partake of the benefits of the gospel proceeds to make clear what conditions are to be met. It is necessary for us to seek the Lord if we would find him There must be a whole-hearted seeking, for only that kind of seeking, will be rewarded (Jer. 29;13). While he may be found—These words very clearly declare that there is a time when one can find the Lord, and just as elearly declare that there is a time when one can find the Lord, and just as clearly declares that the time will come when he can not find him. A persistent rejection of God's offer of salvatin will result in the final with al of the Holy Spirit. Call ye him—An earnest seeker after till send forth a heart cry to him. drawal of the Holy Spirit. on him-An While he is near—The figure used is expressive. It represents one who is in dire need of help, and there is one who is abundantly able to help, passing along within halling distance, but he will soon be beyond the reach of the perishing one's voice. It is wise for the needy one to call for help at once. 7. Let the wicked forhelp at once. The the wicked forhelp at once the prophetical with seek. While he is near-The figure used in help at once. 7. Let the wicked for sake his way—In connection with seek sake his way—in connection with seek-ing the Lord and calling upon him, there must be a forsaking of sin. The wickel are in the wrong way. Their lives are evil. There can be no pardon for them until they give up their sins. Unrighteous man his thoughts—Not only must he forsake his outward sins, only must he forsake his outward sins but must also give up his evil desires We are to forsake sin: that is the human side of salvation; but there must be a divine side, since no sinner can forsake sin in his own strength." Return unto the Lord—One must not only turn away from all sin, but he must definitely and determinedly turn to the Lord. will have mercy., abundantly pardon—This gracious promise will be fulfilled in the case of every sinner that meets the conditions here

mentioned.

III. Inducements offered (vs. 8-18).

8. My thoughts are not your thoughts—
While man would be inclined to let agrievous offender perish rather than extend mercy to him, ded offers fall

pardon to every repenting sinner, no matter how far he may have gone into sin. 9. As the beavens are higher than he earth. The heavens which hang t the earth—The heavens where hang the sun, the moon and the stars ex-tend an unmeasured distance above the earth, so God's thoughts of love the sun, the moon and the stars extend an unmeasured distance above the earth, so God's thoughts of love and mercy toward us are immeasurably greater than ours for our fellow men. 10. As the rain cometh down, etc.—In the material world the Lord sends the rain and the snow to provide moisture for the growth of all vegetation that it may mature and supply the physical needs of mankind. Not a drop of water fails of accomplishing its mission. 11. So shall my word be—God's warnings, threatenings, instructions, and promises are sent-forth with a definite purpose. They are intended to bless the world. They will not fail: Some may reject that word and the penalty of its rejection will be paid in accordance with that word. Others will receive it and receive all the blessings which are promised in it. God's word will accomplish his design in giving it and will prosper in spite of all opposition. 12. 13. The deliverance from Babylonish captivity would be an occasion of great rejoicing, and all nature would seem to be in an ecstasy of joy; but this gladness well typifies the blessedness of the kingdom which Christ would set up in the fulness of time. The subjects of this kingdom are infinitely more prosperous and happy than are they who are outside. They have an enduring consciousness of their relation to the King and they have righteousness, peace and joy in the Holy Ghost.

Questions.—Who was lasiah and

the Holy Ghost. Questions.—Who was Isalah and when did he prophesy? What invita-tion is extended? To whom is it extended? For what do wine and milk stand as symbols? What rebuke is given in the second verse? What are the conditions upon which one may obtain salvation? In what sense do God's thoughts differ from ours? How is the efficacy of God's word illus-trated? What figures are used to show the value of Christ's kingdom?

PRACTICAL SURVEY. Topic.-Spiritual Transformation.

I. The great need of humanity. II. The revealed plan of God.

I. The great need of humanity. This very memorable chapter may be called God's own gospel sermon. It is an invitation from Jehovah to hearken diligently unto him and to find peace in him. The voice of Jehovah, the God of truth, of love, of all patience and consolation, invites, entreats, expostulates. The chapter sets forth the nature of true repentance and saving faith. It shows how vastly important it is to have right ideas of God since character and conduct are shaped ac cording to one's thoughts of him This chapter gives a biblical picture of a sinful man when he realizes his soul's needs, lost in the desert, parched by thirst, faint with hunger, deceived by the mirage, ready to perish. All unregenerate souls are said to be thirsting with more or less intensity for that which they have not. is for a return to God, to first relations, to natural courses of con duct. There is a contrast between the blessings offered and those for which men so laboriously toil. There is foolish course to be avoided and a wise method to be pursued. To incline the ear and hearken diligently unto God is to follow the divine teachings as to the aim and method of life. The covenant here mentioned is one in which God promises to be-stow freely upon his children a variety of the greatest and most needed blessings. The contents of the covenant are the same as the mercies promised to David and his house. Nothing necessary is left unsaid to the inquir-ing soul. The whole fact of human responsibility and divine promise conresponsibility and divine promise con-cerning man's salvation is set forth. The teaching here is that man has lost the Lord. The appalling fact is that he is unconscious of the terrible catastrophe which has befallen him. In the central verse of the chapter is the gateway from the desert to the garden, "Let the wicked forsake his way." Repentance is enjoined as a condition of pardon.

Id. The revealed plan of God. After

invitations. ex-

enforce His preclamations. He to enforce life preclamations. He was signally qualified to act as a "witness to the people" because of his periect knowledge of the whole counsel of God. The gospel is the exhibition and bestowment of all those blessings which were promised to David as the type of Christ. They are "sure" as respects the foundation from which they pects the foundation from which they were derived, the love and compassion of the holy and eternal One. There is nothing in which God's thoughts and ways ae more clearly seen to be high er than renouncing his own ways and yielding to God's that man finds dif fleulty when he undertakes to seek the Lord. God looks with tenderness and questioning pity upon His erring people. He calls them to reflect upon their own ways and tell lim why they spend their time and destroy their power sin vain pursuits. when their power sin vain pursuits, when life is given for the purpose of growth in wisdom, experience and divine like-ness in character, and earth is the school in which they are to be trained and educated for highest worship and noblest service. Through the varying scenes of life there continues the one purpose of God in Christ Jesus, to re-deem man and reconstruct human so-ciety. The great purpose of God can not fail. Isalah described a gospel through which success is guaranteed, a gospel full of grace and encourage ment, revealing divine provision for man's necessity with full assurance of transformation a complete heart and life into which it comes heart and life into which it comes. The gracious invitation, "Come," is miversal, full and free. Christ is the altisufficient supply of every thirst of the soul. There is transformation through obedience to the divine plan, which is complete, perfect and infallible, The laws of Christianity are as effected at the laws of nature. The world of God is sent for the enlightening, convincing converting and coming, convincing converting and coming, convincing converting and com-forting of mankind to mould charac-ter and regenerate life, —T.R.A.



Beneath thy wing

Be thou a bird, and trust, the autumn

That through the pathless air Thou shalt find otherwhere,

BE THOU A BIRD, MY SOUL. Be thou a bird, my soul, and mount and soar Out of thy wilderness, Till earth grows less and less,

Be thou a bird, and mount, and soar,

and sing,
Till all the earth shall be
Vibrant with ecstasy

Heaven more and more.

JOINT HEIRS WITH CHRIST. If ye be Christ's, then are ye Abra-

ham's seed, and heirs according to the promise.

Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God.— Thou art no more a servant, but a son; and if a son, then an heir of God as unto the adoption of children by Jesus Christ to himself, according to the good pleasure of his will.

Father, I will that they also, whom thou hast given me, be with me where I am; that they may behold my glory, which thou hast given me.

He that overcometh and keepeth my

in my throne, even as I also overcame, and am set down with my Father in his throne.

On a sundial in the old land you will On a sundial in the old land you will find the words, "I tell the time in every shining hour." When the sun is obscured, or there is a fog, there is no time recorded. Paul tells us the law had a shadow of good things to come. A shadow means darkness, obscurity, seclusion, defined limit, unreality.

The Mosaical economy was only a dark, obscure representation of Christ, who was the substance of the legal types and shadows. A scaffold is a temporary structure to support workmen. It hides the proportions of the building inside. It is very wonderful to think of this architecture coming building inside. It is very wonderful to think of this architecture coming from the mind of God, revealed to Moses in the mount, constituted to be Moses in the mount, constituted to be

through Christ.—Having predestinated

works unto the end, to him will I give power over the nations.—To him that overcometh will I grant to sit with me

SHADOW.

a skeleton, a scaffolding, a temporary veil, hidding, hinting, foreshadowing the sublimest palace which angels and

saints will ever behold and enjoy.

Who does not sympathize with the devout Jew, whose satisfaction was great when he saw the divinely ap-pointed temple, services with priests, and offerings and sacrifices of praise? To think of this being mere scaffold-To think of this being mere scarfouing, destined to disappear, was a
dream not to be tolerated, and yet,
when challenged by the ruling, angry
class about His authority, He replied,
with a composed and lofty dignity,
"Destroy this temple, and in three
days I will build it up."

No wonder they said, "What can we lo with this man? He wears a peasant's garb; he has neither money nor title, nor prestige; he has no sword, no uniform, no sign of royalty, no learning; he is not of the priesthood; he is a root out of a dry ground. What pretensions are these? He springs like the grass. Forty and six years was this temple in building," was their plea for permanence, and yet we learn that this humble, mys-terious Man was given the task to demolish this scaffolding and make plain and clear the building not made with hands.

Men may ask, To what purpose is this waste? There is no waste. Was the destruction of the temple an accident? God meets with no accidents. Was the mission of Christ a failure? Only to the blunt, the sordid and the sad, only to the politician and the bigot, only to the man of the world whose portion is in this life.

The mighty past is only a monument to the greatness of man, a preliminary to his grandeur, a preparation for his exaltation. The greatness of a man's power is the measure of his surrender. he who gives all receives all, and out of the empty tomb of Christ there rises an enduring glory, which shall yield good things to come.

I'wo worlds are ours; 'tis only sin Forbids us to descry
The mystic heaven and earth within, Plain as the sea and sky

The late H. T. Miller.

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# MAKING POULTRY PAY

SEASONABLE HINTS.

"stock" Because you have your "stock" chickens all hatched that does not say that you should stop. Remember the shortage of meat and hatch! hatch! hatch!

Ducks make rapid growth and the late hatched ones do well provided they are given plenty of shade.

Geese also grow rapidly and they are the cheapest raised of all the fowl.

Keep a sharp lookout for foxes skunks, hawks, crows and all other furred or feathered enemies of the young chicks. Don't even be too trust-ing with the family cat. "Scarecrows" are useful and may be made of cloth streamers or bits of tin or glass dangling from poles or string stretch ed across the poultry yards. Tray all four footed marauders and knock them on the heads or shoot them.

Get rid of all your surplus Leghor cockerels as soon as they reach broiler age—about a pound and a quarter to a pound and a half makes good

WEED OUT THE MALE BIRDS. (Experimental Farms Note.)

The worker bees put their house in order by killing off all the male bees as soon as teir services are no longer required. What a great benefit it would be to the poultry producer and the poultry market consumer if the hens of the flock would likewise dispose of the male birds in those flocks that are indifferently managed. The worker bee permits no star boarder Id. The revealed plan of God. After the glorious goopel invitations, expostulations and exhortations follows the declaration, "Behold, I have given Him." There is no geopel apart from our Lord Jesus Christ. He is Gode witness revealing the truth. He is a witness revealing the truth. He is a "commander" because He has power that are indifferently managed. The thought the bee permits no star boarder to loaf around and consume the product of her labor. The hen is not like whether the bee in asserting her rights. If she were, then her verdict would be, "Roster you must die." were, then her verdict would be, "Roster you must die."

There are over two million five hundred thousand roosters of the varlous breeds of chickens kept breeding purposes by the people of our country. Of this vast army perour country. Of this vast army per-haps one hundred and fifty thousand have a right to live for another year of service One hundred and fifty housand may be good enough as in dividuals and in breeding to be used in the increase of their kind. What of the two million three hudnred and fifty thousand that are usually permitted to live, birds that consume feed, worry the hens and reduce the quality of market eggs?

The function of the rooster is to develop and distribute germ cells, during a short period of three months, February, March and April. These germ cells should be distributed only to such egg laying individuals as are desired to perpetuate the breed. The germ cell is a living organism capable of starting a chain of development and here is where the mischief lies if they are distributed where they not serve their proper function in

race perpetuation.

The function of the modern hen is to produce eggs, ten per cent of which may be desired for the increase of the breed and the remaining ninety per cent. for human food. Nine eggs are used for human food where but one is used for hatching. Only one tenth of the eggs that a hen lays require fertilization. Why fertilize the nine-tenths of the product that is used for human food? The addition of a living germ cell to an egg that is pro-duced for human food does not add anything to its value and may set up ia chain of embryo development that will make the egg quite unfit for hu-

Eggs gathered from flocks where the roosters are permitted to run after the hatching season is over, are not desirable for storage. They intent not desirable in the pantry during pears. periods of warm weather as high temperatures will start incubation. Eggs in the first stage of decay are not desirable for human food.

It is an easy matter to prevent the fertilization of eggs. If the male bird is just an ordinary one, an axe and a block of wod will prevent further mischief. It the male bird is possessed of such merit as would warrant his being boarded for a year to be used in the next season's breeding operations, then give him an euclosure of his own and see that he stays in it. The cost of the feed consumed by

an ordinary rooster is about twenty cents a month. Can you afford it? If you keep poultry with profit as your object, can you afford to keep a star boarder for nine months and perhaps having him doing mischief all the time?

The two million, three hundred and fifty thousand odd, unnecessary male birds are costing the country about three and a half million dollars per year while enjoying life. These unnecessary birds are at the same time doing about ten million dollars' damage to the egg-producing business. If every person owning a rooster would manage him as a male bird should be managed, the poultry industry would be benefited by additional profits many millions of dollars.

DANDELIONS

Gardeners tell us that the best way to get rid of dandelions is to cut the plant below the crown. That may be very true, but it is a most tedious job trying to clean a lawn of dande-lions unless there is some other incentive given. This may be furnished by using the dandelions for feed for the chickens and poults. Both chicks and noults are exceedingly fond of them and they are one of the best green foods that can be given.

A WHEATLESS RATION.

At the present time it should be the aim of every one to economize on the use of wheat to as great an extent as posible. Now that such a large have been drawn from production famine will inevitably come unless the greatest care is exercised. authorities would be quite justified in forbidding the use of milling grades of wheat for stock feeding so as to hold it for human consumption. At the United States Department of Agriculture Farm Experiments been carried on to show that it is possible to feed fowl without the of wheat and still show results that which wheat is fed.

Thirty white Leghorn pullets have been on the test for a year and a half and in their pullet year they averaged 147.3 eggs each. This is not a phenomenal record but it is a good record and one that is very much above the average throughout the country. the average throughout the country. This pen averaged during the first sixteen weeks of its record year 28.5 eggs which shows that the ration has produced no bad effects.

The same ration has been fed since last November to a pen of Buff Orpingtons pullets. This pen holds the highest egg record of any pen on the fifty-three eggs farm, namely, fifty-three eggs in twenty weeks. Two other pens similarly fed, however, are less than one egg per hen behind this one.

The ration used was, for scratch feed two parts cracked corn to one parts cracked corn to one parts and for much three parts.

part oats and for mash, three parts corn meal to one part beef scrap, all

by weight.

The scratch feed was fed sparingly so as to force the birds to use more of the dry mash than they would oth erwise have done The amount of food consumed per hen was fifty two pounds, of which half was scratch pounds, of which hair was scratch feed and half mash feed. These re-sults were interesting, but judging from the notice that one American paper gives of these experiments it would surprise our American neighbor to know that the wheatless ration is no novelty in Canada. There are hundreds, yes, thousands, of farmers whose flocks never see wheat from one year's end to the other. The writer has one young farmer in mind whiler has one young farmer in mind who averaged one hundred and thirty four eggs and made a profit of \$2.70 per bird per year. This flock was fed almost on barley and oats with a little corn and buckwheat for the whole grain part of the ration. The only wheat used was one bushel and only wheat used was one bushel and this was fed to the small chickens.

Barley is an excellent feed and can be readily substituted for wheat. At present prices in Eastern Canada oats is about the cheapest feed that present can be used.

PAPER CONTAINERS FOR HONEY. We have received the following comment from Mr. Morley Pettit, Provincial Aplarist, on Mr. Sladen's ar-ticle entitled "An attractive paper container for honey," that appeared in our issue of June 16:

"I consider that Mr. Sladen's work in this line is very opportune, as present indications are that tin will be practically beyond the reach of bee-keepers by another year, unless we should be favored by the unexpected but much desired early and favorable conclusion of the war.

"Beekeepers have been experiment-Beekeepers have been experiment-ing with paper honey containers for many years. These may be divided broadly into two classes, the contain-er which is filled before the honey granulates, and the cardboard box wrapping placed about bricks of honey cut with wires from honey which has already granulated and ba-

"There are two serious objections ti either form of honey package for retail. The first and greatest of these is the fact that the general buying public, particularly of Ontario, dies not care for granulated honey and will buy much more readily especially in small packages where the honey is well and carefully liquefied before selling. If beekeepers are compelled through necessity to force granulated honey on the consumers of Ontario, it will be a serious detriment to the sale of honey. The second objection to the paper package is the fact that when stored for several months, particularly in warm or damp pla granulated honey becomes soft and in paper packages would become less attractive, if not unsaleable. In other words the honey would not have anything like the keeping qualities that it has in a tin or glass container

"You will note that I have referred to the sale of honey in Ontario. While it may be positively stated that well liquefied extracted honey sells more readilytoal classes of buyers in Ontario, it seems that in the Western Provinces the preference is for honey in the granulated form. This is very doubtless because they have not have well liquefied honey offered them. But since they do buy it readily a satisfactory paper or wooden factory paper or wooden container would be very acceptable for Western shipment. In addition to the small package, a 5 lb. and a 10 lb. container are also much to be desired

"Finally the argument that an inprevent spread of disease has to commend it. The other advantages which favor the consumer are ques tionable. It is a rule in busines the consumer pays all the cost of production and distribution including ex tras such as the war tax, etc. H she) always pays for the package either by weight or by price. It is now understood that small tin tainers of honey are sold gross weight and the transfer to net weight in paper would only be of temporary ad vantage to the buyer, while it would put the producer at a disadvantage during the transition."

-The Canadian Countryman.



TORONTO MARKETS

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TORONTO CATTLE MARKETS

	Receipts—541 cattle; 257 cal 384 hogs; 328 sheep.	ves; 1,-
	Export cattle, choice 11.00	11.50
	Butcher cattle, choice 11.00	11.75
	Butcher cattle, medium 9.50	10.00
	Butcher cattle, common 8.50	
	Butcher cows, choice, 8.00	
	Butcher cows, medium. 7.00	7.50
		6.00
	Butcher bulls 7.00	9.50
	Feeding steers 8.50	9.00
	Stockers, choice 8.00	8.30
1		7.55
-	Milkers, choice, each 40.00	120.00
1	Springers, choice, each 40.00	120.00
	Sheep, ewes 8.00	9.50
1	Buck and culls 6.00	7.00
١	Lambs 14.00	15.50
1	Hogs, fed and watered 15.75	
-	Calves 7.00	15.00
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OTHER MARKETS.

WINNIPEG GRAIN EXCHANGE Open. iHgh. Low. Close. 

Minneapolis.—Wheat, July closed, \$2.48
1-2; September closed \$1.95. Cash—No. 1
rard, \$2.75; No. 1 Northern, \$2.60 to \$2.70;
No. 2 do., 2.50 to \$2.60. Corn, No. 3 yetlow, \$1.90 to \$1.51. Oats, No. 3 white,
74 1-4 to 75 1-4c. Flour unchanged Bran,
\$31.00 to \$32.00

DULUTH GRAIN MARKET DULUTH GRAIN MARKET.

Duluth.—Wheat, No. 1 hard, \$2.51; No. 1
Northern, \$2.60; No. 2 do., \$2.50; No. 3
hard on track, \$2.55; July, \$2.55 (all nominal quotations). Durum on track, No.

1 \$2.22; No. 2, \$2.17; July, \$2.22 (all nominal). Linseed, \$3.07 1-2; July, \$3.07 1-2;
September \$3.11; October, \$3.04.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK. Cattle, receipts 15,000. Market steady. Beeves Western Pigs
Bulk of sales
Sheep, recelpts 9,000.
Market firm. 

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK. East Buffalo, Despatch—Cattle celpts 125; slow. Veals; receipts, 150; slow; \$5 to

Hogs; receipts, 2,500; slow; heavy, \$15.85 to \$15.90; mixed, \$15.75 to \$15.85; yorkers, \$15.60 to \$15.80; light yorkers, \$15.25 to \$15.50; pigs, \$15.25; roughs, 13.85 to 14; stags, 12 to 112.75 Sheep and lambs, receipts 100; steady and unchanged.

Spelling of Surnames.

You mention four spellings of Sir Watter Raleigh's surname, but there were many more. Witness the following list from the Index of Register of the University of Oxford: Ralegh, Raleighe, Rallegh, Raughle, Raughly, Raughle, Raughly, Raughley, Raughley ley Rawlie, Rawleigh, Rawley, leygh, Rawlei, Rawlighe, Rawlye and

Raylye.

As to Shakespeare, it is enough for me that his fellow actors so spelled the name in capitals in their dedica-tion of the First Folio. It so appears also in "Venus" and "Lucrece," the only compositions to which he affixed his name. There was no fixed spelling of ordinary words, much less of surnames, in that age.-J. A. Hoekstra in the New York Tribune.

"John, did you take the note to Mr. Jones?" "Yes, but I don't think he can read it." "Why so. John?" "Because he is blind, sir. While I wur in the room he axed me twice where my has wur, and it wur on my head all the time."-Puck.

Tommy-Pop, what is a delicacy?
Tommy's Pop--(Suffering from dyspepsia)—A delicacy, my son, is merely something the doctor forbids us to cat.



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# HER HUMBLE **LOVER**

CHAPTER XXXIV.

It is a strange scene. The father sit ting in the dark, high-backed chair of carved oak, with his white, thin hands folded peacefuly on his black gown, his mild, benignant gaze resting for a moment on each face thoughtfully; the two women of the world waiting with awe-stricken faces for the soluwith awe-stricken faces for the solution of the dark enigma which has hing like a cloud over Lord Delamere's head, and has wrought so much evil; the figures of the sister of mercy and the doctor seen dimly in the shadow; Sir Frederic standing quite in the dark, with compressed lips and troubled, remorseful eyes; and lastly, the two figures on the bed. and lastly, the two figures on the bed the tall helpless one lying prone in his wife's arms, hovering 'twixt life and death, with the expression of a peaceful child on his lips and in his eyes. turned now and again to the lovely face above him.

As for Signa, there is no feeling of ouriosity, or fear, scarcely of interest. She barely glances aside, so intent, so absorbed is she in the loved one. It will matter nothing to her, however dark and awful the story may be. If she should hear that her lord has been as wicked and criminal as he has been represented, it will make no difference to her. Love has overcome all other feeling and senti-

ment in her.
It is for others that the story is to be told—for herself it has no interest whatever; all that life holds worth the having or the knowing lies pillowed on her bosom.

If the choice were hers she would rather that the mystery remained un-solved, that it should go down to the of dead memories unexplained grave of dead memories unexplained and still entangled. Give her her loved one in life or death, give her some chance of atoning for her desertion of him, and she will be content. With a long sigh she lays her cheek

against his, and becomes enwrapped and absorbed, almost without hearing, certainly without any desire to hear.

"Go on, father," says the weak voice, and Hector smiles faintly, "We are

The father rouses himself from his

"My children," he says, in serene, peaceful accents, which fall upon the strained ears with a soothing effect, so tree from taint of partiality or passion; so just, yet merciful is he, that it might be some judge apon the bench calmly unfolding a skein of bench calmly unfolding a skein of calmly unfolding a skein of the order of the prehase Lucia's freedom with a larger sum than that for which the father had sold it; but the old man's heart was hardened, deep meditation and raises als head. happens that he is lying here smit-u by the hand of that Providence which vain man disregards, and teo oft despises, until the hour comes when the power which moves the whole world makes itself felt. Listen, then, and learn the solemn lesson con-veyed in the words. Take heed how ye judge, lest ye be judged. In the early spring of this same year, before our Tuscan woods had burst into full leaf, while the snow was still on our nountains, there came an Englishman to visit us. We lie out of the Leaten track, here is Casalina, and travellers from the great world seldom turn side to penetrate our simple valley. This Englishman was a great and powerful lord, but he came alone and without state. He lodged in the hemble village inn, and went among us like one of ourselves. His habits and incde of living were as simple and unpretentions as our own, and he might have been the peasant in he might have been the beasant in more than garb, but for the good his wealth and kindly nature were never wears of doing. Before many weeks had passed the sickly and the needy had learned to look apon him as their friend, and I soon knew where to go when one of my flock fe'll into troubles too deep for me to help him unaided. This Englishman's purse was always open to me, the aid of his strong arm always at my service. Like my people, I grew to regard him with gratitude and attachment—"

"ib—is it necessary, father?" purmurs Lord Delamere, exposiulatingly.
The father scarcely glances at him.
He has been adjured to tell the truth—the whole truth—and he is telling it.
"In our little community cur lives

are as open to each other as those of schoolboys. When one is in trouble rest of us know it, and sorrow with him; has one cause for rejoice, with he calls upon the rest to rejoice with him. When milord ame amongst us, one of us was in sore trouble. At the outskirts of the village, outside my pertsh, lived an old man and his daughter. The man, Baptiste, had led a hard life, and had grown into the

habits of those whose eyes are constantly fixed on the mire and dross of the world, while they neglect and disregard the heavenly reasures above them. This man was a niser, one who lives only to accumulate gold; one whose sole god is money. The girl, his daughter Lucia, was beautifirl, his daugnter Lucia, was beautiful. At our village feasts she had been twice crowned as our queen. Our young men were in love with her, we were all proud of her; and her untroubled life sailed on like a boat upon the lake youder when the water is calm and the sails shine in the sun like sheets of silver, until there chanced to come into Casalina a wealthy merchant from Florence, man, who was old enough to be father of Lucia, and of whise life report had spoken evilly—set his eyes upon the girl, and proposed to make her his wife. Lucia repulsed him with seern and dislike; but the man pressed his sult, and, knowing her fatner's ruling passion, took advantage of it. Alas! that such natures should exist, he offered to buy this girl for his wife, and the father sold her!"
There is a dead slience. Signa raises

her eyes dreamly for a moment, then returns to her loving watch again. "—The father sold her! The girl's

tears, entreaties, prayers, could not move him. Gold was more precious to him even than his child's happiness, and he commended her to obey, and accept this man for her husband. In accept this man for her husband. In Tuscany a father, even a bad father, holds supreme control over his children's destinies. He has but to say Do this, and they do !!. The girl Lucin felt that she must obey, and we, though we shared her misery, were powerless to help her. I, though she was out of my flock, went to remonstrate with the father, but in vain. The mad love for gold overmastered every other feeling, even that of reverence for spiritual authormastered every other icening, even that of reverence for spiritual authority. The girl was his daughter, he said, and should do his bidding. The village was much excited, and the story was discussed at every firestde and every fountain, and it came guickly to the ears of milori.

ly to the ears of milord.

"His nature was quick to sympathize—the English race is instinctively the old man's heart was hardened, and for once hate and malice over-came his love for gold. With an oath he swore that the girl should do as she was ordered, and marry the man of his choice, and that sie should stey him though he should lose rather tlian gain."

Hector moves slightly, and the doctor comes round to the bedside and feels his pulse, but the thin, wasted hand moves impatiently, and the calm, passionless voice continues:

Lucia's anguish was terrible to

behold. She who was once, and so lately the happiest girl in the village, lately the happiest girl in the village, was now the most wretched. We feared that she would seek to take her own life, but she was carefully watched by her inhuman father and an old woman, who followed her like a shadow, and was in the pay of the man who had bought her. Poor child! day after day she would come to me with after day she would come to me with tears streaming down her pale face, er eyes wide open with horror and

The voice pauses a moment, and a quick, sharp sigh comes from Laura

#### SUMMER HEAT HARD ON BABY

No season of the year is so dangerous to the life of little ones as is the mer. The excessive heat throws little stomach out of order so summer. dulckly that unless prompt aid is at hand the baby may be beyond all human help before the mother realizes he is ill. Summer is the season when the did not relent, then she would go the did not relent, then she would go cholera infantum, dysentery and colic are most prevalent. Any one of these troubles may prove deadly if not promptly treated. During the summer the mothers' best friend is Baby's Own Tablets. They regulate the bowles sweeten the storage and the bowels, sweeten the stomach and keep baby healthy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Derwent's lips; Signa makes no sign. —"The day for the wedding was fix.ed. She was not to be married here—there would have been danger and bloodshed, her father knew—but at Floreace. The wedding garments were they were rich and costly fit for a lady, and too fine to deck the sacrifice of a simple peasant girl. But they brought no consolation to poor Lucia, and only her father's threats could induce her to try them on. The morning on which she was to leave Casalina arrived and the bridgerous Casalina arrived, and the bridegroom had sent a handsome charlot to convey his bride—his purchase, his slave—to Florence With oaths and threats the father forced her into the carriage, and, amidst the ominous mutterings of her old playmates, she was driven off. It was a hard task to keep the peace and prevent bloodshed that morning, but peace was kept and no blood was spilled."

"Thanks to one person," murmurs Hector, looking at the pale face, framed in its silvery hair.

"My heart was wrung as I bade the poor girl farewell, and I directed my steps to the ill to tell the English milord that all our efforts had proved futile, and that the hard-hearted, gold-cursed parent had proved merciless. There I heard that milord had left the inn, taking with him two of his horses and that the landlord had no information as to his lordship's route or whereabouts; he did not know, even whether milord would return.

"Sorrowfully 1 went home. At nightfall, when the village, which had been in a stir of excitement all day, had sunk into quietude, my ser vant came to me with the strange tid-ings that the grand charlot which had borne poor Lucia away, had return-ed to the village empty, driven by a strange coachman, and with its own coachman bound and gagged on the roof. I hurried to the inn, and found that the news was true.

"The coachman's story was very simple. Ten miles from Casalina the coach had been stopped by a tall and powerful pessant, who had hurled the coachman from his box, and, without harming him, had bound and gagged him.

"Not a word had been spoken, or was spoken, until this peasant had carried the weeping and almost lifeless girl to a carriage which had been con-cealed under some trees by the roadside; then the peasant came back to the bridegroom's chariot, and address

ing the coachman, said:

You will be driven back to Casalina. No harm will befall you while
you remain quiet. Tell Baptiste that his daughter has been removed to a place of safety, and that no harm will come to her. To-morrow you will take this chariot back-empty-to its own-er, and tell him that his victim has been snatched from his clutches, and that he will never see her again. If he should ask you who has done this, you may tell him that Lord Delamere will give him every information, and will await his coming at the mountain

inn. "Then milord—for it was milord in peasant garb—mounted the box of the other carriage, and the good English horses tore out of sight. Lucia

Lady Rookwell draws a long breath and utters a stifled 'Ah!" of relief, and casts a glance of admiration and womanly approbation on the pale face ly ing on Signa's bosom.

"—Lucia was saved," says the father

mildly. "The deed was a rash and desperate one; I cannot accord it my approval, and yet"—he pauses—"but see oh, my children, how one desperate deed begets another! Listen! At m!d-night, while I still sat at the int striving to pacify the furious Baptiste. there came suddenly down the village street none other than milord him-

Sir Frederic raises his head for second, then it droops again.

—"Milord himself, I see him now as

I see him then, pale and weary, yet calm and impassive, like his nature. He rode in amongst us as if he had but come from an excursion of pleasure Baptiste flew at him like a wild beast demanding of him an account of his daughter, and calling him a thief and a betrayer. Milord bore it all like a man, like an Englishman, and a gentleman. He put the raging man him gently, and told him the that she was as sacred to him as his sister." daughter was in a place of safety, and

"Poor Lucia!" murmurs Hector. "—Raging and struggling, Baptiste was led away to his home, and then milord explained to me. He had car ried Lucia to some English people at Aletto, whom he knew and whom he with thes people to England. much for the story of Lord Delamere's abduction of a peasant girl on her wedding day."

Solemnly, not sternly, he pronounces these words, and a thrill goes through the hearts of his hearers; one. Sir Frederic, bites his lip and stifles a groan of remores.

"—This is truth, truth against the

world's lies and ecandal. Lucia had

been treated by milord He had not exchanged he had not exchanged on her from the time of the her from the time of the he had left her in the keeping. English friends. I know not what foul lies the world wove round this story, but this is the truth."

"Yes—yes!" murmurs Lady Rookwell, and a faint smile of satisfaction

crosses Hector's lips. Signa does not show any emotion; she simply smooths the hair from the white forehead and kisses it.

"Shall I continue, my son?" asks the father, turning his mild glance to ward the bed. "Are you weary?"
"Yes, go on,' says Lord Delamere.
closing his eyes and stroking Signa's

closing his eyes and stroking Signa's hand contentedly, while his breath comes slowly and heavily. "You tell it—well—father. Poor Lucia!"

The father bows his head, remains for a moment silent, then, looking straight before him, as if he were communing with himself rather than recogniting a tragedy continues.

recounting a tragedy, continues:
"On the morrow the bridegroom arrives, and he and Baptiste come to the inn domanding to know where milord has hidden Lucia. Milord—I learnt all this from my good friend Hermann; I was not there, or I would have prevented what happened—mi-lord refused to tell them. He—know-ing the nature of both men—offered them a large sum of money on condition that they relinquish all authority



over Lucia. Baptiste would have taken it, but the bridegroom was implacable. He insisted upon knewing the hiding-place of poor Lucia, and as milord would not tell him, he challenged milord to the duello."

Lady Rookwell draws a long breath. After all her favorite, Lord Delamere, may be a murderer! But Signa does

may be a murderer! But Signa does not move or falter. Calm, watchful, absorbed, she bends over Hector, utterly indifferent to the conclusion of the story. If there is any bias in her mind it is toward vengeance upon the wretch who had bought Lucia. It would not move her in the slightest if the father had said in plain words, "milord Lot him!"

"Milord accepted the challenge. The meeting was fixed for the following morning. It was to take place outside the village on the mountains. The landlord, Hermann, came to me that night and told me all that had passed. I went down to the inn and saw milord. 'Do you mean to meet

this man? I asked. 'Yes,' said milord. 'And you mean to kill him? I know that yoe are what is called in England "a dead shot;" do you mean to kill him? 'Judge for yourselt,' said milord, and he showed me his pistols. One was loaded with a bullet, the other with simple powder that would harm no man. 'The bullet is for me,' he said; 'the powder is for him. If he should aim streight I am a dead man. I shall fire over his head.'"

(To be continued.)

#### Toronto Fat Stock Show

It is doubtful if any of us realize the need that there will be for meat and live stock in the Eupropean coun-tries after peace is declared. Canad-ian breeding stock and Canadian meat products will be in demand. It be-hooves the Canadian breeder and products will be in demand. It behooves the Canadian breeder and
feeder to grasp the opportunity and
produce a maximum of live stock
when prospects are so good for continuous high prices. No better outlet for the best of his stuff can be
found than at the auction sale of the
Eighth Annual Fat Stock Show, Union
Stock Yards December 7th and 8th Stock Yards, December 7th and 8th next.

It is difficult to grow old gracerumy.

—Mme., de Stael.

# Bread-Making 1917 Contests

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### At Rural School Fairs in Ontario

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More than \$2,000 worth of prizes for bread making will be offered at the rural school fairs this fall. Among the prizes are five large cabinet phonographs, fifteen Canuck bread mixers and many attractive books. These splendid prizes will make the contest the most stirring ever held at rural school fairs. Every girl between the ages of 12 and 18 should read all about this fine opportunity, and should begin now to prepare for it. The prizes, under the conditions explained below, will be awarded for the best loaves baked with

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—the flour that you will want to use always, once you have given it a good trial. We want you to know for yourself that it makes splendid big loaves of the lightest, most wholesome bread that good flour can bake. That is why we make it well worth your while to try it, by offering these attractive and costly prizes.

For this contest we have divided the Province into five districts, each with several counties. In each district we will give a large cabinet phonograph, a set of Dickens' Works and three bread mixers. These are called the District prizes and they are to be given in addition to the prizes offered at the local rural school fairs. (See list of districts below.) Be sure to compete at your local rural school fair. If you win first prize there, you will then automatically become a competitor for the phonograph and other district prizes.

The Prizes, remember, are offered for the best loaf of bread baked with Cream of the West Flour. No other flour will do. For local prizes we offer a number of valuable books. By local prizes we mean those given

Iss Leca Prise.—"Girl's Own Annual," a great big beautifully bound, illustrated book with 800 pages of stories and articles about people, art, animals, gardens, sewing, crocheting—everything that particularly interests young girls, older girls and their mothers. This is a wonderful prize that you can treasure for years.

2nd Lecal Prize.—"Stories of Famous Men and Women," heavily cloth bound with gold titles, many beautiful pictures in colors, entracing life stories of Florance Nightingale, Grace Darling, Flora MacDonald, Jenny Lind, the late Queen Victoria and others.

3rd Lecal Prize.—"Britain Overseas." a big handsomely bound book with many colored pictures, interesting stories and descriptions of the countries and the peoples of Britain's world-wide Empire.

4th Lecal Prize.—"The Queen's Gift Book," a book of stories, pictures and special articles by Britain's best writers; the proceeds from the sale of this book are for the benefit of disabled soldiers in England.

Note.—Unless the entries number six or more only first and second prizes will varied. Unless the entries number ten or more no fourth prize will be awarded. The District Prizes.—The winner of the first prize at each local

rize loaf will Agricultural College at Guelph, to compete in the District Contests. (See conditions below.)

lst District Prize.—The "Pathephone" is the name given to the fine big mahogany phonograph we offer as first prize. It will give you endless pleasure and entertainment for a lifetime. It has special reproducer attachments and needles, enabling you to play all kinds of flat disc records or no matter what make. The l'athephone reproduces band music, orchestra music, songs and immy pieces perfectly; with it goes a dozen of the famous Pathe records. Total value, \$150.00.

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FIRST PRIZE AT LOCAL RURAL SCHOOL FAIRS

## CONDITIONS OF THE CONTEST

Every girl may compete at the rural school fair in her district, whether or ...? the attends school, providing that her 12th birthday occurs before November 1st, 1917, or her 10th birthday does not occur before Nov. 1, 1917. One loaf of bread must be submitted baked in pan about 7 x 8 laches and 3 inches deep, and divided into twin loaves so that they may be separated at the fair. The load must be baked with Crosm of the West Flour. One-half will be judged at the fair. The other half of the prize load will be sent to Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, to compete in the District Contests. The udging will be done by Miss M. A. Purdy, of the Department of Breadmaking and Flour Testing. The local contest at the fair will be conducted under the same rules as all the other regular contests at your fairs.

The Standard by which bread will be judged will be as follows: The Standard by which bread will be judged will be as foll.

Appearance of Lonf. 15 marks

(a) Color 5 marks

(b) Texture of crust 5 marks

(c) Shape of load 5 marks

2. Texture of Crumb 40 marks

(a) Evenness 15 marks

(b) Silktuess 20 marks

(c) Color 5 marks

(d) Evenness 5 marks

(e) Color 5 marks . 5 marks . 5 marks . 5 marks 8. Flavor of Bread

(b) Odor. 20 marks

Important.—Each loaf must be accompanied by the part of the
flour barg containing the face of the Old Miller, and an entry form
must be eigned by the girl and parents or guardian stating date of
birth. No. address, and giving name of dealer from whom Cream
of the West Flour was purchased. The form will state that the girl
actually backed the loaf entered in the competition. The forms will be
provided at the time of the fair. The decision of the judges is final.
Not more than one entry may be made by each girl and not more
than one local prize will be awarded to the same lamily.

Which District systems? This list shows you which counties
you compete against if you become a competitor for the District prizes:

District No. 1.—Counties of Glengarry, Stormont, Dundas, Grenville, Leeds, Frontenac, Lennox and Addington, Carleton, Lanark, Renfraw.

Lanark, Reafrew.

District No. 2.—Counties of Hastings, Prince Edward, Peterboro, Northumberland, Victoria, Durham.

District No. 3.—Counties of York, Ontario, Peel, Halton, Wentworth, Oxford, Brant, Waterloo.

District No. 4.—Counties of Welland, Haldimand, Norfolk, Elgia, Keat, Essex, Lambton, Middlesox.

District No. 5.—Counties of Bruce, Grey, Dufferin, Simcon, Districts of Muskoka, Parry Sound, Timiskaming, Algoma, Sudbury, Manitoalia.

THE RESULTS of the contests at the fair will be made known in the usual way as in the case of all the other regular contests. The District results will be announced as soon as possible after the conclusion of the Rural School Fairs in the Province.

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DO NOT MIS3 THIS GREAT OPPORTUNITY: Every girl between 12 and 18 years should compete. What a splendid way to stir un increase in therest in breadmaking! Get a supply of Cream of the West Floir at your dealers and practice using it as often as possible to increase the chances of winning. If your dealer cannot seall it by you, write to the Campbell Flour Mils Co., Ltd., Toronto, and we will promptly tell you the nearest place to get it.

NO COMPETITIONS IN COUNTIES NAMED BELOW: The competition is open to all parts of the Province where Rural and Thurler Bay. These districts are the only parts of the Province where sub-ollains are held by the Department of Agriculture in which this competition will not be a feature. There are no district-representatives of the Department of Agriculture in the Counties of Huron Perth, Wellington, Haliburroof Agriculture in the Counties of Huron Perth, Wellington, Haliburroof Agriculture in the Counties of Huron Perth, Wellington, Haliburroof Peresent, Russell or Lincoln, and no raral school fairs are held in the Counties by the Department of agriculture. There are, however opening the competition to these fairs. We will announce later the districts in which each of these Counties will be included.

### The Campbell Flour Mills Co., Limited (West) Toronto, Ontario

(Keep this announcement for reference)

TO DEALERS: The above preliminary advertisement is inserted to inform the public about our bread-making competition. We will shortly advertise in the "home print" pages of local weeklies the names of dealers handling "Cream of the West" flour.

larry Halladay, Char-

Hibbert Johnston Out of Hospital.

In a letter to his parents, Hibbert Johnston tells of his discharge from Folkestone Hospital, England, where he had been receiving medical treatment for the much prevalent mumps. While in the hospital, all his personal belongings were stolen. While grieved over this, he says hat the circumstances is quite a common one.

A New Garage.

The Earl Construction Co. is building a new garage to face on Elgin street. The dimensions are 24x 40 feet. The building will be directly connected with the work shop and wash room in the rear and an air compressor will furnish free air to customers. The garage will have a capacity of six cars.

Instals Lighting System.

Mr. Wm. Gleishmann, of Brooklyn, who is building a palatial cottage on Long Island, Charleston Lake, has just had a 50-light Earl acetylene plant installed. The latest electric attachments for lighting the gas are a feature of the system. Mr. Gleishmann planned having his cottage ready for habitation for August 1, and workmen are making strenuous efforts to meet his wishes.

Mrs. O. Lillie very III.

A telegram received here this week states that Mrs. (Dr.) Lillie is very ill at Blairmore, near the Crws Nest A few months ago, Dr. and Mrs. Lillie moved from Westport to the Canadian West, and he returned recently to settle up his business in this district. Mrs. Lillie is a sister of Mrs. A. R. Brown, Elgin street.

Women's Institute Garden Party.

A large attendance is expected at the W. I. garden party at Cedar Park, Charleston Lake this evening. Townspeople should take advantage of the opportunity for an evening's outing at this beautiful spot. Efforts them: are being made to secure transportation for all who wish to go. A taxi service has been instituted, autos leaving the Town Hall between 6 and 7.30 this evening. The Institute will consider it a favor if auto owners will offer their cars for this purpose and bring them to the Town Hall at 6 o'clock. Each passenger will pay 50c to the owner of the car for the trip.

Miss Helen Bowser, of Delta, is a

Mrs. (Dr. Walker) and daughter Iola, of Merrickville, are guests of Mrs. C. F. Yates.

Rev. Wilfred Latimer, of London, Ont., is visiting at the home of his parents here

Mr. J. W. Leahy, Ormstown, Que., has joined the staff of the Merchants Bank here.

Mrs. Haywood, of Tacoma, Wash.. (nee Miss Dora Lillie) is visiting old friends in this section Miss Hattie Hawkins, of Brock-

ville, is visiting her father here.

Mr. Carmen Culbert, of East Orange, N. J., is a guest of Mr. B. Cul-

Miss Nellie Brown goes this week to Merrickville where she will visit friends

Mrs. U. Williams, of Watertown, arrived here Saturday, and went through to the lake to be a guest of Miss Adda Hunt.

Rev. M. Scanlon, of Brockville, preached in the Methodist church Sunday evening in the absence of the pastor who was at Frankville.

\*\* Rev. R. E. Kilborn, of Boston, has been visiting friends in this section. a guest of his brother, Mr. Milton Kilborn at Frankville. He is returning home to-day, accompanied by his father-in-law, Mr. Charles Wing. Mr. Kilborn was born and educated in Athens; but has resided in the United States since his

#### Clerk's Notice of First Posting of Voters' List

County of Leeds.

Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in section 9 of The Ontario Voters' Lists Act, the copies required by said section to be transmitted or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the said Munici- Mr. Vineburg during the brief stay pality 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 he thinks he did not. Seeing the fire my office at the Village of Athens on the 21st day of July, 1917, and re- but failing to find any vessel capable mains there for inspection.

And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to the scene without sounding any genhave any errors or omissions corrected according to law.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1917. R. E. CORNELL, Clerk of the Rear of Yonge and EsTHE IMMORTAL COWARDS

We are the cowards Immortalthe men who feared dishonor and who quailed at shame. Because we respected self more

more than death, our names are flaming torches. We saw the whip the Persians brought for Greece, and therefore did not cringe to see his millions spears. And every Alpine pass has heard our

trembling prayers beseech kind God for strength to perish if we might not hold our mountain clean fo feedom. Had we not paled beside our women as the Turks set forth to sweep the West, we should have failed to beat him back. No wound that weapon brings could make a torture comparable to their debasement.

And at Waterloo, because retreat demanded all our pride, we chose the path to glory and blessed the bayonets in our breaking hearts.

From Concord and from the Alama we call to you, from Valley Forge and from Balaklava, from wastes and the wilds and the frontier block house, and from every grave that marks a martyrdom, we cry you to your duty-carry on!

The price of liberty is dear, but liberty is more precious than its dearest price.

Fear God and conscience and humiliation and injustice and defeat serve your fears with valor, and defend the high faiths of Humanity. From August, 1917, Cosmopolitan.

#### THE BEAUTIFUL ST. LAWRENCE

The Gananoque Reporter in its issue of July9, 1887 thirty years ago, when the Thousand Islands were not quite so well known as they are today, had the following concerning

"The islands and river in this vicinity have been frequented by both pleasure seekers and students of nature during the summer months. The former, who constitute the great majority, are content to dream away a part of their existence here, enjoying the scenery, plucking an occasional bunch of wild flowers, picnicing beneath the trees, or drawing a pike or bass from the waters of the river; but the student of nature, of which class the number is more Purely Personal Items. Himited, sees along the shores of the islands evidence of the wonderful guest of Mr. H. Purvis's. Reid street. power of the constant lapping of the waters, gradually wearing away the hardest rock and leaving its impress in the little caves and hollows it digs Again, overhead the fissures in the rocks bespeak the power of the frost, which can split stones that nothing else but the mos powerful combustibles could rend asunder. Sometnmes, also the frost will open op a fissure, and a tree in search of some place to slip a root may happen upon it. Little by little it grows until the rock is compelled to give way. In such a place as Half Moon Bay, the imagination can be carried back many thousands of years to what is known as the Glacial Epoch. The granite in this bay bears unmistakable traces of the action of the ice of this remote period upon its surface. In many places it is rounded and polished by the smooth ice having crept its mighty weight over it. Again, marks on stones that must have been imbedded in the glacier are discernible, while here and there an occasional "pot-hole" has been made by some hard substance that got caught fast in the island, and as the ice moved, it got twisted about, thus scooping out these large holes. The student of nature has much to occupy his time in this locality in addition to the contemplation of the beautiful

> Arson Charge Fails. The charge of arson preferred a-

gainst Isaac Vineburg, retired merchant of Montreal, in connection with the recent destruction by fire of Mr. Morris' cottage at Delta, was dismissed by Judge Dowsley afer a number of witnesses had testified and an explanatory statement Voters' List, 1917, Municipality of had been made by accused as to his the Rear of Yonge and Escott, actions at the time and scene of the fire. The cottage had just been left by the workmen who had its remodelling in hand when Mr. Vineburg and two youthful companions on a fishing trip landed, hoping to get a drink of water. They could find no vessel to drink from and returning to their boat, resumed their fishing. on shore had visited the lavatory, remaining there some minutes. He is a smoker, but does not remember having smoked at that time-in fact he made an attempt to extinguish it of holding water, and not desiring to have suspicion attach to him, left eral warning to the neighborhood. As there was no suggestion that he had any malice against the owner of the house, or likelihood of his having entertained destructive intentions, the information failed.

By Herbert Kaufman

hom he made his home enlistment. Pte. Geo. H. Grant, who has been twice wounded and is now acting as scout of an Eastern Ontario Battalion at the front, says: "I have seen lots of than life and dreaded degradation scrapping for the last month and we have surely given Fritz fits. I shook hands with myself when I came out of one battle for you know a good many of the boys went under." Pte. Grant enclosed a photograph of him-

self and four comrades taken near the front. Three of those in the group are snipers and are armed with rifles equipped with microscopic

Explosion at Portland.

An acetylene gas explosion occurred in the basement of W. H. Murphy's hotel. The building had been closed all winter and was being opened up for the summer traffic. It is lighted by an acetylene gas plant located in the cellar and there were indications of a leak about the tank. Mr. Murphy was making an investigation and hung up a lighted lantern nearby In an instant the explosion occurred. wrecking the plant and doing considerable damage to the building. Mr. Murphy was badly burned about the face and arms. He is being treated by his son, Dr. Murphy, of Smith's

The Reporter wants correspondents in a number of villages in the country where it is not now repre sented. Some of these are: Addison. Glen Buell, Glen Elbe, Toledo, Delta, Elgin, Lyndhurst, Ook Leaf. Write for further particulars.

Retired Farmers Helping.

Many of the retired farmers' in Athens are doing tehir share in patriotic production-hoeing and haying, so that the land will produce abundantly in this great crisis.

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duction but not against advance. We have another load on the way to be delivered this week.

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BROCKVILLE.

The Exclusive Women's Wear Shop.

A social was held at Frankville Thursday night in aid of the Anglican church. A splendid program was rendered. Addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Tackaberry, Jasper; Rev. J. T. Lyons, Lyn; Rev. Mr. Kirkpatrick, Cataraqui, and Mayor Wright, of Brockville.

ceived official notification that her o'clock to the Methodist church at son, Pte. John Rernard Pelow, Toledo and thence to the church cem-10th to No. 26 General Hospital, survive. Etaples, France, wounded severely in the hand. Pte. Pelow enlisted Gananoque Tax Rate. last summer in the 156th Leeds and Grenville battalion under Lieut-Col. T.C.D. Bedell and was transferred to another visit on the firing line.

Auto Repaired.

Mr. R. C. Latimer has received his auto from the factory where it was being repaired.

MISS L. G. CRUMMY DEAD

Miss Lillian Georgina Crummy died Monday July 16 about noon in St. Francis General Hospital, Smith's Falls, aged forty years. The deceased had been in failing health for a bout four years. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Crummy of Toledo and was a woman well known and loved by her many friends. The funeral took place from the parents' X -Mrs. Hattie Pelow, Delta, has re- home Wednesday afternon at 1.30 639374, has been admitted on July etery. The parens and one brother

> Gananoque tax rate this year will be 34 mills on the dollar.

Takes New Parish.

Rev. T. Austin Smith, of Oxford Mills had been offered the parish of Cataraqui, near Kingston, by the Lord Bishop of Ontario. He will take charge in October next.

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