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**FIELD CROP COMPETITION**  
The Moss & Ekfrid Agricultural Society will conduct the regular field crop competition in fall wheat, and will also conduct a special field crop competition with O.A.C. No. 72 oats, which is known as the combined field and threshed grain competition. Prizes will be awarded on the basis of combined score on crop in field and threshed grain.  
All entries must be made with the secretary not later than May 26, 1923.  
R. W. McKellar, Secretary.

**WANTED**  
New born calves, beef breed.—Arthur Ash, Route 4, Glencoe.

**SEED BEANS**  
Yellow Eye seed beans for sale.—Woods & Dykes, Route 1, Crinan.

**FOR SALE**  
Ten small pigs, just weaned; also 2 last fall's shoats.—Albert George, Route 1, Glencoe.

**Lawn Social**  
at S. S. No. 8, Moss  
(McKellar's School)  
**Friday, June 1**  
under the auspices  
of the Ferguson Crossing Needle Club

A good program is being provided  
by the  
**London Empress Company**  
and  
**Jock Ballantyne**  
Canada's Harry Lauder, together  
with a  
**Radio Concert**  
by G. A. Hadden, of Alvinston.  
Admission 25c and 15c.

**DR. J. H. A. MACDONALD**  
Formerly of Toronto, has opened an  
office at Appin. Hours—1 to 3, af-  
ternoons; 6 to 7.30, evenings. Office  
at residence of the late Alex. Mc-  
Donald. Phone M32 r2.

**EKFRID FARM LOAN  
ASSOCIATION**  
will meet at Appin March 20, April  
17, May 15, August 21 and October 16.  
For information, long and short term  
loans, apply to President R. D. Coad,  
Vice-president D. F. Eddie, Secretary,  
treasurer Duncan MacAlpine, Directors  
A. T. Irwin, Dan McDonald, Martin  
Johnston, James McKee, R. P. Finn.

**E. T. HUSTON**  
Issuer of Motor Licenses.  
Agent Ontario Motor League.  
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Fire Insurance.

**CHARLES GEORGE**  
Division Court Clerk.  
Clerk of the Village of Glencoe.  
Issuer of Marriage Licenses.  
Office at residence — Symes street

**ELMA J. KING**  
Organist and Choir Director of Glen-  
coe Presbyterian Church  
— INSTRUCTION  
Voice Culture and Piano  
Studio at residence, Victoria street

**PEARLIE J. GEORGE, L. L. C. M.**  
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Glencoe Studio—Symes Street.  
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Tuesdays.  
Phone 69, Glencoe.

**DRS. HOLMES & HOLMES**  
SURGERY, X-RAY & RADIUM  
219 KING STREET — CHATHAM

**GLENCOE LODGE, No. 133,**  
meets every Tuesday evening  
at eight o'clock sharp  
in the lodge room, opposite Royal  
Bank building, Main street. All mem-  
bers of the Order cordially invited  
to attend.—W. A. Currie, Jr., N. G.  
A. B. Sinclair, R. S.

Secure your Talent for  
**Garden Parties**  
— from —  
**Imperial Concert  
Bureau, London**  
Comedians:—Duncan Cowan, Jas.  
Eglin, Harry Firth, H. Payne,  
Sandy MacDonell.  
Tribadous Select Concert Party:  
No. 1—17 artists; No. 2—12 artists.  
Maud Buschler, noted Canadian  
violinist.  
Book your talent early and avoid  
disappointment.  
**FRED. J. FITZGERALD, Mgr.**  
Phone 1798w

**FOR SALE**  
Three acres of land on Simpson  
street, containing good lots for build-  
ing. Apply to A. B. McDonald.

**FOR SALE**  
Property of the late Eliza Riggs—  
house, barn and lot—situated south  
of the post office. Apply 16 J. A. Mc-  
Lachlan.

**FOR SALE**  
Household goods of the late Miss  
Eliza Riggs, on Saturday afternoon,  
May 26, at her late residence. Con-  
sisting of 1 cook stove (new), 1 set  
bureau drawers, 1 lounge, 1 table, 1  
large mirror, 1 large feather tick and  
pillows, all kinds of linen and fancy  
work material.

**NOTICE**  
Job of ditching 65 rods on con. 4,  
Mosa, opposite Jas. Munroe's, lot 6,  
at 2 o'clock, Friday, May 25.—James  
Gilbert, Commissioner.

**PIGS FOR SALE**  
Small pigs for sale, by the pair or  
the lot. Apply W. E. Macaulay, lot  
32, con. 6, Euphemia, Catro P. O.

**FOR SALE**  
Wheelbarrow, small churn, kitchen  
table, 5-gal. cod oil can, several  
other articles.—Miss Ophelia Thom-  
son.

**NOTICE TO FARMERS**  
The mill at North Ekfrid will be  
chopping three days a week only  
through the summer months—Tues-  
days, Wednesdays and Fridays. The  
feed store will be open every day as  
usual.—Herbert Musgrave.

**TO RENT**  
House to rent.—A. B. McDonald,  
Glencoe.

**FOR SALE**  
Residence on Main street. Apply  
to Mrs. Mary McAlpine, Glencoe.

**FOR SALE**  
In Appin, new eight-roomed cottage,  
lot 75 by 175 feet. Apply to W. R.  
Stephenson.

**FOR SALE OR TO RENT**  
Fifty acres of pasture land, being  
composed of the east half of the  
south half of lot number ten in the  
second concession of Moss. Apply  
to Elliott & Moss Solicitors, Glencoe,  
or John A. Campbell, 3261 Fifth St.,  
Detroit.

**MACHINERY**  
Full line of Cockshutt and Frost &  
Wood machinery; Melotte and Pre-  
mier cream separators; also the  
Page hand-power milking machine.  
Call in and see us, in building for-  
merly occupied by W. A. Hadden,  
Main street.—W. G. Squire, phone  
602 r 21.

**TOWNSHIP OF MOSA  
Court of Revision**  
Notice is hereby given that the  
first sitting of the Court of Revision  
for revising the Assessment Roll of  
the Township of Mosa for the year  
1923 will be held in the Town Hall,  
Village of Glencoe, on Saturday, May  
26th, at 10 o'clock a. m.  
C. C. McNAUGHTON,  
Clerk, Township of Mosa.

**VILLAGE OF GLENCOE  
Court of Revision**  
Notice is hereby given that a Court  
of Revision for hearing and deter-  
mining appeals against the Assess-  
ment Roll of the Village of Glencoe  
for 1923 will be held in the Town  
Hall, Glencoe, on Monday, the 28th  
day of May, 1923, at the hour of eight  
o'clock p. m., of which all persons in-  
terested are required to take notice  
and be governed accordingly.  
CHAS. GEORGE, Municipal Clerk.

**TOWNSHIP OF EKFRID  
Court of Revision**  
Notice is hereby given that the  
first sitting of the Court of Revision  
for the hearing of complaints or ap-  
peals against the Assessment Roll of  
the Township of Ekfrid in the Coun-  
ty of Middlesex for the year 1923 will  
be held in the Town Hall, Appin, at  
the hour of ten o'clock forenoon of  
Tuesday, the 29th day of May, A. D.  
1923.  
Dated at Ekfrid, May 16, 1923.  
A. P. McDUGGALL, Township Clerk.

**VILLAGE OF NEWBURY  
Court of Revision**  
Notice is hereby given that a Court  
of Revision for hearing and deter-  
mining appeals against the Assess-  
ment Roll of the Village of Newbury  
for 1923 will be held in the Town  
Hall, Newbury, on Monday, the 28th  
day of May, 1923, at 7.30 p. m., of  
which all persons interested are re-  
quired to take notice and be govern-  
ed accordingly.  
ANNIE LAURIE TUCKER, Clerk.

**BABY CHICKS**  
For sale — day old Barred Rock  
baby chicks, bred to lay; 20c each;  
ready weekly.—Mrs. J. A. Blackmore,  
Route 1, Walkers; phone 25 r 4 Mel-  
bourne line.

**The Pure Bred Black Imported  
Percheron Stallion**  
JAVELOT (3834) (87106)  
Enrolled Form I, will stand for  
service at his own stable, south half  
lot 15, second range south of Long-  
woods road, Ekfrid, for the season  
1923, except on Wednesdays from 4  
to 8 p. m. through the month of June,  
when he will stand at Bernie Gal-  
braith's, lot 13, Longwoods road, Ek-  
frid. Terms: \$12 to insure.—Duncan  
McTavish, Proprietor and Manager.

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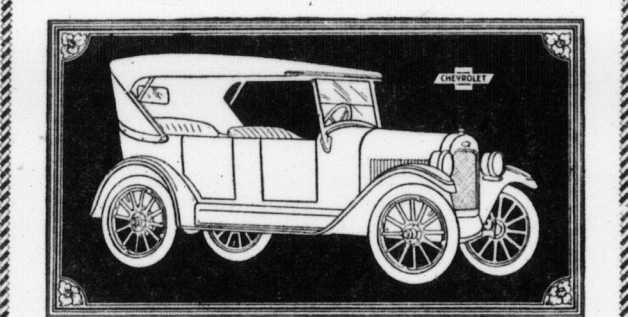
GLENCOE, ONTARIO, CANADA, THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1923

**BIG SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT**  
**Opera House - Glencoe**  
**SATURDAY, MAY 26—STARTING AT 8.15**  
**Douglas Fairbanks**  
presents  
**"The Three Musketeers"**  
From the Novel by Alexander Dumas  
All For One, One For All  
**A One Million Dollar Production**  
The greatest novel of all time  
**12 Stupendous Reels 12**  
**SEE—The Master Swordsmen of Paris**  
**Massive - Marvelous - Magnificent**  
*NOTE—Owing to size of production picture starts 8.30*

**SOMETHING NEW**  
We have recently purchased a Plan Book Service containing  
several hundred Floor Plans and Colored Pictures of Farm Houses,  
Bungalows and Cottages, and can furnish Blue Prints for any of  
these for Two Dollars each.  
If you are going to build, come and look them over. This  
service includes drawing plans from your own ideas at a very nominal  
sum.

**McPHERSON & CLARKE**  
PLANING MILL GLENCOE LUMBER YARD

**New Superior Chevrolet**



**Chevrolet Reduces Cost of Maintenance Service**  
Over 1500 Chevrolet Dealers and Service Stations  
in Canada Are in a Position to Offer Maintenance on a Flat  
Rate Basis.

The new Chevrolet Maintenance Service Policy makes  
it possible for Chevrolet Dealers to offer Chevrolet owners  
maintenance service on a flat rate basis.  
This means that when your Chevrolet needs attention  
you know in advance what the cost will be; when your car  
will be ready, and that it will be in good condition when  
you receive it.  
The costs for the various operations in our standard por-  
tfolio of charges have been based on experience in hundreds  
of garages covering a period of several years, and are a fair  
charge which every Chevrolet owner is willing to pay.  
Chevrolet is to-day the fastest selling fully equipped car  
in the world. Moreover Chevrolet is lower in operating  
cost than any car made. More miles per gallon are possible  
with a Chevrolet than with any other car, and the tire ex-  
pense is unusually low.  
Now with the new flat rate system of maintenance ser-  
vice and the new reduced prices on Chevrolet parts, Chev-  
rolet is the lowest car in upkeep cost.  
Chevrolet represents greater value as a transportation  
unit than any other make of car.

**G. W. SNELGROVE**

**Have Your Hat Cleaned and  
Blocked**  
We make the Old Ones look like New, just the same as  
having a Suit Cleaned and Pressed.

**AYLMER STEAM LAUNDRY**  
CLEANERS AND DYERS  
Glencoe Agency Roy Siddall

**WEST MIDDLESEX LIBERALS**  
Nominate Charles M. Macfie, of Ap-  
pin, for the Legislature

London, May 22.—West Middlesex  
Liberals this afternoon nominated  
Charles M. Macfie, of Appin, a for-  
mer member of Middlesex county  
council, for the Legislature, as their  
standard-bearer, at an enthusiastic  
convention held in Mount Brydges.  
Mr. Macfie has been prominent in  
the affairs of the district for many  
years and is at present President of  
the West Middlesex Liberal Asso-  
ciation. The principal speaker at the  
convention was Major J. C. Tolmie,  
of Windsor, who charged the Drury  
Government with both inefficiency  
and extravagance.

**COLD RAIN HURTS CROPS**  
According to R. A. Finn, district  
representative of the Ontario depart-  
ment of agriculture, London, the re-  
cent heavy rains will not prove as  
beneficial to crops as many people  
believe. He admitted, however, that  
if an immediate warm spell set in  
the rains would have a good effect.  
Practically all cereals are backward  
at present, the representative stated.

**DIED IN EDMONTON**  
Mrs. Enouy, Formerly of Glencoe,  
Daughter of Late Jas. Lynn

The death occurred at Edmonton,  
Alberta, on Sunday morning, April  
22, of Mary A. wife of P. T. Enouy,  
at the age of 57 years. She leaves  
besides her husband, two daughters,  
Irene L. and Mabel M.; two sisters,  
Mrs. Connelly and Miss Lynn, and  
her mother, Mrs. Lynn; three bro-  
thers, Nat. of the E. D. & B. C. rail-  
way; Nelson, manager of Ames.  
Holden, Macready, both of Edmon-  
ton, and Jack, of Hamilton. Mr. and  
Mrs. Enouy went to Edmonton two  
years ago from Winnipeg.  
The funeral was held from the  
family residence to the Edmonton  
cathedral, on Monday, April 23, at  
10 o'clock a. m. The service was con-  
ducted by Rev. N. D. Keith. A solo was beau-  
tifully sung by Roy Boyles. "The  
Home-land," a favorite of the de-  
ceased, was sung by the choir.  
The pallbearers were J. J. Kimmit,  
W. S. Hurst, J. W. Rogers,  
J. D. Howard, W. S. Sharpe and J. J.  
Tighe. Among the many beautiful  
floral offerings were those received  
from husband and sisters; mother,  
sisters and brothers; nieces  
and nephews; divisional managers of  
Ames, Holden, Macready, Montreal;  
staff of Ames, Holden, Macready;  
Edmonton; investment department  
of the Great West Life Insurance  
Co., Winnipeg; Edmonton agency of  
Great West Life Insurance Co.; Grace  
Church Sunday School, Winnipeg;  
and many personal friends.

Mrs. Enouy was a daughter of the  
late James Lynn, who for many  
years resided in Glencoe and was in  
the employ of the Grand Trunk Rail-  
way when it was known as the Great  
Western and subsequently. She will  
be remembered by many old friends  
here among whom she was warmly  
esteemed.

**DEATH OF EKFRID PIONEER**  
Melbourne, May 23.—Charles Kelly,  
one of the oldest and most highly  
respected residents of Ekfrid town-  
ship, passed away on May 16th. He  
was born in Ekfrid and had lived  
there all his life, winning a prize of  
\$5 a year ago as the oldest man born  
and living in the township. He was  
85 years of age. He leaves three  
sons and five daughters.—Nelson,  
Melbourne; Wallace and Lonzo, of  
Stevensonville; Mrs. Cavan, of Mel-  
bourne; Mrs. Bert Cushman and Mrs.  
Ernest Cushman, of Appin; Mrs.  
Culp, of Willoughby, Ohio, and Mrs.  
Carter, of Jersey City. Mrs. Kelly,  
who was Esther Fowler, passed away  
18 years ago. The funeral took place  
from the residence of his daughter,  
Mrs. Bert Cushman, Appin, on Friday  
afternoon.

**THE THREE MUSKETEERS**  
Douglas Fairbanks in Big Special  
Attraction at Glencoe

Sixteen duels, a man holding up a  
broken bridge while three riders  
cross it, the stealing of a queen's  
jewels, a desperate fight with a con-  
scienceless woman for their recov-  
ery, the smashing of one of the  
greatest intrigues of history—these  
are but a few of the dramatic inci-  
dents in Douglas Fairbanks' sixth  
United Artists picture, "The Three  
Musketeers," to be shown at the  
Opera House, Glencoe, on Saturday,  
May 26th.

History retold in celluloid! That's  
what is claimed for this feature by  
Manager Cunningham. Based on the  
marvelous adventures and escapades  
of the dashing D'Artagnan and three  
of King Louis XIII's Musketeers,  
this photoplay unfolds the history of  
France in the early Seventeenth Cen-  
tury when that monarchy was domi-  
nated by the designing and crafty  
Cardinal Richelieu, a soldier by  
training but a statesman and church-  
man only by virtue of intrigues he  
devised.

**TENNIS CLUB**  
A local tennis tournament will be  
held on the afternoon of Thursday,  
May 24. Those wishing to take part  
are requested to be at the grounds  
at 2.15, when a draw for partners  
will be made.

**U. F. O. CONVENTION**  
One of the largest and most en-  
thusiastic political conventions ever  
held in the west riding of Middlesex  
was held in Mount Brydges on the  
16th inst., when the present sitting  
member, J. G. Lethbridge, was again  
chosen the standard-bearer for the  
U. F. O. cause in the riding.

The president, Isaac Watterworth,  
very ably conducted the meeting.  
Nominations were taken by ballot  
the first ballot becoming the electing  
ballot, as Mr. Lethbridge received  
103 ballots out of a possible 132. The  
remaining ballots were divided be-  
tween the president, Mr. Watter-  
worth, Allan McDougald, Geo. Mun-  
roe, and Mr. Campbell, of Lobo.  
Mr. Lethbridge on rising to speak  
received a tremendous ovation. Af-  
ter fittingly thanking the convention  
for their renewal of confidence in  
him as their standard-bearer, he pro-  
ceeded to set forth his position in  
regard to the lines of organized agri-  
culture, giving to the premier great  
credit for being one of the first to  
sow the seeds which have grown in-  
to such a powerful and useful organ-  
ization. Mr. Lethbridge in his appeal  
to the electorate did so on his own  
personal record and the record of the  
government. He affirmed his abso-  
lute loyalty to Mr. Drury and to the  
U. F. O. principles on which he was  
elected in 1919 and from which he had  
never swerved.

He took credit for introducing the  
"Jury's Amendment Act of 1922,"  
which provided for the notification  
of jurors by registered letter instead  
of personal notification. This act  
alone saved the county of Middlesex  
last year nearly \$700.  
Speaking of a rumor that he had  
received \$8,000 for his services on  
the Hydro Commission, of which he  
was chairman, Mr. Lethbridge said  
their committee held thirteen meet-  
ings, for which he received the statu-  
tory amount for such meetings of  
\$15 per day, paying his own ex-  
penses, which left him a little over  
\$100 for his work. The result of the  
committee was a bill granting a 50  
per cent. bonus to all rural low trans-  
mission lines.

Dealing with the charge that the  
present government had reduced the  
expenditure on agriculture, Mr. Leth-  
bridge turned the tables on W. E. N.  
Sinclair, member for South Ontario,  
and showed that while it was true  
that these expenditures had been re-  
duced from 6.7 per cent. of the whole  
government expenditure in 1919 to  
5.8 in 1922, yet as a matter of fact  
agriculture received \$600,000 more  
last year than in 1919.

Referring to the charge by both  
old parties that the present govern-  
ment was not a responsible govern-  
ment but was doing the work by com-  
missions, the speaker pointed out  
that the former government from  
1915 to 1919—four years—had 21 com-  
missions, at a cost to the province of  
\$108,624.62. The present government  
for the past four years had 26 com-  
missions, which it is true cost the  
province \$666,196.23. Twenty-three  
of these commissions, which were or-  
dinary commissions such as any gov-  
ernment might have, cost the province  
\$55,899.22. The three large  
commissions, namely: "The Timber  
Investigation," costing \$170,000, with  
a return to the province of \$1,500,000;  
"The Hydro Radiat. Commission,"  
which held up a scheme to cost the  
province an initial expenditure of  
\$45,000,000, with a possible ultimate  
expenditure of \$200,000,000 (cost of  
commission, \$182,705; was money well  
spent); "The Gregory Commission,"  
investigating the hydro-electric af-  
fairs of the province, costing to date  
\$277,490.37. Here the speaker, quot-  
ing from the Sun of March 8, showed  
that if this commission accomplishes  
nothing more it has served the province  
well in bringing prominently be-  
fore the public the unbusinesslike  
and irregular way in which the Hy-  
dro Commission has been dealing  
with funds advanced by the provin-  
cial treasurer.

In closing, Mr. Lethbridge again  
thanked the convention for giving  
him such a hearty and unanimous  
endorsement, expressing the opinion  
that with their loyal support the  
cause would be victorious on the 25th  
of June.  
An additional interest and inspira-  
tion was lent to the convention by  
the presence of Premier Drury, who  
held the large audience in rapt at-  
tention for an hour and a half, deal-  
ing with the main issues of the day.  
The splendid reception given the  
premier, when he first entered the  
crowded hall and when he rose to  
speak, showed how popular he is in  
West Middlesex.

**BASEBALL**  
The Appin baseball team defeated  
Mount Brydges in the first game of  
the West Middlesex League on Fri-  
day by a score of 15 to 0.  
R. H. E.  
Appin..... 15 19 4  
Mount Brydges..... 0 9 15  
Batteries: Appin—Arscott and  
Fletcher; Mount Brydges—Baxter,  
Letch and Gallagher.

"How do you feel?" said the phy-  
sician who had been called to attend  
the seamstress. "Oh, sew, sew but  
I seem worse today and have a stitch  
in my side." The doctor hemmed  
and told her she would mend soon.

**SEE GLENCOE FIRST**  
Write Secretary Board of Trade for  
information that may mean much to  
you if you are seeking a location.

Whole No. 2676

**APPIN METHODIST CHURCH**  
Annual Meeting Shows Successful  
and Prosperous Year

Appin, May 15.—The annual con-  
gregational meeting of the Methodist  
church was held in the basement of  
the church on Monday night, when  
reports of various organizations were  
received.  
The Sunday School report, given  
by L. H. Payne, showed a splendid  
year's work, the average attendance  
being 80, and the teachers and schol-  
ars enthusiastically working in har-  
mony. The amount raised during the  
year was \$299, \$45 of which was con-  
tributed to missions. The "Golden  
Rule Girls" contributed \$10 and the  
"Progressive Class" \$10, with the  
rest of the school through their birth-  
day book contributing \$25. The su-  
perintendent of the school, John Mac-  
fie, spoke words of appreciation of  
the faithful and untiring efforts of  
the staff of teachers and officers  
which helped so much in the success  
of the school.

The League reported through the  
secretary, Miss Gertrude Lotan, an  
average attendance of 27 for the  
year, with very successful meetings.  
The treasurer reported much more  
funds raised than last year, \$72 in all  
being raised, and of this amount over  
\$60 was given to missions.

Reports from the Taxis Boys and  
Trail Rangers indicated that in these  
organizations were the greatest possi-  
bilities for material work in the  
church.

The Ladies' Aid report, given by  
Mrs. Jas. Lotan, sr., showed a splen-  
did year's work, raising in various  
ways funds for their objective, a new  
organ for the church, which is now  
over half paid for. The treasurer re-  
ported that during the year \$207 was  
raised.

The treasurer of the church, Dan  
McDonald, gave his report, and  
much satisfaction was felt in that  
during a year of financial depression  
the congregation not only kept up  
with the amount raised last year but  
went over the mark. His report  
showed that during the year for cur-  
rent expenses of the church the sum  
of \$1,400 was raised, and the pastor  
reported that the other congregational  
funds made a total raised by the  
church of \$2,306. Of this amount  
\$299 was given to missions.

The pastor then briefly gave a sum-  
mary of the work on the circuit,  
which was as follows:—United with  
the church, 11; infant and adult bat-  
tisms, 9; connexional funds, \$716;  
total for circuit purposes, \$1,809; be-  
nevolent purposes, \$75; salary, \$180.  
The grand total from the three  
churches on the circuit was \$4,100,  
as follows:—Appin, \$2,306.99; Beth-  
el, \$626.13; Springfield, \$1,166.88.

**BOY INVENTS BAROMETER**

London newspapers make promi-  
nent note of a barometer invented and  
built by Stewart McLarty, 16 years  
of age, of that city, a pupil of the  
Wortley Road school, and grandson  
of Mrs. Robert Eddie, of Glencoe.  
The barometer is scientifically cor-  
rect in every detail and has been  
highly praised by the public school  
inspectors and teachers of the Nor-  
mal school. For the past month the  
senior pupils of the Wortley Road  
school, under the direction of Prin-  
cipal W. B. Watt, have been operat-  
ing a miniature weather bureau.  
Simple instruments, outside of the  
barometer built by Stewart McLarty,  
recorded the relation between  
temperature, atmospheric pressure  
and the weather tomorrow. So skill-  
ful have the youngsters become in  
making accurate observations and  
recording them in a scientific man-  
ner that their parents are relying on  
the school bureau for weather fore-  
casts rather than the published me-  
teorological reports.

**WARDSVILLE COUNCIL**

A regular meeting of the Wards-  
ville municipal council was held on  
May 14. Members present: Wm. J.  
Stinson, reeve; Thos. H. Weer, Al-  
bert Storey, John Heath, Chas. E.  
Willis, councillors.  
The minutes of the last previous  
meeting were read and adopted.  
Moved by Councillor Weer, seconded  
by Councillor Willis, that the ac-  
count of J. B. Hughes of \$2.50, bed  
and breakfast for two men on April  
20, be paid. Carried.  
Moved by Councillor Weer, seconded  
by Councillor Willis, that an or-  
der be drawn on the treasurer for \$5,  
to pay for license for town hall, re-  
quired by the Theatres and Cinema-  
tograph Act. Carried.  
Moved by Councillor Heath, seconded  
by Councillor Storey, that a com-  
ment walk be laid in front of build-  
ings of Mrs. W. Henderson, on Main  
street, and that Mr. Weer and Mr.  
Willis be appointed a committee,  
with power, to have a proper walk  
laid. Carried.  
Moved by Councillor Storey, seconded  
by Councillor Willis, that the coun-  
cil adjourn. Carried.  
Geo. E. Connelley, Clerk.

The Director of Asylums for the  
Department of Public Health for the  
Province of Quebec is authority for  
the statement that unless we mind  
our ways the greater part of the civ-  
ilized world will be insane in an-  
other twenty-five years. According  
to the doctor it is back to the simple  
life or take the consequences.

It is awfully hard to impress most  
people with the importance of your  
importance.



# Soils and Crops

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## PACKAGES CONTAINING FRUIT FOR SALE.

E. S. C. Welland Co.—What are the Dominion regulations regarding the packing of fruit for sale?

Answer—You had best send to the Fruit Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, for a copy of the orders and regulations, but, briefly, they are as follows: Every package, either open or closed, containing fruit intended for sale, has to be marked with the initials, surname, and address of the packer, the name of the variety, and the grade of the fruit; if the package is repacked it must be so endorsed and by whom; "immature fruit," which is fruit not ripe enough for dessert, must be so described on the package; the package must be well and properly filled; old marks, if any, on the package must be obliterated.

## SIZE OF BERRY BOXES.

Fruit Grower, Niagara—What are the requirements of strawberry boxes regarding size and capacity?

Answer—The regulations read: Every box of berries or currants packed in Canada for sale in Canada, and every berry or currant box manufactured and offered for sale in Canada shall contain when level full as nearly as practicable one or others of the following quantities: (a) four-fifths of a quart; (b) one pint, and shall be 4 1/2 by 4 1/2 inches at top and bottom and 1 1/2 inches deep; (c) two-fifths of a quart.

## FARM DRAINAGE.

The drainage of farm lands should receive increased attention. Many farms and even whole districts are not as fertile and productive as they would be if drained. A drainage system is essential in this humid, temperate zone of heavy rainfalls. Fortunately, throughout the greater part of Eastern Canada there is adequate natural drainage. The land is rolling or hilly. The surface formation is more or less porous and water, even after the heaviest rains of summer, disappears within 24 hours from the surface of the soil.

There are many farms that have fairly good natural drainage, but not sufficient to remove the water quickly after heavy rains and spring freshets. These can usually be greatly improved by a system of surface drains including the plowing of fields in lands so that each dead furrow may be a drain with a definite outlet.

Heavy soils and lands that lie so that the natural drainage cannot easily be determined usually require underdrainage. A soil is frequently cold and wet on account of an impervious subsoil. Other soils are of very little agricultural value because of seepage. The tile draining of such as these is a valuable permanent improvement to the farm. It will enable the farmer to seed his crop earlier and to grow healthier and much larger crops. It will be better than insurance against drought and spring frosts. It will increase profits and save valuable fertilizing ingredients from being washed from the surface of the soil.

For any drainage work a sketch or map is essential. On it they should place the data obtained from a survey of the farm, contours marked and

drains located; then it serves as a permanent record and will save time and labor in future drainage work. A number of permanent landmarks should be located and measurements marked on the map from these to the underdrains.

In laying out systems of tile it is important to keep the slope or fall as uniform as possible. It should not be less than 2 inches per 100 feet, and where changed suddenly a silt basin should be built. Three-inch tile is the smallest profitable size, and as the volume of gathered water increases so the tile should be increased until the main drain for a twenty-acre field having a fall of 5 inches per hundred feet should be laid with six-inch tile. The distance between tile drains is governed largely by the depth at which they are laid. Much tile has been laid from 2 1/2 to 3 feet below the surface. The present tendency is to lay tile shallower. At these depths for field crops it is usually sufficient to place drains 100 feet apart. Then, should it be found necessary, others can be laid between, making them 50 feet apart.

The efficiency of all drains depends largely upon a satisfactory outlet. It must be large enough for the purpose and be low enough to drain the tile dry when they are flowing.

## LOOK BEFORE YOU LOAD LIVE-STOCK.

Inspection of 700 arriving cars of stock at seven of the large markets by supervisors of the Packers and Stockyards Administration, United States Department of Agriculture, has shown that shippers would do well to make careful examination of cars before loading them.

"The railroads maintain satisfactory car-inspection service at the large markets, but not all cars sent to country shipping points have moved directly from the terminals. As a consequence many cars have defects that may cripple animals or even cause their death. Of the cars inspected in this investigation 7 had holes in the floors, 91 had projecting nails in the walls, and 88 had cleats that might, and probably did, cause bad bruises. Eighty-two of the cars were without bedding, a large factor in the safety and comfort of animals in transit."

"No matter who is responsible for the condition of cars, it is to the interest of the shipper always to make an inspection of his own, and most certainly it is up to him to see that the right kind of bedding is provided. Frequently, however, the bedding in stock cars, and because of this a careful examination must be made for projecting nails and cleats that may have been left when these partitions were removed. The floor is the most important part of the car. It should be gone over thoroughly and any holes patched. Doors must be in good repair and when the cattle or other livestock are loaded, securely fastened."

"Last year at one middle-western market 1,700 cattle and more than 2,000 hogs were found crippled in cars. In December more than 1,000 crippled hogs were received at one of the eastern markets. These numbers are small in comparison with total receipts, but they look mighty large to the shippers who owned the animals."

## Killing Weeds With Brains

By Mrs. E. P. Harling

If only a "Saint Patrick" could banish the weeds! It takes many of us, long continued and well directed, even to control them, much less exterminate them, and perhaps, on second thought, we would not be quite willing to banish them from the face of the earth. Many of them are so lovely that if they were rare they would be almost priceless, as for instance, the Mexican poppy, or Queen Anne's Lace, with its delicate, lacy white flowers.

But if you give them an inch, they'll take an ell. As a class, weeds have a long black list against them. They rob the soil, thus defeating the very end for which the farmer strives—that of giving his crop plants the very best possible chance to make good growth. They retard the work of harvesting. They increase the labor of cleaning the seed at threshing-time. Some of them injure stock, as for example, the needle-grass, squirrel-tail grass, etc., the awns of which get into the gums and nostrils and even into the eyes of the stock while they are eating. Some weeds, such as hemlock, loco and many others, poison stock, thus causing serious loss of time and money. These and many other sins are laid at their door, and few are the good qualities with which to offset them.

## WEEDS INCREASE COST OF FARMING.

There is no possible doubt that weeds greatly increase the cost of farming. Without their introduction would be almost cut in two. The fields which have been kept clean from weeds for the longest time cost least in up-keep and yield larger returns. As a rule, one need not go far from his own farm to find proof of this

ence. If for any reason the weeds have been allowed to come into full bloom, then the quickest and surest way to kill the seeds already formed in the flowers is to gather the weeds and burn them.

## CULTIVATE, CULTIVATE, CULTIVATE.

The greatest task is in the fields containing row crops and forage and small grain crops. Almost all farmers recognize the need of keeping the ground between the rows free from weeds, but not all are awake to the urgent need of taking care of the particularly bad spots by themselves; of clearing out in the rows and keeping the ends and edges and fence corners clean.

Weeds have tremendous seeding powers, and it requires no more than a moment's thought to make us realize that the neglected or overlooked weeds left in a field can furnish more than enough seed to cover the entire farm with a luxuriant growth of weeds.

These out-of-the-ordinary places are so extremely important that particular pains should be taken to destroy the weeds on them. Such weeds should be gathered and burned, if they have been allowed to come into full bloom, to kill the millions of seeds they carry.

When you come right down to it, there is no excuse for weeds taking such toll from farmers' profits, for they can be exterminated. The trouble with us is that we want a sort of "get-rich-quick" method. We aren't willing to be more thorough each time, and yet it is just this little bit of extra effort which spells the difference between positive success and goiter.

Go out and take a look at the nearest patch of bindweed, for instance, whose roots are sometimes found six feet or more in depth and whose tops have runners anywhere from one to twenty feet long. Does any one think he can kill out such a plant by an occasional chopping or plowing through it? There would be just about as good chance for success by such methods as a man weakened by long indoor life would have of thrashing a right method and keep at it.

A sand-bur ripens more than 42,000, and a foxtail will mature more than 100,000 seeds. The chickweed which grows all over the place produces five generations a year, and each plant is capable of bearing 3,000 seeds. No wonder it takes incessant hoeing to get rid of it after one gets started. And just for a "big fish" story, let's stop with the humble purslane, or "pussley," which is credited with 1,250,000 for a single plant. Nor are these cases exceptional. Hundreds of the plants we know

the best will do quite as well and some do better.

## WEED SEEDS LIVE MANY YEARS.

"But," you object, "I don't let the weeds grow all summer long anywhere on my farm. I always mow them off once anyway." Yes, but once isn't enough. And what do you do with the cuttings? To mow after plants have begun to bloom and let the cuttings lie where they fall is evidence of the lack of thoroughness for which this plea is made.

In the first place, plants often begin to bloom, and therefore mature seed, long before most people suppose; and in the second place, after they have been cut, many plants have sufficient vitality to ripen at least part of their seeds even after the plants have been mowed or chopped off, as witness the dandelion. Seeds of these chopped off plants fall into the soil where Nature wraps them up carefully, apparently preparing for the possible "seven lean years."

The stubble of these mowed or chopped off weeds nearly always sends up new branches which bloom and bear seed. Sometimes these branches will lie almost on the ground, below the usual reach of a mowing-machine, and it is frequently a fact that unless properly done, mowing may actually increase weeds.

There seem to be two different methods of mowing when the object is to kill weeds. First, very frequent cutting to prevent blossoming. Second, cutting just as the majority of the weeds are beginning to bloom. This is the time when plants are using their maximum strength to put forth seed, and if they are cut at this time, they are caught when they are most exhausted and their stubble takes longer to send up new branches. Cutting at this time is the better if the cuttings are burned, or thoroughly destroyed in some other way. It is absolutely essential that the seeds just forming should be destroyed, and fire is certain destruction. Dry material of some sort should be piled with the cutting and the pile lighted at once. Delay gives opportunity for the seeds to be scattered, and many thousands of them will be ripe the day after the plants were cut. The cuttings will perhaps be too green to burn up entirely, but the big point is to heat the seeds enough to kill them. If this is done, their mischief is ended.

The stubble of annual weeds can be plowed under; also many seedlings in spring and fall can be killed this way. Plants called perennials must be treated differently. If you don't know what your plants are, dig up some of each kind, taking the entire

## Wage War on the Enemy

We must be early and eternally ready to outwit the insects and diseases that lie in wait for our gardens. The best methods of handling insects and diseases are preventive methods, such as: encouraging a vigorous and resistant growth by proper tillage, rotating crops and groups of crops closely related; destroying all garden refuse and weeds, and plowing in fall to kill some insects. Spraying is effective in combating some insects and some diseases while for others it is of no value at all.

## TWO CLASSES OF INSECTICIDES.

There are two general classes of insecticides (insect spray materials). They are, poison or stomach insecticides and contact insecticides.

Poison or stomach insecticides are used against insects having biting mouth parts such as cabbage worms and striped cucumber beetles. Insecticides of this class most commonly used are Paris green and arsenate of lead. Sometimes hebebre and London purple are used but they are less effective. For young potato beetles, cabbage worms and similar insects 1 ounce of arsenate of lead paste per gallon of water or 2 1/2 to 3 pounds per 50 gallons will be sufficient. With arsenate of lead powder or Paris green one-half of these amounts of poison are used. When old potato bugs are to be killed these amounts may need to be doubled. Arsenate of lead is the most desirable of this class, as it sticks to the foliage better and does not burn it nearly as much. Paris green can be made to stick better by adding soap to the solution and the danger of leaf burning can be reduced by using a little more lime, by weight, than Paris green in the solution. Calcium arsenate is a comparatively new insecticide which can be used the same way as lead arsenate.

## CONTACT DESTROYERS.

Contact insecticides are used for insects having sucking mouth parts. They kill the insects by the material actually getting on the insect and corroding its tissues or by strangling it. The most common of these insects are the aphids or plant lice and the squash bug. Insecticides of this class are soap solutions, kerosene emulsion and tobacco decoctions. The kerosene emulsion is made by dissolving one-half pound of soap in 1 gallon of hot water then mixing with 2 gallons of kerosene till the whole is thoroughly emulsified. This stock solution is then diluted from 15 to 20 times. A number of tobacco extracts are on the market which are very effective and more convenient than kerosene emulsion. They should be applied at the rate specified on the package they come in.

When several materials are applied in one solution, each material should

## Home Education

"The Child's First School is the Family"—Froebel.

## Importance of Keeping Promises—By Edith Lochridge Reid

To the child a promise is as serious and binding as a promissory note to a banker. Not all notes are paid, it must be admitted; neither are all promises kept that are made by mothers. Sometimes a child goes in order to restore peace, mother whispers that if Johnny will keep still he can have a nice big box of candy afterwards. So although it is mighty hard work for the tot to control his energy, he does manage to calm down and behave with the thought of this unusual reward. Then the meeting is finally over, it is late and when Johnny begins to clamor for payment due as promised, mother dodges her obligation by saying that it is near supper time and she must get home, and there isn't any store near-by where Johnny can be purchased and won't promise to pop him some corn while she gets supper. Is it any wonder that Johnny sits down on the sidewalk and wails and kicks his heels and makes a scene? No doubt passerby remarks what an ugly disposition that child has and how hard it must be to manage him. Now this mother made two mistakes. First, she never should have made a promise that was really a bribe. Probably little son was too small to take to such a long meeting and remain quiet. But bribe or no bribe, once she had promised to get that box of candy she should have done so if the family had nothing but sandwiches for supper, because she was trailing a candy shop.

Another thoughtless mistake mothers make is keeping promises half-heartedly. Mary comes out in the kitchen just as mother is kneading bread and begs for a story. "Run along a little while, dear, and when 'm not so busy we'll read a nice long story." So Mary in all good faith plays quietly and contentedly on the strength of this promise, and after what seems ages to her, she once more approaches mother, who is now at the sewing machine. "Oh, I'm so anxious to finish this dress, and as soon as I do I'll read you a story if you're very, very good until then," says mother. Then a caller comes and after that it's mealtime again and Mary's confidence in promises goes flickering. She stamps her little foot and pouts, so mother says, "Well, if you're going to act naughty and worry mother, I'll read you a story if you're very, very good until then." Then without any spirit of sympathy or enjoyment she reads the shortest story she can find in order to appease Mary's tantrum, and she considers she has kept her promise.

So our first thought as mothers must be not to make too many promises. Better a surprise now and then, than a promise broken. And second, once a promise is made, never fail to fulfill it, not from the viewpoint of mother and her interest, but entirely from the child's attitude of expectancy. It is difficult and inconvenient at times, but not nearly as difficult as it is to regain the lost confidence of the child, for if there is a keyword in successful discipline it is CONFIDENCE.

## Preparing Lambs for the Top Price.

In the annual review of the live stock market and meat trade situation for 1922, officials of the Federal Live Stock Branch point out that a noticeable feature of the lamb market was the absence of docked or castrated lambs. Whenever an odd load of docked and castrated lambs was offered for sale, the price realized was well above that of ordinary lambs and they were always the object of keen competition. These statements were made more particularly with reference to the Toronto market, which is supplied from the banner live stock province of the Dominion.

In the bulletin "Sheep Husbandry in Canada," the author quotes the views of sheep buyers who state that the neglect of castration is the most prominent defect in the sheep raising industry. That it should continue to be so is astonishing because the operation is simple, quickly done, and carries very little risk of loss. Long tails are regarded as an evidence of poor shepherding. When they mean lower prices, they become a sure sign of poor business. Whether it be horses, cattle, hogs or sheep, even a basket of fruit, it is always profitable to present them for sale in attractive condition. If lambs are to make a good impression next autumn, the surgical operations must be done this spring, and the earlier the better after a lamb is ten days old. Pamphlet No. 9 of the Sheep and Goat Division of the Federal Live Stock Branch describes the operation.

## My Remedy for Lice.

I have found a remedy that will kill lice on dairy cows or any infested stock. Calves, especially, will not do well if troubled with lice. I have tried other treatments, but have used this one altogether since testing it. The mixture is: one part Persian insect powder, one part sabadilla seed; six part flowers of sulphur. Our local druggist has so much call for this mixture that he keeps it ready-mixed. It retails at present at 30 cents per pound. I applied this powder to a saddle mare that got pretty well plastered with lice one winter when she was not used much. In a minute or two I could see every louse in her hide start climbing off toward the ends of her hairs with the greatest enthusiasm. When they arrived at the end of the line there seemed to be no place to go, so they stayed there for a while madly waving their feet. Then they dropped off for keeps.

One more application to catch any nits that possibly hatched out finished her up. I have since used it on all sorts of stock, and always with the same success.—A. H. D.

## The Farmer's Paint Pail.

Ready-mixed paints save money for the farmer who knows how to use them. Most farms have buildings which need a touch of paint every season. The house, the garage, the ice-house, the granary, the big barn or the wagon house—all call for their share of attention. It is well to arrange it so that not all of these will come due to be painted the same year, thus dividing up the expense.

Brushes are high now. We have the bill for one flat brush that amounts to \$2.75. For that reason it pays to take care of brushes. It is easy to leave a brush all soaked with paint until it hardens and is spoiled. Thousands of dollars are wasted that way every year. As soon as a brush is out of its job, it ought to be washed with soap and soft water. When leaving brushes overnight, let them hang in lined oil.

"Kosher" means for Jewish consumption must be "clean" in the Old Testament definition of the word as opposed to the ritually "unclean." The word in Hebrew means "clean," "light" or "fit."

## PRIDE AND PUSH

One evening recently, as we returned from work, our five-year-old girl came running with a basket which she had completed at school. It was shaped, neat, and the colors were arranged harmoniously. The teacher had spoken well of this piece of work. The little girl was all absorbed in what she had accomplished. She certainly took pride in this little basket. Her heart was full of enthusiasm and her eyes sparkled as she explained the merits of her product and rehearsed what the teacher had said about it.

The very next day she was able to bring home another basket which had even greater merit than the one of the day preceding. It was her complete devotion and pride in her work that enabled her to do each day a little better than she had done the day before.

Now, pride in ourselves is almost certain to lead to snobbishness, but pride in our work furnishes a way to better things. When we become so absorbed in the things we are doing that we throw our very soul into our efforts, we are then on the only sure way toward gaining better things on the morrow. Whether we be master or servant, leader or follower, we need to be convinced thoroughly that our task is worthy of our time and energy.

To-day, there is a weeding-out process going on in rural communities. Those who take no pride in farming and look upon it as a means merely of making a little money, are now leaving for the bright lights. While those who are devoted to agriculture who feel that it is a real worth-while part of our nation's business are sticking. The hope of farming lies with the group who take pride in tilling their fields and who feel that it is a dignified occupation.

## Saves Time and Help in Haymaking.

We have a device which is a great labor-saver in haying time. It is a truck which fits a wagon rack and runs on four small wheels that use the side rails of the wagon rack for a track. The truck is 5 1/2 feet wide and 7 1/2 feet long. The frame of the truck is half the size of the wagon rack length, and the space between the wheels is adjustable so as to fit any hayrack.

The truck is placed on the back of the wagon rack when beginning to load hay with a hay-loader. When the truck is full, half of the entire load is on the wagon and the other half of the load can be put on. This eliminates the necessity of handling the hay twice or dragging it from the rear of the wagon rack to the front.

The truck device is equipped with long stakes and cross-bars at one end, short stakes and one bar at the rear. Stakes, front and rear, can be placed flat when not in use. The truck is provided with steel arms fastened to a spring, reaching over and under the rack rails to hold the truck in place while in use. When the truck is filled, the arms may be released and the truck pushed to the front of the wagon rack.

The outfit weighs 230 pounds and when in storage occupies a space 7x9 feet and 9 inches deep. By use of the "hay hand," as the truck is called, one man is saved on the wagon, time is saved in unloading, as the load is in two sections and the driver is never in the way of the man handling the hay as it comes from the loader.—A. K. C.

## Why They Go.

The farm family as we knew it as boys differs from the modern farm family of to-day. In the old days with ten or a dozen children growing up on every farm there was little need of immigration—the needs were largely taken care of by natural increase. It is different to-day. The children in the modern farm home are frequently not abundant enough to replace the father and mother. Under present conditions the farm population is on the decline. Overwork, necessitated by the lack of sufficient help on the farms, has driven more boys from the farm during the past fifteen years than any other cause. With work staring the young men on the farms in the face the tendency has been to attempt more than their strength would warrant. The boys get tired of the long hours and drudgery made necessary by lack of sufficient help and seek some other outlet.

## Canada's Export of Meat.

Canada exported to Great Britain during the first three months of this year 3,645,100 lbs. of beef, against 1,880,200 lbs. in the corresponding months of last year; 27,074,000 lbs. of bacon, against 24,639,700 lbs. and 1,202,000 lbs. of pork, against 120,000 lbs. She exported altogether in the first quarter of this year against the one period last year 6,493,500 lbs. of beef, against 3,688,600 lbs.; 27,306,800 lbs. of bacon, against 24,947,800 lbs., and 1,844,800 lbs. of pork, against 655,200 lbs. There was a drop to 31,800 lbs. of mutton, compared with 1,110,100 lbs.

For mites in the hen-house I use the dirty oil I secure when cleaning an automobile and mix with it a little kerosene. I paint the roosts, nests and coop with it. It does the work.—Mrs. J. C. S.



Seemed So, Anyway.

Mrs. Chatterton—"This philologist says there are six hundred thousand words in the English language." Her husband—"Is that all? I never kept count but I'm sure I've heard you use more than that."

Many men seek fortune in order to be independent; they should rather seek character, the only true source of independence.



### X-Ray Triumphs.

The recent case of a girl from whose lungs—after a lapse of three months—a pencil protruded was successfully removed, is another addition to the list of X-ray achievements.

An even more curious object has been removed from a child's body by means of the "rays." A boy had swallowed a toy motor, which had stuck in his windpipe, but could not be located by ordinary methods. Had it not been for the X-ray it is certain that he would have died.

A collection of objects similarly discovered would make an interesting exhibit for any hospital or college. It would include nails, tacks, scissors, beads, buttons, balls, tin toys, and even hatpins.

The value of the X-ray in determining the nature and extent of bone fractures is, of course, well known. Compound fractures are especially simplified by the ability of the surgeon to consult a photograph whenever necessary.

Apparently there is no limit to the scope of this invention. It has even been used in "searching" native miners of the South African diamond mines. Each man as he leaves his work is subjected to a thorough examination, which does not leave a stolen gem undetected, even if it is hidden in his ear—unless he has swallowed it. In this event the suspect is speedily convicted by an X-ray examination of his stomach.

X-rays might almost be said to have been brought to perfection. The great objection to their use has been their disastrous effect on the operators, injuring the nerve terminals and causing local mortification, which eventually resulted in the loss of an arm, such as that suffered by Dr. Bergonie, the famous French experimenter, or death, such as befell the renowned Drs. Lyster and Bruce.

The use of a new "tube" enables the exposure to be almost instantaneous and the risk negligible, in spite of the fact that the exposure is so much increased that photographs can be taken through a wall.

Protective clothing, too, has been improved. The apron is of rubber, and both mask and gloves are impregnated with lead.

### Relics of Famous Ships.

An anonymous donor of \$250,000 has saved Nelson's Victory from falling to pieces at her anchorage in Portsmouth Harbor. While she still lives relic-hunters have been busy with her body, and in many parts of the country you will be shown a relic and various objects of wood which have been taken from partly defective hulks of timber extracted during repairs.

It is seldom that a famous ship disappears utterly when she reaches the breakers' yard, though no trace remains of the collier Endeavor, in which Captain Cook made his voyage through the South Seas.

Drake's tiny ship, the Golden Hind, lives on at Oxford in the form of a chair made of timber broken from her when she was chopped up at Deptford. When the Resolute was sent to the Arctic to look for Sir John Franklin she was frozen in and abandoned by her crew. After years of drift she was borne south by a melting flow, and found by an American whaler, which took her in tow. The American Government refitted her and returned her to Britain.

When she was broken up, after lying in the Medway for some years, a suite of furniture was made from her timbers and given to the President of the United States.

After the wreck of the Astrolabe and the Bonhomme, the two ships sent out by the French to explore the Pacific after the return of Captain Cook, bits of their gear salvaged from the coral reef on which they were battered to bits were taken back to Paris and built into a memorial column, which was erected to commemorate the expedition.

Now and then a Venetian gondoller will show you his most prized possession, a piece of wood, handed down as an heirloom, which was once a part of the Bucantaur, the famous two-decker State gondola of the Doge in Venice's Golden Age.

**A Lawbreaker's Mixture.**  
To laugh at the miscarriage of an honest scheme is certainly uncharitable, but no one objects to laughter at the expense of a lawbreaker. Hence this story that the Literary Digest tells of a wealthy bootlegger may properly amuse us.

A certain man who had much money with which to gratify his whims decided that his cellar was undersupplied. He inquired and found that a friend stood ready to help him with a brand-new tank truck labeled "Standard Oil." The tank was carefully cleaned and filled with whiskey at about twenty-five dollars a gallon.

The truck was safe out of the city, was loaded and at last arrived at its destination. The driver had been instructed, and the garage chief of the wealthy man was equally innocent. The truck drove to the rich man's garage and there ran the costly contents of the tank into the big gasoline tank, mixing the whiskey with enough gasoline to make a mixture unfit either for drinking or for running an engine. And what could the rich man do? Nothing. So he did it.

The X-rays are now used for searching bales of goods to see if any contraband articles are hidden inside. Always be cheerful and make the best of things. Do what is right, and whatever may be your task, do your best in it.—Queen Mary.

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### Surnames and Their Origin

**O'HARA**  
Variations—O'Hara, O'Hora.  
Racial Origin—Irish.  
Source—A given name.

Sometimes the change in spelling between the real Irish form of a name and its Anglicized version is so great as to throw you completely off the track. O'Hara is one of these names. Few persons would think of associating it with the name which in the Gaelic is spelled "O'Éadhraídh."

But you will note that when the two "gh" compounds are "pronounced" silently, as happens to be correct, and that the diphthong "ea" takes more of the "a" than of the "e" sound, like this: "O'-(E)-a(dh)-ra(dh)"; you see there really isn't much left to it but O'Hara.

This clan name is derived from the given name of "Eadhraídh." The O'Hara clan was settled in Kiltie. It was a branch of the O'Carrolls of Ely, and the clan must have come into existence about the time of Brian Boru or a trifle later, for in the clan record of a long line of chieftains there is mentioned in the year 1067 one "Conaing O'Éadhraídh," who was a lecturer at Clonmacnoise. The O'Haras were a strong clan until the time of Oliver Cromwell's invasion of Ireland.

### PAIN AFTER EATING

**Proof That the Stomach is Weak and Needs Toning Up.**

Generally speaking, a person in good health can digest most foods. If not, and there is pain after eating, the stomach has lost tone and is too weak to do its work. In that case your stomach needs strengthening and the way to do this is to build up your blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

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**Boys in London Strive to Enter King's Choir.**  
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The boys wear scarlet and gold uniforms, and their duties, especially when the court is in London, are to sing in the choir on Sundays and on special occasions. They are housed in the private chapel of Buckingham Palace, at 11.15 they go to St. James's Cathedral, where there is a full service for the King's general household. At 12.30 comes the service in Queen Alexandra's private chapel in Marlborough House.

**Memorial of Hochelaga.**  
The Department of the Interior, Canadian National Parks Branch, has made arrangements with the authorities of McGill University, Montreal, to erect a monument and memorial tablet within the university grounds, near the entrance in Sherbrooke Street, to commemorate the existence of the ancient fortified Indian village of Hochelaga. The quaint sketch of Hochelaga, published by Ramusio and reproduced in the works of Champlain, together with Cartier's entertaining description of the village, has made Hochelaga one of the outstanding points in the romance of Canadian history. During the autumn of 1535 Cartier, accompanied by a varied retinue, was received with great honor by the Iroquois and later Champlain visited the abandoned site. The village contained fifty large houses, lodging several families who subsisted by cultivation and fishing. The abandonment of the village by the Iroquois is attributed to the hostile attacks of the neighboring Algonquin tribes.

A small boy was sitting on his father's knee watching his mother as she painfully went through the very delicate operation of doing her hair in that most becoming wave effect. "No waves for you, pa," said the infant philosopher as he fondly polished his parent's bald head. "You're all beach."

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### Fine Specimens of Buffalo Hides.

Several fine specimens of buffalo hides and heads have recently been received by the Canadian National Parks Branch, Department of the Interior, Ottawa. These were secured from animals killed in Buffalo National Park during the winter and are of excellent quality. The robes, dressed, measure eight feet wide and twelve feet long and the hair is long and glossy. The manes on the heads are also exceptionally long, measuring from fourteen to sixteen inches.

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### The Afternoon Tea Rite.

Mr. Gordon Selfridge, the Chicago merchant who invaded and conquered London, is revisiting the United States, and touches on some piquant contrasts between his native and adopted countries. He has the advantage of a double standard of comparison, of seeing the British through American eyes. To an interviewer he lays amusing emphasis on an English social rite, afternoon tea, which is the subject of mild derision on the part of visitors to the tight little island—until they succumb to it. Mr. Selfridge thinks that if Americans would similarly relax in the middle of the afternoon's work they would gain a poise and calm they really need and lose none of their famous "pep." When he opened his departmental store on Oxford Street thirteen years ago it was the custom of his salespeople to snatch tea as best they could. Instead of discouraging it he accepted it as a national institution, and gave a tea interval to each of his 3,000 employees, and since everybody else in the country does it, no time or business was lost.

He is quoted further: "Tea is brought around at matinees and movies, on railway trains and boats. Lords and commoners pause for it in parliament. You cannot enter any office, editorial den, public library, factory or shop in Great Britain between four or five without stumbling over cups and tea things." Mr. Selfridge confessed that, personally, he did not like tea, but he likes what it stands for—a friendly getting together, a relaxing pause in the day's work, a slowing down of the American's relentless pace, not to a point of becoming less active, but more balanced. The American has a break-down at 50, he added, but the Englishman was swinging a wicked golf club at 65.

Afternoon tea has become a social function on this side of the Atlantic, but it has not seriously penetrated the market place. After all, it is not the tea hour that gives the Briton poise and calm. It is merely one expression of his unbroken habits and ways of living and of looking at life. Before work slows down in offices, factories and shops on this continent in the presence of the tea-cups, there will have to be a radical change in the mental as well as the physical habits of the business community.

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### Ideas Regarding Beauty.

What is your idea of a beautiful woman? Must she be fair or dark? short or tall? slender or stout? Tastes certainly differ. A Chinese belle must be fat, have small eyes, short nose, high cheeks, and feet which are only a few inches long. In the Labrador islands no woman is beautiful who has not black teeth and white hair. Some nations squeeze the heads of children between boards to make them square, while others prefer the shape of a sugar-loaf as the highest type of beauty. It is a funny old world, isn't it?

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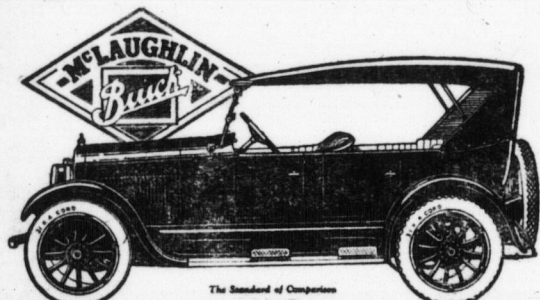
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Give the Steel Plate Attention.

The small steel plate that is riveted to the guard at the point where the knife edge performs the scissor movement should be kept sharp or at least not permitted to wear round. These plates, commonly known as ledger plates, become dull with use, a condition that greatly reduces the efficiency of the mower and increases the draft. A mower with dull or rounded ledger plates will stick in heavy cutting or damp grass. A sharp knife and sharp edged ledger plates means light draft for the team and clean, free cutting of the crop.

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Go Over the Machine Daily.

The mower should be gone over carefully twice each day and all bolts tightened. The main bearings should be oiled at least once each hour, and the pitman bearings at least every half hour. When the mower is not in use the knife should be removed. The cutter bar should be elevated to the position in which the machine is not in use. A little heavy mineral oil should be brushed over all parts that are likely to rust. Don't use paint oils. The mower, like the binder, to give the best service, should be given good care.—L. Stevenson, Sec., Dept. of Agriculture.

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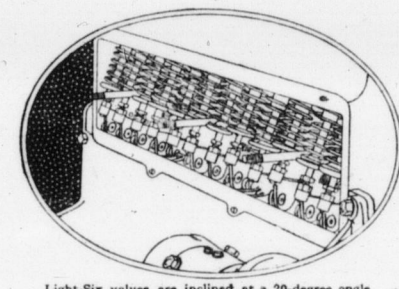
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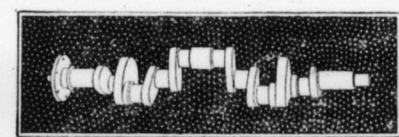
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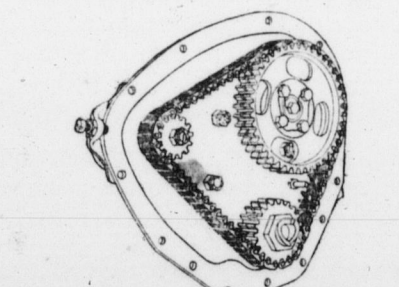
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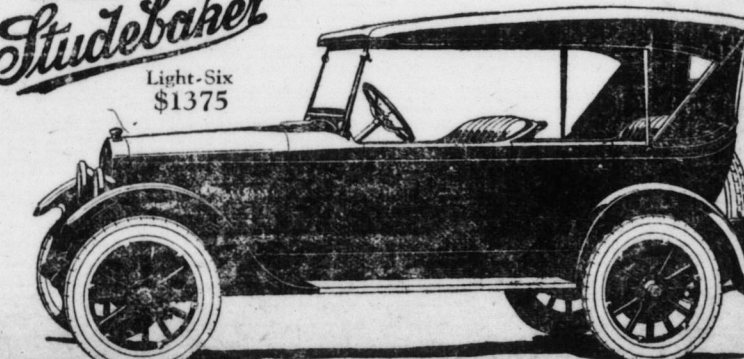


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## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

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LOVE MASTERS FEAR:—There is no fear in love; but perfect love casteth out fear.—1 John 4: 18.

## TOWN AND VICINITY

Cecil McAlpine is relieving in the Bank of Montreal at West Lorne.

James W. Currie has sold his filly, Maggie Jinko to the Abbott brothers, of Toronto, for \$500.

At the last meeting of the Chatham Presbyterian, held recently, Mrs. (Rev.) George Weir, of Ridgeway, was elected president.

Work has been commenced on the erection of the C. E. Nourse Co.'s store and warehouse on the site of the old American hotel.

Homemade baking sale will be held in the Presbyterian lecture room Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5. Afternoon tea, 10 cents.

Glencoe high school girls motored to Wardsville Friday afternoon and were defeated by the girls there in a game of baseball, the score being 27-32.

Miss McGregor, travelling secretary of the Women's Missionary Society, will give an address next Sunday morning in the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Alfred Squire, Mrs. D. Reeves and Miss Patricia are Glencoe delegates to the London Conference Branch of the W. M. S. meeting in London this week.

At the regular May meeting of the Presbyterian W. M. S. interesting reports on the recent provincial convention held in Windsor were given by Mrs. John Strachan and Mrs. Paton.

Miss M. Young addressed the Anglican congregations at West Lorne and at Dutton Sunday afternoon and evening, on her experiences in Japan, where she spent 20 years in missionary work.

Wm. R. White, of Alvinston, has left for Peru, where he has a three-year contract with the International Petroleum Company. Mr. White has been for the past two years being employed in Petroles.

D. A. Mitchell has purchased the pure bred Clyde stallion, "King Selection" 17780, from Colin McKegan, of Strathroy, and will place him on a route covering sections of Mosa, Ekfrid and Aldborough this season.

Anniversary services will be held in Tait's Corners Presbyterian church on Sunday, May 27, at 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., conducted by Rev. Mr. Symington, of London. Miss McGregor, travelling secretary of the W. M. S., will give an address at the afternoon service.

The shield won by Professor Howard Gordon and his high school orchestra, at the recent musical festival at Toronto was on display in the window of J. N. Currie & Co.'s store last week. Mr. Gordon received the gold medal as well. A photo of the orchestra was also shown.

The second soft-ball game of the W.O.S.S.A. league between the high schools of this district was played at Glencoe on Tuesday afternoon. Wardsville girls duplicated their win of a week ago, the score being 28-24. Hillman, of Wardsville, displayed brilliant pitching.

An enjoyable time was spent on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Chester Brown, of Southwold, when she entertained the intimate friends and neighbors of Mrs. Nell McNish, who is leaving that section to make her home in Glencoe. In the course of the afternoon Mrs. McNish was presented, on behalf of the ladies, with a gold pin, and an address expressing the esteem of the community.

Southern Ontario had a deluge of rain accompanied by severe thunder storms on Sunday, starting at an early hour in the morning. It is pointed out by local weather observers that this was the first electrical disturbance which has been noticeable here for more than eight months. The last electric storm being on September 14. No damage by the storm has been reported, but the weather has been quite cool since and unfavorable for growth of crops.

Four young men, graduates of Huron College, were ordained into the ministry of the Church of England by Right Rev. David Williams, D.D., Lord Bishop of Huron, in St. Paul's Cathedral, London, Sunday morning. Rev. H. K. L. Charlton, one of the four, is a son of Rev. T. J. Charlton, of St. Matthew's church, London, and formerly of Glencoe. He is a scion of a ministerial family. Mrs. Charlton's father having been rector of St. Edmund's, Oxford, Eng., and her brother vicar of the Anglican church in the Channel Islands. Rev. Mr. Charlton has been stationed at Onondaga and Middleport.

At the fourth annual track and field meet of the Western Ontario Secondary Schools' Association, held at Queen's Park, London, on Saturday afternoon, Marvin Webster, Glencoe high school's champion strong man, won third place in the 12-lb. shot put for seniors in a large field of competitors.

The death occurred at her home in Mosa township on Saturday, May 19, of Jennie I. McKee, wife of A. G. McKee, in her 32nd year. Mrs. McKee was the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McAlpine, of Tait's Corners, at whose residence the funeral service was held on Tuesday afternoon, interment being made in Oakland cemetery. The service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Cooke, assisted by Rev. Mr. McKillop, former pastor of Tait's Corners church. Mrs. McAlpine leaves besides her husband, A. G. McKee, one son, John A., aged 6 years, and two brothers—John, of Grimby, and Ross, at Tait's Corners.

St. Thomas Times-Journal:—About twenty members of Amasa Wood Hospital alumnæ gathered at the home of Mrs. J. A. Campbell, Metcalfe street, Wednesday evening, when Miss Sadie Conthard, of Glencoe, was the guest of honor. The feature of the party was a pretty little ceremony, when Miss Conthard, whose wedding to Thomas Pearson, of Chicago, takes place soon, was showered with gifts of linen from a pretty parcel suspended in an archway. The guests spent the rest of the evening playing cards. Miss Conthard returned on Thursday to her home in Glencoe after spending several days visiting friends here and in Ingersoll.

## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

—R. D. McDonald is home from Toronto University.

—Mrs. E. T. Huston is spending a few weeks in Toronto.

—Mrs. Buchanan, of London, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. W. Watts. Mrs. Richard Singleton and children are visiting relatives in Brantford.

—Miss Ruby Gilbert, of London, is spending a couple of weeks at her home here.

—Mrs. Murphy and son Harold, of Kenora, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Saxton.

—Miss Genevieve Cowan has returned home after spending the winter with relatives in the West.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. Fletcher and daughter Helen, of Poplar Hill, visited relatives here over the week-end. Mrs. Archer has returned to Glencoe from Tilbury and will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Heil.

David Corbett and son, of St. Clair, Mich., visited at the home of Mrs. James Corbett here Friday and Saturday.

—Miss Dorothy and Stewart Weir motored from Ridgeway and spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McDonald.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Milton, of Detroit, motored from that city and spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Woods.

—Earl McDonald, student of Knox College, Toronto, spent the week-end at his home here, and left on Tuesday to take charge of a mission station at Ashern, Manitoba, for the summer months.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thos. R. Harrison, of London, were in town on Tuesday calling on relatives and friends. They are making a motor trip to Leamington, Detroit, Goderich and other points before leaving for London, England, where Mr. Harrison will have charge of the business of Wood, Gundy & Co. bond dealers.

## SPECIAL NOTICES

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Homemade baking sale in Presbyterian lecture room Saturday afternoon.

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All goods marked in large, plain figures. Stealing is belovied.—At W. A. Currie's grocery sale.

Plants for sale—tomatoes, early and late cabbage, cauliflower, asters and salvia.—W. R. Sutherland; phone 81.

Sweeping values still offering in the sale of the large and well assorted stock of groceries at wholesale, at W. A. Currie's.

Watch for particulars of the annual monster garden party by the Sports Club of No. 5, Ekfrid, Friday evening, June 8th.

Upholstering, fine cabinet work, carpenter work, furniture finishing.—J. D. Brown, first door north of Transcript office; phone 63.

For tobaccos, cigars, cigarettes, etc., examine the prices in the big and well assorted stock in W. A. Currie's fine tobacco wall case.

For sale—grain binders, corn binders, mowers, hay loaders, corn cultivators, spreaders, wagons, cream separators; all overhauled and in good shape. Terms to suit.—D. M. McKellar.

Eggs taken in exchange for general groceries at the clearing out, sale at wholesale prices, at W. A. Currie's.

Baby (crying)—"Papa, I wanna drink."

Papa—"Shut up, you little idiot! So do I, but I don't go around crying about it."

Many a retired farmer, after buying a cozy bungalow in town, has decided that he wasn't as tired as he thought he was.

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Worms sap the strength and undermine the vitality of children. Strengthen them by using Mother Graves' Worm Expeller to drive out the parasites.

## DISTRICT AND GENERAL

E. J. Purcell has moved into the house at Wardsville which he recently purchased from Geo. Paulds.

The Conservatives of North Middlesex have nominated George Elliot, of Parkhill, former M. P., to contest the Provincial seat.

Thieves broke into the creamery and meat market at Bothwell Sunday night and carried away some cooked ham and about \$10 in cash. They also drained the gasoline out of several cars.

A new ferry the Sarnia, with a capacity of 40 autos and 1,000 passengers, is shortly to be added to the ferry service between Sarnia and Port Huron. Tourists will be able to drive their motor cars straight on and off the big new boat without being compelled to turn.

The Strathroy Age-Dispatch says: The contract for the new county bridge over the Sydenham River on Caradoc street was awarded this week. The contract was let to P. W. Nichols, of Ekfrid, at \$5,300; the steel work to the London Bridge Company at \$6,196. The work of erection will begin some time next month.

A Sarnia immigration official commented the other day on the number of Canadians who were coming back from Detroit and other U. S. cities after an experience there of living long distances from work and paying top prices for everything they purchased. There's a lesson in this for others to whom distant fields always look green.

One hundred and forty thousand Canadian boys have been organized by the Canadian Forestry Association into a Young Canadian Forestry League, and will be on the alert this year to prevent forest fires in all parts of the Dominion. Badges and detailed instructions are being supplied, and the entire body will act as an auxiliary force to the fire rangers when occasion offers.

## THE LATE MRS. SUMMERS

There died in Oakdale on Wednesday, May 9, 1923, Agnes A. McArthur, wife of Alexander Summers. Funeral services were conducted at her late residence on Saturday, May 12, by Rev. Mr. Reid, Presbyterian pastor, of Oakdale. There are left to mourn—her husband, Alexander Summers, and family, Mrs. Murdoch Reekie and Mrs. Peter N. Munroe, of Marnett, Man.; Mrs. Malcolm Leitch, Arthur and John Summers, and Mrs. Henry Mawlin, of Oakdale, and Miss Pearl A. Summers, of Detroit; also one brother, Robert McArthur, of Mosa, and two sisters, Mrs. Barbara Campbell, of Brown City, Mich., and Miss Margaret McArthur, of Mosa.

## ALBERTA COAL EXCELLENT

The committee appointed by the Ontario Government to try out Alberta coal reported that the best grades of coal from Alberta would be a satisfactory substitute for United States anthracite coal.

The committee states that it would be desirable if there was importation that only the best grades be brought in. Importation in the minds of the committee would not be satisfactory unless Alberta coal could be delivered in Toronto at \$12.50 a ton, as compared with \$15.50 for United States anthracite. A ton of Alberta coal will not last as long as the anthracite. It takes 1 1/2 or 2 tons to equal a ton of the hard coal.

The tests in private houses showed that there was little smoke and that no good coal was found in the ashes and with a few exceptions there were no clinkers or late. It was agreed by all who tested that the coal gave immense heat and responded quickly to draft.

## PARKDALE

Mr. and Mrs. Trethewey and children, of Chatham, Archer, of Windsor, were week-end visitors at the home of Ed. Haggett.

Richard Everett, who has been ill for some time, was recently taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, London, for treatment.

Jas. Haggett has purchased a new Chevrolet car.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Haggett are leaving in the early part of June for an extended trip through British Columbia and the prairie provinces.

Tim Fisher has taken a position in Windsor.

Chas. Telfer and Fred Haggett were delegates to the U. F. O. convention at Mount Brydges.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Main spent Sunday with her parents in Appleton.

Mrs. J. H. Robinson and Miss Maud Everett spent Tuesday in London with their father.

Tom Bell, who has been confined to the house for several weeks with a badly sprained ankle, is now able to be about again.

Edythe Thompson was home for the week-end.

It is said that sugar prices dropped several points in New York because of the buyers' strikes organized by women. What women have done already is an indication of what they can do when they set their minds to a task. A nation-wide strike against high-priced sugar would certainly make it interesting for the speculators.

Cause of Asthma. No one can say with certainty exactly what causes the establishing of asthmatic conditions. Dust from the street, from flowers, from grain and various other irritants may set up a trouble impossible to irradiate except through a sure preparation such as Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy.

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## SCHOOL REPORTS

### S. S. No. 9, Mosa

Names are in order of merit:—Sr. IV.—Johanna Mitchell. Jr. IV.—Donna Gillies. Jr. III.—Martha Livingston, Kenneth Gillies, George Innes, Frances Cuckey.

Sr. II.—Alden Gillies, Albert Cuckey. Jr. II.—Leland Innes, John Mitchell, Percy Cuckey, John Smith. I.—George Smith.

Sr. Primer.—Hannah Cuckey. Jr. Primer.—Margaret Gillies, Stanley Gillies, Lloyd Gillies.

Florence M. Hick, Teacher.

### S. S. No. 17, Mosa

IV.—Laura McKellar 78, Zella Munroe 69, Albert Moore 69, Mary McLachlan 67, Lloyd Little 66.

III.—Kenneth McKellar 77, Hugh Leitch 61, Viola Munroe 60.

II.—Prudence Moore 71, Duncan Leitch 63, Harley Lease 54.

Primer.—Innes Graham, Archie McKellar.

Junior Primer.—Donald Calderwood.

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Estate of Thomas English, Late of the Village of Wardsville, in the County of Middlesex, Carriage-maker, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914," chapter 121, section 56, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Thomas English, who died on or about the 22nd day of December, A. D. 1922, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned, solicitors for Isabella Mary English, executrix of the estate of the said Thomas English, deceased, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and of the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after the 15th day of June, A. D. 1923, the said Isabella Mary English will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice, and that the said Isabella Mary English will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim she shall not then have received notice.

ELLIOTT & MOSS, Glencoe, Ont., Solicitors for the said Executrix.

Dated this 14th day of May, A. D. 1923.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of D. M. Smith, Late of the Township of Euphemia, in the County of Lambton, Postmaster, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to section 56 of the Trustees' Act, R. S. O., 1914, chapter 121, that all creditors and others having demands against the estate of the said D. M. Smith, who died on or about the 6th day of December, 1922, in the township of Euphemia, in the county of Lambton, are required on or before the 9th day of June, 1923, to send by post or deliver to Stuart Smith, 114 Windermere Road, Walkerville, Ont., the full particulars in writing of their claims, a statement of their accounts.

And take notice that after such last named date the hereafter named executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice and that the executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice has not been received by them at the time of the distribution.

Malcolm D. Smith, Gordon L. Smith, Stuart Smith, executors for the deceased.

Dated at Walkerville, Ont., this 7th day of May, 1923.



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I sowed them early in shallow boxes, where I could shade and water them better than if they were in the open ground. When the seedlings were ready they were transplanted into rows, and kept weeded and cultivated. Early next spring I had a stock of vigorous young plants ready for sale.

In addition to my own stock I had the chance to buy very cheaply a large quantity of gladioli bulbs of ten different varieties. These I sorted over and put three or four varieties together, offering them thus assorted by the dozen. In addition I already possessed a stock of violets, chrysanthemums, arabis, daisies, polyanthus, and the like, which I had divided at the proper time and multiplied into a number of thrifty young plants, with the result that I had a fair variety of reliable garden flowers.

That season my plants yielded \$25.60, simply through selling among the neighbors in the district. The gladioli realized about half as much again over the \$10 they cost. In addition I had rows and rows of them for my own pleasure and for stock for the following year.

The \$2 worth of seed grew into over \$20, the remainder of my \$25.60 coming from plants which, by division, I had supplied from my own stock. The outlay in time was small, by far the larger proportion being spent in selling rather than in growing. The selling was the part I liked least. A woman with a turn for business should easily make much more than I did.

I found it pays to have the plants well-grown. If you are near a large town you may have to sell a little below regular prices. I don't expect early orders. People just naturally won't order early while plants are dormant. I allow the plants to remain in the ground until they are wanted. I lift and place them side by side in a shallow trench and rake earth over the roots. I mark each trench as to variety, color and name. It is then easy to take out the plants when wanted, and lifting retards growth, so that they are in a better condition for late planting.

I think that in every community there is room for at least one person to make considerable pocket money by getting ready plants that other people like and want, yet never raise for themselves, either from not knowing how to do it or from lack of time. It is surprising how many people will buy plants if they know they can get them when they want them.—M. Forster, Victoria, B.C.

**LABOR-SAVERS.**  
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small rugs instead of one large one; using a chamomile for washing windows and mirrors; a high stool in the kitchen; hooks to hang utensils where they are needed; drop-shelves to supplement table space; having the sink higher than the plumber had ever seen before; a wire dish drainer; oil-cloth on shelves; wire dish-cloth; elimination of thresholds; a dustless mop; having sink and stove adjoin each other; having a small kitchen; traveling table; having tables the right height; oil-stove; electric lights; electric iron and electric washer. What is your pet labor-saver?

**LOVE'S LABOR.**  
I love the "homey" little things Her hands of mine have made, And cherish, too, the joy it brings To know that Love, with folded wings Is with us, unafraid. For life is full of little cares To fret us if we will, But each with each the labor shares And every day its burden bears With calm and kindly skill. The shelf behind the kitchen door, The cushioned window seat, The braided rug upon the floor And linen things embroidered o'er Have made our lives more sweet. Because they mark the tender thought, And hearts attuned have learned The finer lesson that is taught By "homey" things our hands have wrought. The joy love's labor earned. —Charles Iden.

**A COMPLEXION SPECIALIST TALKS ABOUT COSMETICS.**  
I remember visiting an Indian princess and she asked my opinion of her "make-up" over which she had taken special pains for me. As she used cosmetic more moderately than most orientals I said that I thought it very natural looking. Her dark eyes clouded and tears choking her voice, she exclaimed, "So I have had all my trouble for nothing!"

Cosmetics really call for a study of art. To understand the matching of tones, and to get a clear conception of the great artists' ideals of beauty, I made a long tour through Europe's most famous picture galleries. Without this I don't think I should ever have realized how subtle is the matter of coloring, and what a variety is needed in all beautifiers—rouges, lip-tints, eye shadows, powders, and even preparations for the arms, throat, shoulders and hands. Each complexion, from the deepest olive brunette to the palest blonde calls for tones that harmonize with its own color scheme. To learn all this, or rather to begin to, has meant long years of study, and now, perhaps, I study more earnestly and persistently even than when I was a girl—the fever for knowledge seized once and it grows but there is one great compensation for the continuous labor, the strain and responsibility which compose a beauty specialist's life. This is the gratitude and the responsiveness of the many hundreds of thousands of women to whom her help is vital—for beauty is often the deciding factor in a woman's happiness—and the intrinsic joy of creating the one thing that makes the grey, drab world after all worth while—beauty!—Helena Rubinstein.

**WHEN TO SALT VEGETABLES.**  
If salt is added to the water in which vegetables are cooked, it will improve their color and flavor. Much less mineral matter is dissolved out in the process of cooking if salt is added when the cooking begins, rather than when it is nearly finished. When vegetables are wilted and likely to be tough, it is sometimes better to add the salt when they are done.



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## The Gift Of The Gods

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### CHAPTER V.—(Cont'd.)

The Chinaman seated himself where Culver had been, and repeated the same finger movements. This time the result was a slight click, and Culver's mystified gaze saw the top of the table fly back, disclosing what appeared to be the inside of a large jewel case. But instead of the delicate tints on which jewels usually rest, the inside of this was padded with black satin, and on its centre, in rather singular contrast, rested a box of green jade about five inches square. Tung Yung touched another spring and the square of glass protecting the box slid back like a panel, leaving just enough space for it to be lifted out. He then took from another drawer in the table a small glass jar with a perforated top, from which he dusted his hands with a fine yellow powder.

Culver, impatient at what he considered unnecessary ceremony, bent over the green box. He was about to reach out a finger to run over the smooth surface of this strange piece of antiquity, when a hoarse cry rang through the room and he was roughly brushed aside. He straightened up, looking at the Chinaman in surprise. Tung Yung was livid, and Culver noticed the hand which still grasped his arm trembled.

"You touch that box, you die!" The man's shuddering tone made clear he was stating an undoubted fact rather than a threat, but Culver jestingly interpreted the latter. "I see you prize the jewel box highly, Mr. Tung Yung," he replied lightly, "but I assure you my desire for it isn't out of legitimate proportions."

But the Oriental didn't smile. Instead, it was in a sad and impressive tone he explained: "You not understand me, Dr. Culver—you would laugh at me. That jewel protector deadly. A man touch it and he die unceasingly. No, that not the word. You scare my people saying. What I want to say is, he die for sure. It was meant to be that way. It thousands years old—and killed hundreds people."

Culver listened in amazement to the man's statement. The old weird, mystic influence of the East seemed all at once to fill the room, and his eyes rested on the piece of jade as though they were watching a sleeping reptile. "This box," continued Tung Yung, "once belonged to the Empress Wang. My family its custodian for thousands years."

"Rather a disturbing article to have lying about. How do you hypnotize its deadly influence, Mr. Tung Yung, if I may ask?" "This gold powder is the antidote. So long as I have this on my hands I can handle it as much as I please." As he spoke, the Chinaman lifted the case and turned it about for Culver's inspection. Suddenly both his hands closed over the box and he leaned toward his interested spectator and whispered impressively in his ear: "What I just tell you, Dr. Culver, is great secret. Only possessors of the two sacred rubies must ever know. You soon to be custodian of my country's great relic, so I tell you, see?"

Tung Yung, apparently satisfied with Culver's manner of accepting the special guardianship of the box, Culver watched interestedly as the Chinaman touched a concealed spring, at which the top of the box flew back, disclosing both a green sash on which the dragon with a thousand eyes was embroidered in pure gold.

"It's a wonderful piece of work, Mr. Tung Yung," conceded Culver, "but in this case it is true that beauty is only skin deep. It is almost too gruesome a thing to live with."

"You not care to have it?" questioned the Oriental.

Culver shook his head. "Too deadly a weapon for the worst thief." "Ah, you no understand. You take this box to China—news spread—robbers keep away from sacred rubies, see? They say thousand dollars in this box. They scared—not one dare come near you. You can sell it for Dr. Culver." So saying, the Chinaman placed the green jade box back in its black and gold bed, wiped the gold dust from his hands and covered the weird weapon out of sight with the teakwood table top. "Maybe in China," he continued, "the foreign healer change his mind. Then come to Tung Yung, eh? You know? All future dark mystery."

Culver looked in surprise at the serious face of the usually urbane dealer. Tung Yung's smile had slipped off. Standing there with his long, slim fingers groping nervously over the mysterious, centuries old heirloom, he seemed to embody all the dark superstitions and paganism of the East.

As Culver walked home from Tung Yung's store, the spell of China was still on him. He could no longer blind himself to the fact that the East was where the real years of his life, short as they were, had been lived. Resolutely he had kept his eyes on the road ahead. Fear of weakening had kept him from even glimpsing the past. But now, in spite of all his earnest striving, in spite of the fame that had crept on him unawares, he knew these years were but bracketed milestones. Destiny was bidding him close the bracket and beckoning him forward to continue the past before the period was put into his sentence of life.

Sixteen years before, with determined purpose, he and his wife had taken up new duties and in life. For sanity's sake they made their motto: "Act—act in the living Present!" Heart within, and of o'clock! He culver had plunged into the very heart of hospital work. His reputation grew, and surgical fame swept over him. Still he dared not pause. Instinct of humanity reaching out its arms to him, the reverse happened.

He pleaded to be of greater use. Especially to little children was the genius of the man devoted. In time, work and acquired philosophy lightened the road with the soft if dim light of resignation.

At first Paul, an atom of the East, had been but small help for the loss of his own child. He watched him grow and develop as a scientific experimenter might observe some new development in his laboratory. But the deep, staunch affection of the little Easterner, combined with unusual intelligence, made secret inroads into the hearts which had adopted him, and Culver and his wife discovered one day that they were bound to the boy with chains of iron.

They followed with personal pride his amazing progress through college, while his keen grasp of world problems sometimes made them hold their breath and wonder if he was not destined to hold up the torch for the Old World, the pagan world of China. But the glow of the future ideals was clouded when in the Spring of 1915 this youth, who was destined for great things, stood before them and calmly announced that his place was on the soil of France, where he would do his infinitesimal part to stop the hordes of evil from engulfing the world.

Neither Neil Culver nor Irma murmured against his decision, but the mother hunger in Irma's eyes could not be concealed. As she looked at the slim, clear-eyed youth, and saw high resolve and duty to the death written on his face, terror of the inevitable gripped her, and turning bewildered to her husband she cried: "Neil, Neil, why does God covet our very best?" "It is cruel, cruel!"

For the next few weeks, artificiality, that human mask, hated above all things by the Culvers, reigned supreme in their household. Sometimes they even succeeded in deceiving each other with it. Paul's gaiety appeared so spontaneous, his Western wit so ready, that his foster-parents congratulated themselves that the anguish of their souls was undergoing was known only to themselves.

Irma watched over the boy those last days as though he were her baby of three again. When Paul had voiced his resolve it seemed the second death knell to her hopes had been sounded. The uselessness, the inanity of trying to live to oneself came strongly upon her as she looked into the wide brown eyes, in whose depths glimmered the beacon light of already thousands of the world's youth, and the barrier of inevitable sacrifice tried her before her.

But the months passed and Paul's young life had not been laid on the altar of sacrifice. Instead, the news had now come that he had gone smiling and with head erect into the very jaws of death, which had not closed on him—had covered the retreat and saved the lives of his comrades. France had invested him with her highest honor and Britain's King had pinned the Victoria Cross on his breast. China herself had thrilled at the news, while her old regime tossed its morose, precious heirloom at its feet—the sacred ruby of the East.

Irma began to hope again. Like the majority of "trail humans, who believe their possessions have in some mysterious way the special guardianship of Providence, she let reasoning and philosophy slip away and placed her step daintily into the misty, uncertain way that led to the hollows and disillusion lay under the soft white covering.

As Culver stepped into the hall, his wife's laugh floated out to him from the library, where Paul had just come; laughter had been very rare of late. Upon entering the room, a tall form rose from the depths of an easy chair and advanced to meet him. His wife, whom he ran across out there, and a familiar voice cried, "Here I am again, old chap, bobbing up after ten years of India."

Culver returned the grip, genuine welcome glowing on his face, as he exclaimed: "Just the way I thought you'd be cropping up, Chess Reynolds. Turning native for ten years and then coming back, disclosing both a grip and a familiar voice cried, 'Here I am again, old chap, bobbing up after ten years of India.'"

"He was misinformed. We haven't put a foot of America soil for six years," he said, promising the spell with a "Jupiter! how time flies, and youth too, but in the opposite direction." (To be continued.)

### Forest Research Imperative.

The farmer is already finding that agricultural research lies at the very foundation of the maintenance of soil fertility and crop production. This appreciation on the part of the farmers in Canada and the United States is forcing the employment of literally thousands of men trained in agricultural research. Much of our land is useful only for the production of timber. It is just as essential for our well-being, for our industrial and economic life that this land be organized and managed for enduring timber production as it is that our agricultural land be organized and managed for enduring agriculture.—Prof. J. W. Toumey.

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### Where Earth's Ways Are Laughter.

Oh, I am going back to bide where all earth's ways are laughter. Laughter of sunlight on the hills, of valley and of stream, Of cool green winds that fleet across the smiling meadows after The proudest butterflies that dart and soar and gleam.

Oh, I am going back to stray where all earth's ways are gladness, Gladness of little leaves that dance upon the maple bough. Of feathered folk whose melodies are never touched with sadness, Of ringing song that follows down the field behind the plow.

Oh, I am going back to be where all earth's ways are glowing With happiness, where one keeps at step with joy the whole day through. What wonder that my heart's a-thrill with a high hope in knowing That I am going back to walk May's shining paths with you? —Elizabeth Scollard.

### Transfer of the Seven Oaks Monument, Winnipeg.

The Lord Selkirk Association of Winnipeg has agreed to transfer the site and monument of the Seven Oaks memorial at Winnipeg to the Department of the Interior for historical memorial purposes. The site is about two miles from the city hall, Winnipeg, directly north, on Main street, and one mile south from Kildonan Park. The monument was erected in 1891 by the Manitoba Historical Society through the generosity of the Countess of Selkirk, on the site of the encounter at Seven Oaks in 1816 between the men of the Northwest Fur Company and the Selkirk settlers when Governor Robert Semple and twenty of his officers and men were killed. The Selkirk settlers came out from Scotland in 1812-14-15. They were not welcomed in the northwest by the Northwest Fur Company, who regarded that territory as belonging to the hunter and the fur trader. The settlers expected to find friends and welcome but found only a few huts and tents on the ashes of the homes that had been built for their predecessors and in the face of winter suffered great distress. They located at Pembina and built huts for the winter, hoping to make a home on the Red River in the following spring. Trouble, however, arose with the Northwest Fur Company which ended in the unfortunate battle of Seven Oaks. In 1817 Lord Selkirk, with a company of disbanded soldiers, recaptured Fort Douglas and established his settlers on the Red River. This celebrated encounter led to the fusion of the two great rival fur companies.

The parish priest of a small village near the Pacific Coast of Mexico has a flock of pure-bred chickens that literally fell out of the skies. The hens were on their way from San Francisco to Lima, Peru. Off the Mexican coast a warship swept so close to the vessel that it was carrying them that it sucked the chickens aloft, crate and all, and carried them to shore.

## A STRING OF IRISH MEMORIES

Many stories of Irish life are told by Sir Henry Robinson, Bart., in "Memories, Wise and Otherwise," a record of forty years' official work in Ireland.

When the author first arrived in Ireland, he had a long train journey at night ahead of him. He was tired, so he tipped the guard to lock him in a carriage.

The guard promised to allow no one to disturb him, but at every station he opened the carriage door to give information of their whereabouts.

"This is Knockcroghery," he would bellow; waking the traveller out of a heavy sleep. "No change. Yere right where yare!"

### The Soup Cure.

The Duke of Edinburgh once went round the coast of Ireland in H.M.S. Lively, and finding in one place that the people were suffering from rheumatism and neuralgia, which the ship's doctor told him was the result of low feeding and poverty of the blood, he distributed a quantity of tinned soups and other delicacies.

Not knowing that the things were meant to be eaten, the people used them to rub into their shoulders. One man in whose house the author found an empty meat-extract tin spoke with bated breath of the marvellous properties of this mysterious preparation when applied in the form of a poultice for neuralgia.

The ship's doctor found one man with his shirt off undergoing a vigorous application of tinned soup to his back for lumbago.

Once, in a country hotel, Sir Henry asked the boots to wake him at 8.30. He was aroused at seven o'clock by the man's shouting: "Would your honor like to be called now?" Learning the time, Sir Henry abused the boots roundly, and told him to be off and wake him at 8.30.

When next he awoke it was 9.30, and when the man was asked why he did not knock at 8.30, he replied: "I did; but you being that tired, I knocked aisy for fear I'd wake ye again!"

The landlord of a certain hotel, when making out a guest's bill, would say: "How much whisky did ye drink since Thursday last? Will I put ye down for a bottle, or maybe a bottle and a half?" "Certainly not," the guest would say. "I never had any at all." "Then I'll put ye down for a bottle of claret, will I?"

"Do nothing of the kind. I've had nothing but ginger ale and stout occasionally." "Well, we'll make it a dozen of each, eh?"

### A Marvellous Memory!

During his Chief Secretaryship, Mr. Birrell, who had by no means a retentive memory for faces and names, stayed at an hotel in Kildare. He was introduced to a Mr. Fitzpatrick, one of the Local Government Board's inspectors. Mr. Birrell was as pleasant to him as he invariably was to everyone.

Next morning a Mr. Bentley, who had met Mr. Birrell the year before, was anxious to know if he would remember him. When Mr. Birrell, coming down the stairs, saw Mr. Bentley, he walked over and began talking to him.

Mr. Bentley was more than surprised that Mr. Birrell should have recognized him on the spot, but when someone remarked to the Chief Secretary about his meeting Mr. Bentley, Mr. Birrell replied: "Bentley; who is Bentley?"

"Why, that chap you rushed up to and shook hands with in the hall." "Good heavens!" said Mr. Birrell; "I thought he was Fitzpatrick, the inspector."

A year afterwards Mr. Bentley was heard holding forth in a train on the subject of Mr. Birrell. "I haven't a word to say for his policy and all that," he said, "but there is one remarkable characteristic about him. Birrell never forgets a face!"

### Trees With Hands.

One of the most curious trees in the world is found in Mexico. The natives call it the handflower-tree.

From the centre of each flower springs a stem shaped like a human hand and arm. The points are curved like fin-fingers with overgrown nails.

Each tree possesses thousands of these curious blooms, and at a distance they resemble blood-red hands waving in the air. At one time the Mexicans were so impressed that they bowed down and worshipped it; and no one was permitted to pluck any of its wonderful flowers.

A rival is the five-fingered orange which grows in Japan. This dwarf tree, which seldom reaches a greater height than five feet, grows its fruit in the shape of a human hand complete with fingers and thumb.

### The Gift of Buffalo to Auckland, New Zealand.

The city of Auckland, New Zealand, has set aside 170 acres of land for zoological gardens and the mayor of that city has written to the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, to ask for the gift of three buffalo to add to the nucleus of a collection of the wild animals of the world. It has been possible to accede to this request and arrangements are being made for the transfer of three buffalo, one male and two female, to the city of Auckland.

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—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Who's Safe?

Old Mother Hubbard went to the cupboard To take just the finest swig; She heard a loud noise, Thought it only some boys— But found 'twas a raid by the League.

Use Even for Musical Doc.

A certain organist was so proud of his degree that he wrote "Mus. Doc." after his name on every possible occasion.

One day he was approached by a very small boy, who said: "Mus. sir, aren't you a doctor of music?"

"Yes, my boy."

"Well, Billy 'ere has bent his trumpet. Can you put it straight, please?"

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## DISPUTE BETWEEN GREECE AND TURKEY IMPERILS LAUSANNE CONFERENCE

Allies Worried Over Failure of M. Venizelos and Ismet Pasha to Reach an Agreement on the Question of Reparations.

A despatch from Lausanne says:—The great Mohammedan festival of Bairam, when the followers of Mohammed relax and rejoice after their thirty days of fasting, brought no repose or gaiety to Ismet Pasha on Thursday, nor luck to the Near East conference.

The situation between Turkey and Greece over the problem of reparations is grave, and the conference presumably is imperilled because all direct efforts by Ismet Pasha and Elliphio Venizelos to settle this dangerous issue "out of court" failed. The Ankara and Athens leaders after a fruitless session, agreed to disagree and submit the issue to the conference in an attempt to find a solution. Out of respect for the Turks' religion, the allies proposed that no formal session of the conference be held Thursday, but the Greco-Turkish reparations dispute is so serious that both Venizelos and Ismet felt justified in utilizing the festival by striving to reach an accord. M. Venizelos took the initiative, suggesting a meeting with the noted Turkish general, probably with the idea that the Bairam festival would exercise a softening influence on the controversy.

Both the Greek leader and Ismet used gentle words, but neither succeeded in piercing the other's armor of resistance. Ismet insisted that Turkey could pay no reparations whatsoever to Greece, but expected to receive an equitable sum for damages caused by the Greek armies in Asia Minor, when, he asserted, they burned towns and villages during their retreat and laid waste the whole countryside.

Turkey, he declared, could not abandon the principle of Grecian reparations but, in a spirit of conciliation, stood ready to leave fixation of the actual amount to arbitrators. M. Venizelos pleaded Greece's cause with fine eloquence; he painted a picture of Greece struggling to succor over a million refugees who had been driven out of Turkey during the terrible war and attempted to show with figures that the Hellenic nation was in such a serious financial condition that all payment of reparations for the war would be a heavy burden.

On the contrary, he contended, Greece should receive reparation from Turkey because of the economic disaster caused to the Greeks when they fled from the Turks, abandoning homes and fortunes.

If Turkey is justified in asking damages, Greece was equally justified and perhaps the two accounts could be balanced. What Venizelos wanted was a clean slate on the reparation account, both Turkey and Greece calling it square.

Ismet Pasha could not see this at all and the conference adjourned. The allies are greatly worried over the developments, as they had hoped their good offices would lead the way to a direct settlement between Greece and Turkey. They will continue their mediation efforts, but everybody on Thursday night conceded that there is danger of Greece breaking away from the conference and resorting to arms unless some satisfactory compromise is reached.

Turkey wants 4,500,000,000 gold francs reparations and Greece says she wants 5,000,000,000 gold francs from Turkey.



MR. BONAR LAW  
Ill health forces Britain's Prime Minister to resign office.

### BRITAIN BUILDS LARGEST SUBMARINE

World's Most Powerful Under-water Craft Nearing Completion at Chatham.

London, May 20.—The mysterious British submarine, X-1, nearing completion at Chatham, will be, when finished, the largest, most powerful under-water war craft in the world, it is said here today.

On the surface she will displace 2,780 tons and submerged 3,600. The latter displacement is 1,400 tons greater than the largest German war-time submarine. It will be almost as great as that of the Caroline class of British light cruisers.

The new submarine will probably mount 12-inch guns, which will make her more than a match for many surface war craft. Britain has already commissioned the M class of submarine, which mounts a 12-inch gun. The first of these was completed shortly before the armistice. The gun fires with the muzzle just projecting above the water and is sighted by sighting the submarine itself.

### SAD FATALITY NEAR DRUMMONDVILLE, QUE.

Five Children of Thomas Houle Drowned in Well When Cover Tilted.

Drummondville, Que., May 20.—Five children of Thomas Houle, of St. Nicéphore, a small parish three miles from here, were drowned in a well this afternoon, when the temporary cover on which they were standing tilted and plunged them into the water. The fatality occurred a short distance from the Houle home.

The children ranged in age from six to two years. One other, a baby one year old, escaped, owing to the fact that he was not old enough to clamber upon the cover.

Houle was about to take the children for an automobile drive. He was in the garage at the time of the happening of the tragedy, and called to them to get ready. Receiving no answer he went to the well and saw the five bodies floating in the water. The children were dead when taken out of the well.

### One Million U.S. Born Live in Canada

It is estimated that there are approximately one million people in Canada who were born in the United States, or about twelve per cent. of the Dominion population. Most of these are to be found on farms in the Western Provinces. Nearly one hundred million acres of Western Canadian land has been settled by homesteading, and citizens of the United States have accounted for thirty per cent. of such settlement as against twenty per cent. on the part of British. In addition, United States citizens are each year the heaviest purchasers of privately held and improved lands and farms.

### CANADIAN BUREAU OPENED IN LONDON

Australia, New Zealand and South Africa Have Been Carrying on Live Propaganda.

A despatch from London says:—The Canadian Government has opened a press bureau in London with W. T. Cranfield as director. A precedent for such action was established by the Canadian Trade Mission in London which appointed an English writer at a high salary as publicity agent. Unfortunately, he knew about everything except Canada and the experiment was not very successful. Cranfield, better known as Dennis Crane, has, however, travelled widely in the Dominion and has written extensively on Canadian subjects. It is certainly none too soon to ginger up Canadian publicity in London. Australia, with its customary enterprise, has already captured "the Empire shopping week," which begins here on Tuesday. The big London stores have been induced to make special displays of Australian products. The Times, while boosting the idea of a shopping week, was able to get only such meagre information about Canada's part in it as was covered in three lines as compared with reams of space which Australia and even New Zealand and South Africa have been able to fill.

So far it has been left to the Canadian Pacific and the Canadian Government railways to keep Canada in the picture at all. Friday saw the turning of the first sod for the Australian building at the British Empire Exhibition. A statement issued by Canada's representative on the management committee of the exhibition indicates that vast quantities of Empire foodstuffs will be needed to cater to the 20,000,000 visitors expected. It is estimated that 3,000 tons of meat and over 400 tons of butter will be required, and it rests with Canadian producers to see that an adequate amount of these and other supplies is Canadian.

### Loses Seat on Council for Ignorance of Lord's Prayer

A despatch from Quebec says:—As a result of a literary test, a Council of the village of St. Casimir, Portneuf county, was deprived of the right to sit on the Council of that parish on Friday morning by a judgment rendered by Justice Gibson, in the Superior Court, on a writ of "quo warrantum" sought against the respondent for alleged illiteracy. The decisive test took the form of an attempt to write the "Lord's Prayer" in French. After over half an hour of strenuous work the respondent, on the stand, had succeeded in writing only two sentences of the prayer.

### Seven Irish Deportees Placed Under Arrest

A despatch from London says:—A further batch of nine deportees was returned to England from Dublin on Friday, and seven of them were re-arrested. Two of the ninety who reached England on Thursday were already in custody, so that, apart from O'Brien, nine of them have been arrested again.

## BONAR LAW'S ILL HEALTH FORCES RESIGNATION OF BRITISH PREMIERSHIP

London, May 20.—Prime Minister Bonar Law, after but about seven months in office, this afternoon resigned the Premiership on account of ill health. It is definitely stated here in the best informed political circles that Foreign Minister Curzon will succeed him.

Sir Frederick Sykes, the Premier's son-in-law, and Colonel R. Waterhouse, his private secretary, conveyed the resignation to King George at Aldershot, and this evening Downing Street made the news public in the following statement:

"Mr. Bonar Law's voyage did not improve his health, and on his return to London yesterday he was examined by his medical advisers, who signed the following bulletin:

"In spite of his rest the Prime Minister's voice is still unsatisfactory, and we are unable to promise an improvement within a reasonable time.

The state of the Prime Minister's general health is not good."

King George received a letter from Mr. Bonar Law in which the retiring Premier said, that according to the urgent recommendation of his medical advisers he desired to resign the Premiership and as First Lord of the Treasury.

In accepting the Premier's resignation, King George expressed the deepest regret and inquired solicitously as to Mr. Bonar Law's health.

A strong indication of Marquis Curzon's succession is given in the fact that he visited the King at Aldershot to-day and then returned to his country house again. It is presumed this visit had to do with Bonar Law's successor.

The Foreign Secretary has been acting Premier since Bonar Law left for his rest and the chances of his assuming the office permanently are good, although there is much opposition to having a Prime Minister who is a member of the House of Lords. Chancellor of the Exchequer Baldwin, another strong "possible," was in London for a time to-day, but later returned to Chequers.



Leonid Krassin  
The envoy of Soviet Russia, who is in England to negotiate with Lord Curzon. Britain will extend time for negotiations but will accept nothing less than compliance with her demands.

### Soviet Government Gives 2,000,000 Acres of Forest

A despatch from Riga says:—The German Eastern Relations Society has signed a concessions agreement with the Government at Moscow, whereby it receives 2,000,000 acres of forest land along the Moscow-Rybinsk Railway. It will undertake to spend \$3,500,000 to complete 200 miles of railway.

### Fifth Generation at Funeral of Montreal Centenarian

A despatch from Montreal says:—Francois Robideaux, centenarian, whose funeral took place here on Thursday, is survived by five children, 32 grandchildren, 58 great-grandchildren and three children of the fifth generation.

## Natural Resources Bulletin

The Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior, at Ottawa says:

Of the 178,567 barrels of crude petroleum produced in Canada last year, Ontario supplied 164,731 barrels. There are fourteen oil-producing fields in the province, all situated in the southwestern portion. The largest producing field was the Petrolia and Enniskillen, 64,984 barrels, Oil Springs coming next with 43,213 barrels. Both well with 25,680 barrels. Moza township with 11,959 barrels, West Dover with 5,492 barrels, and other fields with smaller quantities. New Brunswick produced 7,778 barrels, and Alberta 6,068 barrels. The value of the crude petroleum produced in Ontario last year was \$526,316, this including the federal bounty of \$86,184. Imports of crude petroleum in 1922 were 14,068,075 barrels of 35 gallons, valued at \$24,697,612.

### First Belgian War Victim to be Honored

Brussels, May 12.—The name of Antoine Fonck will live in Belgian history. A monument to be erected in his memory at the Croix du Pollard, a crossing near Thimister, will inform future generations that at that spot was killed the first Belgian soldier in the World War—the first of 45,000.

Fonck was a private in the Second Lancers. On August 4, in the fateful year of 1914, his squadron was reconnoitering at Battin, in the province of Liege. Word came that German cavalry had been sighted near the village of Thimister and Fonck was sent to verify the report. Coming suddenly upon the enemy scouts, Fonck fired upon them. He was pursued. His horse was soon shot beneath him. Using the animal's body as a barricade the soldier continued to fire until he died.

That was at 10 o'clock in the morning. Some hours later some German soldiers passed by with Belgian civilian prisoners. One of the Germans seeing the body of the soldier, stuck his bayonet in it, saying, "There is a dirty Belgian." The next day the body was buried in the cemetery of the little village, where his grave has always been tended reverently by the inhabitants.

### Gas Fumes in Garage Suffocate Toronto Man

A despatch from Toronto says:—Overcome by carbon monoxide fumes while working on his motor car in the garage at the rear of his home, 9 Oriole Parkway, Thursday afternoon, H. Pearcey Porter, aged 31 years, vice-president and assistant manager of Sanderson Pearcey and Company, was found by his wife about 6.30 in the evening. Dr. Andrew Cox, 39 St. Clair Avenue west, was called and tried artificial respiration without avail. A pulmonologist was requisitioned from the Consumers' Gas Company. Later, Supt. Saunders, of the Life-Saving Station, arrived with an extra oxygen supply, but all efforts were vain. Chief Coroner Graham was notified of the tragedy, and after investigating, he decided that death was accidental and that no inquest was necessary.

### New Artificial Light

A young French scientist, M. Risler, formerly head of the laboratory at Strasbourg University, is reported to have succeeded in producing a new kind of artificial light, which is suggested may completely revolutionize present methods of illumination. This is described as a form of heatless "on the glow-worm principle." Most of the energy developed in producing present forms of artificial light, whether in the form of candles, oil lamps, or electric bulbs, is wasted in the form of heat. The problem has been to solve the secret of the glow-worm, whose light is scientifically cold.

M. Risler is said to have solved the problem by utilizing tubes or bulbs filled with a special glass under a certain pressure. The tubes themselves are painted with a phosphorescent mixture, with a basis of sulphide of zinc, which renders them fluorescent. When an electric current is sent through the tubes they give out an amount of light incomparably superior to that from ordinary sources. The installation is reported to be extremely simple, all that is required, in addition to tubes or bulbs, being a transformer, which can be connected up with an electric current of the required voltage.

M. Risler states that the expenditure of electrical energy is very small, being equivalent only to 15 watts for six metres of tube of a diameter of 7 mm. It is asserted that no harmful rays exist in the new illuminant.

Never fear to do what you think is right, even though you fear others may think it is wrong.

Butterflies, which are very prolific in Australia, are suffocated in thousands by the aborigines, and separated from their wings, pressed into cakes and eaten.



Honor to "Tay Pay."  
The famous Irishman, T. P. O'Connor, who has been a member of the British House of Commons since 1880, was honored on May 15, on his 75th birthday, by a luncheon given by two hundred members of the House. He is one of the few members who still use snuff, and he was presented with a gold snuff box.

### Alberta Grain Fields Have Abundance of Moisture

A despatch from Lethbridge, Alta., says:—The third rainstorm of the month broke over Southern Alberta Thursday morning, bringing almost half an inch of moisture. The total registered here so far this month is 1.76 inches.

The storm was accompanied by snow between Lethbridge and Calgary and also in the Crow's Nest Pass. Seeded fields are now thoroughly saturated, and a moisture reserve for the growing season is being stored up.

### Lost Tribe of Head-Hunters Located at Philippines

Manila, May 20.—A lost tribe of approximately 5,000 head-hunters whose existence hitherto was unknown to the Philippine Government has been discovered by Jose San Victor, Director of the Bureau of Non-Christian Tribes, during a recent exploration of the Sierra Madre range on the east coast of Luzon. The tribe is completely shut off from civilization, living in a nomadic, semi-agricultural stage.

### Easter Island Disappeared After Earthquake

A despatch from Melbourne says:—A wireless message, apparently from a vessel, has been picked up here stating that Easter Island has disappeared.

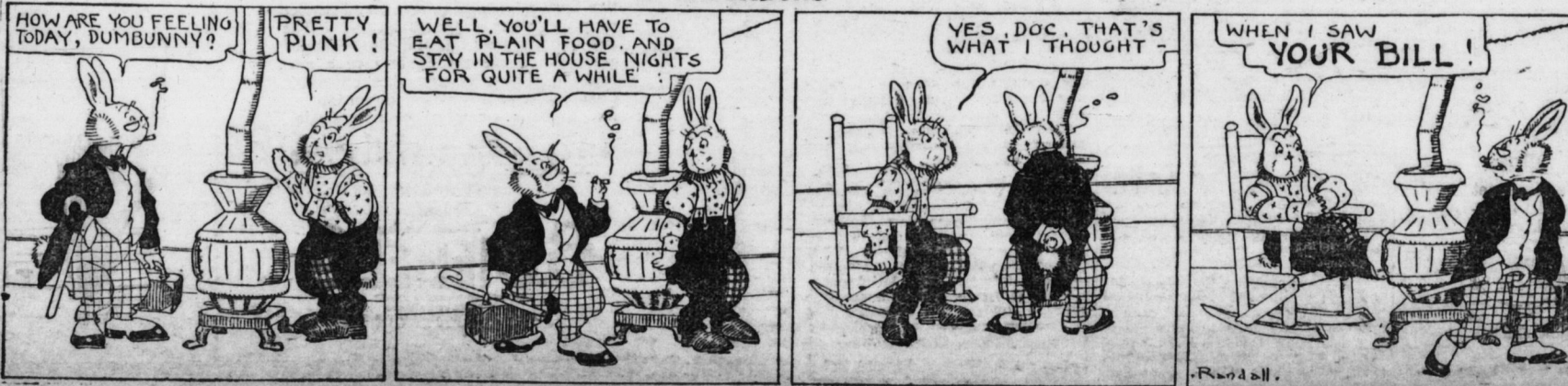
Reports that Easter Island had disappeared have been prevalent since the disastrous earthquake which shook Northern Chile last November. The last definite report was made by the captain of a French merchant ship, who declared he found nothing but water at the position given to the island on his chart.

The population is about 100.

### Two Little Girls Save Nova Scotia Express Train

Sydney, May 20.—Discovering a flaw in the railway track at Eden, N. S., on Friday night last, two small daughters of William Miller, section-man, procured torpedoes from their father's track-walking outfit and stopped the Sydney Express in time to prevent its derailment. The children are ten and twelve years of age.

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**WARDSVILLE**  
Miss Ivy Henderson is spending a few days at her home here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nichols have returned after a two weeks' visit in Detroit.  
Bert Miller was in Detroit for a short visit.  
Mrs. Purdy, of Windsor, visited Mrs. E. Purdy here.  
Miss Maud Murphy has returned home after finishing her second year at Toronto University.  
Frank McGregor and Mr. Bridgette attended the Conference in Bothwell.  
Don Reid, wife and family, of Detroit, are visiting J. Wilson and Mrs. F. Watterworth.  
Miss M. Aitchison is visiting in London.  
J. Humphrey, of Kingsville, spent Friday with his brother Neil.  
Donald McRae, of Detroit, spent the weekend at his home here.  
Rev. Amos Thomas, of Central church, Windsor, a former Wardsville boy, will preach here on Sunday next at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. in the Methodist church.

Victor Sloan, who has been seriously ill, is improving rapidly.  
Garret McMaster, of Windsor, spent the weekend at his home here.  
Rev. Mr. Wallace, of Dutton, spent Monday with Rev. Mr. Murphy.  
Rev. Mr. McTavish was the minister at the Presbyterian church on Sunday. The congregation were delighted with the solos of Mr. Waugh.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Minna spent Sunday in St. Thomas with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Harvey.  
On Friday an interesting game of soft ball was played by Glencoe high school girls against Wardsville girls at the school here. The game was a decided victory for the home team, the score being 22-26.  
Service was conducted in St. James' church on Sunday by Rev. Mr. Williams, of Glencoe. Holy communion was celebrated.  
The Methodist Ladies' Aid are having a "country store" in the town hall on Thursday, May 24th. A hot dinner will be served at noon. In the evening an exceedingly good program of solos, duets, quartettes, etc. will be given.  
Mr. and Mrs. Voce, of Detroit, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Voce.  
Notice.—Monuments in Scotch and Canadian granites furnished. Inscrptions cut at the cemetery.—Wardsville Granite & Marble Works; Chas. Minna, proprietor.

**APPIN**  
Our new doctor has arrived and is installed in the home of Alex. Leith, formerly owned by the late Alex. S. McDonald. We are glad to welcome Dr. McDonald into our midst, and wish him success in his undertaking.  
Miss Edna Campbell gave a very interesting paper on "The Healing Message of the Gospel" at the Y.P.S. meeting on Sunday evening. The roll call was responded to by those present repeating a verse of a favorite hymn. A pleasing duet was rendered by Mrs. H. Galbraith and Miss McGill.  
E. V. Thornicroft was appointed by the session of the Presbyterian church to attend the General Assembly at Port Arthur next month.  
Dunc. McIntyre spent a few days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McIntyre.  
A. I. Howe has accepted a position with Dan McIntyre, butcher.  
Miss McGregor, field secretary of the W. M. S. of Canada, will address a meeting of the W. M. S. in Appin Presbyterian church Friday evening, May 25, at 8 o'clock.  
Dave Webster was on a business trip to Chatham on Saturday.  
Allan Perry, of Windsor, spent the weekend with relatives here. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Perry and children, who spent two weeks here.  
Rev. Mr. Parr held a Father's Day service on Sunday evening, May 20, his subject being "Dads and Lads."  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Laughton spent Saturday in London.  
The next league game of ball to be played here is on June 8, between Delaware and Appin.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Arscott are leaving on Friday for a trip to Winnipeg.  
Mr. and Mrs. Calvert Roycroft, of Newbury, spent the weekend with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Howe.  
A radio has been installed by Er. an McMaster, of Detroit, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McMaster.  
The Fraser Young Women's Auxiliary met on Thursday evening, May 17, at the home of Miss Gertrude McGill. Miss Gladys Johnston presided, and Miss Jean Allan read a chapter from the lesson study book. At the close a dainty lunch was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. James McDonald on Thursday, June 21st.

**WOODGREEN**  
Mr. and Mrs. Underhill, of Bothwell, spent Sunday at George Scrimshaw's.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. Coyne, Mr. and Mrs. H. Harvey and Mrs. Watterworth spent Friday in London.  
Frank McGregor, of Wardsville, gave an address on "The Nation's Greatest Assets" at the Sunday School here on Sunday. Although the day was unpleasant a large number were present.  
The school here was closed one day last week owing to illness of the teacher, Miss McIntyre.  
What might have been a serious accident occurred here on Monday morning when a Ford coupe overturned. The car was badly damaged but the occupants escaped with but minor injuries.  
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**MELBOURNE**  
The members of the I.O.O.F. lodge held their 20th anniversary on Sunday afternoon in the Presbyterian church. Rev. A. E. Hopper, of Delaware, officiated. Although the rain came down in torrents during the morning and part of the afternoon, the service was well attended, and was one of the best ever held here.  
The officials of the Presbyterian church are busy men. The Sunday School is being redecorated, giving it a very bright appearance. The manse will also receive attention and everything will be put in perfect order before the new minister is installed.  
Mr. and Mrs. Staples, of Clachan, called on friends here Sunday.  
Floyd Parr has arrived home after being in the hospital for many weeks.  
Harold Parr and Ernest Stevenson have arrived home from Victoria College. They are taking charge of mission fields in the West.  
An interesting game of baseball was played here between Melbourne and Newbury, the result being a tie. People came for miles to see the game.  
Mrs. Collier was called to Newbury, her father being very ill.  
Owing to the cold, wet weather the Methodist Sunday School will not hold their annual picnic on May 24th. It will be held on June 2nd in Sparling Clarke's grove.

**NORTH NEWBURY**  
A car of wheat was shipped from the elevator on Monday and a fine shipment of corn was received Saturday. The rain has been a help in peas this season. Farmers seem to be trying to bring back the old-time hog feed.  
A. McMaster and John Fletcher motored to Lobo and Strathroy on Sunday.  
Alex. Duncanson, of Glencoe, was a caller in the little burg on Saturday. Geo. Stuchgrove also paid us a visit last week.  
Wm. and Steve Johnston are cutting up a carload of rails to be shipped to Windsor.  
Henry Latture and wife were visitors from Chatham for the weekend.  
Miss Annie McIntyre and Miss Mary Morrison left for Windsor via C. P. R. Sunday evening.  
James Moran, Jr., is now running a truck and is picking up a large quantity of cream and eggs throughout the district.  
Mr. Stewart and wife and C. Huston and wife, of St. Thomas, motored to Mr. McMaster's for the weekend.  
W. B. Smith and son, of Leamington, were visitors in the neighborhood on Thursday.

**NAPIER**  
At a meeting held to arrange for the annual garden party in connection with St. Andrew's church, the date set for this entertainment was the last Friday in June. Officers elected were:—President, Albert Cloutier; secretary, Miss M. Bryant; treasurer, Malcolm McIntyre; conveners—program committee, Miss M. Bowie; grounds committee, H. Nevin; booth committee, Basil Smith.  
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**MOSA**  
Mr. and Mrs. Russell left on Monday for their home in Butler, Pa. Miss Alma Burke has returned home after spending several months in Detroit.  
Wm. Hamilton is now field boss for the Dominion Petroleum Oil Co. On Friday evening the employees and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Russell met to bid them farewell before taking their departure for their home in Butler, Pa. Mr. Russell has been manager of the Dominion Petroleum Co. for the past year, and both he and Mrs. Russell have made a host of friends since coming into the community. The program, with Mr. Hamilton as chairman, consisted of solos, musical selections and comedy singing. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Russell were called forward, while Mac Munroe read a well-worded address, after which Mrs. Russell was presented with a cut-glass buffet set, Mr. Russell with a gold waldemar chain, Dorothy with a party box and Louise with a bracelet. Although taken completely by surprise Mr. Russell replied with a few well-chosen words. A dainty lunch was served, after which the evening was brought to a close by all wishing Mr. and Mrs. Russell a prosperous future.

**CASHMERE**  
Mrs. B. F. Jeffery, of Newbury, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Calvin Stiller.  
Mr. Bergey, of Listowel, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Wilkie Taylor.  
Mr. and Mrs. Allen Stiller, of Bothwell, spent Friday with their daughter, Mrs. Earle Tunks.  
Mr. and Mrs. David Smith, of Bothwell, spent a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Saylor, last week.  
Allen Stiller and son Norval, of Bothwell, spent Thursday with the former's son Calvin.

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**CRINAN**  
Arthur Evans, of Ridgetown, spent Sunday at J. A. Matheson's.  
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Dykes and the Messrs. Jamieson attended the U. F. O. convention at Mount Brydges on Wednesday last.  
As Mr. and Mrs. John D. Campbell and family were returning from church last Sunday their horse became frightened and ran away. Miss Elizabeth was knocked unconscious but is doing nicely now.  
Henry Urquhart has purchased a new Ford car.  
Miss Mary Thompson spent the past week in Chatham.  
Miss Edna Burrows and Miss Nellie Campbell spent a week-end in London recently.  
Dobson brothers have a new Dodge car.  
Miss Vera Dykes and Miss Dickinson, of Galt, spent the week-end at the former's home here.  
Gordon Cascaden, of Windsor, spent a few days of last week with J. A. Matheson.  
Henry Urquhart and J. A. Matheson spent Friday last at Aymer and St. Thomas.  
Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was dispensed on Sunday last in Argyle church.  
Murdoch Matheson has been on the sick-list.  
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dykes and Wm. Zoller spent Saturday in London.  
Miss Marion McEachern, of London Normal, spent the week-end at her home here.  
Roy Bowman and Philip McCallum spent Monday in Abington.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nethercott spent Sunday at Jim Carmichael's.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dymock and daughter Mary spent Sunday at the former's home here.  
Geo. Grose spent Sunday in Westborne.

**NORTH EKFRID**  
A large number from here attended the U. F. O. convention at Mount Brydges.  
Service will be held in the school house next Sunday afternoon as the church is being redecorated.  
"Go to Sunday School Day" was observed here last Sunday. The attendance was small owing to the bad weather. The children rendered their parts well. The choir was composed of children.  
Mrs. Chas. Roemmele has gone to Windsor to visit her son and other relatives.  
Gordon Roemmele and Allen Perry, of Windsor, spent the weekend with friends in this vicinity.  
Gordon Mills and family, of London, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mills.  
Wm. Pulman and two nieces, of Mitchell, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pettit.

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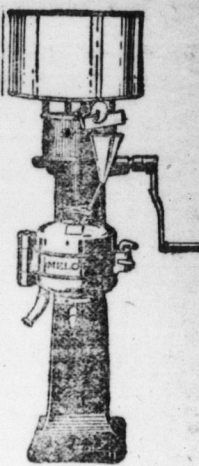
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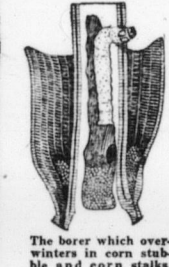
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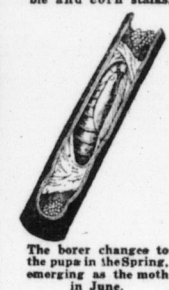
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