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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes all items of interest for this column. Call Phone 11, send by mail or drop item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE Letterbox.

It will pay you to look through our Silks and Dress Goods.—SWIFT'S.

The recent damp, chilly days have caused the using up of the few pounds of coal left in most of the bins.

Too many consumers too busy consuming to produce is another way of accounting for the high prices.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ecumseh Chapter, I. O. E. will be held at the home of Mrs. Jacklin, May 4th, 3 p.m.

The Anglican Synod of Huron meets in Grace Church, Brantford, on May 10th. Only once before has this body met outside of London.

It is said that suckers are plentiful this spring. The fish are good eating as long as the water remains cool, and will help to reduce the h. c. i. a little.

Boy's and Youth's blue and white and black Overalls with Smocks to match.—A. BROWN & CO.

TOMORROW is May Day, usually set apart for strikes and moving. The only May pole dances now held are those necessary to place the furniture in the new home.

Why cannot the income tax blanks be simplified so that an ordinary person can fill them out correctly? The present forms are a genuine puzzle and as a brain-twister they rank high.

LYLE, the young son of Mr. John McIntosh met with an accident the other day. While running across the street he was knocked down by an auto, receiving injuries on one of his legs.

LADIES' Suits and Coats, the fifty styles.—SWIFT'S.

"My husband is so jealous."

"How absurd."

"Why, isn't yours?"

"Of course not."

"How humiliating."

The first week in May has been proclaimed "Clean up week" in many of the towns and cities in Ontario. The project is one that Watford well might follow.

You will soon want your Ford. Every week sees us farther behind in orders. The 1920 Ford is just what you want, so DON'T WAIT—order now, as orders we have on hand help us to get more cars.—R. MORNINGSTAR.

THE MCCRERY motion favoring a referendum on the importation of liquor into the province was carried in the Legislature on Tuesday by a majority of 73, the vote being 85 for and 12 against.

GOSARD and D. & A. Corsets. Correct models for all figures.—A. BROWN & Co. Sole Agents.

NEXT SUNDAY being the first Sunday in the month there will be morning service in Trinity church and a celebration of the holy communion. The pastor's sermon will be specially for the young people.

DON'T wait for the Sanitary Inspector to serve you with a notice to clean up your premises. Just commence your out door housecleaning and you will be pleased with the change it will make in the looks of your home.

The finest line of Ladies' Silk Hose, all shades, \$1.50, \$1.65, \$2.00, \$2.50.—SWIFT'S.

SEEDING is in full swing in this neighborhood after being stopped by the heavy rains of last week. Farmers are hoping for warm weather to bring on the grass so that cattle may get out as feed is at a low ebb.

LET us show you some of our exceptional values in Wall Paper. We bought early and in quantity and have the very latest styles for any room. The designs are charming and the prices reasonable.—P. DODDS & SON.

The Watford High School Cadet Corps appeared in their new khaki uniform this week. They make a smart showing and are making good progress in their drill under the instruction of Mr. Ballantyne.

YARD WIDE SILK POPLINS in all shades. Special values this week.—A. BROWN & CO.

In the absence of Mr. Barnes, who is taking his exams, this week at McMaster University, Rev. E. H. Sawers will take his work on Sunday next, May 2nd, Wyoming 11 a.m., Calvary 2 p.m., Watford 7 p.m. Hear ye him.

MARS did not send any communication to the earth last week, or if it did, the message was not received or recognized. Nothing that could be any stretch of the imagination be construed as a message was picked up by wireless stations.

10 DOZEN Men's Neckwear for May 24, one dollar each.—SWIFT'S.

A MASONIC LODGE of Instruction for St. Clair District No. 2, will be held in Inwood on Wednesday, May 12th, Cassia Lodge, Theford. E. work the E. A. Degree, Arkona Lodge the F. C. Degree, and Inwood Lodge the M. M. Degree.

GET your new Spring Shoes now. All the leading styles and shapes for ladies, misses and children, and a full stock for men and boys. Pleasing well-made goods sold at a reasonable profit. The Dodds price is always right. Let us show you the goods.—P. DODDS & SON.

CORRECT MILLINERY at BROWN'S. Smart styles opened this week.

The Minister of Public Works states that there will be no new postoffices erected this year. 60 applications have been made for new offices.

WORD was received here Monday of the death at Windsor on Sunday last of Miss C. McDonald a former resident of St. Clair street, Watford. After Miss McDonald sold her property here she went to live with a sister in Windsor. The funeral was held at Alvinston cemetery.

A NUMBER of friends gathered at the home of Mr. Alex. Fair on Tuesday evening, the occasion being Mr. Fair's 68th birthday. A very enjoyable time was spent in cards and other amusements, and Mr. Fair was the recipient of a number of birthday remembrances.

PLEASE pay your account at SWIFT'S this week. Money needed on May 4th.

A BURGLAR who had entered a minister's house at midnight was disturbed by the awakening of the occupant of the room he was in. Drawing his knife he said: "If you stir you are a dead man, I'm hunting for money." "Let me get up and strike a light" said the minister, "and I'll go with you."

The regularly quarterly meeting of the Methodist Church will be held next Sunday at the morning service the fellowship meeting will commence at 10:15 a.m. and the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the close of the regular preaching service. All the members are specially reminded of the occasion.

SPECIAL Ladies' Suits to order, \$45.00 to \$50.00. Best value in Ontario.—SWIFT'S.

REGARDING LIGHTS on automobiles, section B, clause 2, Motor Vehicles Act, says: Whenever on a highway after dusk and before dawn, every motor vehicle shall carry three lighted lamps in a conspicuous position, one on each side of the front, and one on the back of the vehicle. Any lamp so used shall be clearly visible at a distance of at least 200 feet.

FORD size guaranteed tires at \$15.00 up.—RAY MORNINGSTAR.

THE DANCE given in the Armory on Friday evening by Lambton's 149th Chap. I.O.D.E. was a most enjoyable affair. About 80 couples were in attendance and danced till about 3 a.m. A nice lunch was served at midnight. Excellent music was furnished by the Kineto orchestra of Parkhill and visitors were present from Petrolia, Forest, Wyoming, Arkona and Kerwood.

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THE first anniversary of the pastorate of the Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner will be observed in the Congregational church, Watford, on Sunday, when the pastor will preach at both services. His topics will be: 11 a.m., "A Wonderful Promise," and 7 p.m., "An Introduction to Oneself." Come and be introduced to yourself. You need to be. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. J. Humphrey on Wednesday evening. Roll call was answered by short clippings. An instrumental was given by Miss Ada Minely. The branch decided to give a donation of money to the Children's Hospital, London. Our home cooking and candy sale was a success in every way. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. T. Dodds.—SEC.

LADIES' Suits and Coats, Silk and Georgette Waists for the 24th of May.—SWIFT'S.

THE BUILDER'S BAND of the Presbyterian Church held their annual thank-offering meeting on Thursday, April 22nd. The members of the Band presented "One Day in India" in a very able manner. Between scenes Mrs. Cunningham and Misses Reid and Cameron sang in their usual pleasing manner. In spite of the inclement weather a large number attended. A silver collection was taken which met with a liberal response.

MISS RUSSELL, Zenana missionary from Bombay, will give a talk on India with microscope views in the Lyceum, Watford, tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock. Miss Russell will be assisted by twenty local girls in costume and will portray Indian school scenes, manners and customs and the marriage ceremony. The Mission is interdenominational and everyone is cordially invited to be present. Admission free, but a collection will be taken in aid of the work.

We have the kind of auto tires you want, at old prices yet.—R. MORNINGSTAR.

THE LEWISTON, Mont., Democrat of a recent date gives a description of the oil fields in that state being developed by the Sunshine Valley Oil Company of which Mr. A. F. Mavity, formerly of Watford, is vice-president. The company will develop 200 acres in the Winnett district, with more acreages in sight, and the prospects are very promising. In all his years of experience in oil work in Wyoming and Montana Mr. Mavity claims he has seen nothing holding forth as great promise as the Cat Creek structure in Winnett.

ORDER your suit now for the 24th May—SWIFT'S Tailoring Dept.

WILLIAM PHAIR has purchased from Mrs. Mary A. Darvoux lot 208 in the north side of Ontario street here.

DUXTON All Wool Waterproof Coats—the new form fitting and belted models.—A. BROWN & CO.

NEXT THURSDAY, May 4th, will be Past Masters' night at Havelock Lodge, A. F. & A. M. Two candidates will be raised to the M. M. degree. Visiting Masons welcome.

THERE will be a leap year party in the Armory on Tuesday night next at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Beaver Baseball Club. Admission 25c. All invited.

At the meeting of the Presbyterian Synod of Hamilton and London, held in Brantford this week, the Rev. E. H. Sawers of Watford was elected a member of the aged and infirm ministers' committee.

A MEETING to organize a baseball club in Watford will be held in the Armory on Monday evening next at 8:15. All interested in the game are requested to attend and lend their assistance to make a local nine a success.

YOUNG MEN and men who keep young can buy suits at SWIFT'S for \$25.00 to \$35.00.

GARDEN TIME is just about at hand. If you have poultry that have been in the habit of having the territory to themselves, just think of your neighbor who wishes to plant a garden—who hesitates to do so because your fowl are running loose—and who is too timid or too kindly disposed to ask you to have them locked up. Just think the matter over—do not have to be asked by a neighbor who is decent enough to hesitate. Place yourself in his position and see how long it will take you to make up your mind as to what is best to do.

A VERY pleasant evening was spent when the annual meeting of the Epworth League was held on Friday night in the Methodist Church. An interesting impromptu program was given consisting of music and reports from the various branches of the League. The first number of the League Paper was read containing articles of a serious nature as well as those more humorous. This was indeed interesting and although lengthy held everyone's attention to the end. The officers for the incoming year were elected and the evening was brought to a close by a social time. The following officers were elected: Hon. Pres.—Rev. A. C. Tiffin, President—Miss Mansfield, 1st Vice Pres.—Winnie Harper, 2nd Vice Pres.—Blanche Stapleford, 3rd Vice Pres.—Ila Cook, 4th Vice Pres.—Gordon Miller, Secretary—Mamie Moir, Treas.—Frank Roberts, Pianist—Mamie Moir, Assistant Pianist—George Chambers.—Sec.

3 PAIRS Ladies' Cotton Hose for a Dollar.—SWIFT'S.

PERSONAL

Miss Anderson, Wyoming, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Tanner.

Mr. John Brambridge, Dutton, visited Watford friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Watson, of Strathroy, spent the week end at J. Osborne's.

Miss Gladys Lamb was in St. Clair, Mich., on Sunday attending the funeral of her uncle, the late Charles C. McCor-mick.

Mrs. S. W. Harris and children, of Dorchester, spent the week end at the home of her cousin, Mrs. H. Hollingsworth.

Mrs. W. C. Dodge, Almont, Mich., Mrs. G. W. Hooper, Hamilton, Ont., Miss E. Liddy, Winnipeg, and Mrs. Harry Mitchell, of Strathroy, visited at T. G. Mitchell's last week.

Mrs. F. A. Pritchett, Mrs. T. A. Adams and Mrs. R. G. Kelly represented Lambton's 149th Chapter at the meeting of the Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., held at London on Wednesday.

BROOKE

Divine service will be held in St. James' church, Brooke, on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Sunday School, at 2:15.

The court of revision on the assessment roll of the township will be held in Alvinston on Saturday, May 29th at 2 o'clock.

The sacramental service on the Brooke circuit will be held at the Saem appointment Sunday, May 2nd at 11 a.m. Service at Bethesda at 3 p.m.

The people of Walnut are making elaborate preparations for an evening's entertainment on May 10th. A good program and refreshments will be some of the features of the events.

Mr. Thos. A. Roane has disposed of his farm property on the 12th line and will have a clearing sale shortly. S. W. Hair bought the 100 acres on which Mr. Roane resides and Mr. Rich. Seanson the 50 acres adjoining.

We are now completely equipped to take care of all your battery troubles. We can repair, rebuild and recharge your battery right here in first class shape saving you city prices, transportation charges, transportation breakages, and time. We have also rental batteries so as not to hold you up when your battery is out. New batteries in stock all the time.—R. MORNINGSTAR.

SAURED CONCERT

A grand Sacred Concert will be given in the Congregational church, Watford, on Monday evening, May 3rd, at 8 p.m. sharp, to mark the first anniversary of the pastorate of the Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner. The chairman will be the Rev. Matthew Kelly, of London. An interesting programme of choruses, solos, duets and a quartette has been prepared, also elocutionary selections by the pastor. An evening of real enjoyment is assured. Admission 35c. Children 20c.

ACCUSED OF THEFT FROM THE MAILS

Former Mail Courier Committed For Trial.

On Saturday last Detective W. H. Stringer of the provincial police department was here and took into custody Burton Edwards, aged about 19 years, son of the late H. A. Edwards, who during his father's illness and some time after his death acted as mail courier on rural route No. 2.

It is alleged that Edwards stole some letters from his majesty's mail, abstracted express money orders amounting to \$65 from the letters, forged the names of the person to whom the orders were made and cashed said orders at the Bank of Nova Scotia at Petrolia.

Edwards was arraigned before the Peace Magistrate at Petrolia on Saturday, and implicated Wilfred Jamieson, who, he stated, suggested the idea, with the result that Inspector Stringer returned to Watford early Monday morning and arrested Jamieson, who was sent up for trial by Police Magistrate Jarvis of the County Court on Monday afternoon but was later allowed out on \$500 bail.

The arrests followed an investigation made by Inspector Stringer. Edwards is now being detained in the county jail awaiting trial. County Crown Attorney Wilson has charge of the case.

LATER

On Tuesday Edwards pleaded guilty in the county court on two charges of forgery and returned to her home last week. Judge Taylor for sentence. On Wednesday Jamieson had a preliminary hearing on the charge of counselling Edwards to forge the name of T. Brush to two money orders. He pleaded not guilty and elected summary trial.

WARWICK

Miss May Bell of Theford, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Sadie Zankie, returned to her home last week.

Joseph Dignan, Warwick, lost a valuable horse when it ran away and ran into a freight car and died from the injuries received.

Mr. and Mrs. George MacKenzie, Kelowna, B.C., are spending a couple of months holidays with relatives in Warwick and other points in Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kingston, Mrs. Fred Kingston and Mrs. Williamson went to London on Monday to see Mr. Fred Kingston who is critically ill in hospital there.

"No More Sea" will be the topic of the pastor, the Rev. T. D. Rayner, at Zion Cong'l church on Sunday. Service at 2:30 p.m. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper and reception of new members follows this service.

While Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leggett of the fourth con. N.E.R., were returning from Theford one day last week their horse took fright at a passing auto. They were both thrown out. Mr. Leggett was quite badly bruised.

Our weather man who predicted last January that we would have a cold, wet, backward spring seems to be hitting it far. He claimed that it would be wet until about the middle of July. It is to be hoped that he knows nothing at all about it.

Sarah Cox, relict of the late John Caughlin, died at the family residence, lot 9, con. 3, S. E. R., on Tuesday, April 27th. The funeral will take place on Friday morning at 9:15. Requiem mass will be said at the K. C. Church, Watford. Interment in the R. C. cemetery.

The Women's Missionary Society of Knox church, Main Road, invites the ladies of the congregation and the community to meet in the church on Wednesday afternoon of next week, May 5th, at 2:30, to hear a report of the Presbyterian held recently in Sarnia and to enjoy a social hour.

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The vestry meeting in St. Mary's Church, Warwick, closed a successful year for the congregation. The amount raised for the general fund, including balance on hand, was \$593.53; missions, \$320.50; Zenana missions, \$20.65; W. A. forestry movement, over \$1,900. J. H. Robinson and N. Herbert were appointed rector's and people's wardens, respectively; C. Hawkins and A. E. Archer were appointed synod delegates; A. Hawkins and B. Dann, auditors, and E. O. Herbert, vestry clerk.

CHOP STUFF

Strathroy Spring show next Thursday, May 6.

There is an epidemic of measles at Alvinston.

Alvinston will hold a celebration on May 24th.

Petrolia will have a Chautauqua under canvas in July.

A Lucknow man delayed his wedding in order to ship his potatoes.

Horse and auto races, baseball and other sports at Parkhill May 24th.

Bee losses in Ontario the past winter are said to be fully 50 per cent.

Dr. Arthur Johnston, dentist, Petrolia, for the past 14 years, is leaving there for Windsor.

Alvinston merchants will close their stores Wednesday afternoons during the summer months.

The marriage took place last Wednesday of Albert Levitt of London to Miss Gladys Parker of Strathroy.

Mrs. Flintoft, widow of the late Sheriff Flintoft of Sarnia, died at Washington D. C., where she was visiting.

John Chick died after four days' illness at his son's home in Windsor, at the age of one hundred years and six months.

A paper found in a tree on a farm near Findlay, Ohio, after the recent tornado, had blown from a town 55 miles away.

The total liabilities of the Toronto World newspaper, now in liquidation amount to \$639,898.99, with assets of \$382,246.70.

Frank Eason has been appointed on the Sarnia police force to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Walter McLeister.

The Aldborough council offers a reward of \$15 to any person shooting any dog or dogs caught in the act of killing or worrying sheep.

The London Collegiate Institute was destroyed by fire Thursday night. The loss is estimated at \$200,000. It was built 42 years ago.

Alvinston business men have been informed by the Hydro Commission that hydro service could not be furnished the town for two years.

Mayor Preston has been served with a notice by a Petrolia bondholder that no more houses are to be moved from within the Corporation limits.

Potatoes are scarce in Strathroy. It is said that the farmers of Caradoc, one of the great potato districts of Ontario, are holding the stock for higher prices.

According to the latest reports the provincial highway is to take the route promarily designated through the north country through Arkona on its way from St. Marys to Sarnia.

Dr. J. R. McCabe, Strathroy, has purchased Geo. Nicol's 100-acre grazing farm, known as the old Montague homestead, on the Main Road, Adelaide. Consideration in the neighborhood of \$6,000.

Mr. Fred J. McMahon purchased 100 acres of pasture on the 12th line, Ennis-killen from Reeve Simpson last week. This farm was formerly owned by Mr. McMahon's brother, Thomas.

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Mr. Thomas Armstrong, lot 29, con 1, Plympton, died last Monday as a result of cancer of the stomach and liver, aged 54 years. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon to the Wyoming cemetery.

Hydro will be turned on in Parkhill on next Sunday, May 2, 1920. No doubt church goes on that day will spring. This is the way we long have fought. And mourned because we found it not.

Rev. W. H. Fry, who for several years past has been a missionary to the Eskimos on Herschel Island in the Arctic, was recently appointed rector of Wyoming, Camlachie and Wanstead Anglican churches.

Harold, the 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin, Leamington, had his right arm crushed within an inch of the elbow on Wednesday of last week. His mother was washing and the little fellow came up behind her and stuck his hand into the wringer which was operated by an electric motor.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at St. George's church, Sarnia, on Saturday, April seventeenth, when Julia Stuart second daughter of Colonel and Mrs. W. W. MacVicar was united in marriage to Karl Steadman Metcalfe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Metcalfe, of Petrolia.

The death occurred at his home in Mount Brydges on Monday morning, April 19th, of Archibald McGugan, a former well-known resident of Ekfrid township, aged 73 years. Mr. McGugan resided on a farm near Ekfrid Siding for some forty years and moved to Mount Brydges about six years ago.

T. Chatto, a porter at the Tecumseh Hotel, London, was caught between a pile of trunks and the roof of the elevator shaft when the lift ran clear through to the top because he found it impossible to stop it, the trunks he was sitting upon having shifted so that he could not manipulate the control. He was crushed into unconsciousness, but it is said he will recover.

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"Quality" is our Motto.

ABOUT THE SEED DRILL

What is Considered to be the Most Efficient Type.

The Feeding Device is the Heart of the Drill—Seed Should Be Dropped Directly Under the Axle of the Disc—Give the Bearings Careful Inspection.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

As the drill sows, so shall the farmer reap, is no fallacy. It is as true in its content as the maxim "As a man sows so shall he reap." Given the right kind of a grain drill, the seed is all planted at a uniform depth, evenly covered; the earth compacted just enough to retain the moisture around it. These conditions mean that the young plants will all come up at the same time, that the roots will be well protected, and that the grain will ripen uniformly. As the grain is planted, so will it grow and ripen. If some of the seed is planted too shallow, and some too deep, the seed that comes up first, ripens first. Thus it is that some of the grain is ready to harvest while other patches are still in the milk stage.

The feeding device is the heart of the grain drill. Upon its reliability depends the accuracy of sowing the seed. The drill scale is constructed for

the average sized seeds, and therefore cannot always be depended upon when the size of them varies from the normal. If the grain is oversized or undersized the required amount per acre may be sown by setting the feed lever at a point slightly greater or slightly less than shown on the indicator. There are, in common use, two different forms of feeding devices. The fluted-cylinder-force feed, and the double-run-force feed. The amount of seed sown by the fluted-cylinder-force feed may be regulated by a lever which changes the size of the outlet, but it does not always handle all classes of seed without breaking them, as can be done with the double-run-force feed, which necessarily requires for driving it a disc wheel, or a cog wheel with from nine to fifteen sets of cogs that make as many seeds or feeds.

In the most efficient type of grain drills the seed should be deposited as nearly directly under the axle of the disc as possible, as this is the only place where the seed can be dropped directly on to the bottom of the trench without hindrance. By this method the disc is not run deeper than the seed is deposited, thus the draft is reduced to a minimum. If the seed is deposited in the rear of the centre of the axle, the rotation of the disc tends to carry earth and seed up with it, causing the seed to be unevenly deposited. In operation, a properly angled disc opens a trench about two inches wide. The falling seed strikes the concave side of the shield and the convex side of the disc, and is thus scattered evenly over the open delivery single disc of the furrow-opener.

Grain seed drills are divided into four kinds, according to the type of furrow-opener—the open delivery single disc, the double disc, the shoe, and the hoe drills. The open delivery single disc furrow opener deposits the seed between the shield and the convex side of the disc. The space is open from the end of the boot between the disc and shield to the bottom or lower end of the shield. The shield prevents the falling seed from becoming mixed with the loose earth and surface trash and insures its free passage to the bottom of the trench made by the disc. It will also do excellent work in highly cultivated soil that is free from trash.

The closed delivery single disc furrow opener has a closed boot, similar to a hoe furrow opener, which comes down at the rear edge of the disc and deposits the seed about two inches back of the disc. It does not plant the seed at as even a depth as either the open delivery single disc or the double disc, but deposits it at least eight inches in rear of the disc hub, and wherever it meets with an obstruction, rock or hard frozen soil the disc rises up and carries the boot with it, broadcasting the seed on the surface.

There are many styles of double discs, but the one that plants the seed under or slightly back of the disc axle, or hub, is the one to use, for that point is the deepest part of the furrow. The furrow opener that shoots the grain forward of this centre is to be avoided, for the reason that the seed reaches the ground before the furrow is fully formed, and it is, therefore, mixed with the soil as the seed trench is being made, causing what is termed "wavy" sowing.

The double disc type of opener tends to spread out the seed more than other kinds, so that each seed has a somewhat greater area from which to draw moisture.

The hoe furrow opener or shovel opener does not penetrate the ground readily and clogs easier than any of the other types. The shoe opener does no better work, and rather than clog will run over trash and thus plant the seed at varying depths. In selecting a drill the bearings should be given careful inspection. They should be dust proof. The hard oiler must be considered superior to all others for this kind of work, as the oil can be forced into the bearing from the centre, and as it works out it carries all the dirt with it. It should have a well-braced seed box with steel hopper bottom to allow the seed to pass freely into the cups; strong frame and substantial wheels are important features. The distance between the furrow opener varies to some extent but six inches is the usual spacing. The seed tubes may be of rubber or of steel ribbon. The rubber tubes give good satisfaction, but are not durable if exposed to the weather. The steel ribbon tubes serve the purpose well, and if painted will last as long as the drill.—Jno. Evans, O. A. College, Guelph.

MOTHERS!

Watch your children's skins. As soon as you see the slightest trace of a rash or sore, apply Zam-Buk. This antiseptic balm will protect the sore place from infection, prevent it from spreading and healing soon follows.

Careful mothers always keep Zam-Buk on hand for their children's injuries—it ends pain so quickly and prevents any possibility of festering. Best for cuts, burns, scalds, bruises, ringworm, scalp sores, eczema and teething rash. All dealers 50c box.

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STORING VEGETABLES.

How Farmers Living Near Towns Can Make Money.

If properly stored after harvest, vegetables can be made a source of considerable income to the farmer who is located near good-sized towns or cities. In such places a constantly increasing number of people are living in apartments and flats, where they have storage facilities for only small quantities of vegetables, or in houses heated by furnaces in the basement, making that part of the house too warm for the storage of vegetables. The automobile or motor truck has made it possible for the grower to get his vegetables to the dealer or consumer even in cold weather, especially if his machine is enclosed or is fitted with a heater.

Proper storage of the vegetables from harvest time until they are brought out for sale is a subject to which the grower must give particular attention, for on it the entire success of a winter-marketing program depends.

Where the grower plans to draw on his stock from time to time during the cold weather he must so store



An Outdoor Storage Cellar, Built Partly Underground, for Storing Garden Vegetables. It is Built of Concrete, Except the Entrance, Which is Frame, and is Frostproof. Where the Cold it Not Severe Less Protection Than is Shown Here is Needed.

his produce that portions of it can be removed without disturbing the remainder. Instead of putting all of one kind of vegetables in one pile it is advisable to make several smaller piles or to use various containers, such as boxes, barrels or baskets, each of which is adequately protected and can be removed with its contents without disturbing other stores. Where outdoor pits are used it may be desirable to introduce intervening walls or layers of earth at more frequent intervals than would be necessary in storing supplies merely for one family.

Beets, late cabbage, carrots, celery, onions, parsnips, potatoes, sweet potatoes, salsify, and turnips may be stored in their natural condition. Beans of various kinds, including the limas, may be stored dry. Good storage facilities exist in most farm houses, it being only necessary to make use of the cellar, the attic, or other parts of the dwelling, depending upon the character and amount of produce to be stored. Barrels, crates, boxes or bins may be used as containers for various vegetables, but movable containers are preferable to built-in bins because they are more easily cleaned. Outdoor storage cellars or caves are particularly desirable, for large quantities can be taken care of in convenient and inexpensive fashion.

In sections where low temperatures prevail it is necessary to insulate the storage cellar or house so that the vegetables will not freeze. The above-ground type of house much used in many sections of the north, has thick walls filled with sawdust or shavings. It is necessary that pains be taken to provide for proper ventilation. In many northern sections large storage cellars are built partly underground. Concrete storage cellars are coming into quite general use. Outdoor banks and pits are also familiar means employed to protect vegetables in cold weather. The conical pit is used commonly for such vegetables as potatoes, carrots, beets, turnips, salsify, parsnips, and heads of cabbage.

All vegetables which the farmer or truck raiser may desire to keep in stock for selling through the winter months do not require the same type of storage.

Millions of Acres Awaiting.

One hundred and twenty-eight million acres of surveyed farm land are awaiting settlers in Western Canada; 25,000,000 of these are still open for homestead entry. Of the 179,000,000 acres fit to farm in the 454,000,000 acres in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta 26,000,000 are under crop and 25,000,000 under live stock.

Unkind Suggestion.

The swan sings but one song—or so on good authority we've heard. Oh, how we wish some folks we know would imitate that gentle bird.

What Was Her Nationality?

It was at the sale of sugar and cornmeal which had been confiscated by revenue officers. An old lady (nationality unknown) was cautiously bidding upon a small sack of meal, and was meeting with opposition from a second lady equally cautious. The bids were raised five cents at a time until the sum of 50 cents had been reached. Then a lull occurred. Twice the auctioneer called the sum. Then as the old lady was reaching for her purchase a small boy beside her called "75 cents." Fiercely the old lady turned on him. "You're no Scot," she declared.

"Poison Ivy."

William Ivens, the former Methodist preacher, and one of the strike leaders on trial in Winnipeg, has acquired a nickname as a result of his "poisoned jury, poisoned judge and poisoned sentence" speech. "Poison Ivy" is the name by which the strike leader is now known to those who are following the trial. Ivens was charged with contempt of court as a result of his "poison" speech.

Women and Asthma.—Women are numbered among the sufferers from asthma by the countless thousands. In every climate they will be found, helpless in the grip of this relentless disease unless they have availed themselves of the proper remedy. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy, despite its assurance of benefit, costs so little that it is within reach of all. It is the national remedy for asthma, far removed from the class of doubtful and experimental preparations. Your dealer can supply it.

Move After Usain in Family.

Of the inherited rover spirit of the wild people of Davao and their belief that the death of a member of the family is indicative of the will of Allah for them to change their homes, the bureau of forestry says:

"When someone dies in the house built on the land or homestead given to the head of a family, the entire family will move to some other place and in most cases the house is either burned or torn down and the land on which it was built is abandoned for some years. A wild bird of the pigeon family, locally known as alimukon, is the common god or fortune teller of the wild people of Davao. Unless this bird answers favorably to their supplications to go back to the old place, their old abode or abodes are either forever abandoned or left untouched for many years."

Children at Play.

You have but to go abroad for half an hour in pleasant weather, or to throw open your doors and windows on a Saturday afternoon, if you live anywhere in the neighborhood of a school house, or a vacant lot with here and there a patch of green or a dry place on it, and steal behind the curtains, or draw the blinds and let the fresh winds blow through and through the chambers of your heart for a few minutes, winnowing the dust and scattering the cobwebs that have gathered there while you were asleep, and lo, you will find it ringing with the voices of children at play, and all alive with the glimmering phantasmagoria of leap frog, prison base, or knock-up-and-catch.—John Neal.

No one need endure the agony of corns with Holloway's Corn Cure at hand to remove them.

New Business Methods.

Some new methods are being introduced into the northern fur trade, the most important, perhaps, being the substitution of a cash system for the time-honored bartering that has always been picturesque, but not always satisfactory. Much business will continue to be transacted at the northern posts in the old way, to which the Indian and half-breed trappers have become accustomed, but some of the traders have now adopted the plan of paying money for the furs, which puts the north more clearly on a par with the rest of the world. The trappers, it has been found, like to handle money, and in the end it comes back over the traders' counters for store goods. Incidentally, the wilderness folk are learning to talk in terms of dollars instead of beaver skins, which used to be the money standard of the north.

His Difficulty.

At a training camp during the war the officer of the day was making the rounds of the post. It was during challenging time. He seated himself on the corner post of a fence and waited for the sentry. The sentry, a raw recruit from the woods, came slowly up and stopped only a few feet from the O. D. After waiting in silence for a few moments the officer asked: "Well, what are you going to say?" "Durned if I know what to say," drawled the recruit. "If you were walking I'd say 'Halt!'"

Small but Potent.—Parnelle's Vegetable Pills are small, but they are effective in action. Their fine qualities as a corrector of stomach troubles are known to thousands and they are in constant demand everywhere by those who know what a safe and simple remedy they are. They need no introduction to those acquainted with them, but to those who may not know them they are presented as the best preparation on the market for disorders of the stomach.

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THE BRITISH WAY

It is said that the Prince of Wales was granted \$125,000 by the British treasury for expenses on his trip to Canada and the United States, and upon arriving home he returned as used \$90,000. Commenting on this, the Buffalo News says: "This is entirely contrary to precedent. He would be ostracised in Washington for that. It simply isn't done in the best political circles. To do a thing like that is to turn one's back on opportunity. The proper caper is to go to the limit. To stop short of that is to be denounced as a political heretic—to be proclaimed a piker."

NOTE AND COMMENT

Windsor police arrested two boot-limbers—female boot-leggers.

Discretion is something that comes to a man when he is too old to benefit by it.

An Owen Sound merchant was fined \$100 in police court for making false statements in advertising his goods.

A bank cashier bought two bags of potatoes the other day and now expert accountants are at work on his books.

Accused of watering his milk a Waverborough, Pa., farmer took his cow around with him and sold his milk served hot.

One advantage about wearing overalls is that you do not feel obliged to pull them up daintily by the knees when you sit down.

Judging from the advertisements in some of the daily papers the overall crusade is beginning to tell on the price of men's clothing.

A. G. Mackay, a former leader of the Liberal party in Ontario, died at Edmonton on Sunday. Interment took place at Owen Sound, Ont.

Seventy-six persons were killed in Alabama by a tornado last week, upwards of 500 injured and more than 1000 farm buildings destroyed.

"Pussyfoot Johnston" the prohibition leader, who has just returned to New York from Europe, predicts that Britain will be dry in ten years.

A Regina man suicided because he feared that his income tax return might not be correct. There are not many men as conscientious as this man.

Premier Drury announced that he would hold over until next session the clause in his new elections act which fixes the date of Provincial elections.

The staff and students of the St. Thomas Collegiate Institute are making a determined effort to debar all cigarette users from participating in the sports of the Institute.

All overdue principal payments protected now by the Ontario moratorium must be paid by January 1st, the Legislature having extended the time until that date.

The Chatham Planet gets at the root of the matter when it says that the legislation may control the headlights at the prow of a motor car, but the headlights at the wheel are a different matter.

Some of the New York clothing stores have already reduced their goods 30 or 40 per cent. to combat the overall movement. And yet men in the business would tell you that there are no profiteers in the clothing trade.

A leading hospital during "flu" time announced that "no unnecessary operations would be performed during the epidemic." Does this mean that ordinarily a number of unnecessary operations are performed.

Toronto butchers are demanding a 44-hour week, a fifty percent. advance in wages and time off for changing cloths before and after work and for tea drinking. Formerly it was beer drinking that wasted the time.

Mrs. Henry Roe was appointed to succeed her father, J. H. Jones, as organist of the Trinity Anglican Church, St. Thomas. Mr. Jones, who was the first organist of Trinity church, retired recently after forty years service.

Justice Middleton's decision in a Windsor liquor case, that a man may act as his own common carrier of liquor into

Ontario is accepted by the Ontario Board of License Commissioners as the correct interpretation of the Ontario Temperance Act.

The Rotary Club of New York has chosen May Day as the date of a parade of 30,000 boys, with the avowed purpose of throwing the gauntlet of patriotism before the Bolsheviks and those who are fostering unrest. The future is to the boy.

Hugh Fyfe's barn in Otombee Township, which was recently burned at a loss of \$10,000, was set on fire as a result of the action of the sun and consequently dampness on a pile of 80 blocks of ice that had been stored in the barn, according to the finding of Deputy Fire Marshal Cowan.

The Port Rowan News says:—Balick, the fish buyer, is authority for the statement that all kinds of fish will be cheap this season, with the exception of carp. This hitherto despised fish is used by the great fish houses for fancy smoked and spiced fish, and the demand for them is so great that a stiff market price will be established.

A Toronto evening paper quotes a railway official as stating that 39 cars of potatoes—a total of 14,049 bags—have been standing on the Esplanade since March 15, despite efforts on the part of the railway to get them unloaded. He believes that "local merchants are holding them to obtain the highest price possible."

Charles Henry Draisey, nine-year-old son of Henry Draisey, a London township farmer, was suffocated beneath a load of hay when horses attached to the vehicle ran away at lot 11, con. 5, London Tp., Saturday evening. The child's father, who was driving the team, was also buried, but he was strong enough to struggle through the fodder until he could make his cries heard. The boy cried but once, and though persons attracted to the scene worked frantically, he was not found until lifeless.

HEIR TO SCOTTISH RELIC OF ROBERT BRUCE DEAD

John Dewar, Son of Last Keeper of Crozier of St. Fillan

Sarnia, April 25.—John Dewar of Plympton township, who died Thursday and was buried Saturday, was the direct heir of the "Quigric" or Crozier of St. Fillan, had it not been deeded to the Historical Society of Scotland by his father, the last official holder of it. The crozier has been in the possession of the Dewar family since the days of Robert Bruce, and was deeded to the Historical Society of Scotland in 1876 in consideration of a sizable consideration; "there to remain in trust for all time to come for the use, benefit and enjoyment of the Scottish nation." The heirloom, which is the head of a pastoral staff, consisting of an external casing of silver enclosing an earlier crozier of bronze or copper, has descended from father to eldest son, the original having been given to one Finlay Jore (Dewar) of the parish of Clendochart. The keeper of the crozier was known as "Jore Cogerach," and by virtue of it was vested with great authority within the bounds of Scotland.

The original name of Jore has been corrupted in Dewar, in the matter of spelling, for the Scottish pronunciation of the present form is "Jewar." Mr. Dewar's funeral from the family home was largely attended by those who knew him during his many years of active church, municipal and political life. He was an elder in the Presbyterian Church, and a prominent Liberal. He was born seventy-eight years ago in Beckwith township, Lanark county, and with his parents settled upon the London Road Farm while still a boy. He is survived by his wife, two daughters, a sister, a brother and a niece who is also his foster daughter.

Amendments to the Tax and Sheep Production Act, passed by the Agricultural Committee of the Legislature will give counties the power to pool all dog taxes collected in the various townships into a central fund from which payment will be made for sheep killed. Adoption of the scheme will be optional, and counties adopting it will be given power to tag all dogs whether they are running at large or not. This was a recommendation made by the Essex county Council last year.

An air route between Port Stanley and Grand Bend, with Sarnia included, will be in operation about the end of May or the first part of June and will be controlled by W. Roy Maxwell, aviation instructor, and Thomas W. Logan, manager of the Allen. It was officially announced Saturday. In connection with this air route a school of aviation will be established. Five airplanes, up-to-date in every respect, have been secured to carry passengers wherever they may want to go on the air line. Stations will be established at various points in the territory.

Sale Register

Wednesday, May 12th, house and two lots in Warwick Village. See ad.
Saturday, May 1st, at Roche House, Watford, farm stock of Alex. Leitch. See ad.
Saturday, May 1st, at Roche House, Watford, 40 head of cattle. See ad.

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Number of SMALL PIGS FOR SALE—E. L. MOFFATT, 8th line, Warwick. Phone 65-31.

FOR SALE—May 1st, purebred White Leghorn and Barred Rock Baby Chicks. Apply to ROBERT JAMES, 2nd line, N.E. R., Watford.

SEVERAL dwelling house properties in Watford and a few farms in this vicinity for sale. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister &c., Watford.

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NOTICE is hereby given that creditors and others having claims against the estate of MARGARET KERFOOT, late of the Village of Watford, in the County of Lambton, Widow deceased, are to send in full particulars of (if any,) such claims together with the nature of security, such claims being due to Cowan, Towers & Cowan, at Watford, on or before the twenty-first day of May, 1920, and after the said date the executors will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have received notice.
COWAN, TOWERS & COWAN,
Solicitors for Executors,
W. H. Harper and Wesley Morris,
Dated this 10th day of April, A. D. 1920. 3

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VILLAGE PROPERTY

The undersigned executor of the estate of SARAH STILLWELL, late of Warwick Village, in Warwick Township, Ont., married woman, deceased, will offer for sale by public auction on the undermentioned premises on WEDNESDAY, MAY 12th, 1920, at 3 o'clock p.m. the following property, viz.—Lots 11 and 12 on the north side of Egremont street, in said Village of Warwick.

On said property there is a one and a half story concrete block dwelling house with a one-story lean-to kitchen attached, also a frame building formerly used as a blacksmith shop.

TERMS OF SALE—One-tenth of the purchase money is to be paid at the time of sale and the balance within one month thereafter.

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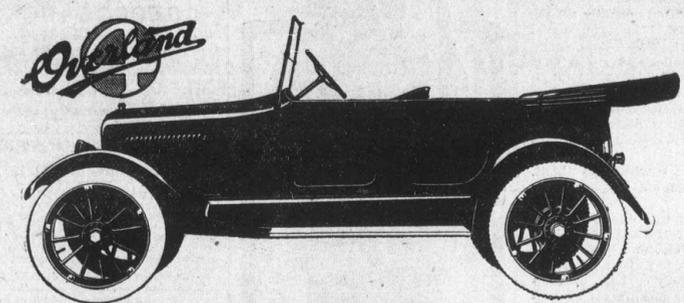
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ARKONA

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There is a big run of fish of generous size in the river AuxSable, as witness those of the "contemplative pastime."

The subject of Rev. C. W. King's Sunday morning sermon in the Baptist church will be "The Real Glory." Evening, "Daniel's Three Companions Fined." Bible school 10 a.m., classes for everyone.

The Women's Institute of Kevser's Corners have opened a two weeks' sewing school in the Foresters' Hall. A Department instructor has been secured from Toronto. The enrollment looks propitious.

KERWOOD

Mr. Steven Waite, Strathroy, visited friends here on Sunday.

Mr. Waddell and daughters of London called on friends here Sunday.

Mr. McMahon, of Inwood, called on friends in the village recently.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Meredith Morgan on May 5th. A good attendance is requested.

The Mission Circle met on Saturday with a good attendance and eighteen paid-up members. A good program was given and refreshments served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Seymour Langford.

Arkona Teacher Weds Warwick Farmer

A happy event took place Wednesday, April 21st, when Miss Clara Marie Davidson of Arkona and George Hanson Holbrook of Warwick were united in holy wedlock. Rev. Charles W. King of the Baptist church tied the nuptial knot. Miss Ruth M. Eastman, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid; Arthur Davidson, the bride's brother, was groomsmen. The bride was given away by her mother, Mrs. W. Bartram (nee Mrs. W. S. Davidson.) Mrs. King played the wedding march and other selections during the salutations. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's mother. The bridegroom is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Holbrook. The happy couple will reside near Warwick where Mr. Holbrook owns a farm. After the wedding dinner and a social time Mr. and Mrs. Holbrook motored to their Warwick home. Both these young people are well and favorably known in their respective communities. Only immediate friends witnessed the ceremony. Monday evening a surprise party of the Young Ladies' Philathea Club and their friends "happened around" at the parsonage where Miss Davidson was in for tea with Mr. and Mrs. King, and presented her with a silver token of their esteem. Not a few other wedding gifts attest the popularity of the bride and groom.

DEATH OF WM. McPHERSON

Wm. McPherson, probably the oldest pioneer resident in that section, died at his home in Arkona, on Thursday, April 15th, in his 96th year. In recent years he had been partially blind, and his death was hastened by a fall a while ago. Mr. McPherson was born in Perthshire, Scotland, in 1824, and came to this country with his parents, when he was 12 years of age. The family settled in Warwick, near Arkona, and during the 84 years which have elapsed since that time he bore his share of the days of toil which changed the unbroken forest to fertile and prosperous farms. Mr. McPherson married Janet Maxwell, who died in 1893. Two daughters survive him, viz., Mrs. John Anderson and Miss Margaret McPherson, both of Arkona. One sister, Mrs. Duncan Munro, 8th line, Bosanquet, is also living. The funeral took place on Saturday to the Arkona cemetery, with a very large attendance of relative and friends. The service was conducted by Rev. G. C. Ratcliffe, and the bearers were Wm. Butler, Wm. Cable, Henry Curtis, Reuben Dowden, Alex. Thomas and H. Zavitz.

NOTICE TO FARMERS

Information has been received by the Salvation Army Immigration Department at Montreal that a number of married men who desire to secure positions on farms will arrive in Canada from Great Britain with the opening of the St. Lawrence river to navigation this season. These people are of a splendid type, men who have served their country during the great war and who are now coming to Canada to find a home on the land with a view of learning Canadian methods and eventually securing farms for themselves and their children. Farmers who desire married help and have accommodation for a man with family should communicate with the Salvation Army at Montreal with a view of securing this very desirable class of help. We also understand that there will be a few single men in the party. During the month of June or July the Salvation Army will probably bring a number of orphan children of school age to Ontario for adoption.

The Late Mrs. Donald McAlpine

The death took place on Monday morning, April 19th, of one of the oldest residents of Forest, in the person of Susan Quinlan, relict of the late Donald McAlpine, in the 87th year of her age. She had been in ill health for some years and since the death of her granddaughter Mrs. Lena Gallagher, two months ago, she sank very rapidly. She was born in Ireland, and came to this country 76 years ago. After her marriage she lived in Warwick, near Forest, where her husband died in 1873. Shortly afterwards she moved to Forest and has since resided there. She is survived by two sons and one daughter, viz., Andrew McAlpine, of Chicago, now in South America on business; James McAlpine, of Chicago, and Mrs. Susan Pierce, of Forest. The funeral took place Wednesday morning to the R.C. church, thence to Beechwood cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. Labelle, and the bearers were Wm. Addison, C. Anderson, Alex. Jamieson, Jas. Leonard, J. D. Livingston and Wm. Malley.

BROOKE COUNCIL.

Inwood, April 24, 1920. Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Minutes of former meeting read.

Loosemore—Campbell, that error in report of the overpayment on Benner-Duffy drain be changed to \$713.65 and minutes confirmed.—Carried.

Mr. Bolton, a representative of the Ingot Iron Co., Ltd., Guelph, addressed the Council in the interest of the Company.

Mr. Jas. H. Kenny served notice that the 4 and 5 con. road opposite s e 1/4 lot 21, was out of repair. Referred to Keeve and Commissioner of the Division to deal with.

Mr. W. J. Johnston, Commissioner in charge of repair to the McEachern drain notified the Council that the contractor, Mr. Taylor refuses to do any further work on the drain at the present contract price owing to the high wages but was willing to proceed with the work if allowed \$350 additional. Commissioner stated that a meeting was called of the interested tax payers and all present agreed to give the contractor the amount asked.

Loosemore—Sutton, that Council confirm the agreement of tax payers on McEachern drain allowing contractor \$350 additional.—Carried.

Mr. R. J. Richardson and W. R. Dawson asked to have sign boards erected at the Village limits, regarding the speed of motor cars, for the safety of the Public and asked that Council give \$2.50 towards the same, agreeing to assume the balance and erect the boards.

Campbell—Loosemore, that offer be accepted.—Carried.

Mr. John Barrett, contractor on the Davidick drain, served notice that he had made a mistake in his tender, together with the increased cost of labor, he would have to give up the work unless allowed \$100 more.

Sutton—Zavitz, that Mr. Barrett be allowed \$100 additional on the Davidick drain.—Carried.

A deputation from Inwood Public Library interviewed the Council requesting a grant in aid of the Library.

Campbell—Sutton, that a grant of \$80 be given.—Carried.

Brooke Municipal Telephone System asked that \$200 be advanced for Telephone purposes. Granted on motion of Loosemore and Zavitz.

By-law submitted and read appointing Pathmasters, Pound Keepers, Fence Viewers, Sheep and Noxious Weed Inspectors.

Campbell—Zavitz, that By-law be read a third time and finally passed.—Carried.

By-law submitted and read authorizing the collection of the sum of \$579.81 being Brooke Township's share of the overpayment on repairs to the Benner-Duffy Drain.—Carried.

Sutton—Loosemore, that By-law be read a third time and finally passed.—Carried.

Mr. H. Holbrook served notice to have the Holbrook Drain repaired.

Sutton—Campbell, that notice be entertained and Geo. A. McCubbin, O.L.S., C.E., be instructed to make an examination of the drain and if found out of repair, submit report, plans, profile and estimate and to make an assessment of the lands and roads liable for assessment under the Municipal Drainage Act.—Carried.

Sutton—Zavitz, that Clerk notify all parties interested in the Saunders Award drain to have their portion of the drain repaired by July 1st, 1920.—Carried.

Campbell—Loosemore, that Geo. A. McCubbin, O.L.S., C.E., be instructed to examine the outlet of the drain from the 11-12 con. blind line to the McEachern drain, and also consider the advisability of an alternative outlet along the blind line, and to report on such repairs, improvements or change of course as he may consider advisable and to make such assessment as he may consider just for the work which he recommends, whether or not such assessment be a variation of former assessments on the Watson drain.—Carried.

Loosemore—Campbell, that Council as a whole meet on Saturday, May 1st, with a view of obtaining gravel for roads in the South and West part of the Township.—Carried.

A By-law submitted and read to raise by issue of debentures the sum of \$5410 to return to Township, for money advanced to the Brooke Municipal Telephone System.

Zavitz—Sutton, that by-law be read a third time and finally passed.—Carried.

Campbell—Zavitz, that By-law authorizing repairs to the 14th Concession and Kelly drains be read a third time and finally passed.—Carried.

Sutton—Loosemore, that Council do now adjourn to meet in Alvinston on Saturday the 29th day of May, 1920, to open a Court of Revision on Assessment Roll at 2 o'clock p.m.—Carried.

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By M. P. MERRYMAN

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Yellow October sunlight poured through the west windows of the library. Myriad dust particles floated along the slanting sun paths that slid abruptly into shadow at the table's edge. The assistant professor of biology sat humped over a book that lay upon the table before him, but he was not concentrating, at least not upon the text. With a thump of his fist that set the book jumping he raised his head and looked about the big, quiet room.

The assistant professor took off his glasses and rubbed his eyes and stretched. Then he shoved his hands into his pockets, tilted back in his chair and surveyed the shelves of dog-eared volumes opposite him. It gave him an immense satisfaction, this bare, low-vaulted room with its brown walls and solid, brown tables and its rows and rows of books.

The assistant professor pulled out a crumpled bit of paper from his pocket and smoothed it out upon the book, after which he continued to regard it with an expression of ironical amusement. It was a check made out to him for the amount of twelve dollars and fifty cents; a sum he had received in payment of a scientific article which it had taken him two months to write. It was a good article, too, but according to more than one editor "not sufficiently popular in tone."

He had been trying to make a decision. This last contemplation of the scrap of paper in his hand had served to topple the scales. He closed the book with a bang, uncrossed his long legs, rose from the table and ambled down the aisle to the door. Outside he stood for an instant, blinking in the strong light. When he closed his eyes they still registered printed book pages. With something of the feeling of a stranger he turned and scuffed along the leaf-strewn path to the lake. Now that there was no longer any doubt about his departure the intimate landscape seemed all at once unfamiliar and different. He felt already detached from it—all sorry.

The moment the tip of her canoe veered round a bend in the shore line he recognized it and whistled. The assistant professor of English whistled her answer and waved an undignified paddle in greeting as her small craft slipped into sight.

"Want to come?" she called, invitingly.
"Sure!"
"All right! Climb in!"
The canoe nosed landward and slushed into the sand. With a lunge which shot the boat into deeper water and himself miraculously, into the boat, the new passenger embarked and took charge of the paddle.

"Where to?" he asked.
"Oh, anywhere," she replied and smiled at him.
He selected the most distant spot on the lake, laid the paddle across the canoe and rested his elbows on it.
"Takes longer this way," he explained.
She laughed and leaned sideways to watch a swirl of red and yellow leaves that went scudding along the surface of the water like a fleet of toy sailboats. The red of her tam-o'-shanter, however, held more fascination for him. At length the leaves whirled out of sight and she settled back in her seat to feast her eyes upon lake and trees and sky.

"I'm so sorry for all the folks who live in cities," she said.

"Why?"
She looked up inquiringly at the question. He had snapped it out so abruptly it puzzled her a little. He had begun paddling, too, furiously.
"Why?" she repeated. "Why, because they miss all this!" She waved a brown arm toward the rustling woods that shadowed them. "Wouldn't you hate to miss it?" she queried. The blade in his hand cut a long swath before he answered.

"I—I expect to miss it—after next Sunday," he said.
"You—you mean—?" Her question hung unfinished.

"Yes, I'm going away—to the city," he said dryly with a pucker of his mouth as if even the taste of the words was bitter to him.

"Oh!" She bit her lips and tried to go on speaking naturally, but her brain appeared to be turning a somersault—and no words came.

"Yes," he went on dully. "I'm going away. Decker has a fellow here now who can take my place. They've given me these last two days till college opens to decide. Well, I've made up my mind. I'm going to the city to live in a hail bedroom and work in an office—and sell rubber. I'll loathe

selling rubber, but I've got to make to it till I can make a decent enough living to ask a decent girl to marry me. I'd rather stay here and go on with my work than anything else on earth, but I'll be hanged if I'll ask my wife to wear second-hand clothes all her life or wear 'em myself. This digging along forever on seventy-five a month and board is getting my goat. Today this came. It was the last straw." He drew his offending check from his pocket and flipped it into her lap. She read it and met his eyes when she had finished. "I—I don't know that I blame you much," she said.

They skimmed along for a time, each waiting for the other to speak. When she had made up her mind that he never expected to open his mouth again, she gave in. "And—and how does—the girl—feel about it?" she inquired. "That would make—some difference—of course." Hours passed for her before he replied.

"I—I haven't—asked her—yet," he said hesitatingly.

With a little shiver of relief she sank back in her seat and caught back the smile in her eyes so that he might not see. He went on blustering, man-fashion:

"It isn't unreasonable, is it, to want enough to live on decently? I'm not aspiring to plumbers' wages, you know, or anything like that; but hang it, even a teacher's got to live."

She began speaking then and her voice grew softer and fuller as she went on. "I know," she replied. "It's unfair and it probably will be for a long time to come, but you can't have everything, you know, Bob. You have the work you like best in all the world. Not many men can say that."

"I know all that," he said, shaking his head in reply. "I've talked that to myself, too, but all the same steam-heated apartments in town rent for \$50 a month."

"So you have been house hunting?"
He had not even the grace to blush.
"Sure!" he exclaimed. "Why shouldn't I? Even a poor devil of a pedagogue can look, can't he?"

She leaned forward, her eyes dancing, but for the moment she felt a little like his mother, nevertheless.

"Boy," she explained slowly and emphatically, "when you're a school-teacher you don't rent a steam-heated apartment in town; you get a cottage in the country and buy a good second-hand stove. For that matter, all the furniture is second-hand but you needn't look like that—it's nice! You buy a few pieces at a time and put on three coats of paint and then you enamel it and if you want to you paint little flow—"

He could not wait for her to finish. "And for an engagement ring," he jeered, "you buy some pretty little tin thing at the five and ten."

She shook her head defiantly till the red tassel bobbed. "No, you don't! You hunt up that lovely old amethyst ring of your mother's that you once showed to—me."

He was still stubborn and unconvinced. "And then," he demanded, "when the house is rented and furnished and—and everything—who pays the bills?"

Her patience reached its limit. "Can't you figure out anything for yourself?" she demanded angrily. "Some land goes with the cottage, of course; enough to raise garden truck for the family, and besides that you do whatever you can. Raise chickens or rabbits or bees or thoroughbred dogs or mushrooms or anything that sells—how can I tell exactly? Personally, I've made several hundred dollars writing 'deteketif' stories. Maybe your wife could do something like that—after the dishes."

The assistant professor of biology began to believe he had died and gone to heaven. He felt as if he were treading on balloons that bore him higher and higher, yet strangely did not break. The prospect of remaining at his work made him giddy enough, but so added to that the idea of wife and home was still beyond his rapidly expanding imagination.

"Do you—do you suppose—it could be done?" he demanded, and tried to swallow. The red mouth beneath the red tam-o'-shanter was quivering, but the round little chin was firm. "Of course it could!" she said.

"God!" murmured the assistant professor of biology fervently. "I—I almost believe it could, too! And you don't believe I'd be a low-down cad for asking the best little girl in the world to marry me and live like that?"

His hands moved forward, eagerly awaiting the touch of the two steady ones that slipped into his own, while the paddle, unnoticed, slid into the water and floated away.

"I—I'm sure you wouldn't," she answered, "if—if you mean—me!"

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The new suits are distinctive in several ways. Coats are just finger-tip length, as a rule, and many of them have the loose outside pocket effect, achieved by turning up the bottom of the coat at the sides and in front. The skirts are narrow, as rumor predicted that they would be. The more extreme models have made allowance for the wearer's need, either by slitting the skirt at the back seam for a few inches up the hem, or, as in one case, by making the skirt with the front and back widths absolutely separate as far up as the hips; these two sections were then caught together at intervals down the sides by short threads, heavily buttonholed, which held the two sections together except when the wearer was walking. When such skirts as these are worn, there is worn also a heavy satin slip, matching the skirt in color.

The tight-fitting, severely tailored suit is not so much shown as are the looser-coated, more youthful-looking models. Narrow belts are on nearly all of these jackets, fastening at the side; the skirts of the coats are rather full, and are quite apt to be inconspicuously trimmed. Embroidered silk arrow heads make one such coat interesting; another is bound with narrow,



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WHEN a man is about to erect a building, be it ever so small, the first thing he does is to make a plan. That plan may be on paper or it may exist only in the mind of the builder, yet it is a plan. Without a plan to follow, a builder cannot do good work. The same is true of tile drainage. The man who places a "string" or "line" of tile in a watercourse, which traverses his fields, should not do so without asking himself such questions as: "Am I putting this tile in the lowest part?" "Will I be able to get a satisfactory outlet? How many acres will this tile drain, and is it large enough to drain it satisfactorily? Have I sufficient grade to drain the holes in the rear fifty?" If he does not ask himself these questions he is like a builder without a plan; he is working in the dark; his work cannot be efficient. All these questions the drainage plan answers, and more.

No matter how small the means for immediate construction of drains, or how few the drains which one is about to install, he should not do so without having first laid out a plan of which these drains will be a part. On rolling land such a plan is not hard to decide upon, because the differences in elevation are very pronounced, and any one who is familiar with such lands is able to intelligently plan a system of drains for them. But where the area is large and the topography irregular, or very flat, guesswork is out of the question. It is then that we must resort to the tape and the levelling instrument for reliable information. A drainage plan shows first of all the differences in height or elevation between all parts of the farm over which the survey extended. This allows the owner of the land to plan his own system of drainage. The possession of the levels for all parts of the farm lays bare the most advantageous routes for tile drains, from a study of the levels and contours of a plan it is possible to calculate the acreage which each main tile must drain. This information together with the fall or grade procedure is the only true guide to help us decide upon the size of tile needed in any given drain. It is only when the planer has a picture of the whole project before him that he can draft an efficient yet economical plan of drains for any piece of land.

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There is another way in which a drainage plan is very helpful to a farm owner; it is a splendid guide toward ascertaining the acreage of any field or part of the farm. Fences are located on the plan, and the whole plan drawn to scale, so that with the aid of a rule it is possible to measure the area of any part of the land surveyed. This is of great assistance in planning a season's crops as well as in calculating yields per acre.

The drainage pays; but, before you start even a small system, by all means secure a plan—G. Heimpel, O. A. College, Guelph.

Protecting Drainage Outlets.

Tile, particularly clay tile, should not run out to the mouth of the drain. If a piece of old gas pipe, eight or ten feet long, can be secured, this should be placed in the drain in place of the last few feet. Filling this a piece of corrugated steel, or even a plank trough is much better than running the tile right to the end, where they will be broken, washed into the outlet, or otherwise destroyed, allowing the earth to roll in and stop the flow of water.

Under any condition the bank is liable to wear away. Animals pasturing in the field may tramp it down, and block the tile, so in the second place, an abutment should be built through which the outlet discharges its water and the bank will be kept in a state of preservation. This may be made of concrete, stone or plank, and should be a permanent structure. In some cases where the flow is heavy and the water would have a tendency to undermine the wall, it is well to build an apron on which the force of the falling water is broken.

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tion. Frequently small muskrats, muskrats, coons, ground hogs and others, seek refuge in the tile. Here they are entrapped, and form a dam to the flowing water. To overcome such, the outlet should have bars across the end. These may be quite small, and close together so that nothing can get through. A screen may be fitted over the end, but unless the mesh is quite large the water is retarded in its flow. Sometimes the first tile is threaded with wire. This forms a good protection.

When all these devices are given attention, the outlet should remain in a state of efficiency for years, and the system, if properly installed, should give satisfaction.—F. L. Ferguson, O. A. College, Guelph.

Brown Bear and Grizzlies.

The law protects the great brown bear of the Alaskan peninsula and nearby islands, which is the largest existing carnivorous land animal; likewise the grizzlies of the Arctic territory.

Nevertheless they are shot whenever the natives or white settlers get a chance at them, and if anybody is arrested for such an offence a conviction cannot be obtained. This is because public sentiment in Alaska is dead against the beasts in question, which are not only destroyers of livestock but dangerous to human beings.

The popular notion that a grizzly will not attack a man if unprovoked is without basis in fact. Most formidable of living creatures, it is very intelligent, recognizes human beings as its enemies and will assail them whenever a good opportunity offers. A grizzly has been known to follow a man's trail, steal up behind him and tear off the whole top of his head with a blow of its tremendous paw.

Alaskan settlers declare that the great brown and grizzly bears are protected for the sole benefit of non-resident sportsmen. But they add that they are entitled to protect themselves, and they do it with a gun.

A Source of Riches.

C. C. Jones, chairman of the Fur Industry and Wild Life Conference, stated recently that Canada will soon become one of the leading fur markets of the world, and Montreal may once more become the great centre of the fur trade. Mr. James White, chairman of the Commission of Conservation, pointed out the valuable influence of the fur trade on the development of Canada, without which British colonization would probably have never gone further west than Lak's Superior. Canada's exports of furs to the United States had increased from \$1,800,000 in 1915, to \$12,800,000 in 1919.

Value of Furs.

The value of the skins of our fur-bearing animals has increased enormously in recent years. A mink, once worth only 40 cents, is now valued at between \$13 to \$28, and a muskrat, which was once bought for 12 cents, is now bought for \$5.50.

If Miller's Worm Powders needed the support of testimonials they could be got by the thousands from mothers who know the great virtue of this excellent medicine. But the powders will speak for themselves and in such a way that there can be no question of them. They act speedily and thoroughly, and the child to whom they are administered will show improvement from the first dose.

Good Luck to Infants.

Almost every nation has some particular superstition or belief about babies, and these result in actions which vary all the way from the utterly absurd to the terribly tragic. The peasantry of Greece firmly believe that the future of every child is determined by three fates, known as the *Moirai*. In the popular mind these fates are three old women, whose habitation is a mountain cave and they come together to a house where there is a new-born child. In preparation for them, all furniture is set aside, their tottering footsteps may not be impeded, and refreshments in the shape of honey, bread, cakes and wine are set out for these important though invisible guests. Money, too, is placed on the table, as a bribe, for it is believed that in the gift of these fates are all good things as well as bad. Under no circumstances must a child's beauty be alluded to while the *Moirai* may be in the house, or they will certainly make its good looks disappear.

Many peoples believe that ill luck will be the portion of a child who cuts its upper teeth first, and there are one or two African tribes who so firmly believe this that, in order to spare the child a life of misery, they promptly kill any child whose upper teeth appear first. Another tribe sees bad fortune for everyone in twins, and avoid it by slaying them all. Should a child grow up bad in China the parents are said to have forgotten to bind its wrists—alluding thereby to a superstition that if a red cord is tied around an infant's wrists it cannot fall to grow up quiet and obedient.

There are various methods of assuring good luck to an infant. In rural England, if its right hand is bound up for a short period soon after birth it will surely become wealthy. The Spaniards sweep their children's face with pine boughs, to assure good fortune, while to keep the Irish baby from harm a belt of woman's hair is placed about it, and to achieve a similar object Roumanian mothers tie red ribbons around the ankles of their offspring. In Holland garlic, salt, bread and steak are put in the cradle of the new arrival, while to protect their babies the mothers of Wales put in the cradle a pair of tongs or a knife. In Iceland, when the first tooth makes its appearance, a lamb is presented to the child, to be its "very own."

My Financial Creed.

I believe in Canada.
 My opportunity and hope depend upon her future.
 I believe that her stability and progress rest upon the industry and thrift of her people.
 Therefore I will work hard and live simply.
 I will spend less than I earn.
 I will use my earnings with care.
 I will save consistently.
 I will invest thoughtfully.

Waterway from Switzerland to Sea.

Above Nantes the Loire is little used on account of the swift current and shifting channel. It is proposed to dredge the river for a considerable distance above Nantes or to build lateral canals so as to join the Loire with the canal systems of Central France leading to Paris, and with the Rhone, making a waterway from Switzerland to the sea.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Watford Board of Education held in the Library Board Room on Monday, April 26th, 1920, at 7.30 p.m. Present--Wm. Harper, chairman; Dr. Howden, Dr. Siddall, J. McKecher, Dr. McGillicuddy, J. D. Brown, E. D. Swift, W. E. Fitzgerald and J. W. McLaren.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The principal's report of Public School was read. Howden--Siddall, and carried, that principal's report of Public School be received and filed.

Swift--McLaren, and carried, that the following accounts be accepted and paid.

High School--Canadian Express Co. 70c, Canadian Magazine \$2.50, Watford Garage, charging battery \$1.30, Geo. O. Stevenson, doors and work, \$98.70.

Public School--Dr. G. N. Howden, dental examination of pupils, \$25.00.

The repair and supply committee made a report on some damages done to High School property.

Fitzgerald--McKecher, and carried, that we cannot permit the pupils of the High School to destroy and injure the school property and school effects as appears to have been done according to the report of the school management and repair and supply committee who lately visited the school and that hereafter all persons guilty of injuring or damaging the school be prosecuted both civilly and criminally, and that we support our High School principle and the other teachers in seeing that the school property is kept in proper shape, and also will back up our principal and teachers in trying to keep up the discipline of the school.

Communications were read from Principal Steer and Major Spry of London.

Brown--McGillicuddy, and carried, that the communication of Major Spry re the Armory be received and that this Board assume responsibility for care of same.

McLaren--Brown--and carried, that we ask the Municipal Council for \$425 for Public School purposes for May.

Howden--Siddall, and carried, that we adjourn.

D. WATT, Secretary.

BORN

In Brooke, on Saturday, April 24th, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Taylor, a daughter--Margaret Isabelle.

In Alvinston, on Thursday, April 15th, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. Dyer, a son.

In Brooke, on Thursday, April 15, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Armstrong, a son.

In Kerwood, on Saturday, April 24th, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. Orville Dowding a son--Orville Ross.

In Kerwood, on Wednesday, April 21st, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Foster, a daughter.

In Plympton, on Friday, April 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Mimiely, a son, Arnold Leslie.

MARRIED

At the residence of the bride's mother, Arkona, by the Rev. C. W. King, on Wednesday, April 22nd, George Hanson, Holbrook of Warwick to Miss Clara Marie Davidson, of Arkona.

At the Baptist parsonage, Strathroy, on April 15th, by Rev. L. S. Haverstock, B.A., Mr. Alex. Avery Bryce, of Pontiac, Mich., formerly of Arkona, to Miss Verna L. McChesney, of Arkona.

DIED

In Warwick, on Tuesday, April 27, 1920, Sarah Cox, relict of the late John Caughlin, in her 71st year.

In Forest, on Monday, April 19th, 1920, Susan Quinn, relict of the late Donald McAlpine, in her 87th year.

In Arkona, on April 15th, 1920, William McPherson, in his 98th year.

TO THE YOUNG FOLKS

When'er you think to do a thing
Just do it with your might,
Throw all your heart and soul to it,
Be sure that you are right;
And when you are getting ready
To plunge into the fray,
Your speculations just revise
And see if it will pay.
And if you wish to till the soil
And raise the golden grain,
Be not afraid to labor hard
In weariness and pain;
Be not afraid to soil your hands
Nor shirk a long, long day,
Use all the brains that you have got,
Your section's sure to pay.

Or, if you'd rather like to be
An easier-up of pain
Be sure you understand the drugs
Irrespective of the gain;
And be the best that can be got,
Equipped in every way,
And help Dame Nature do her work,
Then it is sure to pay.
We need some folks to understand
And keep the human straight,
We are so twisted in our ways,
So selfish in our gait,
Then shun deceit of every kind,
Be honest! For you can,
There is no need for all this greed
It only will degrade,
'Twould pay as well if we could sell
Out all this stock in trade,
Whatever calling you will choose,
The hammer or the saw,
If we are worth our feed we'll get
Whatever we can draw.

And we have merchants by the score
Legitimate, tho' rife,
Who in retail must sell to us
The necessities of life;
If you would like to be of those
To help your fellow man,
Then shun deceit of every kind,
Be honest! For you can,
There is no need for all this greed
It only will degrade,
'Twould pay as well if we could sell
Out all this stock in trade,
Whatever calling you will choose,
The hammer or the saw,
If we are worth our feed we'll get
Whatever we can draw.

There are so many useless ones,
Professional, likewise,
They like protection over much
And sheltered from the skies.
The Government has much to do
This petting needs to halt.
There is no need to begging go,
If we are worth our salt;
We hate to say, but yet it's true
Concerning certain saints
That they should be protected from
The law of other gent's.
Then choose your trade, use all your
And master all details, [grit,
Your anchor raise; there's breeze
enough
To fill up all your sails.
April 24, 1920. --W.B.L.

The marriage took place in St. Joseph's Church, Corunna, on Thursday morning, April 15th, of Philip Leonard, of Forest, to Miss Leonie Pollet, daughter of Mrs. F. R. DeClercq, of Detroit, formerly of Bosanquet. Rev. Fr. J. G. Labelle performed the ceremony, the attendants being the bride's sister, Mrs. Thos. Witherspoon of Detroit, and John Deegan of Sarnia, cousin of the bridegroom.

Mr. Angus Stonehouse, Plympton townline had three ribs broken, together with other internal injuries in an auto accident on Wednesday of last week, when the steering gear of his car got out of order. Mrs. Stonehouse received a bruised eye and her sister, Mrs. Alexander, had her collar bone broken and her daughter, Jennie, her hip bruised. The car was badly damaged.

A DESIRE TO EAT WHAT YOU WANT

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'Not to be limited in diet, but to eat whatever he pleases is the dream of every dyspeptic. No one can honestly promise to restore any stomach to this happy condition, because all people can not eat the same things with equally satisfactory results. It is literally true that "what is one man's food is another man's poison." But it is possible to set one up the digestive organs that a pleasing diet may be selected from articles of food that cause no discomfort.

When the stomach lacks tone there is no quicker way to restore it than to build up the blood. Good digestion without rich, red blood is impossible, and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills offer the very best way to build up and enrich the blood. For this reason these pills are especially good in stomach trouble attended by thin blood, and in attacks of nervous dyspepsia. Proof of the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in even the most obstinate cases of stomach trouble is given by Mrs. S. Morrison, Varney, Ont., who says:--"I shall always feel indebted to a friend who advised me to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I had been a sufferer for upwards of twelve years with stomach trouble which resulted in a general weakness of the whole system. My meals always caused me great discomfort, and at times I would go hungry rather than undergo the suffering which followed meals. I was constantly taking something or other recommended for the trouble, but without finding a cure, and often the trouble kept me in bed when I should have been about doing my household work. My friend, who had had a similar attack, came to see me and urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills which had cured her. I got a supply at once and began taking them, and soon found relief. By the time I had used eight boxes I was again enjoying the best of health, and with a good appetite and a stomach restored to normal. Had I known of this medicine earlier it would have saved me years of suffering, and I urge any who may be in a similar condition to try these pills at once."

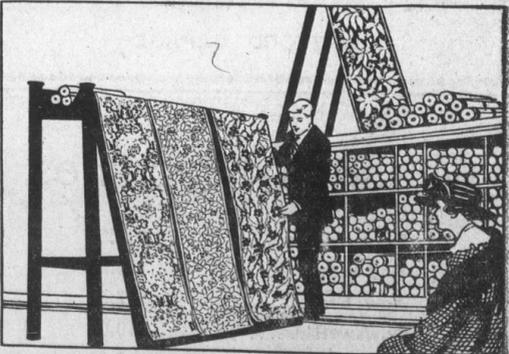
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The death occurred at Strathroy Hospital on Saturday of John Leitch, of Mossa township, aged 79, after a short illness. The funeral was held from the residence of his brother, Alex. M. Leitch, Mossa, on Monday afternoon, to Kilmartin Cemetery. He is survived by two sisters and one brother: Mrs. Jeanette Munro, of Mossa; Mrs. Margaret Munro, of Brooke, and Alex. M., at the old homestead in Mossa.

James Kirkpatrick, of East Zorra, had a narrow escape from death when he was buried under a mass of ensilage nearly six feet deep. He was forking in the silo when the frozen ensilage around the sides fell in. His wife happened to be in the barn and heard the noise. She summoned neighbors, and when Mr. Kirkpatrick was finally extricated he was unconscious and his body totally black. A few minutes longer and he would have been fatally suffocated. He is recovering.

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