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**FOR SALE**  
 Three Bronze turkey hens.—Duncan Graham, Route 4, Glencoe.

**FOR SALE**  
 Eight pigs, past three months old. Apply to H. Wastell, Newbury.

**POULTRY**  
 For sale—about twenty White Leghorn hens; good laying strain.—Alex. McNeil, Glencoe.

**SEED PEAS**  
 Seed peas for sale.—Chas. Willey, Route 1, Glencoe.

**WATCH LOST**  
 Gold wrist watch. Finder please leave at Transcript office. Reward.

**FOR SALE**  
 Gasoline lamp, nearly new, cheap. Russell Quick, Glencoe.

**COW FOR SALE**  
 Registered Shorthorn cow for sale.—David Coulthard, Route 1, Glencoe.

**PASTURE TO RENT**  
 Lot 2, con. 6, Mosa; 26 acres. Apply to R. E. McAlpine, 279 George St., Sarnia.

**LAND FOR SALE**  
 Fifty-acre pasture farm; windmill and good rock well; part of east half of south half of lot 19, con. 13.—D. N. Munroe, Route 2, Glencoe.

**PROPERTY FOR SALE**  
 House and lot, with barn, in good location in Glencoe. Apply to Box 88, Glencoe P. O.

**FARM FOR SALE**  
 First-class 100-acre farm, clay loam; north half lot 17, con. 4, Ekfrid; good buildings; well fenced, and best of water.—Edgar Munson, R. R. 4, Glencoe; phone Melbourne, 29 ring 28.

**COWS FOR SALE**  
 Two good Durham cows—one due 1st April, and other due 1st May.—Sam T. McCall, Route 4, Appin.

**FOR SALE**  
 Fifteen h.p. portable gasoline engine with new Webster magneto; in good running order.—R. E. Laughton, Glencoe.

**FOR SALE**  
 Medium-sized "Grimm Champion" evaporator, in good condition; complete with storage tank. Apply to H. Lovell, R. R. No. 4, Alvinston; phone 44, ring 3.

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

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Archie McCallum, of Walkers, wish to thank their friends and neighbors who so kindly helped at the time of the fire, also the Ladies' Aid of Kilmartin, the Women's Institute of No. 9, Mosa, and the Ferguson's Crossing Needle Club.

**WANTED**  
 Old walnut or rosewood melodeons, chairs or tables. Write M. E. McCallum, 532 Talbot St., London.

**WEAVING**  
 Better get your Rag Rugs, Carpets, etc., before the spring rush.—Mrs. M. M. Buiman, R. R. 5, Bothwell.

**FARM TO RENT**  
 Fifty acres, composed of the south half of the south half of lot number 16, in the second range north of the Longwoods Road, Ekfrid township. Possession the 1st of April. Apply to Miss Harriet Young, Emerson, Manitoba.

**EKFRID FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION**  
 will meet at Appin March 4, April 15, June 10, August 5, October 7 and November 11. For information, long and short term loans, apply to President R. D. Coad, Vice-president D. F. Eddie, Secretary-treasurer Duncan McAlpine, Directors A. T. Irwin, Dan McDonald, Martin Johnston, James McRae, R. A. Finn.

**FARM LOANS**  
 Apply to V. T. FOLEY, 83 King Street, West, Chatham. Phone 180.

**GLENCOE LODGE, No. 138**, meets every Tuesday evening at eight o'clock sharp in the lodge room, opposite Royal Bank building, Main street. All brethren of the Order cordially invited to attend.—Russell Quick, N. G.; A. B. Sinclair, R. S.

A village is a place where everybody wonders who the preacher was hitting at in the sermon.

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



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A famous New York beauty has disappeared. Perhaps she washed it off.

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 New Blouses, Sweaters and Hosiery.  
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### DISTRICT AND GENERAL

The Department of Highways is inviting tenders to pave the Provincial Highway from Tilbury to Chatham.

A vicious horse snapped at Gus Newman, a farmer at Amaranth, Manitoba, and bit his nose completely off.

Many religious organizations are placing themselves on record as being opposed to the referendum on the O. T. A.

Vaccination of all the school children in Raleigh township has been ordered by the township health authorities.

The Ontario Government for the year ending October 31st sold liquor through the dispensaries to the value of \$3,452,372.

Miss Dorothy Miller, of Florence, received a cheque for \$50 a few days ago as the winner in a contest for writing the best essay on Montgomery's new book, "Emily of New Moon."

The death is recorded at Strathroy of Thomas Dunsmore, in his 78th year. Mr. Dunsmore was born in Stratford and taught school for 46 years, 42 of which were spent in the Strathroy public school, of which he was principal for many years.

An embargo against all live stock coming into Canada from the United States, excepting horses, has been declared by the Dominion Government. This action is the result of, or necessitated by, similar action taken by the British Government.

It is reported that the Dominion Canners are placing a great many more contracts for the raising of tomatos this year than last. The pack in Ontario last year was small, owing to drought, and the consumption has been much larger than anticipated owing to the demands from the West.

Those who are supposed to know affirm that the sheep industry on the farm is likely to prove more remunerative than has been the case, on account of better prospects for wool and lambs on the market. Breeders are urged to sell the heavy lambs early, retaining the lighter ones for later marketing.

Further encouragement to rural users of power seems likely in view of an intimation from Premier Ferguson that the Government plans to bring down legislation "dealing with rural extension of hydro." Sir Adam Beck stated recently that the Government had under consideration a proposal to pay full cost of rural primary lines, instead of 50 per cent, as at present.

An exhibit in the American Museum of Natural History purporting to portray the evolution of man from ape-like ancestor was characterized as "treason to God Almighty and libel against the human race" by the Rev. Dr. John Roach Straton at Cary Baptist church, New York. He called for a concerted movement to abolish the exhibit because of the influence it might have on children.

Premier Ferguson makes a distinction between a plebiscite and a referendum. The vote on the Ontario Temperance Act, he says, is to be by way of a plebiscite, not a referendum. The people are to be asked, apparently, whether they want the O. T. A. to remain as it is or not. If the people vote for a change, the Government will assume the responsibility of saying what the change is to be. In a referendum, as understood by the Premier, the people would be asked not only whether they wanted a change but what change they wanted.

**ANNUAL MEETING OF GLENCOE BOWLING CLUB**  
 At a large and enthusiastic meeting held on Friday night, March 7th, the Glencoe bowling club organized for the 1924 season. The financial statement showed the club to be in a prosperous condition.

The following officers were elected:—Honorary president, J. G. Lethbridge, M.P.P.; president, Jas. Poole; vice-president, John Hayter; secretary-treasurer, R. M. MacPherson; games committee—C. E. Davidson, J. A. McLachlan, W. D. Moss; grounds committee—J. B. Gough, M. Knox, W. C. Mawhinney, A. B. McDonald; refreshment committee—P. Hayter, Dr. Saxton, Rev. Mr. Whitehall, A. J. Wright, E. Mayhew; auditors—F. Gough, A. J. Wright.

The membership fee was set at \$5. A strong committee, consisting of Jas. Poole, A. J. Wright, J. B. Gough and W. D. Moss, was appointed to arrange for better lighting of the green.

The club has made rapid progress during the past three years, and is looking to the coming season to be the best in its history.

R. M. MacPherson, Secretary.

Thomas E. Furness, a St. Thomas baker, was caught and drawn into a dough mixer and smothered to death.

### WARDSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Annual Entertainment Does Great Credit to Staff and Students

On Friday, February 29, a program was given by the students of Wardsville high school to a capacity audience of parents and friends, and consisted mainly of acts from Shakespeare, given in full costume and with appropriate scenery, on the pretty stage of the town hall.

Form I, with the assistance of some of Form II, scholars, gave delightful extracts from "A Midsummer Night's Dream." James Bunda played a very sweet lover's part as Pyramus to Austin Thompson's Thisbe, both excelling in the death scene. Jean Moore made a cute Robin Good-fellow. Oberon and Titania, king and queen of the fairies, were excellently done by Marion Reid and Mary McIntyre, and the former's dancing with Norma Willis demanded an encore. The other parts were well sustained by Ida Duckworth, Lorine Henderson, Albert Brooks, John McRae, Donald Coyne, Helen Brooks, Eva King, Max Lancaster and Geo. Thompson.

These pupils were taught by Miss L. Mildred Anthias, B.A., herself an accomplished entertainer and English teacher in Wardsville high school.

With Miss Lorine Henderson presiding at the piano, the double male quartette gave "The Boots" and "Mush, Mush" from "Yarvis" in a way that brought cheers and repeated encores. The quartette were Messrs. Elliott, Kearns, Albert Brooks, Woods, Principal Ashdown, John and Allan McLean and George Thompson.

Admirable addresses were given by Allan McLean, president of the Progress Club of W. H. S., on "Education in Canada," and by Rev. R. J. Murphy, B.A., who, on behalf of the trustees, presented diplomas to the graduates, viz: Helen Aitchison, Florence Blain, Roderick Ferguson, Cora McMaster and Donald Anthias.

The French scholars of Form III, gave the betrothal scene from Henry V., with James Kearns in the title role, Malcolm and Janet Elliott as the sovereigns of France, Rhea McRae taking the part of the fair Katharine, and Frances Murphy as Alice. They were ably supported by John McLean as the Duke of Bedford and Nettie McDowell and Bessie Saylor as English noblemen. The work of the scholars was exceedingly creditable, both to themselves and to their tutor, Principal Ashdown.

"The Bargain," a comedy skit, caused great merriment as presented in beautiful costumes by five of the senior girls—Misses Myrtle Downie, Rhea Hubbard, Annie McLean, Marjorie Robinson and Ava Weer.

The singing of God Save the King was prefaced by three hearty cheers for the old school and three for the teachers. The excellent spirit displayed, together with the largest attendance in a generation, augurs well for this "country college" of Middlesex and Elgin.

The hall had been beautifully decorated in marquis style with the colors, purple and gold, by a committee of girls headed by Winnifred Parnall, and a delightful buffet luncheon was served by Flossie Palmer's group of girls, assisted by the patronesses, Mesdames O'Malley, Henderson, Glenn and Reid.

Music was furnished by the imperial orchestra, and students and friends enjoyed the light-footed hours, and separated well satisfied to put their ardent and honest effort into the remaining half of the Easter term of 1924.

### TECUMSEH MONUMENT

A bronze tablet has been ordered and will be affixed to the Tecumseh boulder on the old battle ground near Thamesville. The boulder will be removed to Tecumseh Memorial Park and re-erected on a cairn.

The Thamesville Herald says:—"On the morning of October 5, 1813, Mr. Sherman's great grandmother prepared breakfast for Proctor's men which had to be taken as a handout on account of the rapid approach of the American troops. His grandfather, David Sherman, then a boy, spoke with Tecumseh the morning of the battle.

### AN UNENDING DEMAND

The luxuries of today are the necessities of tomorrow. Modern standards make indispensable commodities and services that only a few years ago were the possessions of only a small circle. The annual report of the Bell Telephone Company says:—"Service is now required of us in homes and small places of business which, a few years ago, could not have been considered as a profitable market. Thus within our present boundaries the telephone field is broadening daily."

Telephone installations have increased about ten times as fast as population in the last decade.

### DEATH OF MINISTER'S WIFE

The death occurred suddenly at her home in Blenheim of Mrs. Smith, wife of Rev. Dr. J. Fraser Smith, pastor of Erskine Presbyterian church and former pastor of Burns' church, Mosa.

Mrs. Smith had been in failing health, but was about as usual until Sunday morning. That she was beloved as a pastor's wife was testified by the beautiful floral offerings. The remains were brought to Burns' church, Mosa, from the 3 1/2 C.N.R. train on Tuesday.

Services were conducted by Rev. George Weir, of Ridgeway, assisted by Rev. J. R. Brown, of Shakespear, and Rev. D. Robertson, Rev. Dr. McKay, of Toronto, gave an address, taking as his text "Numbered among saints." Mrs. Smith leaves her husband and two sons: Dr. Cameron, of Lakeside, and Grant, teaching school near Hagersville. The following acted as pathbearers: Lachlan Leitch, John Little, A. L. Munroe, George F. Munroe, James Walker and D. N. Munroe. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the family in their bereavement.

### GLENCOE COUNCIL

The regular meeting of the Glencoe council was held in the town hall on Monday, March 3rd. Members present—Reeve McPherson, Councilors McAlpine, Munro, Irwin and Parrott. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

On motion of Messrs. Munro and Irwin, the following accounts were ordered paid:—Geo. Hancock, supplies and repairs for fire engine, \$4.60; McKellar House, 6 meals, \$3; A. Davenport, 8 meals, \$2.80; Roy Siddall, 1 meal, 35c; D. R. Hagerly, salary for February, \$87.50; ticket to Chatham, \$1.20; W. Quick, 14 hours drawing brush, \$7; Thos. Haghins, 32 1/2 hours trimming snow, \$16.25; Frank Smith, scraping snow on Main street, \$2.50; Wm. McRae, 15 hours snow plowing, \$7.50; Glencoe Hydro Commission, 78 tanks water, \$30; C. E. Nourse Co., 4 cords wood for Sid. Hudson, \$20; 2100 lbs. coal for town hall, \$19.80; Mrs. T. C. Reycraft, milk for Sid. Hudson for December, January and February, \$12; I. D. Kerr, groceries for Sid. Hudson, \$12; Bruce McAlpine, groceries for Sid. Hudson, \$6.12.

The auditors, C. G. York and Gordon Dickson, presented their report, and on motion of Messrs. Parrott and McAlpine the report was accepted and the clerk was instructed to issue orders on the treasurer for \$20 each in payment for their work.

Chas. George, Clerk.

### FUNERAL OF MRS. JAMES

The funeral of the late Mrs. Wm. James took place from the family residence on the county road a mile east of Newbury to Simpson cemetery. Services at the house and graveside were conducted by Rev. Mr. Bolingbroke, of Knox church.

Deceased, who was 79 years of age, had been practically an invalid for years. Besides her husband, she leaves two girls and two boys by her first husband, Mr. Root. These are Wm. Root of Detroit; George Root, of Strathroy; Mrs. Bishop, of St. Thomas, and Mrs. Proctor, of Twain.

The pathbearers were Elias Reycraft, Edway Hardie, E. Leatherby, Jasos Bell, William Martyn and Lorenzo Kelly.

### CHECKER PLAYERS IN FLORIDA

Local checker players will be interested in the following clipping from the St. Petersburg, Florida, Times of March 4:—Newell W. Banks, of Detroit, Mich., checker match champion of North America, who is on an exhibition tour of the Eastern and Southern States, completed a week's exhibition in St. Petersburg Saturday evening.

During his stay here he gave evening exhibitions of blindfold play in which he played 24 games, playing 6 games at a time each sitting, and on Saturday he finished a 10-game match with Alfred Jordan, an champion of the world, the latter contest resulting in 9 draws and 1 win from Banks.

In the 130 games Banks played while here he lost one game of checkers to Daniel H. McRae, of Glencoe, Ontario, a winter member of the local club, who also secured a couple of draws with the champion.

Some girls are like brown sugar—sweet but unrefined.

People who feel that way should remember that a knock nearly always indicates loss of horsepower.

An Irishman came home one day with crepe around his sleeve. He explained to his wife that he was wearing it for her first husband, because he was sorry the poor fellow was dead.

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### KEEPING MOTHER ON THE FARM.

We hear and read so much these days about the discontentment of farm women. Some magazines seem to delight in presenting before their readers the dreary, burdensome life led by the soprano sex on the farm.

I remember reading an article in a popular ladies' magazine that read something like this: "The town women pass by in their expensive automobiles and point out the growing grain, the beautiful flowers, the beauty of it all. They say our butters look golden in the churn. But those same women have never seen my kitchen, hot, stuffy thing that it is; they probably never churned a 'batch' of butter in their lives. They do not know the work attached to it."

This is just a short extract of the original epistle. Doesn't it make you nearly "froth at the mouth"? Perhaps, some farm women have read that same article and looked upon it as authentic. But those of us who are lovers of God's "great, wide, beautiful, wonderful world" look upon it as scintillating rot.

It is not paved streets, the perpetual jingle-jangle of street cars, nor the jostling of elbows that makes some women want to leave their own glowing country fireside and live in the metropolis, a panorama of bright lights. Oh, no, it is usually the conveniences associated with the latter.

Does the farm kitchen have to be a hot, stuffy thing? Not when there is fresh air outside, it does not have to be. Give the average farm woman more light in her kitchen and she will look upon her vocation in a new light. "Whatever lessens woman's work benefits the race." Why not study her daily routine to see if her day's steps cannot be lessened, her day in the kitchen abbreviated a little by a few inexpensive conveniences, which, after all, spell true success?

Any woman who is handy with tools can furnish a built-in wood-box. I have been slightly unfortunate in having a husband who is not especially graceful with a hammer and saw. But nevertheless my ship has come in and I have a built-in wood-box at last.

No woman can't work hard all day and "come smiling through" like a newly-washed window. New linoleum, to cover that bare floor, a kitchen sink, and plenty of water close at hand will make her smile broader than she has done for a long time. Convenience, hominess, a touch of the artistic are within the reach of all.

It doesn't cost a cent more to buy gray cretonne draperies for your living room that will strike a note of harmony with the surroundings, than to buy plain serim or marquisette ones.

The old-new braided and hooked rugs are more beautiful than ever before. They do not look like rag mats; they look like marvels.

There is a gasoline lamp now on the market that is "worth its weight in gold." The initial cost of it is more than a kerosene lamp; the general upkeep, however, is no more. It does flood the room with its radiance. Truly, it is farm-earned money well spent. It would make even Mrs. Hard-To-Please think she was living in a big town where Thomas A. Edison shines in profusion.—H. Girard.

### DINA SAVES STEPS.

Although our home isn't modern in all respects, we have a furnace, built-in cupboards, and so on, but the one I find helps me most is "Dina," or my dumb-waiter. It is built alongside of a chimney and connects with milk and fruit rooms below and kitchen above. I use it for left-overs from the meals, also for cream and butter.

We separate our milk and I find it very handy to send down water to flush the separator bowl. Also pitcher for cream and plate for butter, and if fruit is wanted husband puts it up when he is there to separate.

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To renovate a window shade, tack the shade to the floor or table and go over it with a good paper cleaner, which can be purchased at most any store, or else rub it with a heavy rough flannel that has been dipped in dry starch. If the lower edge is faded, pull out the tacks and reverse the shade, tacking the lower edge to the roller and make a new hem.

down while my husband is there to unload for me.—Mrs. J. C. D.

4643. Beacon Cloth, eiderdown, flannelette, corduroy, crepe or satin could be used for this style.

The Pattern is cut in 4 Sizes: Small, 34-36; Medium, 38-40; Large, 42-44; Extra Large, 46-48 inch bust measure. A Medium size requires 4 1/2 yards of 40-inch material.

Pattern mailed to any address on receipt of 15c in silver, by the Wilson Publishing Co., 73 West Adelaide St., Toronto. Allow two weeks for receipt of pattern.

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The tailor's patch, made by basting or pinning a piece of similar material smoothly underneath the tear, with torn edges together evenly, then sewing up-and-down rows of machine stitching—long stitch—lengthwise of the material, one closely beside the other until all the tear and breaks are covered, makes a mend that is quicker, more durable and better looking than the usual handmade darn or patch.

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### A BLENDED TEA IS BETTER.

Tea from one garden, no matter how fine it is, possesses certain desirable qualities but may lack others, because all characteristics are not developed under the same conditions. If the tea has a perfect flavor it may lack body; if it has body it is perhaps without the same perfection of flavor. To combine all desirable characteristics in one blend has been the work of the "SALADA" experts for over a quarter of a century and "SALADA" is the fruit of their labors. The flavor is tea grown.

Insulted.  
A Dublin car driver was stopped for careless driving by a zealous constable. He refused to give his name.

"You'll get yourself into trouble if you don't give me your name."  
Still the driver refused.

"Now, then, what is it?" persisted the constable.

"Better find out," retorted the driver. "Sure and I will," said the constable, going around to the side of the car where the name should have been, only to find it rubbed off.

"Aha," said the constable, "now you'll get yourself into worse disgrace, for your name is obliterated."  
"You're wrong," roared the driver. "Tis O'Brien."

Minard's Liniment Meets Cuts.

# "When Hearts Command"

By ELIZABETH YORK MILLER

"When hearts command,  
From minds the sagest counsellings depart."

### CHAPTER XI.—(Cont'd.)

Mrs. Carnay forgot her spotless shoes and raced across the greasy tracks calling out and waving her hand.

"Here I am, Hugo! Here I am!" The little man straightened up with a rather frightened expression, pushed his eye-glasses more resolutely into his face, and then broke into a sheepish, somewhat tremulous grin.

"Oh, yes—there you are. Why, yes, of course—it's Jean. Not a day older—not a day. Well, well, well!" She kissed him, first on one cheek and then on the other, and he accepted the salutation with bashful pleasure.

"Now I call this good of you, Jean. I do, indeed." Where—she peered about near-sightedly—"where is Alice?"

"She—didn't come. Oh, she wanted to, Hugo. But I'll tell you about that presently. Shall we look for your heavy luggage?"

"I haven't got any—only these." Poor Hugo was very shabby. In his doorman coat and with a little creased felt hat perched high on his head, struggling with those bulging, outrageous bags, he looked like an old-fashioned German professor on holidays.

But Jean was much more sorry for him than ashamed. If she was ashamed of anybody it was of herself. Poor, poor Hugo. One could scarcely believe that that harmless-looking little creature had ever snatched up a revolver and put a bullet through another man's brain.

Jean managed to secure the attendance of a porter and as soon as the Customs had been passed Hugo and his bags were trotted across to the Hotel de la Gare. He said he was ravenously hungry and they sat down at a table outside, the dining-room being rather crowded. There was nothing very beautiful to look at, only the station and the wide, dusty place where a couple of mongrel dogs sunned themselves and half a dozen faces weltered in the heat. Nor was the lunch in any way remarkable, except for its mediocrity. But the discharged lunatic-convict seemed entirely satisfied with things as they were. He tucked into the stale hors-d'oeuvre with avidity, apologizing for his greed.

"Sometimes I got a little tired of the food at Broadmoor," he said. "It was a very good one, but I got tired of it now and again. I can't tell you how I've enjoyed my meals lately. And this is wonderful being here. Do you know, Jean, there were times when I thought it quite possible I'd never see Italy again? That's an unpleasant sort of idea to get. It—discourages one."

Not a word of reproach because she'd never been near him during the whole of those fifteen years.

"Hugo, it was because of Alice that I didn't come to see you," Jean said hurriedly. "I—I couldn't bear her to know... thing that I was... absolutely not to know. I wonder if you understand? It seems so selfish, now. I—I didn't quite realize—"

"My dear little girl, of course I understand. You don't take me for a lunatic, do you?" (Jean winced. Why should he put it like that?) "Our little daughter—of course it had to be kept from her."

"Our little daughter?" What, precisely, did he mean? Hugo knew that Alice was Hector Gaunt's daughter.

"I don't want her ever to know that her father was put away in an asylum," Hugo said. "I don't want her to know that while his mouth was still occupied with food. 'And such an asylum!' He waved his fork before plunging it into the little bread and butter. 'Locked up with maniacs who had committed all sorts of horrid crimes. Those have been my only companions. I wonder I didn't go mad... Ah, well, it's over now.' He subsided with a weak sigh and helped himself to butter."

"Alice thinks that you are dead," Jean said in a desperately off-hand fashion. "At least... she thinks her father is dead."

"And I might as well have been," Hugo Smartle agreed. "So that's why you didn't bring her to meet me."

"Yes—yes, that was one of the reasons. She knew I was going to meet somebody." Jean managed a flat, mirthless laugh. "I told her you were my brother."

Hugo Smartle attacked his troublesome eye-glasses again and stared blandly at his wife. Because she had laughed, he smiled. Doubtless this was a joke, and he was perfectly willing to try to understand it.

"Your brother? Did you ever have a brother, Jean?"

"Yes. His name was John—John Ballis, of course. He died when he was ten years old—about the time I was born."

"Did you tell Alice that I am her Uncle John?"

"Yes. That's what I told her. You see, Hugo, she's going to be married. Such a nice fellow—"

"Married? Married?" Hugo Smartle was terribly bewildered for a moment. "Good heavens, Jean, what can you mean? A child like that—a child—"

"Why, Alice is nineteen," Jean reminded him. "Of course, it is young, but—"

"Nineteen?" he stared pitifully, and then a fine sweat broke out on his forehead and his lips quivered.

"You see, where I've been time stood still. I forgot that she's grown up. My little girl, a woman!" (His little girl.)

"She's never been a doctor, a Harley street specialist, Jean, but I couldn't have found a more suitable

husband for her if I'd chosen him myself."

"A doctor? Ugh! I hate doctors." Hugo pushed away his plate with a peevish gesture, but drew it smartly back again when the hand of the waiter reached out to possess it.

"I don't think you'd hate this one, Hugo. So kind and devoted. He adores Alice, and she's head over heels in love with him. He's rather well off, too—although that wouldn't have counted with Alice. She's a romantic child. I suppose she gets that trait from... from her father."

No longer could Jean bear the suspense of wondering what Hugo meant by those sentimental references to Alice as his little girl.

"Yes. I was always romantic," he said pensively. "I daresay she does get it from me."

Jean seemed to be swept by a breath of cold air. She looked at her husband, hesitated, then said deliberately, "Hector Gaunt still lives here. We went up to his farm yesterday."

"You call yourself Mrs. Carnay, don't you? Christopher said he suggested your using the Carnay name, but he didn't tell me you were supposed to say so long as I may save her name," and he had been incredibly good to her and to the little girl he had so generously fathered, but between him and Jean there had never been the ghost of pretence. That was what made it so difficult to labor the point now. Again Jean let it pass. She really did not know what to say.

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"Well, I shall do my best to remember. I'm Uncle John—"

"Ballis," she reminded him.

"Yes. I don't think I'll forget. Your brother? He looked at his wife a little wistfully. "I'd rather be your brother than no relation at all. It's kind of you to put up with me, Jean. I won't bother you—or Alice. I'll do what you like, as long as I may be with you. Just now I'm a little bewildered. I don't seem to be able to find my way about easily. Christopher is very kind, too. He came all the way to Ostend just to see me safely in the train, and he paid a double fare so that I had a wagon-lit all to myself, and he said to me, 'Now you stay right where you are until the very end of the journey.' He even paid to have my meals sent in from the dining-car, and told the conductor to see I did exactly as I was told. I was so afraid you wouldn't meet me, Jean. I got nervous as anything towards the end. 'What shall I do if she isn't there?' I said to myself. 'You might as well say you'd come. Christopher said it would be all right. And now I think I've had enough lunch. What do we do next?'"

Jean swallowed at a lump in her throat, smiled with a great assumption of cheerfulness, and sent the waiter for a face.

Hugo allowed her to help him into it. He did not look like a murderer, this dazed, pathetic little man; but he talked a great deal, and his chatter, though detailed, was inconsequential, even frivolous. Knowing what she said about him, it was plain to Jean that his brain was by no means normal.

He talked and she listened, but only half attentive. Her mind was still busy with the problem of his suddenly assuming that Alice was really his daughter. Suppose it should become necessary to declare the true facts concerning Alice's parentage? What would happen if Hugo Smartle took to this position he had suddenly taken up?

(To be continued.)

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### Universities Should be Interested in Music.

Our universities should be particularly interested in the development of musical studies, since they profess to give a liberal education, and since no education can be called liberal which does not provide some place at least for the fine arts.

Of all the fine arts the one which has the widest appeal, and which can be cultivated most readily and most profitably by the ordinary person, is the art of music. It is very unfortunate that since the beginning of public education in Canada there has been a widespread tendency to regard music as an extra, a something which could on occasion be wholly dispensed with without any particular loss to the pupil. Only in very rare instances has music been given a place of equal honor with such subjects as arithmetic, literature and history, and yet there are very strong reasons indeed why such a place should be accorded it.

The need for training in musical appreciation is at the present time particularly urgent, although no sensible person would undervalue the importance of training in musical expression. The present plague of the silly and the primitive in popular music has not come uninvited. We have, as a people, sought it by our persistent neglect of music in its more ennobling and more intelligent forms.

### "Standby" Cakes.

For use with this and other desserts and to serve with tea or at luncheon one may bake these attractive "standby" cakes instead of the usual cookies. Get their name because they are the housewife's "standby"—they can be kept on hand always and, instead of getting stale, they improve with age.

Cream three-quarters of a cup of butter and then gradually add a cupful of brown sugar. Beat two eggs well and stir them up. Sift together a cup and a half of flour, a teaspoon of cinnamon, a quarter teaspoon of cloves and half a teaspoon of nutmeg (this last may be omitted if desired), and add these to the other ingredients.

Then stir in a cup of seedless raisins and half a cup of chopped nuts.

Place the batter by spoonfuls on shallow greased enameled ware baking pans and bake until brown.

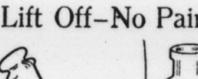
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The bazaar was in full swing when a young man strolled round the stalls. He had no intention of buying anything. As he passed a tastefully decorated stall the pretty saleswoman detained him.

"Won't you buy a cigarette holder?" she asked.

"No, thank you; I don't smoke," was the curt reply.

"Or a penwiper worked by my own hands?"

"I don't write."

"Then do have this nice box of chocolates."

"I don't eat sweets."

The young woman's patience was exhausted.

"Sir," she said, grimly, "will you buy this box of soap?"

The young man paid up.

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# SAILING VESSEL 519 DAYS REACHING PORT

GARTHWRAY AT CHILE HARBOR, FROM SCOTLAND.

Trying to Round Cape Horn She Was Blown Across Atlantic to South Africa.

This is the story of a ship that was 519 days trying to reach port. The Garthwray is her name. She is a full rigged sailing ship, built at Workington, England, in 1839, and she used to be called the War Castle. Right now she is in the Harbor of Iquique, which is on the west coast of South America, unloading a cargo of patent coal briquettes which should have been delivered in the autumn of 1922.

J. Robinson Griffiths, assistant purser of the Royal Mail steamship Ebro, is responsible for this tale. The Ebro stopped at Iquique on her way from Valparaiso, and Griffiths boarded the Garthwray, because she looked as if each of the seven seas had wasted its fury upon her.

Had Three Skippers.

Griffiths found a first officer and a mate who had been part of the original crew that took the Garthwray out of Grangemouth, Scotland, on July 14, 1922. Since that time, the Garthwray has had three skippers and several crews. They became weary of being buffeted around the bottom of the world, and scared, too.

Ordinarily the voyage should take eighty-four days, but the Garthwray was blown out of the North Atlantic Ocean into South Atlantic, where she lay helpless, both her masts gone, until a steamer picked her up and towed her into Montevideo. Here she was refitted. A new captain took command. She started again for Iquique by way of Cape Horn.

Thirty-two days later she was crawling along the Falkland Islands, finally dropping her mud hook in Port Stanley. Twice a week in that time she had lain becalmed. For the rest of the time the breeze had been all too feeble, or the gales had been terrific and hadon. Again the Garthwray was refitted, and again she started around the Horn.

No sooner had she cleared the islands than a wind took her and blew her north and east away from the Horn and toward Cape Town, Africa. The impossibility of heading into the gale was apparent. So the Garthwray went with the wind—still bound for Iquique—landed ninety-five days later in Cape Town, Africa.

Crew Give It Up.

This was too much for the original crew that still remained. To start on an eighty-four-day trip from Grangemouth to Iquique was one thing; to land in Cape Horn, Africa, a year later, without having even approached Iquique, was another.

Again the Garthwray was refitted, new hands were hired and again the vessel started for Iquique. But this time the crew insisted that there was obviously no bond of luck between the Garthwray and the South Atlantic Ocean and that although it might be longer, at the same time it might be better to make for Iquique by way of the Indian Ocean to Australia, and so on across the South Pacific to the west coast of South America—and Iquique.

So the Garthwray crossed the Indian Ocean and put in at Tasmania. Then she trudged across the South Pacific and, finally, 519 days after leaving Grangemouth, Scotland, crept into the harbor of Iquique.

That's the story as told by Griffiths, by the log of the Garthwray.

The Ebro carried eighty-eight passengers, among them Lord and Lady Cullin of Ashbourne, who are returning to England.

The Expert.

The teacher was trying to give her pupils an illustration of the word "perseverance."

"What is it," she asked, "that carries a man along rough roads and smooth roads, up hills and down hills, through jungles and swamps and raging torrents?"

"There was a silence, and then Tommy, whose father was a motor dealer, spoke up.

"Please, miss," he said, "there ain't no such car."

Located.

The absent-minded professor had left his berth in the sleeper to get a drink of water.

Then he realized he had forgotten where his berth was and began wandering up and down the aisle trying to find it.

"Don't you remember the number of your berth?" asked the conductor.

"I mfnafjd I don't," sheepishly admitted the professor.

"Haven't you any idea where it was?—can't you remember some little thing that would help you locate it?"

"Why—er—oh, yes, to be sure!" and the professor brightened visibly. "I did notice at one time this afternoon, that the windows looked out upon a little lake."

Queer.

Traveler—"Look here, George! These shoes aren't mates." Porter—"Yes, sah, dat's right. Funny thing, dat's de second time this mornin' dat has happened."

## TORONTO CHOIR APPLAUDED AS FINEST ON WESTERN HEMISPHERE

A despatch from Philadelphia says:—Once more the mighty Ninth Symphony of Beethoven conquered on Thursday night in what was undoubtedly the finest performance of it in Philadelphia for 25 years. This result is due to the combination of the finest chorus in the Western Hemisphere and the finest orchestra, under a leadership which was little short of inspired—and the Ninth demands all three if it is not to become monotonous. The novelty was the work of the Mendelssohn Choir of Toronto, which furnished the choral section.

There can be no question that this is the finest choir on this continent to-day. The singers who came to Philadelphia numbered 234, but apparently every one was a picked voice; there was no "dead wood" in the organization which sang Thursday evening. They sang perfectly, and that is all that need be said as to the general performance. Larger choral organizations have appeared here, but none so perfect in every detail of singing as this one. In quality of voice, balance of parts, shading, above all, volume when required, instant response to the leader, whether it was Mr. Stokowski or Mr. Fricker, unanimity of dynamics and all of the thousand and one other details which go to make up perfect choral singing, the Toronto organization is at the very top.

Here is a chorus which can really sing the Ninth Symphony, and nothing more need be said.

## COAL MINERS TRAPPED BY UTAH EXPLOSION

### Seven Bodies Recovered But Fate of Majority is Still Unknown.

Castle Gate, Utah, March 9.—One hundred and seventy-five men employed in the day shift of the Utah Fuel Co. mine No. 2 were entombed by an explosion at 9 o'clock this morning. Rescue parties entering the manway at the rear of the mine have been unable to penetrate but a quarter of a mile. Approximately twenty bodies are on one of the slopes in the Utah Fuel Co. mine, but it is impossible to reach them because of obstructions, according to two men who came out of the workings at 6 o'clock. The manway was badly damaged and littered with debris.

Company officials have been unable to determine the nature of the explosion, although it is thought to have resulted from an accumulation of dust.

Three distinct explosions are reported. Fire equipment from the other camps of the Utah Fuel Co. was rushed to Castle Gate.

Mine inspectors on February 13 declared the ventilation and the sprinkling operation were in good shape.

The explosion was followed by several smaller blasts, according to company officials. The force of the first explosion was so great that the entrance to the property was blocked. The mine entrance is on the level and the mine runs back approximately a mile and a half, the working shafts following the drift of the coal vein. Because of the obstructed entrance rescue workers have been unable to determine even approximately where the first blast occurred.

The explosion is the first that has occurred there. In 1920 200 men lost their lives in an explosion and subsequent fire in the Winter Quarters Mine of the Utah Fuel Co. at Scofield, Utah, near here.

Castle Gate is a mining community of approximately 1,700 persons, 116 miles southeast of Salt Lake City.

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## ESKIMOS ON SCAFFOLD

### Blame Mounted Police

Fairbanks, Alaska, March 9.—Declaring on the scaffold that the police had long been enemies of their people, two Eskimos, Alik Omik and "Esquimo" Totanangma, met death without fear at Herschel Island, on Feb. 1, according to advice received here. They were convicted several months ago of the murder of Corporal Doak of the R.C.M.P., and Otto Binder, a white fur trader of Coronation Gulf.

Sergt. Thorne of the R.C.M.P. arrived yesterday at Fort Yukon, 150 miles north of here, and reported that he had executed the two men. Thorne's assistants in the execution remained at Herschel Island to go out by way of the Meckenzie River, after navigation opens. Sergt. Thorne stated that the two Eskimos had remained in good spirits until the hour of their death.

## English Smiths Must Adopt New Methods to Earn Living

A despatch from London says:—The village smith, according to no less an authority than the Rural Industries Intelligence Bureau, will soon be down and out unless he adopts modern methods.

"The smith," says Mr. J. Wedgwood, secretary of this bureau, "those at least, who try to make their living by shoeing horses, are dying out. The wheelwrights are in even a sadder plight."

"We are endeavoring to show the blacksmith how he can extend his trade. What we feel is that as the age is getting more and more mechanical, so village mechanics ought to be getting busier and more numerous, rather than dying out. The motor trade is putting horsed traffic into the background, but the employment of power and mechanical appliances by the agriculturist is also greatly on the increase."

New records have been set up in the production of raw material from the forests of British Columbia during the past year. It is probable that the mills will be found to have produced the largest amount of lumber yet recorded in the history of the province. The total amount of timber scaled in the province last year was 2,542,280,000 feet, as compared with 1,899,188,000 feet in the previous year.

## NAVAL MANOEUVRES IN MEDITERRANEAN

### British Fleet Concentrates in Former Principal Base for Artillery Practice.

London, March 9.—The whole fighting strength of the British navy tomorrow begins combined manoeuvres off the Balearic Islands in the Spanish Mediterranean. Admiral Beatty, First Sea Lord, will witness the operations, which are understood to include a night attack against an imaginary enemy fleet.

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Two deaths from smallpox were reported at Amherstburg, the victims being a 14-months' baby and Adolph Shaw. No new cases were reported in this city for the past 24 hours and health officials are inclined to take a more optimistic view of the situation.

A despatch from Chatham says:—A case of smallpox has developed in Raleigh Township according to Dr. J. C. Bell, health officer for the township. The Health Board of the municipality held a meeting at Merlin at which strict measures were decided upon. The case is said to be of a malignant type.

## NOVA SCOTIA MINERS REFUSE WAGE SCALE

### Settlement Recently Made Repealed by Vote of Two to One.

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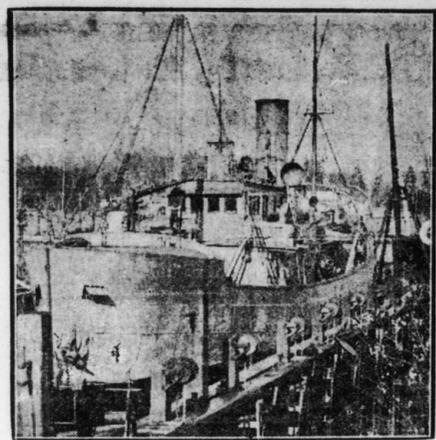
The Provincial Executive will place the matter before President Lewis and the International Executive Board at once.

## Baronial Country House Reconstructed into Small Homes

A despatch from London says:—A new use for English country mansions, which rapidly are becoming a drug on the real estate market, due to the inability of present-day owners to find means to keep up these homes in style, is forecast by an experiment being tried out in Rolleston Hall, the fine baronial mansion near Burton-on-Trent.

A syndicate which has purchased the former consists mostly of old families, and as Rolleston is situated in the heart of the Meynell hunting country, plans are being made to convert the hall into six separate houses.

The partitioning, which is unprecedented in the case of such a palatial mansion, will be carried out vertically and not horizontally, resulting in reconstruction into houses and not flats.



Photograph shows the Canadian patrol steamer Thiepval, which has left Victoria to plant depots and fuel stations for the British round-the-world plane flight along the coast of the Aleutians to Japan.

## TWO MORE DEATHS FROM SMALLPOX

### No New Cases Reported in Windsor—One Victim in Raleigh Township.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 9.—With papers to prove his identity, Heinz Hickmann, born in Hamburg, Germany, a patient in St. Agnes' Hospital here, told a story to-day that seems to furnish the first authentic information published as to the manner in which the British cruiser Hampshire, on which Lord Kitchener died, was blown up.

Hickmann, a machinist on the U-22, of the German submarine flotilla, said his captain received a wireless from the German Naval Office in the summer of 1916, that the British commander was on the cruiser Hampshire, and ordering the ship sunk at any cost.

Hickmann says the U-22 and the Hampshire met about six o'clock in the morning. He refrained from giving the names of his captain and officers, on the ground that England, with the aid of France, would imprison them. Otherwise he was specific as to details.

The U-22's captain picked up the Hampshire with the periscope when she was fifteen miles away, and prepared for the execution of the order from the German Staff. Hickmann says they could see the cruiser had an escort of torpedo boats. He does not know how many, but he was sure of two, because they saw them when they came to the surface after firing the fatal torpedo into the heart of the cruiser.

Asked whether he could be more explicit in detail and whether he had seen Lord Kitchener on the deck of the cruiser, Hickmann said he could not, as the U-boat was probably fifty feet under the surface when the torpedo was fired. Then, according to rules on the undersea boats, he said, they went deeper and came up miles away from the victim.

Then it was they saw the torpedo boat escort, he said. After seeing the cruiser sink, they submerged again.

That the captain reported by wireless that he had carried out orders and the Hampshire was at the bottom of the North Sea. Subsequently, he said, orders came to congratulate the officers and crew on the "good work."



Admiral De Robeck who was in command of the Atlantic fleet in connection with the extensive British naval manoeuvres conducted in the Mediterranean.

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## Higher Wheat Tariff Ordered by U.S. President

A despatch from Washington says:—An increase of 12 cents a bushel in the tariff rate on wheat was ordered on Friday by President Coolidge.

Acting under the flexible provision of the tariff act and on the basis of the tariff commission's recent inquiry, the President at the same time ordered an increase of 26 cents a hundred pounds in the duty on wheat flour and a decrease of 50 per cent. on the ad valorem rate on mill feeds.

A school for bakers is to be erected in connection with the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. The building is to be erected by the Bread and Cake Bakers' Association of Canada, and building operations are expected to commence early in the spring.

## PICTURESQUE ANCIENT CEREMONY PERFORMED AT TOMB OF EGYPTIAN PHAROAH

### Two Bulls Slaughtered to Appease Old Gods of Nile When Tutankhamen's Sarcofagus is Exposed to Public View.

A despatch from Luxor, Egypt, Valley of the Kings in automobiles says:—The re-opening of the tomb of Tutankhamen on Thursday for inspection by some 200 visitors, guests of the Egyptian Government, was preceded by the picturesque ceremony, following the custom in the days of the Pharaohs, of sacrificing two bulls in the centre of the tomb. The first party, made up of Ministers and high officials, were present.

Thousands of natives and sheiks, in gorgeous costumes, crowded the gaily beflagged streets, singing to the accompaniment of Egyptian instruments. After the sacrifice the Government party was entertained by feats of horsemanship performed by the sheiks.

The whole party, including the foreign diplomats, members of Parliament and Commissioner Allenby, were then taken across the Nile on a Government steamer and to the

excavator, nor any of his staff was present at the ceremony, which was superintended by Prof. Lacau, the French Egyptologist, and the Egyptian Minister of Works.

The tomb will now be closed until March 10, when it will be reopened for ten days to permit the public to inspect it. The guests were given a banquet here on Thursday night, which was followed by an Egyptian fete and a fireworks display.

## Should be Thin After 60, Says British Doctor

A despatch from London says:—"If you're fat and can't get this there's no help for you." That is the verdict of Dr. Edwin Lancelot Ash, who holds that week-end golf will not provide an antidote for middle-aged persons inclined to grow stout. But a certain amount of fat before an individual is 60, Dr. Ash contends, is a reserve in case of sudden strain or illness, though in his view, it is better to be thin after 60.

"There is fallacy in the idea that health is a matter of feeling well," Dr. Ash insists. "One very seldom comes across a man or a woman who says he or she is thoroughly well; and, curiously enough, even the physically well often are troubled with some nervous or mental ailment." The doctor says walking is the best form of exercise.

The only way to have a friend is to be one.



HUGO STINNES. German magnate is greatest power in his country politically as well as industrially. He is suffering a nervous breakdown.

## Weekly Market Report

**TORONTO.**

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.13 1/4.

Manitoba oats—No. 3 CW, 46c; No. 1, 47c.

Manitoba barley—Nominal.

All the above, c.i.f., bay ports.

Ontario barley—65 to 70c.

American corn—No. 2 yellow, 98 1/2c.

Blackwheat—No. 2, 78 to 82c.

Ontario rye—No. 3, 75 to 79c.

Peas—No. 2, \$1.45 to \$1.50.

Milfeed—Del., Montreal, freight, 28c; bulk, 26c; shorts, per ton, 30c; middlings, 33c; good feed, \$2.10.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, 98c to \$1.02 outside.

Ontario No. 2 white oats—41 to 43c.

Ontario corn—Nominal.

Ontario No. 1 ninety per cent. pat., in jute bags, Montreal, 90c; 80c; 70c.

Butter—Finest creamery prints, 46c; 47c; No. 1 creamery, 43 to 44c; No. 2, 42 to 43c; dairy, 37c.

Eggs—Extras, fresh, in cartons, 40 to 41c; fresh extras, loose, 37 to 38c; fresh firsts, 34 to 35c; fresh seconds, 31 to 32c.

Live poultry—Spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over, 26c; chickens, 3 to 4 lbs., 20c; hens, over 5 lbs., 22c; 4 to 5 lbs., 15c; 3 to 4 lbs., 15c; roosters, 15c; ducklings, over 5 lbs., 19c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 18c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 22c.

Dressed poultry—Spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over, 30c; chickens, 3 to 4 lbs., 25c; hens, over 5 lbs., 28c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 24c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 18c; roosters, 18c; ducklings, over 5 lbs., 24c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 22c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 35c; geese, 22c.

Bees—Can. handpk., lb., 7c; primes, 6 1/2c.

Maple products—Syrup, per imp. gal., \$2.50; per 5-gal. tin, \$2.40 per gal.; maple sugar, lb., 25c.

Honey—60-lb. tins, 11 to 11 1/2c per lb.; 10-lb. tins, 11 to 12c; 5-lb. tins, 11 1/2 to 12c; 2 1/2-lb. tins, 12 1/2 to 13c; 1 1/4-lb. tins, 13 to 14c.

Smoked meats—Hams, med., 24 to 25c; cooked ham, 25 to 27c; smoked rolls, 17 to 18c; cottage rolls, 19 to 21c; breakfast bacon, 23 to 26c; special brand breakfast bacon, 28 to 30c; backs, boneless, 23 to 32c.

Cured meats—Long chain, 50 to 70 lbs., \$18.50; 70 to 90 lbs., \$18; 90 lbs. and up, \$17; lightweight rolls, in barrels, \$37; heavyweight rolls, \$32.

Lard—Pure tallow, 14 1/2 to 15c; tubs, 15 to 15 1/2c; pails, 15 1/2 to 16c; prints, 15 to 15 1/2c; shortening tallow, 14 1/2 to 14 3/4c; tubs, 14 to 15c; 15 to 15 1/2c; prints, 17 to 17 1/2c.

Heavy steers, choice, \$7.50 to \$8; butcher steers, choice, \$6.75 to \$7.75; do, good, \$6 to \$6.50; do, med., \$5 to \$5.75; do, com., \$4.50 to \$5; butcher heifers, choice, \$6.75 to \$7.50; do, med., \$5 to \$5.75; do, com., \$4.25 to \$4.75; butcher cows, choice, \$4.75 to \$5.50; do, med., \$3.50 to \$4; canners and cutters, \$1.25 to \$2.30; butcher bulls, choice, \$4.25 to \$5.25; do, com., \$2.00 to \$3.00; feeding steers, good, \$5.50 to \$6.50; do, fair, \$4 to \$5; stockers, good, \$4 to \$4.75; do, fair, \$3.50 to \$4; milkers and springers, \$80 to \$120; calves, choice, \$10 to \$12; do, med., \$8 to \$10; do, com., \$5 to \$7; do, grassers, \$3 to \$4.50; lambs, choice ewes, \$14 to \$15; do, bucks, \$12 to \$14; do, fat, heavy, \$4 to \$4.50; do, culls, \$7 to \$8; sheep, light ewes, \$7.50 to \$8.50; do, culls, \$2 to \$3; hogs, fed and watered, \$8.25; do, f.o.b., \$7.75; do, country points, \$7.50; do, select, \$9.05.

**MONTREAL.**

Oats—Can. West No. 2, 55c; do, No. 3, 53 1/2c; extra No. 1 feed, 51 1/2c; No. 2 local white, 50 1/2c. Flour—Man. spring wheat pat., 1sts, \$6.30; do, 2nds, \$6.80; strong bakers, \$5.60; winter pats., choice, \$5.65 to \$5.75. Rolled oats—bag of 90 lbs., \$2.05. Bran—oats—bag of 90 lbs., \$3.05. Bran—\$28.25. Shorts—\$30.25. Middlings—\$38.25. Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$16.

Butter, No. 1 pasteurized, 41 1/2c; No. 1 creamery, 40 1/2c; 2nds, 39 1/2c. Eggs, fresh extras, 37c; fresh firsts, 35c. Potatoes, per bag, car lots, \$1.55 to \$1.60.

Com. dairy type cows, \$9 to \$4; canners, \$1.50; com. bulls, \$3 to \$3.25; real good calves, \$9.50 to \$10; do, mixed lots, fairly good quality, \$8.50 to \$9; hogs, thick, smooths, and shops, \$8.25 to \$8.50.

## Natural Resources Bulletin.

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

Ontario gives serious thought to her coal supply from the standpoint of its need as fuel for heating purposes. Her coal supply must all be brought into the province.

Not so in Nova Scotia. There 150,000 men find employment in and about the coal mines of which 10,000 work underground and many of them under the sea. This number would make a considerable city of itself; in fact, the mines themselves are not unlike the layout of our cities. They are laid out to a plan, with streets and lanes, with railway tracks, with horses and mules for transportation purposes.

Thomas J. Brown, Dep. Minister of Mines of Nova Scotia, in a recent address, said: "We hear now and then of great feats of railway construction on the surface in God's own daylight, but their performance all sink into insignificance when we consider the work of the citizens of the great black cities of Nova Scotia. Tunnelling underground in the darkness and surrounded by all the danger and drawback which accompany coal mining, they are excavating one mile of tunnel out of the solid coal every day, transporting it for miles underground, and constructing a railway track in every foot of it at the same time."

It is thus that Canada's natural resources are being developed, and a supply of coal produced for Canadian industry.

## RACE FOR POSITION OF MOSLEM LEADER

### King Hussein of the Hedjaz, Descendant of Prophet, Choice of Arabians.

A despatch from London says:—Because of the direct descent of King Hussein of the Hedjaz from the Prophet Mohammed and other favoring factors, his designation as Caliph by the Arabs of his Kingdom and the Moslems of Mesopotamia and Trans-Jordan, ruled by his two sons, is regarded by British observers as likely to find acceptance in a large part of the Islamic world.

Not all of Islam is considered well disposed toward the Arabian Monarch, however, and a bitter contest between the Arabian Moslems and some other sections of the faith over the mantle of the Prophet is looked for in many quarters.

The first sign of a split in the Oriental world was seen here in the order of the Angoran Government warning the Turks against pilgrimages to Mecca and Medina, in Hussein's dominions, because it was declared they might be in great danger there.

As far back as 1915 the British Government informed Hussein that it would not view his elevation to the Caliphate with displeasure; that it believed he would be acceptable to 70,000,000 Moslems under British tutelage in India.

A despatch from Geneva says:—Abdul Medjid, the deposed Caliph of Turkey, accompanied by his family, arrived on Friday night at Terriva, on the north shore of Lake Geneva.

## Bodies of British Soldiers Still Found on Western Front

A despatch from London says:—According to the report of the Imperial Graves Commission for 1922-1923, bodies of British soldiers are still being found along the western front, where the fiercest fighting took place during the war. Since November, 1921, 6,107 isolated bodies have been discovered and reburied in cemeteries, 1,054 being identified at the time, but others were identified subsequently here through a study of the effects found with the remains.

The number of these bodies found is decreasing, but they still are discovered in the Ypres salient, on Vimy Ridge and in the Somme, particularly in the regions of Thiepval, Mouquet farm, Delville and Hangard wood. More are expected to turn up when the French have cleared Bourdon, Trones and High Woods, at present impenetrable on account of the dense undergrowth and the presence of considerable quantities of unexploded ammunition.

## Earthquake Shakes Sections of Great Britain

A despatch from London says:—An earthquake shook large sections of Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire Thursday night and early Friday without, however, any appreciable damage being done.

The tremors shook the whole Alfreton district of Derbyshire, shortly before eleven o'clock Friday night. House furnishings were rocked by the shocks and the alarmed inhabitants rushed into the streets. Shocks also were felt early on Friday in northern Nottinghamshire.

At Sutton in Ashfield chimneys were toppled over by the tremors. A policeman at Mansfield declared his house shook so much he was nearly thrown from his chair.



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We begin the 28th year under the most favorable circumstances. In every department we find remarkable activity, a persistent desire on the part of our staff to make this store a place where customers may come and feel at home, where they can depend on having their orders filled with celerity.



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Advertising—The Transcript covers a wide section of territory in Western Ontario, and its readers are the leading farmers and townspeople. It is a first-class advertising medium. Rates on application.

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A. E. Sutherland, Publisher.

With the near approach of spring and a persistent agitation for the Alberta article the price of anthracite coal has dropped \$2 a ton in price. Keep up the agitation—and "come, gentle spring, ethereal mildness, come!"

A Chicago woman has insured her life for three million dollars. Some people have a mighty good opinion of themselves.

Why not get over the idea that the bright future of Canada lies in the great cities? It does not. The future which lies in the cities is shopworn, smoked, dirty and unclean. The true future lies in the country and in the little towns. Back them up and make them grow.

Glencoe is "all torn up" over a recent lecture on Evolution, and one and another of the citizens are striving to determine which of them most resembles the ape. One of the cheerful ones briefly expresses his interest in the subject by asserting that he doesn't care a hoot whence he came, but whether he is going counts some.

Many of our readers are fond of trees and interested in tree planting and no doubt will be glad to know that trees for waste land planting and windbreaks may be procured free upon application to the Ontario Forestry Branch, Details of this work are contained in a circular entitled "Forest Trees for Distribution," which may be had on application to the Ontario Forestry Branch, Parliament Buildings, Toronto. For waste land planting, enough trees for two acres, or a maximum of 3,500, will be supplied free in one year. For areas of more than two acres additional trees may be procured at the rate of \$4 a thousand. For windbreaks and shelterbelts 500 spruce and cedar will be supplied free. Applications must be in by April 1st. No fruit trees, shrubs, trees for lawns, fences, streets or for decorative purposes of any kind, are supplied.

It is a moot question as to whether prohibition needs a self-starter or a self-enforcer.

**"EVOLUTION" DISCUSSED**

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God made man in His own likeness and image. That man's civilization came from God at the first is the fact that no creature is so helpless as man in his infancy. The instincts of the lower animals are perfect at first; the new-born lamb turns at once from the mother's breast to the grass, but by man alone are the wants of the infant, bodily and mentally, supplied until he is old enough to provide for himself. Therefore, if Adam had come into the world as a child he could not have lived in it. Not by the natural law of evolution, but by the Creator's special interposition, man came into the world, the priest of nature, to interpret her inarticulate language and her conscious adoration before God. As Adam's incarnation was the crowning miracle of nature, so Christ's incarnation is the crowning miracle of grace. He represents man before God, as man represents nature, not by ordinary descent, but by the extraordinary operation of the Holy Spirit; not a full grown man as Adam, but, in order to identify himself with our weakness, a helpless infant, and grew to a man, and became a Redeemer and Saviour, Prophet, Priest and King, to lift fallen man and to restore him in the likeness and image of God who likewise created him in the likeness and image of His Creator.

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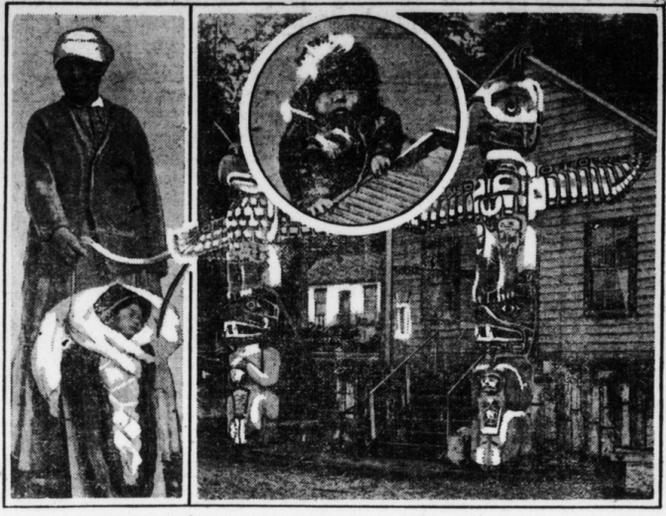
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## Coastal Indians of Mysterious Origin



Left—A Siwash Squaw and "Papeete." This photograph was taken on the Canadian Pacific dock, Vancouver, where Indians have been granted permission to camp at certain seasons. Right—The striking feature of Siwash art is found in their grotesquely carved and painted totem poles. Inset—A typical infant Siwash.

THE Indians of coastal British Columbia are unlike any other Indians of North America. The name "Siwash," by which they are commonly distinguished from the plains Indians, is a corruption of the French word "sauvage," which the early explorers naturally applied to them. It is not a native name. They do not look at all like the plains Indians but like Orientals and, though their history is so obscure that it is impossible to trace their origin, this seems to prove beyond doubt that they are sprung from some such stock, most probably the Japanese. It is a fact that if a Siwash and a Japanese are dressed alike, one can hardly tell them apart.

How these people crossed the Pacific is a mystery. Perhaps they are the survivors of some hapless armada blown across the ocean in some bygone age. Perhaps they deliberately sailed across, like Columbus of the East. Perhaps they crossed by the ice of the Bering Straits. Anyhow, there they are.

There are many other points of resemblance between the Siwash and the Oriental. Like the primitive Japanese, the Siwashes live by hunting and fishing and are much on the water—in fact, their canoes are to them what the horse was to the Sioux. Like the primitive Japanese, again, and unlike the plains Indians, they do not live in tents but in houses, which, moreover, are of very similar architecture to those of the Flowery Kingdom, though built of wood. And, like the Japanese, they are a very poetic people with a prolific and beautiful folk-lore.

But the most remarkable distinction enjoyed by the Siwashes is their art, which does not resemble that of any other race—certainly not that of any other American Indians. Of this, conventional realism sounds the key-note. Their buildings are richly and fantastically carved. Their ceremonial dresses are equally elaborate. They delight in bold effects

and bright colors, especially in red, blue and green, used in conjunction with black and white.

The striking feature of Siwash art is found in their grotesquely carved and painted totem poles, which are placed before the houses. These poles, made to represent a column of diabolical birds and beasts standing one above the other, form what is literally a family tree, the various totems telling the story of the ancestry of the people living in the house behind them. The Siwashes also manufacture weird images resembling the idols of African tribes, which are intended to exercise various supernatural powers, such as the driving away of evil spirits.

The Siwashes of past times were, in some instances, a war-like lot, fond of fighting and bloodshed. Occasionally, if tradition speaks truth, they put their decorative ability to sinister use. There is a story, well vouched for, of a festive meeting between two tribes which had called a truce in their otherwise perpetual feud. One tribe invited the other to a friendly banquet in the community dining-hall. The architect, after the fashion of natives, who glory in complicating simple things, had so designed the hall that the only entrance was through the beak of an enormous wooden bird forming the facade. No one outside could see or hear what was going on within the walls. Every one who entered had to do so alone and head first. In turn, the guests scrambled into the beak and vanished, until all had entered. None of them ever came out. Their treacherous hosts within, armed with clubs, gave each man his quietus as soon as his head appeared.

An extremely clever way of getting rid of objectionable folk with the least possible inconvenience, though not one which appeals to Christian men.

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### BIBLE THOUGHT —FOR TODAY—

A SURE GUIDE—Commit thy way unto the Lord; trust also in Him; and He shall bring it to pass. Rest in the Lord, and wait patiently for Him.—Psalm 37: 5, 7.

**Born**  
EATON—On Thursday, February 28, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Eaton, Ekfrid, a son—Frederick Leon.

FISHER—At Rose Crescent Farm, Ardath, Sask., Friday, Feb. 29, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Fisher (nee Minnie McArthur), a son.

### TOWN AND VICINITY

Some maples have been tapped, and sap's runnin' 'fair to middlin'.

Fancywork, homemade baking and candy booths at Presbyterian bazaar on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Munroe, Killmartin, purpose leaving the farm and making their home in Toronto.

The high school girls defeated the town girls in a friendly game of hockey on Monday afternoon, the score being 6-0.

James A. Mulligan has retired from the firm of Pauls & Mulligan, Ford motor agents, St. Thomas, owing to ill health.

The recent decided drop in the price of eggs is due largely, it is stated, to the market being flooded with the United States product.

Rev. D. G. Paton, Glencoe, has been appointed one of seven clerical commissioners from London Presbyterian to the General Assembly.

While skating at the rink on Tuesday evening, Ted Rudasky had the misfortune to fall and have three fingers badly cut by one of the skaters passing by.

Members of the Glencoe Horticultural Society are asked to get their orders for bulbs and plants in to the secretary, Mac M. McAlpine, with out delay if they wish to participate in the premiums.

There will be a large gathering of live stock men of Middlesex county in the department of agriculture office, London, on March 21, to form a live stock improvement association. R. A. Finn, B.S.A., announces.

St. Thomas Times—Miss Margaret Young, of Glencoe, missionary returned from Japan, will be a guest at St. John's rectory when in town this week to address the young people and the Women's Auxiliary at St. John's church.

Hazel McAlpine, Eleanor Sutherland and Robert Carruthers were in St. Thomas Sunday taking part in the musical services of First Methodist church with Professor Howard Gordon's Western Ontario High School Orchestra which will defend at Toronto in May the custody of the star position by this orchestra there last year.

Three work trains are now in service on the C. N. R. and Wabash railway in the vicinity of Windsor. There will be 64 miles of new tracks laid down between Glencoe and Windsor this year, according to the plans now being followed, but as well as this work there will be a number of miles ballasted and over 200,000 ties inserted.

A meeting of the Glencoe Tennis Club was held in the town hall on Friday evening. An outline of the financing was given and showed that their play, "The Adventures of Grandpa," given on several occasions, realized in the neighborhood of \$256.92, and other entertainments in the neighborhood of \$27. There is in the treasury now a balance of \$258.51 to be devoted to pay for and upkeep of the grounds. It was decided that no charter memberships would be accepted after June 1 next.

The final debate of the young people's societies in London Presbytery will be held at the Presbyterian church here this (Thursday) evening between representatives of Argyle church, Crinan, and Knox church, London. The subject to be discussed is "Resolved that compulsory militarism should be adopted in secondary schools." The meeting is called for 7.30 in order that London young people may return home on the 9.52 train. A good musical program is being arranged, and a large attendance is looked for.

Mr. and Mrs. James Carruthers, of Ekfrid, gave an oyster supper to friends and neighbors to the number of about sixty, a few nights ago, in honor of Mrs. Carruthers' brother, Archie McLachlan, of Virden, Manitoba, who is here on a visit to his mother and other relatives after an absence of about thirteen years. After supper the evening was occupied in dancing and other pastimes. Mr. McLachlan is making quite an extensive tour, and on his return trip will go via Chicago, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Seattle, Victoria, Vancouver, etc.

On Wednesday evening of last week the Glencoe Trail Rangers held an open meeting in the lecture room of the Presbyterian church, at which there was a large attendance. After a few inspiring remarks by Rev. Mr. Paton, a pleasing program was presented. Interesting talks were given on "Carelessness" by Fred McRae and on "First Aid" by Wm. Anderson. John Shimizu, talented young Japanese pianist, delighted the audience with a piano selection. An attractive number was given by the young ladies' orchestra, and an accordion solo by Clarence Eddie. After the program the boys served lunch.

An attractive program was presented by a missionary committee at the Presbyterian Guild on Monday night. Musical numbers greatly appreciated were vocal solo by Lee Duggan, violin solo by Fred McGill and cello solo by Miss Hazel McAlpine. A story of John G. Paton was given by George Grant. The following committees were appointed for the balance of the term: Devotional—R. D. McDonald, Evelyn McLachlan, Chas. Cunningham; missionary—Mrs. Mac M. McAlpine, Gladys McAlpine, Martin Abbott; literary—Gordon Thornicroft, Tena Marsh, John McAlpine. Next Monday evening a social committee will have charge.

A blockade of snow and ice in the Outlet Drain has made it uncomfortable for several householders in the south part of the town since the thaw of a week or more ago. Cellars are anything but dry and the furnace room of the Presbyterian church has several feet of water in depth, so that the fires could not be lighted on Sunday and the services were held in the Sunday School room. The lower part of the drain has been working freely, and those connected with the new McPherson cut-off drain, which follows for most of its length the natural water course, experienced no trouble from the freshet. Whatever possessed our municipal fathers of the past to construct this drain in a long, roundabout course through the height of land will never cease to be a wonder. In order to remedy the evil it has been decided to place tile in the bottom of the drain to carry off the water when the surface freezes up. If properly put in and extended to a low outlet it should serve its purpose. We understand the tile has been ordered for the job after long delay.

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### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

—Mrs. H. I. Johnston is visiting her sister in Toronto.  
—Miss Minnie Walker has returned to her position in Toronto.  
—Neil Simpson, of Mooretown, is visiting friends in Glencoe and vicinity.

—Mrs. Charles and daughter Kathleen, of London, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. McIntyre.  
—Miss Dodd, of Kerwood, was a guest last week with her sister, Mrs. Peter H. Moore.

—Miss Betty Grant was a guest over the week-end with Miss Evelyn Haylock, of London.  
—Miss Nellie Farrell, of the Douglas Ave. school staff, Windsor, spent the week-end at her home here.

—Miss Florence Hurley, of London, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hurley.  
—Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Whitehall attended the funeral of Mrs. Whitehall's father, Samuel Tackabury, whose death occurred at his residence, London township, on Sunday morning.

### SPECIAL NOTICES

I want your chickens and fowl.—Jelly.  
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Afternoon tea for 15c at the St. Patrick's bazaar on Saturday in the Presbyterian schoolroom.

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For sale at Lamont's—one good sample set of team harness, for \$49.50. This is a special bargain.

The Pollyanna Mission Circle of the Methodist church will hold a baking sale on March 29th. Orders will be taken.

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Ekfrid Union Sunday School will hold a concert at S. S. No. 4 on Friday, March 21st. Admission, 10c and 25c. Ladies please bring lunch. Program to start at 8.30.

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An open literary meeting will be held in S. S. No. 1 schoolhouse, Mosa, on Friday evening, March 14. Mrs. John Strachan and D. N. Munroe will take the affirmative and W. T. Jelly and another speaker not yet chosen will take the negative in a debate on church union. Musical numbers will be given by the Cheroic Club. Lunch will be served. Silver collection. Everybody welcome.

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Clearing sale of farm stock, implements and household furniture, on north half lot 16, 2nd range north Longwoods Road, Ekfrid, on Wednesday, March 26. Further particulars next week.—D. A. McColl, proprietor; L. L. McTaggart, auctioneer.

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The undersigned Administratrix of the Estate of Lycopedes C. Moore, late of the Township of Aldborough, in the County of Elgin, deceased, will offer for sale by auction at Jeffrey's Hotel in the Village of Newbury, on Saturday, March 29, 1924, at 3 o'clock p.m., the following Real Estate, namely:

The East Half of the South Half of Lot Number Twenty in the First Concession of the Township of Mosa, in the County of Middlesex, containing Fifty Acres more or less.

Terms of Sale—The property will be offered subject to a reserve bid. One-tenth of the purchase price to be paid at the time of sale and the balance within one month thereafter.

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Monday, March 24th

Public notice is hereby given that the municipal council of the Township of Ekfrid propose at a meeting of said council to be held at the town hall in the Village of Appin on Thursday, the 10th day of April, 1924, passing a by-law for stopping up the highway on lot 17 in the third range of the Township of Ekfrid in the County of Middlesex, of which all persons interested are required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Dated at Ekfrid this 3rd day of March, A. D. 1924.

A. P. McDougald, Clerk; Bernie Galbraith, Reeve.

# Soils and Crops

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## ACCLIMATIZATION OF VARIETIES OF GRAIN.

It is quite commonly believed that any variety of grain when grown in a given district for a number of years gradually becomes more and more suited to the conditions of that district. While this may be true in the case of plants which naturally cross-fertilize, such as most of the grasses and clovers, it is not true to the same extent in the case of such plants as wheat, oats and barley, except possibly where mixed varieties containing different strains are grown. In nature, acclimatization takes place as a result of natural selection. The varieties of soil and climate gradually weed out or weaken those strains which are less suited to survive, whereas the stronger strains increase in proportion.

Since varieties differ greatly in their ability to thrive under different conditions of moisture, temperature, physical condition of the soil, it is highly important from a practical standpoint that the farmer grow the variety which is best suited to his conditions. This variety can be located only through comparative tests of different varieties sown in adjoining plots in his district. After two or three years' careful testing, it should be possible to choose the variety which seems to give the most promise. If this variety is what is known as a pure line, by which is meant a variety composed of a single strain, it is not likely that so called acclimatization will take place to any appreciable extent. If, on the other hand, a variety should happen to be a composite one, that is, composed of two or more strains of varying adaptabilities, it is quite possible that acclimatization may take place by the gradual increase in the proportion of plants belonging to the best adapted strain.

It was once thought that acclimatization takes place in a fairly definite manner in the case of practically all plant life and that any variety might, in the course of time, become especially suited to the conditions under which it was grown. That this point of view was incorrect has been clearly demonstrated during recent years, and farmers would be well advised to depend on a very considerable extent from different varieties rather than upon the time-worn theory that sorts grown in a district for many years must inevitably be superior to any new introduction.

Farmers desirous of comparing a few of the best varieties of grain of any kind are invited to communicate with the Cereal Division, Experimental Farm, Ottawa, for advice as to how to proceed. The above institution is anxious to co-operate with farmers in different districts in this work as it realizes that the soil and fertility conditions on a given farm may differ to a very considerable extent from the conditions under which varieties are tested at the Farm at Ottawa. In other words, varieties which do not do particularly well at Ottawa might be most desirable to grow under certain conditions met with on a given farm.

Where a farmer does not wish to take the time to conduct a comparative test of different sorts on his own farm but would like to have the variety he is growing compared at the Experimental Farm at Ottawa.

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When planning the small home orchard, the object in view should be to grow various kinds and varieties of fruit, that the ripening period may be distributed over as long a season as possible. For instance, in apples there should be early, midseason, and winter varieties, the winter sorts, of course, predominating.

The question of varieties is all important, certain kinds which are first-class in some localities may not be adapted to your condition. It is advisable to get suggestions from experienced local fruit growers or the state experiment station.

With spring planting many losses can be traced to delay in setting out the trees until after the buds have started into growth; so, to avoid such a calamity, which means losing a year, it is most important to have this operation completed while the young trees are perfectly dormant.

## GETTING THE SOIL IN SHAPE.

When devoting a piece of land entirely to an orchard, the entire area is usually thoroughly cultivated, either by digging very deeply or using a subsoil plow. The ground should be given a liberal coating of manure, also a dressing of bone meal, and the land turned over for a second time. For two or more years the intervening spaces between the trees can be devoted to vegetables and strawberries.

According to the variety, apples come into bearing in about six years from planting, and the crop will increase annually as the trees increase in size. Proper and careful pruning hastens early bearing, but indiscriminate pruning may have quite the opposite effect. During the first season superfluous shoots are cut out, the aim at this stage being to give the tree a compact, bushy shape and form of the mature tree. At the next dormant pruning the previous season's growth is cut back by half, after which the trees will only require thinning out the centre to keep the head open.

## THE ROOM THEY NEED.

Apple trees are planted at least twenty-five feet apart. Pear trees rather closer, as their growth is more upright; say about twenty feet. Sour-cherry trees, fifteen feet. Peach trees, fifteen to twenty feet.

Pear trees invariably come into bearing much sooner than apple trees and will stand rather closer pruning. Varieties that are inclined to grow very tall should have the heads cut back half, to keep the tree within bounds and facilitate gathering the fruit. It is therefore advisable to keep the head low and to encourage an open though free-branching habit.

Plums are most accommodating as to soil and rarely fail to produce abundant crops of fine fruit annually. They require little pruning except that necessary in shaping the tree.

The peach tree does not require much pruning, if we except cutting back the strongest growths and, if necessary, thinning out some of the weakest branches should they become overcrowded. But when first planted the entire head is cut off to within two feet from the ground.

## TWO EXCELLENT BERRIES.

Raspberries are one of our most esteemed small fruits. They do best in a deep, well-manured soil. Fairly moist soil, though they are not too fastidious on that account. They should be planted two feet apart, allowing four feet between the rows. When planting in the spring the canes are cut down close to the ground, and, of course, no fruit is expected until the second year. When the canes come into bearing make it a rule to cut away the old canes immediately after the crop has been gathered, retaining the young ones. The young growths springing from the base of the plant are thinned out to four or five, retaining the strongest. The young canes must be tied to a wire trellis, spreading them out evenly that they may all receive their full share of sun and air. Early in spring the tips are pinched out evenly.

Blackberries, equally desirable as the raspberry, are cultivated very similarly, but being more rampant in growth the plants are allowed more space.

## SERVICES THAT DELIGHT THE EYE.

The home grounds are greatly improved by the judicious use of shrubs. Among the early-flowering shrubs one that is not grown as frequently as it deserves is Spiraea thunbergii with its masses of starry bloom in May. Then there is Spiraea prunifolia with its long wreaths of double blossoms. The cercis, or Judas tree, is always welcome in the early spring when laden with its wealth of rosy-purple blossoms which appear before the leaves.

The deutzias are highly ornamental, the variety gracilis being the most popular and best known. Established plants flower profusely every spring, the entire shrub becoming smothered

with the graceful white flowers. Forsythia, or golden ball, with its bright yellow flowers, well deserves a place among our best flowering shrubs.

Diervillas, known also as weigelas or bush honeysuckle, are a delightful group of free-growing shrubs with bell-shaped flowers of various colors.

The hydrangeas form a group of hardy shrubs of considerable importance.

Mock oranges are sweet-scented, white-flowered shrubs of the simplest culture. Syringas, or, as they are more commonly called, lilacs, usually find a place in all collections of flowering shrubs. Double and single flowered, all of them are lovely, the distinct and pleasing odor adding greatly to their charm.

## Spring Fever and Poultry.

By S. W. Knipe

As spring comes upon us every year the wooden box has a vast quantity of people who have kept a few hens and wonder if they should go into the poultry business on a large scale. This article is especially intended for such inquirers.

Just a few days ago a friend told me that the 15 pullets he got last August had laid 1,012 eggs during November, December and January, and at same rate of laying, allowing three months for rest and molt they would average 202.4 eggs each in the twelve months. "Don't you think I should give up my job and go into poultry?" he said; to which I replied, "No." He has suitable vacant land, a little money and is interested in the game. What more is needed? That which is needed in every walk of life—experience. Hatching a few chicks under a hen in the cellar or in a wooden box is a vastly different thing from hatching a couple of thousand eggs in an incubator. The hen looks after the heat, turning and cooling of the eggs, shelters her chicks from the storms, protects them from danger. Taking the hen off for a feed at night, putting her back on her eggs again, supplying the chicks with hard-boiled eggs and other feed, then seeing they are closed up for the night is vastly different to caring for incubators and brooders. Incubating and brooding one to two thousand, yes, even five hundred chicks in chilly days of March and April is a vastly different proposition to leaving it to the old hen in the warm days of June. You may think the difference is so slight that it does not prove a difficulty. If so, just try. But take my advice and don't.

Without the required experience you are apt to meet with disaster. You may have your brooder temperature just fine at night. The next morning, your fire in brooder may be almost out. Experience will teach one that machines are not perfect and weather cannot be depended upon. It is possible to have most of your eggs in incubator and have the rest of the second test the greater majority promise to produce live chicks. Then at the critical moment a little neglect in attending your fire or lamp may mean every chick chilled or cooked. There are dozens of other things which may happen to ruin your party, and, in fact, the cost of keeping the wrong sort of feed, dampness or drafts, will also play havoc in the sturdiest flock of chicks.

Considering all, it would be wise to continue in a small way for two or three years, using an incubator and brooder, try them on the little space you have. Then, if you are successful and still interested, take the "plunge." Artificial incubating and brooding is the only thing possible on a commercial plant. Clucking hens cannot be secured when they are required for a hundred or more hens for such a purpose is entirely prohibitive. Therefore it is absolutely necessary to have a thorough practical knowledge along these lines.

## MAPLE-SUGAR TIME

BY C. O. ORMSBEE.

Maple sap, as it flows from the tree, is as clear as purest water. Were it possible and practicable to concentrate it by congelation as soon as it leaves the tree, without exposure to light or a warm atmosphere, instead of by evaporation over a fire, the syrup would be colorless and transparent, while the sugar would be as white as the best granulated sugar. Both would rank even higher among the most delicious products of the confectioner's art.

## Assists Farmers to Purchase Live Stock.

The Minister of Agriculture for Canada, Hon. W. R. Matherwell, by the carrying out of policies administered by the Live Stock Branch of his Department, has, during the past few years, been able to conserve a large number of live stock consigned to stockyards and abattoirs. Unfinished steers to the number of 80,717, 89,204 heifers, 673 sows and 48,000 sheep were, under the arrangement referred to, returned to the farms for breeding purposes in the case of females and for finishing into good beef in the case of feeder cattle. Two policies are involved in this service, one, the remission of freight charges, brought about by an arrangement between the Live Stock Branch and the railway companies, and the other, the payment of the reasonable travelling expenses of farmers making the purchases. The Minister's report, which supplies this information, makes it clear that the assistance thus given was available for stock purchased for breeding or for further feeding by the purchaser and not for speculative purposes.

Big fields are much cheaper to plow and cultivate than small ones.

## Chapped Hands or Face

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## The April Fool Frolic

"I'd like to give a real foolish party," said Eleanor Parker to her best chum, Myra Spencer, over a pan of fudge one March afternoon.

"All right, let's do it," agreed Myra. "Where'll we give it?"

"At my house, of course!" said Eleanor.

"Why not at my house?" objected Myra.

"Why not both houses?" laughed Eleanor. Then she stopped suddenly as an idea took hold of her mind. "Myra, why don't we? Give it at both houses. I'll have the games and fun at my house, and you have the refreshments at yours. Don't you see how that will fool them?"

"And so the party was planned. All the boys and girls of the young crowd who always had such good times together received a few days later, an envelope containing an apparently blank card, on each side of which was written in the corner the word 'Over.'"

Of course they turned them every way, held them to the light and to the heat, but soon discovered that the card was double and was pasted together around the edge, except for one small corner. When they tore it apart they found the invitation written inside, asking them to a surprise party for Myra on April 1. They were to meet at Eleanor's and proceed to Myra's around the corner in a body.

When April 1 arrived they appeared without exception at Myra's house. But the house was dark, no one answered the bell, which they rang insistently. "Well, there's only one thing to do, and that is to come back to my house and have our party there," said Eleanor resignedly. When all had responded with a shout to this suggestion, Myra stuck her head out the window and called, "April fool, folks! Can I come along?"

You can imagine what a sensation that made, and how keyed up the crowd was for the fun prepared for them at Eleanor's. When they had removed their hats and settled down she gave out little slips of paper to each one. On them she had written instructions for a joke that must be played on certain persons before the evening was over. Thus Myra drew, "Take Rus Ryan—think his tie is

crooked." Every time one of the crowd succeeded in getting his joke over and was able to cry "April fool" he threw his paper into a big hat. Those with papers left had to pay a forfeit.

Everywhere possible Eleanor had arranged the rooms with tricks. Thus magazines were stuck to each other, a cushion was laid over a seatless chair, a picture turned to the wall and April fool written across it when turned. A hidden electric fan blew a sudden blast in a dark corner of the hall. An alarm clock hidden in a candy box went off at a crucial moment.

The rugs were rolled back and the canned music turned on for dancing. Just a little earlier than usual, Myra said she must go home. This started things, and all agreed with her. Would somebody walk home with her? They would all go. When they reached the Spencer house it was ablaze with light, and the door was flung open to the jolly crowd. What was their surprise to see set through the middle of the dining room and living room a long table. It did not take long for them to realize that the party was a real one at last.

In the centre of the table was a huge bouquet of roses, which when one leaned over to smell them proved to be artificial and gave off an odor of onions. For place cards Myra had gotten up conundrums or "jokes" upon each guest. The favors were silk dunes cap pin cushions for the girls and little calendars for the men with April 1 ringed in red.

A delicious supper followed, but it seemed to come on reversed. What looked to be ice cream and cake proved to be brown bread iced with cream cheese and a croquet covered with white sauce served in a sherbet glass. The ice cream was disguised as a salad in a paper cup imbedded in lettuce leaves and sprinkled with chopped nuts and fruit. Creams were iced with chocolate to look like large mints. White cake was baked in a breadpan and cut in thin slices. Candies looked like nuts.

It was a great "sell," all declared, but they also added that they would be glad to be sold again in the same way.

It forms a vacuum beneath, thus leaving a space upon the bottom of the pan that is bare of liquid and fully exposed to the blazing fire beneath.

## SECRET OF QUALITY.

The natural consequence is that, as must be expected, particles of sugar adhering to the metal of the pan become scorched and thus transformed into caramel, a substance of a dark brown color, possessing a bitter and somewhat acrid flavor. As soon as the film bursts and the steam escapes, the scorching sap rushes in, fills the space, washes away the caramel and disseminates it throughout every part of the boiling sap or syrup, thus imparting, in a measure, both the color and flavor of the caramel to the product.

Now it is obvious that the deeper the sap above the film, the more the film will be re-enforced, and the greater will be the power necessary to burst the film. This being true, it is equally obvious that the deeper the sap the longer time the space enclosed by the film must be exposed to the action of the heat. More caramel will be formed, and darker and more acrid will it be made. Its influence will be greater.

Maple sap evaporated at a uniform depth of four inches in the pan will yield a product many shades darker than if evaporated at half that depth. This point is well established, and the Quebec maple-sugar makers, who aim at the production of the highest grade of product, never allow the sap in the evaporator to reach the depth of even one inch. This, of course, requires a closer attention to detail, and involves a somewhat greater cost for labor. On the other hand, it is economical of fuel, and it is the one great secret of the fine quality of Quebec maple products.

If you would produce the highest grade of maple sugar products, see to it that the sap in your evaporator is maintained at the least possible depth consistent with safety.

Horns are prevented from developing by thoroughly rubbing a stick of caustic potash upon the dampened skin over each horn button when the calf is less than one week old. Apply the caustic freely around the horn button. Wrap one end of the caustic pencil with strong paper to protect the fingers. Keep caustic out of calf's eyes.—Dr. A. S. Alexander.

Roller skates were first patented by Merin, a Flemish musical-instrument maker, in 1760.

## THE CHILDREN'S HOUR

### BRUN BECOMES A COOK.

"I have promised Brother Jackie to come over and build him a new house to-day," said Rolly to Bruin one fine morning. "I hope you can manage with the housework."

"I'll get along very well," said Bruin. "Don't worry about me. I can always find something to eat."

So off Rolly started and left Bruin to be his own cook. He succeeded well in getting the house in order, and, in spite of his clumsiness, never broke a dish. Late in the afternoon he decided to make a fresh cake for supper.

"I'll just surprise Rolly, for he doesn't know I can bake cakes," he said to himself as he hunted for Rolly's recipe book.

Looking over the long list of cakes he finally decided to make a chocolate one.

"Rolly Rabbit is fond of chocolate," he thought as he stirred in the sugar, milk and butter and all the rest of the things and stirred it and stirred it and stirred it.

When the dough was ready for the little pans, something told Bruin that he hadn't put in the seasoning. He hunted a long time for the vanilla and finally found a big bottle with vanilla written across it, on the top shelf of the cupboard.

"Seems funny Rolly would put the vanilla on the top shelf," thought Bruin as he poured in a big tablespoonful.

In due time the cake was done and Bruin covered it all over with a nice sugar frosting.

"Oh, I'm so hungry," said Rolly as he sat down to supper that night. Proudly Bruin carried in the big chocolate cake. "Yum, yum-yum," said Rolly when he saw it. That looks so good. Chocolate cake is my favorite. Cut me a big piece, Bruin."

Bruin obeyed, and also cut a generous slice for himself. But with the first mouthful, each went running to the door. When their mouths were empty, Rolly was the first to speak.

"Where did you get your vanilla, Bruin?" asked Rolly laughing.

"Out of that big bottle on the top shelf," said Bruin seriously.

"Ha, ha, hee, hee," Rolly laughed until his sides shook.

"By what are you laughing at?" asked Bruin.

"Chocolate cake flavored with skunk's cabbage juice is enough to make anyone laugh. Auntie brought that over for my cold in an old vanilla bottle," he laughed.

And then Bruin laughed too.

## Treating Seed Wheat for Smut Control.

Experiments to learn the best methods of controlling smut in wheat were carried on by the Botanical Division of the Dominion Experimental Farms at several of the Experimental Stations. Three systems of treating the seed of wheat were used: (1) Formaldehyde in solution; (2) Copper carbonate dust; and (3) Dehydrated copper sulphate dust and hydrated lime. According to the Report of the Dominion Botanist for 1922, the formaldehyde treatment gave perfect control, the copper carbonate dust treatment was effective where there was a low percentage of smut in the grain treated. The copper sulphate and lime treatment was less effective, but it has been considered advisable to continue the trials with this method. A disadvantage of the formaldehyde treatment was that it injured germination and retarded the growth of the crop. The percentage of germination averaged about ten per cent. higher with copper carbonate dust than with formaldehyde. In the experiments the seed was placed in the container with the dust and shaken thoroughly. By the use of the dry method it was found that the seed could be treated in advance of seeding without injury because the seed is in no way damaged by this treatment. Further experiments of the various systems will be carried on before definite conclusions are reached.

## The Fat Hen is the Layer.

We often hear the remark "She's too fat to lay." This I know to be a mistaken idea, as I have had experience (in forty odd years) with both fat and poor hens, and have always found the fat hen to be a layer.

While it is not necessary for her to be overfat, I do not believe she ever gets too fat to lay well. The "boot" is on the other foot, it is the poor hen that never lays well, and often not at all.

A hen to be in the best possible laying condition must have considerable surplus fat in her body. This means that her body wants have been supplied, and there is some food or fat to spare. Such a hen has surplus vigor, strength and energy, which cause her to lay well. A poor hen has scarcely enough energy and strength to keep body alive, to say nothing of producing eggs. Common sense should teach us that.—W. H.

"It makes me laugh to hear some men say they haven't any temper," says old Al Pitcher. "No man knows if he's got a temper till he meets up with a determined agent for something no household is complete without."

## EXPECT HEAVIER SUMMER TRAFFIC

### ATLANTIC LINERS ANTICIPATE BUSY SEASON.

#### British Empire Exhibition Opening in May at Wembley Will Attract Thousands of Tourists.

Atlantic steamship lines are anticipating an important increase in overseas travel during the spring and summer months as a result of the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley, near London, which will be open from the 1st of May to the end of October.

This attraction is expected to bring thousands of people of British stock from all quarters of the world to the mother country. Many will visit their friends and relatives in various parts of the United Kingdom in addition to seeing the exhibition.

Bring Colonies Closer. The British Empire Exhibition, which will represent an expenditure of almost \$50,000,000, is intended to bring the dominions into closer touch and to develop trade among the constituent countries of the empire. Every continent, important island and group of islands included in the British Empire will be represented with every aspect of life, civilized and uncivilized. All the British colonies have taken keen interest in the enterprise.

The exhibition grounds at Wembley have an area of over 216 acres. An effort has been made to embody the climatic or historic aspects of the various British colonies in their respective buildings. The exhibits from India, for instance, will be installed in a reproduction of the "Taj-Mahal at Agra, a masterpiece of Oriental architecture. East Africa will be represented by a typical rajah's palace. Several acres will be devoted to West African villages, surrounded by reproductions of barbaric mud walls. Complete communities of natives will be housed in these villages. The Ceylon pavilion will be a copy of the Sacred Tooth Temple at Kandi and will adjoin a Cingalese tea garden. Hongkong will be represented by a street giving an idea of that distant colony, with native shops and a typical Chinese restaurant. Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Bermuda, the West Indies, Malaya and other colonies will be represented by buildings of equally attractive designs.

Kipling Writes Pageant. Other features of the exhibition will include palaces of engineering, industry and art, also a stadium seating 125,000, where a series of athletic contests will take place. In the stadium will be staged the "Pageant of Empire," the libretto of which is being written by Rudyard Kipling. A large auditorium for public meetings has been erected, and here will be held the International Artistic Convention. There will also be a mammoth representation of a coal mine and an exact reproduction of Tutankhamen's tomb at Luxor, constructed under the direction of a distinguished Egyptologist.

Each little group of "tukis" (huts) possesses its own trees. And on their contents the people live throughout the ten dry months. The tumbled tree is a fruitful source of trouble. Many tribal fights are waged solely because a man from one village is believed to have been seen climbing the trees of another. The trees belonging to a village of group of "tukis" are not public property for the dwellers in that group. The sheik and his family have the first claim on the water, and their share is claimed to a decimal point. Another man may have a family claim, going back through several generations, to a certain proportion.

Get to Work. "An' what's your job around here, young feller?" asked the farmer of an official in a big city railroad station. "I'm the train caller," answered that dignitary.

"Well, call me one, then. I'm in a hurry."

Scarlet snow, due to the presence of small and very thin worms, recently fell at Halmstad, Sweden.

## Shelley's "Ozymandias of Egypt"

The name of Percy Bysshe Shelley is one of the greatest in English literature. His finest works are "The Cenci" and "Prometheus Unbound," but the best-known are his "Ode to a Skylark" and "Ode to the West Wind." Shelley was drowned while yachting in the Gulf of Spezia. His body was washed ashore a fortnight later, and in accordance with the quarantine laws of Italy, burnt on a pyre in the presence of Byron, Leigh Hunt, and Trelawny.

The following is one of the finest sonnets in the language, and to-day has peculiar interest:

I met a traveller from an antique land  
Who said: "Two vast and trunkless legs of stone  
Stand in the desert. Near them on the sand,  
Half sunk, a shattered visage lies,  
Whose frown  
And wrinkled lip and sneer of cold command  
Tell that its sculptor well those passions read  
Which yet survive, stamped on these  
Lifeless things,  
The hand that mocked them and the heart that fed.  
And on the pedestal these words appear:  
"My name is Ozymandias, king of kings:  
Look on my works, ye mighty, and despair!"  
Nothing beside remains. Round the decay  
Of that colossal wreck, boundless and bare,  
The lone and level sands stretch far away."

Half sunk, a shattered visage lies, whose frown and wrinkled lip and sneer of cold command tell that its sculptor well those passions read which yet survive, stamped on these lifeless things, the hand that mocked them and the heart that fed.

And on the pedestal these words appear: "My name is Ozymandias, king of kings: Look on my works, ye mighty, and despair!"

Nothing beside remains. Round the decay of that colossal wreck, boundless and bare, the lone and level sands stretch far away.

## RHEUMATIC PEOPLE CAN FIND RELIEF

### By Enriching Their Blood With Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Rheumatism attacks people when the blood is clogged with impurities, thus setting up an inflammation of the muscles and joints. Cold or wet weather may start the tortures of rheumatism, but it is not the cause, as was once supposed. The cause is this: impure blood. Rubbing with liniments or applying hot applications may give relief, but that is all; the pains are soon back again. You must treat the trouble through the blood to get rid of it. The value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in cases of this kind is proved by the following statement: Miss Margaret M. Cullen, writing on behalf of her grandmother, Mrs. A. McEwen, Ormstown, Que., says:—"My grandmother, now 85 years of age, was, some years ago, a great sufferer from rheumatism. She tried many remedies, but found none that did her any good until she began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These she used for some months until every trace of rheumatism disappeared. Since then she has taken the pills at intervals and they have kept her in the best of health. It is marvelous how well and active my grandmother is. She cooked the dinner for the threshers last fall, and she gives the credit for her good health to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She is anxious that her experience with this splendid medicine be given for the benefit of others."

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No Man's Island. A house, consisting of one room, which stands in two states, three counties, and four towns at one and the same time is the proud possession of a dance-hall proprietor in the U.S.A. This unique building stands on a tiny island on the borders of Vermont and New Hampshire.

Although the building was once used as a dwelling-house, it is now given up entirely to dancing. Standing in the middle of the dance floor, the visitor finds himself in nine different places at once. Beneath his feet is the meeting point of the boundaries of the two states, of the counties of Grafton, Caledonia and Orange, and of four towns, Ryegate, Newbury, Bath, and Haverhill.

Locally the place is known as "No Man's Land," and is very popular as a summer dancing pavilion. But the river is slowly eating its way into the centre of the little island, and it seems likely that before long it will bore a way right through both inlet and house. Meantime, the proprietor thanks his lucky stars that only one of the towns, Haverhill, sends along the tax collector.

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## Surnames and Their Origin

**BEYARD.** Variations—Baird, Beard, Bird. Racial Origin—English. Source—A nickname. Here is a family name derived from an adjective which to-day is applied almost exclusively to horses, but which in the Middle Ages was in rather wide usage, denoting a color.

To-day you'd hardly refer to a "bay" dress or a "bay" complexion, though you would speak of a "bay" horse. Fifty years from now the word may die completely, unless the horse finds a new excuse for existence and avoids the doom with which the automobile is threatening him.

The medieval English for "bay" was "bayard." A man might have been called "Roger le Bayard" or "Udo le Bayard" either from the color of his hair, the general impression of his complexion, or perhaps from the color of the clothing which he usually wore.

Baird is a fairly usual contraction of Bayard, though the family name of Baird does not in all instances trace back to the other. Likewise Beard and Bird are often logical developments, though particularly in the case of Bird, it does not follow that Bayard was the original form of the name.

"Le Skynner" ("the skinner") was quite naturally the surname most often conferred by his neighbors on the man who made his living by stripping skins from the carcasses of animals.

Another man who remembered the sovereign in his will was Sir Ernest Cassel, who, on his death in 1921, left property to the value of thirty million dollars. His London residence, Brook House, Park Lane, may one day become a home of the Royal Family, for Sir Ernest directed that in the event of the death without issue of his daughter, the house and its contents should be offered as a gift to the then reigning sovereign.

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**SKINNER.** Racial Origin—English. Source—An occupation.

There is a wealth of knowledge to be gained through a study of nomenclature of the industrial as well as of the social conditions in England during the Middle Ages.

Virtually every occupation of any importance in that period has been preserved to us in one or more family names, and if you find an occupation or profession which has not so been commemorated, it is only because the occupation did not exist at the period of family name formation, or because it is known to-day by a comparatively modern term. Thus we have no family names "Dooter" or "Physician," though we have "Cartwright."

Tanning and leathermaking, however, were among the most important industries of Medieval England, like the various branches of the textile industry, particularly those handling woolen fabrics.

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Teacher—"Now, Bobbie, tell us when is the harvest season?" Bobbie—"From November to March."

Teacher—"Why, Bobbie, I am surprised that you should name such barren months. Who told you they were the harvest season?" Bobbie—"Pa. He's a plumber."

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

He that parleys has half surrendered.

The best prophet of the future is the past.

GIRLS! HAIR GROWS THICK AND BEAUTIFUL

35-Cent "Danderine" Does Wonders for Lifeless, Neglected Hair.

A gleamy mass of luxuriant hair full of gloss, lustre and life shortly follows a genuine toning up of neglected scalp with dependable "Danderine."

Falling hair, itching scalp and the dandruff is corrected immediately. This, dry, wispy or fading hair is quickly invigorated, taking on new strength, color and youthful beauty. "Danderine" is delightful on the hair; a refreshing, stimulating tonic—not sticky or greasy! Any druggists.

## Mirror Magic.

The primitive man looking at his own reflection in a still pool beheld a phenomenon he could not explain. He saw something which was not himself, but which must be so closely related to himself that there was no joke in it.

What is known as sympathetic magic always regarded a close connection as existing between a person and his "counterfeit presentation." We know better now, but who is there who can see a looking glass accidentally broken without experiencing a secret feeling of uneasiness?

The smashing of the mirror destroys the reflected image—his counterfeit self or a surface which has borne it, as it has also borne the images of other members of his family. Therefore he himself, or some member of his family, whispers the lingering voice of despaired, forgotten, but inherited belief in sympathetic magic, is in danger. All of which accounts for the superstition that if you break a looking-glass there will be a death in the family within the year.

God's Little Things. I love the little things of God—The loamy scent of fresh-turned sod, The feecy white clouds in the sky, The passing of the south winds by, The darting flash of bluebird's wing, And all the sights and sounds of spring.

I love the days when summer fades, The scarlet tinge in forest glades, The wild grapes, purple on the vine, The crisp air, heady as old wine, The hint of snow in grayish sky, To warn us that old winter's nigh.

—Harriet Blair.

## Mother! Give Sick Baby "California Fig Syrup"

Harmless Laxative to Clean Liver and Bowels of Baby or Child.

Even constipated, bilious, feverish, or sick, colic babies and children love to take genuine "California Fig Syrup." No other laxative regulates the tender little bowels so nicely.

It sweetens the stomach and starts the liver and bowels acting without griping. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs. Say "California Fig Syrup" to your druggist and avoid counterfeits! Insist upon genuine "California Fig Syrup" which contains directions.

Youngsters to Match. Misses—"Maggie, I think I'll take one of the children to church this morning." Maggie—"Yes, ma'am."

Misses—"Which one do you think would go best with my dress?"

Infant mortality has gone down from 150 per 1,000 at the beginning of the century to 80 per 1,000 to-day.

Elderly People Need More Iron in the Blood

To Give Added Strength, Vitality, and Greater Power of Resistance Against Disease.

IRON is constantly leaving the body, especially toward the period of middle age and you must make up for this iron deficiency if you want to escape disease and be strong and well. When the iron in your blood runs low, signs of old age creep into your system. If there is not enough iron circulating the blood-stream becomes thin, pale and watery, the body weak and run-down.

In such cases ordinary iron-containing foods seldom supply a sufficient quantity of this important element to make up for the waste so that many physicians now prescribe a concentrated form of organic iron, Nuxated Iron—which contains iron like the iron in your blood.

Actual blood tests show that a tremendously large number of people who are weak and ill lack iron in their blood. If you are not sure of your own condition, go to your doctor and have him take your blood-count and see where you stand or see made the following test yourself: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired, and take two five-grain tablets of Nuxated Iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see how much you have gained.

By enriching the blood and creating new red blood cells Nuxated Iron strengthens the nerves, rebuilds the weakened tissues and goes to lastly renewed energy and power into the whole system.

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Now in Vacuumized Tins  
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Nearly Educated. It was Kenneth's first day at school and when all the pupils were seated he raised his hand and said: "I can spell cat and count up to seven and write my own name, so you won't have to bother to teach me much."

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

A Drawback to Matrimony. A little girl in Ayrshire had been punished for not being able to recite her geography lesson. Her mother went to the lady teacher to reprimand her.

"Was it you who punished our wee Jeanie for her geography?" she demanded.

"Yes, I punished her," was the reply. "Well," continued the mother angrily, "her Auntie Leezie had nae geography, an' she got a man. I had nae geography, an' I got a man; an' there's you weel at your geography, an' you havena got a man yet! I don't want my lassie to get geography!"

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Mrs. Holmberg Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her

Viking, Alta.—"From the time I was 15 years old I would get such sick feelings in the lower part of my abdomen, followed by cramps and vomiting. This kept me from my work (I help my parents on the farm) as I usually had to go to bed for the rest of the day. One time I would have to walk the floor. I suffered in this way until a friend induced me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have had very satisfactory results so far and am recommending the Vegetable Compound to my friends. I surely am glad I tried it for I feel like a different person now that I don't have these troubles."

ODELLA HOLMBERG, Box 93, Viking, Alta.

Letters like this establish the merits of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. They tell of the relief from such pains and ailments after taking it. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and today holds the record of being the most successful remedy for female ills in this country, and thousands of voluntary testimonials prove this fact.

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A complete exhibition of the Authentic Spring Suit, Hat and Cap. Styles for Men and Young Men at a price range that meets every requirement.

### QUESTIONS and Bible Answers

12 Parents will encourage children to look up the questions on the Bible Answers, it will give a precious heritage to them in after years.

What makes the child of God secure against fear and evil?—Psalm 91: 5, 6, 9, 10.

### NEWBURY

Mrs. Coad, of Glenoche, visited her aunt, Mrs. Jane Armstrong, a few days last week.

E. J. Grant, of Belmont, spent the week-end with his parents here.

Mrs. R. Webster has returned from a visit with friends at Burgoyne.

A treat which everyone is welcome to share will be the annual Bible Society meeting to be held tomorrow (Friday) evening at 7.30 in Knox church. Rev. R. J. Bowen will give an address, illustrated with lantern views.

Mr. Gordon Wright, of London, district organizer of the W. C. T. U., gave a splendid address in Knox church on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Wright was accompanied by Mrs. A. McG. Potter, of Wardsville, county president. At the close of the service a union was formed, with quite a large membership.

The A. Y. P. A. met in Christ church on Friday evening when a large number were present to listen to an excellent address given by Mr. Paton, of Glenoche, the subject being the ancient city of Rome, which the speaker visited recently.

A song service was held in Christ church on Sunday evening. Rev. R. J. Murphy gave a good address on hymn writers. The music given by the male choir—D. J. Batsner, Harry and Milton Babcock, R. H. Moore, R. Haggith, Victor Wallace, W. McCready and W. Boland—with R. H. Winters as accompanist, was very fine.

The W. M. S. of Knox church will serve an Irish supper Monday, 17th, in the basement from 5.30 to 7.30. Admission, 25 cents. Everybody come.

The Newbury-Mosa W. L. will meet in their rooms Thursday, March 20.

Asthma Cannot Last when the greatest of all asthma specifics is used. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy assuredly deserves this exalted title. It has to its credit thousands of cases which other preparations had failed to benefit. It brings help to even the most severe cases and brings the patient to a condition of blessed relief. Surely suffering from asthma is needless when a remedy like this is so easily secured.

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Miss Berthens Hands and Miss Ila Burr spent the week-end with Mrs. M. D. Smith.

John A. Armstrong attended the funeral of Mrs. Gilbert Smith on Friday.

Gerald Bilton and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Randles, of Wardsville, spent Saturday at the home of John Randles.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Jane Barron is ill.

The Cairo dramatic club are putting on a play entitled "The Hoodooed Coon" in the hall here on March 19th.

### CRINAN

A special meeting of prayer of the W. M. S. was held in Argyle church on Friday last.

A debate between the Y. P. S. of Crinan and Kintyre was held on February 28, the subject being: "Resolved that consolidated schools are not for the best interest of Ontario." The affirmative side was taken by Stuart McIntyre and Miss Nellie Campbell, of Crinan, and the negative by A. Colthart and Alex. Currie, of Kintyre. Decision was given in favor of the affirmative side.

### EKFRID STATION

Mrs. W. G. Thompson, of West Lorne, who has been visiting friends here, has returned home.

Miss Grace Wilson has returned to Cowal after spending some time with Mrs. W. P. Cornell.

Isaac Walker, of Alsask, Sask., is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Miss Sadie Switzer, of London Normal, was home for a week-end recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parr, of West Lorne, visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Neil McLean.

The ladies of the Eureka Community Club held a most successful meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. A. Campbell. A well-prepared paper on "The health problem of the rural woman" was read by Mrs. W. G. McCallum, stressing the safeguarding of the health of the rural woman. A debate, "Resolved that an untidy good-natured housewife is preferable to a clean, cranky one," was ably given. The affirmative was upheld by Misses Margaret Campbell and Ella Switzer, and the negative by Misses Marion Campbell and Anna Eaton. A tie was the decision given. A recitation by Master Albert Congdon and community songs brought the program to a close. The young ladies then assisted the hostess in serving lunch. The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. L. Hull.

### WARDSVILLE

Misses Lil Blain and Florence Winters visited a few days with relatives and friends in Chatham.

Mrs. G. Wright was the guest of Mrs. D. L. Purcell while in the village.

Mrs. (Rev.) Murphy and Frances spent a few days in London last week.

Mrs. J. Thomas spent Saturday in London. She was accompanied home by her niece, Miss Ila Gourley, who has been seriously ill in Victoria Hospital but is now much improved.

Miss Anthistle and Miss Ava Weer spent Friday and Saturday in Stratford, where Miss Weer was a competitor in the final oratorical contest. Miss Weer received third place.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Telfer and family, of Parkdale, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. H. Weer.

Mrs. W. H. Parnall entertained the ladies of the W. M. S. of the Presbyterian church last Thursday. Rev. Mr. Bollingbroke gave an address, after which the hostess served lunch.

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Miller's Worm Powders destroy worms without any inconvenience to the child, and so effectively that they pass through the body unperceived. They thoroughly cleanse the stomach and bowels and leave them in a condition not favorable to worms, and there will be no revival of the pests.

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The February meeting of the W. M. S. of Appin was held at the home of Mrs. McGill, at which a report of the annual meeting held in London will be given by the delegates, Mrs. McGill and Mrs. W. Johnson. It was arranged to pack and send a bale to the Northern Ontario relief.

Notice to farmers and others.—For your clover seed, etc., come to the grain, flour and feed store, next the C.N.R. station, Appin. Big shipment just arrived. Quality first. Prices right. Also garden seeds of all kinds, in bulk or packets. Grain of all kinds bought.—W. Musgrove, manager.

Mrs. Dugald McIntyre received word last week of the death of her father, A. Howell, of Wynand, Pa.

Elmer Gast had the misfortune to have one of his fingers badly lacerated the other day, being bitten by a pig when endeavoring to head it into a chute to load it.

An interesting meeting of the Y. P. S. is looked for next Friday night. Rev. R. Cummings, of Muncie will put on moving pictures in the church on the subject "Children of Other Lands."

An interesting and well attended meeting of the Methodist Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. Lewis Payne on Wednesday afternoon. Over forty members were present. After the business of the meeting was transacted a splendid program was introduced, consisting of appropriate readings by several of the young people. A tasty lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Payne and Mrs. Stephenson.

Sorry to hear that Donald, little son of Dan McColl, had the misfortune to break his arm last Saturday, when he tripped over a stick and fell.

### SHIELDS

The Winghamdale Club held their usual social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Quirk on February 29th. An enjoyable musical program was rendered, followed by games and contests. Lunch was served by the hostesses.

We are pleased to hear that Claire Trestain is getting better after a lengthy illness with pneumonia.

Chas. Willey is expected to be around again after a severe illness.

David Wallace, of Thamesville, who bought Merritt's bush, has finished cutting logs and teaming.

Robert Dymock, of Mosa, has rented his farm to James Dymock, of Aldborough.

The infant child of Wesley Henderson, Mosa, was operated on last week for mastoids and is getting along nicely.

### WOODGREEN

Mr. Dennis, of Western Canada, is visiting his cousin, John A. George.

Miss Margaret Watterworth spent the week-end with Pauline Bridgett, Wardsville.

Miss Emily Willmot is visiting friends in Glenoche and Kilmartin.

The Sara Crawford Club will entertain the Cheerio Club on March 21st.

Mrs. Hartford is taking treatment at a London hospital.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Henderson is recovering from a serious operation for mastoid at Geo. Joseph's Hospital.

Frank Schellenburg, of Sebringville, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. A. Daum.

T. J. Grover has returned to Flaxcomb, Sask., after spending the winter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Grover.

A game of hockey between the Woodgreen Swamp Angels and the Heartbreakers at the Carman Arena Monday evening resulted in a score of 10-0 in favor of the Heartbreakers (well named).

Dances and sawing bees are popular in this vicinity.

Reid Bros., of Bothwell, have completed the hauling of logs from the farm of Edward Francis.

Some deals in real estate in this vicinity are predicted for the near future.

Geo. Edwards lost a valuable horse recently from pneumonia.

### KILMARTIN

The literary society of Burns' church will hold their regular meeting on Tuesday evening of next week. The subject for debate is "Resolved that the hope of reward has done more to lessen crime than has the fear of punishment." Affirmative speakers—Dugald Munroe, Mrs. D. N. Munroe and Mac. Lettich; negative speakers—John McKellar, Mrs. Nellie Munroe and Mac. McNaughton.

At Dutton Thos. Cavanagh had an unusual experience when he went to his duties as watchman in the tower at the railway crossings. The natural gas pipe, which passes close to the tower had sprung a leak and the gas by means of the gate pipes gained access to the tower, and on Mr. Cavanagh opening the stove door an explosion followed, setting fire to the building and scorching his hair. The fire, however, was extinguished with little difficulty.

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