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**HOUSE FOR SALE**  
Seven-room house for sale. Good location in Glencoe; hard and soft water; barn on property. Apply to Box 220, Transcript office.

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Highest prices paid for all kinds of Poultry. Write  
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Fifty acres of pasture land, being composed of the east half of the south half of lot number ten in the second concession of Mosa. Apply to Elliott & Moss, Solicitors, Glencoe, or John A. Campbell, 3261 Fifth St., Detroit.

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Tongued and grooved and in good condition. Apply to A. Helm, Appin.

## Garden Party Lighting

Committees in charge of this work will do well to make early arrangements for good lighting.  
**THE DELCO LIGHT**  
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**M. C. MORGAN**  
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**EKFRID FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION**  
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**GLENCOE LODGE, No. 123,**  
meets every Tuesday evening at eight o'clock sharp in the lodge room, opposite Royal Bank building, Main street. All brethren of the Order, cordially invited to attend.—W. A. Currie, Jr., N. G. A. B. Sinclair, R. S.

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**Garden Parties**  
— from —  
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Book your talent early and avoid disappointment.  
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Unexcelled Dining-car Service. Sleeping Cars on night trains and Parlor Cars on principal day trains. Pull information from any Grand Ticket Agent or C. E. Horning, District Passenger Agent, Toronto. C. O. Smith, Station Agent, Glencoe; telephone No. 5. P. E. Lumley, Town Agent, Glencoe.

Another way to economize is to tell the wife how wonderful she looked in that frock she bought last year.

It Will Prevent Ulcerated Throat.—At the first symptoms of sore throat, which presages ulceration and inflammation, take a spoonful of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Add a little sugar to it to make it palatable. It will allay the irritation and prevent the ulceration and swelling that are so painful. Those who were periodically subject to quinsy have thus made themselves immune to attack.

**TO EXCHANGE**  
Houses or vacant lots for exchange for farm; also western land.—Wm. Henry, R. R. No. 3, London, Ont.

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Ford sedan car; one Bain wagon; one light wagon.—Charles Towers, R. R. 1, Walkers.

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**COCKSHUTT and FROST & WOOD**

Grain Binders Buggies  
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**ALL AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES**

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About 22 acres in the village of Glencoe, with good house, barn, large chicken coop, small fruit orchard, and good garden with small fruits; soil choice; plenty of good water. For further particulars and terms apply to Russell Newport, Glencoe.

## Campbellton Annual Garden Party

to be held on the School Grounds, S. S. No. 10, Dunwich, on the evening of  
**Friday, July 20**

A good program has been provided and the committee have spared no expense to make this the crowning event of the season.

**FARM FOR SALE**  
100 acres; fine bank barn; good brick house; all in first-class repair; plenty fruit; spring creek in pasture; one mile to school and church; con. 6, Caradoc. A bargain.—John Bancroft, R. R. No. 2, Longwood.

## FERTILIZER

**Homestead Fertilizers are sold in Glencoe by ROY SIDDALL**

It will pay you to hold your order until you see him and learn all about this brand—unequaled in quality and reasonable in price.

## DISTRICT AND GENERAL

A tax on billboards and signs is proposed in the United States.

Work on the new \$14,000 bridge over the Sydenham at Strathroy is well under way.

Essex county farmers will make a major excursion through the state of Indiana this summer.

Wheat cutting in Southwestern Ontario commenced last week and the harvest is now in full swing.

After September oleo will be prohibited from entering Canada. This will tend to increase the price of butter.

An individual with a penchant for figuring makes the statement: that no less than 2,500 votes were not polled in West Middlesex at the recent election.

Manitoba defeated by a two to one vote a bill which sought to make legal the sale in licensed hotels of beer and wine with meals in their dining-rooms.

Norman Wilson, returned soldier, was acquitted by Magistrate Trueman of Strathroy of the charge of setting fire to the barns of Joseph Howe, Caradoc.

Farmers of Essex county are faced with a serious shortage of help. The labor famine is due to high wages paid by Detroit and Windsor manufacturing companies.

Three per cent. discount on Canadian currency will be charged hereafter by all members of the Retail Merchants' Bureau of the Detroit Board of Commerce.

To assist in the movement of settlers to Western Canada, a reduction of approximately one-third in the rates on settlers' effects by both Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railways was announced at Winnipeg.

Wandering about in his boarding house in a state of somnambulism, John O'Connor, of Windsor, stepped through an open window and dropped two storeys to the ground. His fall failed to injure him and neither did it awaken him.

Following a protracted illness, the death of William Drake, well-known retired farmer occurred at his home in Dutton Tuesday morning. Mr. Drake was 86 years of age and a resident of Dutton for the past 29 years. He lived at Fingal for some time.

Climbing trees through which electric wires run is a very dangerous practice. A Toronto boy clutched at electric wires above his head after he had climbed a tree in quest of a robin's nest and was electrocuted. His lifeless body fell a distance of about 14 feet to the ground.

Enos Douthwaite, of Blenheim, claims to have succeeded in finding out who was helping himself to his gasoline at his home. Enos mixed water with some gasoline and left it in the accustomed place. He says a certain car had to be towed to a garage recently as a result.

The canning factory at Strathroy, one of the finest plants in the chain of the Dominion Consolidated Canners, is again a hive of industry, with a big force employed taking care of the immense pea crop which is now being packed. The peas this season are said to be of the finest quality.

Duff Miener, of Sceptre, Sask., suffered severely during the hail storm in June. His house and barns were blown to pieces and his little boy three years old was carried nearly a mile during the storm which was in the evening. The boy was not found until the next morning and died from exposure.

The farmers of Southwold and Yarmouth, who suffered such heavy loss from the effects of the terrific hail and rain storm a week ago, have for the past few days been engaged in plowing up the devastated fields of oats and corn to get ready for the fall wheat. Some of the heavy losers did not have twenty acres of grain left standing out of one hundred acres.

There will be no big military camp at London and other district centres this year, as a plan for drilling regimental companies at home has been adopted. "C" and "D" companies of the Middlesex Light Infantry, comprising about a hundred Indians, are undergoing training for nine days on the Muncey Reserve. "A" company at Strathroy will drill for two hours a couple of nights a week after July 18th.

## TOUR OF THE MARITIMES

With the Canadian Weekly Press Party in Halifax and Cape Breton

In an outline of the recent trip of the Canadian Weekly Press through the Maritime Provinces a sketch was given of things seen on the journey as far as Halifax, concluding with our arrival at Canada's chief seaport city.

We stayed in Halifax two days, where convention sessions were held on Monday morning and afternoon and Tuesday morning. Monday morning while the editors talked the ladies shopped, and during the afternoon they were taken for a long drive about the city and around the harbor, among other places seeing that part of Halifax which was destroyed in 1917 by the explosion which occurred on board one of the munition ships enroute to Europe, resulting in the loss of over a thousand lives.

In the brow of the heights just above was seen the residence of the Duke of Kent (Queen Victoria's father) during his stay in Canada in the early part of the nineteenth century. During drive around the harbour it was explained that the Halifax harbor is one of the three or four greatest harbors in the world. Unlike many others, it was not created by the erosion of rivers and streams. Its origin, according to the geologist, was a deep depression which took place in the earth's crust along this coast in the dim and distant past.

As a matter of fact there are three harbors in one, the elevated peninsula upon which Halifax is situated being almost surrounded by its adjacent waters. The main harbor, on which fronts the most important of its docks, is in itself capable of affording anchorage for an enormous fleet of ocean-going steamers, while further inland is the famous Bedford basin with a circumference of twenty square miles.

At the conclusion of the drive the ladies were taken to historic Dalhousie University which has a beautiful site above the shore, where they were joined by the pressmen. Afternoon tea was served in the fine new girls' residence which has just been completed and is the gift of Mrs. E. B. Eddy, wife of the big paper and match manufacturer of Hull, Que. We were told that it is one of the finest and largest residences for college girls in America.

Monday evening the party were the guests of the Waquoit Club at their fine quarters which have an ideal site upon the harbor. Here we had the pleasure of meeting and renewing old friendship with Mrs. Clarke, formerly of Glencoe, wife of the Rev. John Clarke, who is minister in one of the leading Presbyterian churches in Halifax. Mrs. Clarke had read of our coming and was glad to assist in welcoming and making it pleasant for those from the old home town. We regret not having been able to have met Mr. Clarke, as well as Rev. R. W. Ross, a former Glencoe pastor, both of whom were at the time in Port Arthur attending the General Assembly. The earlier part of the evening was spent in wandering about the beautiful grounds, and later a dance was enjoyed in the club house.

Tuesday morning a number of us got out a little early so as to be able to accept the invitation of Archdeacon Armitage to visit St. Paul's church, erected in 1756 by the Imperial authorities in order to provide a place of worship for the inhabitants of that day. The genial rector warmly welcomed us, and with overflowing pride and reverence showed us around the edifice, pointing out the numerous tablets in memory of noted men of history who had been connected with the church in early days, and telling us of its many historical associations. The church, being erected upon the order of Queen Anne, has the proud distinction of being the only royal church in Canada, and the king is the head of the church, and its rector in his church takes precedence of a visiting bishop. The royal arms of Hanover with its white horse are prominently located inside the entrance and upon the royal pew, in which have sat at various times the royal visitors to Canada, and is always occupied by the Governor-General when he visits Halifax.

Others of the party spent an hour or two in the city's famous horticultural gardens, said to be the best kept if not the largest of any in the world.

Another point of particular interest is the citadel, which is an eminence 255 feet in height, and is in the heart of the city. From the harbor the city's streets through the business section ascend steeply until they reach the foot of the citadel. At present it is little more than a show place, the main fortifications being located at more favorable strategic points on both sides of the harbor and on certain of the islands which stand at its mouth.

During the afternoon the party were the guests of the Board of Trade on a boat trip around the harbor, and we left Halifax that evening, our stay in the city being much too short to allow a visit to all the spots of historical interest.

While our trip to Halifax was by C. P. R., the return was by the Canadian National, and at the station in Halifax we found a fine C. N. R. train of all-steel coaches awaiting us. We arrived in Sydney, Cape Breton, at 8.30 next morning, where autos were again awaiting us, and after a drive around the city and along the harbor, which we were told was one of the principal gathering places for ships during the war while they were waiting for warship convoys for their journey across the Atlantic, we were taken to the big plant of the British Empire Steel Corporation, and were shown over the whole works, and saw ore going into the big furnaces and followed the process of manufacture through the plant, ending up by going through the noisy mill factory. The big coke ovens were also an interesting and instructive sight. We were told there was a likelihood of a big strike in the plant within a few days, and the daily papers are now telling us of serious disturbances there, with troops guarding the plant against the strikers.

After a visit to the yacht club we were taken to a large restaurant, where we were the guests of the British Empire Steel Corporation for dinner, after which the president and officers in brief addresses told us something about the company and the immense coal wealth of the district.

The city of Sydney is situated on a peninsula jutting into Sydney harbor at its southern extremity, being flanked on one side by what is known as the South Arm. Sydney is particularly noted as the site of the big steel plant, and since its establishment about twenty years ago it has grown from a town of 3,000 to a city of 28,000. In addition to its manufacturing importance it is a large wholesale distributing centre. The extent of the plant may be gathered from the fact that it covers an area of 725 acres, employs about 5,000 men and has a payroll of \$14,500,000. Its principal products are pig iron, steel rails, wire rods and their various products, and ship plates.

We left Sydney about two o'clock for a sail through the beautiful Bras d'Or Lakes, sailing through the harbor out into the Atlantic and then up the lakes, on our way passing Sydney Mines, the centre of the big coal industry, catching our train again at Iona, near the centre of the island, travelling back to New Glasgow, Nova Scotia, during the night. New Glasgow is a prosperous city of about 8,000 population, and looked quite enterprising. We were driven to the big works of the Canadian Car Co., and shown railway cars in the process of manufacture. Short stops were made during the afternoon and evening at Truro and Sackville, where short drives around the city were given us by the Boards of Trade.

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## GLENCOE PUBLIC SCHOOL

Results of Midsummer Promotion Examinations

Sr. III. to Jr. IV.—Florence Hills, Mervia Stuart, Ethel McAlpine, Irene Reith, Jena Grover, Helen Clarke, Carrie Smith, Dougall McIntyre, Kathleen Wilson, Irene Squire, Llewellyn Reycraft, Hugh McAlpine, Robert McCallum, Campbell Miller, Sydney Ewing, Harold Wilson, Albert Squire, Willie Ramsey, Alvin Hagerty, Nelson Reycraft, Bert Diamond; on trial—Margaret McLaughlin.

Jr. III. to Sr. III.—Gertrude Abbott, Lorene Best, Virginia Clarke, Douglas Davidson, Clara George, Lillian Hagerty, Noreen Innes, Roy Mumford, Jack McCallum, Blanche McCracken, Gordon McEachren, Kathleen McIntyre, Florence McKellar, Claude Tomlinson, Harold Weekes, Ernest Whitehall, Margaret Young; on trial—Angus Ramsey.

Sr. II. to Jr. III.—Emily Abbott, George Blacklock, Mildred Blacklock, Richard Brand, Kathleen Ewing, Albert George, Clara George, Jimmie Grover, Jack Heal, Mercedes Heal, Glen Kerr, Bobbie Miller, Kenzie Miller, Charlie McCracken, Hugh McEachren, James McEachren, Jean McEachren, Kenneth McEachren, Jean Reith, Helen Reycraft, Charlotte Smith, Graham Snelgrove, Della Stevenson, Marie Stinson, Jean Strachan, Dorothy Waterworth.

Jr. II. to Sr. II.—John Abbott, Beniah Copeland, Dorothy Diamond, Willie Eddle, Ralph Ewing, Clarence Ford, Annie McKellar, Marjorie McRae, Evelyn Siddall, Miriam Smith, Daisy Whitehall, Kathleen Young, Faye Waterworth.

Sr. I. to Jr. II.—Muriel Abbott, Jean Brand, Mae Blacklock, Kenneth Davidson, Gordon Dickson, Isabel Dickson (on trial), Bert Ewing, Ella Hagerty, Abe Hagerty (on trial), Albert Hagerty, Bertha Hills, Duncan McEachren, Ivy McCracken, Lloyd Mumford, Pearl McLaughlin, Bruce Ramsey, John Ramsey, Andrew Snelgrove, George Smith, James Smith, Alvin Waterworth, Glenn Waterworth, Carl Waterworth, Sybil Williams, Allin Wilson, Myrtle Wilson (on trial).

Jr. I. to Sr. I.—Doris Love, Leah Tomlinson, Florence Squire, Clarence Squire (on trial).  
Primer to Jr. I.—Vera Diamond, Margaret Lumley, Mary Strachan, William McCracken, Douglas Allan, Frances Clarke, Mary Love, Willie George, Harry Hudson, Nellie Hagerty (on trial), Margaret Hagerty (on trial).

Primer C to D.—Kathleen Graham, Willie Abbott, Jean Waterworth, Dorothy McLaughlin, Douglas McRae.  
Primer B to C.—Rena Whitehall, Ronald Whitehall, Kenneth McEachren, Harold Watson, Francis Singleton, Florence McCracken, Janet McKellar, Douglas Cornfoot, Alice Hagerty.

Primer A to B.—Bert Blacklock, Dorothy Wall.

## ADVISED TO FILL COAL BINS

The strike in the coal mines of Nova Scotia and the threats of the anthracite workers in the United States are giving rise to apprehension regarding the fuel supply, both for industrial purposes and domestic heating next winter. C. A. Magrath, of the government fuel committee, has advised the public to fill up the coal bins now.

New York reports that Canadian industrial interests have made big purchases of coal in Mexico, and Welsh imports are increasing.

## FIELD CROP WINNERS

The following are prize winners in the standing field crop competition in wheat conducted in connection with the Mosa and Ekfrid Agricultural Society and are eligible to compete for the large prizes offered in the field crop competition classes at the Canadian National and the Central Canada exhibitions:—Albert H. Nevin, James Allen, Daniel A. Walker, Edgar Munson, W. A. McCutcheon, Frank I. Abbott, James R. Shields.

## PAYS TO ADVERTISE

A well pleased advertiser writes:—I must praise your paper for the answers I got. I got quite a little work from your district.

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Its Sale is Phenomenal  
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### GROWING PANSIES FROM SEED.

The pansy is one of the most popular of early spring flowering plants, for, in addition to their precocious habit of providing early blooms, the plants, if well cared for, will bloom uninterruptedly throughout summer and fall. During the hottest months the flowers will decrease in size, but with the advent of cool nights and refreshing rains they attain their spring size and bloom as vigorously as ever.

The seed should be sown during July and August. If only a limited number of plants are required the seed is best sown in a flat, the soil in which should be fresh and of a rather light nature. The seed may either be sown in rows or broadcast thinly, but it must not be covered more than an eighth of an inch and with quite light sandy soil that will not form a crust. If a greater number of plants are to be raised, a special seed bed may be made in a sheltered position in the garden or in the cold frame. Which ever is used the soil should first be deeply stirred and raked quite fine and the seed sown in shallow drills. The drills spaced three inches apart. Firm the soil after sowing, using a level piece of board for the purpose, then water the bed with a fine spray so that the soil may not be washed. The seed bed, whether in cold frame or the open, is then covered with old sacking or burlap to obviate the necessity of continuous watering. All further watering previous to germination is given on top of the burlap. On the first appearance of the seedlings remove the covering.

If extra early flowering plants are wanted for spring bedding, a cold frame should be utilized. After sowing the soil spread a two-inch layer of old rotted manure on top, covering it with fully two inches of good loam soil in which the seedlings are transplanted three inches

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Cool, fresh, rested skin tingling with health and comfort—  
Feeling cleaner than you ever felt before—  
Because of the big, creamy lather of Lifebuoy.

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ONE OF A DOZEN "QUICK" DESSERTS  
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Add milk to the contents of a package of INVINCIBLE Coconut Pudding. Stir, boil for a few minutes and serve.

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apart with the rows four inches apart. If a cold frame is not available the bed should be made in a sheltered part of the garden, and it should be raised a few inches to insure perfect drainage. A bed four feet wide, or five feet at most, is the most suitable size, and it should be three or four inches higher than the surrounding level. Such beds are sometimes held in place by fixing narrow strips of boards around them. To fit the plants so that they will carry safely over winter, growth is encouraged by stirring the soil between the rows and watering thoroughly and regularly during dry weather. When the ground freezes, the entire bed is covered with a three-inch mulch of leaves, the leaves being held in place by the aid of light brush-wood.

### A HANDY APRON.

My helpful clothespin apron gave me an idea for an extremely useful apron to be worn while putting the house in order each day. The apron is made of stout cretonne, is suspended from the shoulders and has a deep pocket completely across the front. This generous-size pocket saves so many steps. The abandoned magazine I find in the dining room is slipped into my pocket and placed on the magazine stand when I happen to go to the living room instead of requiring a special trip.

Usually by the time I am ready to go upstairs my big pocket is full to overflowing. And it is seldom that a room is put in order that something is not picked up that must be taken to some other part of the house. It saves so many steps to place all these things in my apron pocket and gradually place them where they belong as I work from room to room.—A. M. A.

### WHEN THE FLIES COME.

Where there are children there are sure to be flies in the house no matter how carefully one may screen. My stand-by is a long-handled, home-made fly-snapper. A two-foot piece of lath, or other slender stick, carefully split one inch at the end, and a four and one-half by six-inch piece of wire screen inserted, fastened by one or two tacks, long enough to head down on the other side, makes a fly-snapper long enough to reach ceiling or walls, and the children will delight to use it. Try it.—Mrs. H. N. P.



### A SIMPLE BUT PRETTY FROCK.

4382. Dotted Swiss and organdy are here combined. The model is practical and suitable for all wash fabrics, as well as for silk and cloth. The collar and panels may be omitted. In red and white dotted percale with trimming of white linen, this style will be very pleasing.

The pattern is cut in 4 sizes: 6, 8, 10, and 12 years. A 10-year size requires 3 3/4 yards of 40-inch material. To make sash, collar, cuffs, pocket and sleeve facings of contrasting material requires 1 yard 3/2 inches wide.

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

The young men who go through a course in any of the fine industrial and manual training schools of our country will some day be the flower of the land. Their education and work will rid the field of unskilled labor, and they will elevate and maintain the country's honor.

Calling down blessings down on the thoughtful Ma Tu, David set to with a will. After disposing of the last crumb and pigeon-holing some

## The Gift Of The Gods

BY PEARL FOLEY.  
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### CHAPTER IX.—(Cont'd.)

Quickly and deftly David tore away the garments from his servant's chest disclosing a gaping knife wound. While Ma Tu had lost a profusion of blood, David saw at a glance the stab was not serious. As he cleaned the cut the boy opened his eyes and smiled gratefully.

"Just a flesh wound, Ma Tu. When I stick you together with this adhesive plaster you'll be a whole man again. No, don't get up. I want to put some ginger into you first."

David crossed to a small cupboard in the wall, where he kept his first-aid supplies, a very necessary adjunct to his equipment. Replacing his roll of sterilized bandages and the spool of adhesive plaster he poured out some brandy.

"Here you are. Drink this and you'll forget you had a nightmare."

The boy tried to smile as he took the glass, but David noticed his hand trembled, and he doubted greatly if his yellowish pallor was altogether the result of the gash.

"Master joke. He treat light affair of rob." There was an accusing note in the boy's voice.

"Ah, we feel better, eh? Well, now let's hear the whole of this midnight hold-up."

Ma Tu laid the empty glass on the table beside him, and in broken English unburdened his mind. There was the body of a faithful dog, a young man's eyes as he said: "Ma Tu anxious much, anxious over master. Heard master leave room long after sleeping time. Got up and sat in chair so if needed Ma Tu be there. But no keep awake for sudden my eyes open—hear noise. Jump up, shamed you come back and maybe want me. Me hurry. Carry light—open door quick. There big man stood—no foreign—Chinese he was and tight fast against your door leessening, leessening. I creep so." Ma Tu panted with his hands his cautious movements. "I make high steps on my toe nails—just so."

"Yes, yes," urged David.

"I grab him so." Ma Tu made a swift movement with his hands through the air. "But he big man. He turn quick, and I get this," pointing with a half-shamed grin to his chest. "I back away slow, pretend afraid. He laugh low. He sneer and stand like he had me. I pray gods I save you, master. I back slow, slow to your desk. I reach behind with hand, open drawer. The gods helped—the gun was there. I laugh then. I had him. He act coward then. He back up to window and squeak like lightning before I shoot drop he out of sight."

David remained silent when Ma Tu had finished his strange story. It was clear beyond a doubt that his connection with the securing of the jewel was known. The plotters' desperation to obtain the jewel was so spineless affair when they would spill the blood of a foreigner, and that they were out for his life was a proven fact. David's ire was aroused. Their cowardice—their back hitting methods—proved them too tawdry for a white man to soil his hands with.

"There are dirty dogs in the world, eh, Ma Tu? But we'll show them a bullet's too good for them. I have you to thank for being whole at this minute, and my memory isn't short, boy."

If Ma Tu wasn't a Christian child, English words, there was no mistaking the look on his master's face or the grip of his hand, and he was satisfied. His Eastern logic told him that the God of Friendship had indeed blessed him.

"And now, Ma Tu, I'll have to leave you for a few hours. The gods of fortune, or rather the goddess of every thing that's wonderful and beautiful in this prosaic old world, is sending me to the hills."

David turned on the boy a look of amused surprise. The last words were a final, unargumentative statement. David was reminded of a stubborn bull pup who had just found out his ability to not let go. Ma Tu had risen. Resolutely he buttoned his shirt over the wound, fastened his jacket to the neck, and stood ready for his master's instructions.

"Ma Tu," David's voice was quiet but firm, "you perhaps misunderstood me. I did not say you were to accompany me. I said you were to stay here."

The boy bowed in acknowledgment of the command, and then raising a calm face, replied in a tone that betokened his mind was made up, "I obey master, yes, but I Chinese. I obey gods first. They tell me to protect master. I go to the mountains too."

David looked on in comical amazement at this logic.

"I see. Well, Ma Tu, I am placed in rather a difficult position. Seeing you would be assured from my bedside, I presume it would be the height of ingratitude to deny your first request, or—" and David's smile dispelled the anxious, puzzled look on the boy's face—"demand. After all, perhaps the morning air will be a good bracer after the past harrowing hour. Run along. Order the ponies ready in ten minutes; but, Ma Tu, don't run your mouth into your ears," warned David, as a pleased grin overspread the boy's face.

A chuckle sounded as Ma Tu sped from the room.

After a shower bath David felt as fit as if he had had eight hours' sleep instead of one. His healthy appetite asserted itself, however, and he thought longingly of a steaming cup of coffee. Faithful Chinese servants were far from his mind as he stepped into his sitting-room and it was, therefore, with pleasurable surprise he saw the empty tray on his desk replaced by one containing rolls and coffee.

Calling down blessings down on the thoughtful Ma Tu, David set to with a will. After disposing of the last crumb and pigeon-holing some

business notes, which could wait over till the next day, he locked his desk and was ready for his morning ride. It was weeks since he had experienced such a thrill of anticipation. The jewel he knew had nothing to do with it. No, he looked matters squarely in the face and confessed the cause of the rift in his clouded life was a Chinese maiden.

He was just on the point of switching off the light, when something white on the carpet near the door attracted his attention. Thinking it a paper carried from his desk by the breeze, David picked it up and nonchalantly opened it. What then was his amazement to see great splashes of red over which, in fine English script, was the following weird message:

"East and West can never meet. Our maidens, therefore, do not seek." At the bottom was a white dragon on red.

David was cogitating over this strange missive when Ma Tu entered to say the ponies were ready.

David nodded, folded the paper and placed it in an inner pocket. As he stepped into the hall, followed by his servant, he enquired casually, "Is there any particular significance or meaning attached to a white dragon on red, Ma Tu?"

"White dragon on red," repeated the boy, a queer, frightened look overspreading his face. Then forcing a grin he shook his head. "Ma Tu not know."

"What!" David stopped short. "You dare to hand me a brazen lie, Ma Tu? Out with it, quick!"

The boy glanced at his master's face, concluded dissembling was useless, and blurted out: "White dragon on red bad, very bad."

"So much I've already guessed, boy; but the exact meaning?"

"White dragon on red, death by the gods."

"By the gods, eh? Sounds rather a nice way to die!"

Ma Tu glanced at his master, a troubled look on his face. "Master laugh—joke, but white dragon on red bad, very bad."

"Ah, well, I guess we haven't much to fear from the gods, and as for the devil, we'll slay him with his own weapon, eh?"

David held out a lump of sugar to his whinnying pony.

### CHAPTER X.

Peking was covering herself with the first flimsy garment of day as David and his servant clattered through the streets for a few laborers, vendors who were hastening after the early trade, and several rickshaws, perhaps carrying officials from an all-night entertainment, the street was deserted. The city was asleep. Two or three more layers of day would have to be fastened on before she would show herself.

David was used to the hour of dawn, but the dawn of a new day never waned for him. As they were facing the hills, with a strip of the sandy plain between, the sun burst in a sudden flood of glory over the Eastern world. They halted to watch a train of camels slowly and majestically wending their way. It seemed to David he was back in the early ages. It appeared improbable that if he staid alone out here when night had fallen wise men of the East would greet him. Perhaps they would point to a star and tell him how they were led to a manger where the Christ child lay. But the camels had passed, and the sun's rays were emblazoning with a wonderful radiance an object on the peak of a distant hill. David's biblical sense vanished. Before him crumbled an emblem of paganism—a Buddhist temple.

With the darkness had fled Ma Tu's dread of the unknown. His smile grew frequent and he answered his master's sallies with low, full chuckles.

Concern for his faithful servant caused David to lead a moderate pace. While a flesh wound need not be serious, still it might prove painful and very troublesome, and setting aside his genuine liking for the Chinese boy, David did not relish the idea of having him sick on his hands just then.

So half an hour later than it usually took to cover the distance, the temple home of the Culvers loomed in sight. David's attention was attracted and proclaimed not all the household were asleep. Servants, no doubt, decided David. He wondered if he could get word to the doctor without alarming his wife. He had dismounted, and instructed Ma Tu to take the horses to the stable, when to his surprise the doctor himself came walking down the path.

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Culver shook hands with his visitor cordially, and to David's surprise, took his call as a matter of course. "News travels fast even in China, I notice. You are the first on the scene, not even a Chinese official has arrived yet."

"You have sent for protection then?" enquired David.

"Do you think it necessary?" questioned Culver. "It seems to me our protection is ample enough, with two men dead already."

"Two men dead?" echoed David, blankly.

It was Culver's turn to look surprised. "Why then, if you haven't heard, what brings you here at this hour, my dear boy?"

"I heard last night, sir, that an attempted robbery was to be made on the sacred ruby to-night, and am here to give warning and to advise you to protect yourselves and it by means of a box—the box of death, I believe they call it—which is in the possession of a Mr. Tung Yung."

Culver rubbed his chin thoughtfully. "Who is the person that gave the alarm, if I may ask?"

David flushed. "Some one, sir, who is only interested through blood ties with your adopted son. The name would not enlighten you and—"

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## GUIDING SHIPS BY NEW "LIGHTHOUSES"

### WONDERS OF WIRELESS DIRECTION.

#### Atlantic Aeroplane Flight of Two Thousand Miles to be Directed Entirely by Wireless.

One morning recently an aeroplane might have been seen hovering high over the dome of St. Paul's Cathedral, says a London writer.

At the same time fifteen miles away on the Thames below Woolwich, a long, sinister form was ploughing its way along the surface of the water. Like a fish it sped on, in and out among the crowded shipping until, at last, some twenty miles farther down the river, it came to rest at a marked buoy off Tilbury Docks.

The cigar-like form was a dumky torpedo, and it was being directed by wireless over the whole of its twenty-mile course by the observer in that tiny aeroplane 8,000ft. over St. Paul's.

A Wireless "Lighthouse."

So accurate was the directing force that not once in the course of its mysterious passage did the torpedo as much as scrape the hull of one of the innumerable vessels passing up and down the Thames. And when at last it nosed its way alongside the buoy at Tilbury, it was a bare half-inch out in its predetermined course!

That is but one of the marvels of wireless direction. It is not altogether a new discovery. During the war the later Zeppelin raids on this country were all directed and controlled in this manner. Operating from Borkum, where the Germans had a big signaling base, the airship commanders, every few minutes during their flight across the North Sea, would get in touch with this wireless station, to be supplied immediately with their exact latitude and longitude, and even the latest weather forecast.

But it is only during the last eighteen months that wireless direction has been adapted successfully to commercial purposes.

The initial step in harnessing this potent and little known force was the establishment some weeks ago of a wireless lighthouse on Incekeith Island, in the Firth of Forth.

By means of this "lighthouse" ships can be directed through the dangerous channels of the firth by wireless, so that there is no possibility of their running ashore or being wrecked even on the darkest night or in the densest fog.

This is but the first step in the development of wireless direction. By means of experiments now being conducted in the various technical laboratories, it is hoped in the near future to employ this force for running train and tramcar services, for traffic control both at sea and on the road, sea navigation, and directing and operating fleets of battleships and aircraft, until it will be possible to direct the path of everything moving on the surface of the earth, not even excepting human beings, by means of wireless.

#### Make Wireless International.

Steps are being taken, in conjunction with the Board of Trade and the Meteorological Office, to internationalize wireless direction of ships at sea.

At the present moment there is lying in the Port of London a ship that has been specially fitted with powerful wireless receiving sets to give demonstrations of this new method of navigation in all the principal ports of the world.

Setting out from London this missionary ship will sail for China, via the Mediterranean, Indian Ocean, and the Straits, and thence on to North and South America, and back across the Atlantic to Europe and South Africa, giving demonstrations at every big port en route.

The most ambitious effort, however, will be a cross-Atlantic aeroplane flight which is to be made late in the summer. This machine will carry both pilot and observer, but their attention will be confined to the actual flying side.

Setting out from Newfoundland, for the first 600 miles of its flight the aeroplane will be directed by the Glouce Bay Wireless Station. Then it will be picked up and navigated by a wireless "lightship" cruising in mid-ocean to a point where control will be transmitted to Ougar, the big operating station in this country. The whole 2,000 miles of flight will be directed by wireless.

#### The Little House.

So tiny seemed the little house. Scarce room for bed and board; Yet here were love and happiness In heaping measure poured.

But now too large the little house, For one has gone away. And through the high and empty room The joyless echoes stray.

Still ever round the little house The sweetest memories cling Of laughing face and dancing feet, That made our hearts to sing.

Oh, Father, keep the little house; Bring him and tender care; May smiles again of happiness In Thy good time be there.

—E. LILIAN MORLEY.

## BRITAIN DESIRES TO MAINTAIN ENTENTE BUT MUST SAVE EUROPEAN CIVILIZATION

Premier Baldwin Gives France Notice That Britain Cannot Longer Remain Passive Spectator of Policy in the Ruhr—Announcements in Commons and Lords.

A despatch from London says:—The British Prime Minister, Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, made his expected statement of Government policy in regard to the Ruhr and German reparations on Thursday afternoon in a crowded House. An identical statement was read in the Lords by Marquis Curzon, but whereas, according to prearrangement, there was no discussion of the statement in the Commons, speeches were made in the Lords by Viscount Grey and Earl Birkenhead, which were in the words of Lord Curzon, "a little irregular."

It is assumed that the French and Belgian assent had already been obtained to the general outline of the British proposals. If and when the French and Belgian assent is obtained to the text of the note which Britain will draft in reply to the German offer, the British, or, as it will then be, the allied note, will be presented to Berlin. The next stage will be the appointment of an international expert commission to determine what amount of indemnity Germany can pay.

In contrast to such statements by his predecessors, Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. Bonar Law, which were very lengthy, Premier Baldwin's pronouncements were particularly brief, taking about 16 minutes for delivery. The question on everybody's lips—how far the British Government's open disapproval of the French Ruhr policy and its holding aloof therefrom were to be converted into an active policy separate from France—to a great extent unanswered. Premier Baldwin certainly moved quite perceptibly away from Mr. Bonar Law's attitude of passivism, inasmuch as he announced the Government's decision to submit to the allies a separate reply to Germany's latest offer. But he did not give the slightest indication of the nature of the proposed reply.

This was the only important point in the pronouncement, which, for the remainder, was a warning couched in the most friendly language, but plainly telling France that the British Government could not much longer remain a passive spectator to a policy which threatened the economic collapse of Germany and with it disaster to the whole of Europe.

Taken as a whole, the pronouncement seemed to be a new appeal to France to retract her steps and come into line with all the allies in a new effort to settle the reparations problem by negotiation, instead of by military penalties. The Premier was most careful to avoid any shutting of the doors on renewed negotiations.

Notable points were the complete absence of any reference to the United States in connection with the negotiations and emphasis that Italy was with Great Britain, rather than with France.

The real meaning of Premier Baldwin's speech might be roughly paraphrased thus:

"The French are destroying Germany and the result must be chaos and war. French methods are already devastating our industry as the Germans devastated France, and the French should withdraw from the Ruhr, permit Germany to recover and pay. Germany has made an offer containing the germ of a settlement. We insist upon accepting their proposal to carry out the award of an impartial commission as to what they can pay. We want France to agree with us, but if she does not, we with Italy, will act notwithstanding."

"We desire most earnestly to maintain the Entente, but we cannot let European civilization fall to pieces for its sake."



HOOVER TO COMPETE IN TORONTO

It is expected that Walter Hoover, the Duluth oarsman, will compete with Hilton Belyea, the famous Canadian oarsman, at a regatta to be held in Toronto during the Canadian National Exhibition.

## CANADA'S THREAT OF PULPWOOD EMBARGO ALARMS WASHINGTON GOVERNMENT

A despatch from Washington says:—Administration officials are much disturbed over the action of the Canadian Parliament in passing a law authorizing the Governor-General to place an embargo on the exportation of pulpwood.

The State Department disclosed that the United States is taking up the matter with Canada to point out the serious consequences to the paper and publishing industries in this country if the Governor-General should exercise the discretion placed in his hands and proclaim such an embargo.

In some quarters here it is believed the Canadian Parliament passed this legislation primarily for the purpose of arming the Governor-General with a retaliatory weapon to be used in the event that the United States should use the flexible provisions of

the Fordey-McCumber Tariff law to Canada's serious disadvantage. Even without these provisions Canada is hard hit by the tariff, and several provisions of the law are working an even greater hardship upon Americans than Canadians. For example, Canadian cattle, which used to be shipped to this country and fattened on American grain when the price was low, are now shut out by the tariff, and are being diverted to England. The Pacific Coast lumbermen have petitioned for a reduction of the \$1 rate on logs, which was aimed solely at Canada.

Whatever the real motive behind Canada's action, the administration is exerting all proper pressure to see that the Governor-General does not invoke his authority and slap on an embargo that would cripple the paper industry of this country.

## AGGREGATE OF DAMAGE TO PROPERTY IN IRELAND COMPUTED AT \$150,000,000

After All Claims Are Filed Begins the Task of Sifting the Just from the Fraudulent Demands Upon the Imperial and Free State Exchequers.

A despatch from London says:—Now that peace has been restored in the Irish Free State, an effort will be made to speed up negotiations to settle damages growing out of disturbances in Southern Ireland. The total of such claims will be enormous. The problem is a big one, and there are numerous complications which militate against haste in arriving at terms of settlement.

The aggregate of damage done to property in Ireland in the last four and one-half years is variously estimated, but the sum of \$150,000,000 seems to be a fair computation. Of course, all claims are not yet in, and when the last claim has been filed, the real task will begin—that of sifting just from fraudulent demands upon the Imperial and the Free State exchequers.

The Colonial Office, presided over by the Duke of Devonshire, which is, of course, concerned with claims arising before the truce, received deputations of Lords and members of Commons representing former Southern loyalists from time to time, but rather strict secrecy is maintained concerning the course which the conversations take at those conferences. But, as usually is the case in the award of damages, the claimants are up in arms because they do not think they are going to receive as much as they are entitled to.

The claims fall into two categories. First, there are those arising before the truce of July, 1921, which was a preliminary to the peace treaty and the subsequent erection of the Irish Free State. These claims must be met jointly by the Free State and the Imperial Government. All claims for damages arising after July, 1921, must be met by the Free State alone. That is, the Free State and the Imperial Government each assume responsibility for payment of valid com-

ensation in respect of injuries to its own supporters in the pre-truce period. Subsequent damage will be settled under a criminal injuries bill passed by Dail Eireann.

This latter bill provides for cash settlement of approved claims up to \$1,000. Claims above this amount will be settled partly in cash and partly in Free State securities. Acceptance of government securities is very distasteful to former Southern Irish loyalists, who would like to have their settlements in cold cash, and they are pressing the Imperial Government to guarantee payment of their losses. That the Government here has steadfastly refused to do.

Among those former Southern loyalists are many who, having done everything in their power to thwart Irish home rule, finally abandoned Ireland altogether upon the creation of the Free State. Their position is akin to that of the loyalists in the United States after the Revolutionary War. Though much of the property of the American loyalists was confiscated, there arose no end of Revolutionary War claims, which, to this day, are still in process of settlement by a special standing committee of the United States Senate.

The American precedent may well be cited as an indication of the time it will require to adjust all of the claims growing out of the wholesale destruction which has been carried on in Ireland in the last five years. Payment of those claims will, of course, be a drag on the Free State treasury—now nearly empty—for some years. Nevertheless claims aggregating nearly \$5,000,000 have already been paid, although that, of course, is not a drop in the bucket compared to what must be found when the Government settles down to the serious task of paying the fiddler for all that has been going on in Ireland, particularly in the last year.



John S. Martin  
Minister of Agriculture in the New Ontario Cabinet.

## Canada From Coast to Coast

Dawson, Y.T.—The establishment of a daily newspaper in the Mayo silver camp district is announced by the publishers of the Dawson Daily and Weekly News, who have shipped complete newspaper and job printing apparatus to Mayo City. This is Mayo's first newspaper, made possible by the fact that the Federal Government has decided to install a radio station at the camp and establish direct communication with the outside world.

Vernon, B. C.—Copious rains throughout the interior have brought crops along in splendid shape and farmers of hay and grain predict best crops in years. Fruit growers have suffered some from rains, the showers having split some of the early varieties of cherries. Conditions generally are quite good.

Calgary, Alta.—Starting with a borrowed capital of \$10 in the Waskanau district, Alberta, fifteen years ago, John E. Vance, now has a fine farm of 400 acres, well stocked with cattle. Last year, although drought prevailed, his wheat average was 24 bushels to the acre and in the year previous it was 47 bushels.

Regina, Sask.—The greatest elevator building program for Western Canada in years is contemplated this summer, according to milling and elevator companies. If the present program of the estimated building is carried out there will be 175 to 200 additional elevators erected in the Prairie Provinces, before this year's crop begins to move from the farms, at least this is the number now on the program as laid out by the different companies.

Winnipeg, Man.—Arrangements have been made for harvester excursions from the East and from British Columbia on practically the same lines as last year, according to J. W. Ward, secretary of the Canadian Council of Agriculture. It is expected that a larger number of harvesters will be required this year than last.

Ottawa, Ont.—According to a despatch from London, England, some Canadian store cattle have been bought for the King's farm at Sandringham. His Majesty's agent has also purchased a herd of cattle from the Canadian Government's experimental farms for Sandringham. This lot was gathered from Canadian experimental farms from as far west as Lethbridge, Alta., and as far east as Kentville, N.S.

Quebec, Que.—It is estimated that the value of the field crops in the Province of Quebec will be about \$225,000,000 this year. The value in 1922 was over \$219,000,000. Recent rains have caused a general feeling of optimism among farmers throughout the province, and the prospects now are particularly encouraging.

Halifax, N.S.—Crop reports from various sections of Nova Scotia indicate that seeding was somewhat retarded by the cold weather, but that from present indications there will be a heavy crop of hay. The apple crop promises to be a good one, and the strawberry crop in the Annapolis Valley in particular was heavy.



James W. Lyons  
A new member of the Ontario House, who has been made Minister of Lands and Forests in the Ferguson Cabinet. His grandfather emigrated to Canada seventy years ago with four brothers. The ship in which they sailed met disaster on the voyage, and the sole survivor of the family to reach Canada.

Be warned against nursing revengeful thoughts; they are apt to develop sharp stings.



Allan R. Crawford  
A Toronto boy who for more than two years has held Wrangell Island for Canada. A relief party is starting north to bring him off.

The first two of the amphibian flying boats, which the Government has ordered for use in forestry patrol, will, it is expected, be flown to Winnipeg shortly. The Government has ordered eight craft of this type for the forest surveys from the Canadian Vickers, Ltd., the remainder of the machines will be delivered during the summer and will be distributed three more to Manitoba, one to Vancouver, one to Halifax, and one to Ottawa.

A larger increase in the production of dairy products than in any previous year in Manitoba's history was recorded during the past year, according to the annual report of the Provincial Dairy Commission. The total value of dairy products in 1922, was approximately \$12,434,223. The production of creamery butter, as reported by 44 creameries, amounted to 10,559,601 lbs., which was 2,009,496 lbs. more than in 1921, and the selling price at the creameries was \$3,895,860.



To Try Eskimos  
L. A. Rivet, of Montreal, who has been appointed a judge to try the case of three Eskimos charged with murdering a Newfoundland fisherman last fall. Mr. Rivet will sail on the "Arctic" with Capt. Berrier, the explorer, and the court will sit at Pond's Inlet, the jury to be composed of Eskimos.

## WESTERN WHEAT CROP GIVES HUGE PROMISE

Dominion Department of Agriculture Receives Most Optimistic Reports.

A despatch from Ottawa says:—Reports to the Department of Agriculture from the West confirm the generally optimistic statements respecting Western crop prospects that have been issued by the railways, the banks and the various Governmental agencies in the Prairie Provinces. Of course no one will officially hazard the opinion that there will be a 500,000,000 bushel wheat crop or anything like it, for this would mean 190,000,000 more than even last year, when the largest wheat crop in the history of the country was harvested. But the uniformly excellent conditions, together with an acreage only a little over one per cent. below that of 1922, warrant expectations of a new record yield.

It may seem like expecting too much to look this year for another crop as large as that of 1922. It, however, must be borne in mind that when Alberta has a big yield the country generally follows suit. In 1915, when the West raised 364,000,000 bushels of wheat from a little over 1,000,000 acres, Alberta had an average yield of slightly over 31 bushels to the acre, six more than had Saskatchewan and Manitoba. This year Alberta has about 6,000,000 acres under wheat, and if it can duplicate its performance of 1915 this would mean about 190,000,000 bushels, and Hon. Vernon W. Smith, one of the members of the Alberta Government, has ventured the opinion that the yield may go 175,000,000. So it is not surprising that big figures are being forecast.

The railways are preparing for the heaviest crop movement in their history. Last year they set up a remarkable record, but high as it was they are convinced that they must be prepared to do even better this year, and to this end their plans have been laid. The Canadian Pacific Railway is adding sixty new engines to its Prairie lines, these being of the largest type, and adding 2,000 box cars to the already huge number on its Prairie divisions. The Canadian National is also making important additions to its equipment.

## Nightingales Rarer in English Woods

A despatch from London says:—To hear the nightingale a party of sixty men and women recently spent the night in the Surrey woods, and were recompensed for their labors by hearing some exceptionally fine singing.

Some members of the audience were disappointed in that they found Philomela a rarer bird than last year, only nineteen songsters being distinguished, as compared with fifty-two last year. One nightingale, whose mellifluous notes issued from an old quarry, was worth going all the way to hear, it was unanimously asserted by those who went there.

Arrangements are being concluded according to report by the Alberta Government for the financing of the extensions of railways in the Peace River and Grande Prairie districts, the farthest north railways in Canada.

## FRENCH DEVICE TO MAKE PLANES "THINK"

New Device Eliminates the Necessity of Pilot and Takes Photographs.

A despatch from Paris says:—"Making airplanes think" is the latest diversion of French aviation experts at Villiers Coublay, according to the few details that have been allowed to leak out, but which indicate considerable success already attained.

Hitherto, it has been thought necessary to have at least one passenger in machines controlled by wireless, his duty consisting in dropping bombs or taking photographs. With a new device, however, an electrically controlled roll of paper providing contacts whenever certain altitudes and distances are attained, is made to do the same work.

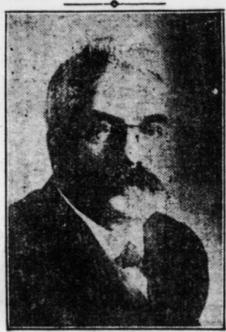
For instance, by inserting a properly perforated "music roll," an unoccupied plane has been started on a twenty-mile flight, risen to 2,500 metres at the end of the third mile, released a dummy bomb, circled the left for ten miles more, descended to less than 500 metres, opened its camera eye to snap the scenery below while the motor slowed down to prevent blurring the pictures, and resumed normal flight back to the starting point, landing safely.

Not the least advantage of the new system is that the oldest planes can be sent up in time of war without risking the life of a pilot or observer.

The population of Greater Vancouver is 266,524 persons, according to the annual publication of a local directory. This is an increase of 12,777 in population during the year.

## Queen Wilhelmina Takes Vacation at English Lakes

A despatch from London says:—Queen Wilhelmina is doing some outdoor painting in oil during her stay in England's beautiful lake district. She is visiting England not as Queen of the Netherlands, but as the "Countess of Duren," and is preserving the strictest incognito.



President Millerand  
The French President, has announced that France cannot recede from her position as regards her policy in the occupied areas. Events between France and Britain have approached a crisis over the subject of Germany.



## The Week's Markets

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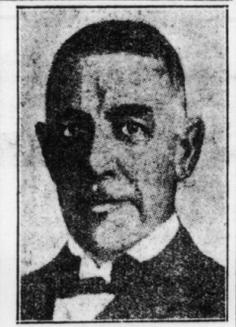
Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.14 1/2.  
Manitoba oats—No. 3 CW, 49 1/2c; No. 1 feed, 48c.  
Manitoba barley—Nominal.  
All the above, track, bay ports.  
Am. corn—No. 2 yellow, \$1.09 1/4.  
Barley—Malting, 57 to 59c, according to freight outside.  
Buckwheat—No. 2, 68 to 69c.  
Rye—No. 2, nominal.  
Pots.—No. 2, \$1.40 to \$1.45.  
Milfeed—Do. Montreal freights, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$25 to \$26; shorts, per ton, \$27 to \$29; middlings, \$33 to \$35; good feed ton, \$2.15 to \$2.25.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, nominal.  
Ontario No. 2 white oats—46 to 48c.  
Ontario corn—Nominal.  
Ontario flour—Ninety per cent. pat., in jute bags, Montreal, prompt shipment, \$5.10 to \$5.20; Toronto basis, \$5.05 to \$5.15; bulk seaboard, \$4.95 to \$5.00.  
Manitoba flour—1st pats., in cotton sacks, \$6.90 per bbl.; 2nd pats., \$6.85.  
Hay—Extra No. 2 timothy, per ton, track, Toronto, \$15; No. 3 timothy, \$13; mixed, \$12.50 to \$13.50.  
Straw—Car lots, per ton, track, Toronto, \$9.50.  
Cheese—New, large, 21c; twins, 22c; triplets, 23c; Stiltons, 24c. Old, large, 22c; twins, 23 1/2c; triplets, 23c; Stiltons, 33 1/4c. New Zealand old cheese, 30c.

Butter—Finest creamery prints, 32 to 33c; No. 2, 31 to 32c.  
Eggs—First, 27 to 28c; extras, 31 to 32c; extras in cartons, 33 to 34c.  
Live poultry—Spring chickens, 40c; hens, over 5 lbs., 22c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 20c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 17c; roosters, 15c; ducks, over 5 lbs., 30c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 28c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 25c.

Dressed poultry—Spring chickens, 45c; hens, over 5 lbs., 28c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 24c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 20c; roosters, 17c; ducks, over 5 lbs., 30c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 29c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 30c.  
Beans—Can. hand-picked, lb. 7c; primes, 6 1/2c.  
Maple products—Syrup, per imp. gal., \$2.50; per 5-gal. tin, \$2.40 per gal.; maple sugar, lb. 25c.  
Honey—60-lb. tins, 10 1/2 to 11c per lb.; 3 and 2 1/2-lb. tins, 11 to 12 1/2c per lb.; Ontario comb honey, per doz. No. 1, \$4.50 to \$5; No. 2, \$3.75 to \$4.25.

Smoked meats—Hams, med., 26 to 28c; cooked hams, 42 to 45c; smoked rolls, 26 to 28c; cottage rolls, 25 to 26c; breakfast bacon, 30 to 34c; special brand breakfast bacon, 34 to 38c; backs, boneless, 37 to 42c.  
Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 59 to 70 lbs., \$18; 70 to 90 lbs., \$17.50; 90 lbs. and up, \$16.50; lightweight rolls, in barrels, 32c; heavyweight rolls, 33c.  
Lard—Pure tallow, 15 1/2 to 15 3/4c; tubs, 15 1/2 to 16c; pairs, 16 to 16 1/2c; do, 15c; Shortening, tallow, 14 1/2 to 15c; tubs, 15 to 15 1/2c; pairs, 15 1/2 to 16c; prints, 17 to 17 1/2c.  
Choice heavy steers, \$8.35 to \$8.50; butcher steers, choice, \$7.75 to \$8; do, good, \$7 to \$7.50; do, med., \$6.50 to \$7; do, com., \$6 to \$6.25; butcher heifers, choice, \$7 to \$7.50; do, med., \$6.50 to \$7; do, com., \$6 to \$6.50; butcher cows, choice, \$5.50 to \$6.25; do, med., \$4 to \$5; canners and cutters, \$3.50 to \$4; butcher bulls, good, \$4.50 to \$5.50; do, com., \$3 to \$4; feeding steers, good, \$7 to \$7.50; do, fair, \$6 to \$6.75; stockers, good, \$6 to \$6.50; do, fair, \$4.50 to \$5; milkers, springers, each, \$50 to



Edward Bok  
Formerly editor of the Ladies' Home Journal, who has offered a prize of \$100,000 for a plan whereby the United States can co-operate with the rest of the world in the maintenance of peace. lambs, spring, \$15.50 to \$16.25; sheep, choice, light, \$6.75 to \$6.25; do, choice, heavy, \$4 to \$4.50; do, culls and bucks, \$2.75 to \$3.50; hogs, fed and watered, \$8.60; do, f.o.b., \$8; do, country points, \$7.75. Hog quotations are based on the price of thick, smooth hogs, sold on a graded basis.

\$80; calves, choice, \$8 to \$10; do, med., \$6.50 to \$8; do, com., \$4.50 to \$6; MONTREAL.

Corn, Am. No. 2 yellow, 95c. Oats, Can. West, No. 2, 57 to 57 1/2c; do, Can. West, No. 2, 55 to 55 1/2c; do, extra No. 1 feed, 53 1/2 to 54c; do, No. 2 local white, 52 1/2 to 53c. Flour, Man. spring wheat pats., 1sts, \$6.90; do, 2nds, \$6.40; do, strong bakers, \$6.50; do, winter pats., choice, \$5.75 to \$5.85. Rolled oats, bag, 90 lbs., \$3.05 to \$3.15. Bran, \$26. Shorts, \$29. Middlings, \$34. Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$13 to \$14.  
Cheese, finest easterns, 17 1/2 to 18c. Butter, choice creamery, 80 1/2 to 31c. Eggs, selected, 29c. Potatoes, per bag, car lots, \$1.10 to \$1.25.

## Halifax Wants Big Liners to Use Port

A despatch from Halifax says:—The City Council has begun a campaign to induce British steamship companies to use Halifax as a port of call for large passenger and mail steamships and it has instructed the Mayor to cable Rear Admiral Sir Guy Gaunt thanking him for his interest in developing a fast Atlantic mail service via Halifax.

A message was sent to the British Postmaster-General urging him to test Halifax as a mail port with a steamer of the Mauretania type. It was said that the port possesses "increased facilities for the expeditious handling and transit of mails for practically the whole continent."

Tests of ceramic clay resources in British Columbia are being planned this summer by the B. C. Government. The tests will be made under the auspices of the Department of Education and the Department of Industries. There are many varieties of clays in British Columbia and some are reported to be particularly suited to the manufacture of high class pottery ware.

## "Billie Burke" Dresses!



More of these lovely Summer Dresses have been received. A variety of the most up-to-date colorings and styles in Gingham, Cotton Crepes, Ratines, Normandy Voiles and Willow Suitings, ranging in price from \$3.90 to \$7.90.

### Our July Clearance Sale

so far has been a huge success, but for the early buyer there still remain numerous exceptional values in Summer Goods which must be cleared this month.

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A. E. Sutherland, Publisher.

The new legislation providing that eggs be bought from the producers according to grade and that they also be sold to the consumer according to grade became effective last week. Heretofore this grading law has only been enforced in regard to export and inter-provincial trade, but now domestic trade is affected.

After the first of October next the stamps to be affixed to cheques, receipts and other documents subject to the stamp tax, must be inland Revenue stamps and not postage stamps. This being the case the Government should provide that inland Revenue stamps may be obtained at post offices for the convenience of purchasers. At present the public is under obligation to the banks in the matter of securing inland Revenue stamps.

The next provincial election will be held in Prince Edward Island, where a new Legislature will be returned on July 26. Prince Edward

Island has a population of less than Middlesex, so that the Legislature is only a big county council, but all the dignity, pomp and ceremony of the Mother of Parliaments is maintained.

The average farmer is glad to welcome parties from the town and to tender the use of pasture land through which a stream may flow. He is justified in growing "hard-boiled," however, if careless and indifferent visitors abuse his hospitality by littering up the place, leaving the gate open, breaking down fences and committing other acts of vandalism. The guilty belong to the type which regard the country as common property, stripping fruit trees of blossoms, stealing the ripened fruit and doing anything that apparently does not involve detection.

#### MODEL CENTRE

Miss Clarice Glasgow is holidaying with friends in Dresden and Detroit. Wm. Graham was in London on Saturday.

Clarence Eddie left on Monday to spend a week at a training camp for boys on Lake Huron.

Miss Erna Campbell, of Sarnia, is spending her holidays with her sister at Peterborough's.

Willie Eddie, of Glencoe, is holidaying at the home of his uncle, D. F. Eddie.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spackman, of London, visited at Dan A. Graham's on Sunday.

The pupils of S. S. No. 7, Ekfrid, recently held a surprise party at the home of their teacher, Miss Jessie McAlpine. A social time was spent in music and games. An interesting feature of the gathering was the reading of a kindly worded address by Edna Leitch and the presentation of a silver pie service by Jean Crawford and Isabelle McCallum to Miss McAlpine, who made a suitable reply and thanked the pupils for the kindness shown.

#### GORE

The Gore girls defeated the Cheerio team in a friendly game of soft ball on Friday evening, July 6, score being 32-22.

The Gore soft ball team played the Ekfrid Siding girls on Friday evening, July 13. Score, 40-12, in favor of the Gore team. Line-up for Gore: Mary Sinclair, catcher; Viola Squire, pitcher; Harriett Smith, first base; Lottie Smith, second base; Bessie McEachren, third base; Georgina Smith, first shortstop; Idelpha Johnson, second shortstop; Margaret Gates, left field; Lorna Giles, right field.

#### WOODGREEN

Mr. Stafford and children, of St. Thomas, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Went, Waterworth.

Miss Charlotte Smith, of Glencoe, visited Madeline Waterworth last week.

Fred Whitfield spent a few days in Detroit last week.

Mrs. Mary Waterworth, of Detroit, is visiting at Howard Waterworth's.

Miss Ethel Moore, of Wardsville,

spent Sunday at S. Whitfield's. Miss Margaret Waterworth is visiting in London.

Mrs. A. Stuart is visiting at Andrew Thompson's.

Miss Iva Squire is spending some time near North Glencoe.

Misses Mary Waterworth and Bessie Winger underwent operations for the removal of tonsils and adenoids in London last week.

A number from here attended the tobacco growers' convention in Kingsville last week.

Mrs. Smith and children, of Windsor, are visiting at David Perrin's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scoyne and daughter Helen visited at David Perrin's last week.

Mr. Holson visited at Dresden last week.

Alex. Cameron is spending some time at Aylmer.

#### WINGER'S CORNERS

Sorry to report that Baby Betty Giles is not very well.

Mrs. Frank Fry has a new piano.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Winger left for their home on Sunday, after spending a few days with their mother, Mrs. C. Winger. John and Cameron are staying with their grandmother for the summer.

Miss Bessie Winger, daughter of Joseph Winger, Jr., has recovered nicely after an operation in St. Joseph's Hospital, London, for adenoids and enlarged tonsils.

The Pontiac Daily News, July 10th, says:—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Duffus, New York City, and Mr. and Mrs. James Malloch, Wardsville, Ont., left yesterday to return to their homes after being guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Going. During their sojourn here they attended the Duffus-Hoffman reunion held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hoffman, Wednesday, July 4th.

#### SHIELDS SIDING

Miss Phemie Mitchell, of Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Gordon Hay.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dewar and Mr. and Mrs. M. Purcell, of Aldborough, visited at A. J. Parcell's one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sharpe, Mrs. Johnson and daughter Maxine, of Detroit, were visitors at D. M. Mitchell's recently.

Miss Margaret Gray, of Detroit, spent a few days last week the guest of Miss Monte Anderson.

Miss Mary B. McLachlan is attending summer school at Guelph.

Earl Ferguson has returned to Detroit after spending a week at A. D. Ferguson's.

## Eczema Sufferer Gets Wonderful Relief

Afflicted for three years by eczema and acute internal disorders—Miss Daisy Chessman ascribes wonderful result to Dreco.

Tortured for three years by eczema with the further aggravation of chronic constipation and indigestion was the unfortunate lot of Miss Daisy Chessman, of 104 Edward street, London, Ont. Here is the story of another sufferer who found immediate relief in the innate goodness of Dreco, the famous natural blood purifier and regulator. Miss Chessman says:

"I suffered terribly with eczema for the past three years together with the most obstinate form of constipation. I had awful pains across my back, severe headaches and was often dizzy, with spots before my eyes. Lotions, tonics and medicines gave me no relief until, at my worst run-down condition, I heard of Dreco. Two bottles of this splendid remedy have worked wonders. My eczema is rapidly improving and I have no more headaches, backaches or dizzy spells. My appetite is good. I sleep well and my bowels are very regular. I only hope that everyone who suffers as I did will read this statement and try Dreco at once."

Dreco has given relief in many remarkable cases. Ailments of the stomach, liver, kidneys or bowels, no matter how acute or long standing, yield to the regulating influence of this splendid herb and root remedy.

Dreco is being specially introduced in Glencoe by P. E. Lumley, and is sold by a good druggist everywhere.

#### KILMARTIN

Miss Mary McAlpine, of St. Joseph's Hospital, London, is spending her vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. R. E. McAlpine.

We regret to report that Miss Margaret McIntyre is critically ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Munroe.

Miss Gould, of Strathburn, spent the week-end at the home of Thos. Williams.

Mrs. Gough, of Strathroy, is spending some time at Archie L. Munroe's.

Over \$21,000,000 was spent in construction work in Montreal during the past year.

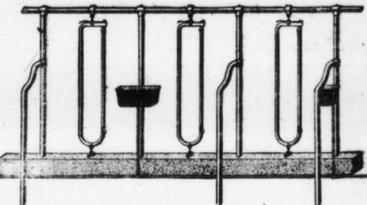


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THERE were 1021 forest fires reported in Ontario last season. The vigilance of the fire rangers kept 53 per cent. of these down to a size not exceeding five acres. But yet the total area burned was over 346,000 acres—equal to a strip of forest one mile wide from Toronto to Cochrane.

Of the total number, only 52 were lightning fires. In other words, out of every 100 fires, 59 fires were due to man's carelessness and were preventable.

Accordingly, the problem of forest protection in Ontario calls for the co-operation of the whole citizenship of the Province. If reasonable care be exercised by everyone in the woods to prevent the start of fire, our forests will be safe. Railway officials, campers, prospectors, lumber firms, settlers, construction firms—all can help by being careful of fire in the woods, and by joining hands with the press, the leaders of public opinion, and the business men of Ontario, in prompting educational propaganda to reduce forest fires.

## Save Ontario's Forests

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Ten sets only Team Lines **for \$4.95**

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Breast Straps and Martingales **for 75c each**

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Secretaries of public school boards are requested to forward to The Transcript for publication the results of promotion examinations held in their schools as soon as the same are available.

The Kincardine Review thinks they might at least stop road building until the crops are in. Farmers cannot get hired help nor can they afford to pay the wages they are getting for roadwork.

Glencoe and Appin Orangemen joined in the big celebration of the Twelfth at Chatham last Thursday. With five and drum and in gay regalia they attracted much attention and more or less admiration.

With the exception of the C. P. R., all the railroads operating in and out of St. Thomas either control their trains by telephone or will be doing so in a month's time. Two new wires have been strung from St. Thomas to Windsor on the west end division of the C. N. R. and Wabash.

Captain G. F. Morris, of the Navy League of Canada, desires to thank those in Glencoe who kindly gave toward the fund for sailors and their dependents. The list may be seen at the post office, and those not called on who wish to contribute may give their donation to the postmaster, W. A. Currie, or to Gordon Dickson, of the Royal Bank.

Don H. Love and Alfred Aldred completed last week the painting of twenty-four road signs, pointing to Glencoe, for the Ontario Motor League, which contributed the boards. These will be placed at intervals along the proposed provincial high-ways connecting link from lake to lake which is being strongly advocated by Southwestern Ontario people.

The marriage took place at Allentown, Pa., on June 22nd, of Angus B. Hull, formerly of Glencoe, to Miss Edna M. Hunsicker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hunsicker, of Allentown. Mr. and Mrs. Hull left on an extended trip to the Thousand Islands, Montreal, Quebec, etc., and will reside at Campbellton, New Brunswick, where Mr. Hull is engaged as an expert advertising manager.

Duncan J. McKellar is making rapid recovery from injuries sustained a few days ago when he fell from the gable door of his barn. The accident occurred in this way: The large shutter hinged at its lower end which fits the opening through which the hay fork works refused to close completely and Mr. McKellar went into the hay mow and walked out on the shutter to release the obstruction, when the rope by which the shutter is opened and closed gave way, and the shutter opened full under Mr. McKellar's weight, allowing him to fall 37 feet to the ground. It was a dangerous chance Mr. McKellar took when he walked out on the shutter and it is a great wonder that he was not killed.

Rev. Dr. Dugald Currie, of Montreal, who has been on a visit to his old home at Crinan for some time, came over to worship with the Glencoe Presbyterians on Sunday evening and was prevailed upon to take the pulpit and address the congregation. Dr. Currie is the minister in charge of the Glencoe church some thirty years ago, and his visit was not only pleasing to himself but to the congregation, many of whom were under his pastorate at that time.

Hugh McTaggart, president of the Moss and Elford Agricultural Society, was seriously hurt on Saturday while assisting with the hay harvest on the adjoining farm of James McTaggart. Flies made the horses which Mr. McTaggart was driving restless, and in a sudden starting up of the team he was thrown violently against a large kettle, breaking four ribs and sustaining other injuries. Dr. McLachlan, who is attending Mr. McTaggart, reports him to be doing as well as can be expected.

J. A. McLachlan and family arrived home on Monday evening after a week's motor trip encircling Lake Erie. They crossed the border at Sarnia and leaving Port Huron passed through Mount Clemens, Detroit, Toledo, Sandusky, Cleveland, Erie and Buffalo, entering Canada again at Niagara Falls, thence through the Niagara fruit belt and home via Hamilton, Brantford, London, etc. The trip is described as a most enjoyable one through a prosperous and picturesque part of country, with ideal weather and good road conditions. At Mount Clemens several of the party enjoyed in turn a fifteen-minute flight in an aeroplane from the Michigan Aviation Camp. The distance covered on the trip was 850 miles.

A car owned by Alf Kirkpatrick and driven by Walter Douglas struck a wagon loaded with gravel driven by Neil Odell at a small bridge on a gully on the Moss-Elford town-line near the Kilmartin church a few days ago. After hitting the wagon and knocking it sideways of the road the car plunged through the railing

### BIBLE THOUGHT

—FOR TODAY—

Bible thoughts memorized, will prove a precious heritage in after years.

SOURCE OF TRUE HELP.—My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth.—Psalm 121.

Born

GILES.—On Saturday, July 14, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest S. Giles, Royal Oak, Mich., a daughter—Dorothy Lea.

LEWIS.—In Medicine Hat, on June 23, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. George F. Lewis, of Jenner, Alberta, a son—Kenneth Nathan.

McALPINE.—On Saturday, July 14, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McAlpine, Glencoe, a son—James Alexander.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Humphries and Stanley and Jesse wish to express their thanks to many friends for kindness shown them during the illness of Mr. Humphries.

### TOWN AND VICINITY

Mr. Payne and Miss Farrell have been engaged to teach the Appin school.

Miss Jean McEachren has been engaged to teach the school in S. S. No. 9, Moss.

Miss Catharine Eddie has been engaged to teach the school in S. S. No. 7, Elfrid.

J. L. Hull shipped eighty head of cattle out of Inwood last week for the Toronto market.

The annual picnic of the Graham clan will be held at Springbank Park on Thursday, July 26.

The date for the opening of the I. O. E. memorial hall has been set for Friday, August 3rd.

Miss Howe, of Lawrence Station, has been engaged to teach the school in Union S. S. No. 17, Moss.

The farm population will keep on dwindling just as long as the city has a monopoly of high wages and high jinks.

Mervin, two-year-old son of James Goldrick lot 6, con. 7, Aetcalfe, was drowned in a pond on the farm Saturday.

Glencoe bowlers who went to the Petrolia tournament Wednesday of last week had a good time and won all but the prizes.

Delaware is scheduled to play at Melbourne and Mount Brydges at Newbury tomorrow in the West Midland Baseball League.

Miss Arlie Parrott has been engaged as stenographer at the Royal Bank, succeeding Miss Lorna Luckham, who has resigned.

The death occurred at her home, lot 4, con. 2, Elfrid, on Monday of Mrs. Ezekiel Neville. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon, London and St. Thomas sections had the heaviest rain of the season on Saturday night and Sunday. There was a good shower at Glencoe Sunday evening.

Alma Watts and Arnold Aldred were winners of the finals in the last tournament of the Glencoe tennis club. Mrs. McPherson and Mr. Patton were second.

### SPECIAL NOTICES

20c trade and 15c cash for eggs, at Mayhew's.

Wedding cake boxes at The Transcript office.

Bigger and better than ever—Appin garden party, August 1st.

House for sale. Apply Mrs. Wm. Ewing, Victoria St., south, Glencoe.

Get your binder twine and fertilizer at W. G. Squire's. Prices right.

Don't miss Lamont's final clearing sale of harness. See ad. for prices.

For sale—2 single-drum foot-lift sulky plows, at your own price.—W. G. Squire.

Select Montmorency cherries arriving daily at W. A. Currie's from the Niagara district.

For sale—square extension table, in light oak; like new. Enquire at Hill's Cash Store.

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

Come and meet your friends at the Appin garden party, afternoon and evening, August 1st.

For sale—young pigs, 3 sows, 12 yearling cattle, cow and calf, Short-horn bull.—Wm. A. McCutcheon, Glencoe.

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III. to IV.—J. C. Copeland 334, Ethel George 361, Edwin Gould 422, Ruby McQuillan 382, Alice Treastan 397.

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I. to II.—Wanita Caldwell 170, Edith Henderson 290, Harold Henderson 158, Marguerite McKee 185, Alfred Sharpe 209.

Jean Welch, Teacher.

### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

—Donnie Treastan is visiting friends in London.

—Dorothy Lunt, of London, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. David Reeves.

—Dr. Mumford and family are holidaying at Chatham and Collingwood.

—Mrs. Keith and daughter are spending the holidays at Muskoka Bay.

—G. C. Squire is home from the West, holidaying in Glencoe and vicinity.

—Miss Etta Delaney of London, spent the week-end with Miss Della Squire.

—Mrs. Charles and daughter Kathleen, of London, are visiting at Dr. McIntyre's.

—E. L. Arnold, of the Royal Bank staff here, is holidaying at his home in St. Thomas.

—Mrs. Sterling, of Rondau, was the guest of her niece, Mrs. Jack McCracken, last week.

—Mrs. Patton and daughter Tressa, of Couits, Alberta, are visiting at the home of A. J. Wright.

—Masters Stanley and John Abbott have returned after spending a week holidaying at St. Thomas.

—Mrs. Roy Lavery and two daughters, of Brantford, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. R. Singleton.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Tait spent the week-end at the home of their son, Thomas Tait, in St. Thomas.

—Mr. and Mrs. John D. Smith left on Monday on an extended trip to the Middle West and Pacific Coast points.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McPherson and children are spending a few days at the "old home week" in Kincardine.

—Mrs. George Richardson, of Detroit, returned home on Tuesday after visiting Mrs. Fred. Aldred for a few days.

—Miss Mary Burchiel, of Glencoe, and Mrs. (Rev.) T. J. Charlton, of London, spent the week-end with Rev. H. K. L. Charlton, Onandaga.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Reyercraft, Mr. and Mrs. Calvert Reyercraft, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Mitchell and Rose Little spent Sunday at New Glasgow.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Mitchell motored from Detroit on Saturday and are spending their vacation with Mrs. D. P. Mitchell, Glencoe, and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Reyercraft, Moss.

—Rev. S. W. and Mrs. Muxworthy, of Dresden, announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Blanche, to John Neil Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Ferguson, of Forest, the marriage to take place in July.

—Misses Addie and Lila Rogers, of London, were guests of the Misses Blackburn for a few days last week. The Misses Rogers are leaving London to reside in Guelph, where Miss Lila has accepted a position in the Homewood Sanitarium.

### CROP RETURNS SHOULD BE INCREASED

On the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa some crop costs and crop profits in 1922 as contrasted with all-Ontario average crop costs and crop profits are given below. The all-Ontario figures are in brackets:

Crop	Cost per acre	Profit per acre
Hay	\$21.13 (\$13.50)	\$11.21 (\$5.09)
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Forage	\$47.50 (\$33.75)	\$10.38 (\$2.86)
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## GOOD MONEY IN GOOD FARMING

### "Let's Get to Work and Pay Off the Mortgage"

NINE years ago Canada's national debt was about one-third of a billion. It is more than two and one-third billions today.

Our debts have greatly increased—our revenues must also go up. The farmer has to bear his share of the increased burden. That means he must increase his revenue.

Complaint has been heard that farmers under present conditions in Canada cannot make farming pay. And yet many thousands of Canadian farmers do make it pay.

#### How Is It Done?

Patient and industrious "carry over" will do wonders, but something more is needed. Too often "patient industry" is coupled with "dull persistence" in poorly thought out methods.

Farmers today more than ever, must plan ahead, as well as "plug along"; indeed they have no option, if they wish to succeed.

Co-ordination of head and hand will mean real success. Farming in Canada has paid and pays now on many farms. It can be made to pay on almost every farm. Canadian agriculture has passed through low profit-making eras successfully in the past and can do so again.

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# Soils and Crops

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**R. H.—Can I use lime as a filler for fertilizer containing nitrogen, phosphoric acid and potash?**  
 Answer—Lime is quite unsuitable for the purpose suggested, for the reason that lime would cause a destruction of the nitrogenous portion of the fertilizer material.

**A. McL.—Will you kindly advise what to do for hens which have large lumps growing between toes inside of which is composed of substance like hard black bone and on the body about size of a walnut floating about under the skin. Have not noticed any mites but hens are constantly looking for dust baths. Would the eggs be O.K. for eating?**

Answer—The symptoms described would indicate trouble of a tumorous nature. Unless the infected fowls are exceedingly valuable, it would be well to destroy them. Definite information regarding the character of the trouble could be secured by sending a specimen of an infected foot as well as the floating lump beneath the skin to the Poultry Division of the Experimental Farm at Ottawa. The specimens should be put up in a strong solution of salt and sent by express, prepaid. The eggs from such fowls should be quite wholesome.

**G. H.—Please print a spray formula for blight on tomatoes.**

Answer—Bordeaux mixture is regarded as an effective spray to prevent blight on tomato plants. It should be applied when the plants are quite young, again soon after the plants are set out in the field, and at such

intervals following as the leaves are noticed to curl. The following is the method of preparation:

Copper sulphate (bluestone) . . . 4 lbs.  
 Unslaked lime . . . . . 4 lbs.  
 Water (1 barrel) . . . . . 40 gals.

When spraying peach and plum foliage which may be injured by an ordinary formula, it is safer to use Bordeaux mixture in the proportion of 1 lb. copper sulphate, 4 lbs. lime to 40 gallons water.

Dissolve the copper sulphate (by suspending it in a wooden or earthen vessel containing 4 or 5 more gallons of water). Slake the lime in another vessel. If the lime, when slaked, is lumpy or granular, it should be strained through coarse sacking or a fine sieve. Pour the copper sulphate solution into a barrel, or it may be dissolved in this in the first place; half fill the barrel with water; dilute the slaked lime to half a barrel of water, and pour into the diluted copper sulphate solution, then stir thoroughly. It is then ready for use.

Never mix concentrated milk of lime and copper solution.  
 A stock solution of copper sulphate and milk of lime may be prepared and kept in separate covered barrels throughout the spraying season. The quantities of copper sulphate, lime and water should be carefully noted. Bordeaux mixture deteriorates with age and should be used as soon as made. To test Bordeaux mixture, let a drop of ferro-cyanide of potassium solution fall into the mixture when ready. If the mixture turns reddish-brown, add more milk of lime until no change takes place.

## Spreading Cheer With a Paintbrush

By Norman Collart and Berton Elliott

Farm homes offer many more opportunities to employ light colors than do city homes. The farm home is not subjected to the action of soot, dirt, smoke and grime, which cause the city home to lose its cleanly appearance, so that color schemes may be employed in painting the country home which are impractical in the city.

Though the farm home is less limited in range of effective color schemes than the home situated in a dusty, smoky neighborhood, there are a few basic principles in the choosing of colors which will be well to remember.

It is fairly safe to say that no color is interesting in itself. Rather a startling statement? No! Any color project requires a favorable setting. An incorrect trim color on your house or a body color that does not harmonize with the surrounding background will cause you to dislike your favorite color. Without shadows nothing could be bright; without proper contrast there is no interest. For example, if you expect a surface to be beautiful or interesting simply because the paint is snow-white, a season's grime will make it very ugly. But if your white seems pure and charming because it is contrasted with a rich trim color, time will soften the contrast but not destroy the interest.

If the house is to be painted in white or ivory, introduce a trim color. This need not mean painting cornice and corner boards in the trim color. Shutters, sash or flower boxes might be just right for your trim effect.

On the other hand, don't feel that you have to paint in some heavy, gloomy shade just to be practical. If your home is subjected to a great deal of road dust, a dust color or a cream gray with a dust color or a moss green. The sash can be done in ivory or black as preferred. The scheme can be reversed, and the dark brown used for the body color if the setting is just right; but don't get the impression that the dark colors do not show dust. In reality dark colors show dust about as much as light colors.

The general effect of a color upon a surface is interesting. Red causes a surface to seem closer at hand, and you will notice, is often used in large theatres to make the stage appear nearer the eye. Blue is usually a retreating color. Green is static. Yellow is expanding. Dark, cold colors are contracting, making objects seem smaller. This explains why houses painted in light, warm colors, such as colonial yellow and buff, are bright, attractive and conspicuous, especially against a bank of foliage. Small houses appear larger, and big houses still larger in light yellow. This expanding effect may be counteracted somewhat by using a dark trim color for corner boards and trim. A white trim is generally expanding.

**PEPPING UP THE INTERIOR.**  
 A tall house seems lower in an upper and lower body effect with light trim. A squat house will seem taller in gray or greens with dark trim. With this type of house also avoid emphasizing any horizontal lines painting them in the body color wherever possible. A home situated in an open exposed plot is best in neutral colors.

Now to the interior of the house. Walls are not for shelter alone. They

are backgrounds. They can be suitable and pleasing backgrounds, or they can be irritating and unhomelike, according to their colors.

Color is so active a thing that it is necessary to study for a moment the influence of different colors upon human nature. When a man comes home from a hard day's work he wants relaxation. But, in addition, he needs the invigorating effect of a cheerful home atmosphere. It is astonishing how much the right color scheme in the living room will "pep" up a fellow after a trying day.

Don't think for a moment that the housewife isn't in need of just the same treatment, but with this added factor: much of her time is spent in the kitchen, laundry and sewing room. There should be well-planned color schemes for these workshops of the home as well as for those spots where quiet relaxation and recreation are sought.

What are good workroom colors? Generally speaking, they are neutral colors primarily, enlivened by a touch of sunshine in the form of cream wall paint or rich ivory curtains.

For the modern kitchen, for instance, there are two combinations which are eminently suitable: One is gray and ivory, using suitable tones of each; the other green and ivory in suitable tones. In all events, keep the woodwork and wall colors simple. A figured wall pattern in working rooms tends to make one nervous and fatigued. Also, enameled woodwork is more soothing in these rooms than where the grain of the wood is seen.

**KITCHEN COLOR COMBINATIONS.**  
 In the first color scheme mentioned—a combination of gray and cream—let the woodwork be in a soft French gray. Put the upper wall and ceiling in cream. Most kitchen walls are divided about four feet up from the floor by a chair rail. For the lower wall use a cream-gray enamel. A most charming effect may be secured by putting the wood-work in two-tone gray—the door and window frames, for instance, in French gray, with the panels, window sash, and the like, in cream gray, or some other combination of the two tones of gray especially adapted to the woodwork design in your home. The walls should be a soft cream or ivory, or possibly on the order of a buff yellow, so they will not soil too easily. A stencil design about an inch and a half wide, in blue or gray, may be placed just above the chair rail, completing the wall and ceiling treatment. The walls may be done with either enamel or flat wall paint in the desired cream color, enamel probably being more suitable for the kitchen, where walls and ceiling are subjected to grease and steam from cooking. Window curtains for this room may be ecreu or white with a dainty blue figure. If linoleum is used, a blue and old-ivory block pattern would be ideal. If the floor is to be painted, one can use a dull terracotta color.

The second color scheme previously mentioned—in soft sea green and ivory—will have very much the same handling as the gray scheme. It will be appreciated that in the kitchen one wants to avoid colors that have too exhilarating or irritating an effect. For this reason too pure white has been avoided as being too glaring.

The living room and dining room

## POULTRY

Sudden deaths in the poultry yard are hard to deal with, since there is absolutely no chance of treatment. If, however, some inkling can be had as to the cause of the death, there is the possibility of preventing further losses in the flock. One of the causes of sudden death in the summer time is heat prostration. This does not always result in sudden death, since some birds will show symptoms of the trouble in time to allow for treatment. In extremely hot weather birds that crouch down on the floor or ground with wings outstretched panting are undoubtedly affected by the heat. In extreme cases they drop insensible or paralyzed. Any birds that give the indications of being affected by heat should be removed immediately to some cool, quiet spot and their heads and legs treated with cold water. Needless to say, the more shade provided in the runs—especially natural shade—the less likelihood of losses from heat prostration.

A very common cause of trouble in warm weather, although it may happen at any season, is poisoning. Pomaine poisoning is the most common type and is caused by the birds eating decayed flesh or impure or moldy feed. In one case last summer several hundred growing pullets were lost because they were fed moldy wheat. Usually the birds die suddenly and in large numbers.

Before they die they show lack of control of their muscles, due to a partial paralysis, as manifested in an unsteady gait, finally resulting in loss of use of the legs entirely and in limber neck.

Usually the reaction to the poison is so quick that treatment is impossible. The cause of the trouble must be located immediately; examine the range or run carefully, looking for carcasses of dead birds or animals. I have known cases of pomaine poisoning to be caused by a dead rat or rabbit under a nest house. Such cases occur most frequently on ranges where the young stock is being reared. A careful examination of the range at least once a week in warm weather will eliminate the possibility of poisoning loss of valuable birds from such a source as this.

**STIPPLED WALLS IN VARIETY.**  
 The only equipment necessary in sponge tipping is a flat wall brush and a sponge. First, give the walls two or three brushings of flat wall paint of the desired color. Two coats will be sufficient for many colors if the walls are in good painting condition. If the walls are not in good condition three coats will be necessary to cover well.

After the plain color coats have been applied you are ready for the stippling. The sponge is now brought into use. In the selection of the sponge, one should be picked out that has an interesting, lacy open-work pattern.

As a rule ceilings should not be stippled, and generally a very light shade of paint in plain color should be used—something just a little off the white, such as ivory or cream.

If desired, two stippling colors may be used, the second one being put on after the first color has been applied over the entire wall.

Following are a few harmonious color schemes:  
 Foundation color, ivory tan; stipple color, cream. Foundation color, sky blue; stipple color, sky blue and white, equal parts. Foundation color, silver gray and cream, equal parts; stipple color, silver gray. Foundation color, pink and cream, equal parts; stipple color, pink, cream and ivory, equal parts. Foundation color, silver gray; first stipple color, sage green; second stipple color, silver gray and ivory, equal parts. Foundation color, silver gray and cream; first stipple color, shell pink, cream and buff stone, equal parts; second stipple color, sky blue and silver gray, equal parts.

A stencil border will add much to the room. It gives a finishing touch that is most pleasing. Suitable stencils for any room are carried by most first-class paint stores. Regular stencil colors in small tubes are also carried. A regular stencil brush should be used for the purpose, the color being applied by holding the brush at right angles to the stencil and pouncing the brush with a vigorous rotary scrubbing motion.

The application of a stencil border is really very simple.  
 Guides are provided, so that the stencil can readily be moved along length after length, joining perfectly, and two-color stencils are provided with guides, so that there is no difficulty in getting a perfect register of color.

The unscreened home swarms with danger of disease.



PRINCE AT A LIVESTOCK SHOW

The Prince of Wales has a keen interest in the welfare of British livestock and frequently visits fairs where prize animals are exhibited. The picture shows him inspecting some prize sheep. Note how well the sheep are trimmed.

## Home Education

"The Child's First School is the Family"—Froebel

### Teaching Your Child Self-Confidence

BY HELEN GREGG GREEN.

"Mummy, look at my airplane. Look, Mummy dear! Look!" begged six-year-old Carroll. "Isn't it just a beauty?"

"Calm yourself, Carroll, your airplane is no better than Micky's. Besides, honey boy, it is nothing to get excited about."

Carroll's happy little face fell, and his eyes lost their sparkle. "Guess it isn't much good, Mummy. But I did think you'd like it." And Carroll and Micky picked up their once-prized airplanes, and shuffled out of the room, as if half ashamed of having shown so much enthusiasm.

"I must kill his egotism," Carroll's mother exclaimed. "He's simply full of it!"

But a mutual friend of Carroll's mother and of mine, a wise, young, forty-year-old grandmother, thought differently: "My dear Zelia, you haven't the right perspective at all. There's a vast difference between egotism and self-confidence. Nothing wrong with a dollar claiming it's worth a hundred cents, is there? The fault would be in claiming anything less for itself. A child will grow and expand because of self-confidence. He will learn to develop qualities and a character that will have to live up to his self-esteem."

Carroll's mother interrupted. "But I think—" "Pardon me, my dear, but I still have the floor," laughed the little

## THE CHILDREN'S HOUR

### THE HUMMING-BIRD'S TRIAL.

BY F. M. RATHBURN.

"Have you all the cob-webs necessary?" asked Mr. Humming-bird anxiously, of his little mate, as he perched on a swaying branch of a red rose bush.

"Yes, dear, you know Mr. Spider who lives on that Syringa bush at the foot of the garden—he has fulfilled my order beautifully and now we have quite enough cob-webs to complete the nest. How about the plant fibres, have you all we need of them?"

"Yes, all," said Mr. Humming-bird excitedly, and he began to dance and hum with joy.

"Won't it be lovely when the nest is made and the little eggs are in? Isn't it a beautiful world, little wife?"

So they set to work in the sweet May sunshine and built their nest and their home with gladness—but mostly the gladness predominated: gladness that she had been able to control herself well, at least once under severe provocation.

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"And these," she said proudly, "are my jewels; of all the birds, these are the fairest, the jewels on the breast of that lovely lady—my garden."

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"The jeweled fairies of the garden," they whispered happily to each other, as they tucked their heads under their wings for the night.

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"What is his best characteristic, Miss Lloyd?" I asked. "What is there about him that appeals to you most?" "It's his self-confidence. His belief in himself," she told me.

"And do you encourage this in all your children?" I was very much interested. "Indeed I do!" she answered. "Too many children get little encouragement at home. Will parents never learn the great difference between egotism and self-confidence?"

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But no—with a great effort she held on tight to herself.

"Good evening, Mrs. Cat-bird," she responded quietly, and flew off as fast as she could before her wonderful self-control deserted her.

Mrs. Cat-bird was so astonished that she almost fell off her twig. Such a courteous retort to her unkind taunt was so unexpected and disconcerting that she actually blushed in discomfort.

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## LIME-HUNTING PLANTS

The little poplar tree has a decided chemotropism. It was hungry for lime, and since it was geographically situated on the border line between a well-limed plot and one that was almost entirely lacking in lime, its roots were nearly unanimously partial to the soil rich in lime.

Dr. P. M. Harmer, of the Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station, discovered this unusual demonstration of how the roots were drawn to lime like iron to a magnet. Usually investigators simply note the appearance of the above-ground portion of plants and do not trouble to dig up the roots to see what they are doing.

At one of the sandy-land substations of the University of Minnesota another remarkable instance of lime hunger was found. This time it was shown by alfalfa. This particular sandy soil is extremely low in lime, but is otherwise well provided with plant food and supports plant growth very well when water is available and lime is added. On the unlimed areas the stand of alfalfa was patchy—a luxuriant bunch here, another one there, and in between not even any little ones. An analysis had shown the sand to be very homogeneous and it was hard to see why there was such irregularity.

So the investigators started excavating to see what the roots were doing. They found that the successful plants were those whose roots had managed to penetrate several feet below the surface and had negotiated a contact with a few chunks of limestone that were found there. If a plant had failed to reach a lime supply before moisture became too scarce it withered up and was seen no more.

If, however, it reached one of these pieces of limestone in time, it gained enough growth impetus to enable it to penetrate still deeper after water, and it showed above ground as a vigorous, well-nourished plant, with no sign of the close margin of safety that it had recently experienced. Thus the few scattered pieces of limestone, five or six feet below the surface, furnished the explanation for the patchy appearance of the crop on the unlimed plot.

Other excavations in an older field of alfalfa showed that the roots of five-year-old plants may penetrate twenty feet into the soil. Since there is always moisture at such depths, it is readily seen why a field of alfalfa always looks green and succulent, even during a drought that withers up the leaves of other crops.

## Feeding Beef Cattle.

The results of a number of experiments in the winter feeding of beef cattle, undertaken in the winter of 1921-22 at the Dominion Experimental Station at Lennoxville, Que., are recorded in the Report of the Superintendent for 1921-22. In the fall of 1921, ninety-two head of beef steers, mostly two-year-old Shorthorn grades, and including some fairly good stockers, were purchased for the purpose.

In a test of light versus heavy stockers for winter fattening, two lots of ten steers were used, one averaging 719 lbs. per steer and the other 882 lbs. per steer. A table presented in the report shows that although the lighter steers cost a cent per pound less when purchased, the extra gains made by the heavier steers, coupled with the extra price realized on account of their superior finish when marketed, enabled them to make a gain of \$1.56 per steer over the lighter lot.

In a test to determine the length of time during which grain should be fed in order to produce the most economical gains in winter fattening, eighteen grade Shorthorn steers were selected in the fall and divided evenly, as nearly as possible, into three lots. They all received forty pounds of ensilage and as much hay as they could eat up clean. After grain feeding was begun, the ensilage ration was gradually reduced. Lots one and two are fed meal from November 15 and January 15 onward, respectively, while the third lot received only ensilage and hay until March 1. The meal mixture was made up of ground elevator screenings two parts and oats and bran one part each. During the last few weeks of feeding, corn meal was used in place of oats. The steers were stabled the first week in November and marketed about the first of May. The same experiment has been carried on for several years and the results so far indicate that the steers in lots one and two made a greater average gain than those in lot three. The latter, however, the Superintendent points out, made their gains largely on cheap home-grown feeds, and therefore, show a greater profit over cost of feed than the other two lots.

An experiment with loose versus tied steers, which has been carried on for four years, shows that, independent of the saving in labor and equipment, dehorned steers, wintered and fattened in large pens, make cheaper and greater gains each year than tied steers.

"The Squarest Kind of a Square Deal—All for One and One for All." Logically, the time to build up a beef herd is when conditions are in a bad way. Then, as these conditions improve, the producer's output increases and he is ready to sell when prices are relatively high.



Victim of Reverses

"Haven't your car any longer? Nothing but reverses since you bought it!" "Haven't missed it by much. The last one took me an embankment, you see."

Buy land that slopes toward the centre, and marry a girl whose mother is good.—Japanese Proverb.

## MARCONI INVENTS NEW RADIO DEVICE

TO REVOLUTIONIZE PRE-  
SENT METHODS.

Wireless Communication to  
be Faster, Cheaper and Long-  
er by Process Recently  
Evolved.

The fact that he has devised a new apparatus to revolutionize present methods in wireless telegraphy has been divulged by Marconi, who just returned to England from an experimental cruise in his yacht, *Electra*, off the West African coast.

"I am convinced," he told a party of M.P.'s in London, "that by means of the new devices which I have been able to test communication by radio will become more efficient, rapid and economical than it is at present."

As it is well known that Marconi is extremely reticent with regard to inventions not as yet completed, this official hint coming as it does to new developments in the wireless made a great impression. Actual details of the invention are not as yet available but it is known that Marconi has succeeded in transmitting messages up to distances of 2,250 miles not only with a very much smaller amount of power energy, but faster and much cheaper than by existing methods.

By his new system he telegraphed from Cape Verde islands, off equatorial Africa, to Marconi House London, with use of less power than an ordinary message from Paris to London. He has found out how to utilize waves that have not been used before.

"By use of the new wave," he said, "we have obtained a clearer communication from small stations than from bigger stations. We were in a region where atmospheric disturbance is bad, and if messages had not been sent through the new experimental plant they would not have been received on the yacht at all."

The famous wireless expert is confident that the invention holds great possibilities for the future of wireless.

"Even now," he said, "it should be possible to transmit over 1,000 miles with power as low as two kilowatts or three to four horsepower, and with a strengthening of signals."

The new receiving apparatus is similar to that in use at present, with only slight modifications, and the special value, apart from cheapening of costs, is the fact that elimination of disturbances is insured from the transmitting end by the employment of a new wave.

### Living on Air.

Perhaps "living on air" will not, in the near future, be so impossible as it sounds.

We are told that the huge nitrate deposits of South America cannot last for an indefinite period, and that the world will soon have to search elsewhere for nitrate with which to fertilize its cornfields.

For years past, chemists and scientists of all countries have been seeking a cheap method of manufacturing "nitrates." It is a well-known fact that the air which surrounds us is mainly composed of oxygen and nitrogen, while a "nitrate" is also a compound containing these two elements. Scientists are seeking a process by means of which these two gases will be separated from the atmosphere and made to combine to form nitrates in large quantities. The method, to be a commercial success, would have to be extremely cheap.

When this comes about, and the world draws its main supply of fertilizers from the atmosphere, we shall be able to say with perfect truth that we are "living on air!"



**Found a Use for Them.**  
Mr. Pester—"Where are my new silk suspenders? I can't find them anywhere!"

His Wife—"You wear your old ones. Can't you see, your new silk suspenders exactly matched my dinner gown and I've made a bodice of them!"

**Strategy.**  
A tramp stopped at a farmhouse one evening and asked for a job in return for a night's lodging and meals. The farmer put him to milking the cows, but a few moments later the tramp reported that the flies were so bad that the cows would not stand still long enough to be milked.

The farmer looked at his watch and replied: "Wait about half an hour, till supper time. The flies will all be in the dining room then and you can milk in peace."

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## Surnames and Their Origin

**O'REILLY**  
Variations—Reilly, Rielly, O'Rielly, Rielly, Ryley, Reyley, O'Rahilly, Ra-hilly, Radley, Ridley, Relie, Raleigh.  
Racial Origin—Irish.  
Source—Given name.

All of the foregoing variations are traceable to an Irish source, though a few of them also may have originated from other sources in some cases. There were several branches of the Clan O'Reilly in Ireland, or, as the Irish spelling has it, "O'Riaghailiagh," for instance, is traced by some to the old French given name of "Relet." There can be little doubt that in some cases Radley is derived from the name of a locality in Staffordshire. There is a place called Ridley in Kent also. In addition there is good evidence that Reilly and Rielly are sometimes but modern developments from the place name of "Reilly" in France, for in the medieval English records it is found in the form "de Rihille."

It is certain, however, that some of the names in the variations mentioned are not always of Irish origin. Raleigh, for instance, is traced by some to the old French given name of "Relet." There can be little doubt that in some cases Radley is derived from the name of a locality in Staffordshire. There is a place called Ridley in Kent also. In addition there is good evidence that Reilly and Rielly are sometimes but modern developments from the place name of "Reilly" in France, for in the medieval English records it is found in the form "de Rihille."

### Curing Dental Diseases by X-Ray.

A lamp of simple construction which can focus violet rays to the merest speck of intense light is being used with effect against pyorrhea germs, which die off under the treatment in millions in little more than four minutes. Pyorrhea is the most prevalent and destructive dental disease.

The device is known as the Fashier tungsten lamp. It is the invention of Mr. F. Forbes, of West Kensington, and is installed in the surgeries of a number of prominent dentists, one of whom is Mr. R. Hodgson, a dental consultant at the Royal Waterloo Hospital.

"I cannot yet state that the lamp can cure pyorrhea in all stages," he told the writer, "but it is certainly the most effective deterrent I know. One patient, aged fifty, was suffering from pyorrhea, and I regarded him as a hopeless case. The patient was anxious to retain his teeth, so I decided to try the lamp.

In two days he returned. The teeth were much firmer, and the gums in an infinitely healthier condition. It has still to be shown whether the treatment can cure advanced pyorrhea, but I think there is no doubt that with accurate technique it can cure the earlier stages of pyorrhea."

The vital parts of the lamp are two short rods of tungsten metal, about the thickness of a lead pencil, and a quartz lens. Electric current is conveyed to the rods, and the violet rays are collected and concentrated. They are focused on the part to be treated until the sphere of light becomes a mere speck.

**A Common Experience.**  
"It is a fact," said Stittler, "that my wife is able to dress on comparatively little money."

"What?" exclaimed Bittler, also a married man. "Come now! What do you mean by comparatively little?"

"I mean on little," compared with what she thinks she ought to have."

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**GEDDES**  
Variation—Getty, Geddeon.  
Racial Origin—English.  
Source—Given name.

Here is a group of family names which belong to that primary classification of those derived from given names. The origin, however, is not obvious for two reasons. In the first place, the given name from which they are derived is no longer a common one, though it was quite popular in the middle ages. In the second place, a considerable change in spelling has helped to conceal the source. The given name is Gideon.

Course, of course, was regarded as the prime virtue in the rather tumultuous period in which family names began to form, and it was quite logical that those given names in the Old Testament which were associated with this virtue became very popular in England, as elsewhere.

The formation of these family names was not at first a conscious process. A man would be referred to as "Ralph, Gideon's son" to distinguish him from other Ralphs in the community. Perhaps his son would be known as "Gideon," Ralph's son, while the third generation would develop another "Ralph, Gideon's son," perhaps in this generation to lose its purely descriptive meaning and be adopted as a regular family to be passed on to succeeding generations.

Natural changes of spelling are responsible for the variations of to-day, the forms Geddes and Getty being abbreviations.



**Only the Tin Lizzie**  
Farmer's Wife—"Zeke, was that th' tin-peddler wot stopped in front of th' house jist then?"  
Farmer—"Naw—one o' them danged Fordes!"

We may not fill pulpits, but each of us lives some kind of sermon every day.



### IN THE GOOD OLD SUMMER TIME

Willie Bee's idea of a honeymoon.  
Minard's Liniment, for sale everywhere  
Strange Coincidence.  
"Now, Tommy," said the teacher, "give me an example of a coincidence."  
"Why—er," said Tommy, with some hesitation, "why—er—why, me father and me mother was both married on the same day."  
The wrong road never brings you to the right place.  
Be Safe!  
Don't wait for someone to be in pain to get Kendall's Spavin Treatment in the house.  
For all external hurts and pains Kendall's Spavin Treatment makes good.  
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### Real Slavery.

Civilized people often call themselves "slaves," but they have no conception of what real slavery is. They probably imagine, also, that slavery in the old sense is wiped out. It is not. Britain at this moment is trying to put down slavery on the Okavango River, in South-West Africa, and the chiefs have been notified that she does not tolerate their system.

More than half the people in this primitive district are slaves. The proportion is kept up by the fact that the children of all slaves are slaves themselves, having no chance of release. Every kral owner, chief, and headman has his slaves, who may legally be beaten if they rebel, and who spend their lives without any vestige of independence.

They are each temporarily allotted a field but part of the produce has to be given to their masters, who, of course have full command of all their services. When the slaves die, the field, and anything else they may possess, goes not to their children, but to their masters.

You may buy a slave on the Okavango River, the currency for the purpose being cattle.

### Golden Words.

Huge sums of money have been paid in recent years for the memoirs of certain celebrated people. But this is not an innovation in the literary world.

Winston Churchill was reported to get \$40,000 down for the life of his father, Lord Randolph Churchill, and Lord Morley got a cheque for \$50,000 for his "Life of Gladstone." Rudyard Kipling has often been paid as much as a quarter a word for a short story. It is said that Hall Caine parted with the rights of "The Christian" for \$45,500, and it is certain that Marie Corelli has got at least as much for a novel.

Lord Macaulay got \$100,000 for his colossal "History of England," the demand for which was so great that the vases carrying it from the publishing office bloved the street. Lamartine got \$200,000 also for his history. Victor Hugo \$80,000 for "Les Misérables," and Daudet cracked the record with \$200,000 for "Sapho."

Even poets have made money. Tom Moore asked and got \$40,000 for "Lalla Rookh" and Tennyson for many years made \$20,000 a year.

### SUMMER COMPLAINTS KILL LITTLE ONES

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**What the Little Eels Missed.**  
A profiteer bought a luxurious country home and set about making it even more luxurious. Money of course was no object. One of his plans was to have a fishpond containing eels.  
"But you can't keep eels in a pond," suggested his neighbor, to whom he had confided his idea. They have to go down to the sea every year, you know.  
"Well, I won't have 'em, then!" exclaimed the profiteer. "I always takes the missus and the kids every year, but I ain't going to take no eels."  
Her intuition.  
He, savagely attempting to start car!—"This self-starter won't work! There is a short circuit somewhere."  
She (sweetly)—"Well, why don't you lengthen it, dear?"  
If you are doing good work, don't worry; somebody will find it out.

### WEAK DIGESTION DUE TO POOR BLOOD

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You can get these Pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**Mysteries of Magnetism.**  
We know that a magnet attracts iron, but no one knows the reason. Ancient writers spoke of a mysterious "stone" possessing, among other remarkable properties, the power to "draw to it the all-conquering iron." A common superstition at one time was that magnetic mountains caused ships to fall to pieces by drawing from them their iron nails.

Large quantities of lodestone, or magnetite are found in all parts of the world. A rod of this substance pointed at each end and suspended will set itself to a north and south position. The Chinese discovered this fact and invented the compass. They used it for land journeys only, and were guided by the south point of the needle. As early as the seventh century the Japanese mounted compasses on wheeled vehicles, which they called "south-pointing carts."

Ordinary iron rubbed with magnetite will acquire magnetism and will pick up a needle. Steel through which an electric current has passed will also become magnetized. Bars of steel are formed into the familiar horseshoe shape in order to hold the magnetism better.

During the war an American officer made an enormous horseshoe magnet from two big cannon and some steel rails. It was suggested that it might be used to influence the compasses of enemy ships venturing near the coast, but the idea was not adopted.



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### Tongue-Twisters.

There are some twisters which it is quite impossible for the tongue to repeat rapidly without a fall, such as:

"Give Jim Gibes' git git wisp."  
"Three six tick tickle sticks thrust straight through the throbbing thrushes."

"A skunk jumped over a stump into a skunk hole."  
"What sort of a noise annoys an oyster? A noisy noise annoys an oyster."

"The old gold would sold a school coal-scuttle."  
"When a twister a-twisting will twist him a twist,  
For twisting of his twist he three times doth untwist;  
But, if one of the twines of the twist do untwist,  
The twine that untwisteth, untwisteth the twine,  
In twisting the twine that untwisteth between,  
He twirls with his twister the two in a twine;  
Then twice having twisted the twines of the twine,  
He twirls the twine he had twined in two, and I twister before in the twine,  
As twines were untwisted he now doth untwine;  
Twist the twain intertwisting a twine more between  
He, twirling his twister, makes a twist of the twine."

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.  
Couldn't Swindle Her.

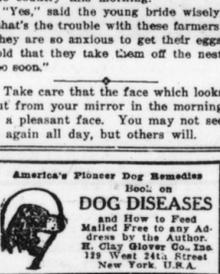
Young Mrs. Newlywed must not shoooping determined that the grocer should not take advantage of her youth and inexperience.

"These eggs are dreadfully small," she said critically as the shopkeeper served her.

"I know, madam," he answered. "But that's the kind the farmer brings me. They are only just in fresh from the country this morning."

"Yes," said the young bride wisely, "that's the trouble with these farmers. They are so anxious to get their eggs sold that they take them off the nest too soon."

Take care that the face which looks out from your mirror in the morning is a pleasant face. You may not see it again all day, but others will.



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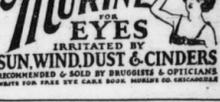
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"When you clean the parlor, Mary, be very careful of this beautiful rug. It is very old."

"I can see it is ma'am," replied the maid sympathetically, "but I dare say we can make it last you the winter if we're careful."



### MURINE FOR EYES

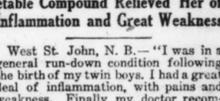
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# JULY!

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Where can we find sure protection from temptation?—1 Cor. 10: 12, 13.

#### NEWBURY

Mrs. McCabe and two children, of London, visited Mrs. Sarah Yates last week.

George Harcourt, of Windsor, spent the week-end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Kraft, daughter Madeline and son Carl spent the week-end with Mrs. S. Fenell and daughters at their cottage at Rondeau.

Rev. C. D. Parquharson will preach his farewell sermon in Knox church on Sunday next. He will have with him the month of August at their cottage on Lake Huron, near Kincardine, and leaves for his new charge at Windsor September 1st.

The Women's Institute will meet this (Thursday) afternoon at the home of Mrs. Matt. Armstrong.

Misses Annie E. Connelly and Beatrice Kake, of Detroit, are spending their vacation at the home of the former.

Born—on July 9, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Alfred Logan, a daughter—Mabel. A game of baseball played here on Saturday afternoon between Inwood and Newbury resulted in a victory for the home team. Score, 10-8.

Mrs. Cherrington and niece, Oona Jeffery, and Mrs. Fred Jeffery of Shetland, left on Saturday to visit relatives at Detroit.

J. H. Bayne and family, of Detroit, who have been on a motor trip east, spent the week-end in town. On Sunday Miss Jean Bayne sang solos in Christ church in the morning and in Knox church in the afternoon. Miss Bayne has a full, sweet voice, splendidly trained, and her singing was a real pleasure to listen to.

The annual meeting of the Women's Guild was held in Christ church on Thursday afternoon. Rev. R. J. Murphy was present and assisted with the opening exercises. The financial report showed a good balance of cash on hand. The following officers were elected:—President, Mrs. J. P. McVicar; vice-president, Mrs. D. J. Batsner; secretary, Mrs. Sandy Armstrong; treasurer, Mrs. W. O. Kraft. It was decided to have a sale of homemade baking the first Saturday in each month, the first one to be held July 28th at the home of Mrs. Margaret Crim.

Mrs. Eddie Hostie and three children, of Detroit, are visiting her father, B. F. Jeffery.

Miss Thelma Prangley, of Cairo, is visiting at J. Gurnea's.

Misses Nellie and Winnie Archer and Lydia Fenell motored to Detroit on Sunday for a short visit.

Walter Dobbey and daughter and niece, of Wheatley, spent the week-end with her father, G. D. Dobbey.

D. J. Batsner left on Monday for a trip to Des Moines, Iowa.

Jack Barr, of Detroit, is visiting his uncle, Tom Barr.

Richard Shoemaker won the prize of \$5 given by Mrs. C. W. Vanduzer to the one in her entrance class making the highest marks.

#### WARDSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mimna, of Montreal, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mimna.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Thornton and Velda, Miss Edna Stutt and Albert Stutt, all of Teeswater, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Weer. Jack Walker spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Agnes O'Malley is home from a short visit in Toronto.

Mark Randles, of Brooklyn, is visiting his brother, Will Randles.

Miss Helen Wall, of Detroit, is visiting at Mrs. Bert Miller's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McNeil and Alex. of Sarnia, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Schram and Mrs. J. Montgomery, of Cambridge, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Weer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McIntyre and Gordon spent Sunday in Florence.

Donald McRae, of Windsor, was home over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Fauds and Miss Sheppard are leaving for a visit with relatives in Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Scarborough and baby son, of Ilderton, spent Sunday with Mrs. King.

Will Purdy visited friends in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe, of Bad Axe, are visiting Geo. Wilson, who is ill.

A message has been received here that Miss Jean Campbell passed away on Saturday. She was twelve years of age and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Campbell, formerly of this place.

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#### NORTH EKFRID

A number from here attended the lawsuit in Strathroy Wednesday afternoon of last week concerning Joe Howe's barn that was burned some time ago. Dave Howe's hired man was arrested on suspicion but nothing was proved against him and the case was thrown out of court.

There was quite an excitement on the corners last Wednesday morning when Thomas Irwin's horse ran away with the milk cans and threw Mr. Irwin out of the wagon. Fortunately he was not seriously hurt.

The Girls' Mission Band met at the home of Miss Lila Roemmele last Wednesday afternoon. A good crowd was present. The afternoon was spent in quilting. Tea was served.

The Ladies' Aid met at Mrs. Russell Roemmele's Thursday afternoon, with fifteen ladies present. The afternoon was spent in a social talk, and lunch was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Conlin, of Rosetown, Sask., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Roemmele and Mr. and Mrs. Casper Ramey.

Miss Elwyn Harrison, of Kincardine, spent a few days with Miss Lizzie Down.

Mrs. Will Clarke and son, of London, are spending their holidays in this vicinity.

A game of baseball was played here Saturday evening between the home team and Apple, resulting in a score of 13-3 in favor of the home team.

A sad accident happened on Saturday when the two-year-old child of James Goldrick, Metcalfe, wandered from the house and fell into a pond and was drowned.

Wm. Nichols, sr., of Windsor, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Charles Roemmele.

Mrs. Charles Mills has been visiting relatives in Chatham.

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#### MELBOURNE

James Cavan died at his home here on Monday afternoon at 4.30. He was 64 years of age and was born in the township of Caradoc, where he followed the occupation of farming for a number of years. Six years ago he sold his farm and came to this village, being engaged in the draying business. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Wright, of Napier. He also leaves six sisters and one brother—Mrs. Robinson, of Melbourne; Mrs. Harrison; Mrs. Jas. Pratt, of Inwood; Mrs. Wm. Pratt, of London; Mrs. Wm. Kellestine, of London; Mrs. Wm. Small, of Strathroy, and Charles Cavan, a Caradoc farmer.

Riverside Presbyterians are holding anniversary services on Sunday, July 29, when Rev. G. W. Oliver, of Melbourne, will take charge. There will be no service in Melbourne Presbyterian church that Sunday.

On the following Monday evening a garden party will be held, when the Stormers family, of London, will put on the entire program.

Neil Campbell was taken suddenly ill Tuesday morning, and although his condition has somewhat improved he is not yet out of danger.

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### Summer Foods

For Home or Picnic

- Oranges, 60c doz.
- Lemons, 50c doz.
- Grape Juice and Orangeade
- Salmon, 15c up
- Sardines, Herring and Haddie
- Pickles, bulk, 30c pint
- Olives and Catsup
- Jelly Powders
- Chocolates and Chocolate Bars

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#### EKFRID STATION

The July meeting of the Eureka Club was held at the home of Miss Minnie McLean on July 6th, with the usual attendance and some visitors. The meeting opened with "The Maple Leaf," after which business was discussed at some length. The program for the afternoon was then given, as follows: Recitation, Miss Annie Switzer; instrumental, Miss Jeanne Hull; community singing by the club; paper on "Danger of luxury in modern living," by Mrs. Alfred Skinner; solos by Miss Hazel West. Miss Margaret Campbell read an address to Mr. and Mrs. Murray McCallum, while Miss Vera Black presented Mrs. McCallum with a berry spoon and cut glass flower basket, on occasion of their recent marriage. The members are all requested to bring any miscellaneous articles to the next meeting for the bazaar to be held in the fall. The flower girls assisted the hostess and assisting hostesses, Mrs. Dave McCoy, Miss Minnie McLean and Mrs. D. Patterson, in serving lunch. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Congdon. The assisting hostesses' basket picnic will be on August 2, when the afternoon will be spent in games.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Switzer and Mrs. Catherine Switzer spent Sunday in Thamesville.

H. D. Galbraith and family, of Drumbo, who have been spending the holidays with relatives here, returned home on Monday last.

Miss Frances Wrfm, of Windsor, is spending the holidays at her home here.

Mrs. Graham and grandson, Harold Pierce, of Detroit, are visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. McLean.

The young girls of Ekfrid have organized a soft ball team. They played a game with No. 5 last Friday evening, the latter winning the game.

While raking hay in a field near the railroad track last week Will Switzer's horse became frightened of a passing train and ran away, throwing Mr. Switzer clear of the rake. We are glad to report that he was not seriously hurt, but he will be laid up for a few weeks.

Mrs. Bernie Galbraith entertained about twenty girls, including those of her Sunday School class, last Saturday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in playing tennis. After a dainty supper had been served by the hostess, a fast game of soft ball was played, which was much enjoyed.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. Harold Smith is improving after her recent illness.

#### MOSA

The first meeting of the No. 9 W. I. for the new year was held at the home of Mrs. James Brown on June 28. There were present 23 members and 8 visitors. Collection, \$3.45.

Mrs. Frank Abbott was elected district director for the ensuing year. It was unanimously decided to give Miss Sara McLaughlin a five-dollar gold piece for her faithful services as secretary for the past two years. An instrumental was given by Miss Alma Henderson, and a duet by Misses Burke and McLaughlin. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess, W. C. Hoon, of Butler, Pa., was a visitor at M. C. McLean's on Sunday last.

Mrs. M. C. McLean and Miss Belle McIntyre visited at A. L. Munroe's, Kilmartin, last week.

Mrs. C. Dodgson, of Alvinston, is spending a few weeks with Mrs. M. C. McLean.

A. N. McLean and bride arrived home from their honeymoon on Friday last.

Miss Lizzie McDonald of Euphemia, visited her grandmother last week.

Miss Jean Barron spent a few days with Mrs. Mary McLean last week.

Worms sap the strength and undermine the vitality of children. Strengthen them by using Mother Graves' Worm Extirminator to drive out the parasites.

#### CAMERON

Nath. White, of Forest, visited at Alfred Morrison's on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Haldon and little son returned to their home in Windsor on Thursday last after a ten days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Plamier, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Plamier, of Detroit.

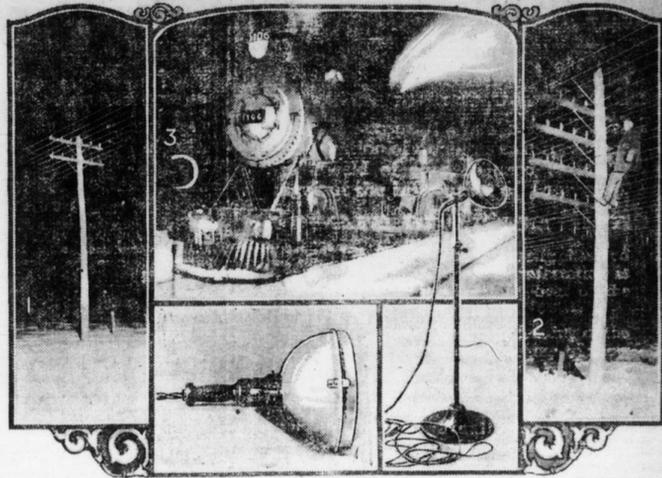
Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Clements and baby Kathleen spent Sunday at Dave McDonald's.

Mrs. Will Young, of Wilkesport, has returned home after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McVicar.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leitch and Mrs. Nell Leitch and Ward spent Sunday at F. Baker's, Rodney.

Miss Augusta Burford is visiting Miss Marguerite McCallum. Glad to say that Jean Gage, who has been ill for some time, is improving nicely. Quite a number from this vicinity attended Kilmartin social, and report a good time.

## New Lamp Facilitates Night Work



IN the past interruptions to telegraph service caused by damage to outside wires could only, in the majority of cases, be rectified by daylight, when the damaged section could easily be located. There is no doubt this was a disadvantage which delayed the recovery of interrupted services. Where the trouble may have been anywhere along the line between points some 20 to 100 miles apart it was not possible to take care of the interruption especially at night. To overcome the disadvantage due to night interruptions to its wires, the Canadian Pacific Railway Telegraph System provided a special electric light and all the linemen on the System were equipped with it, enabling them to successfully take care of interruptions and do their work at night as well as by day. The special light is provided with its power from the locomotive dynamo turbines with which all Canadian Pacific locomotives are equipped. The special light in itself is of simple construction, the power is derived from the dynamo turbine from the locomotive which provides electricity for the illumination of the headlights and cab lights. A headlight globe is used and an especially designed reflector throws a beam sufficiently strong to allow working operations at a distance of 600 feet. The conducting wire attached to a socket in the cab of the locomotive is of sufficient strength to enable the operator to work any place within two car lengths of the locomotive. There is also a semi-permanent stand to which the lamp can be attached for the convenience of men working at night on bridges or, in fact anywhere that requires a steady flow of light. The lamp can also be interchanged of globes be used where there is a domestic current, but not with such good effect. As there is so much that can affect the Telegraph System, such as fire, aurora, lightning, snow, wind and rain, the advantage of being able to locate the source of trouble cannot be overestimated and time and time again, when the lines have been seriously damaged during the night, it has been found that the electric hand lamp, which is now used throughout the System, has been of great benefit. During the past winter when the service experienced a considerable number of interruptions the lamp was often used during snow and sleet storms and not in one instance is it known of its having failed to meet all services put upon it. There is no doubt that the perfection of this lamp has been a decided, progressive step in telegraph maintenance at night.

#### CAIRO

A. Catton and family were Port Lambton visitors on Sunday. Gordon Smith, of Windsor, spent the week-end with his mother.

John Wehlans, of Windsor, was visiting friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Will Bail has returned to her home in Strathroy after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Agnes Smith.

Newman Hayward, of Detroit, called on friends here on Friday. Jean McKeown is spending her holidays in Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rush, of Bothwell, spent Sunday with the former's parents.

#### APPIN

Mrs. H. H. Rankin has field corn eight feet ten inches high. Who can beat it?

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. R. Webster on Thursday, July 26. The district president, Mrs. DeGex, of Kerwood, will address the meeting. All the ladies and their friends will be welcome.

#### SHETLAND

The Adult Bible Class of Shetland Methodist church motored to Bright's grove and held a picnic last Thursday. All report a good time.

Russell Gray, of Detroit, is visiting at his home here.

Mrs. Fred Jeffery is visiting with friends in Detroit this week. Miss Mildred Bolton, of Inwood, spent Sunday with her parents.

Hard and soft corns both yield to Holloway's Corn Remover, which is entirely safe to use and certain and satisfactory in its action.

#### CRINAN

Mrs. J. R. Johnson is visiting at D. McIntyre's.

Mrs. Chris. McRae and family, of London, were recent visitors at D. C. McRae's.

Misses Nellie Campbell and Edna Burrows are holidaying in Manitoba and Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McRae and family, of Detroit, visited at D. C. McRae's.

Miss Margaret Walker is in a London hospital. Mac. McAlpine is in Toronto taking treatment.

Cause of Asthma. No one can say with certainty exactly what causes the establishing of asthmatic conditions. Dust from the street, from flowers, from grain and various other irritants may set up a trouble impossible to eradicate except through a sure preparation such as Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. Uncertainty may exist as to cause, but there can be no uncertainty regarding a remedy which has freed a generation of asthmatic victims from this scourge of the bronchial tubes. It is sold everywhere.



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