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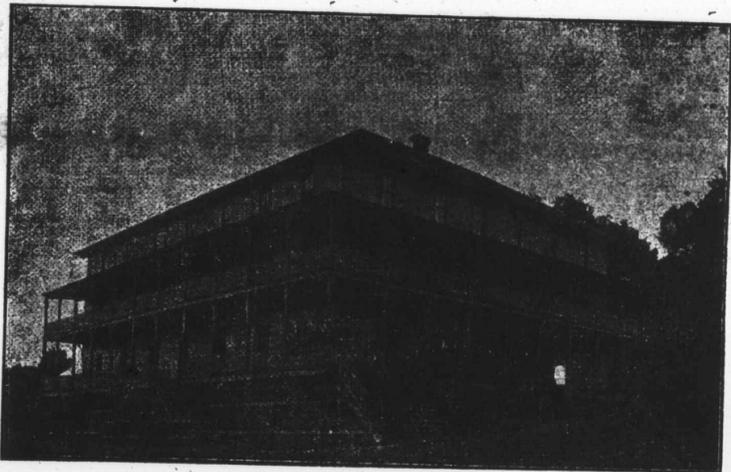
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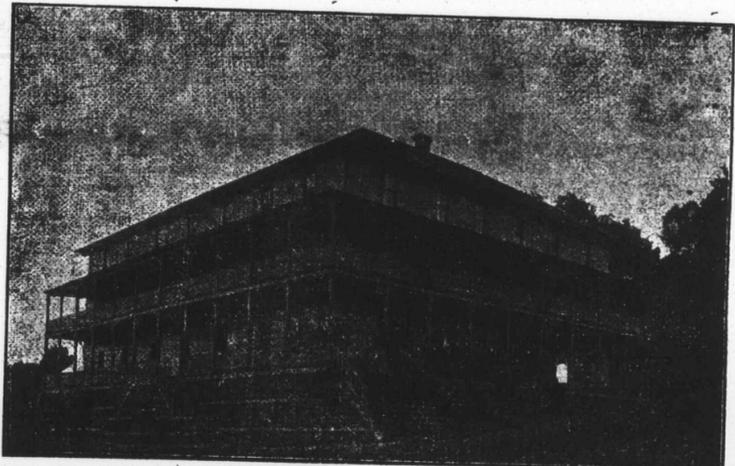
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## GLEN BUELL

Glen Buell, Aug. 22.—Threshing is the order of the day.

Marshall Jardine and sisters, Seely's Bay, spent a few days with their father, Mrs. Jack Baxter, last week.

Miss Florence Brown, Frankville, visited her father, L. Brown, on Sunday last.

Rev. G. W. Snell has returned from a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Davis spent the week-end at Smiths Falls. While there they took the excursion trip to Westport on the steamer Victoria.

L. B. Leach and sister, Louella, accompanied them.

William Baxter has been engaged to teach this school. The former teacher, Miss Percival, has taken the Addison school.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Joel Moore attended the funeral of Mrs. J. G. Lafaver on Monday last.

## RIVERDALE

Riverdale, Aug. 23.—Doris and Connie Brace, Montreal, are guests of their aunt, Mrs. Alex. Andress.

Eric Scott, Toronto, who is a guest of Tom Gilmour, motored to Ottawa with friends on Thursday for a day's outing.

Tom Gilmour entertained about 25 young people to a dance on Tuesday night at their summer home here.

Miss May Millar, accompanied by her uncle, Rev. Burton Leigh, motored to Watertown this week.

Mrs. Mark Tooker, Point Pleasant, spent the week-end in Prescott.

Mrs. Talmadge Stratton, Leah and Bobbie Stratton, Mrs. William Henderson and Fred Henderson were in Prescott recently.

William Dyer, who has been in Calgary, Alta., for the last two months, arrived home on Wednesday with a carload of fine horses which he will dispose of in Ottawa. Mr. Dyer left Riverdale on Thursday for Ottawa.

# EFFICIENT FARMING

**A. H. L.**—Which is the best time of the year to move trees, and how do you take them up? I have had some nice trees offered me if I will move them. Among them are the horse chestnut, ash, maple and soft maple. Some people say to dig around them now and move them, fall when frozen up. They are from four to eight inches through.

**Answer**—Trees from four to eight inches in diameter may be moved, but at considerable expense and with liability of some loss. It is doubtful if trees more than five or six inches through can be moved with any degree of satisfaction. The process is to dig in a circle from 3 1/2 to 5 feet in diameter, removing the soil in such a way as to leave the roots without being disturbed in a ball of earth. This should be done in late autumn after the leaves have fallen, allowing the earth to freeze sufficiently to prevent it falling away when the trees are moved. To prevent the ball of earth freezing solidly at the bottom it is well to bank in a small amount of warm stable manure at the bottom of the trench. The hole in which the tree is to be planted should be prepared in advance and protected from frost. A low boat like a stoneboat is perhaps the best vehicle for moving the tree to its new location. Before growth commences the following spring considerable of the top should be removed, either by thinning out the branches or shortening them, depending on the style of top desired. The roots should be kept well moistened practically all of the next season.

**V. S.**—I own a piece of sandy land which is in rye. I intend to turn under when ripe and seed to clover or alfalfa. How much seed will I need to the acre? Which is best?

**Answer**—Good practices would call for turning under the rye before ripeness occurs. Seeding to clover or alfalfa had better be delayed until next spring. Twelve to fifteen pounds of red clover constitutes a good rate of seeding. Alfalfa seed is usually applied at the rate of about twenty pounds to the acre. It is difficult to compare these clovers as their habits are dissimilar. Red clover usually runs out in a couple of seasons, whereas alfalfa continues to yield crops for several years if the soil is suitable.

**Mrs. C. B.**—Will you please tell me why Swiss chard and beet leaves have holes in them? They look as if something was eating them full of holes.

**Answer**—Perhaps it is grasshoppers, or it may be the caterpillar or some other insect that is eating the holes in the Swiss chard and beet leaves. It is possible, however, that the holes have been caused by a hail storm. Hellebore is perhaps the safest insecticide to apply to such food crops as chard and beets. It may be dusted on while the leaves are moist or applied as a spray. If applied dry the hellebore may be mixed with an equal quantity of some powder such as flour. It should be mixed for a few hours before use and left in a closed receptacle. A teaspoonful of hellebore to a gallon of water makes a satisfactory spray. A pamphlet entitled "Common Garden Insects and Their Control," issued by the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa contains valuable information on the protection of garden crops against insect depredations.

**C. E. F.**—Will you please tell me what I can sow on muck land to make pasture for cows for fall?

## A Successful Fly Spray for Cattle.

Farmers experience a good deal of trouble during the hot summer months from the fly nuisance, particularly on dairy cattle. Many commercial fly sprays are on the market and in most cases they are fairly effective in keeping the flies off the cattle, but some of them are injurious to the skin and hair and possibly may not be as much value as would at first appear. The main consideration is to keep the flies off while the operation of milking is in progress. It is next to impossible to apply a spray that will prevent the flies going on the cattle some of the time between milkings. At the Ontario Agricultural College the following home-made spray, which has been extensively used in some of the States of the Union, has proven fairly satisfactory:

- 4 1/2 quarts coal tar dip.
- 4 1/2 quarts fish oil.
- 3 quarts coal oil.
- 3 quarts whale oil.
- 1 1/2 quarts oil of tar.

Dissolve 3 lbs. laundry soap in water, add ingredients of spray and bring the whole up to 30 gallons with luke-warm soft water.

This spray does injure the coat and skin to some extent, but in tests at the Ontario Agricultural College cows gave slightly more milk and were much more easily handled when this spray was applied as compared with a similar period without the spray. However, the increase in production was not sufficient to pay for the labor and the spray. The greatest value seemed to be in keeping the flies off during the milking period so that

**Answer**—We do not know of any suitable crop for muck land that could be sown to secure crops this fall. Muck land is very difficult to pasture as it is usually soft at this time of the year and the cattle trampling on the young plants would prevent them from growing.

If forage is required, however, common millet might be sown at about 30 pounds per acre. This may be cut for hay. If you require a pasture or hay mixture for sowing next spring, we would suggest that you seed down with barley the following mixture per acre, 8 pounds of timothy, 4 pounds of red top, 3 pounds of alsike clover.

**D. D. C.**—How can I control squash bugs?

**Answer**—Eggs of the squash bug are easily seen and can be picked off and destroyed. The adults cannot be killed by insecticide applications but the nymphs or immature stages may be destroyed by any contact spray such as kerosene emulsion. The adult bugs, however, may be trapped by placing small pieces of board or some similar shelter near the vines under which they will hide at night and from which they may be gathered in the early morning. Cucumbers and melons may be protected by planting early squash among them. The adults prefer the squash and they may be collected from this plant. Cleaning up the vines in the autumn is of importance in reducing the numbers which will hibernates.

**L. F.**—What causes my muskmelons, watermelons and cucumbers to be eaten or chewed up, and yellow spots to develop upon them? For the spots I have sprayed with Bordeaux with but little apparent good. I also dusted with slaked lime, but to me it seems to have burned the plants and stopped them from growing. Would ammonium sulphate help the growth? Poisoned bait did not seem to help destroy cutworms. Also advise best spray for small tomato plants.

**Answer**—The trouble to muskmelons, cucumbers, etc., is doubtless pathological in nature and in order to obtain information regarding the disease the correspondent is advised to submit specimens to the Botanical Division of the Experimental Farm, Ottawa. Re Cutworm Control—Satisfactory control of cutworms by poisoned bait applications is only obtained in the early spring. In mid-summer the poisoned bait is only partly effective by reason of the fact that cutworms have too much choice in the matter of food. Our commonest cutworms pass the winter as pasty grown larvae in the soil. They become active at the time of seeding. It is at this time of year that poisoned bran may be distributed at the rate of ten pounds to the acre and excellent results will be obtained.

**K. R.**—I would like your advice on the best kind of a floor for a henhouse. Have house which is built of modern design, with lots of light. Would cement be all right if built up high enough to be dry?

**Answer**—The Dominion Poultry Husbandman says: Of all floors we have tried the cement floor gives the most satisfaction. We make sure, however, that the land upon which it is placed is well drained and that there is a reasonable fall to the surface from where the building is placed. The top of the floor should be from 10 to 12 inches higher than the top of the surrounding level. Bulletin 87 on poultry house construction gives a detailed plan of putting in this floor.

there was a good deal less trouble during milking, so says Professor Wade, Toole of the Animal Husbandry Department, Ontario Agricultural College.

## Look Out for Your Seed Potatoes.

It is not too early now to be looking out for seed stock of potatoes for next year, says the Superintendent of the Kentville, N.S., Experimental Station, as at this time of the year fields reasonably free from mosaic and leaf roll, and showing an even stand of healthy plants, can be located. It is impossible to locate these later after the plants commence to die down. This is a matter of great importance, and as our authority points out, if promptly acted upon may lead to an increase of from 25 to 50 per cent. in the yield. A number of tests at Kentville have shown a yield from healthy hills of 238 bushels per acre, while from unhealthy hills, namely hills affected by mosaic, only 136 bushels were taken. Again, hills free from leaf roll have produced an average of 347 bushels per acre, while those showing symptoms of the disease produced only 194 bushels.

My small daughter recently accompanied me on a trip to a neighbor's purebred stock farm. She was particularly impressed with the Holstein cattle. Just as we were admiring them, a black and white cat strolled into the barn. "Oh, Daddy, look, they even have Holstein pussies to match!"—K. B.

## SHEEP

We have found the golden hoofs profitable, not only to clean up grain but weeds and grass in the pasture as well. In my first experience with lambs in the cornfield I learned something that I had not known. Instead of getting fat, the lambs were not doing anything at all. I called in a neighbor who had handled sheep for years. He felt a few of the animals, and after looking around told me what was wrong.

"Evidently this corn is too high on the stalks for them to reach," he said, "and there is not enough grass here to do them. All the lambs get is what corn they can reach, because the blades are practically gone. They won't fatten on this. Take down the fence and let them in that clover pasture."

Within two weeks I could notice a big difference. From then on the lambs fattened as I originally expected, and they sold right up around the top.

## DAIRY

Every dairyman has had his experience with a few of the common ailments of dairy cows. Like man, the dairy cow is subject to common ailments that if taken care of as soon as symptoms appear cause little trouble, but if allowed to run for a time become serious and not infrequently result in permanent injury and loss.

A cow off feed is a common occurrence with the dairyman. A few days ago I brought my herd up from the pasture as usual, and when stabled one of my heaviest milking cows refused her grain. I immediately took

the grain away and gave her a pound of salts. In a day or two she was all right again. I always think when a cow goes off her feed the cause is a little digestive disorder and a laxative is all she needs. However, to allow a slight attack of digestive disorder to get well started means calling a veterinarian and a material loss of milk production.

Two of my best cows have come up from the pasture this summer with injured quarters to their udders. When taken early before inflammation has set in, bathing the quarters with cold water several times a day soon overcomes the trouble without any bad effects.

It is not uncommon to have a cow get a bad cut about the udder or the body, either from a snag, barb-wire or some sharp iron, and while not a deep wound in hot weather, soon calls flies and refuses to heal. If thoroughly washed with disinfectant two or three times daily the wound soon heals. I keep some good disinfectant about my stable at all times. Immediate attention to common ailments among cows prevents loss in milk flow and guards the health of the herd.

Buy gas and oil in quantities. Be sure that there are no leaks or loose caps to permit evaporation. See to it that no insurance policy is violated by the method of storage of gas and oil. If necessary, get a permit for the extra motor-driven vehicles stored, and attach this permit to your policy.

The next generation will be as good as we make our children. Each parent should do his share to make the future better than the present.

## The Sunday School Lesson

AUGUST 26

**Barnabas the Great-Hearted.** Acts 4: 36, 37; 9: 26-30; 11: 19-30; 12: 25; 13: 1 to 15; 12: 35-41; Gal. 2: 13. **Golden Text**—He was a good man, and full of the Holy Ghost and of faith.—Acts 11: 24.

**LESSON SETTING**—This week we study the life of one of the great characters of the early church. Barnabas is translated to mean "The son of consolation." Moffat translates it "The son of encouragement." The life of Barnabas fulfills both translations. He had a discerning mind and a warm heart.

**I. BARNABAS OFFERS A GREAT GIFT,** ACTS 4: 36, 37.

**Vs. 36, 37. And Joses . . . Barnabas.** The early church was a sharing church. No one said that ought that he possessed was his own. So much did this spirit prevail that many sold their possessions and laid the price at the apostles' feet. It is to be noted: (1) That this action was voluntary; (2) That it was not a fund for equal distribution among all, but only for the relief of the needy; (3) That it did not necessarily involve the loss of property; (4) That the practice did not extend to all persons; (5) That it was evidently an emergency measure. The case of Barnabas is quoted as an illustration of this spirit, and as a contrast to the dishonest action of Ananias and Sapphira. A Levite. From Num. 18: 20 and Deut. 10: 9 we learn that the Levites were not allowed to hold land. God was their portion. But evidently this law did not apply to Levites living outside of Israel. Cyprus: an island in the eastern part of the Mediterranean sea, where many Jews lived. *Having land*; literally, "having a field." *At the apostles' feet*; signifying that the money was at their disposal.

**II. BARNABAS ENCOURAGES A GREAT WORK,** ACTS 11: 19-24.

**V. 19: They which were scattered abroad . . . Phenice.** The death of Stephen was followed by violent persecution, in which Saul was the leader. But the dispersion of the Christians only means the dispersion of the gospel. Every Christian was a witness in those days. Phenice was a strip of country north of Palestine and bordering on the Mediterranean sea. Tyre and Sidon were in this district. Jesus made one visit to the locality, Matt. 15: 21-27, Antioch; still farther north on the same coast. It was the capital of the province of Syria. Paul's three missionary journeys had their beginning here. *Preaching to none but unto the Jews*; partly because the refugees would naturally live among their own countrymen, but principally because the world-wide significance of the gospel only dawned through the gradual turn of events, and the leading of the spirit.

**Vs. 20-22. Some . . . spake unto the Grecians;** not Greek-speaking Jews, but Greeks who were Gentiles and pagans. These preachers of the word, having lived in Cyprus or Cyrene in Africa were naturally more in touch with the Gentile world and were not possessed by the strong prejudices of those Jews who had been brought up in Palestine. *The hand of the Lord was with them.* God blessed their preaching. *The tidings . . . came unto the ears of the church . . . in Jerusalem.* The news of this great response of the Gentiles to the gospel came to Jerusalem, which was naturally the religious centre of the new faith. The question of the Gentile convert to the Jew and the Jewish law had not yet become an acute one, although we find that Peter's action in eating bread with Cornelius and his friends, after having baptized them, gave rise to serious debate, Acts 11: 1-18. Peter defended himself by telling of his vision in Joppa. *Send forth Barnabas.* The church in Jerusalem sent Barnabas to look into the movement and give it direction. It was a wise selection they made.

**Vs. 23, 24. When . . . he came . . . was glad.** When he saw the reality of the faith of the new converts, he knew that the spirit of God was at work and rejoiced at it. *Exhorted them all*

Barnabas knew well the great temptations to which Gentile converts would be exposed. It would require grace to hold to the new faith. *He was a good man.* The character of Barnabas is described in the same words as that of Stephen. The words of Barnabas had weight, as coming from a representative of the mother Church in Jerusalem, but his real power came through his character and his spirit-filled life. *Much people was added.* A new impetus was given to the work of grace.

**III. BARNABAS BRINGS A HELPER,** ACTS 11: 25-30.

**Vs. 25-28. Then departed Barnabas to Tarsus;** whither Saul had gone for safety from Jerusalem. *Brought him unto Antioch.* Barnabas sees that Antioch is a great field for Saul. A whole year; during which the friendship between Barnabas and Saul would grow. *Called Christians first in Antioch;* doubtless a nickname given by the heathen population. *Agabus . . . great dearth.* He foretells famine. History confirms this prophecy. This same prophet foretells the imprisonment of Paul in Jerusalem, Acts 21: 11.

**Vs. 29, 30. The disciples . . . determined . . . to send relief;** a proof of the fine spirit of the church in Antioch. The action was unanimous. The burden was fairly divided—every man according to his ability. The action was unselfish—"unto the brethren in Judea." The action was timely, being done at once. The action was completed—"which also they did." *By the hands of Barnabas and Saul.* It was the visible fruits of their ministry.

**APPLICATION.**

The Golden Text gives a brief characterization of Barnabas, which is very interesting, because, as we have seen, there are many ideals set before men in the world's literature, and some of them are in direct contradiction to the Christian standard. Barnabas may almost be taken as the Christian ideal, "a good man, and full of the Holy Spirit and of faith." There is usually much restraint in the sacred writers, no fulsome eulogy. The facts are stated, and speak for themselves. Luke, however, sometimes seems to take us right into the confidence of the disciples, and lets us know what he and they thought of some of their great-hearted comrades. We are thankful for as much as we know about Barnabas.

In the Acts after the Day of Pentecost Paul is a dominating figure. His missionary journeys and his experiences take all the latter part of the Acts, and his Epistles constitute a large part of the New Testament. But in Barnabas we have a man without whom we might never have had Paul. Barnabas is notable for that, as well as for his own admirable Christian graces. Much of the character of Barnabas as exemplified, is disclosed in his relations with Paul.

Moralists have spoken of the great, valuable things of the spirit as the True, the Beautiful, and the Good. Some are apostles of one, others of another aspect of the perfect life. Not exclusively, however. Ruskin, as an art critic, continually wrote not only of the beautiful, but also of the true and the morally good. Stephen, whose life we considered last Sunday was perhaps the apostle of the truth—read the sixty verses of the seventh of Acts—and Barnabas was pre-eminent in the impression he made as to his goodness.

What is goodness? One answer that at any rate gives something of the truth is that goodness is something of absolute moral worth that commands our conscience and reason. A good man is one who is not unworthy of Jeremy Taylor's fine phrasing, "a mind apt to noble choices, and a heart capable of a mighty love." Such was Barnabas.

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So, great pains must be taken To sow the best of seeds, For good thoughts will grow flowers, And bad ones, ugly weeds, But oh, the joy of reaping When you have done your best. You'll find, with care, both gardens Will pay good interest. —Ida M. Thomas.

## Alighting Board.

Every hive should be equipped with an alighting board. Bees coming in heavily laden are apt to miss the narrow projection on the hive and fall into the deep grass. Bees carrying a heavy load find it very difficult to rise from the grass entanglement and frequently die in the effort.

There are several different methods of making an alighting board or ground for the bees at the entrance of the hive. Some bee-keepers prefer to set the hive close to the ground, cut the grass away and make an alighting ground with sand, sawdust, or scrape the ground so as to kill the grass. These methods have some advantages. However, I like an alighting board made the width of the hive, about ten inches wide, and of white pine material.

In some localities an alighting board has the disadvantage of allowing spiders and insects to live and hide underneath. I have never encountered any difficulty in this regard. The sand or sawdust method obviates this difficulty. The important matter is to be sure and provide some kind of an alighting board.

The life of a bee during the busy honey gathering season is very short. The hard-working bees are the ones that come home heavily laden with pollen. Sometimes on account of the distance the bee has to go to gather the honey it comes home well worn out, its wings somewhat cut short and aged, it falls at the entrance of the hive. An alighting board will sometimes save the load, even though the busy little worker gives way for another. —Leo C. Reynolds.

A fly is no friend of the horse. Here is a recipe for an inexpensive wash that is very effective in keeping flies away: Oil of bayberries, 5 parts; naphthalene, 10 parts; ether, 10 parts; methylated spirit, 60 parts. These are common chemicals found in all well-stocked drug stores.

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## PALE FACES AND WORN OUT NERVES

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Anaemia—literally impoverished blood—comes on so stealthily that it is often well advanced before its presence is recognized. Feelings of fatigue and discomfort are the earliest manifestations of the trouble and these are seldom taken seriously. Gradually small tasks become an effort and exertion causes the heart to palpitate violently. The complexion becomes sallow or pale and there is loss of weight. The nerves grow weak and the victim displays irritability under slight provocation and is extremely sensitive to noise. The appetite is fickle and indigestion often follows.

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### "Friends" to Avoid.

An old Persian proverb runs, "Think twice before you make an enemy, and thrice before you make a friend." True—even if we think that "twice" and "thrice" should be transposed. As a matter of fact, however, they are in their right places.

Most of us, before experience teaches us wisdom, take to ourselves friends far too easily. We continue the friendship because we don't quite know how to end it; but in our hearts we wish certain of our "friends" a thousand miles away—permanently! There's the painfully "candid friend," for a start. He—or she—tells us of our faults, our defects, our shortcomings, and rules in hard all the things we know but would like to forget!

"I'm sure no one would tell you but myself, old man, but do you know you are getting fat?"

Or when a new hat appears—"My dear, I know you don't mind what I say, but it doesn't suit you a bit! It would be all right for a girl of sixteen, but—"

Had I my time over again I would never have one of these candid friends. I've searched my memory, and cannot remember when candid praise was given. It is always criticism. Candid friends are life-spoilers. Keep them out of your life.

Then there's the easily offended friend! Never have a friend of that type. Or if you have any, seize the first opportunity of letting them go out of your life. They will age you, worry you, and make a slave of you if they remain. You will always be apologizing, explaining, smoothing them down, begging their pardons. Your soul will hardly be your own, for you will never be free to do what you like. They might be "offended!"

They are tyrants, and their tyranny grows worse the more you pander to their "touchiness." Get rid of them! Buy—as I did—a new hat, and tell them nothing about it. They are sure to be "offended," and then let them remain so. Finally, there's the "friend" who uses you when her real friend isn't available. "Uses" is the right word! You are in reserve—to be used as required. That type should be barred, too.

Choose your friends carefully.

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## EASY TRICKS

No. 40

### A Card Mystery



This is a trick with the joker which will be found in every complete pack of playing cards.

The joker is shown and is placed on the top of the pack. The magician asks whether his spectators would like to have it placed near the top of the pack, near the bottom or in the middle. Whatever the choice, he takes the joker and places it where he is told.

He places the cards behind his back for an instant and then brings them out. He snaps his fingers, says a magic word and the joker appears on the top of the pack.

This is how it is done. When he shows the joker he holds it so that the presence of another card, behind the joker, is not observed. This is done by holding the cards so that they curve slightly, the convex side toward the audience. He places the two cards (apparently only one) on the top of the pack. The card he takes off the top and places anywhere desired in the pack the audience believes to be the joker. Really, it is the other card. The joker stays on the top of the pack for the finish of the trick.

(Clip this out and paste it, with other of the series, in a scrapbook.)

## SUMMER HEAT HARD ON BABY

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

### Huge Barometer in Munich.

A new barometer, larger than the ordinary city hall clock, has been installed in the tower of the German Museum at Munich. Where the 12 is on a clock face the barometer has a large figure 71. When the atmospheric pressure is normal the hand of the barometer is at 71. Fair weather is indicated by moving the hand to the right of 71 and bad weather by moving it to the left.

Canada recently received an order from Rumania for a \$9,000,000 deal in woolen textiles.

Music broadcast by wireless from Glasgow was heard by miners 330 feet below ground, at a distance of fifteen miles from the city.

The first letter ever typed was written in 1830. It contained only 150 words, and is said to have taken more than four hours to type.

Although butter from New Zealand has to travel about 14,000 miles, it reaches the British consumer in perfect condition.

## HEALTH EDUCATION

BY DR. J. J. MIDDLETON

Provincial Board of Health, Ontario

Dr. Middleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health matters through this column. Address him at Spadina House, Spadina Crescent, Toronto.

A great menace to the public health presents itself in the slipshod way some vendors have in serving ice cream and soft drinks. A rinse through cold water is sometimes practically all that the utensils get. Various investigations have shown that neither cleanses nor sterilizes them. Contagious disease germs could thus be transmitted from mouth to mouth.

The following disinfectant is recommended by certain boards of health, for the cleansing of soda water glasses and other drinking and eating utensils:

Solution No. 1. Chlorinated lime, 12 ozs. avoirdupois, sodium carbonate, 3 1/4 ozs. and 66 grains avoirdupois. Water to make 50 fluid ounces. Grind the chlorinated lime in a mortar with 20 fluid ounces of water until a thick paste is made. Transfer the paste to a gallon bottle, washing it from the mortar with 14 fluid ounces of water. The chlorinated lime must be of full strength. Dissolve the sodium carbonate in 17 ounces of hot water. Add

the soda solution to the lime solution in the bottle. Shake thoroughly. If the mixture becomes gelatinous, set the bottle in warm water until the gelatin has dissolved. Strain through wet muslin until liquid becomes clear. Wash with successive portions of warm water until the amount of the solution totals 50 fluid ounces.

Solution No. 2. Hydrochloric acid, 3 fluid ounces, apothecaries' measure. Water 29 fluid ounces. Mix and stir well. To one gallon of water, add 1-1/8 fluid ounces of solution No. 1. When ready to use, add one fluid ounce of No. 2, to the above mixture. This makes a solution which is practically neutral and which contains 2.31 per cent. free chlorine.

The best method of disinfecting a soda water glass with the above described solution is to first rinse it with warm water; next, with the solution with clear, cold water.

To wash eating utensils first clean off the grease and dirt with soap and hot water. Rinse. Put in disinfectant. Rinse with clean, clear, cold water.

### His Flute Was Better Than a Gun.

When John Jacob Astor, the founder of the Astor fortune used to go into the forests to trade with the Indians for furs he did not carry a gun. He took a flute with him and played on it, which pleased the Indians, and won him their confidence and friendship.

When you are trying to make friends never carry a gun with you. Always take a flute—the flute of courtesy, kindness, and good will.

Tattooing in red and blue completely covered the bald head of a man who appeared in a London police court recently.

Goitre is very prevalent throughout the Himalayas caused from drinking snow water.



"I wouldn't think of marrying till I'm thirty."

"Oh my! And you've been twenty-nine how long, dearest?"

### Women Organists.

So many women play the organ in church these days that it is surprising that none has as yet achieved any very great distinction, considering the lightness of touch of the modern organ. Probably the first women to attain distinction in this field were Ann and Elizabeth Mounsey, two English ladies who lived in the first half of the nineteenth century. The elder of these, Ann Shepherd, held important posts in London, and we learn with interest that in 1843 she gave the first of six series of Classical Concerts at Crosby Hall, London, for one of which Mendelssohn composed "Hear My Prayer," for voices and organ, first performed January 8, 1845.

The younger sister, Elizabeth, was for many years organist of St. Peter's, Cornhill. Besides the organ and piano we discover with some amazement, she was also a virtuoso on the guitar, and appeared in public as a performer on the instrument. This is as bad as Dussek, the virtuoso pianist, who also played the musical glasses.

### MONEY ORDERS.

Send a Dominion Express Money Order. Five Dollars costs three cents.

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A new household convenience is a portable metal cabinet into which dust can be emptied from mops without any of it flying back into a room.

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### Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

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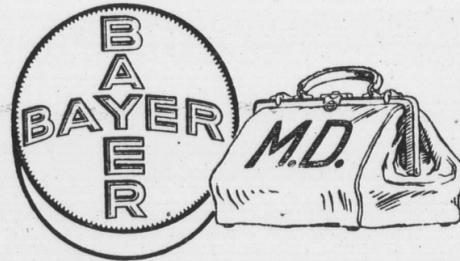
### Feels New Life and Strength

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# ASPIRIN

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H. E. Bywater, Editor and Proprietor

**NOTE AND COMMENT**

Each year the local paper gives from \$500 to \$1,000 in free lines to the community in which it is located. No other agency can or will do this. The editor in proportion to his means does more for his home town than any other man, and in all fairness he ought to be supported—not because you like him or admire his writings, but because the local paper is the best investment the community can make.—Hardware and Metal Magazine.

The carrying of firearms is regarded with fatal indifference, to the extent that the law is rendered ineffective. There is no necessity for any citizen to arm himself in this way. To do so is to invite trouble, as well as to violate the law of the land. It is not possible for the police to detect the presence of these concealed weapons in every case; it is on the co-operation of the public that reliance must be placed. If every such offence were reported, and judicially dealt with, there would soon be an end to the menace. When it is possible not merely to purchase but to tote these murderous weapons around and display them with impunity, it is not surprising that crimes occur.

The point whether police officers with a search warrant under the Ontario Temperance Act have a right to lay charge of obstruction against the occupant of a private house who refuses to admit them, was raised in the Sudbury police court Monday when Mrs. Rose Menard appeared on a charge of obstructing the police. On Saturday her house was raided in a liquor search. The police had a search warrant, but in court counsel for the accused claimed that no provision was made under the O.T.A. for laying a charge against one who refuses admission to the police under such circumstances. Magistrate Brodie remanded the case for a day to decide the point.

**Canadian Pacific Harvesters Excursions August 13th and 27th**

ON Aug. 13th and 22nd, the Canadian Pacific Railway has arranged for the annual Harvesters Excursion to the wheat fields of Canada, and this year offer to harvesters an improved service over other years. Through trains will be run through to Winnipeg, containing convertible (berth) colonist cars, with special cars reserved for women and families. The rates this year will be \$15.00 to Winnipeg, plus 1½ cent per mile beyond to points in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, but not west Edmonton, Calgary and MacLeod. Returning the fare will be one half cent per mile, plus \$20 to the starting point. Booklets giving complete information can be secured from Mr. J. A. Potvin, city ticket agent or Mr. G. E. McGrade, city passenger agent, C.P.R., 46 King St. west, Brockville.

**THE GOLD MEDAL SCHOOL.**

Since the inauguration of medal awards for fast and accurate Typewriting by the Underwood Typewriter Co., the Brockville Business College students have captured 180 bronze medals signifying upwards of 40 words per minute, 13 silver medals signifying upwards of 60 words per minute, and 2 gold medals signifying upwards of 80 words per minute. The highest record was made by Miss Rena Spencer at 107 words per minute.

Mr. G. W. Cowan, in charge of the College Typewriting Department, is a gold medalist. We know of no other school in Canada that can boast of such a record. The principal, W. T. Rogers is announcing the Fall Term opening next Tuesday, Sept. 4th.

**Here and There**

Nearly four thousand men were recruited by the Canadian Pacific Railway agents in England for work in the harvest fields of the Canadian West.

A sudden demand for wheat in Scandinavian markets has caused increased activity in the movement of grain through Vancouver. Four boats left with bulk wheat for ports of Norway and Sweden, marking the first direct grain shipments from the Canadian Pacific coast to Scandinavia.

The rapid increase in the export butter trade of Saskatchewan during the past year or two has been the outstanding feature of the provincial dairy industry. Recently the Saskatchewan Co-operative Creameries made a shipment of 25,000 lbs. of butter to China.

The export of gold bullion, gold coin, and fine gold bars from Canada, except as deemed advisable by the Minister of Finance, and as licensed by him, is prohibited until July 1, 1924, by proclamation issued in the current issue of the Canada Gazette.

Breaking all 1923 passenger traffic records, the Canadian Pacific S.S. "Metagama," westbound from Glasgow via Belfast, docked recently at Quebec, and Montreal the same evening, with a record number of 382 cabin and 1,078 third-class passengers.

"There are hundreds of first class farm workers in Scotland anxious to come to Canada, and the finest material Canada could wish for, but their wages are sufficient to barely support them and they are unable to accumulate funds for the passage." This is the opinion of Thomas Scotland, of the Canadian Pacific Railway Colonization and Development office in Glasgow, who recently arrived in Canada with a party of Scotch immigrants bound for the western provinces.

To J. K. L. Ross, director of the Canadian Pacific Railway, goes the honor of catching the world's record fish with rod and reel. At St. Ann's Bay, N.S., he landed a tuna weighing 712 pounds; length, 9 feet 2 inches; girth, 6 feet. Commander Ross used a Vom Hofe tuna rod and reel, No. 39 thread line, with mackerel for bait. His catch took three and a quarter hours to land.

The world's wheat crop this year is estimated at 3,318,000,000 bushels, as compared with 3,104,000,000 bushels last year, an increase of 214,000,000 bushels, according to figures carefully compiled by the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome. The estimated shipments from supply countries of the world for this year is 630,000,000 bushels, of which Canada is expected to supply 290,000,000 bushels, or about one-third.

Canadian trade with Australia is on the increase, according to returns made public by the Bureau of Statistics. Canadian exports to Australia for the twelve months ending with June were \$19,824,239 as compared with \$12,200,468 for the corresponding period ending June, 1922. Canada's imports from the Commonwealth have also increased. The imports from Australia for the last twelve months were \$1,545,829, as compared with \$1,275,871 for the year previous.

**WOMEN'S INSTITUTE NOTES.**

Although the day was unfavorable with frequent showers, grandmothers' and great grandmothers came to the Rest Room on Saturday afternoon to enjoy the meeting held in their honor. Miss Carrie Robeson, accompanied by Mrs. G. W. Beach, sang sweetly, "Silver Threads Among the Gold." By way of comparing the sentiment and words of the old-time song with the popular music of to-day, the Misses Irene and Margery Gordon sang "Yes, We Have No Bananas." Mrs. Ettie Eaton gave a paper on "Then and Now," taking us back to the early settlement of our village and bringing us along, step by step, to our present attractive and pretty little town. Mrs. Eaton also gave two readings, "When Grandmother was a Girl," and "Children's Day." Following this paper, the grandmothers exchanged many reminiscences of their younger days in Athens. After viewing the display of articles, "What Grandmother Had," dainty refreshments were served and a half hour friendly discourse was thoroughly enjoyed.

The Dressmaking Course to be conducted by a demonstrator from the Department, will begin Sept. 17th and continue 10 days. Any one wishing to take this course will kindly send names in early, on or before Sept. 7th. Eichten is the class limit. Do not delay, as first names in will be given the preference. For further particulars inquire of the committee, Mrs. E. Purcell, Mrs. W. A. Eaton, Mrs. Chas. F. Yates. The class will be conducted at a time in the day most convenient to the majority of the applicants.

The Women's Institute, in response to an invitation to do some sewing for the Brockville General Hospital, has decided to make 25 hospital shirts, the material being provided by the Hospital. Anyone wishing to make one or more of these garments kindly notify the committee, Miss Addie Hunt, Mrs. Charles F. Yates, and the material, cut out, will be sent you.



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**Notice of Registration of By-Law**

NOTICE is hereby given that a By-Law was passed by the Municipal Council of the Township of the Rear of Yonge and Escott on the 30th day of July, 1923, providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$15,000 for the purpose of the erection of a High School in the Village of Athens, and that such By-law was registered in the registry office of the Registry Division of the County of Leeds on the Seventh day of August, 1923. Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated the seventh day of August, 1923.  
R. E. CORNELL, Clerk

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The Italian Apiaries (so-called bees of specializing in Bees of Italian blood)—on Wiltse Street—makes it possible for citizens to follow the advice of Holy Writ: "Eat thou honey because it is good." The proprietor, Mr. M. B. Holmes, has for a great many years catered to those who have a taste for this most healthful food product.

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The Earl Construction Company—Hardware, Paints, Varnishes, Murecco, Ford Parts and Accessories, Tinware, etc. "Genuine" B. & H. White Lead and Oil. Quick and courteous service assured. All work guaranteed satisfactory.—Earl Construction Company.

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## Here and There

A discovery of excellent ochre (raw sienna) was recently made near Ellershouse Station on the Dominion Atlantic Railway. The color is uniform throughout, with very little gritty matter in the main body. The material can be burnt to produce a variety of colors from reddish brown to black. Prospecting is still going on.

Canadian Pacific S.S. "Metagama" westbound from Glasgow via Belfast, recently docked at Montreal and Quebec with the record number of 382 cabin and 1,078 third class passengers. This constituted a record only for ships of the size and type of the "Metagama," the Canadian Pacific Empress liners often having a far larger list.

Canadian Pacific Railway officials estimated that 61,000 men would be required to harvest the western crop this year. They expected to supply only 9,000 from the prairie provinces and British Columbia and made arrangements to carry over 50,000 from Ontario, Quebec and the east.

United States factories turn out chewing gum to the value of \$41,000,000 annually. The extent to which this product is used in this country can be appreciated when it is known that at the Canadian Pacific Windsor station, Montreal, a man is continually employed in removing gum stains from the marble floor.

Despite the fact that the new Basilica at St. Anne de Beaupre is still in course of construction, many thousands more have visited the shrine this year than in former years and at frequent intervals the Canadian Pacific Railway has been called upon to add special equipment to its regular trains to accommodate the pilgrims. The Redemptorist Fathers are investigating a large number of cures claimed to be miraculous.

E. L. Richardson, manager of the Calgary Stampede of 1923, held under the patronage of the Prince of Wales and Governor-General Byng, announces that, owing to the enormous success of the great rodeo July 9-14 it will be staged annually instead of at intervals of several years, as heretofore. The recent Stampede was attended by 137,800 people.

Only once in the history of Canada was the gold production record set in 1922 exceeded, and that was in 1900, when the Yukon placers reached the peak of their yield. During 1922, 1,263,364 ounces of gold were mined in the Dominion. The value is set at \$26,116,050, an increase of 36% over the previous year's figures. In 1900, 1,350,057 ounces of gold were mined and the value was \$27,908,153.

Canada's trade is climbing ahead. Total trade in the three months ending June was \$462,544,438, an increase of \$110,841,056 over the corresponding three months of last year. For June alone total trade was \$179,720,516, an increase of \$44,944,732 over last year. Domestic exports in the three months increased approximately \$50,000,000 and imports approximately \$61,000,000.

## Okanagan and Fruit Conservation



The view is that of a flourishing new fruit district in the Okanagan Valley near which Mrs. Smith (inset) has opened her dehydration plant (bottom left).

THE fruit products industry of Mrs. M. B. Smith of Naramata, Okanagan Valley, is a story of Canadian initiative that has assumed large proportions. After extensive research work and experimenting on a small scale, Mrs. Smith is this year opening up a large plant for the dehydration of fruit at Poplar Grove, between Naramata and Penticton, where seventy fruit products will be prepared instead of eleven as sent out by Mrs. Smith from her ranch on the benches.

The site of the new factory is a point in the very heart of the fruit district and convenient to the railway. A siding of the Kettle Valley Railway will be run into the premises.

The most important factor of the enlarged scope of the work is that the new industry will utilize much soft and perishable fruit that would otherwise go to waste as most of the fruit must be in a tree-ripened condition for dehydration and therefore much too ripe to ship.

Mrs. Smith was visiting on the prairies in the early stages of the war when conservation of food was beginning to be a vital question. She saw dried logan berries for the first time and it led her to dwell on the possibilities of the dehydration of other fruits and vegetables. Later, visiting in the Okanagan Valley, she was much concerned over the large

quantity of fruit and vegetables that could not be shipped so, with broad vision and patriotic idea, she began the evaporation of fruit. Mrs. Smith made an extensive study of the work and persisted, despite the fact that men of experience declared that she could not dry fruit, other than apples. Now she is in the unique position of being the first one in Canada who has dried fruit, other than apples, on a commercial basis. Her dried peach is the only totally peeled peach on the market, either in Canada or the United States.

Mrs. Smith, being very much interested in movements to promote the practical usefulness of women in this work. Having no desire to keep a monopoly of the new industry of which she may be said to be the founder, she hopes that all women in fruit growing districts may start small evaporating plants to care for their surplus fruits, not only for their own households but also for export.

By dehydration a large part of the fruit and vegetables which otherwise spoil is saved. The products are so reduced in weight and bulk that one railway car or one ship will carry as much dehydrated fruit as ten of fresh.

Mrs. Smith, in continuing to make a study of conditions, is opening up a new field and demonstrating that women are the natural housekeepers of the race.

## Banking by Mail

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## Notice of Registration of By-Law

NOTICE is hereby given that a By-law was passed by the Municipal Council of the Village of Athens, on the 36th day of July, 1923, providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$40,000 for the purpose of the erection of a High School in the Village of Athens, and that such By-law was registered in the registry office of the registry division of the County of Leeds on the Eleventh day of August, 1923. Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated this Thirteenth day of August, 1923.

E. J. PURCELL, Clerk.

## For Sale

On August 27th, between Athens and John Loverin's, Lansdowne Rear, a Ladies' Coat, brown cloth. Finder will please leave same with owner.

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MR. MINER SWEET will hold a Dispersion Sale of Farm Stock and Implements at his farm - half way from Morton to Sealey's Bay on Main Road on Tuesday, Sept. 4th, at 1 p. m., sharp. No reserve as farm is sold. - H. W. Imerson, Auctioneer.

MR. S. H. BARLOW, will hold an Auction Sale of Household Effects at his residence, Delta, on Thursday, Sept. 6th at 1 p. m. - H. W. Imerson, Auctioneer.

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## Kootenay Indians Baseball Champions



The Kootenay Indians who played such a prominent part in the pageant arranged in connection with the David Thompson Memorial celebrations at Lake Windermere, B.C., are not only expert riders and canoe-men, but have recently taken to baseball with wonderful enthusiasm. At the Lake Windermere District Fall Fair they played against a white team for the silver cup offered by Randolph Bruce, a local mine owner, winning it with a score of seven to five. The accompanying photographs show the team in their day clothes, and in their baseball rig-out. The team is captained by Dominic Nicholas, who is seen standing immediately behind the cup, and is supported by Martin Sam, Conrad Short, Christopher Joseph, Frank Whitehead, Noah Alpine, Gabriel Paul, Joseph Eugene, and Jerome Joseph. The Kootenays are one of the healthiest and most athletic tribes of Indians in America, the records of David Thompson over a hundred years ago intimating that they have always been a fine upstanding set of men. In the old days they were famous hunters, but now they spend more of their time farming and are adepts in the use of irrigation. During the pageant they appeared in wonderfully fine costumes, rich in blues and purples, and harmonious reds, making a display which greatly impressed their white brethren. Every Kootenay woman, and the horses they breed are of fine quality.

An Indian baseball team which won the championship of East Kootenay, at Lake Windermere, B.C.

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**His Name Was Preserved Fish**

—BY RICHARD CONNELL.

PART IV.

With a sigh of satisfaction the man who had been Preserved Fish took up his work behind the soda fountain of the Alpha and Omega Drug Store, Main Street, Bucyrus.

He sought out a boarding house. "What name?" asked the lady who kept it.

"John Fish."

There was no smile. "Pay in advance," was all she said, not even a remark about Yarmouth blasters.

He was introduced to the other boarders, minor employees like himself.

"Miss Dowson, meet Mr. John Fish."

A fat, moist hand and a fat, moist smile; no giggle; no impression made on Miss Dowson.

"Mr. Hewitt, meet Mr. John Fish."

A quick, tight grip, a quick, tight smile, a toneless "Glad to know you." That was all. No interest in Mr. John Fish was evinced by Mr. Hewitt.

"Miss Smith, meet Mr. John Fish."

A well-kept little hand and a pleasant smile, but purely a formal one. And so with the other boarders.

John Fish had a faint, vague feeling of missing something.

At breakfast next morning no one looked up when he came in; no one nudged anybody in the ribs; no one tittered. He was permitted to eat in moody silence; no heed was paid to him. Only Miss Smith spoke to him, and she called him "Mr. Gish."

Two thoughts escorted him to his work in the Alpha and Omega Drug Store. One was that no one had ever forgotten his name before. The other was that Miss Smith had auburn hair.

Long, uneventful weeks of milk shakes, phosphates, frappes, banana splits, and sodas floated by, and to John Fish came the slow realization that he was not as happy as one should be who has just escaped from

an odious bondage. He joined the Bucyrus Baptist Church and went to all its social functions; but with his absence of personality he was very much a wallflower. No one sought an introduction to him. No one looked up when he came in, or followed him with curious eyes when he went out.

One night three months after he fled from his home his drug store was burglarized, and he had a not unimportant part in catching and subduing the thief. In the Bucyrus "Bugle," next morning, he sought eagerly for an account of the affair. He found it at last, a meagre paragraph hidden among the shoe advertisements. With a strange, starved feeling he read it, and noted that his name was dragged into the last sentence, quite casually.

"A clerk named John Fisk helped to catch the thief."

That was all. They even had the name wrong. He thought of the story the Clintonia "Star" would have spread on its front page had he, Preserved Fish, been a hero back home. Nothing less than two columns and his picture, and his name in the headline. He realized now why he was feeling so lonely, so utterly left out. He missed the notoriety.

Habits die hard. Preserved Fish had the publicity habit. He admitted it to himself. He missed, actually missed, the public eye that had been focused on him. As Preserved Fish he was somebody; as John Fish he was nobody. Nobody likes to be nobody.

But one thing kept him from packing up his zither and going back to Clintonia and the spotlight. He had fallen in love with Miss Smith. She was so little and gentle and timid. Her name was Mary.

He thought her shy, with a charming shyness, as they strolled in the cemetery the following Sunday afternoon, the accepted trysting place for lovers. He conquered a lump in his throat as they sat down on a bench in a nook by a mausoleum, and spoke what was in his heart.

"Oh," she answered him in a soft, frightened voice, "I like you all right, John. But I'm very, oh, very sorry; I can't marry you."

"You can't?"

"No, John."

She laid a small hand on his blue serge sleeve.

"You see," she said, "my ideal of a husband is a man who amounts to something."

"Don't I?" said John Fish, although he knew he didn't.

"Forgive me for saying it, John, but you don't."

He stepped viciously on a passing caterpillar.

"John," said Mary, "I'm terribly sorry. But it has always been my dream to marry an important man, a distinguished man. But, John, you're just ordinary. Your very name is commonplace."

"So's yours," muttered John Fish.

"Yes, I know," returned Mary Smith, "and that's one reason I won't marry you. I hate my name. It's so common. But it wouldn't be an improvement to change it to Mrs. John Fish. If you were named Frothingham or Hollingsworth or Montessoro—I might think about it."

John Fish stared glumly at the toe of his shoe.

"Besides," added Mary Smith, "we couldn't live on eighteen dollars a week."

"But, Mary"—he started desperately to say.

"Please don't let's talk about it any more," she cried, tears in her eyes. "Good-bye."

Before he could detain her she had hurried away among the maze of monuments.

When John Fish, dejected and world-weary, shambled into his boarding house, there was a special delivery letter propped against his wash bowl. He ripped it open. It was from Galahad. The note read:

"Oh, you Preserved Fish (alias John): I just sold those Confederate notes to a collector for \$800. Being a good brother, I'll only charge you a hundred commission. Better come home, grab the seven hundred, and buy out Old Man Kepler. He'll sell. Says business is rotten since you left. Well, olive oil, old soused mackerel!

Galley.

With quick, determined steps John Fish went straight to Mary Smith's room. He heard faint sniffing, weepy

sounds inside. He banged on the door.

"Who is it?" called the faintest of voices.

"It's me," he said.

"Who's me?"

"Preserved Fish," he answered loudly.

"What?" The weepy sounds stopped.

"Yes, that's my real name. Preserved Fish. Get 'hat? Preserved Fish."

"Uh-huh," from inside the door.

"I changed my name to 'John' because 'Preserved' made me so conspicuous. Now I'm going to change it back to 'Preserved' and be somebody again."

Mary Smith, a little red about the eyes, but smiling, came out into the hallway.

"Is that true what you said?" she asked.

For answer he thrust the letter into her hand.

"Are you the Preserved Fish whose name used to be in the papers?" she asked, looking up at him shyly. Awe was in her tone.

"There isn't another man named Preserved Fish in the world," he said, his chest expanding.

"Oh, Preserved," cried Mary Smith softly.

He did the proper thing. If you should chance to go down Market Street in Clintonia, at the corner of Cannon Street you will see a glittering drug store, the most prosperous in town; and over it, the largest sign in that part of the state, in gleaming letters of gold reads:

DRUGS AND SODA  
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(The End.)

**Here Comes the Thief.**

Here comes the thief  
Men nickname Time,  
Oh, hide you, leaf,  
And hide you, rhyme.

Leaf, he would take you  
And leave you rust.

Rhyme, he would flake you  
With spotted dust.

Scurry to cover,  
Delicate maid

And serious lover,  
Girl, bind the braid

For the lusciously fair  
He has an eye

For the lusciously fair  
Who passes by.

O lover, hide—  
Who comes to plunder

Has the crafty stride  
Of unheard thunder.

Quick—lest he snatch,  
In his grave need,

And sift and match,  
Then sow like seed

Your love's sweet grief  
On the backward air.

With the rhyme and the leaf  
And the maiden's hair.

—Hazel Hall.



**Lowering Herself.**

"You say she's lowering herself to go with that man?"

"Yes; he doesn't like high heels and she's stopped wearing them."

**Dogs Following Motors.**

The practice is again being indulged in of allowing pet dogs to run behind motor cars. This is a dangerous proceeding—for the dog. It becomes overheated and strained in trying to keep up, and is apt to suffer greatly. It is a cruel and thoughtless proceeding, and one that will not be permitted. A dog must, of course, have exercise, but it should be obtained in some other way.

**Minard's Liniment Heals Cuts.**

A good attitude of mind is that of the man in a rowboat headed upstream. He knows that he must row even to hold his own.

Cats need plenty of grass. Give them either a run out of doors, or, if that is impossible, green stuff grown in a box.

**About the House**

**REMOVING STAINS.**

Grease just has a natural affinity for good clothes. At least I so concluded recently when I stepped from the car and discovered I had an immense smear of grease on one of my best gray silk stockings. If you don't know what to do with a grease spot or a stain it's a calamity. If you do know what to do it is only a nuisance. I find the following list almost indispensable, for I am never quite sure which remover I should use when a spot appears upon a cherished garment.

**Grease.** Rub lard or oil in spot and launder in the usual way. For grease on delicate fabrics a paste of fuller's earth or white chalk is a good solvent. Apply paste and allow it to absorb the grease. If the spot does not disappear at first, try another or several applications.

**Grass.** For light fabrics hot water and soap is the best solvent. Ordinary laundering and boiling should remove grass stains from white goods. For colored fabrics use a solvent of soap and cooking soda made into a paste. Rub this paste on the spot and let stand over night. Then launder in the usual way.

**Chocolate.** Sprinkle with borax and soak in cold water. Then wash in warm water, using soap.

**Coffee and Tea.** Spread stained surface over bowl or tub. Pour boiling water through stained part from a height so as to strike the stain with force.

**Cream.** Wash in cold water, then with warm water and soap.

**Fruit.** Treat like coffee stain. If stain persists soak in solution of Javelle water and boiling water for a few minutes. Rinse thoroughly with boiling water to which a little dilute ammonia water has been added.

**Blood.** Cold water or a paste of cornstarch and water is a satisfactory solvent. Soak in cold water till stain turns brown. Rub out of cold water, applying soap, and wash in warm water. In using cornstarch, apply the paste, making several applications till the stain is absorbed.

**Mildew.** For a solvent use lemon juice or a paste of one tablespoonful of starch, the juice of one lemon, a little soft soap and salt. To remove the stain, wet with lemon juice and expose to the sun or apply the paste and expose to the sun.

**Paint.** Turpentine, benzine or alcohol are good solvents for most cases. For delicate colors use chloroform. For old paint stains equal parts of turpentine and ammonia is good. Wet the spot with one of the solvents; let stand for a few minutes. If stain is not removed, wet again and sponge or pat with a clean cloth.

**Iron Rust.** For this stain three solvents may be used: A 10 per cent. solution of hydrochloric acid, oxalic acid or a paste of lemon juice, starch, salt and soap. In using one of the acids, wet the stained portion with borax and water and spread over a bowl of boiling water; apply acid drop by drop till stain begins to brighten. Dip at once in alkaline water to neutralize solution. If stain doesn't disappear, add more acid and rinse again in ammonia water. In using lemon juice paste, wet the spot and expose to the sun. This method is longer but it is effective with light rust spots.

**MY PANTRY TABLE.**

We had an old washstand that was too dilapidated to use, so we threw it on the junk heap, keeping the marble slab as a top. The table sits at the pantry window near the flour barrel and is used daily for rolling bread, pies, and so on.—Mrs. C. B. G.

**SPARE KITCHEN MOMENTS.**

My kitchen has a sunny pleasant window which until a few months ago was of no use to me except for its original purpose—to admit light. But now I have installed beside it a comfortable rocking chair, and just above this on the wall a small shelf painted white. On this I keep not only my recipe files and account book but one or two books of fiction, and when I

find a few minutes—when I am waiting for something to boil, for instance—I sit down comfortably and pick up a book. This is infinitely better than taking a chance on going into another room, becoming absorbed in something else and forgetting what's on the stove.

One thing I have banished forever from my kitchen; that is my work basket. When I am head over heels in cooking, baking, and the thousand and one duties of a housewife I do not want to be reminded at every turn that there is a pile of mending waiting for me.—Ruth E. Botsford.

**A STYLISH COSTUME SUIT.**



4305-4291. Youthful and very popular is this smart suit, with its one-piece dress and the accompanying box coat. As illustrated, the blouse portion of the dress is of figured silk, and the skirt portion and jacket are of Canton crepe. This will be a good style for linen or ratine. The width of the skirt at the foot is 2 1/4 yards.

The Jacket Pattern, 4291, is cut in 8 Sizes: 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 years. The dress, 4305, is cut in 4 Sizes: 14, 16, 18 and 20 years. To make the dress and jacket as illustrated in the large view will require for a 16-year size 4 1/2 yards of 40-inch material for jacket and skirt portions, and 2 1/4 yards of 32-inch silk or contrasting material for blouse and sleeve portions.

TWO separate patterns mailed to any address on receipt of 15c FOR EACH pattern in silver or stamps, by the Wilson Publishing Co., 73 West Adelaide St., Toronto. Allow two weeks for receipt of pattern.

**Minard's Liniment for Dandruff.**

**Shopmen of the King.**

The King does not, in the ordinary course of events, do his own shopping. It is done for him. All the same, he has certain shops which he favors, and to these he gives his Royal patronage.

From a recently issued list it appears that the King has seven fish merchants; eight grocers, two tailors; six tobacconists; four hatters; five bakers; two brandy merchants; four fruit merchants; eight butchers; and five champagne merchants.

Also included in the list, among a host of other shopmen, are a rose grower, a fish sauce manufacturer, a kilt maker, a philatelist, a maker of hard tennis courts, and a manufacturer of lamprey pies!

The Prince of Wales seems to have more tailors than the King, though this does not mean he wears more clothes. He has nine tailors. But as one of them is in Melbourne, his Royal Highness probably does not regularly patronize them all.

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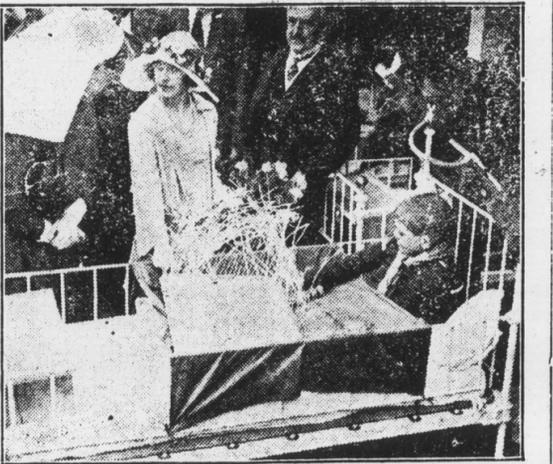
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**THE DUCHESS OF YORK AT ROOF HOSPITAL**

The Duchess of York was present at the inauguration of a roof ward at a hospital for children, and was caught by the photographer intensely interested in an explanation being made by a nurse at the bedside of a little patient who is making a piece of basketry.

**Mustard is valuable in the diet**

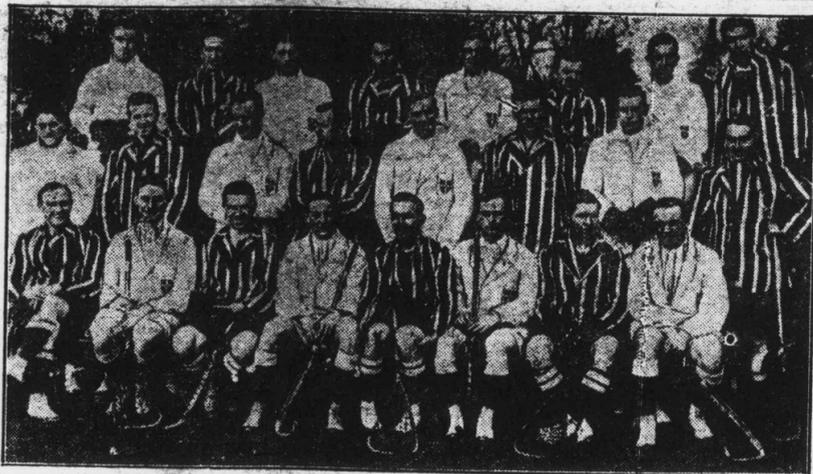
Did you know that mustard not only gives more zest and flavor to meats, but also stimulates your digestion? Because it aids assimilation it adds nourishment to foods.

**but it must be Keen's**

# HOME BANK SUSPENDS PAYMENT AFTER TWENTY YEARS BUSINESS LIFE

A despatch from Toronto says:—Serious impairment of the assets of the Home Bank of Canada having been caused by losses sustained in a number of large loans and investments, it has been deemed advisable that the institution should suspend payment. Announcement to this effect was made late on Friday afternoon following a meeting of the Board of Directors, at which A. E. Calvert, recently appointed assistant general manager, presented a report which, according to an official statement later issued, was of a "serious character," the immediately liquid assets of the bank having been practically depleted. Negotiations with other banks for the absorption of the Home Bank having proved futile, it was found necessary to close the doors of the institution, the affairs of which will be administered by Mr. A. B. Barker, who has been appointed curator under the provisions of the Banking Act. He will be required to present a report within three months' time, when the Canadian Bankers' Association will decide what further action is to be taken. Mr. Barker has been manager of the Toronto Clearing House for the past six years, and previously had long service with the Bank of Toronto, holding the post of supervisor when he resigned.

It was stated on Friday that within the past four days there have been heavy withdrawals of funds on the part of depositors, rumors that the bank was in difficulty having been in circulation recently in the financial district. Among the number of large loans referred to in the official statement as of a "bad and doubtful" nature, it is stated is one to a large pulp and paper company which had been operating in British Columbia, but which for some time has been closed down. It is believed that, to a very considerable extent, loans to this enterprise are responsible for the straits in which the Home Bank has been placed.



**OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE LACROSSE PLAYERS TO TOUR CANADA**  
The above picture, taken just before a recent game, shows the two lacrosse teams, Oxford in the dark uniforms and Cambridge in white, which are now commencing a tour of Canada which will take them from coast to coast. They reached Canada on the "Montclair" early in August and the tour will continue until October 5.

# The Week's Markets

**TORONTO.**  
Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.21.  
Manitoba oats—No. 3 CW, 51c; No. 1 feed, 47c.  
Manitoba barley—Nominal.  
All the above, track, bay ports.  
American corn—No. 2 yellow, \$1.06.  
Barley—Nominal.  
Buckwheat—No. 2, nominal.  
Rye—No. 2, nominal.  
Peas—No. 2, nominal.  
Millfeed—Del. Montreal freights, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$25 to \$26; shorts, per ton, \$27 to \$29; middlings, \$33 to \$35; good feed flour, \$2.15 to \$2.25.  
Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, nominal.  
Ontario No. 2 white oats—Nominal.  
Ontario corn—Nominal.  
Ontario flour—Ninety per cent. pat, in jute bags, Montreal, prompt shipment, \$5.10 to \$5.20; Toronto basis, \$5.05 to \$5.15; bulk seaboard, \$4.95 to \$5.00.  
Manitoba flour—1st pats., in cotton sacks, \$6.90 per bbl.; 2nd pats., \$6.85.  
Hay—Extra, No. 2 timothy, per ton, track, Toronto, \$15; No. 3 timothy, \$13; mixed, \$12.50 to \$13.50.  
Straw—Car lots, per ton, track, Toronto, \$9.50.  
Cheese—New, large, 22c; twins, 22½c; triplets, 23c; Stiltons, 24c. Old, large, 32c; twins, 32½c; triplets, 33c; Stiltons, 33½c. New Zealand old cheese, 30c.  
Butter—Finest creamery prints, 38 to 38c; ordinary creamery, 34 to 35c; No. 2, 32 to 33c.  
Eggs—Extras in cartons, 38 to 39c; extras, 36 to 37c; firsts, 31 to 32c; seconds, 24 to 25c.  
Live poultry—Spring chickens, 80c; hens, over 5 lbs., 22c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 20c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 17c; roosters, 12c; ducklings, over 5 lbs., 25c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 20c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 25c.  
Dressed poultry—Spring chickens, 40c; hens, over 5 lbs., 28c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 24c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 20c; roosters, 15c; ducklings, over 5 lbs., 25c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 20c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 30c.  
Beans—Canadian, hand-picked, lb., 7c; primes, 6½c.  
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 12c lb.; 10-lb. tins, 11 to 12c; 5-lb. tins, 12 to 13c; 2½-lb. tins, 13 to 14c. Ontario honey, per doz., \$4 to \$4.50; No. 2, \$3.50 to \$4.  
Smoked meats—Hams, med., 27 to 29c; cooked hams, 43 to 45c; smoked rolls, 22 to 24c; cottage rolls, 23 to 26c; breakfast bacon, 30 to 34c; special brand breakfast bacon, 34 to 38c; backs, boneless, 32 to 38c.  
Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 50 to 70 lbs., \$18; 70 to 90 lbs., \$17.50; 90 lbs. and up, \$16.50; lightweight rolls, in barrels, \$36; heavyweight rolls, \$35.  
Lard—Pure tierces, 15½ to 15¾c; tubs, 16 to 16½c; pails, 16½ to 17c; prints, 18c. Shortening tierces, 14 to 14½c; tubs, 14½ to 14¾c; pails, 14½ to 15½c; prints, 17 to 17½c.  
Choice heavy steers, \$7 to \$7.60; butcher steers, choice, \$7 to \$7.40; do, good, \$6.50 to \$7; do, med., \$5.50 to \$6.50; do, com., \$4.50 to \$5.50; butcher heifers, choice, \$6.50 to \$7; do, med., \$5.50 to \$6.25; do, com., \$4 to \$5.50; butcher cows, choice, \$4 to \$5; do, med., \$3 to \$4; canners and cutters, \$1.25 to \$2; feeding steers, good, \$5 to \$6; do, fair, \$4 to \$5; stockers, good, 4.50 to \$5.25; strong bakers, \$3 to \$4; milkers, springers, each, \$80 to \$100; calves, choice, \$10 to \$11; do, med., \$8 to \$10; do, com., \$4 to \$7; lambs, spring, \$12.50; sheep, choice light, \$3.60 to \$6.50; do, choice, heavy, \$4 to \$5; do, culls and bucks, \$2.75 to \$3.50; hogs, fed and watered, \$10.50 to \$10.60; do, f.o.b., \$9.90 to \$10; do, country points, \$9.65 to \$9.75.

**MONTREAL.**  
Corn—Am. No. 2 yellow, \$1.04.  
Oats—CW, No. 2, 56 to 57c; CW, No. 3, 53 to 54c; extra No. 1 feed, 52 to 52½c; No. 2 local white, 51 to 51½c.  
Flour—Man. spring wheat pats., 1sts, \$6.90; 2nds, \$6.40; strong bakers, \$6.20; winter pats., choice, \$5.75 to \$5.85. Rolled oats, bag 90 lbs.—\$3 to \$3.10. Bran—\$25 to \$26. Shorts—\$28 to \$29. Middlings—\$33 to \$34. Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$15.  
Cheese, finest easterns, 19½ to 20c; butter, choicest creamery, 34c; eggs, selected, 35c.  
Hogs, ungraded lots, \$10.50; government graded select bacon hogs, \$11.25.

# FREAKISH WEATHER THREATENS U.S. CROPS

## Drought and Hot Winds Seriously Affect Cotton Harvest in Southern States.

A despatch from Washington says:—Washington scientists have renewed their interest in the discovery announced last April by Dr. C. G. Abbot of the Smithsonian Institute, that the sun had gone on strike to the extent of delivering from three to four degrees less heat to the earth than normally, because of the freak character of the summer season. Following a late spring, the summer, which has been intensely hot throughout the country, has been characterized by a drought which is alarming the Department of Agriculture. The freak weather conditions here have been duplicated in Europe, South America and Africa, indicating a planetary rather than a local condition. The South Atlantic and Eastern Gulf States alone have had so many thunderstorms as seriously to affect the cotton crops, and Texas and Oklahoma, which have been relied upon to produce not less than 35 per cent. of this year's production of cotton, are now seriously menaced by drought and hot winds. Natives of the Fiji Islands build substantial buildings and decorate them artistically.

# Dominion News in Brief

**Quatsino, B.C.**—A very valuable parcel of seal skins, the catch of the Indians of the West Coast of Vancouver Island during the spring of this year, has been shipped to Vancouver for transhipment to London. The catch is valued at \$30,000.  
**Lethbridge, Alta.**—According to statements contained in the annual report of the reclamation service of the Department of the Interior, it is possible to irrigate nearly 400,000 acres more south and east of Lethbridge, at a cost of about \$40 an acre. The development of this area, however, depends on the development of the reservoir system on the Waterton, St. Mary's and Milk Rivers. For the development of the Lethbridge southeastern project the cost of reservoir system would be about \$6.40 an acre.  
**Regina, Sask.**—Parties of surveyors and chemists are now working on the Regina Beach and Inglebright deposits of sodium sulphate under the supervision of I. H. Cole, research chemist of the Dominion Department of Mines. The work of the parties is to estimate and classify the deposits within the province.  
**Winnipeg, Man.**—The increase in the number of farms in Manitoba in the last decade has been about 9,000, according to a statement issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, or at the rate of nearly 1,000 a year. The province has now more than 53,000 occupied farms, with an area of over 14,600,000 acres, the average size of the Manitoba farm being 274.2 acres. The value of the farm property of the province, based on the census of 1921, is placed at \$656,500,961.  
**Fort William, Ont.**—There is still a shortage of both skilled and unskilled labor at the head of the lakes, no doubt due to the heavy elevator construction program that is being carried on. The contractors are rushing the work forward with all possible speed with a view to having the various elevators and additions ready to handle the fall crop.  
**Montreal, Que.**—It is stated that the Laurentide Co. is now setting out 1,000,000 new trees a year which are grown on its own nurseries, and by 1925 will be setting out 5,000,000 trees a year.  
**Woodstock, N.B.**—Virginia growers are all most enthusiastic over Canadian potato seed, according to the statement of H.H. Hatfield, who has just returned from a trip from that State, where he was making an investigation of the out-turn of New Brunswick potato seed in comparison with that of Prince Edward Island and Maine. The productivity of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island seed was about equal, but New Brunswick potatoes brought forth better formed tubers. On the whole Canadian seed proved more productive than that of Maine in the ratio of two to one.

# IMPORTANT CHANGES IN OTTAWA CABINET

supporter of the Union Government by a majority of 767. In 1911 Mr. Macdonald's majority was 264.  
In South Renfrew Mr. Low had in 1912 a majority of 1,651.  
Mr. Macdonald will be sworn in at Halifax by the Governor-General.  
It is possible that the seed extracting plant of the Dominion Government at New Westminster, B.C., may be reopened this fall as the fir cone crop in the Fraser Valley is a large one. Seed from this plant is distributed in Canada, the United Kingdom, and other European countries.



**Irish Rebel Chief Captured**  
Eamon de Valera, who was arrested by Irish Free State troops as he was making an election speech at Ennis, Ireland.

# Prince to Travel Direct to Alberta Ranch

A despatch from London says:—The Prince of Wales has provisionally booked his passage for Canada on the Empress of France, to sail on September 5. He will go straight from Quebec to his ranch in Alberta. He expects to return to London about the end of October.  
His Royal Highness left Thursday night for Glamis Castle, the residence of the Earl and Countess of Strathmore, parents of the Duchess of York, to join the Duke and Duchess of York, who are visiting at Glamis Castle.



**Harold Nolce.**  
The explorer, who is now making a dash to Wrangel Island to rescue Allan Crawford and his party, who have been marooned there for two years, taking possession of the island for Canada. The Soviet is threatening to capture the party.

# DeValera Removed to Dublin Under Strong Guard

A despatch from Dublin says:—Eamon de Valera was removed from Limerick to Dublin under a strong escort on Friday, says the Central News.  
A despatch to the Daily Express from Rome says the Irish Republicans appealed to Pope Pius to intervene in behalf of De Valera. Cardinal Gasparri, the Papal Secretary of State, replied that the Vatican lacked power to intervene officially.

# Statue to Honor Writer of Stories on Insects

A despatch from Paris says:—A committee headed by General de Castelnau, and including leading educators and officials of the Department of Aveyron, is arranging for the erection of a statue to Jean-Henri Fabre, who wrote books about insects that were more interesting than romances. The monument, now being executed by the sculptor Malet, will be placed within a year on the central square of Saint-Leons, the village where Fabre spent his childhood. The committee considered this peaceful spot the most appropriate for a statue of the "noblest and purest son of Aveyron."

# DeVALERA LODGED IN COUNTY CLARE JAIL

## Arrest of "President of Irish Republic" Made by Free State Troops.

A despatch from Ennis says:—Eamon De Valera, "president of the Irish Republic," at last is in the custody of the Free State authorities. He was arrested here on Wednesday as he was starting an election speech to his constituents. He had boldly announced his coming and when he took his position on the rostrum in Market Square Free State troops threw a cordon about him. The crowd that had gathered had given him a tumultuous reception, and he had just started his address in Gaelic when a shout arose, "the soldiers are coming." Simultaneously armored cars rattled up to the vicinity of the platform. The crowd, made up of men and women, fled in all directions as the soldiers fired several volleys over their heads. Many of the women fainted. As several soldiers rushed toward the platform, De Valera was seen to sway and then to collapse. At first it was thought the Republican leader had been shot, but it turned out that he had only fainted, probably in consequence of a blow he received during the stampede. When he recovered De Valera was assisted down the steps from the platform by troops. He waved aside a number of persons who were seemingly desirous of attempting to rescue him, and surrendered to an officer, who received him with a kindly "Come along."

When the first panic had subsided, the people who had been about the platform returned to Market Square. Many of them hurled insulting epithets at the troops and for a moment the situation looked ugly. The troops, however, took things calmly, fixed their bayonets and soon restored a degree of order. Then, with a large crowd following him, De Valera was taken to the county jail. He offered no resistance.

A despatch from Limerick says:—After his dramatic arrest at Ennis, de Valera was brought to Limerick in an armored car and safely lodged in the county jail, where he is heavily guarded. The strictest precautions are being taken against any attempt at rescue. The military authorities, while naturally unwilling to state the prisoner's ultimate destination, say he was not hurt by his alleged fall, but is dejected. He has not eaten yet, but there is no reason to suppose that he intends to go on a hunger strike.

# KIDNAPPED PRIESTS ESCAPE FROM BANDITS

## Disguised in Chinese Clothes, Recover Their Freedom—No Other Foreigners Held.

A despatch from Hankow, China, says:—The Reverend Michael McHugh and the Rev. Daniel Ward, Catholic priests who were kidnapped Thursday at Tsao-shih by Chinese bandits who looted the town, have escaped according to advices received here early on Saturday. It is said the priests disguised themselves in Chinese clothes and eluded their captors. The late reports from Tsao-shih indicated that the bandits burned the London mission hospital and its adjoining buildings instead of the Catholic hospital. The first accounts of the bandit raid told of the burning of the Catholic institution. With the escape of the two priests, it is now believed the bandits have no other foreign captives, although they are holding more than one hundred Chinese prisoners.

# Dr. Banting, Discoverer of Insulin, Returns to Canada

A despatch from Quebec says:—Among the prominent cabin passengers on the Montclair, which arrived on Friday, was Dr. F. G. Banting, of insulin fame, of Toronto, who hid himself away from the newspaper reporters who hoped to interview him. Dr. Banting continued by the Montclair to Montreal from which city he will proceed direct to Toronto.



**To Administer Combines Act.**  
Hon. James Murdock, Minister of Labor, who has been charged with the administration of the new Act of Parliament controlling combines, monopolies, trusts and mergers, it has been announced by Premier King. It provides that an investigation may be instituted on the complaint of six persons.

# Inter-Departmental Flying Operations

The increasing demand on the Royal Canadian Air Force for aerial transportation in connection with forestry, survey, inspection, and related work and for transportation for those services working in the remoter parts of the country, made it desirable to form some organization where the problems incidental to this work could be considered, and as a result an inter-departmental committee on flying operations for the civil services of the Government of Canada has been constituted. The committee will provide for the interchange of information between the various services interested, for the consideration of the results obtained, the co-ordination of flying programs throughout the country and discussion of all matters arising. The first meeting of the committee was attended by representatives of the following services: Dept. of the Interior—Surveys Bureau, Topographical Survey, Forestry Branch, National Parks Branch, International Boundary Commission, North West Territories Branch, Geodetic Survey, Dominion Water Power Branch, Dominion Observatory. Dept. of Mines—Geological Survey. Dept. of Agriculture—Entomological Branch, Experimental Farms Branch. Dept. of Public Works—Chief Engineer's Branch. Dept. of Indian Affairs.

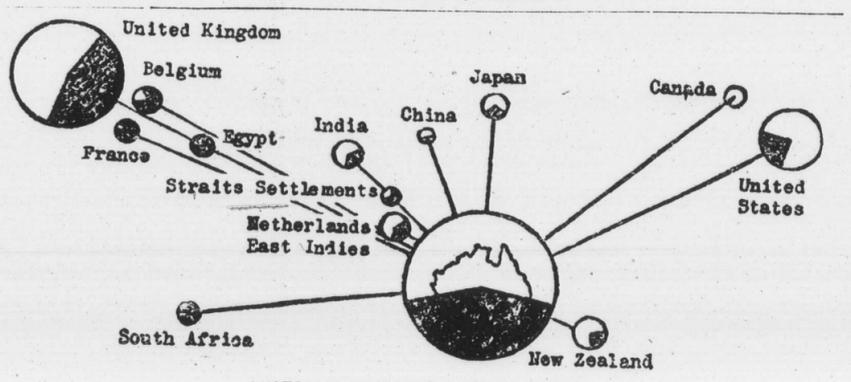
The program of flying operations for 1923 was discussed and information was given to the meeting as to the nature and extent of the operations contemplated. By giving all services full information as to the whole program it has been possible to consolidate the work and arrange for co-operation between the various departments served, so that operations undertaken in any district may serve as many departments as possible.

# Great Britain Arranging Loan for Irish Free State

A despatch from London says:—Great Britain, according to the Morning Post, is arranging a loan of £6,000,000 for the Irish Free State. In effect, the paper says, the Government is abandoning its claims to compensation for the damage to British property in Southern Ireland during the disturbed period.

# Canada Receives Interest on Greek Debt

A despatch from London says:—The Greek Government paid to the Dominion of Canada on account in London \$225,000 interest on its debt to the Dominion, which is approximately \$3,000,000. The \$225,000 interest is for the first six months of this year.



**AUSTRALIA SUGGESTS A TRADE QUOTA**  
Australia has been seriously considering the sources of her trade, and discovering that the United States has a big balance of trade against her annually which wipes out her own trade balances, suggests a trade quota against all countries that sell her more than they buy from her. The quota would act in the same way as the immigration quota in the U.S. Imports over a certain figure would be refused admission, and the expenses incurred borne by the foreign manufacturer. The chart shows white areas representing imports into Australia from the various countries and the shaded areas her exports.

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**LOCAL NEWS**  
ATHENS AND VICINITY

Ice Cream, Confectionery and fruits at Maud Addison's.

Mr. H. H. Arnold left for the West to visit his son.

NOTICE—No copy for "The Reporter" will be accepted later than Wednesday (noon)

Mr. Gerald Scovil, of Detroit, has been home lately visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Scovil.

Miss Arnold, B.A., has secured a position on the teaching staff of the Trenton High School and will assume her duties on Sept. 4th.

Dr. C. B. Lillie closed his dental office last week and left for Orillia, where he joins Mrs. Lillie. Before returning they will attend the Toronto exhibition.

Benj. Ferguson, sr., of Juntown, had the misfortune to fall from a hay stack on Thursday, breaking four ribs and also receiving a severe shaking up. Dr. Moore, of Athens, was called.

Mr. J. E. Burchell and family, of Uxbridge, passed through here recently on their way to Charleston, where they will camp for a while. As former principal of our High School, many will be glad to meet Mr. Burchell and family.

Mr. John R. Bryan passed away at the residence of his son, Frank Bryan, on Sunday morning. He was 72 years of age and was highly respected. Interment was made in the Oliver cemetery, near Gananoque, on Tuesday.

The many Athens friends of Mrs. C. Arnold are pleased to have her home again after an absence of a month at the St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, Brockville, where she underwent an operation and special treatment. She is now making rapid progress towards recovery.

Three more carloads of coal, consigned to G. W. Beach, arrived in Athens and many citizens have taken heed to the danger of a coal shortage and laid in their supply of fuel for the fall and winter. There is practically no coal held in reserve by the dealers so far.

Mr. H. B. Love, B.A., Lyndhurst, recently employed by the Lage of the Woods Milling Company, of Montreal, has received an appointment to the staff of the Calgary Commercial Collegiate, taking charge of the accountancy department. He will teach modern accountancy, office organization, and management, and commercial law.

Miss Ruth Hilliard, B.A., of Morrisburg, has left for Kobe, Japan, to fill a three years' engagement in the academy established by the Methodist Episcopal Church of the United States for the education of the children of Protestant missionaries in that country. Miss Hilliard was chosen by the Faculty of the Ontario College of Education from a large number of applicants.

The district received the grandest rain since June, on Tuesday. It was a real rainy day, but the downpour came between one and two o'clock in the afternoon and was a corker. It was a rain the farmers hereabouts have been praying for during the past month, and was searching in all respects. August 21st will be remembered with satisfaction for some time. New potatoes, corn and pasturage will get a chance to do something.

Sensation rapidly followed sensation in a dramatic motor race on West King Street, Kitchener, on Monday, between a man named Marwasky and the Provincial Police, with the result that the Provincial Police car and the fugitive truck were badly damaged in a crash, and sixteen cases of liquor were seized. The police sighted the Marwasky car and started in pursuit. The latter stopped on the gas, and a mad race ensued through the heavy traffic. Heading the rapidly gaining police car, Marwasky swerved to the left, and before a collision could be avoided, the police machine crashed into the side of the truck. Luckily no one was hurt.

Mr. Alf. Robeson bought Mrs. Chasels residence last week.

Mrs. (Dr.) Connerty, Smiths Falls, has returned home, having spent a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. N. G. Scott.

Mrs. Harold Sheffield and little girl, Helen, of Gananoque, are visiting this week at the home of Mrs. Sheffield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cross.

Charles S. Worden, Lyn, recently threshed some new oats which may be a record yield for this section. Five acres yielded 315 bushels testing 40 lbs. to the bushel.

Master Ross Robinson, who has been spending his vacation in Toronto with his father, S. E. Robinson, arrived home this week, his sister, Miss Marion, remaining in the city to complete her studies at the Collegiate.

Mr. and Mrs. William V. Lee, of Almonte, have been visiting at the home of Mr. Lee's parents, Reid St., and last week Mrs. Reid went over to Mallorytown and vicinity to visit friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lavine, Brockville, came out with their auto and took their aunt, Mrs. Ben. Livingston, and her daughter, Mrs. Webster, for a visit to Brockville and Jasper over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood and daughter, Georgia, of Portland, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Wood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Cross, so as to visit her sister, Miss Keitha Cross, who is home for her summer holidays.

Mrs. Davidena Barker and daughter, Amy, of Vancouver, have been spending the past few days in town visiting many relatives and renewing old friendships. She is a native of Oak Leaf and is visiting old home scenes after an absence of 23 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Orr and two sons, of Portland, Maine, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Orr and son, also Mr. Mont, of Portland, Me., Miss Lillie Baker and niece, Edna Lorimer, of Brockville, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Steacy, Elgin Street.

M. O. E. Robinson and two children have returned to their home at Bonston, Mass., after spending two weeks with Mr. Robinson's sister, Mrs. C. Chant, and the children's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Arnold.

Mrs. F. Scovil has returned home from Westport, where she spent a few pleasant days in camp with her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Stevens, and when coming home the Misses Norma and Reta Stevens came with their grandmother to spend part of their holidays.

Moving is the order of the day. Mr. and Mrs. James Alguire, sr., of Wiltsetown, are moving into their daughter's house on Victoria Street, and Mrs. Alice Johnson into her own house on Church Street. Mr. Rogers and family left this week for his new home, and we understand that Mr. Campbell and family will occupy the house vacated by Mr. Rogers.

The staff for the session of 1923-24 of the Athens High School, which will be reopened on Sept. 4, will be as follows: A. D. Campbell, B.A., principal and mathematics; B. D. Murwick, science; Miss Viola Warren, B.A., moderns; and Miss Helen de Renzey, B.A., classics. Mr. Campbell acted as assistant on the staff of the school at the time of its destruction by fire.

Mrs. S. B. Williams, of Addison, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. W. Kelly.

Miss Margaret Gibson has returned home from Kingston, where she spent six weeks attending Queen's University.

Ms. H. R. Knowlton is spending part of this week at Caintown, with her brother and sister—Mr. Tennant and Miss Alice Tennant.

We are a little late but extend our sympathy to Mr. Charles Kerr and family, of Elgin, because of the death of their loved one (Mrs. Kerr) which took place last week. The body was brought here and placed in the family plot.

What's the matter that so many of our men and boys are going over to the States? Mr. Harry Stevens and son, Irwin went over to Herrings, N. Y., a few weeks ago, and Mr. George Bulford went to Carthage, N.Y., a couple of weeks ago, and his son, Leonard, joined him this week.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Collins, of Almonte (former pastor of the Baptist church here), are out for an auto trip and called to see their friends at Toledo, Plum Hollow and here, and on Sunday last Mr. Collins was persuaded to take the services in each of the above Baptist Churches, and Mrs. Collins took part in the missionary meetings held this week.

Mr. Drummond, of Toledo, spent last week at Camp Restalot, Charleston Lake, with his daughter, Mrs. M. Lyons, Athens, Mrs. (Dr.) Walker, Merrickville, Miss Gertrude Drummond, Toledo, Miss Christina Drummond, nurse of the General Hospital, Brockville, and Mrs. Charles Yates was with them part of the time. All had a pleasant time and enjoyed the needed outing.

In Loving Memory  
of  
EASIL F. CONNERTY  
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Saturday, August 5th, 1918.

We cannot say, we will not say  
That he is dead—he is just away;  
With a cherry smile, and a wave of  
the hand,  
He wandered into an unknown land,  
And left us dreaming how very fair  
That land must be, since he lingers  
there.

School Fair—Athens, Sept. 19th

Miss Emra Wood spent the week-end at Dublin.

Mrs. Fred Latham has been visiting her father, Mr. Malcolm Brown.

Miss Dossie Coleman, has accepted a position in Lyndhurst, as Milliner.

Mr. Nate McVeigh, will re-open the Armstrong House, on or about Sept. 1

Miss Cora Gray has returned to Athens and will re-open her Millinery establishment on Main street.

Rev. Dr. Giles of Orange, N. Y., will occupy the Methodist Church pulpit on Sunday evening.

Rev. V. O. Boyle has returned home from his vacation and will assume his duties as usual on Sunday.

Miss Maria Alguire has been spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Mary Howarth at Lake View Cottage

Mr. James H. Howarth, has returned home to Toronto, after spending some time with relatives here.

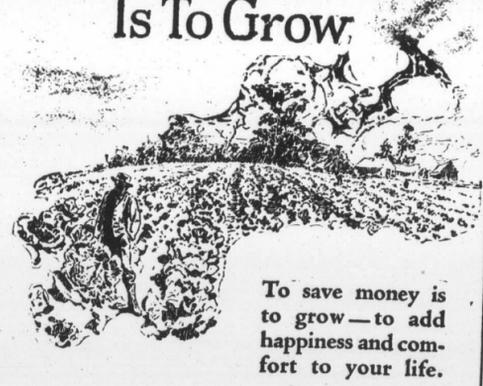
Mr. Clarke, M. P. P., of Brockville, was in town on Wednesday afternoon and during his stay here, called on several of his political supporters.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cornell returned on Tuesday evening after a week's outing with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Taylor at their summer home at Villa Minerva on the St. Lawrence.

A quiet wedding took place in Toronto on Saturday, Aug. 25th, 1923, when Austin Gordon Tribute, son of the late F. W. and Mrs. Tribute of Athens, was united in marriage to Miss Edith Mary Murray, daughter of Mrs. Chas. Sheras of Charing Cross. Miss Murray was one of the teaching staff of the Athens High School—1921-22. Their many friends here extend congratulations.

Miss A. M. Hollingsworth, Board of Health Nurse, from Carman, Manitoba, has been visiting friends in and around Athens for the past week. Miss Hollingsworth with her friend, Mrs. Jamieson, who has been visiting relatives at Acton, motored from Carman. They passed through St. Paul, Minneapolis, and Chicago, crossing the border at Detroit, visiting in St. Thomas and Toronto en route. They left this week on their return trip to Carman.

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