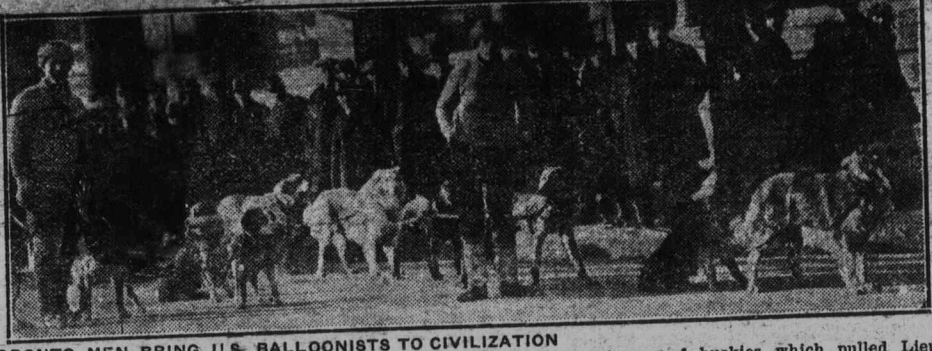


# MILITARY GOVERNOR OF IRELAND DEALS STERNLY WITH CORK SINN FEINERS

### Military Dynamited Six Buildings as Reprisal for Attack on Crown Troops—Curfew Order Forbids Citizens to Walk Streets on Saturdays and Sundays After Nightfall.

A despatch from London says:—The military dynamited six buildings on Washington Street, in the City of Cork, Ireland, as acts of official reprisal, including two houses where two members of the Royal Irish Constabulary were attacked on Saturday. The destruction of the six business establishments followed within forty-eight hours of General Strickland's warning that he would rule Ireland with a harsher hand unless all attacks upon the Crown forces ceased at once. The military officials assert that on Saturday night while they were escorting an ambulance containing wounded men to a hospital they were fired upon from houses in Washington street and also from street corners. The houses selected for destruction are said to have been occupied by well-known Sinn Fein sympathizers who were given a warning to clear out. They were permitted to remove their furniture and then military engineers prepared for the demolition of the buildings. Meanwhile officers with

drawn revolvers ordered the large crowd that had gathered to disperse, saying that otherwise it would be fired on. All this afternoon explosions reverberated through the city as the troops methodically razed the houses, driving the people of the stricken city into panic. The premises which were destroyed included Higgins' saloon, Miss Mahony's stationery store, the Westbourne fruit store, Macaris' restaurant and Murphy's saloon. The police also held up and searched all the employes of Dwyer's huge wholesale drapery concern. While the explosions were proceeding and striking new terror to the hearts of the people of Cork, Strickland dealt another blow to the citizens by ordering that curfew shall begin at five o'clock on Saturdays and Sundays. This means that henceforth no people will be allowed on the streets on rest days after nightfall. The order is a heavy blow to business of all kinds.



TORONTO MEN BRING U.S. BALLOONISTS TO CIVILIZATION  
Johnny Jones, Rushton Road, Toronto, in the centre, with his famous teams of huskies which pulled Lieuts. Kloor and Hinton into Mattice. On the left is Sam Sainsbury, of Toronto, who accompanied Jones on his northern adventure.

## Germany's Military Power is Nil

A despatch from Paris says:—Four pourparlers between France and Great Britain show that no undue pressure is to be exercised upon Germany on the question of immediate disarmament of the home guards. Experts of both countries have assured their Governments that Germany to-day is altogether harmless from a military viewpoint. It has been decided to sanction the Spa agreement that further occupation of German territory will be postponed by the Supreme Council next week.

## ROYAL AUTO KILLS BELGIAN CHILD

King Albert Summons Doctors for Injured Boy.  
A despatch from Brussels says:—The automobile of King Albert, while returning to Brussels on Thursday from Louvain, knocked down two children in the village of Kesseldro. A girl of five years of age was killed outright, and a boy eight years was seriously hurt. King Albert, who was in the machine, was greatly perturbed by the event, and personally carried the body of the little girl to the cottage of her parents and sought to console them in their loss. The King then fetched two doctors to attend the injured boy. It is said that the children dashed out into the road from behind a truck which masked the oncoming machine, and that they were under the wheels of the Royal automobile before its driver saw them.

## ALARMED AT INDIA MILITARY SITUATION

Proposed Army Reduction is Causing Much Uneasiness.  
A despatch from London says:—A Reuter despatch from Delhi says: "Much uneasiness prevails at the moment in the Indian army at the decision of the Government to demobilize about a dozen Indian cavalry and over thirty Indian infantry regiments. This means that about 30,000 men and 2,500 British officers will be discharged from the service by the end of March. It is also believed probable that the British forces in India will be reduced by the sending home of two British cavalry and of four British infantry battalions. These measures are being adopted partly because the great war is ended and partly owing to the withdrawal of troops from Mesopotamia and to the bad financial outlook in the country and the consequent growing Indian outcry at heavy army expenditures. The Government of India is now considering ways and means of meeting the heavy Budget deficit which seems inevitable, owing to the fall in exchange and severe trade depression." The Daily Telegraph, in an editorial headed "Are We Giving Up India?" takes a very serious view of the announcement contained in this despatch. It says the reduction of the Indian army was not recommended by the Commander-in-Chief in India, nor by the Army Council at home, nor by the Viceroy's military advisers. "These responsible authorities," it says, "are entirely opposed to any diminution of the small army of European soldiers which guards India against invasion and rebellion. It is regarded with equal disfavor by the most highly placed and experienced officials of the Indian Civil Service. Nevertheless it was carried in the Viceroy's Council by the votes of non-official and native members. They objected to the increase of taxation which would be required to maintain the army at its present establishment. The Viceroy was unable or unwilling to insist on this necessary addition to the military budget, and on division the party in favor of ruinous economy was in the majority."

## WILSON TO ACT IN ARMENIAN MATTER

### Asks Allies to Co-operate in Task of Adjusting Frontier.

A despatch from Washington says:—President Wilson has despatched to the Allied nations a note in connection with their request to him to fix the boundaries of Armenia. It was learned on Thursday. The President, in his communication, is understood to have requested co-operation in the task he has accepted. When the Allies asked President Wilson to fix the Armenian frontiers they agreed thoroughly to co-operate. With this assurance the President proceeded by appointing Henry Morgenthau as his representative. He then asked the Allies to suggest how the subject should be approached. No suggestions from the Allies have been received in response to this request practically for instructions, except one from Lloyd George that the President might discuss the matter with the Allied commissioners at Constantinople. This method was not regarded by the Government as conducive to results. The best opinion is that the President already has indicated to the Allies that he may take up the boundary question with Turkey. This Government previously has advised the Allies that, as the United States assisted in the defeat of Turkey, it has the right to be heard on any treaty which involves partition or rearrangement of territory. That includes Armenia.



Sees No Evidence of Cancer Cure.  
The Special Committee of the Academy of Medicine named to investigate the Dr. T. F. Glover cancer cure has submitted an interim report stating that there is no evidence to warrant the hope that a specific cure for cancer has been discovered.

## SWISS ANNOYED AT OUR MARINE FLAG

### Canada's New Emblem Too Closely Resembles Their National Flag.

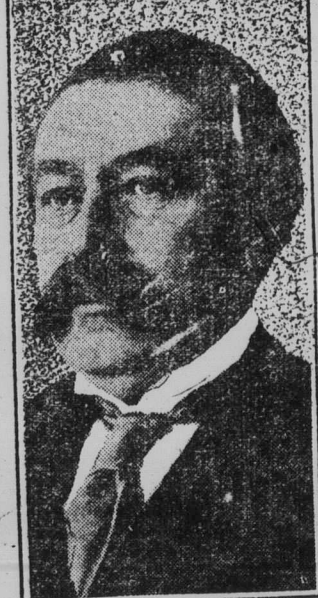
A despatch from Berne says:—The announcement just made here that the Canadian Government has introduced a merchant marine flag showing a white cross encircled by a ring on a red ground has caused consternation in Switzerland. The Swiss flag is, of course, a white cross on a red ground, but without any ring around the cross, and the Swiss press and public are asking their government whether Canada cannot be prevented from having a merchant marine flag so closely resembling the Swiss flag, especially as Switzerland hopes one day to have her own merchant marine, in view of her long-cherished project of having a canal connecting the Rhone, or one connecting Marsilles with Lyons and Geneva, and also utilizing the Rhone. Switzerland likewise wants to establish shipping connections with Antwerp by the Rhine, while Italy is planning to connect Venice and the Upper Adriatic with the great Alpine passes by means of the River Po and Lake Maggiore, one end of which is in Switzerland. Before the war German manufacturers got into the habit of using the Swiss national colors for various toilet articles, but the Swiss Government protested, and the custom was abandoned. It is suggested that this new grievance is one which might be carried to the League of Nations, but it is possible that the Swiss Government will merely make friendly representations to Canada. The new Canadian merchant marine flag supplants one on which the beaver was featured. Sailors had nicknamed the Canadian fleet the "rat line."

## Supply Cork With Building Material

A despatch from Ottawa says:—Plans made to rebuild Cork's burned area have resulted in the Irish International Trading Corporation, Ltd., of Cork, Ireland, seeking materials in Canada. The Trade and Commerce Department has received a letter from that corporation asking to be put in touch with Canadian firms which can supply building materials for reconstruction purposes.

## King George is Member of Large Black Pig Society

A despatch from London says:—King George has just been elected a member of the Large Black Pig Society, The Times announces. Members of this society are breeders of a famous Berkshire variety of large hogs, some of which were purchased recently from the royal farms at Windsor by King Alfonso of Spain, with a view to improving the native breeds.



Takes Up Reins of Government.  
M. Briand, the famous French statesman, who has accepted the offer of President Millerand and formed a cabinet in succession to Leygues.

## Greece's Dropped Pilot

It is announced by those who stand close to Venizelos that he will never go back to Greece to resume the undertakings inseparable from his name. Members of the Liberal party in many lands deplore his virtual banishment, and friends of Greece who are dispassionate and disinterested feel that when his country bade the great Cretan begone she dispensed with the services of one who so clearly and surely spoke the international idiom that there is none to fill his place.

Canada understood the mind and the way of Venizelos; our representatives at the Peace Conference could talk with him as they talked among themselves. He was frank and free from evasions; he sought the good of his people, and still was of a conciliatory and concessive temper. He played fair and he made friends. Venizelos has accepted defeat with the reticence and the self-control of a soldierly spirit. He has not made the welkin ring with his complaint, nor has he encouraged any protest on the part of zealots in his name. His work speaks for itself; the monument that his long patriotic service built for him will stand forever.

## France Discharging War Debt to Spain

A despatch from Paris says:—In response to Spain's repeated requests for France to settle its war debt of four hundred million pesetas, the Ministry of Finance has forwarded the first instalment of thirty-five millions to Madrid.

## RISE IN EUROPEAN EXCHANGE IN N. YORK

### Advance Ascribed to Progress in Allied Claims Against Germany.

A despatch from New York says:—Exchange on European countries rose vigorously in this market on Thursday, the advance being ascribed by international bankers to reported progress in connection with the claims of the allies against Germany. Demand bills on London were quoted at 3.77%, the highest since the latter part of last July, and at noon a further advance to 3.78% was reported. The French rate of Paris demand bills sold at 6.60, a gain of 14 points over Wednesday's final price, and a new high level for the current movement. Marks or German remittances sold at 1.64, a slight gain over Wednesday. The other continental remittances were irregularly higher.

## Weekly Market Report

Table with market prices for various commodities like wheat, corn, and hogs. Includes sub-sections for Toronto and Montreal.

## EAGER TO REACH THEIR NEW HOME

### European Jews Walking from the Ukraine to Palestine.

A despatch from London says:—So eager are certain classes of European Jews to get to Palestine, their new national home, that many are actually walking there from the Ukraine, drifting into the country via Constantinople, said Sir Alfred Mond, the first Commissioner of Works in the British Cabinet, who has just left London for a visit to Palestine. "There is," he continued, "an immense amount of work to do. The housing shortage is worse than here, and the country has practically to be rebuilt from the beginning. If plans are properly worked out, we could provide for three or four million people. Preparations have to be made for those Jews who want to go and, in fact, we have to make Palestine fit to be the home of the Jewish race." Sir Alfred said that he did not anticipate religious difficulties. There was already a good deal of co-operation in commercial matter between the Arabs and the Jews, and the population would improve with the advance of the country.

## FIRE DESTROYED VALUABLE RECORDS

### Flax Building at Ottawa Experimental Farm is Serious Loss.

A despatch from Ottawa says:—The destruction by fire on Wednesday night of the flax building at the Experimental Farm constitutes a serious loss to the Dominion in connection with the research work which has been carried on, dealing with the process of manufacturing flax into fibre and linen, and the tabulating of the different areas throughout Canada best suited for the growing of flax.

In the building, which was erected four years ago, were stocked quantities of flax seeds, gathered from crops grown all over Canada, together with valuable machinery. Experimental work was also conducted in converting flax seed into different feeds, and the records covering this research work during the last year and a half, which were kept in the office, were destroyed.

## New Cunard Liner is One-Class Boat

A despatch from London says:—For the first time a transatlantic liner sailed from England for America with no distinction of class in its passengers. There are no first, second or third class berths on the Albania, a Cunard liner, which has left Liverpool for New York, via Queenstown, on her maiden trip.

The Albania is described as a "one class boat," all passengers having their own cabins and the run of the entire ship.

The greatest of faults, I should say, is to be conscious of none.—Carlyle.

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**CARLSRUHE.**

(Intended for last week)

Mrs John Witter received the sad  
news last week that her nephew, Mr  
Schultz of Stratford, was seriously  
wounded by falling off a twenty foot  
building. Mr Schultz was a member  
of the Fire Brigade. Later—News was  
received that he died of injuries. Mrs  
Witter left for Stratford to attend the  
funeral and will spend some time with  
relatives there.

Mr Frank Hoffarth of Mt. Carmel, N.  
D., and Mr Nick Hoffarth of Kitchener,  
visited their mother, Mrs Conrad Hof-  
farth, who is very ill at time of writing.

The young people gathered and sur-  
prised at the home of Mr and Mrs Jos  
Hoffarth last Tuesday. They all got a  
hearty welcome and reported a well  
spend evening.

Mr Joseph Montag attended the  
County Council at Walkerton.

Mr Leo and Miss Helen Schnurr of  
Formosa spent Sunday with friends  
here.

Mr and Mrs Henry Bruder of Han-  
over and Mr and Mrs John Rutz of  
Walkerton are visiting the latter's  
mother.

Mr and Mrs Frank Rich of Deemer-  
ton visited Paul Hoffarth on Sunday.

Mr Peter Kroetsch left on Monday to  
attend the funeral of his cousin, Theo-  
bold Kroetsch, of St Clements.

The farmers from here delivered their  
last lot of apples which were packed by  
the Weber Bros. last week.

Sir William James Gage, the well  
known philanthropist, died last week at  
his home in Toronto. He was the mov-  
ing spirit in the providing of several es-  
tablishments in this Province for the  
care of consumptives.

We may yet to paper socks. The Japs  
are making large quantities of yarn from  
paper, which is in great demand for  
making into bags and cloth. Their pa-  
per currency is almost absolutely un-  
tearable.

Eighty-four per cent of the business  
failures of the past year occurred among  
firms which did not advertise. The  
This is the assertion made by Brad-  
streets Commercial Agency, which is an  
unbiased authority.

Four young men from Hanover who  
attended a hockey match recently at  
Chesley were in an intoxicated condition  
and later were fined \$20 each. One of  
them admitted having taken a drink of  
cider mixed with whiskey—evidently a  
bad mixture.

The minister had labored hard with one  
of his flock to induce him to give whiskey  
"I tell you Michael," said the minister  
"whiskey is your worst enemy and you  
should keep as far away from it as you  
can." "The enemy is it minister?" re-  
sponded Michael, "and it was your re-  
verence's self that was telling us in the  
pulpit last Sunday to love our enemies."  
"So it was, Michael," rejoined the min-  
ster, "but I didn't tell you to swallow  
them."

The three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs  
Thomas Miller, 6th. line, Morris Town-  
ship, died last week as the result of an  
accident of which he was the victim.  
several weeks earlier. He and an older  
brother were playing with a fork when  
one of the prongs pierced the little fel-  
low's head close to the eye. It went in  
a considerable distance and as a result  
the left side became paralyzed. This  
however, wore away and the wound healed  
up until it was thought the boy was  
almost completely recovered. But the  
effect of the injury showed itself in an  
attack of convulsions which ended fatal-  
ly.

For an exhibition of cool nerve the fol-  
lowing episode chronicled in the Simcoe  
Reformer, could be excelled with diffi-  
culty: "One afternoon last month a  
woman went into a Simcoe grocery store  
and asked to have a check cashed. She  
said she was late for the bank and par-  
ticularly wanted some money. She was  
quite impatient and stormed a bit at the  
idea of the banks being locked up. The  
store was crowded; but finally she was  
accommodated. On being asked why she  
did not offer her check in the store in  
which she wished to use the money, she  
explained that she didn't want to spend  
any in Simcoe, but was anxious to get an  
express order off to Eaton's for her  
Christmas groceries."

Speaking of the recent meeting of the  
Mothers' Allowance Board in Walkerton  
the Chesley Enterprise says: There are  
33 applications for help under the act of  
last session presented of these 26 were  
favorably considered, of which 3 were of  
Chesley. The allowance to mothers left  
with \$2000 or less and with dependent  
children is \$400. If the Board at Tor-  
onto, which reviews all cases passed on  
by the County Board, accepts 21 of the  
26 applicants, it will an extra \$4000 to be  
borne by the County of Bruce. The  
The Provincial Govt. pays half the cost.  
The applications received revealed cases  
of urgent necessity and fully justified the  
passing of the Act which is along human-  
itarian lines and in harmony with the  
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pital for Consumptives was talk-  
ing. "The sad thing is, it's young  
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and girls, T.B. attacks usually—  
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dians, because they're ambitious.  
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pavilion were determined to have a  
flag. Each contributed the little he  
could. They got the flag, but, poor  
chaps, they're disappointed—it's so  
tiny.  
Yes, tiny up among the towering  
pines, but defiantly proclaiming  
"What we have we'll hold." And in  
the eots beneath, lads, weak and  
ill, but battling for health, lads  
whose precious pennies bought  
"the rag overhead," are echoing its  
dauntless spirit—"What life we  
have we'll hold." Lads worth sav-  
ing surely!  
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William Gage, 84 Spadina Avenue,  
Toronto, or to Geo. A. Reid, Treasur-  
er, 223 College Street, Toronto.

Mr Ignatz Weber, formerly of Car-  
rick, who has been conducting a general  
store in Walkerton for the past five  
years, has decided to sell out his busi-  
ness with a view to removing his wife  
and family from town next summer.  
He may go into business in some other  
town.

No definite information is set obtain-  
able as to the provincial finances, but it  
is generally taken that when the Hon.  
Peter Smith introduces his budget a  
deficit will be shown. The expenses  
connected with the last provincial elec-  
tion, amounting to over \$600,000, in-  
creased maintenance costs of institu-  
tions, increased expenditures on salaries  
and bonuses of civil servants and great-  
er grants for educational purposes are  
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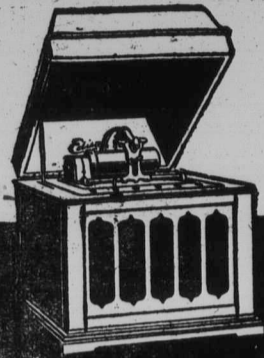
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A certain newspaper that made a practice of answering inquiries from readers received this one: Please tell me what is the matter with my chickens. They seem to be apparently well. The next morning we find one or more on their backs on the floor, stiff, comb white, and feet in the air. It was the editor's busy day and this was the answer the reader received: "Dear Sir, your chickens are dead."

The Hallam brothers, recently assistants to special officer Spracklin at Windsor, while battling for possession of a revolver in a rooming house in Toronto, accidentally shot a woman in the adjoining room. They were arrested and will be tried on a charge of criminal negligence.

To be the oldest councillor in Canada in years of service is the distinction claimed by Reeve N. Vermilyea of Thuridw Ont., St. Thomas, who was returned to the township council for the sixty-sixth consecutive year a few days ago. Mr. Vermilyea received Thuridw forty-two years in succession, receiving no fewer than forty-one acclamations. He has held every office in the Hastings county council. He should resign.

If you owe money to anybody, pay it now. A ten-dollar bill set going in this way on Monday may pay, in turn, fifty or a hundred accounts before Saturday night. Complaint is made that people who are well-to-do are not frequently among the most negligent in this matter of settling their bills. Never being in a tight corner themselves, they do not realize how much others may stand in need of money. "Suffer another word of exhortation." Do not merely say, "I must pay that account." That gets one nowhere. Do it now, and start the ball rolling.

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The fifteenth Legislature of Ontario opened on Tuesday with the usual social display, booming of cannon and guard of honor for his ribs who represents King George. Women occupied the seats of the members on the floor of the house and were just as well dressed as in the days of party government. We all like to see well dressed women even if they haven't a pretty face to buck it up.

Russel Chick, the young pool-room proprietor of Port Elgin, who is in the Walkerton jail awaiting trial on a serious charge of incest, was brought up for election on Friday last, and decided to be tried by a Judge, rather than take a jury trial. As a consequence, he will come up before Judge Klien in the Court House here on Tuesday, Feb. 8th and in the meantime will abide in the Walkerton jail, his request for bail being refused by the Judge, who considered the charge of too serious a nature to permit of the accused being at large while his case is hanging fire. Herald and Times

The British Columbia law in regard to absentee voters seems absolutely fair and as near perfection as can be imagined. This is how it works out. Supposing an elector from Rossland happens to be in Vancouver on election day. A poll is provided where none but absentee voters are allowed a ballot. The Rossland voter gets his ballot, marks it, and along with his affidavit it is placed in the special ballot box and sent back to Rossland after the election where it is counted by the Deputy Returning Officer if the voter's name be on the list. That saves a big expense in sending voters back to their home ridings for election day and also prevents political corruption. The result is only one constituency in British Columbia in the recent general Provincial election was affected by this absentee vote. This system ought to prevail at the next general election by the Ontario Legislature and House of Commons.

### Mustn't Keep Firearms

Hitherto a man could keep a revolver in the house as a protection against burglars and intruders and as a warning to book agents, but even this small privilege is now taken away, according to Crown Attorney Dixon who received notice on Monday to strictly enforce a recently passed statute that entirely prohibits the keeping of any firearms in the house, with the sole exception of a shot gun, and even this latter applies only to guns that have been purchased and kept on the premises prior to the 15th of October last. A gun purchased since then comes under the same ban as revolvers, and can only be kept by a special permit from a magistrate, which means that you have to show the J. P. that is necessary for your personal safety to keep such weapons. Some people who think they need a revolver about the premises may be disillusioned on this point by the time the magistrate gets through with them. The coward has fallen on an evil day, and the man who is afraid to go home in the dark is up against it tighter than a drum. The fine for keeping a revolver in the house is not less than \$100, or almost as expensive as being caught with a bottle of whiskey on your person. Such suspected homes in town may be searched and a few fines levied with a view to putting the fear of the law in the others. An alien can't be hunting at all. In fact if he is caught with any kind of weapon in his hand he might as well plead guilty and save costs. No rabbit stew or partridge roasts for other than British subjects seems to be the aim of the new Act. To buy even a shotgun now one has to get a magistrate's permit. While the wave of crime may possibly decrease under such restrictions, yet the busiest place in town threatens to be the magistrate's court.

### A Twin Strain of Stock

Seventeen pairs of twins on one farm is an instance of productivity seldom seen, yet this has occurred on the farm of Elmer Spicer, Wellington County since 1912. With this rate of increase, it does not take long to build up a herd and in this case practically every calf has lived and some of the heifers have in turn produced twins. The following information has been given out by R. H. Clemens, Wellington County Agricultural Representative: "Mr. Spicer had a polled grade Hereford cow which gave birth to twin heifer calves in 1912 and in 1913 a single heifer calf. Again in 1914 there were twin heifers and in 1915 another pair of calves one male and the other a female, but these have no progeny. One of the twins born in 1912 produced calves in 1915, 1916, 1918 and 1920. The other twin gave birth to a pair of calves in 1918 and 1917. The single heifer calf, from the original cow in 1918, produced twins in 1917 and 1920. One of the 1916 twins produced twins in 1919 and 1920. One of the 1914 calves had two calves in 1917, 1918 and 1920. Most of these calves are on the farm at the present time and an interesting part is that they are all of fairly good conformation and above the average for grades.

### County Council.

The fifty-fourth County Council of Bruce held its initial session at Walkerton last week, the curtain raising on Tuesday night with Reeve Davidson of Amabel absent on the sick list and the other thirty-two members wrinking their brows over the selection of a Warden.

There were three candidates for the office: Wm. A. Rowand of Brant, J. B. Grant of Tara, and Robert Johnston of Lucknow. The first ballot resulted

as follows:—Johnston 21, Grant 7 and Rowand 4. As Johnston had a majority of the Council, he was duly declared elected.

Warden Johnston appointed a Striking Committee composed of Reeves Lippert, Lewis, Falconer, D. McDonald, McNab, McNeil, McVittie, Scarrow and Ruttle who selected Standing Committees for the year as follows, the first in each case being chairman:

Roads and Bridges—McNeill, R. Irwin, Mathers, Jamieson, McNab, Falconer, Davidson, Landon, Montag, Findlay and Clark.

Finance—Lippert, Lewis, Forrester, Ruttle, McKenzie, McVittie and Cottrell.

Petitions and By-laws—McDonald, Cottrell, Moore, Scarrow and William Irwin.

House of Refuge—Dr. Doering and the Warden.

Equalization and Salaries—Heiserman, Whicher, Scarrow, McDonald, Munn, Redburn and Woods.

Education and Printing—Moore, Aitchison, Nelson, Doering, Rowand, Grant and Munn.

Property—Lewis, Lippert, McNab, McNeill and Grant.

Wardens—Ruttle, Forrester and McVittie.

The new Warden in his address complained that in the 34 years in which the Good Roads Commission had been on job only twelve miles of roadway had been done, or less than four miles a year and intimated that now that labor was more plentiful, the County would expect more real activity in roadwork this year. The Council later backed up this view by voting 4 mills, or about \$110,000 for the Good Roads program for 1921 or considerably over last year's appropriation. Reeve Grant who proposed that the Good Roads Com. be increased to five by the adding of the warden and Mr. Jos Douglas of Hepworth to the Commission, had his proposition voted down the Council re-electing last year's trio composed of G H Ruttle, D McDonald and J W Scarrow as a committee at \$3 each per day to act in conjunction with Supt Lizzard on the job.

The question of a County Soldiers' Memorial, which the members decided at the December Sittings to refer to their constituents at the nominations, was not even mooted at this session, but a motion brought forward for the county to defray 25 per cent of the cost to each municipality for any Soldiers' Memorial they might erect, was turned down.

A motion by Reeves Mathers of Kinloss and Redburn of Teeswater that owing to a number of complaints coming from trustees and others throughout the inspectorate of West Bruce against the Public School Inspector of undue interference with the duties of the Trustees, we therefore request that the matter be investigated by the Education Committee and they report at the June Session, resulted in the Council refusing to take any action in the matter unless some specific charges are brought against the inspector.

A request from the officers of the 100th battalion that the entire band instruments which the battalion had placed in trust with the County Council and which have since been used by the Chesley band, be turned over to Major Douglas for the use of the Bruce Regimental Band, was granted, the Council instructing that the instruments, which are valued at upwards of \$1500, be so disposed of and the County relieved of any further liability in the matter.

An effort by the Northern members to get a grant of \$300 to the Warton poultry show was flatly rejected as was also their attempt to get the County to grant \$1000 to Albemarle to remodel the Shore road near Colpoj Bay. Numerous other requests for substantial roads and bridge grants met a similar fate, with the exception of the two northern townships, Lindsay and St Edmunds, which were given \$200 to repair their roads. The usual grants to public and school libraries were made, together with an award of \$175 to each Agricultural Society in the County and \$50 each to the West Bruce and East Bruce Teachers' Institutes. Ex-Reeve James Douglas of Hepworth addressed the Council on Consolidated Schools and showed their great benefits to rural scholars. A request was made for a grant of \$300 to the East Bruce Ass'n to hold meetings and spread the consolidation gospel throughout the Inspectorate, but the Council decided to grant but \$100 for 1921 to the Ass'n for this purpose.

A motion of Redburn and Ruttle that \$1000 be granted to the Chinese Famine Fund resulted in an award of \$200 being voted for the sufferers.

The salaries of the various county officials were left the same as last year, with the exception of the County Clerk who had his salary raised from \$1100 to \$1200 and the County Treasurer who was granted an increase of \$150 making his present salary \$1700.

The work of the session was practically confined to two days, Wednesday and Thursday, the Council merely electing a Warden at the sittings on Tuesday night, and putting in but an hour on the job on Friday morning, when the momentous task of determining whether to meet within the inland beau-

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**The Rosary of Mr. Nimrod Briggs**

By WILLIAM DUDLEY PELLEY.

**CHAPTER IV.**

"I went away and I took the job, Mr. Briggs. You understand how it is. They thought I was a man, from my letters; and when they saw I was only seventeen and young, they refused to give me the wages."

"And your wife kept writin', wantin' to know why you didn't send her the money to join you—"

"That's it, Mr. Briggs. And she was afraid to leave her job in the factory for fear she might not get another and I'd be burdened with two of us to support."

Nimrod Briggs thought of the long, closely-written letters, full of love and endearment and youthful hope and pitiful aspiration, which had been the first he had read that afternoon. Then he thought how they had dwindled. But the boy was going on again:

"I tried to make her understand, Mr. Briggs. But she said I'd stopped lovin' her. She said I was spendin' my wages on myself—that she'd ruined her life marryin' me on impulse, and I didn't never intend to send for her."

"I understand, bub," said Nimrod Briggs. "I understand. How hard I tried—with my eye-botherin' me more and more all the time."

Nimrod Briggs sat stiffly, with his chubby hands on his seedy little knees, his gaze far away. Even if the boy had received a man's pay, when divided by two and the young wife's share sent to help out with her bills when she finally became incapacitated for factory work because of her young motherhood, there would have been little enough left for the fare to bring her to him and to furnish a home.

"But, every week, I sent her all I could possibly spare," the boy raved on. "I tried to get 'em to raise my pay, but they never could understand. I was getting as much as most boys of my age and why shouldn't I be satisfied? I tried to tell 'em about my wife and the baby; but they laughed at me."

"So I got another job, and another; but it was always the same. I had a man's expenses, but they would never pay me more'n a boy's wages, never mind how hard I worked. And my eye going worse and worse all the time."

Nimrod thought of the hard, strange ring he had detected in the last two or three of the boy's letters in his pocket. "Why didn't the boy want his wife and baby up there with him?"—in a score of places between the lines sounded the distraught woman's query. And Nimrod saw that the boy had not told her all of his poor luck, of the injustice of his wages, of his tramping across country to get the better job and find a way out, with his heart a leaden thing within him. Finally he remembered the ultimatum in the last letter he had read—the letter the boy must have received while working at the "Telegraph" office: The doctor from the Institution had said it was only a question of time; the little son's death might be averted if certain things, all costing money, were provided, or if the wife and baby were up there with the husband.

"And you stole Sam's pay roll to save your child's life?" suggested Mr. Briggs.

"There wasn't any other way," replied the boy.

"Where's the money?"

"I mailed it to her Saturday noon a few minutes after I took it. I wish I could die!" moaned the boy. "I'm only standin' in her way. Maybe, with me gone, she could marry someone else who'd take care of her—and the baby. She's pretty; she could get married again."

The house was cold and dark and silent. The flame in the lamp quivered and at times burned blue. Outside, the wind whistled with melancholy monotony through the trees and shrubbery.

"Oh, Gawd, if I'd only had a chance!" cried the boy. "I'm not a crook. But there never was no one to help me—and my eye going bad all the time! I'm at the end of my rope."

Mr. Nimrod Briggs sat staring blankly at the wall beyond the boy's bed. On the cot the boy groaned with the pain in his body and his heart—the father who was too young to be entitled to a baby, a baby he had never seen.

Did it come to Mr. Nimrod Briggs' father heart in that moment—a heart stunted and disappointed by his years of bachelor existence—the agony and worry and tragedy in the heart of the boy? Did he read into the boy's story any of his own experience? Perhaps. What could it have been that made Mr. Nimrod Briggs sit so silently by the strange bed of illness, with the stark sorrow in his hazy old eyes, and never mind the cold, or the pestly noises of the old man's bed?

It must have been toward four o'clock in the morning, a raw, dank dawn, that the boy on the bed awoke to find the oil lamp still burning and the old man sitting like a faithful sentinel beside the bed.

"Sonny," said the old printer, "you can't stay here; it ain't your house, and someone might come any time. You got to spruce up somehow and try to walk. You got to lemme help you get back to town."

The boy was a bit more sane than he had been a few hours before.

"I stole money," he said in a strange, hollow voice. "I'm a thief, and they're after me. It's better that I die."

"No, no, sonny; no, it ain't," declared the other; "Nimrod Briggs, he'll make it all right. You trust Nimrod Briggs. See if you can stand, sonny. Nimrod Briggs will help you up and back to town. For you've got to go back."

Though the boy was inclined to trust him, it was a long time before he was persuaded. He tried to stand. But he was dizzy and weak. He sank back.

"Let Nimrod Briggs help you, son. There, put your arm around my shoulders—so!"

"We can go out through the front door; I got the key," said the boy miserably. "Oh, well, I'll go back and give myself up I guess. I suppose it's right I should."

"Nimrod Briggs will fix it, sonny. Trust old Nimrod Briggs to fix it!"

"Do you really mean it?" demanded the boy. "You ain't kiddin' me, are you? Oh, Gawd, you ain't kiddin' me?"

"Nimrod Briggs never kids, son; Nimrod Briggs never kids!"

He reached down for the lamp, supporting the boy with the other hand, and together the strange pair made their way out toward the front door.

"Where you takin' me?" asked the boy piteously, when they finally reached the road—as if it had just penetrated his feverish consciousness that he was out of the house.

"I'm takin' you to Nimrod Briggs' room at the boardin' house, sonny. You just trust old Nimrod Briggs!"

With the boy's arm around his hunched and bowed old shoulders, supporting half his weight and guiding his flailing footsteps, the little old man with his strange burden headed toward town.

They came up Main street in the silent dawn. They met no one. The boy had become more and more ill with the exertion. But, for that matter, so was Mr. Nimrod Briggs very nearly exhausted with the unusual effort, the exposure, and the nerve-racking ordeal of the night. But the little man had his mind made up, set on realizing his purpose, and there was no turning back or giving up.

(Concluded in next issue.)

**Home.**

Home's not merely four square walls,  
 Though with pictures hung and gilded;  
 Home is where affection calls—  
 Filled with shrines the heart has builded.

Home! Go, watch the faithful dove  
 Sailing 'neath the heaven above us;  
 Home is where there's one to love!  
 Home is where there's one to love us!

Home's not merely roof and room—  
 It needs something to endear it;  
 Home is where the heart can bloom,  
 Where there's some kind heart to cheer it.

What is home with none to meet,  
 None to welcome, none to greet us?  
 Home is sweet, and only sweet,  
 Where there's one who loves to meet us.

**Grasshopper Glacier.**

A glacier full of frozen grasshoppers seems an unlikely thing. Indeed, Grasshopper Glacier in Montana was long thought to be a picturesque myth, but says the Philadelphia Inquirer, is now known to exist.

The huge mass of ice, under the crust of which the grasshoppers are buried, is virtually in the shadow of Granite Peak, which is 12,834 feet high.

Many of the myriads of grasshoppers embedded in the perpetual ice are as perfect as they would be if preserved in alcohol.

The scientific men who recently made a study of the glacier think that the insects succumbed to the cold while crossing the mountains during one of their periodic southward flights.

**Woman's Interests**

**The Single-Dish Dinner.**

The single-dish dinner is a return to the ways of our fore-mothers, who saved time and fuel, kettle washing and dishwashing by cooking in one pot the chief dishes for a dinner, and by serving every member of the family with a plateful of the single dish thus concocted, with a fork and a spoon with which to eat it.

Many national dishes are merely single-dish dinners. There are, for example, the French pot du feu, the Scotch haggis, the Hungarian goulash, the Spanish olla-podrida and the American chowder.

The single-dish dinners here suggested are more carefully balanced than either the national dishes of those that were intuitively put together by the housewives of an earlier day. Each of the following dinners includes all the foodstuffs necessary to a complete meal, and each is ample for six persons. Bread and butter, a simple green salad, a fruit dessert and coffee may be added, if that seems desirable.

**Baked platter of pork—4 or 6 potatoes, 6 pork chops cut from the ribs, 6 small sour apples, salt, pepper.** Scrub the potatoes well, heap them in the centre of a large enamel-ware pie plate and core the apples. Rub salt and pepper over the chops, cut clear the rib-bone end of each for one inch, and impale an apple on each strip of bone so exposed. Arrange the chops round the potatoes, set the dish in a medium oven and bake it until it is done. There are many delectable variations of the dish. For example, mutton chops garnished with parsnips or fresh tomatoes. Serve plain lettuce salad with the "platter," and follow it with some cool, light dessert, such as sliced oranges and sugar.

**Cheese jumble—Four large potatoes, ½ pound of grated hard cheese, 2 tablespoons of butter, 1 pint can of Lima beans, pepper, salt.** Bake the potatoes and quickly slice them into a baking dish; then add the cheese, the butter, the salt and the pepper, and quickly mix the whole together. Pour the beans over the other ingredients and place the dish in the oven; leave it there until it has become heated through and until the butter has partly melted. Then serve the jumble at once from the dish in which it was cooked. If you prefer, substitute for the cheese fresh mushrooms, hard-boiled eggs or cooked salt fish, and serve some canned vegetable other than beans. A salad of shredded cabbage makes a delicious side dish for the jumble, and a dessert of sliced fresh pineapples will put the finishing touch to the meal.

**Creele casserole—½ pounds of lean beef from the lower part of the shank, 2 green peppers, salt, 2 onions, potatoes, 1 pint can of tomatoes.** Slice or dice the beef, chop the peppers fine, slice the onions very thin and place all in a large casserole. Then add salt and pour the tomatoes over the other ingredients. Pare the potatoes, cut

days at the very least and maybe a week, and a week's lifetime at Margie's age. It would mean that four people would be disappointed instead of one. Don't you see, Dulcie dear?"

"I see that you're a goose!" Dulcie retorted sharply. Then she relented. "But a dear one," she added grudgingly.

Peggy went slowly home. It did seem hard when she had so little chance to hear real music. Half-way home she passed the Curreys', and Jimmy waved to her from the porch. "I'm coming early to-morrow!" he called.

Jimmy did come early, and not alone; his mother brought him. Her face was shining with pride.

"I want to tell you about Jimmy, Miss Stevens," she said. "You didn't know he fell and hurt his hand, did you? He ran a rusty nail into it, and the doctor had to cauterize it. And he didn't even whimper, because he wanted to tell you when he came to the party how brave he had been."

And suddenly all regret for the music she had missed was swept from Peggy's heart. Suppose she had failed Jimmy! She looked down into the eager, happy eyes.

"I think a little boy who has been as brave as that can choose four animals," she said.

**Uses for Old Stockings.**

The other day a young housekeeper asked me what I do with old stocking legs, when the feet are worn out and the legs still good. I assured her that, even now, when stockings are no longer as firmly woven as of old, they still have many uses.

New feet can be bought with double heels and toes and sewed to the old legs and one has a practically new pair of stockings. The old feet are cut off carefully and the new ones sewed on with a neat seam which cannot hurt the ankle. Care should be taken to avoid the poor thin feet which are sometimes offered in the stores, for they are not worth the labor. Neither are feet made from old stocking legs. Old legs mended with new strong feet, are not the prettiest or most fashionable of stockings, but they wear a long time and with high shoes they do very well about home, and save the price of expensive stockings.

Another excellent use for old stocking legs is to draw them over the arms as sleeve protectors. White stocking legs are particularly nice to use this way, because one can see as soon as they become soiled and wash them. They should have a thin rubber run into the wrist and also the arm end to keep them in place.

Again, a pair of old white stocking legs, or even black ones, can be made into a pair of drawers for a child. The hems should be ripped out and each leg should be cut down a short and equal length at one side and then sewed neatly together in the shape of a pair of drawers. The crotch should be strengthened with a square piece for a gusset. Slit down at each side, sew on bands and make the button-holes. The legs may be finished at the bottom with a hem or with a hem and rubber drawstring, as one prefers. Such a pair of drawers give both wear and warmth.

Or, one may take four good black stocking legs, rip out the hems, and

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split down through the narrowed sides. Then sew all together neatly with the wide ends running the same way. Finish the narrow ends with a placket and a band as the top of a woman's petticoat. To the lower part one may sew a silk or saten ruffle of a width to make the petticoat long enough. The result will be a skirt which may be depended on for good service.

Old black stocking legs make very good dusters. Two legs should be split down the sides and then joined with a wide and a narrow end running the same way. White stocking legs, treated in the same way, make excellent dish and wiping cloths.

At last, when the old legs have worn out two or three pairs of feet, they are still capable of being cut into carpet rags, woven and sewed together for rugs. Or they may be woven in regular rag rug fashion. One can mix in pretty colors with the black to make them attractive. Blue is especially pretty thus mixed in with the black. A rug of this kind is very useful and good looking for a bedroom or bathroom.

**Mystery.**

One of the most impressive spiritual facts of the opening twentieth century is the vastness of human ignorance. For, just because mankind as a whole has learned so much, man as an individual has so much to learn; and we have so greatly widened the limits of our collective knowledge that each of us finds it difficult to get any common measure of the information of others. In this confusion and chaos of possible intellectual acquirement the chief masterful assertion of the intelligence is to recognize how limited and incompetent it is. Stupidity believes it knows, triumphantly proclaims that it knows, acts with wild, blind fury on the boundless ignorance that it mistakes for knowledge. Intelligence is cautious, quiet, looks in front, behind and about, before it takes a step, admits that every day it is learning new views, seeing new lights, modifying old convictions, cannot and will not act until it gets some idea of the full bearing of its action.

Intelligence goes further and reaches its greatest achievement in transforming ignorance into mystery. The difference between the two is not a difference of fact but of attitude. Ignorance is hateful, painful, tormenting. Mystery is one of the most beautiful things in the world. Instead of rebelling against our universal ignorance, of crying out for final, instantaneous, clear-cut truth, we must learn to enjoy the perpetually renewed wonder of life. We must be on the watch for the sweet surprises that await us daily. New secrets are being unveiled about us. New, strange resources of the natural world, new hidden powers of the spirit, spring up constantly to refresh and rejoice us. Columbus and the great explorers of the sixteenth century discovered oceans and continents, but there are deeper oceans and wider continents to be traversed in the unsearched regions of the soul.

And as the aesthetic correlative of mystery is wonder, so the spiritual correlative is reverence. Once show us how ignorant we are, and we must be humble. Make us feel that with our greatest efforts we can but touch the hem of Truth's garment, and our souls must be purified and simplified. In the face of mystery we must drop our vain conceit and self-assertion and be ready to look, listen and learn even as little children.

**Nature's Cookery.**

There is a volcanic peak in the South America Andes that throws out dainty morsels in form of fish already fried. This peak is called the Tunguragua. Underneath the mouth of the volcano is a subterranean lake. During an eruption the suction draws up quantities of water, carrying along the fish, which are cooked by the inferno they pass through.

That is the scientific explanation of the phenomenon. But the natives believe that when an eruption takes place, ruining their crops, the mystic spirit of the Tunguragua provides the fish so that they will not want.

**A Lesson in Thrift.**

Belgian and French people, young and old, have a happy habit that can imitate with profit to our country. They plant along the roadside seeds of such fruits as the apple, peach, plum, persimmon and cherry. We nonchalantly fling the seeds of fruit in any direction that our fancy suggests; a Frenchman or a Belgian makes a hole in the ground by swinging himself around on his heel, drops the seed therein, covers it up, and firmly presses the earth with the sole of his shoe.

**Cork Substitute.**

An excellent substitute for cork is now obtained from turf, which, treated by a newly invented process, furnishes a material for insulation and building purposes quite equal to cork. The product is said to be equally light, firm and damp-proof as well as sound-proof.

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# FRAGILE, PALE AND MISERABLE

## The Melancholy State of Thousands of Bloodless Children and Young Girls.

How often do you hear the remark, "She is very delicate?" How often it means that some young woman is living in misery, suffering from periods of prostration, dizziness, loss of appetite and disordered digestion. Headaches afflict her at intervals; pain in the back and limbs follow any exertion. She is never really well.

This fragile state of health, this lack of vitality, calls for prompt treatment. The blood must be nourished and made strong enough to vitalize the system that is so lacking in energy. In such cases Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have proved remarkably successful in making the new, rich, red blood necessary in restoring tone to the system. Mrs. L. M. Duncan, South Mountain, Ont., tells of the wonderful benefit Dr. Williams' Pink Pills made in the case of her young daughter. She says: "It is only right that I should let you know of the good derived from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills by our girl of eleven years. She was always very thin and not gaining in weight. Her appetite was poor and she had no desire for wholesome food. Finally we decided to give her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After taking one box, she went away on a three weeks' vacation, taking three boxes of pills with her, which she took regularly while she was away. When she returned home we were surprised and delighted to see how well she looked, and to find that she had gained seven pounds in weight. She had a much better color and her appetite had improved so that she was always ready for her meals. She continued using the pills until she had taken seven boxes, and the great improvement they made in her condition was noticed by many around here. I can only add that I believe Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a splendid medicine."

The best time to begin taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the moment you feel the least bit out of sorts. The sooner you do so the sooner you will regain your old time energy. You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

British officers and men still serving in France number 37,000.

## The Glory Hole.

As we came into the furnace room the stoker was turning away from the glory hole, through which he had been looking into the great furnace. The glory hole is a little peephole to which the stoker can put his eye and examine the fire without opening the big doors, and thus losing some of the heat.

Seeing us with our guide, he said, "Would you like to look at the hottest place in the world? Do not look too long, for it might blind you for a time."

\*One after another we put an eye to the hole and for a moment looked into a brightness like that of the sun. When we turned away, everything for a moment was black.

One after another as we filed out of the room, we remarked, "Why, I am still looking through the glory hole! I can see into the furnace just as plainly as I could when I had my eye to the hole. It makes a spot of light everywhere I look. I did not suppose anything could be so bright as that."

And as I listened to their talk, I remembered the words, "And the city had no need of the sun, neither of the moon, to shine in; for the glory of God did lighten it, and the Lamb is the light thereof." If the brightness of the furnace and of the sun are too much for our eyes, what must it be to behold the glory of God, who gives light to the heavenly city! God does not now let us look into that glorious place, but sometimes He holds his hand over us, as He held it over Moses in the cleft of the rock and gives us a glimpse of the glory. And how wonderful it is—the glory of God! There is nothing with which we can compare it. It is brightness that would hide the light of the sun as the risen sun hides the stars.

Can it be that God intends his children to be glory holes through which others can catch a glimpse of His grandeur and the glory of His heavenly abode? If we are true children of God, surely something of the brightness of purity and love and holiness will shine through us, so that others may at least "take knowledge of us that we have been with Jesus."

Canada's Indian poetess was Pauline Johnson (a daughter of Chief William Johnson of the Six Nation Indian Reserve, near Brantford), who wrote several volumes of poems and gave recitals of her work. She died in Vancouver.

Picture frames are often hung because of their gilt.

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## The Home That Wins.

Right into the folds of every father, the Boy Scout movement puts an insurance policy for his boy's future. Scouting is not something outside the home to turn you boy over to, and forget about. Scouting is the most active force ever let loose in the world for welding father and son together into a winning team for home and country.

Every father does not realize that the average Ontario boy is awake 5,500 hours a year. You put him in school for 900 of these hours and everlasting-ly keep after him to make good. You place him in church and Sunday School for perhaps another 100 hours and let him know you are looking for results. You keep him around home and under your watchful eye for probably 1,500 of his waking hours and then turn him loose for his play—3,000 hours a year—and that's the end of it. Why? Because you are.

Yet right here, in these hours he is away from home and other wholesome influences, is where your boy forms his character and needs you most. Scouting gives you, as a father, a complete playtime programme through which you can win your son for life. Scouting wins, and the home that "puts in" Scouting wins too.

Scouting is the manliest programme ever devised for a boy. As associate members of The Boy Scouts Association fathers unite with their boys in Scouting. They become pals with their sons and "home scoutmasters" backing up the regular scout leaders. The home with Scouting in it wins. If Scouting is not in your home, a letter addressed to the Provincial Headquarters of The Boy Scouts Association, Bloor and Sherbourne Streets, Toronto, will bring back a reply telling how you can help to put it there.

## KEEP LITTLE ONES WELL IN WINTER

Winter is a dangerous season for the little ones. The days are changeable—one bright, the next one cold and stormy, that the mother is afraid to take the children out for the fresh air and exercise they need so much. In consequence they are often cooped up—in overheated, badly ventilated rooms and are soon seized with colds or grippe. What is needed to keep the little ones well is Baby's Own Tablets. They will regulate the stomach and bowels and drive out colds and by their use the baby will be able to get over the winter season in perfect safety. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### A Little Knowledge.

Young Anthony Giles, son of Farmer Giles, upon demobilization went to one of the special schools arranged for ex-service men.

There he learnt all the newest "hints" about farming.

Old Farmer Giles, some time after his son returned to the farm, met an old friend, and together they discussed the boy's return.

"Did your boy learn anything at the Farm School?" inquired Giles' friend.

"Yes," answered Giles. "He learnt a little too much for us."

"How so?"

"He came back with a lot of new-fangled notions about how to run a farm, and seemed to think the old home-place was a sort of experimental affair, and that me and the hired men were just the fellows to do the work."

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### Was That Not Wise?

King Nomoios was the wisest of kings who has ever reigned, and every Tuesday from seven to nine-thirty of the evening he would distribute wisdom to the most foolish of his subjects.

One day there came to his court a very foolish man. He had ten women running after him, all demanding that he should marry them, and it was not law in the country that he should take unto himself more than one wife, and the foolish fellow dare not face the wrath of nine even to gain the favor of one.

He was not dreadfully keen on marrying even one.

And he appealed to his king for wisdom; and the women stood by glowering.

"Let me think," said the king, removing his crown, and calling upon his two scratchers-in-chief to scratch his head for him.

And having thought for the space of three asterisks the great monarch commanded:

"Let the ten women step forward and give their ages."

Silently, and one by one, the ten women disappeared.

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## What Is a Silo?

The best we have seen on this subject is an article by Lyman Carrier in the American Journal of Agronomy. He says:

"A silo was used as a grain-pit in the dry Mediterranean countries before the Christian era. From this original structure we get the name silo applied to the structure used today in preserving green forage."

"The modern practice is traced directly to Germany and Hungary and is supposed to be the application of the principle of preserving sauerkraut. The fact that the Germans used salt in making their first sour hay lends weight to this opinion."

"The first silos were pits dug in the ground and made wider at the top than at the bottom. Into these pits green grass was packed and tramped down by five or six men. Salt was added at the rate of one pound to 100 pounds of grass."

"The first attempt to ensile corn was made by a German sugar manufacturer in 1861. The French and Germans then persevered in similar attempts but met with varying degrees of success. A Frenchman, Count Poederer M. Peret, through his investigations and efforts, earned the Legion of Honor and the popular name of 'Father of Ensilage.' Introduction into America came about through articles in agricultural papers."

"In 1891 Prof. F. H. King, of the Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment Station, began the study of the whole subject of silo construction and ensiling. King's silo tables for determining the tonnage in a silo are classics. No man has done more than he to make the silo a success."

## X-Rays Snapshots.

Remarkable progress has been made in X-rays work owing to the discovery of a new photographic plate which is 25 times more rapid than anything known hitherto.

This new plate makes it possible to take radiographic pictures of the heart lungs, or stomach, in a fraction of a second with ordinary apparatus, and, besides saving the patient and operator from the risk of exposure to the X-rays, photographs can be taken of organs of the living body so rapidly that they appear perfectly distinct, whereas with the longer exposures at present required organs such as the heart or lungs make movements which blur the image, rendering diagnosis difficult.

## "Pape's Diapepsin" Corrects Stomach.

"Pape's Diapepsin" is the quickest, surest relief for Indigestion, Gases, Flatulence, Heartburn, Sourness, Fermentation or Stomach Distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief and shortly the stomach is corrected so you can eat favorite foods without fear. Large case costs only 60 cents at drug store. Absolutely harmless and pleasant. Millions helped annually. Largest selling stomach corrector in world.—Adv.

### Case in Point.

"Of course dogs have intelligence," Bibbs declared warmly. "Now here is Dubbs; he's a lover of dogs, and I'll leave it to him if some dogs haven't more intelligence than their masters."

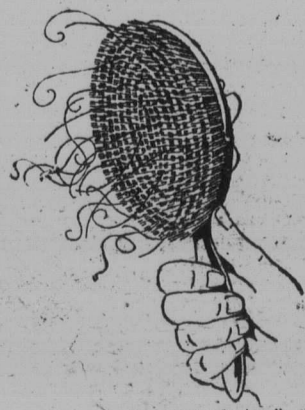
"Sure!" Dubbs responded heartily. "Why, I have a couple of dogs like that myself."

And Dubbs even yet sometimes wonders why they all laughed.

To make an ascent of Mount Everest would occupy two years. No white man has ever scaled this, the highest point in the world above sea-level.

## DANDERINE

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A few cents buys "Danderine." After a few applications you cannot find a fallen hair or any dandruff, besides every hair shows new life, vigor, brightness, more color and abundance.

## BITS OF HUMOR FROM HERE & THERE

### His Two Ears.

"It seems to me, Tommy," said a father to his small son, who was very forgetful, "that everything I say to you goes in one ear and out the other."

"Well," replied the youthful observer, "I guess that's what I've got two ears for."

### First Come.

A little boy, called on his aunt who lived next door, allured by certain savory smells.

"Hello, Aunt Sue," he greeted her, "nice day." Then, after a minute's embarrassed pause, he came to the point. "Aunt Sue, I smell something that smells like fust rate mince pie with raisins in it."

"Yes, Will, I have some mince pies, but they're for company."

He pondered this, and then suggested hopefully, "I come to make a little bit of a visit myself."

### Neutral.

"But are you a British-born subject?" angrily demanded the official at the Passport Office.

"My mother was British—" began the applicant.

"Yes, yes—" "But she married a Frenchman—" "Yes."

"In Italy."

"Yes; but where were you born?"

"I was born on a ship flying Spanish colors whilst she was lying at anchor in Honolulu Harbor, but my parents died in Brazil when I was only four years old, and I was adopted by a Chinaman, who brought me up in Russia."

"Well, he's—" began an official.

"He's a bitumin' League of Nations!" exploded the official who had first spoken.

### MONEY ORDERS.

It is always safe to send a Dominion Express Money Order. Five Dollars costs three cents.

The first cotton manufacturing mill in China is scarcely more than twenty years old, yet the nation has to-day 1,250,000 spindles and 5,000 power looms, producing annually 250,000,000 pounds of yarn and 60,000,000 yards of cloth.

The curiosity of him who wishes to see fully for himself how the dark side of life looks, is like that of the man who took a torch into a powder mill to see whether it would really blow up or not.

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### Dragonflies as Food.

In the Malay Archipelago, at the season when the rice fields are in flower, dragonflies are exceedingly numerous, and every day boys may be seen catching them with birdlime.

For this purpose a slender stick is used, with a few twigs at the end well pointed, so that the least touch captures the insect, whose wings are thereupon pulled off, the body being consigned to a basket.

The dragonflies are thus gathered for the table. Fried in oil with onions, they are esteemed a great delicacy.

### Minard's Liniment for Dandruff.

The ten invaded and pillaged departments of France have produced this year 500,000 tons of wheat and one-fourth of the nation's oat crop.

The first railway bridge across the St. Lawrence River was the Victoria Bridge, near Montreal, opened in 1859; the second, the LeChêne Bridge, in 1886; the third, the Coteau, in 1890; the fourth, the Cornwall, in 1897; the fifth, the Quebec Bridge, near the City of Quebec.

## ASPIRIN

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## Surnames and Their Origin

### SINCLAIR

Variations—St. Clair, St. Clare, Sinkler.

Racial Origin—Norman-French, also Scottish.

Source—Geographical.

In the classification of the Norman-French contribution to the nomenclature of the English must be included this group of family names.

In a sense they may be regarded as having been family names at the time of the Norman invasions, though it is certain that only a minority of the men who bore it as a designation of the localities from which they came actually bequeathed it to their descendants.

In a sense, too, the name of Sinclair may be regarded as Scottish, for it is the name of one of the clans of Scotland. But the Scottish name is subject to the same explanation of Norman-French origin as the English.

Like many Scottish names, including those of several of the clans, it is not a native name.

The forms St. Clair and St. Clare of course, explain the source. The forms Sinclair and Sinkler are but variations in spelling which have developed from spellings which originally were by no means similar. There is a "Thomas de St. Clare" referred to in the ancient writs of Parliament, and the name occurs variously in the old documents as "St. Clair" and "St. Clair."

The Scottish clan name traces back to a follower of William the Conqueror, a "Comte de Sancto Claro," through his son William, who in the reign of King David I. of Scotland, attached himself to that monarch's

Through grants of land at first, intermarriage later, the Sinclair went into the clan system of the Goels as a distinct entity,

and won the recognition of King Hacon VI. of Norway, to its sway over Orkney. Other old strongholds of the clan were Caithness and Strathern.

### MOONEY

Variations—O'Mooney, O'Moynagh, Money.

Racial Origin—Irish. Source—A given name.

The family names in the Mooney group, like virtually all Irish surnames, are derived from a given name, and originally bore either the prefix "O" or "Mac," signifying in the Irish tongue "descendant of," and came into being first as tribal or clan names, being adopted by all the followers of the chieftain's banners as well as by his own family.

Strangely enough, one of the variations of this family name of Mooney, or "O'Moainnigh," which is the ancient Irish form, comes very close in its English meaning to the meaning of the given name from which the family name is developed. This variation is Money. The given name in the ancient Irish was "Maoinach," from the Irish word "maoine," meaning "wealth."

The domination of English custom and language, as well as English law, in some instances compelled at various periods the Anglicizing of Irish family names, and the existence of such wisely varying forms as Mooney, Moynagh and Money is traceable to the fact that the English and Irish alphabets do not parallel each other completely, and the pronunciation of the Irish diphthongs is quite different from English.

Family names of the Mooney group are common, both in Ulster and in King's county, having been derived from different chieftains of the same name.

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**Farm For Sale.**  
Lot 28, Concession 8, Carrick, is offered for sale at a reasonable price. This 100 acre farm contains 18 acres good hardwood bush and 2 acres swamp. Also good buildings and other conveniences. Can be sold on very easy terms. Would be a good chance for a beginner. Reasons for selling being inability to work the farm. Mrs. Julius Dahms, R. R. 3, Mildmay.

**Notice.**  
Do you want to sell or buy a farm? If so, it will pay you to see R. H. Fortune, Ayton, Ont. Look at his list of farms on page 8.

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I buy Wool, Hides, Poultry Rags, Rubber and Metal and pay the highest prices. Call up Bell Phone 38, and I will call on you. Satisfactory dealing guaranteed.

The Windsor "Star" reports that along the river front many persons apparently celebrated the advent of the New Year by much rifle and shot gun shooting. Almost anything seemed to be acceptable as a target. A brand new Bell Telephone cable was filled with holes, many wires completely severed, and damage done that cost over two thousand dollars to repair. Between five and six hundred telephones were put out of commission.

Harold Cameron a young man at work on the Hydro wires at Kincardine, had a narrow escape from death last week. He climbed a pole on which there were two transformers, each weighing about 400 lbs. He was to cut the old wires and connect new ones. When the old wires were cut the pole gave way and all went to the ground together. Cameron fortunately fell between the two transformers and thus escaped being crushed to death. As it was he had his nose and arm broken.

**For Sale.**  
White Blossom Sweet Clover Seed (early variety) for sale at a reasonable price. Prize winning seed at Chicago Exposition and Ottawa Seed Fair. Joe. H. Schurz, R.R. 8, Walkerton, telephone Mildmay.

**LEAVE STOCK MARKETS  
TORONTO**

With around 2800 fresh cattle at the Union Yards on Monday, to which may be added 500 held-over head, and following close on the heels of last week's sharp decline, the market for practically all classes was a good 50c lower over the close of the week, and a strong dollar off from a week ago.

It was a pretty bad day for the drovers and commission houses, and while one or two of the firms report a clean-up, there are a lot of cattle unsold at the stock yards.

The decline affected all classes alike and they who came in the hope of regaining some of last week's losses had a rude awakening. One load of heavy steers, weighing over 1300 lbs, brought \$10.15, but this was the high water mark for the day. Some good loads of steers brought as high as \$8.00, 900-lb. cattle sold at \$8.25. These prices are taken at Random from sales and will serve to indicate the trend of prices. Butcher cows sold from \$6 to \$7 per cwt, according to quality and some at higher than these prices.

Around 1,000 sheep and lambs to be sold, the market was very slow, with choice lambs selling from \$10.50 to \$11.50 per cwt, choice sheep sold from \$6.75 to \$7.50, heavy fat sheep and bucks, \$6 to 6.50. The market closed with everything cleaned up and an easier feeling on the medium and common lambs.

The hog market is unsettled, with packers talking still lower prices and an easier feeling, with outlook \$14 to the farmer, 14.25 f o b and 18.25 fed and watered.

**FORMOSA.**

On February 1st, Miss Matilda Meyer daughter of Jos D. Meyer, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Geo. Volain of Culross, Rev. C. W. Brohmon officiating.

The Gazette was missed last week by its readers. Hoping the trouble at the office of the Gazette will be past now.

Mr and Mrs Peter Ruth visited at the homes of William and Linus Ruth at Westford one day last week.

Mr Joseph Tschirhart left last Monday for St. Charles, Mich., where Mr and Mrs Tschirhart intend to make their future home. Mr Tschirhart was one of the pioneer settlers in this district.

**Farm For Sale**

95 acres more or less, all under cultivation, being Lot 10, Con. 14, Carrick. On premises are a good brick house and kitchen, good bank barn 54 x 72, driving shed 24 x 40, henhouse 18 x 24, good spring creek and good well, about 2 1/2 miles from Walkerton and 4 miles from Mildmay. Schoolhouse on farm, and grist mill close by. Apply on premises, or write John Smith, Walkerton.

**ADDITIONAL LOCALS.**

Mr. J. H. Biehl of Gore Bay was in town last week visiting his mother and other relatives.

Services will be held in the Evangelical church next Sunday. Special services in the evening.

Miss Cecelia Schmidt of Toronto attended the Hoelze-Schmidt wedding on Monday.

The Carnegie residence on Absalom street is offered for sale at a very reasonable price. Apply to J. A. Johnston.

The Carrick Council will meet on Monday, Feb. 7th, to appoint assessors and tax collectors, and transact general business.

**Auction Sale.**  
John S. Kaufman will hold an auction sale of farm stock and implements at Lot 4, Con. D, Carrick, on Tuesday, Feb. 9th, at 1 o'clock, to be conducted by John Darroch. Omitted on posters was one horse 4 years old.

Delaware State has passed a bill to give highway robbers up to forty lashes, not less than 20 years in jail, and a heavy fine. With the lashes probably both fine and imprisonment will probably prove unnecessary, the lashes being enough to stop highway robbery if freely enough administered.

**Ingenius Invention.**

E. Wittor & Co. expect to do an immense business in ice shipping this season, and have been looking about them for a good ice cutting machine. Peter Leisinger, the blacksmith, undertook to build a machine that would fill the bill, and from the looks of the contrivance, it is believed that he has succeeded. The machine is equipped with a four horse-power gasoline engine which propels a circular saw at the rate of 700 revolutions a minute and the ice is ripped up in a merry style. The machine is pulled quite easily by one man, and saws a mile or more of ice an hour, set to any depth. It is under perfect control by one lever. The machine was tried out on the mill pond on Tuesday and is said to work very well.

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Ladies Coats	Flanellette Blankets, large size double sheets, reg \$5 to \$6, Special	3 95	Light and dark Flannelet, yard wide, reg 55 to 60c, Special per yd	39c
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**Mens Suits, made-to-order, reg \$50 to 60 Special 39.00**

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- Canned Corn, 2 cans for 35c
- Can Tomatoes, 2 cans for 35c
- Can Salmon, 2 cans for 35c
- Tapoca, 2 lbs for 25c
- Baking Powder, 1 lb tumbler
- Pork & Beans, 2 for 25c
- Brooms, reg \$1, Special 69c
- Rio Coffee, 3 1/2 lbs for \$1
- Black & Green Tea, 2 lbs for \$1

**Mens Fleece Lined Underwear reg 2.75 a suit. Special 2.00 a suit**

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