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Mr. Alex. Hopf of Carrick was at Twistock last Saturday attending the funeral of his eldest brother, Frederick Hopf. Deceased was 65 years of age, and formerly lived at Carrick.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Kalbfleisch spent the week-end with Detroit relatives.

Dr. W. H. Huck was at Drayton on Wednesday officiating as judge of horses for the 18th time at the spring show.

Just 2 pairs left—1 Pratt's Poultry Regulator, clearing at \$2.00, also 1 Pratt's Animal Regulator, clearing at \$3.75. Lambert's.

Two big mill ponds broke away at Teeswater last Friday night. Little's grist mill had a narrow escape from being washed away.

Mr. Julius Jagolewski, who has been in Kitchener for the past month, taking treatment, returned home this week and feels much better.

The family of the late Henry Kleist wish to heartily thank their friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during their recent bereavement.

Jos. Seifried announces that he is now ready for business in his new barber shop in the McNamara building. Ladies and Children's hair-cutting a specialty.

The bridge on the Provincial highway, opposite Adam Hossfeld's farm, collapsed during last Friday's flood, but it has been temporarily repaired, and is now open for traffic again.

Mr. Gideon Schneider of Moorefield spent last week-end with friends here. Upon his return home he found that there was very heavy rains in his section, and considerable damage done.

John Kupferschmidt's auction sale passed off successfully last Friday. Everything sold at satisfactory prices. His cattle were exceptionally choice quality and brought good figures.

Jackie Burgman, young son of the C. N. R. agent at Wingham, was drowned in the Maitland river last Saturday. He and two companions were out in a boat, when it capsized. His two companions were rescued by men nearby, but the Burgman lad was drowned.

There is a shortage of electrical power on the local system this week. A portion of the Walkerton power dam was swept away, and we are now being supplied by the large Diesel engine recently installed by the Walkerton Electric Light Co. at Southampton.

Hatching Eggs
Improved Black Minorca Eggs for hatching, 15 for \$1.00. Jonas Vollick

Refrigerator for Sale
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Week-End Baking Specials
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Bought Carrick Farm
Paul Haack of Hanover, a son-in-law of Henry Both of the 10th concession of Carrick, has purchased Fred Klages' 100-acre farm, lot 28, Con. 11, Carrick, for \$10,000 and obtains immediate possession.

Schmidt's Mill Pond Gone
Henry Schmidt, who was misfortunate last week to have parts of three fingers amputated, saw his mill on the 10th concession, just with another serious setback last Saturday morning when his mill pond was swept away. The pond cost about \$300 to repair.

David Haskins Settles
David Haskins, who has been farming for quite a number of years on the 18th concession of Nowick, has sold out to his brother, Wesley, who also takes over his stock and implements, obtaining immediate possession. David is looking toward a new home in the summer, and may go into farming again later. His many friends will have a fine presentation at Lakeside on Tuesday evening.

Contractor Moving Equipment
Paul Bergman & Co., who have the contract of paving the Walkerton and Mildmay Highway, is moving his equipment here this week. He is locating his camp at Henry Hossfeld's, where he is obtaining his gravel. The steam shovel arrived on Monday and other machinery is being shipped in. The steam shovel will be placed in Mildmay's gravel pit, west of the village, for a few days, and will load trucks to haul gravel to repair the Mildmay streets damaged by the flood.

Mrs. Bergman Passes
Mrs. Elizabeth Bergman, widow of the late Joseph Bergman, passed away on Tuesday morning of this week, after a lengthy illness with the chronic myocarditis. Deceased was born in Carrick 68 years ago, and in her early girlhood days attended the Carlsruhe and Decemerton schools. Later the family moved to the sixth concession of Carrick. Twenty-five years ago she was married to the late Joseph Bergman, who had been a resident of this village for about the eighteen years. She was a fine, honorable woman, and had many warm friends here. Her funeral was held at the R. C. Cemetery in the village, and was attended by the occurrence.

J. A. Fox, Chiropractor and Drugless Therapist, of Wingham, will be at the Commercial Hotel Monday and Thursday each week from 9 to 11 a. m.

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OPENING DANCE
Mildmay Town Hall, Friday, April 12th. auspices Star Fox and Club. Admission 75c. Extra Lady 25c. Everybody Welcome.

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1 Frame Building, 20x13 (must be sold by April 15th); 2,000 ft. Maple Flooring; 25 Pine and Oak Doors; 15 Window Frames; 1 Pipeless Furnace; 2 Big Cupboards. A. Schmalz, Chairman, Mildmay Sep. School.

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Washed Away With Bridge
Clarence White of Wroxeter had a miraculous escape from death by drowning last Saturday. Driving along the county highway, White had reached the centre of the Wroxeter bridge when the structure gave way and precipitated car and driver into the Maitland river. The stream was greatly swollen from recent rains and Mr. White was carried 40 rods down the river before he managed to extricate himself from the machine and grasp a stump. Two youths who were passing at the time constructed a crude raft and brought White to safety. Heavy rains last Friday night caused the water to rise to such an extent that two dams gave way, and the abutments of the bridge became undermined by the torrent.

Brant Lady Passes
Mrs. Dora Voigt, wife of Fred Voigt of Brant Township, who has been in delicate health for the past two years, passed away quite unexpectedly last Saturday evening. She had just finished her supper when she was suddenly stricken, and expired almost immediately. Deceased was a daughter of Mr. Conrad Hossfeld of Carrick, and was 63 years of age. Possessing a very kindly disposition, she was dearly beloved by her family, and highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends. She is survived by her sorrowing husband and four daughters: Mrs. Frank Rummig, Mrs. Wilfred Weber and Miss Annie Voigt of Brant, and Mrs. Milton Weber of Carrick. She is also mourned by five brothers, and five sisters. The funeral takes place on Wednesday afternoon to the Mildmay Lutheran cemetery.

Buildings Wrecked by Lightning
Last Friday's electrical storm was one of the fiercest on record, and many people in Carrick will remember it for a long time. Gregor Fischer's house at Ambleside was a target for a cold bolt, smashing the chimneys, knocking down lath and plaster and partitions, putting the electric lighting plant out of commission, and doing a lot of other damage. The loss is covered by insurance in the Farmers Mutual. Wm. Kupferschmidt's residence on the 10th concession was a sad looking place after the lightning hit it. The ceilings were smashed, the floors damaged, and things were wrecked up generally. The loss will be taken care of by the Farmers' Central of Walkerton. The Lutheran Church on the 10th concession of Carrick was also badly damaged. Lightning hit the steeple, passed down the front scale of the building, ripping things up general, and several of the heavy timbers in the building are so badly splintered that it is doubtful if the church will be safe for public worship again. Wm. Glauser's barn, two miles east of Neustadt, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. While John Kupferschmidt's auction sale was in progress by afternoon, a bolt hit the driving shed where Auctioneer Purvis was engaged in selling a Ford car. There were about thirty men in the driving shed at the time. How all escaped death is a miracle. A horse tied in the building was instantly killed, and it is thought that this may have been instrumental in saving the men who had gathered there to escape the drenching rain. Daniel Reuber, who had his hand and foot on the car, was knocked senseless by the shock, and for a time his condition looked to be very critical. He recovered in an hour or so, and was able to make the journey home. Frank Siderson, who was in the act of getting out of the car when the bolt struck, was sent sprawling, and he seized the auctioneer by the arm, who also got an electrical shock. Others who were injured were John Juergens, Clem. Goetz, Anthony Lorentz, Charles Gutzke, Frank Hahn and John Kupferschmidt and his son. All recovered in a few hours. The editor of this paper, who was clerking at the time, was also in the driving shed at the time, and escaped injury, although his hair was pretty badly scared. The entire place on Tuesday morning being covered by the occurrence.

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Body Found
The body of a young child, the son of Walkerton, who was drowned near the C. P. R. station on Saturday morning, was found on the bank of the Maitland river, a short distance from the place where the drowning occurred. The body was partially covered by mud and was found by John Janke, of the Imperial Oil Company, made the discovery.

Literary Meeting Postponed
The executive of the Mildmay Literary Society has been asked by many to postpone their meeting of the Society for a week on account of the floods, washouts and other exciting occurrences of the past week. The date of the meeting will therefore be changed from April 11th to April 18th. The date of the next occasion will be exceptionally interesting, and four tables of books have been secured to participate. Do not forget the date—Thursday evening, April 18th.

Carrick Farmer Passes
Mr. Henry Kleist, a highly respected farmer of the 15th concession of Carrick, passed away last Saturday after a prolonged illness, which was a complication of ailments. He was born on Dec. 2nd, 1866, on the 15th concession of Carrick, and had lived in the municipality of Neustadt all his life. He is survived by his widow, one son, Seraphine, on the 15th concession, and one daughter, placed in the convent Lark of Mildmay by her mother, sister, Mrs. Prudentia Kleist of Portage, Wis., and Mrs. Elizabeth Kleist of Woodward, Texas, and two granddaughters, John F. Kleist of Woodward, and August Kleist, of Lakeside. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon to the Walkerton cemetery.

Carrick Lost Main Highway
Last Friday's flood swept away the township of Carrick, about 15,000 ft. Some fourteen bridges were washed away, several of them being very expensive structures. Several arch bridges over the Maitland river on the 8th concession of Carrick, about sixty feet in length, and it is estimated that the total loss will entail an expenditure of about \$5000. The bridges on the 10th concession, commonly known as the Brown bridge, was completely washed away, and two bridges along the creek on the Ammonite's side, and the concrete arch bridge on the 10th concession, opposite Daniel Reuber's place, collapsed on Sunday afternoon, and the culvert at the rear of the D. D. will also have to be rebuilt. In addition to the bridges, a large score of washouts have to be repaired at once. The Council held a special meeting on Wednesday morning, to prepare plans for the big job ahead of them.

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...one car will be here direct ly. There's a letter I must write first." He sat down at a writing table, and took out a sheet of note paper.

He was facing the secret door; it opened he would see it. At any moment now it might open.

Bill dropped into a chair and thought. Antony must be warned. Obviously. But how? How did one signal to anybody? By code. Morse code. Did Antony know it? Did Bill know it himself, if it came to that? He had picked up a bit in the Army—not enough to send a message, of course. But a message was impossible, anyhow; Cayley would hear him tapping it out. It wouldn't do to send more than a single letter. What letters did he know? And what letters would convey anything to Antony?

C. for Cayley. Would Antony understand? Probably not, but it was worth trying. What was C? Long short, long, short. Umpty-iddy, umpty-iddy. Was that right? C—yes, that was C. He was sure of that. C. Umpty-iddy—umpty-iddy.

Hands in pockets, he got up and wandered across the room, humming vaguely to himself, the picture of a man waiting for another man (as might be his friend Gillingham) to come in and take him away for a walk or something. He wandered across to the books at the back of Cayley, and began to tap absent-mindedly on the shelves, as he looked at the titles Umpty-iddy—umpty-iddy. Not that it was much like that at first; he couldn't get the rhythm of it.

Umpty-iddy—umpty-iddy. That was better. He was back at Samuel Taylor Coleridge now. Antony would begin to hear him soon. Umpty-iddy—umpty-iddy; just the aimless tapping of a man who is wondering what book he will take out with him to read on the lawn. Would Antony hear? One always heard the man in the next flat knocking out his pipe. Would Antony understand? Umpty-iddy—umpty-iddy. C. for Cayley. Antony, Cayley's here. For God's sake, wait.

"Good Lord! Sermons!" said Bill

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life on the stage.

"Good man," said Antony at the end of it. "You are the most perfect Watson that ever lived. Bill, my lad, he went on dramatically, rising and taking Bill's hand in his, "there is nothing that you and I could not accomplish together, if we gave our minds to it."

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"Silly old ass."
"That's what you always say when I'm being serious. Well, anyway, thanks awfully. You really saved us this time."

"Were you coming back?"
"Yes. At least I think I was. I was just wondering when I heard you tapping. The fact of the door being shut was rather surprising. Of course the whole idea was to see if it could be opened easily from the other side, but I felt somehow that you wouldn't shut it until the last possible moment—until you saw me coming back. Well, then I heard the taps, and I knew it must mean something, so I sat tight. Then when C began to come along I said, 'Cayley, by jove—bright, aren't I?—and I simply hared to the other end of the passage for all I was worth. And hared back again. Because I thought you might be getting rather involved in explanations—about where I was, and so on."

"You didn't see Mark, then?"
"No. Nor his— No, I didn't see anything."

"Nor what?"
Antony was silent for a moment. "I didn't see anything, Bill. Or rather, I did see something; I saw a door in the wall, a cupboard. And it's locked. So if there's anything we want to find, that's where it is."

"Could Mark be hiding there?"
"I called through the keyhole—in a whisper—Mark, are you there?—he would have thought it was Cayley. There was no answer."

"Well, let's go down and try again. We might be able to get the door open."

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"Oh! . . . Oh, very well."
"Jallands. What were you telling me about that? Oh, yes; the Widow Norbury."

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"Yes; well, let's take it. Just to be on the safe side."

"Am I going to be done out of that secret passage altogether?" asked Bill fretfully.

"There's nothing to see, really, I promise you."

"You're very mysterious. What's upset you? You did see something down there, I'm certain of it."

"I did, and I've told you about it."
"No, you haven't. You only told me about the door in the wall."
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"We shall know tonight," said Antony taking Bill's arm and leading him to the hall, "when we watch our dear friend Cayley dropping it into the pond."

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"What about tonight?" he said finally after a lengthy blow at his pipe.

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Bill pushed it through the mouth-piece, blew again, said, "That's the better," and returned the pipe to his pocket.

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Montreal — Airmen employed by the Northern Aerial Minerals Exploration Company have flown 100,000 miles over northern Canada in the last nine months and have not met with a single accident, states John F. Hammell, president of the company.

"The planes have traveled from the Alaskan coast on the west to the Labrador coast on the east, and from the Transcontinental Railway to the Arctic Circle, carrying prospectors who have gained for the company several new gold fields, as well as deposits of every known metal," Mr. Hammell added.

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The "Baby Teeth" and Their Care

Paradoxically speaking, the care of baby's teeth should begin before they arrive.

Symptoms of tooth eruption in the young child are, as a rule, not lacking. Locally there will be slight inflammation, with swelling; the area in which the tooth will erupt showing a tenderness and shininess of tissue. The child will exhibit a tendency to bite at anything such as its toes, fingers, etc., and evidence a general irritability and restlessness, accompanied, possibly, by a slight fever.

Should the eruption of the tooth seem too tardy and cause the child considerable pain, the family dentist should be consulted.

As soon as the first tooth has erupted use a soft brush and clear water for the daily brushing. Later, when the child has reached the age when it will not swallow everything that is put in its mouth, a little good dental cream may be put on the brush.

However, along with these efforts, attention should be given to a correct diet, and the parent should insist on proper mastication of its food by the child.

Little children should not be allowed to eat candy or other sweets; they are ruinous to the young teeth.

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The Welland Canal connects Lake Erie with Lake Ontario, crossing the Niagara Peninsula about ten miles west of Niagara Falls. It overcomes a difference in level of 326½ feet. The original canal, opened in 1829, extended from Port Dalhousie on Lake Ontario to the town of Port Robinson, where a connection was made with the Welland River. The course was down this river to its junction with the Niagara River and thence to Lake Erie. This was not found satisfactory, so between the years 1831 and 1833 the canal was extended along a route from Port Robinson to Port Colborne. The present canal, 26¼ miles in length, was completed in 1875. Several years ago it was found the canal was entirely inadequate for use by the modern steamships used on the Great Lakes. As is generally known an important part of the business on the Great Lakes is that of grain carrying, and the constantly increasing output of the grain fields of Western Canada has resulted in the development of a particular type of "Upper Lake Vessel" built to carry immense cargoes of grain. These vessels of 600 odd feet in length, loading at the upper lake ports, while able to navigate Lakes Superior, Huron and Erie, are forced to discharge their cargoes at the foot of Lake Erie, either at Buffalo, N.Y., or Port Colborne, Ont., because of the restricted dimensions of the Welland Canal. The Canadian Government in 1908 provided a million bushel elevator at Port Colborne to facilitate the transshipment of grain from the upper lakes vessels to canal sized vessels bound for Montreal, where it is shipped to Europe. This elevator accommodation was soon found insufficient and twice since, in 1912-13 and again in 1923-24, additions were built, so that the Government has now a 2,000,000 bushel modern concrete elevator the capacity of which is already taxed to the limit.

World's Largest Stock

In order that there may be complete protection to the canal and vessels in it, there is being built in addition to the seven-lift locks, a guard lock near the southern or Lake Erie end in the canal. The lock, known as No. 8, is 1,380 feet in length between the inner gates. It is the longest lock in the world and is approached in size only by the two United States locks at Sault Ste. Marie, which are 1,350 feet long.

A very important feature of modern canal construction is the manufacture and erection of the ponderous steel gates. In the case of the Welland ship canal, as may be imagined even by the layman, the supplying and erection of the gates is a matter of no small dimensions in itself. The approximate weight of metal in each lower gate is 454 tons, and the total estimated weight of metal in the lock gates, with their fixed parts and machinery, is 23,000 tons. In addition there is required no inconsiderable amount of machinery to operate the lock valves and valves in regulating weirs, the total estimated weight of metal in these items being 3,800 tons. The total estimated connected motor load for operating the canal and the Port Colborne elevator is 15,300 h.p.

With the very modern equipment being installed for operating the locks, including the working of the valves, opening and closing of the gates, etc., great facility of movement of vessels is expected. The time required to fill one of these immense locks is only eight minutes and the estimated time for a vessel to pass through the ship canal from end to end is eight hours.

To Be Completed Next Year

Concurrently with the increased grain production in Western Canada and the development of the large upper lakes vessels came the demand for a still larger Welland Canal. In 1912 government surveys demonstrated that a shorter and better route could be had via Ten-Mile Creek flowing into Lake Ontario. It was then decided that the time had come to begin the construction of an enlarged Welland Canal.

In 1913 the construction of the ship canal was commenced, and with little interruption has been proceeded with until the present time. It is expected the new canal will be completed sometime next year. The total cost is estimated at about \$115,000,000. The ship canal is being built to modern standards under the most up-to-date methods and rigid supervision and will, when finished, be a monument to Canadian engineering skill.

To overcome the 326½ feet difference in level of Lakes Erie and Ontario the new canal will have seven locks of uniform lift, each 46½ feet, whereas the present canal has 25 locks of varying lift. The difference between the old and the new becomes very apparent when this comparison is made, the other dimensions of the ship canal making the comparison of

The Lighter Side of Europe's Freeze Up



While many loud complaints are voiced about the recent cold in Europe, enthusiasts such as these skaters on Wimbledon Common, London, don't care how long it continues.

further interest. The useable length of the locks is 820 feet as compared with 255 feet in the present canal, the ship canal having locks of 80 feet width, as compared with 45 feet in the present canal. The width of the canal proper is to be 310 feet at the water line and 200 feet at the bottom. The immense locks are built to take 30 feet of water on the sills; the canal reaches are to have 25 feet depth, which may be increased to 30 feet when the need arises.

Terminal at Prescott, Ont. It is planned to erect twenty-one movable bridges of the most modern type across the canal, as in such a populous area there are many highways and a considerable number of railway lines. Each bridge is designed to carry the particular kind and volume of traffic offering at its particular location. In all cases the needs of navigation have been remembered, and the type of bridge and modern machinery provided for their operation have demonstrated in the cases of those bridges that are already in operation, that delays are reduced to a negligible quantity.

At both ends of the ship canal large harbor works are located. At Port Weller, the Lake Ontario entrance, a new and artificial harbor has been formed by the construction of two embankments extending into the lake for a distance of nearly one and one-half miles. The entrance is 400 feet wide and widens out to a bottom width of 800 feet in the harbor. The harbor is a little more than a mile long and covers an area of about 150 acres.

With the completion of the Welland ship canal the upper lakes freighters drawing up to 25 feet will be enabled to proceed all the way down to the foot of Lake Ontario. This will mean that there will have to be established a terminal for these vessels for the purpose of transshipping grain cargo for the smaller vessels navigating the St. Lawrence canal. At the last session of the Canadian Federal Parliament the sum of \$1,500,000 was voted for the purpose of commencing the construction of the necessary terminals at Prescott on the St. Lawrence River, between Lake Ontario and Montreal. It is proposed to have these terminals ready, including dockage space and an adequate elevator, by the time the Welland ship canal is completed, probably in the spring of 1930.

League of Nations to Have New Home

Agreement Signed at Geneva by Sir Eric Drummond and Swiss Government

Geneva.—On Friday afternoon Sir Eric Drummond, on behalf of the League of Nations Secretariat and M. Boissonnas on behalf of the City of Geneva, signed an agreement for the erection of a new palace of nations in the Park Ariana. The occasion was marked by the exchange of compliments in which Giuseppe Motta, chief of the political department of the Federal Government, took part, and declared that the Swiss Government was at all times anxious to extend its sympathetic collaboration to the League of Nations.

The league can now congratulate itself on possessing an admirable site for the new palace, the foundation stone of which will be laid next September when the Assembly meets. The league will have ample scope for the library so generously endowed by John D. Rockefeller Jr. and to extend the buildings as occasion demands.

Albany River, Ontario

A recent report of the Geographic Board of Canada states that the Albany River, rising in Lake St. Joseph and flowing into James Bay, Ontario, was named by the Hudson's Bay Company in 1683 after James, Duke of York and Albany (1633-1701), later King James II.

King's Son Heads Church Assembly

Duke of York Named Lord High Commissioner of Scotland

CHOICE IS POPULAR

Announcement is Received With Pleasure and Surprise

London.—The announcement that the Duke of York had been appointed Lord High Commissioner of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland was received with pleasure and surprise throughout Scotland, where it is believed to indicate the King's approval of a union between the Church of Scotland and the United Free Church of Scotland.

The long-drawn-out negotiations between the two churches are drawing to a close, and final approval will be given in May to the incorporation of the two churches as a united body.

The appointment of the Duke of York also puts an end to agitation to have the meetings of the General Assembly postponed until after the election.

Meanwhile, there appears to be some doubt as to whether the appointment of a member of the Royal Family to such a post creates a precedent. It will be the first occasion, however, that a member of the Royal House has attended in an official capacity since James the Sixth removed the courts to London after the union of the Crowns in 1603. In 1597 James the Sixth occupied a position as Lord High Commissioner and was also present at General Assemblies in 1598, 1600 and 1602.

HELD BY PEER

Since then the position has been generally held by a member of the Scottish peerage, though when Ramsay MacDonald was in power, James Brown, Ayrshire miner, leader, acted as Lord High Commissioner.

Church leaders in all parts of Scotland express pleasure at the appointment of the Duke, and the Lord Provost of Edinburgh, Sir Alexander Stevenson, says: "It is one of the most popular appointments that have ever been made, especially as this is the last divided meeting of the Assembly. The presence of the Duke of York, coupled with the fact that a union of the Scottish churches will be an accomplished thing, will make even more memorable a memorable event. The Duke is already a freeman of the city, and the corporation will consider what steps should be taken to commemorate his visit."

The appointment of the Duke also shows how the increasing responsibilities of monarchy are being distributed among the King's sons.

General approval is given here to the news that the links between the Motherland and the various dominions will be traced in time by the appointment of members of the Royal House to governor-generalships.

Hertzog and the Empire

Leo Maxse in the National Review (London): We have never entertained any illusions concerning General Hertzog's ill-will towards the British Empire or doubted his desire to break it up. But we had hitherto supposed that his Separatism was animated by some perverted form of local patriotism. His latest manoeuvre indicates, however, that he is nothing but a party politician of that debased type which will sacrifice every national interest in order to pick up a few extra votes. Happily such men are rarely good judges of public opinion, and it is permissible to hope that there is sufficient common sense in the electorate to whom he is appealing to realize that to raise the cry of White versus Black is to play the game of the enemies of both, whether in Moscow or elsewhere.

Mental Balance Is Off in Spring

Suicides and Crimes of Passion are Numerous During April and May

Cologne, Germany.—That people are apt to be a little crazier in the spring than at other seasons is the conclusion of Dr. R. Hopmann, of the University of Cologne, who has collected statistics of the fluctuations of many kinds of human disease during the months of the year.

There is a popular belief, worldwide in the temperate zone, Dr. Hopmann reports, that spring is a season of special danger to health. This is why our grandparents swallowed such "spring cleaning" mixtures as sulphur and molasses and used so many "spring tonics" compounded of various roots and seeds.

For some diseases, Dr. Hopmann finds, the statistics do not support this idea that springtime is unhealthy. They do support it notably, however, for diseases of the nervous system. There is evidence, he concludes, that mental equilibrium is less stable in the spring than at other seasons. Persons apt to lose their mental balance anyway are more likely to succumb in April or May.

Those also are the months, Dr. Hopmann points out, in which the police departments report the highest number of suicides and of passion.

Dr. Hopmann considers plausible the idea that spring disorders may be due in part to lack of ultra-violet rays during the long winter, but he feels that other weather changes may be of importance also, and advocates further studies of disease statistics both by physicians and by weather experts.

Prince Henry Off on Trip to Japan

Duke of Gloucester to Invest Emperor with Order of Garter

London.—The Duke of Gloucester left recently for Tokio where he will invest the Emperor of Japan with the insignia of the Order of the Garter.

The Duke will proceed to Marseilles. He will embark there on the S.S. Morea of the P. & O. Line for Yokohama, where he is scheduled to arrive May 2.

It was said that the sole purpose of the trip was the investing of Emperor Hirohito with the insignia which was awarded him at the time of his coronation at Kyoto last November. The trip will serve, however, as a return of Prince Chichibu's recent visit to England.

Numerous official ceremonies and receptions have been arranged in Japan to keep the Duke and his party busy for two or three weeks. The trip will mark the third time the Order of the Garter has been awarded to an Emperor of Japan. On the two previous occasions Prince Arthur of Connaught officiated.

In accordance with custom, the insignia is returned to England upon the death of its recipient, but it is not known whether the badge which the Duke of Gloucester carries to Tokio is the same as that worn by the present Emperor's father. No record is kept of the individual badges, most of which date back to near the time of Henry VIII.

The trip was planned for early this year but delayed because of King George's illness.

In Mexico parents are to be allowed to attend school with their children. Which is going to add to the complications of playing hooky.

A shorthand expert says that Canadian talk moves more rapidly than they did twenty years ago. It may be added, they have more to talk about.

Lloyd George Again Declares He Will Aid Labor

Liberal Leader Scores Triumph in Huge Meeting at the Albert Hall

London.—Mr. Lloyd George had a well-staged triumph, recalling the post-war ovations in his historic career, at the Albert Hall on Tuesday night, where he repeated to a crowded Liberal audience (his speech being also relayed to 14 other halls) his much-discussed claim to be able to reduce unemployment to normal in a year without cost to the taxpayer. Fifty thousand people who heard him were also thrilled by his plea for a reduction of armaments, his closing words, "Let's take some risks for peace," being cheered even more energetically than the adroitly arranged presentation of two Liberals who have won seats from the Government in recent by-elections.

Regarding unemployment, Mr. Lloyd George declared emphatically, "Of one thing I have no doubt—we shall be in the position to compel the fulfillment of our pledge." This was in reference to the fact even if the Liberals fail to obtain a majority in the next Parliament, there is now a generally recognized probability of their being in sufficient strength to swing the balance of the other two parties. Another striking point was, "Mr. Baldwin is paying £75,000,000 a year and getting nothing in return. We propose paying two or three times that amount for honest, good, valuable work."

In the audience was Lord Rothermere, the newspaper proprietor, whose usually Conservative organs are now telling their readers, "The way to make a vote tell against Socialism is to give it to the Liberals." Just before the Albert Hall demonstration Mr. Lloyd George strolled into the House of Commons, where he was greeted with ironical cheering from the Conservative benches and cries of "Why weren't you here last night?" this having reference to the fact that he did not attend to defend his proposals when they were under debate.

Canada and the League

Ottawa Journal Cons.): Canada joined the League of Nations as a separate entity. This, as a Norwegian jurist pointed out, is in the World Court statutes and in the League Covenant. More than that, Canada and Australia and the other Dominions have never recognized the right of British delegates to vote for them or to speak for them. They are to use a homely phrase, on their own. But states like Greece cannot grasp that. To them the British Empire suggests an Empire with all that the term has implied and meant in the story of the past. It is something that will prove difficult to overcome, but which must be. If Canada is going to pay her share of the expenses of the World Court and the League and be responsible for their decrees, then Canada cannot accept any position of inferiority or leave the decision of matters vital to her to those, English or otherwise, who may not know the circumstances of her case.

Immigration

Chicoutimi Progress du Saguenay (Ind.): Our policy of immigration has not given the results which have been expected of it. Exact statistics show that, for many years, we have been losing by emigration more human capital than is brought to us by ships from Europe. And to this loss must be added the millions which have been spent in the enterprise.

Toronto Growing

An expenditure of \$13,000,000 for the carrying out of plans designed to relieve traffic congestion in the city and to develop proposed beautification schemes has been recommended to the Toronto City Council by the Advisory City Planning Commission. Toronto, the capital of the province of Ontario, has grown rapidly in recent years. It has a population of about 600,000 and is the second largest city in Canada.

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Beauty in the flesh will continue to rule the world, and no better way will ever be found to glorify beauty than the stage.—Florence Ziegfeld.

Manchus Lose Out in Modern China

Proud Race Bows to Inevitable Elimination of Drones

Peking.—The proud race of Manchus, who ruled the Chinese Empire for more than two centuries, are a vanishing race, and are likely to disappear almost altogether within the next two or three decades, in the opinion of Dr. Jermyn Lynn, Chinese professor of law at Chaoyang University here, who has made a study of the Manchus for years.

The Manchus are like the famous Jewish colony in Honan province, Dr. Lynn believes, which managed to maintain a distinct existence for 400 years, but eventually was overwhelmed, being absorbed by the Chinese.

At present, Dr. Lynn estimates, the Manchus in Peking number about 350,000, a full third of the population. As long as their emperors ruled in the Forbidden City, they kept somewhat to themselves, living in separate parts of the city from the Chinese, and not intermarrying so often as they do now. In those days, Peking, like many cities in Europe and America, had its "Chinese Quarter," even though it was the capital of China.

A SHELTERED RACE

But since the Manchu emperors abdicated in 1911, the plight of the Manchus has become steadily worse. They had become somewhat through centuries of easy and protected life, and were not fitted to meet the competition of harder Chinese.

Dr. Lynn estimates that the largest single group of Manchus in Peking today earns a living by pulling rickshaws, a very severe occupation. Many others are domestic servants, working for Chinese or foreigners. A large group is connected with the theatre, of which the Manchu aristocracy was so fond.

But if the Manchus are treated rather badly by the Chinese today, they are merely reaping the sins sown by their fathers, Dr. Lynn points out. When the Manchus conquered China in 1644, and set up their emperors on the Dragon Throne, Dr. Lynn declares the Manchus became an arrogant race, treating the humble Chinese with undue severity.

VERY ANCIENT RACE

The Manchu bannermen, or soldiers, were so undisciplined in their attitude toward the Chinese that the Manchu emperors tried to divert their attention by persuading them to train birds and roll walnuts in their hands, diversions still common among the Manchus.

The Manchus are a very ancient race, Dr. Lynn points out. They first appear in Chinese chronicles as early as 2330 B.C. when they sent tribute to the Chinese emperor. They were vassals, but always very independent, becoming stronger as the Chinese weakened, until their conquered Peking in 1644.

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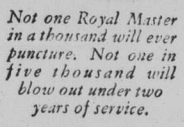
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Tossie Turtle: Charming.



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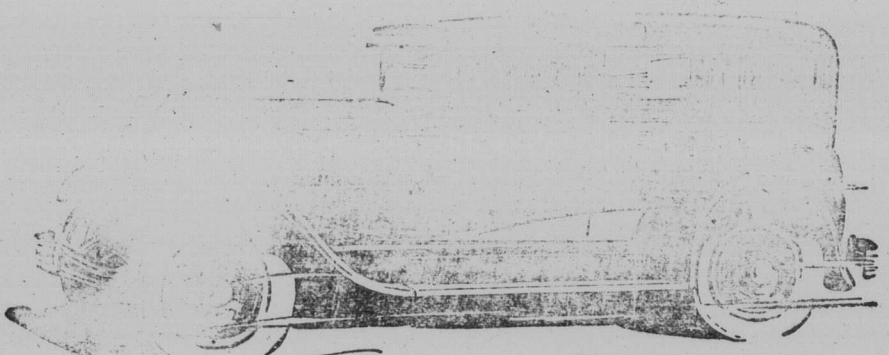
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WIT AND HUMOR

"Jack was held up last night by two men."

Language Lesson "Make a sentence using the words 'defeat,' 'defense' and 'detail.'"

"An' yo' say dot little twin baby am a gal?"

"An' the other one. An' dat of the coltrary sex?"

"I should think you'd be ashamed to show your face in such a bathing suit!"

Not Sleep On the corner of a block in a downtown section is a restaurant with the following sign: "Never closed."

On the other corner a drug store displays its motto: "Open All Night."

Between the two Wu Ting Lung has his modest laundry. Not to be outdone by the Yankees, he has hung out an electric sign that can be read for a block or more. It reads: "Me Wake Too."

An Irishman, who was an eligible bachelor, visited a widow in the district every evening and had tea with her.

A friend suggested that he should marry her.

"I have often thought about it," he said, "but where should I spend the evenings then?"

Easy Target "Do you know Lord Heathmore?"

Where Her Son Lived A poorly Dutch woman applied at the post-office for a money order to send to her son in the Far East.

A clerk told her she had left her son's letter at home, but said he was "some place out by China dot sounds like der noise an automobile makes."

The clerk smiled and, turning to another nearby, she said, "What kind of a noise does an automobile make, Bill?"

"Honk! honk!" the other suggested. "Yah, dot's it!" exclaimed the woman her face brightening.

"So the clerk made the order payable at Hongkong, and the woman went away happy."

"You probably don't remember me," began the self-made man proudly, "but twenty years ago, when I was a poor humble boy, you gave me a message to carry."

"Yes, yes," cried the busy man, "where's the answer?"

Prof.—Do you believe that five dollar gold piece I hold will dissolve in this solution?

Student—No, sir. You wouldn't put it in if it would.

Domestic Calendar Assessor—When was your new baby born?

Knott—Between the second payment on the radio and the eighth on the auto.

Flourishing Industries Teacher—What is Boston noted for?

Johny—Correct. And Chicago? Teacher—Shots and booze.

New One on Dad He—Well, my father has another life to support you.

She—How's that, is he a bigamist? He—No, but I just got married.

Rainbow Glean Wife (during a rain storm)—You're becoming absolutely unbearable. It will soon be impossible to live with you.

Hub (hopefully)—How soon?

Happy Colicidone Maid—The lady can't see you; she's in her bath.

Agent—Oh, that's all right; I'm selling soap.

Able to Stand It She—They tell me you love music.

He—Yes, but never mind; keep on playing.

Man is the only animal that can be skinned more than once.

OCCUPANTS OF CAR HAVE MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

(Clifford Express) An automobile accident which might easily have had a more serious termination, occurred on the provincial highway at Greenbush, about 3 miles from Clifford, shortly after six o'clock on Sunday evening, when a Ford runabout owned and driven by a Mildmay young man, skidded on the icy pavement and turned over in the ditch.

Two of the occupants, Miss May Lambertus, of near Walkerton, and Mr. Gordon Hunt, of Mildmay, escaped with slight injuries. The driver of the car, Mr. David Hunt, was pinned beneath the overturned car in the water which was in the ditch and that he escaped as he did seems nothing short of a miracle.

The timely arrival of Mr. Melvin Milligan and his assistance in lifting the car to allow the driver to crawl out was practically all that saved him from drowning. They were then rushed to the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Fulton from where medical aid was summoned and they were provided with warm clothing and the hospitality of the Fulton home.

In talking to the Express, Gordon Hunt stated that they were en route to Toronto where he and his brother are employed. Miss Lambertus was accompanying them as far as Cluelph from where she would take the radial and proceed on to Kitchener to visit relatives.

Near the scene of the accident the car began to skid in a dangerous way. It is thought that the driver became a little nervous and applied the brake and in so doing turned the car around in the road. The right hand wheel dropped over into the ditch, turning the car completely over and pinning the driver head and shoulders beneath the water.

The accident was noticed from the Fulton home by Mr. Fulton. Being unable to go himself he called to Mr. Milligan who was in the house at the time and he immediately set out to render what assistance he could.

After helping to free the driver he accompanied them back to Mr. Fulton's. Dr. A. E. Thaler was called to render medical aid. Gordon Hunt seemed a great deal better after a little shaking up while Miss Lambertus suffered a fractured dislocation of the left wrist. David Hunt was found to be suffering with pains in the back and water in the stomach and lungs. His condition, however, was such as to allow him to leave the Fulton home on Tuesday.

The car was towed to the garage of Mr. C. C. McPhail for repairs. The top and windshield were completely smashed, but apart from this it was found to be in pretty fair condition.

The ditch at this point is quite deep and the water, caused by the heavy rains of late, is over three feet deep.

REPORT OF S. S. NO. 6, CAMBRIE (When Taken Recently)

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AND TAKE NOTICE that after the 15th day of April, 1929, the said Executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim they shall not then have received notice.

DATED at Mildmay, Ontario, this twenty-fifth day of March, 1929.

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The bonds of friendship can never be inflated beyond their true value.

The Farmer's Advocate makes the very good suggestion that the Township School Board debate at the O. E. A. convention at Toronto, last week should be reported verbatim in pamphlet form so that those with an open mind might procure a copy and weigh the arguments for themselves.

Two blue geese, a species which is rarely seen in Southern Ontario, are enjoying shelter at Kingsville, Ont. Mr. Miner is making an effort to catch and tag the birds so that they may trace their migration routes.

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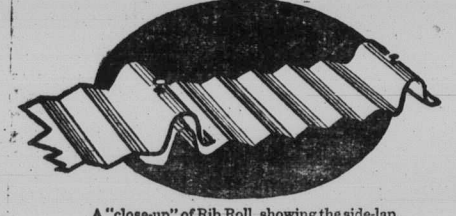
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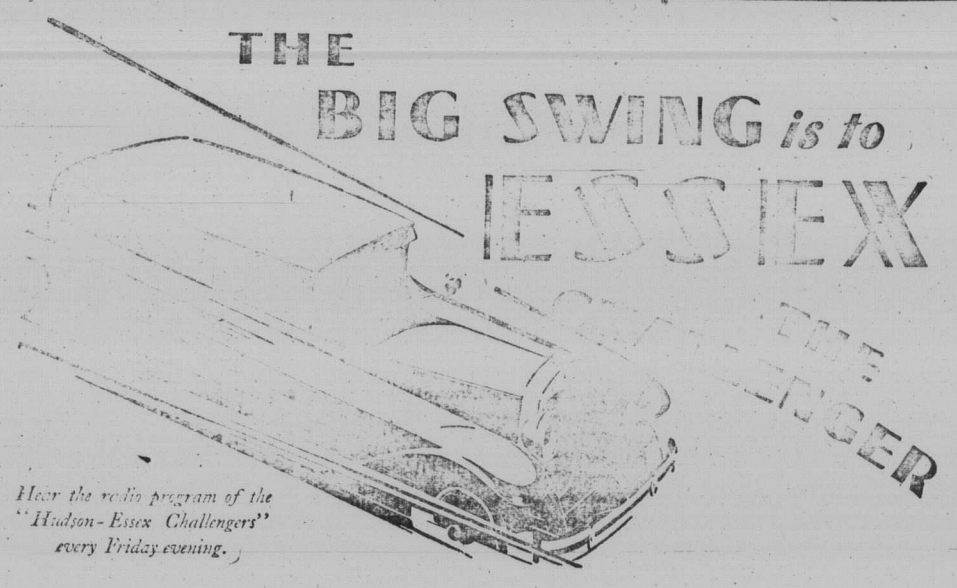
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Neustadt Hard Hit By Flood

LAD DROWNED AT WALKERTON

The enterprising little village of Neustadt presents a most dilapidated appearance this week, as a result of the ravages of the flood last Friday evening. Swelled by the torrents of rain during the afternoon and evening, this tributary of the Saugeen went on a rampage, broke away the power dam at the Knechtel grist mill and flooded the entire business section of the town. The break occurred about midnight, about fifty feet of the embankment being carried away. An addition to the grist mill was carried away and the big oil engine badly damaged. Borth's warehouse and garage were swept away, with a quantity of goods, and his new car can now be seen in a pile of debris in the centre of the creek.

The postoffice, telephone central and Mrs. Weinert's residence were the first real breakwater encountered by the flood. The frame kitchen and woodshed were brushed away in the first rush, and in a few moments the water stood two feet on the main floor. Mrs. Weinert's fine home was a sorry looking place on Sunday, the water doing irreparable damage to the entire lower portion of the home.

Meyer's thrashmill shop was the next building in line, and a portion of it was carried away, causing a loss of several hundred dollars. The heaviest financial loser in the village is Wilfred Weber, who had a fine brick residence on the east bank of the creek. A portion of this house, about 20 x 20 ft. was undermined very early after the outbreak, and the structure collapsed and fell into the seething torrent. Mrs. Weber and her three children, who have been under the doctor's care for some weeks, were removed from the house a few minutes before the crash came, so they had a very narrow escape from what would have meant certain death to them. Mr. Weber's garage containing his Pontiac Sedan, was also carried away in the flood, and both building and car lie in the debris half a mile south of the village. The car is now only a pile of scrap. Mr. Weber's loss is estimated at nearly \$5,000.

The volume of water coming down was so tremendous that it covered the main street of the village and a full block east of it. The current was so powerful that the streets were terribly gouged out and it resembled a war-time village in Belgium. Sixty-walks on the main street are practically a total ruin. The bridge leading to the village from the west, on the 10th concession, is almost completely destroyed. Messrs. Weber and Hauber, large-scale merchants, lost sixty-five tons of coal and two cars of shingles, and a great deal of other merchandise, which was also swept down the river. Callous along the bank of the flood were filled with water or mud, and it will be months before conditions will be back to normal in the village. The total loss caused by the flood is estimated at nearly \$25,000.

At Walkerton the Saugeen River went out on a terrible rampage at the County town last Friday and practically the whole northern section of the town was under water varying from one to six feet in depth. The river rose to prodigious height, and breaking away of the Hanover, Durham and Bruceville dams augmented the volume of water so that by Saturday evening it had reached a point a far south as the town hall. Fortunately the water receded rapidly during Saturday night and by Sunday evening the greater portion of the inundated section of the town was clear again. Tremendous property damage was done by the high water, and sadder than all, was the death of a young man named Henry Taylor, aged 18. He was making an attempt on Saturday morning to reach the C. P. R. station and he apparently lost his footing and was carried away in the current. His body has not yet been recovered. Many thrilling escapes are reported, including that of Mrs. Wissler, an aged resident of the north section who was rescued from her upstairs window by a boat on Saturday. Mrs. Wissler formerly lived in Carrick.

Other towns in this section were also visited by the floods and considerable damage was done. The loss at Wrexeter and Gerie will be great as the dams at these places have broken out, and some bridges in that locality have been swept away.

REPORT OF S. S. 11, CARRICK

Easter Examinations Honours 70, Pass 50. Average percentage of each pupil given. Sr. Pr. names in order of merit.
Sr. IV—Marie Lawrence 74, Ruth Koehler 72, Stanley Kroetsch 65.
Klein 50.
Sr. III—Herbert Klein 68, Rosaline Kupferschmidt 64, Clarence Lorentz 61, Florence Dietz 56, John Lawrence 50.
Sr. II—Laura Ste. Marie 69, Mary Haebelle 64, Helen Schweitzer 61.
Sr. I—Erna Werner 76, Nelson Dietz 60, Arthur Klein 52, Herbert Keldin 51.
Sr. II—Lorena Hill 71, Catherine Lorentz 63, Helen Schweitzer 51.
Sr. I—Kathleen Lorentz 68.
Sr. P. to I—Violet Dietz, Dorothea Koehler, Miriam Lorentz, Romaine Fields, Johanna Klein.
Sr. Pr.—Eugene Gault, Gordon Klein.
E. De Young, teacher.

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SUN VARNISHES



THIS ARTICLE REMOVED

We are here again, the month of March, and here we are.

Take your pulse and add it to latest figures on the "flu"; See subsections (e) and (g) (Page 8, Section 23); Now divide by Schedule K Ten percent of Schedule 7; (See instructions 5 and 7; Items 6 and 27). Study Item 21. Till you are Napoleon; One more item and you'll be Caesar or Mark Antony. Stann dow, please, upon your head And recall what Einstein said; Now from your old auto plate Take the numbers (Item 8), And add 32 per cent. Of all moneys that you spend; Fold the blank and send it in; (Puzzle your brain is in a spin; In its wrongs well let it go— You'll be too far gone to know.

After terrific struggles, the student finally finished his examination paper, and then, at the end, wrote: "Dear Professor: If you sell any of my answers to the funny papers, I expect you to split fifty-fifty with me."

Mr. Reid Cooney, an employee of the Knechtel Desk Works, had the misfortune to catch his hand between the rollers of the big planer last Saturday morning, with the result that his hand was badly crushed, requiring medical attention.— Hanover Post.

"Clean up your back yards" is a slogan for the present season.

LIMERICK CORNER

Joyous Jingles By Gifted Rhymsters

The Contest is closed. For the time being at any rate, the Limerick Contest will be discontinued. There is no question, however, about its popularity with readers as we are literally swamped with letters and there are hours of work ahead to get through with those at present on hand. While we are catching up we will be glad to hear from those who have taken part in the contest, or who have found pleasure in following it in the papers. Let us know what you think of the Limerick Corner and whether or not you would like to see this feature continued.

On the other hand, if you have any ideas for a feature to take the place of Limerick Corner, Associated Publishers.

Following

Sunday School Lesson

April 14. Lesson II.—Hezekiah Leads His People Back to God—2 Chron. 30: 1-9, 25-27. Golden Text—The Lord your God is gracious and merciful.—2 Chron. 30: 9.

ANALYSIS

I. THE INVITATION, vs. 1-12.

II. THE FEAST OF THE PASSOVER, vs. 13-27.

INTRODUCTION—The reign of Hezekiah over Judah in Jerusalem lies somewhere between the years B.C. 727 and 692, but the exact dates cannot be given. He is always well-spoken of by the Biblical writers, 2 Kings 18: 1-8; 2 Chron. 29: 1-2; 31: 1-9; 32: 32-33. So also says the writer of Ecclesiasticus, who credits him with having improved the water supply of the city of Jerusalem (compare 2 Kings 20: 20), and with "having done the thing that pleased the Lord." He seems to have administered to Judah and Jerusalem both a physical and a moral cleansing. Only in one instance was he rebuked by his friend and counselor, Isaiah the prophet. That was when, in B.C. 705, after the death of the great Sargon of Assyria, he joined with the Philistines and other in revolt against Assyrian rule. To this he was urged by the Egyptians who desired to use these smaller countries to protect their eastern border against Assyrian invasion, and who promised armed support. When Isaiah learned of the secret negotiations with Egypt, he spoke strongly and fearlessly against them, Isa. 30: 1-7; 31: 1-3. When the terrible calamity which he foresaw actually came to pass, when Assyrian armies had laid waste the entire country, had carried off great numbers of prisoners and vast quantities of spoil, and threatened Jerusalem, and when king and people were reduced to the last extremity of despair, then once more they turned to Isaiah whose faith and courage proved a rock of defence and refuge. King and prophet were reconciled, Isa. chs. 36 to 37.

I. THE INVITATION, vs. 1-12.

The invitation to celebrate the feast of the Passover was sent to all Israel, v. 1. This would have been impossible while Northern Israel, the Israel of the ten tribes, was still a separate kingdom. But that kingdom had come to an end in B.C. 721, when Samaria was taken by the Assyrians and many of the people were carried away into captivity, 2 Kings 17: 6-4. This invitation and the celebration of the Passover and the reforms that followed must have been made after that time when it was possible for Hezekiah's messengers to go everywhere through the country occupied by the remnant of the northern and eastern tribes (compare v. 6 and 31: 1). So also, when did Josiah's reforms nearly a hundred years later, extend to the territory of the northern tribes (see 2 Kings 23: 6-7). While some mocked at the king's messengers and laughed them to scorn (v. 10), there were others who humbled themselves and came to Jerusalem (v. 11), and, no doubt, to be reunited with their brethren of Judah, and to share with them in this ancient and sacred festival.

In the second month, v. 2. The reckoning of time here is according to the Babylonian calendar, which in later years later became the law of the Jews. This calendar put the beginning of the year in March. The old Hebrew calendar, which the Jews still use, placed it in September. The Passover law required that the feast should be celebrated in the first month (Ex. 12: 1-20). But there was a special provision for those who for any legitimate reason could not keep the Passover at that time. They might keep it in the second month (Num. 9: 1-14). The reason given here (v. 3), is apparently connected with the statement in 29: 4. For the ceremony of anointing and setting apart the priests for their sacred office, and the sanctifying of the Levites to be their helpers, see Lev. ch. 8, and Num. ch. 8.

Verses 6-9 give the form which the king's invitation took when addressed to the people of the northern tribes. It assumes that they have been the wrongdoers in the long separation of more than two hundred years between Israel and Judah. There is, however, more than that in the exhortation to not ye like your fathers, for there is abundant evidence of the existence in the Northern Kingdom of many gross forms of idolatry and superstition (see Kings 17: 7-18).

II. THE FEAST OF THE PASSOVER, vs. 13-27.

For the story of the origin and meaning of this feast see Exodus, chs. 12 and 13. The feast was, and

is, inseparably associated in the mind of the Jewish people with their escape from Egypt in the days of Moses. The slaying of the lamb commemorates the deliverance of Israel from the marked door. The unleavened bread recalls the haste of the final departure from the land of bondage (Ex. 12: 3-13; 34: 39).

The altars, referred to in v. 14, were, no doubt, the altars built by Ahaz (28: 24; compare 2 Kings 16: 10-13), and associated in the minds of the people with some foreign idolatrous fashions and practices.

Otherwise than it was written, v. 18. It was a time for patience and

for kindly tolerance. Many of those who came knew nothing of the ancient law and custom, and there had been no time for them to receive instruction. The essential thing is the preparation of the heart to seek God, not the ritual form, v. 19.

The service and the fellowship of worship united the people as nothing else could have done. The result was great joy in Jerusalem. There had been no such gathering of all the people from all parts of the land since the days of Solomon, because of the division which had taken place immediately after his death. Compare the account of Josiah's Passover in 2 Kings 23: 21-23, and 2 Chron. 35: 1-17.

Oil Stocks Lead Trading Interest

Howey Gold Mine Has Much to Gain by Hydro Commission Contract

LAKE SHORE NEWS

BY LLOYD J. MOORE
Member Standard Stock and Mining Exchange

Oil stocks have superseded the golds and coppers in market prominence during the past fortnight's trading on the Standard Stock and Mining Exchange up until the time of the panic break on the New York Market. There has been a great wave of enthusiasm which has travelled from the West and assailed the Eastern markets. The unusual spectacle of stocks doubling and quadrupling in price almost overnight has been witnessed time and again. Comparative newcomers have been sharing prominence with more seasoned stocks, such as Royalite, Home and Dalhousie. There is every indication of a fairly expanded period of activity in the oils of Western Canada. However, there is a danger that this will be carried to extremes that are wholly unjustified. There are plenty of precedents, so it would be well to watch the situation carefully.

The Turner Valley field is a remarkable zone, and its possibilities have not yet been gauged. It is still more or less a geological puzzle, inasmuch as the underlying source of the crude naphtha content of the gas appears to be a multiplicity of stock formations upon which excessive valuations are apt to be placed by the speculative public.

Lake Shore and Teck-Hughes have been advancing stride by stride in mine development without much public attention being called to their achievements during the past year. Their progress has been quite substantial and would doubtless have been heralded with much market activity if major attention had not been directed toward the base metal stocks, notably the coppers and copper zinc of Quebec, Sudbury and Northern Manitoba fields. Lake Shore now stands out as the greatest gold mine in North America. It is still much younger than its great Porcupine rival, but nevertheless gives every indication of surpassing it. Ore reserves have been increased steadily and the management has been justified in stepping up production. The record for a day's run is around 1,500 tons. Annual production is not far from \$7,000,000 per annum, and net profits are probably in excess of \$4,000,000 annually. This amounts to twice the total capital of the mine, which is in itself a most remarkable record.

The milling objective has not yet been reached. It is understood that the next step will be 2,000 tons, which should give an output of \$10,000,000 a year and profits of \$5,000,000, or \$3 a share. When such a step will be made is uncertain, but there is every reason to expect it will eventually be reached and this tonnage will not exhaust the possibility of still further expansion.

Lake Shore has been developing wonderfully at depth. The size of its ore shoots combined with the high average values promise to make Lake Shore a phenomenal earner. It is not yet possible to place ore reserves at the point that will soon undoubtedly be attained, justifying a 1,600-ton milling program. When probable earnings are translated in terms of dividend, Lake Shore is not unlikely to assume a place of greater prominence marketwise than it has yet

been accorded.

Teck-Hughes is similarly improving its position. The management proposes to open up the mine to a depth of 4,000 feet, and with that end in view and sinking a new shaft about 600 feet south of the present one. Such a measure of success has been enjoyed thus far in the extension of development work at depth that Teck-Hughes officials are making a bold bid to probe the ultimate possibilities of the property. The mine is moving in the direction of larger production. The current year will undoubtedly bring improvement over the 1923 production record, which is not far short of \$5,000,000. There is every indication that 1930 will be a still bigger year. Teck-Hughes is running Lake Shore a close contest for leadership. The opening up of six new levels down to a depth of 3,000 feet, which is now getting under way and the projected close on to 4,000 feet will expose Teck-Hughes capabilities in the way of larger production.

There is reason to expect that before fall work on the six new levels will have proceeded sufficiently to justify the erection of another 300-ton mill unit, which will be in line with the announced policy of the company. It is also reasonable to expect higher millheads with the increased tonnage, so that 1930 should show a very material increase over 1928 and 1929. Among the gold stocks there do not appear to be any in our opinion that offer greater opportunities of profit and less probability of less than do Teck-Hughes and Lake Shore for a hold of several months or a year.

Howey Gold Mines, Limited, has concluded a most advantageous contract for power with the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario whereby it is assured of a \$25 rate for the life of the mine. This is an achievement of great importance to Howey. The contract calls for a minimum of 2,000 h.p. Power will be delivered at the mine as soon as the plant can be built at Ear Falls, where a conservation dam has been under construction for some months past. It will take approximately a year to complete the power installation. In the meantime, a 500-ton mill will be sunk to a depth of 1,000 feet is now in progress. The last information available was that a depth of approximately 700 feet had been reached.

The shaft will be completed and a sump made by July. Lateral work will be conducted on the lower four levels simultaneously, as was the case on the first four. It seems likely that the next six months will see the Howey management well on the way toward proving up the downward extension of its ore to a depth of 1,000 feet. There is plenty of ore at the present stage to warrant embarking on a 500-ton milling program. The lower cost of power will assist greatly in achieving remarkably low production costs. Horace G. Young, general manager, is figuring on a cost of \$3.50 a ton. He also estimates the ore at \$7, leaving a net price of \$3.50. It is becoming apparent, however, that the fourth level is showing up a considerable tonnage of ore that exceeds the above figure. It would not be surprising if further development work shows up ore which would bring the mine average to about \$8.50 under actual milling tests. The tendency of the management throughout the early development of the mine has been to underestimate rather than to magnify the results obtained. In view of this conservative attitude, the management's estimate of \$3.50 costs will be taken much more seriously than would otherwise be the case. It should be remembered that ore can be mined across much greater average widths than in Porcupine. In addition, it is important from an economy standpoint that the ore is



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confined within two walls and there is no exploring across the country to pick up shoots of mineralized material, mining costs are lessened because there is a comparatively small percentage of dead work. Because of the character of the rock there will be surprisingly little dilution when the time comes for stoping.

With over two and a half miles of lateral work done on four levels, Howey is proven as a medium-sized mine. From the Ontario Government's standpoint it is apparently worth while to make an expenditure of \$1,000,000 for a power plant. The rate of \$25 at Ear Falls is equivalent to \$32 at the mine. This compares with a \$65 rate at Kirkland Lake. There is not a mining company in Eastern Canada with the single exception of International Nickel that has such a low rate. From a broader standpoint the entrance of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission into co-operation with the mining business is important.

There will be some interesting developments in Howey affairs over the next few months. The power contract is a most far-reaching matter, but is not calculated to bring spectacular market action. The mill will be delivered in time to use water transportation before the close of the 1928 season. There will be interesting development news soon after the shaft-sinking program is completed. The second half of the year should be productive of constructive events in a mine-making sense. Production is about twelve months away, and is dependent on the speed with which the power plant can be completed.

Howey has an authorized capital of 5,000,000 shares of \$1 par value, of which 300,000 remain in the treasury. It has approximately \$700,000 in cash. No further financing is likely, as there are plenty of funds on hand for mill construction.

With the revival of prices after the disastrous break of Tuesday, March 26th, the mining market made a wonderful recovery. Conservative investment after a readjustment has taken place should prove profitable to the well informed.



THEY DRILL REGULARLY
"Why do you think dentists make such good soldiers?"
"They drill so much."

Trade of Canada continues to increase. For the twelve months ended February 28th, the Dominion's total trade was \$2,631,229,401, an increase of \$283,588,063 over the previous corresponding twelve months. This total is made up of \$1,380,424,443 exports and \$1,250,804,958 imports.

Scientists, according to a news item, are working with the ameba in an attempt to discover some of the secrets of man, but, so far as we are able to remember at the moment, we have never confided in one.

MUTT AND JEFF—By Bud Fisher.



Mutt Tries to Land His Mechanical Robot a Cashier's Job.

British Mission Hope to Recover Russian Markets

Many Interests Represented on Unofficial Committee Welcomed by Soviets

London—An industrial mission comprising 80 business men representing 150 British firms with a total capital of £250,000,000 left London March 25 for Moscow to endeavor to recover the Russian market.

The mission is claimed by organizers of the Anglo-Russian committee here as "the most comprehensive and influential combination of commercial interests that ever left England." The list of firms represented comprises a number of the best-known engineering, textile and other manufacturers of Britain.

Members of the mission will be guests of the Soviet Government, which has arranged receptions and social engagements in their honor. They will spend three weeks in Russia. Promoters of the mission have received assurances that the Soviet will welcome British co-operation in public works, and that an opportunity will be given for discussion of settlement of debts and other pending questions.

Ernest Remnant, editor of the English Review, who is a member of the mission, said in an interview: "When we get to Russia there will be no occasion for anything but candor. British industry need not and cannot pretend it does not need orders. Equally Russia does not pretend she has ready money to pay for them. But both parties know Russia has assets—huge natural resources and a hard-working population. All that is required is to create confidence on the part of the creditor that he can be satisfied that those assets will fairly be applied to meeting the credit of supplies."

There are no politicians upon the committee which took the initiative in promoting the missions.

Don't be a rheumatic cripple!

"I THOUGHT I was going to be a cripple for life with neuritis and rheumatism." Mrs. Simon Rae, R.R. 2, St. Mary's, Ontario, says this in a letter. And many other women at the present moment are suffering so severely from rheumatism that they, too, feel depressed and despondent.

But Mrs. Rae found relief in the time-tested remedy, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. This famous discovery of a Canadian doctor, by enriching and purifying the blood, renews vitality and attacks rheumatism at its very source.

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Interesting Facts About Dept. of Health

Many Things Told About of Interest to Ontarians

KEEP MANY RECORDS

In the vaults of the Dept. of Health is kept the original registration of every birth, marriage and death occurring in the Province of Ontario. Approximately seven million records are now on file; more than 133,000 birth, marriage and death registrations are added yearly to the records; over 42,000 certificates are issued each year, while the number of searches reach a yearly total of \$50,000.

REGISTRATION A SIMPLE MATTER

The parents are required by law to register the birth as soon as it occurs, and it is a simple matter to fill out the blank post card which is supplied free for this purpose. The child and its parents derive certain advantages from this prompt registration, not the least of which is that the record is preserved and official certificate may at any time be secured for entrance to school, to prove inheritance, age, to vote or to marry, for life insurance or passport purposes, as well as for many other requirements throughout life.

WHY DO PEOPLE DIE?

If the deaths of residents were not registered, the Department would not be in a position to know what diseases were causing Ontario's people to die. But the registration of deaths is now very thoroughly done, and it is of interest to note from the latest report that we lost 35,909 residents in 1926, but 20,849 of these were due to ten causes, distributed as follows:

Disease	No. of deaths	Rate per 100,000 population
Heart Disease	5,132	163.1
Cancer	3,116	99.0
Diseases of the Arteries	2,718	86.3
Pneumonia	1,932	60.4
Tuberculosis	1,835	58.3
Influenza	1,588	50.4
Bright's Disease	1,561	49.8
Apoplexy	1,405	44.6
Broncho-pneumonia	970	30.8
Infantile Diarrhoea	615	10.5

The toll of lives which heart disease, cancer and disease of the arteries are taking yearly, is so heavy—and, unfortunately, increasing from year to year—that the Department feels all possible advertising should be given to these figures. Nothing that can lessen the ravages of these three principal causes of death should be left untried.

HOW TO APPLY FOR CERTIFICATES

When a certificate is required, write to the Department of Health, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, stating (1) Whether birth, marriage or death certificate is desired. (2) Name of person. (3) Where birth, marriage or death occurred, and when. Fees to accompany application. Schedule of fees is as follows: Search, 50c. Copy of certificate, \$1.00. Birth certificates for use in connection with school athletics are issued at a charge of fifty cents when applied for by school principal.

For purposes of mothers' allowances act, death certificate of father, marriage certificate of father and mother and birth certificates are supplied free, when application is made through local secretary of the Mothers' Allowance Board. Application by a soldier (soldier's widow or children) for free certificate for pension purposes should be accompanied by evidence from the D.S.C.R.

New Culture Coming

Here is a big idea to think about some evening, because it concerns the readers of this paper—a new type of culture is coming in all civilized countries, a higher and finer culture than the world has ever seen. The old type of culture is dying out everywhere. In India the Brahmins, perfected by thousands of years of refinement, are coming down off their pedestals. In Japan, the Samurai have become an out-voted minority. In China, the Mandarins have been pushed aside by the forceful young Chinese of the Republic. In Germany, the philosophers have been superseded by the scientists, and a new Goethe cult has arisen that may spread over the world. In Great Britain, the Oxford and Cambridge culture is steadily losing its prestige, and a new type is being developed.

The greatest and most important tendency of the present time, all over the world is the rise of a new culture that is not based on traditions.—Efficiency Magazine (London, Eng.). Almost everything new and startling that man has done has been clearly demonstrated to be impossible—before he did it.—Alvin T. Simonds.

Freight Traffic on Welland Canal

The freight traffic on the Welland canal, Canada, during 1926 reached a new high record of 7,439,617 tons.

History of Ages Traced by Trees

Rings on Beams of Ancient Pueblos in United States Lead Back to 1260

Washington—A grant of \$5,000 by the research committee of the National Geographic Society for the study of old beams and timbers in the Indian pueblos of the Southwest has been announced by Dr. Gilbert Grosvenor, president of the society.

The work is built on the fact that every growing tree leaves in its trunk a ring for each year; and that each ring has an individuality of its own. "The work has progressed so far that two unbroken sequences of rings have been assembled, one to 1260; the other a prehistoric sequence of six centuries.

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New World's Records

The following new world's records are listed in the current issue of "Time", the weekly news-magazine.

Track: 60-yard high hurdles — Weems Baskin of Alabama, 7 2/5 sec.; in Manhattan.

Track: 2-mile steeplechase—Eino Purje of Finland, 9 min. 55 2/5 sec. in Manhattan.

Track: 16-pound shot indoors—Herbert H. Schwarze, Illinois A. C., 50 feet 3 in., in Manhattan.

Swimming: 100-yard backstroke—George J. Kojac of Manhattan, 1 min. 4/5 sec., in New Brunswick, N.J.

Swimming: 150-yard backstroke—George J. Kojac of Manhattan, 1:39, in New Brunswick, N.J.

We hear of a crook, believed to be in England, who is wanted in Chicago. It is amazing that they should want any more in that city.

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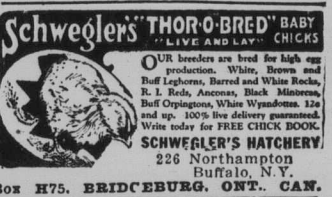
Directions for a sunken garden? Leave the weeds alone and it'll be sunk, all right.

A woman has just been elected president of the Puzzlers' League of America, which, it seems to us, is as it should be.

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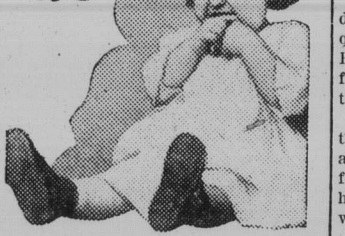
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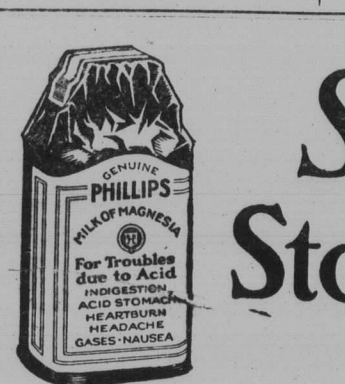


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Did This Dog Reason?

A French poodle went to his master to the village saddler's shop, where a whip was bought. The proud poodle was entrusted with the carrying home of the new whip.

In the evening, however, the doggie did something wrong, and in consequence learned the use of a dog whip. He received a smart stroke or two from it, and the punishment set him thinking hard.

Next morning, seeing the whip in the hall and the door open, the poodle apparently, summed up the situation, for he picked up the whip, retraced his steps to the saddler's shop, left the whip there, and trotted back home.

It seemed as if he had determined to put that thing back where it could do no harm to a dog.



"When tailors predict there'll be no change in men's trousers this season they, no doubt, refer to married men."

Dr. Durant sees the day when men will only do mental work. That means we are bound to have a lot of unemployment.

It is always correct to say that the war is over in China if you specify which war.

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So Can Mother
"With a single stroke of a brush," said the school teacher, "I can make my class round the National Gallery."

Joshua Renaud could change a smiling face to a frowning one.
"So can my mother," said a small boy.

She—The Lord made us beautiful and dumb.
He—How's that?
She—Beautiful so the men would love us, and dumb so that we could love them.

MOLTKE

Mr. Herman Binkle's sale on Monday last attracted quite a crowd, even though the weather was most unfavorable.

Mr. Geo. Filsinger spent the weekend in Kitchener with his daughter, Catherine, who is ill at present.

Mrs. Herman Binkle of Waterloo spent last week end at her home.

Mrs. Chas. Holm is spending a week in Hanover with her daughter, Mrs. Ted Ruhl.

Messrs. Harry Baetz and Gustave Voellm spent the Easter vacation at Otto Baetz's.

Mrs. Chas. Peter was at Toronto last week seeking medical advice.

The heavy rains of Friday and Saturday swelled the waters so that a great many bridges and culverts are damaged.

The large bridge opposite Adolph Weigel's has almost passed away and the one near Con. Rahn's was flooded all day Saturday.

Mrs. (Rev.) Binhammer arrived at Hamilton last Wednesday where Rev. Binhammer met her with a car. The ladies of St. Paul's welcomed her by going to the parsonage and preparing dinner for the family on their return.

Cars from all directions conveyed folks to Neustadt on Saturday and Sunday to view what is left after the flood. It almost reminds one of The Last of Troy and is quite worth while seeing.

Last Monday night the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Binkle and Gertie gathered at their home and spent a social evening as farewell.

LAKELET

Lakelet and immediate vicinity were comparatively unscathed as a result of the rise of waters which did such untold damage all over the country. We understand that Midway is damaged pretty badly. The three villages south: Fordwich, Gorrie and Wroxeter, lost their dams and the latter main street bridge. The Lakelet-Clifford road is closed to traffic for a few days. The swamp just west of Geo. Dixon's home is cutting up similarly to the Blind Lake road and the road is closed awaiting improvements to this threatening point.

Apart from water in the cellars there was nothing out of the ordinary happened here. Yes there was a lot of suckers from the big lake came down in thousands and since the preacher could not get here, we fear some of the burghers were desecrating the Sabbath in trying to land some fish and they did land a lot of them.

A whole bunch of Wrights, Walter, Garnet, Bert and William, took 22 head of cattle to the Clifford station on Saturday. They were to be shipped by Stanley Darling of Midway, but owing to the treacherous condition of the track they did not get away until late Saturday night or Sunday morning. There were some very nice cattle among them and were bought round 9c, some a little

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Highest Market Price Paid for Eggs. Call Phone 14 and get our prices.

FRED WEILER

more, others a little less.
Frank Douglas of Con. 16, Clifford-Lakelet road, is having a clearing sale on Thursday the 11th inst. There is a full list of implements, horses, cattle, pigs. There will be no reserve as the proprietor has rented his farm and is giving up farming.

The writer attended the O. E. A. sessions in Toronto for two days last week and there was a great crowd of trustees, teachers, ratepayers, inspectors, etc. No doubt the large attendance from the rural sections is the determination of the country to oppose rural school boards as suggested by Premier Ferguson. There were unmistakable evidences of the determined opposition of the Ruralites. However, our own opinion is that the Premier is going to make this hobby of his law, irrespective of opposition. If the contemplated change will produce results on a par with those of liquor control act as substitute for the O.T.A., then pity the schools of Ontario.

The people in this community are preparing to give D. Haskins a right good send-off when they meet in the hall here on Tuesday night. David was always just the man to the front when others were being honored and now it is his turn.

The syrup season was one of the poorest we have had for many a year. None of the farmers made more than 50% of their usual amount. It sold at from two to two and a half per gallon.

REPORT OF S. S. S. 10, CARRICK

(For March)
V—Total 340, Pass 204—Edwin Scheffer 278.
Sr. III—Total 400, Pass 240, Hon. 300—Rita Scheffer 307 (Hon.), Rosie Schneider 275, *Helen Schumacher 268, Jerome Strauss 215, Martine Seifried 209, *Marie Becker 208, *Kathleen Schumacher 178, *Clarence Schnurr 128, *Joseph Schumacher 18.
Jr. III—Total 370, Pass 222—Willie Schneider 260, Magnus Becker 147, Jerome Hundt 130, *Rosie Haezle 47.
II—Total 235, Pass 141—Della Becker 139, Wilfred Strauss 102, Alfred Seifried 80.
Sr. I—Total 200, Pass 120—Melinda Hundt 141, Rita Schumacher 116, Catharine Becker 102, Edward Reinhardt 85.
Prize—Winnifred Haezle, Rita Reinhardt, Francis Haezle.
No. on roll 24, Average 21.
F. G. Kehoe, teacher

Farm for Sale
Lot 28, Con. 8, Carrick, is offered for sale. There is a lot of splendid land on this place, fair buildings and a good bush. Apply to Fred Goll, Neustadt.

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FAREWELL TO ART. PLETSCHE

Last Thursday night the neighbors of Mr. Arthur Pletsch gave him a pleasant surprise when they assembled at his home on the 13th concession, and presented him with a club bag and an auto rug, and the following address:—

Mr. Arthur Pletsch:—

We, your neighbors and a few of your friends have met here tonight to show you in our small way that we could not let you leave without showing in some way that the neighborhood has been better because you have lived amongst us. You have always been ready to assist in everything for the community and we feel that by having this small gathering in your honor that you will feel that we appreciate what you have done in the past. We are going to ask you to accept this Club Bag and Auto Rug, and our sincere wish is that you will long be able to enjoy a change which you have earned. We are pleased that you are not going far away and we hope that you may see your way clear to come back to the 12th of Carrick, where you will always be welcome.

Signed in behalf of your neighbors
Arthur made a very appropriate reply, in which he thanked his friends for their kind expressions

contained in the address, and their thoughtful remembrances, and assuring them that he would always remember the pleasant associations with them all during his stay on the 13th of Carrick.

Mrs. Harriet Brown, mother of Mrs. Frank Rennie of Walkerton, passed away last week. She had been making her home in the County town for eight years.

Mr. and Mrs. William Knechtel, Mr. and Mrs. R. Knechtel and daughter, Carol, and Mrs. J. F. Eckel, of Hanover, visited friends here on Tuesday.

We are indebted to the Kitchener Daily Record for a copy of its "Expansion Number." The Record has recently moved into commodious new quarters, and is rapidly taking its place among the best dailies in the province.

Light deliveries of cattle delivered at the Toronto markets recently have caused a slight advance in prices.

BORN

HUNDT—At Carlsruhe, on March 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hundt, a daughter—Marie.