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2 work horses, driving horse, yearling colt, farrow cow, 3 cows in calf, 2 two-year-old heifers in calf, 2 yearling cattle, brood sow, 100 chickens and 4 turkeys, Ford touring car, Deering binder, mower, hay loader, lumber wagon, set harrows, plow, beet lifter, beet cultivator, corn cultivator, set team harness, set single harness, a quantity of household goods and other articles.  
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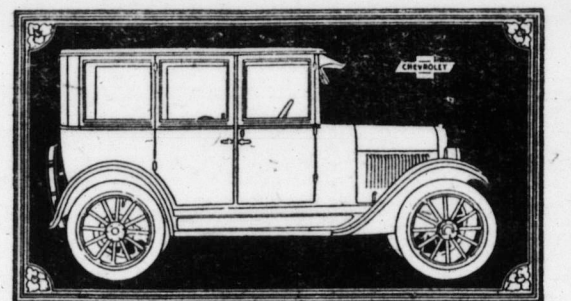
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**DISTRICT AND GENERAL**  
Duncan McLean, of Lobo died on Sunday, in his 90th year.  
Toronto has 108,215 telephones, or one to every five of the population.  
There will be daylight saving time in Toronto again this year, commencing May 13th.

The Lower House of Michigan Legislature passed a bill to tax gasoline two cents a gallon.

New York City, with its area of 300 square miles, includes 800 farms comprising 29,000 acres.

J. J. Stender was fined \$250 at Huntington, W. Va., for showing moving pictures of a prize fight.

Owen Sound city council passed a law to prevent youths and young men from standing about doors of billiard rooms.

A pin swallowed last October by a seven-year-old Port Burwell child was found in the appendix after a recent operation.

Five Leamington business places were broken into one night recently. Small sums of cash and at one store a quantity of tobacco were taken.

It takes some handling to make a gallon of maple syrup. The sugar content of sap varies with the seasons but it usually takes thirty-two gallons of sap to make one of syrup.

The postal authorities have just issued notices to the public requesting that the name and address of the sender of a letter or parcel appear on the outside of the envelope or wrapper.

Recently issued legal directories show that there are at present 597 law firms in Toronto as compared with 515 last year. At Osgoode Hall 121 lawyers were called to the bar last year.

H. J. Weiss got mixed up in the rearing doors of a Chicago bank. The two men who caused the trouble apologized and passed on. Afterwards Mr. Weiss found his pocket had been picked of \$500.

A hog weighing 250 pounds, believed to have been accidentally buried under a straw stack on an Ohio farm last October, was found last week still alive but scarcely able to stand, and weighing but 100 pounds.

Nelson Cady, an old and respected resident, passed away on Monday morning at his home near Dutton, aged 78 years. Mr. Cady formerly resided at Middlemiss, where he acted for several years as a county constable.

The salary of Chief of Police John Boam of Bothwell has been increased \$35 a year owing to increased duties in ringing the curfew bell and attending public watermain breaks. The curfew by-law is said to be proving a great success.

A fire started in a bedroom over Parnell's store at Wardsville from an overheated pipe. When discovered it had gained considerable headway, and had not a chemical extinguisher been on hand it might have spread over the entire building.

Druggists have received a circular from the Ontario License Board containing a list of about two hundred patent medicines of the tonic variety that are medicated to come within the proprietary or patent medicine act, and consequently their sale is prohibited except upon a doctor's prescription.

Prof. A. Laidie, a massage artist at London, poured carbolic acid on the back of Stirling S. Tobias, of Petrolia, on May 8 last when Tobias was taking treatment at his office, and the mistake cost Laidie \$1,200 and costs according to the verdict of the Supreme Court jury which discussed damages for one hour before rendering a verdict. Tobias asked for \$3,000 damages.

**SCHOOL REPORTS**  
S. S. No. 16, Carleton Place  
Following is the school report for March. Pupils whose names are marked with an asterisk were absent for part of the examination owing to illness. Names are in order of merit.

Mr. IV.—Marjorie Acton, Fay Hansford and Donald Fletcher (tie), Eleanor McGugan.  
Mr. IV.—Dorothy Hiseox, Blanche Hardy, Clara Near, William Gould, Marguerite Hansford, Clarence Beattie.

Mr. III.—Margaret Dewar, Eleanor Meek, \*Phyllis Bees, Pearl Near, Etta Williams, Lena May Hansford, \*Muriel Meek.  
Mr. II.—Melvin Gough, Roy Hardy, Leonard Long, Jack Hansford, Gordon Huston, Jack Kaine.

Mr. I.—Wilbert Huston, Frieda Hiseox, \*Florence Bees, \*Stanley Gould, \*Primer—Dorothy Brown, Harold Carruthers.  
Agnes McNabb, Teacher.

S. S. No. 17, Mosa  
IV.—Mary Laura McKellar and Albert Moore (even), Zella Munroe, Mary Ann McLachlan, Lloyd Little, III.—Kenneth McKellar, Viola Munroe, Hugh Leitch.  
II.—Prudence Moore, Duncan Leitch, Harley Lease (absent).  
Primer.—Innes Graham, McKellar.  
K. Chambers, Teacher.

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**BOARD OF TRADE**  
The annual meeting of the Glencoe Board of Trade will be held in the town hall on Friday evening, April 6th, at 8 o'clock. All citizens are urged to be present, as matters of particular interest, looking to the welfare of Glencoe are to be brought before the meeting.

**A WORTH WHILE CONCERT**  
The musical entertainment given in the Methodist church on Friday evening by Elma Mary of Alvinston, will take rank as one of the best high-class entertainments ever presented to a Glencoe audience. Mr. Gordon is taking particular pains to create a taste for the better class of music among the young people of the community, and his efforts are worthy of hearty support.

The evening opened with community singing in which several of the old familiar hymns were sung with orchestral accompaniment. Chorus were rendered by a choir of young ladies from the high school, and another fine selection was a chorus by nine of Mr. Gordon's pupils from the public school. Violin solos were given by Elma Mary of Alvinston; Virgie Clarke, Eleanor Sutherland, and Wm. Coad; cello solo by Mary Bindner, of Alvinston, and a cello duet by Hazel McAlpine and Mary Bindner. The audience showed their hearty appreciation of each of these numbers. Pleasing vocal solos were given by Olive Black of Appin; Ethel George, of Glencoe; Jim Barnum, of Aylmer, and Jack Warner, of Strathroy. A reading by Elma McLean, of Frome, completed the program.

The pastor of the church, Rev. A. S. Whitehall, spoke in highly appreciative terms of Mr. Gordon's splendid work in the community in giving of his time and talents to foster a musical education of the better class among the young people, and on his suggestion a hearty expression of this sentiment was given by the audience in a round of vigorous applause.

Several of those who took part in the program have been entered by Mr. Gordon as competitors at the big Ontario musical festival to be held in Toronto commencing with the week of April 30.

The attendance on Friday evening while not as large as should have been was nevertheless encouraging in view of the fact that the evening was quite a stormy one, and considering also that there has been a surfeit of entertainment during the season in Glencoe.

Mr. Gordon purposes putting on a similar entertainment in the course of a few weeks, and we would advise all who possibly can to make it a point to be present and not allow the opportunity of hearing so worth while a musical attraction escape them.

**JAMES BATTIN DEAD**

The death occurred in the hospital at Sarnia of James Battin, a former well-known resident of Dunwich, following an operation. The deceased was 62 years of age and was a native of Yarmouth, coming to Dunwich when a boy, where he lived for years, afterwards making his home at Middlemiss and latterly at Sarnia. His wife died ten years ago. He is survived by two brothers and two sisters: Alex. Battin, of Middlemiss; John Battin and Mrs. Peter Salmon, of Dutton, and Mrs. D. McPhail, of Dunwich, and also by a half-brother, Lachlan McTavish, of Lucknow. The remains were brought to Middlemiss, where the funeral was held.

**FAREWELL GATHERING**  
A very pleasant afternoon was spent in Pratt's Siding school on Thursday, March 29, when the children and many of the parents gathered to bid farewell to Jean Bain, a pupil of the school, who is about to leave the section. There was a program of drills, recitations, dialogues and singing. Many a tear was shed when with a fountain pen by Jack Rycraft and an address, read by Katharine Gillies, expressing the regret of the pupils and teachers that she was leaving them, and assuring her that they would miss her in her class and in their sports and entertainments where she was always so ready and willing a helper; there would always be with her the sincere good wishes and prayers of her schoolmates and teacher. A farewell song was sung and lunch served.

When the smooth-tongued gentlemen who peddled gold bricks to our grandfathers passed away, the art of buncoing the public did not die with them. Nowadays the grizzled sons of these impostors do not handle fakes so crude and obvious as the gold brick. Equally glib, they are many times more up-to-date in their methods of fleecing the savings of more honest but less quick-witted people. If a man tried to sell a farmer a brick that had been gilded to look like gold he would have to run faster than the farmer's dog to get away whole. But if he tried to talk him into investing in some scheme that, upon sane reflection, lacked even the possibilities of a brick for holding the door open, he might be asked to stay for supper, and leave with a wad of hard-earned cash that would never find its way home to that farm again.—Farmer's Sun.

The person who contributes something "just to help fill the paper" should call around and take a look at the waste paper basket.

**CHANGE IN REGULATIONS RE LOWER SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS**

The necessity for all pupils' writing departmental examinations in lower school subjects has been removed, according to a recent circular published by the Department of Education. Pupils to be granted credit in any subject shall have completed the prescribed course of study in that subject and shall have passed comprehensive tests conducted by the teacher of the subject with a standing of at least fifty per cent. of the marks assigned to that subject in all the tests of the school year.

The regular departmental examinations will be held as usual and any pupil who fails to pass the teacher's test shall have the opportunity of trying again.

This regulation applies to the following subjects: Art, grammar, Latin, zoology, botany, Canadian history, arithmetic, geography and physical geography.

**CARADOC CENTENARIAN DIES**  
Strathroy, March 29.—The death occurred Wednesday of Archibald McLeod, one of the oldest residents of this district, in his 105th year.

Mr. McLeod was born in Scotland and came to this country with his parents at the age of 15, settling in West Williams near the village of Bormish. He was married to Margaret Stewart, who predeceased him seven years, in her 90th year. After the death of his wife, Mr. McLeod made his home with his daughter, Mrs. George Bennett, Caradoc township, where he was in possession of all his faculties up to the time of his death, being able to read the newspapers without the aid of spectacles.

**MARRIED IN PETROLIA**

On Saturday, March 24, the home of Mrs. C. Nisbet, Albany street, was the scene of a quiet wedding when Duffy Windover, of 10th line, Moore, was united in marriage to Iona Myrtle Watson, of Glencoe. Mr. Richardson performed the ceremony. After congratulations they left amid showers of rice for a short honeymoon to the home of the groom's father, after which they will reside in Sarnia. —Petrolia Topic.

**DROP IN COST OF LABOR**

What is probably an indication of falling labor costs in rural districts, and what is probably the main reason for the cityward migration of young men on farms, is pointed out by County Engineer Chas. Talbot. This is that teams may be hired in the country now for \$4.50 and \$5 the day, where a few years ago an offer of \$8 a day was refused and the general charge was \$11 and \$12 a day. "The present fee," he points out, "is hardly enough to pay a man for his labor without considering his team. There can be no reason for wonder that young men and women on farms are flocking cityward, where trades may be learned within a short while and high wages guaranteed."

**EASTER PAGEANT AT APPIN**

Appin, April 4, 1923.  
The service in the Methodist church on Sunday night was of a very unique character, being in the form of an Easter pageant, presented by twelve girls representing different nations along with the spirit of Easter and her attendants—Life, Light, Love, Peace, Hope and Joy. The whole pageant was presented in a pleasing manner by the girls, who took the parts assigned to them in an able way. The crude, bare old cross, as seen by the congregation on their first entering the church, was at the close of the pageant decorated beautifully with white lilies and beautiful white roses. Those present were agreed that never before had the Easter message been presented to them in such an acceptable form. Many a city or town child would covet such ability on the part of the nineteen girls who could devote themselves sympathetically and earnestly to such an undertaking. Much credit is due Rev. and Mrs. Parr, who introduced the pageant and who so well trained the girls for it. In the absence of Miss Helen Macfie, through illness, Miss Margaret Macfie presided at the organ in an acceptable manner. The young people are requested to put it on again in the near future, which goes to show how much it was appreciated.

**CAUSE FOR DOUBT**

There was an all-round good-for-nothing man who died, and at his funeral the minister delivered a most beautiful address, eulogizing the departed in the most glowing manner, praising his splendid qualities as a fine type of man, a good husband and kind parent.

About this time the widow, who was seated well in front, spoke to her little daughter by her side, and said: "My dear, go look in the coffin and see if it is your father."  
**MOBA**  
The regular monthly meeting of the No. 9 W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Rycraft on Thursday, March 29. There were 15 members and 2 visitors present. Collection, \$2.30. A consignment of 18 loaves from the Blind Institute, Toronto, was readily disposed of. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess.



# Soils and Crops

Address communications to Agronomist, 73 Adelaide St. West, Toronto

**Question—What breeds of pigeons are best adapted for the raising of squabs for the market?**

**Answer—**Bulletin No. 15 of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, dealing with the subject of pigeons, names three breeds suitable for squab production, the Homer, the Carneau and the Mondaine. The Homer is generally acknowledged to be one of the most profitable breeds for this purpose. It is a hardy breed, very active, prolific, and produces a good average weight squabs. The Carneau, originated in Flanders, has been bred for food for many generations. This breed has the habit of remaining close to the home quarters when given its freedom. It is prolific and robust and the squabs develop rapidly. The Mondaine, bred originally in Switzerland, is a utility pigeon, and is stated in the bulletin to be rapidly gaining popularity on this continent. It is a very prolific breed, and the squabs are broad breasted and well fleshed.

**Question—Are there any advantages gained from warming the drinking water of hogs during the cold weather?**

**Answer—**An experiment carried on at the Central Experimental Farm indicated two things: First, that hogs make better gains when they have been

fed them a constant supply of water for drinking purposes, and second, that in winter the gains are more pronounced when the water is given slightly warmed.

**Stock Raiser, Durham Co.—**The farmers in this district grew large quantities of peas many years ago. But the coming of the pea weevil led many of us to discontinue. We desire to sow a field this year and the seed we have has an occasional infested seed. (Please advise me how to treat the seed to destroy these insects.)

**Answer—**Coal oil has been found useful in destroying the pea "bug" in the seed. About a half gallon of coal oil is sufficient to treat about five bushels of peas. The idea is to thoroughly moisten every seed so that the oil will penetrate and kill the insects. For this purpose the seed may be placed on a floor, the oil sprinkled on, and the peas shovelled over thoroughly. The shovelling should be repeated every day for at least four days, the first shovelling to be done about two weeks before sowing. It would be well, if possible, to induce every farmer in your neighborhood to treat his seed peas this spring. If this is done thoroughly there should be no "bugs" in the crop in that neighborhood for several years.

## Proper Time to Hatch Chicks

It is a confirmed fact that pullets must be thoroughly matured before egg production can be expected, therefore, they must be hatched early enough to have time to mature well before the time that egg production is desired. Under ordinary circumstances, any of the general purpose breeds, such as Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, Rhode Island Reds, etc., require on an average five and a half to six months to mature, thus, pullets intended to commence laying the latter part of October, would have to be hatched in the month of April, while the Mediterranean Breeds, such as Leghorns, Anconas, etc., being smaller birds, can be matured in slightly less time, and could be hatched a week or two later, and still be matured ready to commence producing in the latter part of October. The care which the young growing stock receive during the summer months has much to do with having them properly matured in time for winter eggs. One breeder may hatch his birds early in April, and yet by neglect in proper feeding and exercise, may not have them as well matured in October as another breeder who hatched his birds in May, but who gave them proper care while they were growing on the range.

Again, chicks hatched too early, besides being harder to take care of early in the year, may be forced to maturity and egg production about August and September, and will exhaust a certain amount of their strength by the time that cold weather comes, with the result that they very often go into a moult, stop laying, and owing to short days of feeding, cannot regain their strength sufficiently to produce until

after the most urgent demand for winter eggs is over.

A number of experiments conducted at the Lennoxville Experimental Station during the past two or three years, to ascertain the proper time to hatch stock required for profitable winter egg production, have given some interesting figures. For instance, from November 1, 1920, to March 1, 1921, 25 pullets, hatched between April 5 and April 12, gave an average profit of \$3.73 per bird over the cost of their feed; while 25 pullets, hatched between May 1 and May 10, gave an average profit of \$1.75 per bird over the cost of their feed. Experiments conducted during the following winter gave results that helped to strengthen the data already secured, viz.: From November 1, 1921, to March 1, 1922, 25 pullets hatched between April 7 and April 15, gave an average profit of \$2.83 per bird over the cost of their feed; while 25 pullets, hatched between May 1 and May 10, gave an average profit of only \$1.71 per bird over the cost of their feed. It was thought possible by some, that the later hatched lots would produce sufficiently more eggs in January and February to balance the profits of the earlier birds in November and December, but such has not been the case in any of the experiments to date. Given proper care and feeding during the summer months on a good range for exercise, the past results would justify the recommending of hatching chickens of the general purpose type, not later than the end of April, the first three weeks of April preferred, and of the Mediterranean classes, not later than the 24th of May, for the most profitable production of winter eggs in western Quebec.

## Fertilizing the Orchard

Calculated from analysis an orchard producing 100 barrels of apples per acre would take from the soil 45 pounds of nitrogen, 12.1 pounds of phosphoric acid and 43.2 pounds of potash. It is found in actual practice that more phosphoric acid is required than is revealed by an analysis of the crop. Experimental results would indicate that a fertilizer carrying 30 pounds of nitrogen, 50 pounds of phosphoric acid, and 50 pounds of potash, should be furnished annually to the average orchard in bearing; one producing about 100 barrels per acre. To supply these requirements 200 pounds of nitrate of soda, or sulphate of ammonia, 300 pounds of acid phosphate, or slag, and 100 pounds of nitrate of potash per acre—giving 30 pounds of nitrogen, 48 pounds of phosphorus and 50 pounds of potash, or approximately a 5-8-8 fertilizer (one containing 5 per cent. of nitrogen, 8 per cent. of phosphorus, and 8 per cent. of potash) applied at the rate of 600 pounds per acre is advised.

Of the above elements nitrogen is the most expensive, costing 22 cents per pound, valuing nitrate of soda (15 per cent. nitrogen) at \$66 per ton. Phosphorus, either in acid phosphate or basic slag, costs 7 1/2 cents per pound, valuing acid phosphate or slag (16 per cent. phosphorus) at \$24 per ton. Potash in muriate of potash (50 per cent. potash), valuing it at \$20 per ton, costs 5 cents per pound. On this basis the fertilizer advised above per acre would cost for nitrogen \$6.60; phosphorus, \$3.60; and potash \$2.50, a total of \$12.70 per acre.

Nitrate of soda seems to be the most valuable nitrogenous fertilizer, due to the fact that it is quickly available and gives the fruit tree the needed nitrate early in the spring when growth should be most active and when available soil nitrates are less than at any other time. Experimental evidence supports the practice

of applying nitrate of soda early in May, and not later than the 15th, thus giving a vigorous start to the early spring growth. There is some evidence to show that 200 pounds per acre in the early spring may not be too large an application. It is possible, however, that this amount applied late may produce too active vegetative growth if used on soils in a good state of fertility, thus tending to carry too great a growth into the summer. This possibility of course would be largely overcome by a cover crop to take up the excess of plant food and bring about an earlier and better maturity of fruit and tree. When applying nitrate of soda to a mature orchard of 40 trees per acre, five pounds per tree is considered ample. If trees are variable in size and vigor judgment should be exercised, as, in order to bring about average vigor, some trees should be fed less and others more than that generally advised. It may be stated that an application of one ounce to a square yard is equal to 300 pounds per acre; and that if a pound of nitrate of soda is applied to a tree with a spread of 13 feet in diameter, the tree is getting this material at the rate of approximately 300 pounds per acre.

It is difficult to measure the influence of phosphatic and potassic fertilizers, their effect being less marked than that of nitrate of soda. However, it is well known from experiments with other plants that a properly balanced fertilizer ultimately gives the best product. There is no doubt that nitrogen is the most important factor in relation to fruitfulness, yet there is a possibility that nitrogen used to excess, with a shortage of potash and phosphorus, may result in a fruit product less resistant to the effect of handling and transportation. Nitrate of soda or sulphate of ammonia, acid phosphate



Serves Public Health.

Western University, London, is accomplishing good things through its faculty of Public Health, conducted under Professor H. W. Hill. Dr. Hill has been in charge of the Institute of Public Health since 1912, except for three years spent with the same faculty of the University of Minnesota.

Muriate of potash may be mixed together and all applied at the one time.

Two pounds of stable manure per square yard is equivalent to nearly five tons per acre. If the manure has been well preserved and is from well fed stock, the average farm yard manure will contain 10 pounds of nitrogen, 5 pounds of phosphorus and 10 pounds of potash in one ton. The five tons will contain 50 pounds of nitrogen, 25 pounds of phosphorus and 50 pounds of potash, and if applied annually per acre, would furnish the orchard with its requirement of plant food. It is not easy to apply five tons per acre evenly, particularly in the orchard. In most cases commercial fertilizers are depended upon with cover crops, to supply the humus which is so necessary to produce a good mechanical condition in the soil. Stable manure if used should be applied early and in annual quantities rather than in a heavy dressing one year with none again for several years.

## A Lantern That Will Not Tip Over.

A cement base cast on the bottom of a lantern will make it hard to knock over. Such a lantern will be very useful around the barn or shop. A form is made by bending a piece of sheet iron, the diameter being about three inches larger than the base of the lantern. It is also about one inch higher. In casting the same is set on a smooth flat board, about one inch of cement is placed in the bottom, then the lantern is set in the centre on top of the cement and the space around it is filled in. A cement mixture of about three parts screed sand to one of cement is about right.

## Have You a Typewriter?

Too little importance is attached to the value of the typewriter on the farm. As one farmer put it when the subject was broached to him: "Never write a letter but once or twice a year, and then I guess I can use the elephant tracks I learned to make at school." Too many men are of the same mind. Sometimes it is this small matter of writing a few neatly-typed letters which takes away the farmer's 10 per cent., and part of his good living. It is excusable when a rebuilt typewriter may be bought for a small sum? Every man with a well regulated business owns and uses a typewriter. How about it? Is your business well regulated or simply haphazard?

Probably no other single factor pays such excellent returns on the farm as does investment in quality seed.

## The Scale Situation

BY R. H. PETTIT, ENTOMOLOGIST.

The fact that lime-sulphur, which served in the past to control scale, seems inadequate to the task at present, has led some of our growers to believe that a resistant race of scale has been developed—a race capable of enduring the lime-sulphur wash without being killed. The situation seems to the writer to be due to an entirely different reason.

First—Lime-sulphur kills by depriving the insect under the scale of its oxygen and it is hard to conceive of any insect acquiring the ability to get along without oxygen, any more than one could conclude that a rabbit could become immune to a charge of shot.

Furthermore, we know through rearing experiments conducted by the department of entomology at the college that a number of native parasites have started to work on the scale. Now, the battle waged between any insect and its parasites is apt to go first one way and then the other.

Once more, if we look back a few years we will remember that owing to the reduction in the activity of the scale, and to the increased cost of spraying due to cost of materials and of labor, the winter spray of lime-sulphur was put on more dilute than formerly. Everything worked satisfactorily until the parasites "knocked off" for some reason or other, and the scale commenced to multiply—then it became apparent that dilute sprays

## Markets and Requirements for Export Cattle.

Feeders of beef cattle may look with considerable assurance for a strong market for properly selected and finished export beef on the hoof during the latter part of April and the first weeks of May. No very great movement can take place before that time, for the terms of the cattle embargo removal, which become effective April 1st, stipulate that all cattle must be shipped from a Canadian port for these shipments but it will not be open until about the end of April. A few shipments may go by way of Halifax or St. John in the meantime, but, on account of the high cost of rail transportation, the bulk will be held for the opening of the port of Montreal. Present indications point to a heavy demand from the British market as soon as it can be supplied.

The statement "properly selected and finished" has been stressed advisedly. The British consumer is a connoisseur of beef, and his palate is not likely to be satisfied with any second rate meat, consequently if we do not wish to land this prospective beef trade into the secondary position in which we now find our bacon trade, let us start right by sending over a well graded product. Grading should be done on the basis of breeding, size, finish and suitability for shipment. In the first place, an export steer should show sufficient goor beef breeding that he will fill the eye of the prospective buyer on that score alone. First impressions are most lasting. Size is both for and against. Shipment being on the basis of so much per head, the heavier the animal the lower the cost of transportation. The demand, however, is for a medium sized animal. Selection should therefore be on the basis of weight for size and age, i.e., heavy little animals. The finish must be up to a fairly high standard, recently and uniformly put on. Here to a greater extent than is the case on our home market is where feeding to a high finish will be justifiable. Suitability for export shipment includes such factors as freedom from disease, or recently received bluishness; a degree of docile temperament; and last, but not least, an absence of horns, for dehorning is practically imperative for export shipping. If these few factors are kept in mind at the start and nothing but Canada's best shipped over, a steady rather than a glutted market may be looked for.—Geo. Muir, Animal Husbandman.

**Simple Battery Check-Up.**

Some garage mechanics are careless and some are just plain ignorant, so after one has removed and replaced the storage battery on your car or truck, check him up to see whether he has put the battery in right. If he has done it wrong, an injured or ruined battery may result. As soon as the battery is connected up, and before the engine is started, simply turn on the lights. If the ammeter indicates "charge" instead of "discharge," as it would normally, the battery is on wrong. Have it reversed at once.

## Hot Boxes on Tractor.

Last winter I had trouble with hot boxes on my tractor. I found that they were caused by the oil getting so cold and stiff it didn't get to the bearings, and the bearings ran dry and got hot. I make a practice of getting my tractor thoroughly warmed up before attempting to do any work in cold weather. After starting the motor I walk around the tractor, inspect the different parts and see that everything is working smoothly before giving my attention to other matters.—Mark Underwood.

## Using Oil in Incubator.

Those using a hot water type incubator with galvanized tank which has rusted can easily avoid the trouble by using cylinder oil in place of water. Unless oil is about blood heat or little warmer, do not fill tank as full as you would with water as the oil expands more when heated than water. I could not see but what the incubator hatched just as good as when using water. I find a light body oil works best.—N. F.

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## BUILDING OF SILOS IN WESTERN CANADA

### MIXED FARMING IS ON THE INCREASE.

#### Marks a New Era in the Agricultural Life of Our Vast Western Plains.

Possibly the most striking feature of the harvest landscape to American farmers who have visited the Canadian West during recent years is the general prevalence of excellent stands of corn and the rich and sturdy crops seen on every hand. Having, as they believe, left the corn belt well behind, they are astounded at the abilities in this direction of the Canadian West. A still more novel feature brought to their attention is the substantial acreage devoted to sunflowers, a fodder crop in which the Western provinces of the Dominion have done the pioneer work in proving the value as well as in utilization and which is vying with corn as a silage crop for the Western Canadian farmer.

The increasing use of silage every year is responsible for this. In the Western Canadian provinces, in 1922, there were 87,561 acres devoted to production of fodder corn and many unrecorded areas in sunflowers. A total of 327,100 bushels of corn worth \$279,600 were raised in the four provinces, the greater volume being attributable to Manitoba and Saskatchewan and lesser quantities to Alberta and British Columbia. The increasing acreage devoted to these crops each year is the best testimony to the greater utilization of silage in feeding in the Western provinces, and this signifies a new trend in Western agricultural methods.

Canada's Largest Corn Field. Such has been the popularity of these crops and, from their proven benefits, the anxiety of the provincial governments to extend their use, that during the past summer the Government of Alberta distributed corn and sunflower seed free to farmers, each being able to receive fifty pounds upon application. In the adjoining province of Saskatchewan it was considered that one J. H. Smith, farmer near Maple Creek, possessed the largest field of corn in the Dominion, consisting of 125 acres in a solid block and estimated to contain 1,000 tons of green corn. To such an extent has the movement of growing corn for silage grown in Southern Alberta that a corn growers' association was recently formed at Calgary which at its initial meeting enrolled one hundred and fifty corn-growing farmers.

The increasing utilization of silage in the Western Canadian farmer's feed programme is perhaps most fully demonstrated in the increasing erection of silos each year. From information gathered from silo manufacturers and distributors, approximately three hundred silos were sold in Western Canada in 1922. These figures only refer to ready-made silos, and in addition it may be assumed that an equal number of home-made silos of the above-ground type were erected, and probably as many, if not more, trench silos were constructed, bringing the total number of new silos to between nine hundred and a thousand.

Two Thousand Silos to be Built. In the year 1921 approximately 200 ready-made silos were sold, probably 100 home-made above-ground, and an equal number of trench silos constructed. The outlook for the present season is that double that number of silos will be erected, and the total number built or dug in 1923 should be between 1,600 and 2,000. This is the new movement in Western Canadian agricultural methods gathering impetus with the years.

The increasing number of silos, signifying a greater utilization of silage for fodder, better feeding and better stock, marks out the new era of the West more distinctly and decidedly than any other feature of the life. Farming methods in the West are changing rapidly. Men who put all their eggs into the one basket and stake their all on the exclusive growing of grain are becoming fewer and the followers of livestock raising and dairying multiplying every day. The West is passing out of its days of grain gambling and has entered the period of home-making with steady and assured farming methods.

#### English Swallows Fly to South Africa.

An English swallow with a ring on one leg placed there in Carmarthen street, Wales, last August, was found dead in a field thirty miles from Johannesburg, South Africa, January 14. This, said H. P. Witherby, a close student of bird migration, is the seventh swallow known to have flown from England to South Africa. In January of last year, he said, one had been found at Jansenville, Cape Province, which was ringed as a nestling of Windsor.

It is not known how long the birds take to make the trip, but it is supposed that they travel leisurely. Owing to occasional storms and bad weather encountered along the way it is believed that the swallows fly between 8,000 and 10,000 miles on each trip.

A process by which wool, unsuitable for spinning, can be made into a fur-like material is said to have been found by an Australian inventor.

## Surnames and Their Origin

### HAWLEY.

Variations—Hawes, Haw.  
Racial Origin—English.  
Source—A locality.

Here is another of those English family names of the kind which sprang up in a great many sections of that country through the entire period of family name formation. These names were based upon local place names, mostly of the descriptive kind, in many instances known only to those who lived in the communities in which the names sprang up, names like Hill, Dale, Ford, Woods, Cliff, Grove and the like.

Literally the name Hawley would mean a hedged piece of meadowland. For it is a compound of the ancient Anglo-Saxon words "haeg" and "ley," the former being the word from which has come our modern word "hedge" as well as such names as Haig, Hedges, Hay and the like.

The forms Haw and Hawes, of course, are either shortened forms of

Hawley or else names derived simply from the old word "haeg."

### GROSSBECK.

Variation—Broesebeck.  
Racial Origin—Dutch.  
Source—A locality.

Grossbeck is really the more correct spelling of this name, if it can be said that there is any better standard of spelling family names than the habit of the bearer himself. Grossbeck is the Dutch way of spelling it. The other form, Grossbeck, is a changed spelling which has come about through the influence of the English language in instances where the name has been used for long periods either in America or England. If you were to translate this name literally into English it would be simply "Bigstream." The word "gross" is nothing but the Dutch equivalent for the English word "gross" (or "great"), which is also to be found in both French and German, and "beck," meaning stream.

### The Gardener.

So lovingly he holds within His hand the tiny seeds and sees A vision of bright fairy things, That soon will flutter in the sun. Like butterflies on flaming wings.

So lovingly he lays them down In beds made soft and warm to sleep, And carefully abouts their heads, For fear of bitter wind and storm, A magic covetlet he spreads.

So lovingly he waits until Awakened by a thousand sounds, With tender outstretched arms they rise, And struggle to their feet, to find An eager welcome in his eyes.

So lovingly he watches when With quick response they do his will, And in his garden, kneeling there, With busy hands, care slips away, And peace comes like an answered prayer.

—Lillian Howard Cort.

### League of Nations to Urge Protection for Scientists.

The right of scientists to share in the benefits derived from the application of their discoveries has received official attention from the League of Nations Intellectual Co-operation Commission. A sub-committee assigned to go into the question has just concluded its studies, and a plan is now being drafted for the legal protection of scientific work. After approval by the commission, and then by the council of the league, the plan would serve as a basis for legislation in the parliaments of the different countries throughout the world.

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### Who Wrote the Words?

At a recent concert in Winnipeg, a gentleman said to his guest from the East, "I just notice that on this programme the names of the composers of the songs are omitted. I wonder who is responsible for such an oversight?" It may be said at once that such omissions are not confined by any means to Winnipeg. Everywhere you go you will find programmes giving the names of the composers of the songs, but the persons responsible for the texts are nameless. Sometimes the programme even gives in full the two or three stanzas of each of the texts without mentioning the writers' names.

Is it to save a few cents in composition work, or is it because the responsibility for the programme considered the words of no importance? One of the foremost vocalists on this continent said the other day, "before I study a new song to add to my repertoire, I read over the words carefully and if they are not worth while, I wouldn't put any time on the song no matter how exceptionally fine the music was."

Another singer, a famous tenor, said recently: "When I get a new song, I first familiarize myself with the text. If the words prove silly or sentimental, I throw the song aside. For no matter how good the music, a song is not worth singing unless the words are worth hearing. Words and music should constitute a harmonious union. For that matter I believe that the accompaniment to a song is just as much a part of the song as the words written for the voice."

The most successful composers lay great stress on the lyrics. There is absolutely no excuse for using the words of a song on the programme without giving proper credit to the writer or author, and it would be good taste when listing songs to say words by so-and-so, and music by so-and-so. No music publisher would issue a song without the title page covering the name of the lyric writer in prominent type along with that of the composer of the music.

### "Twentieth Floor, Please"

New York is a city of skyscrapers. Most of all these enormous buildings is the well-known Woolworth Building, headquarters of the world-famous stores, one of the founders of which has just died in London.

It is known as the "Cathedral of Commerce" because of its sham Gothic architecture. It is more than 800 ft. in height.

Next comes the "Equitable," in which 15,000 clerks are employed. It has a dining-room which seats many hundreds, and a roof-garden for the workers.

Then comes the Metropolitan Building, the home of the Metropolitan Insurance Company, with its five or six thousand employees.

These giant buildings are fitted with most wonderful lift systems, including several that stop at every twentieth floor or so.

One would have thought that the existing buildings are quite near enough to the sky as it is, but it is announced that one with 150 storeys is contemplated.

### No Place Like Home.

When a native of Prince Edward Island had sailed forth to see the world, he engaged a room at a modest hotel in Boston, intending to remain there while he hunted for work.

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"Register?" said the traveler. "What is that?"

"Write your name."

"What for?"

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The man wrote his name and was about to lay down the pen when the clerk added:

"Now the place, if you please."

"What place?"

"The place you came from. Where do you live?"

"I live on the island."

"Well, but what island?"

The other looked at him in amazement. Then he said, with an emphasis that left no doubt of his feelings: "Prince Edward Island, man. What other island is there?"

An Original Explanation. They were having a botany lesson, and the children were asked by their teacher if they knew what made the leaves turn red in the autumn.

Up popped one hand—and only one. "Well, Johnny?" asked the teacher.

"Please, miss," replied Johnny, "they blush to think how green they have been all the summer."

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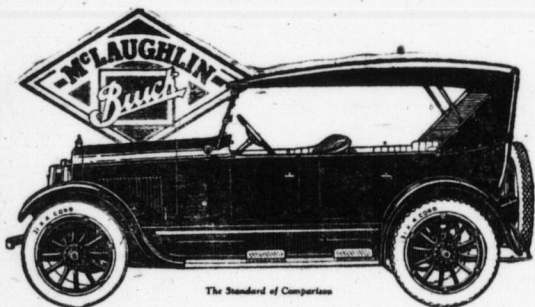
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Now about the provincial highway or the Roosevelt road which they are calling it. For instance, they claim that they are going to have an 86-ft. road and a 30-ft. roadbed, and that would leave 28 feet on each side to plant the trees. At present time the road is 66 feet wide and with a 30-ft. roadbed. This would leave 18 feet on each side for the row of trees, which I claim is plenty of room. From what I see in the paper there are 2,200 miles of provincial highway in Ontario and that amounts to 5,500 acres of land which they propose to give \$100 an acre for. That would cost \$550,000. Now they would have to fill in all the ditches and build new ones and that would cost over \$100 an acre. Between the buying of the land and the filling in of ditches and digging new ones you will find that it will cost over \$1,600,000. This would be an expense for all time to come, and what about the debt of Canada now. I don't see as we are keeping up the interest on it. They claim that the car licenses will pay the biggest share of this road. You will find in five years' time that there will only be one car where there are ten now, for the owners will be so poor from the taxes being put on them they won't be able to buy the gasoline.

They spoke about the good roads over in the States, but go over and ask the farmers what they think of it. You will find that many farmers will let you have the use of their farms for merely paying the taxes. In California it is the same way. Did you ever figure up how much land would go to waste when the road is twenty feet wider? You will find that it is 5,500 acres. Now, if we would just allow the 500 acres to go as lawns in the villages and put 5,000 in for crops it would be better.



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All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Ekfrid, in the County of Middlesex and Province of Ontario, and being composed of the south half of the south half of lot number twenty in the third range south of the Longwoods Road in the Township of Ekfrid aforesaid, containing fifty acres more or less.

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In the Estate of Wilfred Walker, Late of the Township of Metcalfe, in the County of Middlesex, Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914," chapter 121, section 55, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Wilfred Walker, who died on or about the twenty-fourth day of January, A.D. 1922, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned, solicitors for John N. McPhail, administrator of the estate of the said Wilfred Walker, deceased, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature of the securities if any, held by them.

And take notice that after the 26th day of April, A.D. 1923, the said John N. McPhail will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice, and that the said John N. McPhail will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim he shall not then have received notice.

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Andy Armstrong and Alex. Clements are loading wood for the Wallaceburg Co-operative Co.

Miss Violet Plante arrived from London Monday evening.

Mrs. John Almas and brothers, John and Will Turner, spent the Easter holidays in London.

Eugene Crotte, of the Bank of Montreal staff, Guelph, was home for Easter Sunday.

John Fletcher, of Lobo, is working on the section here now with his uncle, Mr. McMaster.

John Buel and wife are spending a few days in Chatham.

Steve Huis, of Thamesville, paid the little burg a visit on Tuesday.

Tommy Foley and Earl McMaster have taken positions on the section here.

Tommy Joyce is busy these days cutting wood with his fine new Guelph engine, the Gilson.

We hope the April showers of Tuesday will clear the weather and give us a little spring.

### MODEL CENTRE

Mrs. Alex. Crawford has returned home after spending a few days with friends in London.

Milton Holman, of Ayr, visited friends here this week.

Will Carruthers is confined to his bed with an attack of pneumonia.

Archie McCallum and Mrs. O. McKibbin have returned after spending a few days with friends in Detroit and their sister at Blythwood.

Miss Jessie McAlpine attended the unveiling of the memorial tablet at London Normal School on Friday, March 23rd.

Mrs. D. F. Eddie and Miss Lillian Eddie were in London last week.

## BIBLE-THOUGHT

### —FOR TODAY—

Bible thoughts for the day to be a precious heritage in after years.

### CURSING or BLESSING?—Cursed

is the man that trusteth in man, and maketh flesh his arm, and whose heart departeth from the Lord.

Blessed is the man that trusteth in the Lord and whose hope the Lord is.

Jeremiah 17: 5, 7.

### Born

FISHER.—On Wednesday, March 21, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fisher, Ekfrid, a son.

MOORE.—On Saturday, March 31, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moore, Ekfrid, a son.

SNEELGROVE.—On March 31, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sneelgrove, Glencoe, a son.

### TOWN AND VICINITY

Schools reopen on Monday, after the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Symes, Concession street, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Tommy Hissett is now in charge of the mechanical department of G. W. Snelgrove's garage.

Special Easter services in the local churches were of an exceptionally bright and inspiring nature.

An important meeting of the literary society in S. S. No. 6, Ekfrid, will be held on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

The death occurred at her home in Thamesville on Monday of Mrs. Wall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dobson, of Glencoe.

The Progressives of West Middlesex is reported to bring out Miss Margaret Webster, of Stratford, for the Legislature.

Glencoe council met on Monday evening, received the auditors' report and passed a number of accounts for payment.

Cancellation of the receipt tax and some changes in other taxes payable by stamp are likely to be announced in the Dominion budget.

W. G. Christner underwent an operation for appendicitis in St. Joseph's Hospital, London, on Sunday, and is reported to be making good recovery.

James Snelgrove, son of Geo. W. Snelgrove, of Glencoe, underwent an operation for appendicitis in a Port Huron hospital on Saturday, and is making good recovery.

Mrs. J. L. Luckham and Mrs. John Strachan have been appointed by the Glencoe Women's Missionary Society to attend the convention to be held in Windsor April 24-26.

E. A. Mayhew & Co. have bought a portion of the clothing stock of the W. E. Sanford Mfg. Co., Hamilton, who failed a couple of weeks ago, at a low rate on the dollar.

All records for the last half of March were smashed when the mercury dropped to within three degrees of zero. It is claimed that only 12 March days in 80 years have been as cold.

Rev. A. S. Whitehall gave an inspiring address at the Guild meeting on Monday evening. His subject was "The Literature of the Bible," featuring poetry. Miss Jean Reith sang a delightful solo.

Two Alberta Government officials interested in promoting the sale of Alberta coal in Ontario are coming to London with a trial shipment of a car of semi-anthracite from the coal spur fields near Edmonton.

June 4th will be observed this year in Canada as the birthday of His Majesty King George V. June 3rd this year falls on a Sunday and a proclamation will provide for the following day being observed as a national holiday.

Joseph Martin, of Chatham, announces the engagement of his youngest daughter, Gertrude, to Andrew Frederick Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Johnston, of Belwood. The marriage will take place the second week in April.

One of the most extraordinary instances of organic malformation was revealed at St. Joseph's Hospital, London, Saturday, when during an operation for appendicitis, a Melbourne man was found to have his appendix on the left side instead of the right side.

We are pleased to note the change in our high school examinations. We have long felt that examinations did not provide sufficient reward for the faithful pupil who knew his work and yet must undergo the same ordeal as the more careless ones. May the time soon come when for our younger boys and girls final examinations with all their terrors will be relegated to the past.

Battle Hill Farmers' Club are taking the initiative in protesting to the Ontario Minister of Public Works against the proposed widening of that section of the provincial highway running from London to Windsor. They believe that such widening would be an unnecessary expenditure of money when present conditions demand that every possible economy be practiced. A strong protest is also expected to be made by other farmers' clubs and farmers' organizations.

Dr. McLachlan narrowly escaped serious injury a day or two ago when his horse took fright on the road and turned directly in front of a motor truck. G. W. Sutton, agent for the Ontario Creamery, was the driver of the truck, and although he promptly applied the brakes and did his best to avoid a collision the truck struck the doctor's vehicle fair in the side, fortunately with no worse results than to damage both buggy and truck considerably. Both men had no easy time subduing the horse and prevent its getting away during the mixup.

Alvinston high school students did themselves credit in their presentation of "Macbeth" at the opera house here on Thursday evening. Impersonation of the various characters

was with few exceptions first-class. Music by the Alvinston H. S. orchestra was exceptionally good and added greatly to the enjoyable nature of the evening. The attendance was not large, and the Trail Rangers, under whose auspices the play was given here, realized but a small sum from the proceeds.

The ladies of St. John's church are holding an APRON SALE and TALENT TEA in the school room next Saturday, April 7, from 3 to 5 o'clock. Homemade cooking for sale. Refreshments, 15 cents.

Wm. Allaster died at his home in Glencoe on Sunday, April 1st, aged 88 years. The funeral service was held at Chas. Dean's undertaking rooms on Tuesday afternoon, and interment was made at Wardsville cemetery. Mr. Allaster was engaged in business here as a cooper for several years, coming from Newbury. He leaves one son, William, of Montreal; two brothers, Joseph, of London, and Alex., of Windsor, and two sisters, Miss Mary Allaster and Mrs. Murray, of London.

### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Wm. McMillan was home from Detroit for Easter.

Miss McMahon is visiting relatives at Port Colborne.

Miss Florence Hurley was home from London over Easter.

Miss Cleo Sutton is home from Windsor for the holidays.

Miss Margaret Brown is spending the holidays in Detroit.

Miss Fern Graham, of Clinton, is holidaying at her home here.

Miss Annie George was home from London over the week-end.

Miss Eugene Harrington spent Sunday at her home in Bothwell.

Miss Margaret Eddie is home from Woodstock for the holidays.

Mrs. (Dr.) Mumford and children are spending this week at Fergus.

Miss Anna Reycraft was home from Chatham over the week-end.

Miss Ruby Gilbert was home from London over Easter week-end.

Miss Vida Reycraft, of London, spent Good Friday at her home here.

Miss Rose Davenport spent Easter with her brother Harry in Detroit.

Miss Margaret Morrison is visiting friends in Ridgetown and Windsor.

Murray Standing spent a few days this week at his home in Aylmer.

Miss Ruby Suttler, of Toronto, is spending the holidays at her home here.

Miss Ada Reycraft, of Chatham, is spending the holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Davidson and two boys spent Easter with relatives in Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hicks, of Detroit, were Easter visitors here over the week-end.

Master Malcolm McIntyre, of Stratford, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. D. G. Graham.

Miss Maud Weldon spent Easter week-end with Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Irwin, Lucknow.

Miss Marie Hansen and Miss Lillian King, of Detroit, spent Easter at W. C. King's.

Morley and Lloyd Farrell have returned to Detroit after spending Easter at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stevenson, of Detroit, spent the week-end with his parents here.

Mrs. Edgar Munson and daughter Ruby are visiting relatives in London this week.

Mrs. G. H. Singleton and daughter Helen, of Ailsa Craig, are visiting at J. A. McLachlan's.

Miss Hazel Hastings, of St. Thomas, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Moore at Easter.

Miss K. Steele and Miss M. Gilles are spending the holidays at their homes in Stratford.

Mrs. Rose Stuart is in Stratford attending the funeral of her uncle, the late James Ferguson.

Miss Nellie Farrell left yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Joseph Walton, of Windsor.

Craig Hyttenrauch, of Windsor, is spending this week-end with his grandmother, Mrs. W. G. Craig.

Miss Margaret Scott, of Stratford, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Squire, Main street, south.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hawke, of Bradford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ford at Easter.

Miss Evelyn Haylock, of London, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grant.

Miss Nellie Cumming and Miss Halls, of Elora, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cumming over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Trestrain spent a few days in Toronto last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lethbridge.

Misses Catharine Stuart and Elizabeth McArthur are home from Macdonald Hall, Guelph, for the holidays.

Miss Jessie McMurchy is home from Detroit to wait on her mother, who took a relapse in her illness on Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Kerr and Mr. and Mrs. R. McDonald, of Windsor, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kerr.

Misses Helen and Christena Sutherland and Miss Winifred Dundock, of Toronto, spent the week-end at the former's home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greenwood and daughter Frances left last week for their home in Dilke, Sask., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Smith.

Glencoe students of London Normal School home for the Easter holidays are Jessie Currie, Catharine Eddie, Elsie Leitch, Jean McEachren, Helen McCutcheon and Frances Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey McMurchy, Archie McCallum, Mrs. O. McKibbin, John C. Graham and Dan A. McCallum attended the funeral of their aunt, the late Mrs. Nancy Black, which was held from her late residence, Yale, Mich., on Friday last.

### SPECIAL NOTICES

Parasols for sale. Apply at David Squire's; phone 14 r 11.

Frost Tight-lock farm fences. Get yours at Wright's Hardware.

Clearing out entire stock of groceries in 30 days.—W. A. Currie.

Ten good pigs for sale. Apply to David Dobie, Spruce Lodge, Ekfrid.

Quantity of seed peas for sale.—James McEae, Route 3, Glencoe.

Parties having ordered feed corn from Bryden Glasgow kindly call at once.

Good butter and eggs taken at market price on sale groceries.—W. A. Currie.

Frost fence has stood the test. We have all styles in stock.—Wright's Hardware.

It will pay you to wait for the big Sanford assignment clothing sale at Mayhew's.

Barred Rock baby chicks for sale, ready April 11th.—W. J. Carruthers, Route 4, Glencoe.

Call at Scott's shoe store and get quality shoes and rubbers at a moderate price for cash.

Going out of the grocery business. Clearing out stock at sale price commences today.—W. A. Currie.

Frost "Plymouth Rock" brand poultry fence. See this fence at Wright's Hardware.

Watch for Mayhew's announcement next week of the big Sanford clothing sale, bought at low rate on the \$1.00.

One cultivator, 1 drill, 1 hand packer, 1 rake, 1 mower, binders, etc., for sale. Terms to suit.—D. M. McKellar.

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

The concert advertised last week to be given in No. 1, Mosa, Tuesday, April 3rd, has been postponed until Tuesday, April 10th. An organ will be auctioned off that night.

The play by the Springfield young people, "The Corner Store," will be put on under the auspices of the Apple Tuxis Boys at Apple town hall, Wednesday, April 18. Admission, 25 cents.

The last meeting of the literary society of No. 5, Ekfrid, will be held on Friday evening. A short program is being prepared, after which election of officers for the sports club will take place.

Worthy of public attention to clothing buyers is J. N. Searle & Co.'s ad explaining purchase of a big lot of the W. E. Sanford stock at a low rate on dollar; also new floor coverings and draperies.

Mesa Farm Loan Association will hold a business meeting on Friday, April 6, at 10 a.m. at the McKellar House. Any person requiring loans will please make application to the secretary or at the meeting.—D. N. Munroe, president; Charles Webster, secretary.

### AUCTION SALES

Auction sale of farm stock and implements on south half lot 21, first range of Longwoods Road, Ekfrid, Thursday, April 5th, at 1 o'clock.

McDonnell Bros., proprietors; L. L. McTaggart, auctioneer.

Housewives of the country should declare "sugarless days" until the price of sugar is forced down, Senator Arthur Capper, of Kansas, leader of the Farm Bids, declares.

In the meantime, the Federal Government should vigorously prosecute those responsible for market manipulations, which boosted the price and put \$4 extra expense on the public of \$15,000,000 a month, he said.

A western girl developed a rich soprano voice by calling cows. On the other hand many western girls' fathers have ruined his voice trying to wake up the hired man in the morning.

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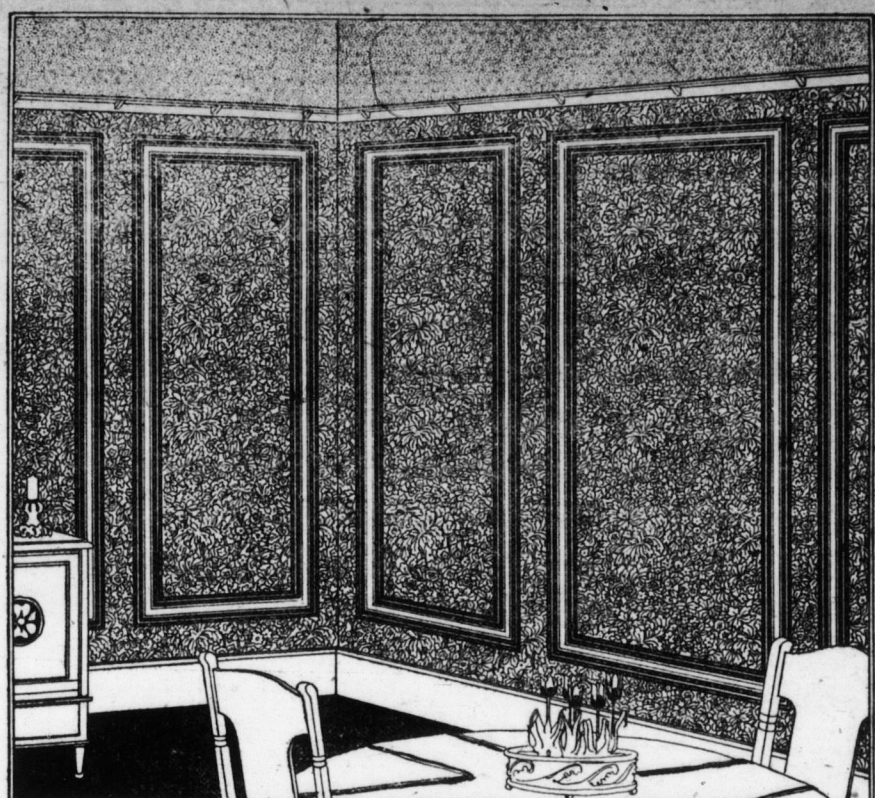
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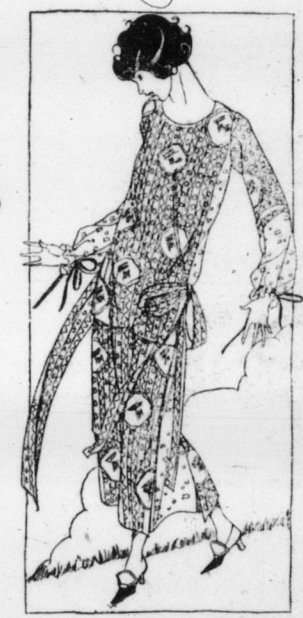
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## THE MAGIC BILLIARD BALL

BY EDMUND SMITH MIDDLETON.

In the full of an August afternoon Shaman Tuloc sat within the shaded doorway of his little shop contemplatively smoking. From time to time a thin brown hand slowly stroked his long gray beard, while his dark, melancholy eyes looked far away into the distance.

Presently a shadow darkened the doorway, as a well-dressed stranger halted uncertainly and gazed curiously within. The old merchant rose courteously and with a wave of his hand extended a silent invitation to enter. Seeing that the stranger still hesitated, Shaman said in a tone devoid of eagerness, "Would the gentleman care to step in? It is not necessary to buy."

An air of distinction in the old man's bearing, scarcely expected in such surroundings, excited the stranger's interest, and with an appreciative "Thank you, if you don't mind," he entered.

The merchant noted the young man's eyes as they swept over his wares with half-observant gaze, and saw that his face wore the unsatisfied expression of one who seeks something greatly desired.

"It is not merchandise the gentleman seeks to-day," said Shaman with kindly interest, continuing to search the other's face with his far-seeing orbs.

"Are you a fortune-teller?" asked the stranger eagerly.

"Not in the ordinary sense, my son," answered the aged merchant solemnly, "but much of the wisdom of the East is mine, and I have known the hearts of many men."

"If you help me," burst impulsively from the other's lips, "you may name your own price."

"I am listening, my son," responded Shaman with dignity, apparently unmoved by these glittering promises. "My name is Philip Arden," began the young man in quick, excited tones, "and I am what people call rich."

"My lot had been different, with my own way to make, I should doubtless have become a gambler, as the gam-

ing instinct is strong within me. At times I am consumed with a perfect fever to excel at games involving chance and skill."

"Why do you tell this to me?" demanded the old man. "You shall see," answered Arden, meeting his glance fairly. "Being wealthy, the gambler's love of gain does not appear to me. Instead, I have devoted myself to games of skill, playing as an amateur with men of my own class. After making a fad of one game after another, I have settled upon billiards, to which I have devoted myself, heart and soul, for two years."

Just then a soft rustle of silk in the back of the shop, a sudden trembling of awning curtains, and a quickly caught breath bespoke a listener in those regions. Shaman Tuloc never turned his head, although he heard Arden was too absorbed in his story to notice. One look at those curtains would have disclosed a pair of peering eyes that shone like midnight.

"Go on," said the merchant, calmly stroking his beard. "There is yet something to tell."

No lover could have been more devoted to his mistress than I to my favorite game. I wooed her early and late, playing my way up through the ranks at the club, until last spring I defeated the strongest man and was hailed club champion. But alas! my joy was short-lived.

"Your hand lost its cunning?" suggested Shaman Tuloc.

"No, not so. A more subtle hand than mine entered the lists," explained Arden with a touch of bitterness in his tone. "While my laurels were yet fresh, a stranger joined the club, a tall, slender man, with sallow skin and coal-black hair, which parted over a narrow, contracted forehead. His black, beady eyes were set close together over a long hooked nose, and his thin lips were shaded by a scanty black mustache. They said that those ratty, weasel-like eyes could look into the shining depths of any jewel and rightly prize its worth. Engaged for me to play billiards like a fiend. His long slender hands controlled the balls like a magician. He defeated me once, twice, thrice—each time worse than before—in a word, ignominiously. Let me vanquish him! Help me to defeat him!" cried Arden, moved to the depth of his being, "and I will give you what you like."

Shaman Tuloc smoked a while in silence, then rose from his seat and drew a small casket from a secret recess in the rear of the shop. The box was of fragrant sandalwood, wrapped with cords and sealed in many places. Carefully removing these, he disclosed a small bundle of numerous layers of fine silk, concealing some object within. Very reverently the old man unwrapped the silken folds until there lay uncovered in his palm a small cylinder of ivory of wondrous quality, and without spot or blemish.

"My son, you behold a portion of the tusk of the Sacred Elephant of Siam, the most sacred of the holy herd. He went into the silence at the age of two hundred years and this relic possesses a mighty power. Listen to the words on the scroll. I will interpret." As Shaman Tuloc spoke he lifted from the casket an oriental scroll and reverently held it toward the light.

"To the pure and single of heart," he read in a low voice, "I will grant his wish."

"I will give any price, fulfill any conditions," exclaimed Arden in a choking voice, his whole form trembling.

"Look! What do you see?" the old man suddenly demanded, holding the ivory above his head.

"Only the ivory, nothing more," the young man answered.

"Look again!" cried Shaman Tuloc eagerly. "Look at the centre! What do you see now?"

"I see a delicate pink light shining through the ivory," answered Arden excitedly. "It seems to move and tremble like a rose swaying in the breeze."

"It is the soul of the sacred tusks!" cried Tuloc, triumphantly. "The spirit, the life. Therein lies the power."

"What am I to do? Tell me!" demanded the young man.

"Bring from your club the finest ball you have. My hands shall fashion its mate in size and appearance from the sacred tusk. I will intrust the task to no other. In a week's time you shall have a ball endowed with the living spirit of victory."

That same evening Arden brought from the club the desired model and the next day Shaman Tuloc began his self-imposed task. As he wrought his labor of love, patiently, silently, with reverential skill, the slender, graceful form of his only daughter glided often through the parted curtains and hung over her father's shoulder with moist eyes and heaving bosom. More than once a rosy blush suffused her modest cheek as she recalled the young stranger's face and trembling voice.

Then she murmured a silent prayer for her father's task and for the young man's victory.

On the eighth day the ball was finished, and to the instructed eye seemed to throb visibly with sentient life, as it lay, white and glistening, in the sandal casket.

"Take it, my son," said Shaman Tuloc, committing the box to him. "Let no other hand than thine use this sacred ball. Let no other interest divide your heart. Then victory will attend."

The report that Arden was to play his conqueror again filled the club house. An indefinite feeling was in the air that this game would possess unusual features—that it was a strife for mastery to an unusual degree.

The two men presented a remarkable contrast as they stood in evening dress at the end of the table ready to

## NURSES

The Toronto Hospital for Incurables, in affiliation with Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, New York City, offers a three years' course of training to young women, having the required education, and desirous of becoming nurses. This hospital has adopted the eight-hour system. The pupils receive uniforms of the school, a monthly allowance and travelling expenses to and from New York. For further information apply to the Superintendent.

begin. One was the picture of cold, nervy cunning and calculation; the other, the best type of a gentleman player, brave, generous, skilled, eager for the fray. It was like night matched against the day—the powers of darkness arrayed against the powers of light.

To the surprise of his ferret-eyed opponent, Arden, playing with the sacred ball, won the bank. The balls were spotted and the game began. The style of play was fourteen-inch balk line, one shot in. Without effort, by graceful, easy play, Arden rolled off run after run. His ball was absolutely under control and the audience was with him to a man, following his game with frequent applause. But, do what he would, Arden could not shake off his opponent. He answered run with run and invariably finished a point or two in the lead.

Arden, however, never lost confidence for a moment in his ball or the outcome of the game. As the players approached the goal, the 300 mark, almost abreast, but the dark man still in the lead, the excitement grew intense. With only eight to go, the latter ran six and missed on his 29th shot. A hateful scowl showed on his face, but changed instantly to a triumphant smile, as he saw that Arden, who stood at 295, was left an impossible shot.

Arden's ball lay tight against the cushions in one corner, the red ball in the same position in the far corner on the same side, and his opponent's ball against the cushion along the rail half-way between the other two balls.

It, indeed, looks to be an impossible shot, but Arden, with unflinching confidence played a massé whose like had never been seen on that or any other table. His ball, with a beautiful curve, spun to the ball half way down the rail, continued its journey in the same marvelous accurate fashion to the red ball, and counted, of course.

The house fairly thundered its applause. The result of the shot was that the three balls lined up along the centre of the table. A second brilliant massé counted 297, and the remaining three shots were flicked off in rapid succession.

As Arden made the last shot, which meant victory for him, he felt his eyes drawn irresistibly across the table to the tier of seats behind him. His gaze rested on a pair of eyes shining with a radiance he had never seen before.

As he felt himself yielding to their power and staring toward them, a strange thing happened. With a sud-

## New Serial Next Week.

A young Canadian author, whose remarkable facility with the pen promises her a brilliant future in the realm of fiction, is Miss Pearl Foley of Toronto, whose story, "The Gift of the Gods," will begin in our next issue. This tale of exciting adventure and romance opens in China and is told in a delicate and masterly fashion. Watch for the opening chapter next week.

den click the wonderful ball, with which he had played and won, snapped asunder and parted into two pieces. As it fell apart, Arden saw an appearance like a delicate pink flame leave the ball, pass through the air toward the wonderful eyes, then over the head of Shaman Tuloc's beautiful daughter and away.

A minute later Arden was holding her by the hands and gazing at close range into those wondrous orbs. Tuloc hastened to the table and clasped the precious fragments of ivory to his breast.

Later that night, as he stood beside the beautiful Esther in her father's shop, Arden asked, "Why did the ivory ball snap and the pink soul flee away?"

"Because, my son, another love had come into your heart"—and then, as Shaman Tuloc looked on the young people, he raised his hands and said, solemnly, "The God of heaven bless you, my children!"

(The End.)

## Bovril Limited Reports

Good Business in 1922  
The report submitted at the 26th Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of Bovril, Limited, in London, England, last month, was most satisfactory.

A net profit was shown of £205,709—out of which after payment of regular dividends on preferred stocks a dividend of 9% on the Deferred Shares—free of Income Tax—was voted.

Sir George Lawson, Johnston is Chairman, The Earl of Erroll, Vice-Chairman, and Mr. Douglas Walker, Managing Director. Sir Cornhill Rason, a former premier of Western Australia, has recently accepted the position of Secretary.

Bovril exports in 1922 exceeded those of 1921 by 22%, and 1923 shows every indication of still further growth. The increasing demand for Bovril in various forms of advertising was one of the noteworthy features of the statement—and one to which perhaps much of the increased success of operations was due.



## Woman's Interests

### DIAMONDS AND ROSES.

Diamonds and roses do not reach the acme of perfection until in the proper setting. We cannot all have diamonds, but there are very few of us but can have the proper setting for the deeper the better, and mix thoroughly. If fine sand devoid of humus, use the same method, with the addition of plenty of fresh cow dung.

When the work is done, cover bed an inch thick with hydrated lime, raking it well into the soil. If soil is in the least dry at planting time, puddle the young plants, that is, add water and soil alternately until the consistency of thick mud, finishing the operation by hilling the young plant with dry dirt. Later, if any of your charges have a tendency to stand still or some are inclined to make poor growth, a tablespoon of bone meal worked in around the plant will give them a new lease of life and promote growth. Repeat this about once a month.

For all chewing and sucking insects, we spray with a solution composed of a heaping tablespoon of arsenate of lead and one-third of a teaspoon of black lead No. 40, to a quart of water. If mildew appears we sprinkle dry sulphur on the bushes while the dew is in the early morning. If black spot bothers we spray with potassium sulphide, one ounce to three gallons of water. We use an ordinary quart sprayer, the first spray being applied

and, it will produce an abundance of roses if properly handled. If you have heavy clay that hardens and packs during the drier months, in the early spring, spade in well rotted manure, the deeper the better, and mix thoroughly. If fine sand devoid of humus, use the same method, with the addition of plenty of fresh cow dung.

When the work is done, cover bed an inch thick with hydrated lime, raking it well into the soil. If soil is in the least dry at planting time, puddle the young plants, that is, add water and soil alternately until the consistency of thick mud, finishing the operation by hilling the young plant with dry dirt. Later, if any of your charges have a tendency to stand still or some are inclined to make poor growth, a tablespoon of bone meal worked in around the plant will give them a new lease of life and promote growth. Repeat this about once a month.

For all chewing and sucking insects, we spray with a solution composed of a heaping tablespoon of arsenate of lead and one-third of a teaspoon of black lead No. 40, to a quart of water. If mildew appears we sprinkle dry sulphur on the bushes while the dew is in the early morning. If black spot bothers we spray with potassium sulphide, one ounce to three gallons of water. We use an ordinary quart sprayer, the first spray being applied

Here we grow the hybrid ever-blooming teas and hybrid perpetuals, grown on their own roots, not budded, and are very seldom troubled with disease. Our soil is a light clay loam, just ordinary good garden soil, and we have a succession of bloom from June until killing frosts. Our circular beds of teas are on the north side of the house, far enough away from the buildings to get the morning sun, but shaded from the heat of mid-day.

We built a lattice work fence to the north and west of these beds in the form of the letter L, planting alternately White Spirea and Crimson Rambler climbing roses. The wall of vines and the thick growth of the spirea have been sufficient protection, in spite of the fact that the position is very exposed one away from the protection of adjoining buildings.

The hybrid perpetuals or bush roses are to the south of the house, in rows without any protection excepting that of the house, yet they thrive, grow and bloom every season. Unfortunately, our front yard is too shady to permit of growing any flowers.

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## Minard's Liniment for Coughs & Colds

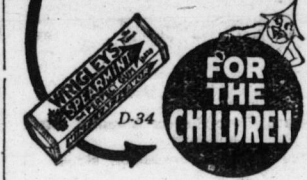


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## GROWING CORN IN WESTERN CANADA

IMPORTANT PLACE IN OUR AGRICULTURE.

Essex County Corn Show Biggest Event of Its Kind on American Continent.

Not such a very long time has elapsed since it was generally pronounced that Canada would never become a successful wheat producer, and the Dominion responded by growing a variety which every year outdistanced any other produced elsewhere and, on account of its peculiar desirability, came into universal demand for milling purposes. She has grown this in ever-increasing volume until in 1922 a tenth was reached, with a production of 399,000,000 bushels. The same was said, and generally accepted, in respect to corn, and the corn belt was generally conceded to terminate long before the international boundary was reached. Yet corn is grown in Canada every year now in great quantities, 13,795,000 bushels for husking being produced in 1922, 14,904,000 bushels in 1921, the average for the past five years being 13,629,440 bushels per annum.

Whitcomb has been raised in the Eastern Canadian provinces for years it is only recently that this has come to be an important crop to the Western farmer, and each year the corn acreage of the Prairie Provinces shows a substantial increase. The high quality of the product of the Western provinces was attested when a grower from Kelowna, Manitoba, exhibited at the Texas State Fair and carried off the championship honors, winning out against the premier exhibitors of the first corn-growing states of the Union.

The Corn Belt Moving North. The important place corn has come to occupy in Canadian agriculture was evidenced at the beginning of the present year when a corn show held in Essex County, Ontario, turned out to be what is believed to be the biggest event of its kind on the American continent in point of attendance and exhibits. The attendance for the four days the exhibition was open was twelve thousand and there were more than three hundred exhibitors and more than fifteen hundred exhibits. There were more than six hundred prizes, amounting to nearly \$2,000 in cash. The quality of the corn exhibited was excellent and the more than one thousand bushels displayed exceeded in quantity the International Show at Chicago.

The honor of staging the continent's biggest corn show is a novel distinction for Canada and a noteworthy achievement which a few years ago would hardly have been conceived possible. American visitors were particularly impressed to discover that the limits of the corn belt had been extended so far north. The event marks a new step in Canadian agricultural history and indicates still another possibility of Canadian agriculture.

A Western Show. Recently, at Prince Albert, in Saskatchewan, was held the first corn show in the history of the province which again disproved the old-time idea that the northern limits of the corn belt ceased at the international boundary. The Judge, Professor Champin, of Saskatchewan Agricultural College, who comes from the heart of the corn belt in the United States and has done much to popularize corn-growing among the farmers of Western Canada, said, "I once thought that North Dakota was the northern limit of the corn belt. This show has proved that excellent corn can be grown several hundred miles further north than was believed possible twenty years ago. The Yellow Dent that captured the sweepstakes is the equal of any corn of its kind I have seen."

"The Good Ship John." Which name figures most often in the shipping lists? The name John wins hands down, there being no fewer than 115 ships afloat either called John or the names of which begin with John.

But you will have to search a long, long while before you come across a Johnny. In fact, there is only one. Shipping companies frequently favor a particular style of name, or else a particular ending. The White Star, for instance, always chose names ending with "ic"—the Celtic, the Majestic, etc. The Cunard Company is equally faithful to the termination "ia," and gave us the Mauretania, the Lusitania, Canada, and so on.

Among the quaintest names to be found are the following: "Try Again, Jolly Dog, Happy-go-Lucky, and—oddest of all—the Go and Ask Her."

Why Not, is another. Why? Well, why not?

Not Well Learned. Willie Macgregor returned home after his first day at school.

His father asked the young scholar what he had learned. "I learned to say 'Yes, ma'am' and 'No, sir' to me mither and fether," replied the boy.

"Did you, indeed?" said his father. "Aye!" responded Willie.

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## BRITISH EXCHEQUER SHOWS SURPLUS OF HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS

Reduction of Expenditures Under Heads of Civil Services and Defence, Together with Big Revenues from Income Tax, Excess Profits Duty and War Stores Sales Result in Balance on Right Side of Ledger.

London, April 1.—The extreme difficulty experienced by Chancellors of the Exchequer, after the war, in estimating correctly the nation's accounts for the financial year ended March 31. Instead of a surplus between six and seven million pounds sterling, as estimated by the former Chancellor, Sir Robert S. Horne, the surplus actually exceeds £101,000,000.

This big surplus is mainly due to unexpectably large reductions in expenditures, the chief saving being under the head of civil service, which cost approximately £287,000,000, as compared with estimates of £450,000,000, and defence services of £111,000,000, as compared with an estimated £190,000,000.

On the revenue side, although the income tax was reduced, it produced £50,000,000 more than was estimated,

while the excess profits duty and sale of war stores together produced £64,000,000 less than estimated.

The question uppermost in the nation's mind at the present moment is whether the budget statement Chancellor Baldwin will submit a week hence will afford any further relief from taxation. The Chancellor is being bombarded with demands for such reductions, and there is general expectation of a reduction of sixpence or a shilling on the income tax, with relief in the beer and sugar duties.

The present year has not been remarkable for expansion of trade, but the fact that the reduced income tax has yielded so much beyond expectations will be seized upon by those who argue that the only thing required to stimulate trade and industry is relief from heavy taxation.

## BIG ADVANCE IN CUSTOMS REVENUE

Excise Taxes Also Show Marked Increase During Fiscal Year Just Ended.

Ottawa, April 1.—Revenue received from customs and excise during the fiscal year 1922-23, which ended on Saturday, amounted to \$274,655,739, an increase of \$44,855,465 over the previous fiscal year, for which the total revenue was \$229,800,274. Excise tax collections showed there was also a marked increase in the revenue derived from customs import duties. The total amount received in customs import duties during 1922-23 was \$131,828,042, as compared with \$119,553,435, or an increase for the twelve months of \$12,274,606. Excise taxes yielded \$105,649,889 in the year just ended, or \$33,020,547 more than in the previous year, when the amount received was \$72,629,342.

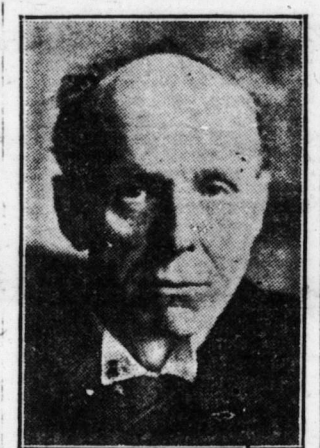
The amount collected in excise duties during the fiscal year just closed was \$36,023,439. Sundry collections yielded \$11,155,367 in 1922-23, or an increase of \$118,323 over 1921-22, when the total revenue from this source was \$1,037,043.

The month of March, the last of the fiscal year, showed increases in import duties, excise taxes and sundry collections. Customs import duties collected during the month totalled \$12,524,852, as compared with \$11,856,616 in March, 1922. The amount realized from excise taxes last month was \$9,093,657, as against \$5,217,780 in the same month a year ago. Excise duties yielded \$2,333,216, a decrease from March, 1922, when revenue from this source was \$2,908,440. Sundry collections amounted to \$91,374 last month, as compared with \$88,920 in March, 1922.

"Worry," says a recent book on nerves, "is a complete circle of inefficient thought whirling round a pivot of fear."



Would Curb Handbook Traffic. Sir Lomer Gouin, who has introduced a bill into the Dominion House to prevent the publishing or display of racing information.



Lord Robert Cecil. He is soon to pay a visit to Canada and the United States. During his visit to Toronto he is to receive a degree at a special convocation of the University of Toronto, when other distinguished men will also be honored, among them, Sir Henry Newbolt and Sir Robert Baden-Powell. Lord Robert is British representative in the League of Nations.

## NEWFOUNDLAND IN GRIP OF BLIZZARD

Toll of Death in Thursday's Storm Now Six—Schooner Sinks.

St. John's, Nfld., April 1.—The schooner Gordon Hollett sank off Cape Race within an hour after the crew had been removed to the steamer Sable, the latter vessel reported on her arrival here to-day with mail from Louisbourg, C. B. The Gordon Hollett was 65 days out of Cadiz for St. John's, salt-laden, when she foundered.

The schooner was damaged by ice while trying to work her way through the floes to this port, and on sighting the Sable, hoisted distress signals. Captain Thrown, of the Gordon Hollett, reported his schooner's condition to the Sable and the crew was transferred without suffering discomfort. No other steamer was expected in that vicinity for many days. Reports from outlying districts of Newfoundland brought the total deaths from Thursday's blizzard to six. In addition to three men previously reported frozen to death at Three Harbors, the loss of three became known to-day.

John Tobin of Trepassay walked into a hole in the ice on Trepassay Harbo, near Cape Race and was drowned. Jacob Stoodley and Thomas Green, of Fortune Bay, disappeared while on their way to English Cove.

Service on the Newfoundland railway suspended owing to the blizzard, has not been resumed as yet. Off the coast the storm is still raging. Many vessels remain frozen in the ice-fields and the sealing fleet reported by radio yesterday that it was unable to move owing to the ice pack.

Nero spent an equivalent of about \$200,000 for roses for one festival.



THE PRINCE IN ACTION  
Prince Edward of Wales, recently dubbed "The White Prince" by the United States Ambassador to England, photographed just as he made a jump in a recent race in which he finished third. The Prince is devoted to riding and hunting and is never happier than when on a horse.

## COAST GUARD BOAT EFFECTS THRILLING RESCUE ON STORMY LAKE ERIE

A despatch from Cleveland, O., says:—Successfully battling the waves of Lake Erie, United States coastguards early on Wednesday night brought to shore Harry Holsworth, who, for 24 hours, lay a victim of pneumonia on the waterwork crib, of which he was the keeper, five miles out. It was one of the most thrilling rescues recorded in the annals of the Great Lakes history.

The coastguard power boat, with a crew of eight men and a captain, set out for the crib late on Wednesday in the teeth of a high wind, after several previous attempts had failed. An hour later, the boat itself became the object of a rescue.

As the power boat reached the crib, John Hugo and Thomas B. Keller, Holsworth's assistants, tied a rope around the sick man. Then as the boat manoeuvred in close, Holsworth was lowered 20 feet to the ice-coated cabin roof as the vessel passed.

He was grabbed by two of the crew, who several times almost slipped into the water. Holsworth was finally placed inside the cabin, where Dr. Harry L. Baird worked over him as the boat buffeted the waves on her landward trip.

Half way back to the coastguard station, the power boat's engine went dead. The crew of the Frank W., which had been held in readiness by the Great Lakes Towing Company, steamed out into the lake and towed the boat to shore.

An ambulance, held in readiness, rushed Holsworth to a hospital. His condition is extremely serious, Dr. Baird declared.

First word that Holsworth was ill was picked up by an amateur radio operator early on Wednesday. He in turn notified the coastguard, but because of the heavy seas and high wind, the life-saving crew was unable to approach the crib during the day.

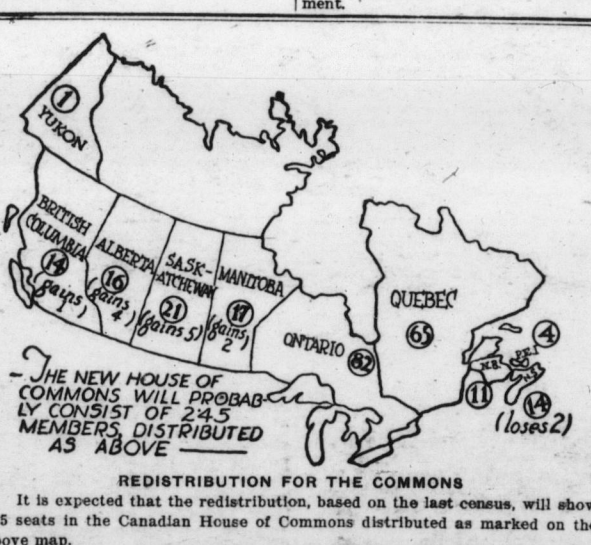
## Victoria Cross Winner is Heir to \$75,000

Prince Albert, April 1.—After a year's search by private detectives, Dr. R. C. Gilmour, V.C., has been located on a farm at Canwood, between Prince Albert and Big River. The object of the officers' search was to ascertain him with the fact that he had been left a fortune of \$75,000 by his grandmother, Lady Jean Gilmour of Newton Mearns, Glasgow, Scotland.

Dr. Gilmour was attached to the Gordon Highlanders during the war, and received his V.C. for carrying his wounded Colonel off the field in face of heavy fire during the retreat from Mons on October 21, 1914.

## Plan to Receive Canadian Cattle Officially

Glasgow, April 1.—Glasgow corporation is extending to the first shipment of Canadian store cattle received since the lifting of the embargo an official reception. Invitations to attend the landing have been sent broadcast by the markets committee. The committee is hoping that the shipment which is now nearing Glasgow will be the first to arrive in Great Britain.



REDISTRIBUTION FOR THE COMMONS  
It is expected that the redistribution, based on the last census, will show 245 seats in the Canadian House of Commons distributed as marked on the above map.

## SEVEN KILLED, 15 INJURED IN WRECK

Big Four Pullman Struck Automobile at Columbus Grade Crossing.

A despatch from Columbus says:—Seven persons are known to have been killed, and fifteen injured, some seriously, when a fast Big Four pullman train, enroute from Boston to Cincinnati, struck an automobile at a grade crossing at the North city limits Friday morning.

The engine left the tracks and turned over in the ditch, four pullman sleepers piling on top of it. All of the cars in the train, with the exception of a dining car left the track.

The train, due in Columbus, at 7.50 o'clock, was more than an hour late and was running at an estimated speed of 65 or 70 miles an hour.

The known dead are two firemen and the occupants of the demolished automobile, Mrs. Frank F. Hemminger of Columbus, and her two children.

## Kingston Lad Killed in Grist Mill Machinery

Kingston, Ont., March 30.—Frank Babcock, aged nineteen, employed in the grist mill of Robert Kieck, Millhaven, shortly after eleven o'clock yesterday morning was caught in the shafting and terribly injured. He died at three o'clock this afternoon.

## Murderer to Hang on June 23 at Fort Saskatchewan

Stettler, Alta., March 30.—Fred Kolvin was found guilty by a jury last night of the murder of John Kasanko and was sentenced by Mr. Justice Simmonds to hang at Fort Saskatchewan on June 23 next. The deliberations of the jury lasted for five hours. The accused took the sentence stoically and showed no emotion.



Senator Dunouand

One of the speakers in the debate in the Senate upon the important subject of the Hoppe claims in the far west. They are supposed to contain anthracite and other varieties of coal in unlimited quantities. They were discovered and owned before the war by a German who claimed to be an American citizen. The Government cancelled his claims and there has been much litigation and legislation concerning the lands since.

## Turkey Preparing to Ratify Peace Treaty

London, April 1.—A despatch to The Times from Constantinople says the National Assembly at Angora today unexpectedly, on a proposal made in behalf of 200 Kemalist deputies, voted by a large majority in favor of immediate elections so that the new assembly would be ready to ratify a peace treaty is one is signed. The despatch adds that Ismet Pasha expressed his approval of the plan.

France lost 10 per cent. of its population in the war.

## Weekly Market Report

**TORONTO.**

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.24.

Manitoba oats—Nominal.

Manitoba barley—Nominal.

All the above track, Bay ports.

Ann. corn—No. 3 yellow, 91½c; No. 2, 89½c.

Barley—Malting, 59 to 61c, according to freights outside.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 75 to 77c.

Rye—No. 2, 77 to 79c.

Peas—No. 2, \$1.45 to \$1.50.

Milfeed—Del., Montreal freights, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$25; shorts, per ton, \$25; middlings, \$28.50; good feed flour, \$3.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, \$1.14 to \$1.16, according to freights outside.

Ontario No. 2 white oats—49 to 51c.

Ontario corn—Nominal.

Ontario flour—Ninety per cent. pat., in jute bags, Montreal, prompt shipment, \$5.10 to \$5.20; Toronto basis, \$5.15 to \$5.16; bulk seaboard, \$4.95 to \$5.

Manitoba flour—1st pats., in cotton sacks, \$7.10 per bbl.; 2nd pats., \$6.60.

Hay—Extra No. 2, per ton, track, Toronto, \$14; mixed, 11½; clover, \$8.

Straw—Car lots, per ton, track, Toronto, \$9.

Cheese—New large, 29c; twins, 29½c; triplets, 31c; Stiltons, 32c. Old, large, 31 to 32c; twins, 33 to 34c; Stiltons, 35c.

Butter—Finest creamery prints, 53 to 55c; ordinary creamery prints, 50 to 52c; dairy, 34 to 37c; cooking, 24c.

Eggs—New laid, loose, 32 to 33c; new laid, in cartons, 36 to 37c.

Live Poultry—Chickens, milk-fed, over 5 lbs., 25c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 25c; do, over 5 lbs., 24c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 21 to 24c; do, 2 to 4 lbs., 18 to 21c; hens, over 5 lbs., 31c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 29c; do, 2 to 4 lbs., 26c; roosters, 29c; ducklings, over 5 lbs., 33c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 28c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 31c; geese, 18c.

Dressed poultry—Chickens, milk-fed, over 5 lbs., 35c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 33c; do, over 5 lbs., 30c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 25c; do, 2 to 4 lbs., 25c; hens, over 5 lbs., 30c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 30c; do, 2 to 4 lbs., 25c; roosters, 25c; ducklings, over 5 lbs., 35c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 33c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 43c; geese, 25c.

Oleomargarine, lb., 21 to 27c.

Beans—Can., 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., 23 to 25c.

Honey—60-lb. tins, 11½ to 12c per lb.; 5 and 2½-lb. tins, 12½ to 13½c per lb.; Ontario comb honey, per doz., \$3.75 to \$4.50.

Potatoes, Ontario—No. 1, 85c to \$1; No. 2, 75 to 85c.

Smoke meats—Hams, med., 26 to 29c; cooked hams, 36 to 42c; smoked

rolls, 26 to 28c; cottage rolls, 32 to 35c; breakfast bacon, 30 to 35c; special brand breakfast bacon, 35 to 38c; backs, boneless, 34 to 40c.

Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 50 to 70 lbs., \$18.50; 70 to 90 lbs., \$18; 90 lbs. and up, \$17; lightweight rolls, in barrels, \$38; heavyweight rolls, \$35.

Lard—Pure tierces, 16 to 16½c; tubs, 16½ to 17c; pails, 17 to 17½c; prints, 18½c. Shortening, tierces, 14½ to 15½c; tubs, 15½ to 15½c; pails, 15½ to 16½c; prints, 17½ to 18½c.

Heavy steers, choice, \$7.50 to \$8; butcher steers, choice, \$7 to \$7.50; do, good, \$6.25 to \$6.75; do, med., \$5.25 to \$6; butcher heifers, choice, \$6.75 to \$7.25; do, med., \$6 to \$6.50; do, com., \$4.50 to \$5; butcher cows, choice, \$4 to \$5; do, med., \$3 to \$4; canners and cutters, \$1.50 to \$2; butcher bulls, good, \$4 to \$5; do, com., \$3 to \$4; feeding steers, good, \$5.75 to \$6.25; do, fair, \$5.50 to \$6; stockers, good, \$5 to \$5.50; do, fair, \$4 to \$5; calves, choice, \$10 to \$12.50; do, med., \$8 to \$10; do, com., \$4 to \$5; milch cows, choice, \$70 to \$90; springers, choice, \$80 to \$100; lambs, choice, \$14 to \$15.50; do, spring, each, \$8.50 to \$17.50; sheep, choice, \$8 to \$9; do, culls, \$4 to \$8; hogs, fed and watered, \$10.75; do, f.o.b., \$10; do, country points, \$9.75.

**MONTREAL.**

Corn, Am. No. 2 yellow, 93 to 94c; Oats, No. 2 CW, 65 to 66c; No. 3 CW, 60 to 61c; extra No. 1 feed, 68½ to 69c; No. 2 local white, 67½ to 68c; Flour, Man. spring wheat pats., 1st, \$7.10; 2nd, \$6.60; strong bakers, \$6.40; winter pats., choice, \$6 to \$6.25; rolled oats, 90-lb. bag, \$3.10 to \$3.20; Bran, \$26 to \$28; shorts, \$28 to \$30; middlings, \$33 to \$35. Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$13 to \$14.

Cheese, finest eastern, 24 to 25c. Butter, choicest creamery, 49 to 50c. Eggs, selected, 36 to 37c. Potatoes, per bag, car lots, \$1.

Hogs, \$11; calves, \$5.50 to \$5.75.

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## Faces.

"There's no art to find the mind's construction in the face," says Shakespeare, through the mind and tongue of King Duncan in "Macbeth." The King was disillusioned and saddened because he had reposed a trust and his confidence was betrayed. But the sweeping generalization, like other affirmations of the sort, is often found to be untrue. If a man is habitually decent, compassionate, honorable, truthful and faithful, the thoughts that live in his mind and vent themselves in the acts of his hand come to read. If he consent to evil, if the trend of his mind is away from light to darkness, if things that are mean and base and gross are the things that especially please him, the tell-tell evidence sooner or later must legibly appear in his countenance.

One sees in a photographer's show-window the pictures of human beings who have called on every artifice of dress to make them beautiful, and have called in vain. Whistler painted a "portrait of a woman" and painted nothing but the dress. When she asked indignantly why he omitted the face, he answered calmly that he saw nothing but the dress. Thus it is with certain of these photographs. There are the bridal bouquet, the veil, the train, the superb adornments and all the accessories of art—but where is the personality? The face is the stereotyped commonplace—Faultily faultless, icily regular, splendidly null.

Where is the character? Where is the individual submerged in the trappings? What has the consummate "pink of perfection" been doing with herself these years on earth except to deck herself for the marriage mart? What does she know? What can she do? Who is she?

Those who have nothing behind the ornamental facade make that front as imposing and as decorative as possible. They display a specious exterior because it is all they have to place on view.

The crowd passes, and if an observer is sentient to the faces, there is an outline of social history in a walk one block long. Some of the faces are so inane, so vacuous, they come very close to expressing nothing at all. How fearfully dull it must be to dwell with those who wear them! Yet those who are their consorts presumably are no better than they. It is a wise provision of Nature. Walter Bagehot reminds us that "the ordinary woman is ordinarily satisfied with the ordinary man." But all the faces are non void of the nobler emotions, and unimpaired and depressing. Here is an old woman who carries in her aspect, though she knows it not, a shining lamp of piety and charity and boundless goodness. Irreverent youth may not know the meaning of her life, as they smile and she is telling it. But it is not lost on the Power she serves and reveres. Here is a man, old and plain, tired and poor, wearing no sign whatever of any personal distinction. Yet he, too, has counted in his place of service, has finished the work he was given to do, has been faithful in a few things. Poor or rich, old or young, it is not a few bright exceptions, here or there, that are living up to their consciences and their ideals. Most of them are doing the best they can with what they have and—if read aright—their faces tell of it.

## Heligoland Island Now Devoted to Child Welfare

A despatch from Hamburg says:—Heligoland has become a children's health resort. The historically famous little island, key to the German Empire's coastal defence system, henceforward will be devoted to the recuperative need of Germany's ailing little ones. Where once mighty fortifications frowned upon the British fleet across the North Sea, playgrounds are being laid out; and the buildings in which were quartered the crews of great guns are being converted into nurseries. Medical authorities describe Heligoland as ideally adapted to the treatment of children, owing to the warm sunshine and sheltered open spaces to be found there.

## Prince's Love for Steeple-chasing Causes Anxiety

A despatch from London says:—The Prince of Wales' love for steeple-chasing is beginning to cause public anxiety, owing to the frequency with which he meets mishap. The Prince himself, however, makes light of his risks.

The Heir Apparent had another mishap on Wednesday, when, participating with Prince George in the Melton steeplechases and riding in the Ladies' Plate, his mount, "Little Christy," was brought down by the backing of another horse at the seventh fence. After making six unsuccessful attempts to get his mount over the Prince gave up.

The Prince also, for the first time, competed against professional jockeys in an open race and came in fourth, after a narrow escape from being unseated.

Both Saskatchewan and Manitoba have now endorsed the system of cream grading as followed in Alberta through their dairymen's conventions and it is likely that legislation will be introduced in the two provinces to enforce the system. Cream buying stations were abolished in both provinces two years ago.





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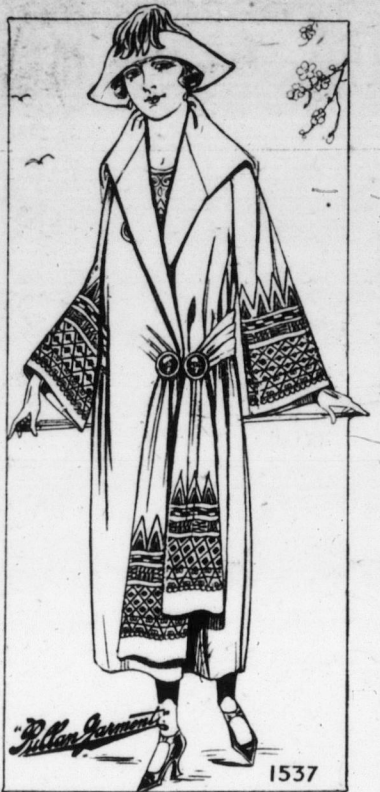
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# QUESTIONS and Bible Answers

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What reason did Jesus give why we should forgive our enemies?—Mark 11: 25.

## NEWBURY

A meeting of the community club will be held in the town hall on Friday evening, April 6, at 7.30, to make arrangements for a celebration on May 24. A community singing, of gram is being arranged and every member is expected to be present.

The Knox Church Ladies' Aid held a special meeting at the home of Mrs. W. Bayne to discuss the matter of re-carpeting the church, also some redecorating at the manse. It being election of officers, Mrs. Moore presided. Officers are as follows:—

President, Mrs. R. H. Moore; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Don Fletcher; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Leatherby; treasurer, Mrs. A. Fennell; secretary, Mrs. C. Roycraft. Daily refreshments were served by the hostesses, and silver collection taken.

Larry Hurdle returned from Toronto last week.

Owing to illness of Rev. R. J. Murphy there was no service in Christ

church on Easter day. However, the Easter music and service will be used next Sunday, April 8th.

Rev. Mr. Paton, of Glencoe, took Rev. C. D. Farquharson's duty in Knox church Easter Sunday owing to the illness of Mr. Farquharson.

Miss Vida Wallace, of Alvinston, visited at Peter Hillman's last week.

Mrs. C. W. Vanman is spending Easter week with Hamilton friends.

Albert Grant and wife, of Detroit, and Ed. J. Grant and son, of Belmont, were week-end visitors at J. Grant's.

Easter visitors at J. G. Bayne's were Miss Stewart and Allan Bayne, of Toronto; Dr. H. C. Bayne, of Sarina, and W. Smith, of Hagersville.

Elmer Connelly—Misses Anna E. Connelly and Beatrice Kake, of Detroit, and Fred Connelly, of Toronto; at Mrs. Jane Connelly's—Hubert Connelly, wife and children, of London, and Mrs. Fred Sullivan, of Bothwell; at Wm. Bayne's—Margaret and Adair Bayne, of Toronto; at A. Fennell's—Miss Mamie Fennell, of Toronto.

Yet again it becomes our painful duty to chronicle the death of an old and respected citizen in the person of Mrs. Mary Powell Robinson, who passed away early Thursday morning in her 80th year. Deceased, although suffering for some time from weakness, the result of arteriosclerosis, was only ill for ten days and her condition only became alarming a few hours previous to her passing away. The late Mrs. Robinson was

born in Euphemis a few miles west of the home on the Fansher road where she came as a bride and continued to reside until eighteen years ago when she moved to the village. She came of the pioneer people who in the earlier days were the bone and sinew of this country. Her husband passed away when her children were young but with courage and perseverance she made a good home and raised a family to be proud of and it will be their comfort now that they were always attentive to the good mother. Deceased was the oldest member of the Church of England here.

For nearly sixty years she was a regular attendant at its services. The funeral services (owing to Rev. R. J. Murphy's illness) were conducted by Rev. Mr. Bridgette, of Wardsville, on Saturday afternoon at the home. Interment in the family plot at Wardsville. The bereaved family left one daughter, Margaret (Mrs. Parish), of Ottawa, and two sons, John Henry and William Frank (in here, all of whom were at the bedside of their mother during her illness. To them and the grandchildren much sympathy is extended.

Many relatives and friends from Watford, Shelburne, Aughrim, and Bothwell attended the funeral.

Word came to the village early on Sunday of the death of David Gage, who passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Payne, near Merlin. The remains were brought to Cairo, the home of his son Osborne, on Sun-

day evening. Deceased was well known and liked for his kindly, genial manner and during his residence here always had a smile and happy word for young and old.

Mrs. Kettle, of Port Dover, visited her sister, Mrs. P. T. Galbraith, last week.

## WALKERS

We are glad to know that Clayton and Lorne Osier are recovering from a severe illness.

D. H. McLachlan unloaded a car of fertilizer on Saturday.

A week ago some party or parties unknown broke into the warehouse and damaged goods to the value of \$150 consigned to Klemm Bros. Detective Henry Catlow, of the M.C.R., is investigating and despite the recent dip in the weather it looks as if the guilty party is in for a fairly hot time if found out.

Misses Gwen Goff and Mary Quick, of Glencoe, were week-end guests of Miss Verna McCallum.

Miss Flo McCallum, of Petrolia, spent Easter at her home here.

At Young People's service on Sunday evening Miss Foster, of Kerwood, and Miss Jean Munro, of Walkers, favored the audience with solos which were much enjoyed.

At the sale of the late Wilfrid Walker's effects last Wednesday fair prices were realized. Horses sold from \$110 to \$150 and cattle from \$30 to \$70.

Machinery was the only thing slow in selling.

The play and box social held on Monday evening was largely attended, boxes selling from \$1 to \$2. Total proceeds, \$40.

Spring is here and so is agony to some of the husbands when they have to go with their wives on a hat-hunting expedition into the depths of the millinery parlors.

## DAVISVILLE

Miss Leah Armstrong, of Windsor, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Dan McNaughton.

Leonard Hillman, of Detroit, is spending the Easter holidays at his home here.

Wm. McLean, of Inwood, visited his mother last week, she having been sick for some time.

Miss Annie McIntyre is spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McIntyre.

Death has once more visited our neighborhood and claimed Thomas H. Durfee, who had been ill for several months, dying on Wednesday. He will be missed as his cheerful and agreeable disposition was exemplified in his daily life.

Mr. Durfee was born at Bartonville, Ont., on May 25, 1840, dying in his 82nd year at Newbury, having lived in the vicinity for 50 years. He married Zeriah Babcock, of Newbury, on May 12, 1874.

He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, Mrs. J. H. Durfee, and three children: William B. at home; Mrs. J. W. Gibson, Mrs. W. Lumley, Mrs. E. C. Ball, Mrs. Clara Tomlinson, of Port Huron. He also leaves one brother, Charles Durfee. The remains were laid to rest at Wardsville, the six sons-in-law acting as pallbearers.

## CAIRO

Mrs. Will Knott, of London, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arch. McGugan.

Miss Myrtle Woods, of Windsor, and her sister, Delta, of Sarnia, are visiting at Mrs. E. Arnold's.

Leonard McGugan, of London, left for Detroit yesterday after spending the Easter holidays with his parents.

Mary McKee is recovering from an attack of measles.

Dorothy Huffman spent a few days with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Huffman.

Mrs. W. J. Ryan is in London attending the funeral of her brother, Joseph J. Coniskey.

D. L. Turner died in Victoria Hospital, London, and funeral services were held on Tuesday, April 3rd, in the Presbyterian church. Interment in Cairo cemetery.

## CASHMERE

Miss Mildred Taylor, of London, spent the Easter holidays at her home here.

George Hewitt, of Detroit, is visiting with his parents here.

Miss Elsie Thompson, of McReady, is spending the holidays at her home here.

Mrs. Allen Sittler, of Bothwell, and son Basil, of Detroit, visited Mrs. Earle Tunks on Sunday.

Harold Reid, of Detroit, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Reid, here.

We are glad to hear that Charlie Darke, who has been ill with the measles, is some better.

A. Thos. Darke, of Bothwell, is visiting his son Wed. here.

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WOODGREEN

Russell Clamahan is home for the Easter holidays.

Mrs. T. Simpson and daughter Florence are spending the Easter holidays at Windsor.

Miss Connie Pearson, of Glencoe, spent the week-end with Miss Alice Harvey.

George and Frederick Ostrik, of Flat Rock, Mich., spent the holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Grover.

Miss Alice Harvey has returned home after spending a week in London.

Mrs. A. Daum is visiting at her home in Sebringville.

Miss Ethel Harvey is spending a few days in St. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Harvey and family, of St. Thomas, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harvey.

## APPIN

A. B. McDonald, of Glencoe, gave a very interesting and instructive talk on the subject "Christian Influence" at the Young People's meeting in the Presbyterian church here last Sunday evening.

Misses Allan and McGill sang a pleasing duet and Rev. Mr. Stevenson gave his experience along the lines of the topic. These meetings have been very much enjoyed by all who attended. The next regular meeting is Sunday, April 8th, at 8 p.m. All welcome.

We are pleased to learn that Earl Edwards is improving after his recent operation.

Rev. Mr. Stevenson was in Melbourne last Sunday preaching the Presbyterian pulpit there vacant.

Rev. Mr. Ayo, of London, occupied the pulpit here and at North Ekfrid.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tilden, of Lambeth, spent a few days of their honeymoon in Appin and vicinity on their way home from Windsor and Detroit.

Miss Margaret Macfie, teacher, of Alma College, St. Thomas, is spending the holidays at her home here.

## MELBOURNE

Melbourne, April 2.—Mrs. (Dr.) Woods has returned to her home in Chelsea, Mich., accompanied by her cousin, Miss Mary Galbraith, of Appin, after spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Arch. Stevenson.

Ernest Stevenson and Harold Parr, of Victoria College, and Frank Brown, of McMaster University, Toronto, are home for their vacation.

Miss Mildred Richards, of London Normal, and Miss Muriel Richards, of Oil City, are home for the Easter vacation.

Miss Dorothy Campbell, who has been in a Chicago hospital since October, is now in London, the guest of Mrs. C. Norworthy. It is expected that she will have fully recovered in one year's time.

A. P. McDougall is able to be out again after a two weeks' illness. Mr. and Mrs. Sandy McDougall are still confined to the house with an attack of grippe.

Mrs. J. D. Campbell is slowly improving after a serious illness.

Mrs. M. R. Brown and son Harry have returned from a visit with Tillsonburg friends.

## NORTH EKFRID

The scholars of No. 10 school presented Grace Nicholls with a gold signet ring last Thursday afternoon. She is leaving here to reside in Windsor.

Woodgreen dramatic club brought their play to No. 10 school house on Thursday evening of last week. A good-sized crowd was present and everybody was well pleased with the evening's entertainment.

We are pleased to hear that Mrs. Wm. Down is much better.

Ross Pettit's hand is slowly improving.

Friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls met at their home Friday evening and presented Wm. Nicholls, sr., with a club bag and Mr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls with a china tea set as a token of esteem. They are leaving our neighborhood to reside in Windsor. A social evening was spent and luncheon was served.

Arthur Hardy, of Windsor, spent Easter with his mother, Mrs. S. Hardy.

## WOODGREEN

Holiday visitors here were: Will Moore, of Windsor, at Mrs. Joseph Moore's; Margaret Little, of Toronto, at John Little's; Elizabeth McAlpine, of Bothwell, J. D. McAlpine, of London, and Robert McAlpine, of Detroit, D. R. McAlpine; Malcolm Munroe, of Port City, at A. L. Munroe's; Elsie Leitch, of London, at Alex. M. Leitch's.

An enjoyable time was spent on Thursday evening of last week, when the Kilmartin dramatic club entertained the young people of the section in the school house. Marshmallows were roasted over a bonfire in the yard, and then all went into the school house where the evening was spent in music and games. At the close lunch was served.

Miss Susie Gardiner, of Pratt's Sidling, spent the week-end with Miss Sarah McLachlan.

The literary society of Burns church, which was to have met on Tuesday evening, owing to bad weather was postponed until Friday, April 6th.

## STRATHBURN

Frank Treastin, son of James H. Treastin, who arrived home last Saturday, left for Detroit this week.

L. D. Siddall left for Detroit this week to work at Ford's.

We are sorry to hear that George Smith is ill.

Duncan K. McRae had the misfortune to lose one of his fancy drivers, the horse getting its leg broken.

John Cyster, mail carrier, is able to be around again, after a serious operation.

Miss Minnie Willey was taken to the hospital for a surgical operation and is getting along as well as can be expected.

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