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LOCAL G. T. R. TIME TABLE

Morning Train, southbound	7.17
Mail Train, northbound	11.09
Afternoon Train, southbound	3.35
Night Train, northbound	8.54

Property For Sale.

J. F. Schuett is offering his fine brick carriage shop on Peter Street and a building lot facing on Elora Street, for sale at a bargain.

NEWS of the WEEK

Items of Interest to Everybody.

Read Weiler Bros. adv. this week for a few special prices.

Mr. Wm. Schoenau of California is a guest at the Elora Hotel this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Riehl of Lisbon spent the past week with relatives here.

A farmer has a stock of Steinmiller's flour on hand to trade for wheat or other grain or sell for cash.

Mr. George Weiler of the Special Forces Corps, London, is visiting at his home here.

Misses Mary Cook and Adeline Selwood visited at the former's home here on Sunday.

Miss Madeline O'Brein of Stratford will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. O'Brein this week.

Mr. C. B. Kramer returned to Toronto on Monday after spending the past two weeks on sick leave at his home here.

Miss J. J. Allan, eyesight specialist, will be at the Commercial hotel here on Wednesday, Nov. 1st.

Mr. W. E. O'Brein and daughter, Miss Hazel, are spending a few days this week at Toronto.

Farmers wanting oil cake meal, fine ground, pea size, or coarse, price advanced, now \$44.00 per ton f.o.b. at Baden. Apply to Geo. B. Armstrong.

Mr. A. F. Oliver of Buffalo arrived here on Saturday to visit his brother-in-law, Mr. J. S. Milne, who is critically ill.

The Red Cross will hold their meetings for their winter months over J. F. Schuett's store. The next meeting will be held on Nov. 8th.

Mr. Albert Handt of Richdale, Alta., came home last week. He has been ill for some time and is now under the doctor's care.

Carrick tax collectors will be called upon to collect about \$33,000 in taxes from the ratepayers of this township this year. This amount exceeds last year's figures by about \$600.

The G. T. R. has a number of men employed this week cutting down the hill just north of the depot and leveling off the land to make more room for farming. It is also making a big change in the appearance of the property.

Mrs. Walter Jasper, of Carrick, announces the engagement of their daughter, Estelle L., to Mr. Ernie D. Bonnell, druggist of Owen Sound, formerly of Walkerton, the wedding to take place early in November.

Judge Klein, senior judge of the County of Bruce, left yesterday to take a course of treatment at the Ann Arbor sanitarium. The judge is suffering from a nervous break down due to over work. His many friends hope he may soon return fully restored to health.

Rev. L. Halfyard of Victoria College, Toronto, will preach in the Methodist Church here, morning and evening on Sunday, Oct. 29th. Subject for morning, "Biography of a Successful Life," and evening, "Christ's Letter to Laodicea." A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mrs. Wm. Trench of Howick, passed away on Sunday last after an illness with typhoid fever. Her husband, who formerly resided on the 4th concession of Carrick, is in the West, helping to harvest his brother Robert's crop. He ceased as a sister to Mr. W. W. wish of Howick.

The nut crop like most everything this season has proven a failure. Walnut, walnut and beech trees have yielded whatever on them in the shape of nuts this year. The old adage has it that there are no nuts for a sure sign of an open winter. It would however advise the provider not to neglect the

Mr. P. S. Schwartz of Hespeler visited relatives in Carrick this week.

Mr. Edward Godfrey of Detroit is visiting at his home here.

Pte. M. A. Matthews of Clifford was listed as wounded in Tuesday's papers.

Miss Lizzie Schmidt left yesterday for Toronto, where she has secured a position.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Liesemer Sundayed with the latter's parents in Clifford.

Do not forget the date of the Red Cross Entertainment in the town hall on Nov. 9th.

Dr. J. A. Wilson was laid up for a few days this week through illness, but is nearly well again.

Highest prices paid in cash for Eggs, Butter, Poultry, live & dressed, Onions, Potatoes, Beans, etc. at Weiler Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wright were at Walkerton on Tuesday afternoon attending the funeral of the late K. M. Taylor.

If your eyes are failing consult Miss J. J. Allan, who will be at the Commercial Hotel on Wednesday next, Nov. 1st.

Weiler Bros., threshers, have secured a clover mill, and will be prepared to thresh clover or timothy on and after Nov. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. George Reinhart visited their old neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. John Haikes, at Listowel, for a few days last week.

Mr. John Hinsperger sr., has rented Chas. Schwartz's house on Church street and has moved into it on Wednesday.

Dr. L. Doering is putting another storey on his dental office on Elora street, which will greatly enhance the appearance of the building.

Mrs. Harry Lippert of Midland is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anth. Berberich, for a few weeks.

Mr. Henry Ruetz is laid up at present with a paralytic stroke. His condition was at first considered serious but we are pleased to report that he is recovering nicely.

Mr. C. M. Bowman, M. P. P., for North Bruce, sent a cheque for \$500 to the 160th Battalion to purchase comforts for the soldiers on the trip across the Atlantic.

Hon. W. M. Martin, the new premier of Saskatchewan, was formerly teacher in the Harristown High School, and many of the original Star football club players will remember Mr. Martin having played here about sixteen years ago.

Now that the season for dressed poultry is here, it would be well for market-ers to remember that their own interests are best served by dry plucking the fowl. Scalded birds may be easier to dress but the price for them is very poor.

These are hard times. We throw away the ashes and buy soap. We raise dogs and buy hogs. We grow weeds and buy vegetables. We catch fish with a \$4 rod. And at last we send our boys with a \$40 gun and a \$18 dog to hunt 10 cent game.

Miss Clara Schwartz of Deemerton underwent an operation last Thursday at the Walkerton hospital for the removal of an obstruction of the bowels. The operation was successfully performed, but Miss Schwartz was in a very critical condition for a few days. We are glad to learn that good hopes are now held out for her recovery.

Mr. Wm. Allen, freed from the service of his country by the new Prohibition Act, has entered a higher service and will supply the pulpits of the Presbyterian congregations of Aytton and Mildmay for the winter months at least. He has, it will be remembered, had experience of this work before and was quite successful.—Mt. Forest Rep.

Don't fail to hear Miss Lottie Tillotson in the town hall here on Thursday evening, Nov. 9th, under the auspices of the Red Cross Society. Miss Tillotson will describe the beautiful Hawaiian scenery and also sing the wonderful tunes and melodies of that country, dressed in her native costume. This entertainment should be a source of real enjoyment to the people of this locality. Proceeds for patriotic work.

The tenth annual meeting of the Mildmay Beef Ring was held at the Railway Hotel last Thursday evening to wind up the season's business, and the following officers were elected: Pres. Anthony Schneider; Sec. Treas. Simon Breig; Inspectors - Joseph Hotton, B. Walter and S. F. Herringer. Butcher and book-keeper, S. F. Herringer. The heaviest beef was furnished by Stephan Bros which dressed 607 lbs. There are 16 members again for 1917.

Carrick Council will meet on Monday, November 6th.

The price of hogs here this week was \$10.50 per cwt.

Mr. Wm. Plantz of Hanover visited at John Hamel's on Sunday.

Forty Hours' Devotion Services will be held in the Sacred Heart Church commencing on Friday of this week.

Those who subscribed to the British Red Cross Fund, are asked to remit to the Bank this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamel and family attended the Widmeyer-Ermel wedding at Walkerton yesterday.

Mr. A. McCormack of Paisley, a prominent stock dealer, was in town yesterday on business.

Don't ruin your health by sleeping on that old mattress. Call on J. F. Schuett and secure some of those Sanitary Felt Mattresses.

Mrs. L. A. Harris and son, Edward, returned home on Tuesday evening from a three months visit at Campville.

Henry Schultheis, who spent the last six weeks in Saskatchewan, is on his way home and expects to open his blacksmith shop on Friday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Hossfeld enjoyed a Sunday visit from the former's sister, Miss Katie Hossfeld of near Mildmay. This has been the first time in eight years that Miss Hossfeld has been able to call on her friends owing to ill health. She was accompanied by Mr. Eidt, Miss Eidt, Mr. Adam Hossfeld and Miss Hossfeld.—Telescope.

Stephen Weber of Carrick returned last week from the West, where he spent the last three months. He passed through Regina on Oct. 6th, where there was two feet of snow on the ground, and at Saskatoon, Edmonton and Calgary he found the same amount of snow, and the weather very cold. The snow left a few days later when the weather got milder.

The Howick and Carrick Fresh Meat Union held their annual meeting in No. 1 schoolhouse, Howick, on Friday evening, Oct. 13th. The quality of meat used in this ring is A1, the average dressed weight per head being 456 9-16 lbs. this year. The officers were elected for 1917 as follows: A. Jaskins, Pres.; T. Inglis, Sec.; W. Kenwick, Treas.; J. Scott Inglis and F. Dustow, Inspectors; Jos. Vogan, Butcher. The old shareholders all drew tickets, with a number of others wanting to get in.

Grain Market. Wheat \$1.60 standard; Peas \$1.75 to \$2.00; Oats 55c.; Barley 75c.

Furniture Sale. J. F. Schuett is offering special bargains on Furniture, Beds, Springs and Mattresses during the next 30 days.

Milk Prices Raise. Jacob Becker informs his patrons that owing to the extremely high price and scarcity of fodder, he is compelled to raise the price of milk to 8 cents a quart on and after Nov. 1st.

Dwelling to Rent. Chas. Titmus wishes to lease or sell his residence comprised of lot 7 on the south side of Absalom street, west of Mildmay depot. Splendid brick house and choice location. Enquire at this office for particulars.

For Sale or Rent. Part Lot 24, Con. 4, and part Lot 25, Con. 5, containing together 26 acres. On premises are a good bank barn, comfortable frame house, and orchard. Will be sold or rented on reasonable terms. Apply at this office.

Married at Detroit. The marriage of Mr. Melvin N. Gowdy second son of Mr. I. Gowdy of Mildmay, took place on October 6th, to Miss Lulu Kreutziger of Detroit. The bride, who is a trained nurse, is well and favorably known here, having resided for a time at Aytton. The young couple will reside in Detroit, where Mr. Gowdy has a lucrative situation.

Suit Against Counties. A few weeks ago an accident occurred in Culross by a tree falling across the road, and damaging an automobile and injuring its occupants. The owner of the car, who resides in Normanby is bringing an action against the Counties of Bruce and Huron on the ground that the tree stood on the road allowance. The accident took place on the Turnberry and Culross townline, and the action is brought against both Counties, the plaintiffs claiming that this road was assumed by the two Counties named. A committee composed of Reeves Filsinger of Carrick, Phelan of Greenock and Ferguson of Teeswater viewed the scene of the accident yesterday, and will bring in their report to the County Council.

For Sale. Water Power Saw and Chopping Mill. Apply Mildmay Electric Light Co.

Auction Sale. The household furniture of the late Julius Noll of Formosa will be sold by public auction on Thursday, Nov. 2nd. The residence and property will also be offered at the same time.

Mildmay Cider Mill. We make cider and apple butter every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Do not let your apples go to waste. Bring them to our factory and we will guarantee you first class goods Herrgott Bros.

Gunner Hinsperger Recovering. A card received at this office on Tuesday indicates that our old friend, Gunner A. W. Hinsperger is improving nicely from the injury on the 4th of October. He is still undergoing treatment but hopes to be discharged soon. No further particulars are to hand concerning his injury, but we predict that "Misch" will soon be back into the trenches having another crack at Fritz.

Death of Walkerton Banker. Mr. K. M. Taylor, who has been manager of the Merchant's Bank, Walkerton for the past six years, passed away on Sunday evening after a short illness with pneumonia. Mr. Taylor was about forty years old, and is well known at Mildmay, having played hockey here on many occasions. He was one of the most popular men in Walkerton, and his death is deeply lamented. A widow and five children survive him.

To Divide the Offices. The race for the County Court Clerkship has dwindled down to Dr. Clapp of Mildmay, who was recommended by the East Bruce Executive for the position and Mr. C. F. Start, the Tara lawyer. It is whispered that the affair will be settled by dividing the three offices held by the late Mr. Goetz, Dr. Clapp, taking the Clerkship of the Surrogate Court, worth two thousand a year, and Mr. Start getting the County Court Clerkship and the position of Registrar of the High Court. The two last named offices are worth \$900 and \$675 respectively, along with certain extras. It is stated that Dr. Clapp, not being a lawyer, is not particularly anxious to load up with the three positions and would be satisfied with the Surrogate Court position.—Telescope.

Carrick Raises \$775. The British Red Cross Appeal met with a more generous response last Thursday than that which greeted it a year ago, the citizens of Carrick having by popular subscription raised the sum of \$775. The canvass was made under the direction of the Carrick Branch of the Bruce County Preparedness League which aimed to make a personal appeal to every ratepayer in the township. The collectors worked nobly, and while the response in some cases was somewhat feeble, others more than made up. While the returns are not yet complete the contributions by polling subdivisions will total up about as follows:—No. 1—\$125; No. 2—\$150; No. 3—\$110; No. 4—\$125; No. 5—\$193; No. 6—\$48.00; No. 7—\$35; No. 8—\$77. Polling subdivision No. 5 heads the list, with a contribution reaching very close to the \$200 mark. Mr. Jas. G. Thomson heads the list of individual contributors with the sum of Fifty Dollars. The Committee is making an effort to prepare a correct list of the contributors for publication next week, and in the meantime wish to thank the collectors and others for their splendid co-operation on Trafalgar Day.

Obituary. This week it is our sad duty to record the death of Mrs. John Schneider which took place on Monday morning. Deceased had been a sufferer for the past two years with stomach trouble which finally developed into cancer, which caused her death. Mrs. Schneider was 59 years old and was born in the township of Carrick, being the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Dieckert. After her marriage to Mr. Schneider, who was then living in the southern part of Carrick, they removed to Dakota where they lived about twelve years, and came back to Mildmay about twenty five years ago. She was a quiet, kind and neighborly woman, and possessed the esteem and devotion of all her friends and acquaintances. Those who knew her best loved her most, and in her death this community loses one of its noblest women. Her sufferings, though intense, were borne with that quiet christian patience and fortitude that characterized her whole life. To her broken-hearted husband and sorrowing friends is extended the sincerest sympathy of the whole community. The funeral will take place this (Thursday) morning to the Mildmay R. C. Cemetery.

Godfrey Residence Sold. Mr. Thos. Godfrey has disposed of his fine residence on Simpson street to Mr. George Klein, who is about to retire from the farm. The price paid is \$2200. The Godfrey family expect to move to Detroit about the first of December.

Moving Out West. Mr. E. J. Goetz has purchased a harness and hardware business at Liberty, Sask., and assumes possession on Nov. 1st. Liberty is a town of about four hundred people, and is in the midst of a splendid farming country, so Mr. Goetz's prospects are very bright. He leaves this week for the West, and his family will follow in the spring. We learn that Mr. Fred Arnold will accompany him and take a position as plumber in the new store.

Alleged Deserter Arrested. James Lee of Walkerton, a member of the 100th Battalion, was arrested on the charge of desertion from his battalion, which left London last week. He appeared before Police Magistrate Judd and pleaded not guilty to desertion on the grounds that he had not gone away intending to desert, but had been induced to go to Sarnia while under the influence of liquor. He was remanded until Wednesday next for a hearing to permit Major Osborne to gather further evidence.

Succumbed to Pneumonia. Mr. J. Charles Mueller of Waterloo, who came here on Oct. 15th for a few days' sport rabbit shooting, and took ill with pneumonia upon his arrival here, passed away at the Commercial hotel here on Friday evening last. Deceased was recovering nicely from the pneumonia when Brights disease set in, and he was unable to fight both troubles. Mr. Mueller was 41 years of age, and was engaged in the cooperage business at Waterloo. He leaves a widow and two children. The remains were shipped to Waterloo last Saturday for burial.

How Lt. Carl Green Died. How Lieut. Carlton C. Green was killed is told in a letter received in Toronto from his chum, Lieut. E. R. Heaslip, of Cayuga. He describes the death of the Haileybury newspaper man as follows: "I am sorry to say Lieut. Green was killed by the bursting of a shell on Col. —'s dugout, while Carl was conferring with our late commander. Both Carl and the colonel were killed together. His death, although tragic was an instantaneous one and we buried him behind the firing line with full military honors. Lt. Green had been several times erroneously reported missing and killed, but this time, I regret to say, Carl has met his end like a true and faithful officer." Lieut. Heaslip and Lieut. Green were with the 37th Battalion at Niagara, and were inseparable companions. Lieut. Green was one of the most popular and brilliant officers that left Niagara. He was at the time, last October, in charge of the 37th Scouts, and won praise for his handling of the men, and the reconnaissance he executed on the trek to Toronto, in which he outwitted the enemy.

What Will You Do? The other day a subscriber dropped and asked if I intended to charge him \$1.50 for his paper, and on being told "yes" he signified his intention of cancelling his subscription. We have 1085 names on our subscription list, and if they all take this stand the Gazette will be compelled to go out of business. Just suppose this community were left without a local newspaper! What would become of its local pride? Mildmay would just be a name on a railway timetable or a post-office guide. Men and women might die, or marry, or go away, or suffer accidents, or entertain friends, and you would hear about it all only through gossip. Farm sales and other announcements of interest to this particular part of the wide, wide world would have no publicity. Our local merchants would have no cheap and quick way of telling you what they provide for you. Our churches and schools and other institutions would have no medium of news or appeal. And this whole community would slip back and be the sport of joke-smiths. Would city papers take the place of the Gazette? You know they would not. We do not believe for one moment that the good people of Mildmay mean to "kick" or drop their subscription to the Gazette. We expect all our subscribers to recognize the new conditions of living and publishing that have made the old dollar rate impossible to continue. But we want to let you see that your weekly newspaper at the higher rate of 3 cents a week—the price of a postage stamp—still costs an insignificant sum when you reckon up the service your weekly newspaper renders you and this whole community. Be loyal to and proud of the community you live in. Keep it on the map.

A Good Farm Proposition. Do you want to buy a good Carrick farm of 185 acres on reasonable terms? This farm is equipped with good buildings, has an exceptionally valuable hardwood bush, and is in good shape to make money on. The former owners have done well on this place, and are now asking a fancy price. If you are interested call and get particulars from J. A. Johnston, Mildmay.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Pet Fidler jr., a baby boy.

Our teachers attended the convention in Dundalk last week.

Mr. Herb Weinert of Listowel Sundayed at his home here.

Wedding Bells are ringing. A grand concert and box social will be held in Klages school (S. S. Carrick) on Friday Nov. 3. A good program is being arranged for. Ladies bringing boxes free.

Mr. Stephen Weber is home from the West again. He returned on account of ill health.

Mr. Dave Haehnel left on Monday morning for Detroit, thence to Little Rock, Ark., to resume his duties as engineer on the railroad there. He had spent several months at his home here. He was a good sport and will be very much missed by the boys.

A kitchen shower was held at Mollitone's on Monday evening when the young ladies of the town showered Irene. We hear that she intends leaving town and intends to go to Kitchener.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peter moved into their new home.

Messrs. Erwin Biemann and Otto Baetz left for Hanover where they have secured a position.

Wedding bells are still ringing in the near vicinity. A very pretty wedding was solemnized in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Normanby, last Wednesday at 2 p. m. when Miss Mary Dietz was tied in matrimonial bonds to Mr. Daniel Krutzler. Rev. Mr. Brackenbush tied the nuptial knot. Mr. and Mrs. Kreutzer will take up residence on the groom's farm near Ailsfeld. We extend our best wishes to the young couple in their future life.

Mr. Chas. Flemming of Hanover Sundayed at J. Ruhls.

Miss Mildred Pfohl attended the teachers convention at Chesley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Klein and Mr. and Mrs. J. Goessel motored to Howick on Sunday.

The Misses Tillie and Rillie Wettlaufer and Laura Wagner and Messrs. Johnnie Wagner, Enoch and Theodore Wettlaufer spent the past Sunday at the home of Mrs. Weigel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Weigel and family Sundayed at Drew.

Mr. A. A. Goetz, who spent the past month at his home here, returned to Buffalo on Tuesday.

Mrs. Richard Donegan, who spent a week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. Flachs here, returned to her home in Hamilton last Saturday. She was accompanied on the return trip by her sister, Georgina.

Miss Florence Oberle of Walkerton is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Os. Beingsesser.

Mr. Albin Kroeplin and friend of Chepstow spent Sunday with Chris Weiler's.

Miss Edna Kraemer went to Preston where she has secured a position in the Central Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Geier of Teeswater Sundayed with Mrs. Hy. Kraemer.

Mr. Anth. Opperman and son, And. are at Toronto at present where the latter is under a specialist's care.

On Tuesday, Oct. 24, a very pretty wedding took place here in the R. C. church, Rev. Fr. Brozman officiating when the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Beninger was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Frank Voisin of Glen Allan. Quite a number from Waterloo, Drayton, Elmira and Glen Allan were present. Mr. and Mrs. Voisin will live on the groom's farm near Maston.

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CHAPTER IX.—(Cont'd).

"I said gruffly, without at all changing his position, and not polite!" retorted, shaking him again. "Didn't you I'd come here to-day, you darkness?"

"You did, gov'nor," the man replied.

"Well, here I am. You're not think, are you? Here—let's look at you." With a cruel smile, the soft, amiable Mr. Vermont seized the ear of the dwarfed jockey and dragged him to the light. "No, not drunk—for a wonder. Well, you know what to do to-morrow?"

The man nodded sulkily.

"Tighter and choke off at the last hurdle. Mind you do it neatly, too. You can do it, I know; and it won't be the first little affair you've sold, eh? You sold one too many, though, when you crossed my path, and you know what will happen if you fail me."

"All right," the jockey muttered hoarsely.

"I hope it will be all right," said his persecutor, shaking him gently to and fro by the ear. "If not, you'll find yourself in the care of a paternal government—I tell you—picking up your skum."

The man gave a sudden jerk and reared himself from the cruel grasp; then he looked up almost piteously.

"Must we do it, gov'nor?" he said hoarsely.

"I've seen 'im—"

"Him! whom, you idiot?"

"Him—Mr. Leroy—as we're to sell."

"You're to sell, you mean, you gal-lows-bird," returned Jasper.

The man eyed him viciously.

"Yes," he growled, "you think you're going to get off, scot-free, don't yer? What if I don't do it? He giv' me a tenner, he did. 'E's a real gent. What if I don't do it?" he repeated.

Mr. Vermont's eyes narrowed till he looked like a snake about to strike. Raising the riding-whip which he had in his hand, he seized the wretched creature once more, and brought the whip down again and again on his almost skeleton body.

"Play me false, you hound, and I'll kill you," he almost hissed; and, half beside himself with pain and rage, the jockey gasped brokenly:

"Stop! stop! I'll do it."

It was just five o'clock when Lady Constance and Leroy returned from their ride. During the course of it Adrien had realised something of his cousin's beauty of character, as well as of face. Until that day he had only regarded her as a younger sister, pretty, perhaps, in a quiet, retiring

way, but nothing more. Now, as he lifted her down from the saddle, he could have bent and reverently kissed the little foot that lodged so lightly in the stirrup.

Woman-like, she was quick to notice the change in him, and her heart beat high with hope.

"He will love me yet," she whispered to herself triumphantly, as, with outward calmness, she bade him au revoir till they should meet at dinner.

Adrien went straight to his own rooms. An unusual restlessness was upon him, and his pulses throbbled wildly, but as yet he did not understand what these things meant. He, who had played the lover so lightly all his life, did not realise that it was now his turn to feel Cupid's dart, and that he was becoming as deeply enamoured of his pretty cousin as any raw boy straight from college.

As he paced up and down his luxurious study, thoughtfully smoking a cigar, his past life rose before him, with all its idleness and wasted years. He knew that with most women he had only to throw down the glove for it to be snatched up eagerly; women had loved him, petted and spoiled him ever since he could remember. But here was one who thought of him as nothing but a means to save her people—or rather, his people—from distress. It said much for Lady Constance's powers of reserve that she had impressed him thus, and had she known it, nothing could have helped her cause more.

Throwing himself into a chair, the young man reviewed again the incidents of their ride. How beautiful she had looked; how pointedly and yet gently she had reproved him for his long absences from his estates and the people who loved him. Well, it should come to an end now, and there and then he formed a resolve to return to town directly after the race, and go through his affairs with Jasper. His friend would help him to lead a worthier and more useful life, he thought—if anyone could do so.

When he went down to dinner that night few would have noticed any difference in his calm face and demeanour; none, indeed save Lady Constance herself, who, with the subtlety which seems inbred in even the best of her sex, devoted her attention almost exclusively to Mr. Jasper Vermont. It was he who was allowed to sit next her at dinner; it was to him she turned when the race, with which all present were concerned, was the subject under discussion.

Adrien noted all this, and his heart grew heavy within him. But he did not grudge Jasper her favor—as yet; he blamed himself too deeply for the neglect of his past opportunities.

Jasper skillfully tried the conversation to Lady Merivale's ball, which he described in detail to Lady Constance; adding many little realistic touches concerning the fair hostess and Adrien, till he had convinced her—as he thought—that there was a great deal more between them than was really the case. For Vermont, as had been said before, was "no fool"; and he realised only too well in what direction events were tending with Lady Constance and her cousin.

But she showed no signs either of understanding or misunderstanding his allusions to Adrien, and began to discuss a ball which Miss Penelope was trying to arrange.

"Mr. Shelton, I am counting on you to help us," she said, turning to the gentleman on her other side. "Auntie has been besieging uncle for the last two months; and has, I think, carried the citadel."

"What is the motive of the attack?" enquired Mortimer Shelton.

"Aunt Penelope wants a fancy dress dance in the ballroom in the east wing," she returned gaily, adding, as she looked across at her cousin, who was listening attentively: "Adrien, if you would add your word, we should get it. Won't you do so?"

"A fancy dress ball here?" he replied. "But my father has refused you, it is scarcely likely that I shall have any more influence." He turned to his aunt. "Why not have Barminster House, Aunt Penelope?" This was the town house, supposed to be given up almost exclusively to the young man's use, though he generally inhabited his own chambers in Jermyn Street. "I will hand it over to you from cellar to attic, and will bind myself to be your faithful slave from early morn to dewy eve."

His aunt laughed.

"No, thank you, Adrien, I know your idea of slavery," she said. "You would hand it over to Mr. Vermont, and he does quite enough of your work already." Vermont was a favorite with Miss Penelope, owing chiefly to his frequent gifts of marron glacés—a great weakness of hers. "Besides," she continued, "Barminster House is too modern. I want to revive a ball just as it happened two or three centuries ago. It must be Barminster Castle, or nothing."

Adrien smiled across at her.

"Your word is law, my dear aunt; but if I were you, and it comes off at all, I'd leave the arranging of it to Jasper."

Mr. Vermont beamed. Nothing seemed to please him so much as the idea of work, especially when it involved the spending of money other than his own.

"I am at your service, dear lady," he said amiably.

Miss Penelope rose, and gave the signal for the ladies to retire.

"I shall take you to your word, Mr. Vermont," she said graciously, as she passed out.

After the ladies had gone, the wine circulated freely, and in the merry badinage that followed it must be admitted that Jasper Vermont was the life and soul of the party. He had the newest scandal at his finger-tips, the latest theatrical news; and all was related in a witty manner that kept his listeners in a perpetual roar of laughter.

Adrien, though compelled by politeness to take his share in the conversation, was yet glad when they adjourned to the silver drawing-room. This was one of the smallest of the half-dozen drawing-rooms in Barminster Castle, and was decorated entirely in blue and silver. The furniture was upholstered in pale blue satin and silver embroideries. Curtains, hangings, and even carpet, were all of the same color; while the mirrors and ornaments were entirely of silver.

To-night, Lady Constance's dress matched the room, for it was of palest azure silk, veiled with chiffon, on which were Etruscan silver ornaments and silver-thread embroidery. It was a color which suited her shell-like complexion; and she looked her best in it.

She was at the piano when the men entered; and Leroy, who was passionately fond of music, and a musician of no mean order himself, came straight over to her. At his request, Constance sang after song; while Vermont sat a little apart, listening, and occasionally glancing thoughtfully at the beautiful profile of the singer. Then his cold, malignant eyes would wander with an almost sinister expression over the face of his friend and benefactor, as he leaned over the piano. But at any movement of the other guests his countenance would assume its usual amiability of expression, as though a mask were re-adjusted, while his fat, white hand softly beat time to the music.

At last Lady Constance declared she was tired, and turned to Adrien, begging him to sing instead. He hesitated for a moment; then, as if throwing off the unusual moodiness that oppressed him, he seated himself at the piano; and, after a few moments of restless improvisation, he sang song after song from Schumann's "Dichter-Liebe," with an intensity of passion in the clear tenor notes that thrilled the soul of every listener.

In the silence which fell on the little company when the last chords died away, Jasper Vermont, half-hidden by the curtain, opened the window, and slipped out on the terrace. The moon shone full on his white face, distorted with an unaccountable fury, as he muttered through his clenched teeth; "Curse the fellow! How I hate him!"

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CHAPTER X.

The morning of the race dawned clear and bright, and the Leroy course shone like a strip of emerald velvet in the crisp, sparkling air.

Since sunrise, throngs of people, men, women, and children, had been streaming in from the outlying districts, some many miles away; while at the side of the course, stretched a long line of vehicles of all kinds, which had already disbursed their load.

In twos and threes the late horses arrived, swaddled in cloths, and surrounded by the usual crowd of bow-legged grooms and diminutive jockeys; while the air reeked with the smell of the stable and the oaths and slang of the men.

Later still came the bookmakers with their brisk, business-like method of entering the bets, big or small; the "swells" thousand, or the countryman's shilling were all one to them. And lastly, amid all the din and turmoil of the most crowded meeting Barminster had ever witnessed, came the army of the Castle servants to put the finishing touches to the boxes in the grand stand, over which floated the Leroy colors.

Towards noon, the hour at which the first race was to be run, the crowd grew denser, the excitement keener.

"Two to one on 'Ging Cole'—three to one 'Miracour'—and five to one 'Bay Star'—six to one, bar three"—all these cries rose in a loud, turbulent roar. It was known to all that the "swells"—as they termed the Castle people—had backed their champion "King Cole" for sums, which, as Jasper Vermont had rightly said the preceding night, would almost equal his weight in gold; and such was their faith in him that no other horse had been entered from the same county.

(To be continued.)

The Farm

Maintenance of Soil Fertility.

A soil has to be very lacking in phosphoric acid before any sign of the want of this food appears in the plant; what does appear, however, is a shortage of bone and flesh in the animals that try to live on the crops produced on such a soil. The feeding value of pastures manured with phosphates is materially increased, and it will be noticed that stock will forsake an undressed piece of ground for one that has been dressed with phosphates.

"The choice of a phosphatic manure," says Frank T. Shutt, M.A., D.S., Dominion Chemist, depends largely on the character of the soil to which it is to be applied. Superphosphate (and phosphate) at the rate of about 300 pounds per acre is recommended for soils rich in lime, especially when the crop needs the stimulus afforded by immediately available phosphoric acid, for example, the turnip crop. Superphosphate is also an excellent form of fertilizer for the cereals. For sour soils, many clay loams deficient in lime, and for peats, and muck soils, basic slag has been found the most desirable form. It is an alkaline phosphate containing a certain amount of free lime. It contains no water-soluble phosphoric acid, but yields this element fairly readily for crop use. The dressing may be for 300 to 500 pounds per acre. Bone meal has been found a valuable manure in the lighter loams that do not dry out too readily. The application is usually about 500 pounds per acre.

The best returns from fertilizers are not obtained from very large applications, and the conclusion reached by the experimenters of the Division of Chemistry is that the function of fertilizers is to raise the small proportion of available plant food in the soil rather than to increase materially the amount of total plant food contained therein. Bulletin No. 27, issued by the Dominion Experimental Farms with the view of encouraging the obtaining of a large yield from the acreage at present in crops, says: "We have taken the ground that it will never be economically, even if scientifically, possible to maintain soil fertility by the use of fertilizers."

This bulletin speaks strongly of the value of farmyard manure, and recommends the use of fresh manure in pre-

ference to the rotted kind, as experiment in farm practice has shown that, even weight for weight, the former has given yields almost equal to the latter, and when the losses entailed in rotting the manure are considered the use of the fresh or green variety is a decided economy.

Dr. Shutt, in the above-mentioned bulletin, supplies a table giving the approximate average composition of fresh manure, and gives a minute description of its properties, necessary treatment and proper application. The importance of potash in the soil is pointed out, and possible domestic sources of supply of this fertilizer are discussed.

Farm Implements May Be Scarce and High.

Farmers are vitally interested in the difficulties which now are confronting the manufacturers of farm equipment lines. The most serious of these is a shortage of raw materials. Every steel mill in the country is congested with orders, due to the heavy and unprecedented foreign demand for steel products, making deliveries in the domestic market a very much delayed and uncertain matter. Uncertainty as to the course of future prices also is complicating the situation, since the implement manufacturers find it impossible to deal with the steel men on contract as always in the past. So serious is the actual shortage in materials and so delayed and uncertain are deliveries of what can be procured that it is feared some of the larger factories may be compelled to shut down in the near future. It now is practically certain there will be a marked shortage of finished machines to take care of a demand which this year had returned to normal proportions after the depression which had characterized it for the last two years.

Inability to command needed transportation facilities is another factor of troublesome proportions. The congestion of freight in the east, due also to the foreign demand for goods of all descriptions, tying up the rolling stock of the railroads in eastern terminal yards is appalling, and in some sections of the country it is almost impossible to get cars. This applies alike and affects alike shipments of raw materials to the factories and shipments of the finished products from the factories to the retail dealers. The latter ought to have, at this season of the year, complete stocks of tillage tools in their warehouses and on their sample floors, but many of them have been unable to get their orders through.

Still another factor which adds complications to an already unsatisfactory situation is the great advances there have been in the prices for raw materials. Already in consequence of these, most implement manufacturers have advanced their prices to the dealer, and still further advances are imminent. It is certain that implements are to be scarce and high this year, and farmers who are contemplating additions to their equipment will do well to buy as early as possible.

As an indication of what some of the advances already have been on raw materials, the following table, compiled and published by one of the leading farm equipment manufacturers, is offered. The percentages show the advance in cost of raw materials above the prices which the

	Per Cent
Pig iron, No. 2 foundry	60
Soft steel bars, angles, channels and other shapes	105
Steel tank plate	113
Steel sheets	100
Steel sheets, galvanized	70
Iron bars	100
Wire nails	46 2-3
Foundry coke	66 2-3
Crude oil	93
Linseed oil	80
Naphtha or benzine in C.L.	100
White and red lead	86
Leather butts for belting	37
Bolts, springs, screws, nuts, washers and like materials	75 to 80
Drills, cutters and other tools made of high special tool steel	200
Lumber of all kinds	10 to 20
Paints of all kinds	10 to 50

—Farm Engineering.

Farm Notes.

Every farmer ought to have his wood-pile ten feet high now and cool by the ton, so he is ready for the winter. Cut and haul all the dead trees, sound down timber, and thin out the groves rather than cut growing timber.

Haul manure at once to the field and spread now. To pile it up to save it is to let all the valuable ammonia escape in steam, leaching, and fire-fanging. Spread it.

Feed the birds. Throw some brush over a tall stump for a bird shelter. Old hay is better.

Oil all the harness. Clean out the horses' feet after every trip in mud or slush. Don't let horses stand unblanketed after a trip; blanket them in the stable until they cool off to avoid a chill. Give cats and dogs a warm bed these cold nights.

A warm play room with toys, books papers and games is almost a necessity with families of several children. See that the fowls have a clean dry shed or house in which to eat, scratch and loaf in the sun, protected from the wind. Hang up a cabbage just high enough to make them jump for every bite, but don't let them out in the snow. Give water slightly warm several times a day these cold days, to the hens.

Now is the time to run the farm repair shop, and turn out new plow, ax and hoe handles, new parts to all broken machinery, etc.

Don't let the vegetables and apples freeze.

Don't let the womenfolk have to do the feeding and chores these days. Make a feed rack, if of only a few rails thrown together, for in feeding hay and fodder to the cattle half of it is trampled on and wasted, if thrown out loose. Use the leavings for beddings.

Plan for a wind break for next year, and to shelter the trees, save much suffering from storms.

Some farmers do not clean their stables all winter in order to preserve the manure, and it gets two feet deep, with the horses a sight to behold! No real farmer does this. Clean the stable well, and the horses, too, even if you don't intend to use them that day. It is better than oats.

Let no poor widow or old people suffer for fuel.

See that all the family have warm under-clothing and warm boots, shoes, mittens and caps and overcoats. Health comes first, and it is better to do without something else than to run the risk of illness, and doctor bills.

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ROUMANIANS USE THEIR BAYONETS

Attack the Austro-Germans, Taking 12 Guns and 600 Prisoners.

A despatch from London says: The news from the Roumanian front is again excellent. In the one region on the long front where the gravest danger menaced the Roumanians, the Predeal Pass sector, the Teutons have been driven across the Transylvania frontier. Ground has also been gained in the Bran defile. In the Trobus valley the Roumanians forced the Austro-Germans to retire and took 600 prisoners and 12 cannon. Another detachment attacking from Goicasa, in the Trobus area, surprised the Teutons and took 300 prisoners and some machine guns.

WAR SAVINGS ACCOUNTS IN BANKS AND P. O.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The Finance Department reports that the arrangements for the issue of war savings certificates will be completed early next month. The Minister of Finance has been taking up with the committee appointed by the Bankers' Association the matter of the method of co-operation by the chartered banks and the settlement of details. In the absence of the Minister in England these negotiations will be concluded by the Deputy Minister of Finance. In outline the plan will provide for affording facilities for opening war savings accounts in the banks and postoffice savings branches. When a certain amount has been thus saved the depositor may purchase a war savings certificate, issued at an attractive rate of discount. These certificates may be issued in two or three denominations.

GERMANS DEPORTING BELGIANS FROM HOMES

A despatch from Amsterdam says: The Telegraaf says it has received information from the frontier that the Germans, in addition to deporting 2,000 civilians from Ghent, are taking similar action in other parts of Belgium. Quartermaster-General von Sauderwiel has announced, the newspaper says, that persons able to work may be forced to do so, even outside the villages in which they reside, in the event of being compelled to accept relief from others owing to gambling, drunkenness, laziness or lack of employment. Furthermore, and inhabitants may be compelled to give assistance in case of accident, danger, emergency, or public disaster, even outside the community in which he resides. Anyone who refuses to work, the newspaper says, is liable to imprisonment for three years or a fine of 10,000 marks.

VON KLUK RETIRED AT HIS OWN REQUEST.

Leader of German Right Wing in Paris Drive Seventy Years of Age.

A despatch from Berlin says: Field Marshal Alexander von Kluk, who commanded the right wing of the German army in its sweep toward Paris in the fall of 1914, has been placed on the retired list at his own request. He had never returned to the front since he was wounded by shrapnel fire in March, 1915, while inspecting advanced positions. The Field Marshal was seventy years of age last May.

THE PRINCIPAL LESSON OF THE PRESENT WAR.

A despatch from Paris says: Asked what was the principal lesson learned in this war, General Marchand replied: "Formerly an army which occupied the heights was supposed to have the advantage. We have learned from the experience of trench war that the force down below has the advantage, since it can shell the enemy's positions from the trenches above, while the attacking army can only shell the forward trenches below it."

ROUNDING UP THE FEW GERMANS LEFT IN EAST AFRICAN COLONY

Remnant That Escaped Capture Are Pinned in Malarial Swamp and Must Soon Surrender.

A despatch from London says: In a review of recent operations in German East Africa the War Office announces that the Belgians operating near Tabora, in the northern central part of the colony, have inflicted a further defeat on the Germans. In the fighting from Sept. 18 to 22 the surviving portion of the German forces which had been defeated at Tabora were routed.

Along the coast the British forces under General Smuts are engaged in clearing the country. A number of small columns are carrying on this work south-east of Dar-Es-Salaam and north-west and west of Kilwa. Gen. Smuts says his troops have been attempting to drive into the Rufiji

valley German posts established north and south of that region.

The remnant of the force defeated by the Belgians was driven eastward and southward; the Germans making an attempt to effect a junction with the main German body concentrated in the Rufiji valley.

The bulk of the remaining German forces, says the announcement, are now confined in a limited area in the south-eastern portion of the colony, of which all the ports on the coast and the main lines of approach are held by the Entente forces. The entire Rufiji valley and the Delta are unhealthy and malarial to the highest degree, and are declared likely to become untenable after the advent of the "less-er rains" during October.

BRITAIN CAN BEAR STRAIN OF THE WAR

Chancellor McKenna Defends High Rate of Interest on New Treasury Bonds.

A despatch from London, says: Reginald McKenna, Chancellor of the Exchequer, replying in the House of Commons to criticisms of the high rate of interest payable on the new Treasury bonds and the objection raised to this would lead to their being largely held abroad, said: "That is the very thing we desire. It must be remembered that we had to pay a very considerable amount day by day in the United States. At present we have to find £2,000,000 a day for every working day. That means a prodigious amount to find every six days."

Mr. McKenna prefaced his statement, regarding the large amounts being spent in America, by a defence of his action in paying a high rate of interest upon Treasury bonds. "It is not possible," he said, "to apply pre-war standards and to say that five per cent. is enough or that we could get it more cheaply. Very likely it could be done if we only wanted a little or even the equivalent of greatest sum ever raised before the war. It should be remembered, however, we have to raise a maximum sum about once a month, and it is only possible to find out, by the daily examination of the results of borrowings and payments, whether we are successful in meeting our obligations. In order to meet all expenses and to keep our undertakings with our allies, I have to make sure of getting money."

Mr. McKenna proceeded to explain that unless Great Britain was able to raise the needed money in the United States she would have to go short of supplies from there, which were absolutely essential to the purposes of the allies. Defending the issue of the six per cent. bonds, the Chancellor mentioned the fact that within a fortnight these Treasury bonds had been sold to the extent of \$36,000,000. He added that the present moment of competition for money was unfavorable to the issue of a long-term loan, but the Government intended to resort to such a loan when the Treasury considered it advisable, and the Government would not shrink from the fulfilment of its promise in regard to the conversion of previous loans. The Chancellor declared he did not doubt the ability of the Empire to bear the strain of the war. Its expenditure was not diminishing, he stated, there being an advance under the two heads of munitions and advances to Great Britain's allies, but in both of these directions he was confident the country would not grudge the needful supplies.

PAY OVER MILLION IN MONTHLY GRANTS.

Government Makes Arrangement With Patriotic Fund Officials.

A despatch from Toronto says: Hon. T. W. McGarry, Provincial Treasurer, states that arrangements had been made with the Canadian Patriotic Fund Association by which the million dollars granted by the Ontario Government to the fund will be paid over in 12 monthly instalments, beginning in January. A suggestion was made originally that the million be held and paid over to the fund from time to time as amounts were needed. The regular monthly payments of a fixed sum are according to the plan preferred by the fund officials. The million, of course, will be used in looking after the dependents of soldiers who have enlisted from Ontario.

TEUTONS RECOGNIZE RUSSIAN READINESS

A wireless despatch from Berne to London quotes the war correspondent of the Vienna Zeit as referring to improvement in the Russian artillery as follows: "It must be recognized that the advantages enjoyed by our armies owing to the Russian shortage of ammunition are disappearing."

GERMANY UTILIZING ALL HER PRISONERS.

Are Being Used in Various Forms of Employment.

A despatch from London says: D. Thomas Curtin, of Boston, continuing his description of conditions in Germany, writes in the Times that the British captures of German prisoners is bettering the lot of British prisoners in Germany, the Germans being anxious lest ill treatment bring on reprisals. He emphasizes the value to Germany of its 2,000,000 "prisoner slaves," who now are reclaiming swamps, tilling the soil, building roads and railways, and working in factories.

"Some of our military writers," he says, "leave these prisoners out of their calculations when estimating Germany's man-power. If you had 2,000,000 prisoners you probably would be able to release 2,000,000 of your own people for military service. Most of the prisoners in Germany are Russians. They are seen everywhere, and have greater freedom than any others. They sometimes travel unguarded to and from work. They are docile, physically strong, and accustomed to lower grade food than any other prisoners, with the exception of the Serbs.

"Of course, the English form much the smallest number of prisoners, but they are most highly prized for hate propaganda purposes. 'They are more difficult to manage,' said an 'unofficial' to me, 'than the whole rest of our 2,000,000.' It is indeed, a fact that your 30,000 prisoners, although the worst treated, are the gayest and most outspoken and most rebellious against tyranny."

BIG GOLD STRIKE MADE NEAR ROSSLAND.

A despatch from Rossland, B. C., says: Rossland is all excitement over a big strike made in close proximity to the city by S. Simpson, a Rossland old-time prospector, owner of the Crown-granted claim named "One-Eye See," on the side of Murphy Creek, north of Green Mountain. A report has just been received from the Spokane office of the Marsh Assay and Testing Laboratories giving returns from the ore as follows: 732 ounces were under the test with \$15,150.28 in gold, \$85.60 in silver, and \$4.70 in copper. Simpson has held his claim for twenty years, and the wonderful returns just received must certainly justify his faith in the property.

ITALY'S NEW SHIPS GREAT SPEED-MAKERS.

A despatch from Rome says: Italy now possesses a type of warship whose speed is three times as great as that of the greatest trans-Atlantic liner, according to the Giornale Italia. The sea trial of the first of these ships to be completed was witnessed by a correspondent of the paper. Three others are building. All of the new vessels will use oil fuel.

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Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 61c; No. 3 do., 59c; extra No. 1 feed, 59c; No. 1 feed, 59c; track, Bay ports.
American corn—No. 3 yellow, \$1.01, track Toronto.
Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 56 to 58c; No. 3 do., 55 to 57c, according to freight outside.
Ontario wheat—New No. 2 Winter, per car lot, \$1.60 to \$1.62, according to freight outside. Old crop—No. 1 commercial, \$1.45 to \$1.48; No. 3 commercial, \$1.48 to \$1.51.
Peas—No. 2, \$2.15 to \$2.20, according to freight outside.
Barley—Malt, 95c to \$1.00, nominal; feed, 32 to 35c, nominal.
Buckwheat—Nominal.
Rye—New No. 2, \$1.18 to \$1.20, according to freight outside.
Manitoba flour—First patents, in jute bags, \$9.30; second patents, in jute bags, \$8.50; "bakers", in jute bags, \$8.60, Toronto.
Ontario flour—New Winter, according to sample, \$7.40 in bags, track Toronto, prompt shipment.
Milled—Car lots, delivered Montreal freight included: first, \$12.00; second, \$11.50; shorts, per ton, \$32.00; middlings, per ton, \$33.00; good feed flour, per ton, \$25.00.
Hay—New No. 1, per ton, \$11.00 to \$12.50; No. 2, per ton, \$9.00 to \$10.00, track Toronto.
Straw—Car lots, per ton, \$7.00 to \$8.00, track Toronto.

Country Produce—Wholesale.
Butter—Fresh dairy, choice, 36 to 37c; inferior, 31 to 32c; creamery prints, 40 to 42c; solids, 40 to 41c.
Eggs—No. 1 storage, 35 to 36c; storage, select, 37 to 38c; new-laid, in cartons, 45 to 47c; out of cartons, 43 to 45c.
Dressed poultry—Chickens, 18 to 22c; turkeys, 22 to 24c; ducks, 15 to 20c; squabs, per dozen, \$4.00 to \$4.50; turkeys, 10 to 15c; geese, Spring, 10 to 12c; Live Poultry—Chickens, 15 to 17c; fowl, 13 to 15c; ducks, 13 to 15c; turkeys, 25 to 28c; geese, Spring, 14 to 15c.
Cheese—New, large, 22 to 23c; twine, 22 to 23c; triplets, 23 to 24c.
Honey—Extra fine quality, 2-1/2 lbs., 13c; 5-lb. tins, 12 1/2 to 13c; 10-lb., 11 1/2 to 12c; 60-lb., 11 1/2 to 12c; Comb honey extra fine and heavy weight, per lb., 33c; select, \$2.50 to \$2.75; No. 2, \$2.25 to \$2.40.
Potatoes—Ontario, \$1.75; British Columbia Rose, per bag, \$1.75 to \$1.85; British Columbia Whites, per bag, \$1.75 to \$1.80; New Brunswick Delawares, per bag, \$1.80 to \$1.85; Prince Edward Island Whites, per bag, \$1.65, track Toronto.
Beans—Imported, hand-picked, per bushel, \$4.50 to \$5.00; primes, \$3.75 to \$4.00.

Provisions—Wholesale.
Smoked meats—Hams, medium, 24 to 26c; do., heavy, 22 to 23c; cooked, 35 to 37c; rolls, 20 to 21c; breakfast bacon, 25 to 27c; backs, plain, 25 to 27c; boneless, 28 to 29c.
Pickled or dry cured meats, 1 cent less than cured.
Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 18 to 18 1/2c per lb.; clear bellies, 18 to 18 1/2c.
Canned meats—Bare label, 17 1/2 to 17 3/4c; tins, 17 1/2 to 17 3/4c; pails, 17 1/2 to 18c; compound, 14 1/2 to 15c.

Montreal Markets.
Montreal, Oct. 24.—Corn—American No. 2 yellow, \$1.01 to \$1.02. Oats—Canadian Western, No. 2, 63 1/2 to 64c; do., No. 3, 62 1/2 to 63c; extra, \$1.45; No. 6, 62 1/2 to 63 1/2c; No. 2 local white, 61 1/2 to 62c; No. 3, 61c. Flour—Manitoba Spring wheat patents, \$9.40 to \$9.50; seconds, \$8.90; strong bakers', \$8.70 to \$8.80; Winter patents, choice, \$9.55; straight \$9.45 to \$9.50; do., in bags, \$9.40 to \$9.50. Rolled oats—Barrels, \$3.45 to \$3.55; bag of 90 lbs., \$3.10 to \$3.20. Milled—Car lots, delivered Montreal freight included: first, \$12.00; second, \$11.50; shorts, per ton, \$32.00; middlings, \$32; mouline, \$25 to \$27.
Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$13. easterns, 21 1/2c. Butter—Coldest creamery, 39 1/2c; seconds, 38 1/2c. Eggs—Fresh, choice, selected, 38c; No. 1 stock, 34c; No. 2 do., 30c. Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, \$1.35 to \$1.50.

Winnipeg Grain.
Winnipeg, Oct. 24.—Cash prices: Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.74; No. 2 Northern, \$1.71; No. 3 Northern, \$1.68; feed, \$1.44; special No. 4, \$1.78; No. 1, \$1.84; No. 2, \$1.81; No. 3, \$1.78; Oats—No. 2 C.W., 58c; No. 3 C.W., 53c; extra No. 1 feed, \$1.03; No. 4, 96c; rejected, 83c; feed, 82c. Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., \$2.39; No. 2 C.W., \$2.33.

United States Markets.
Minneapolis, Oct. 24.—Wheat, December, \$1.76; May, \$1.75; cash, No. 1 hard, \$1.80 to \$1.83; No. 1 Northern, \$1.74 to \$1.78; Corn—No. 3 yellow, \$1.17; No. 2 yellow, \$1.15; No. 1 yellow, \$1.13; Oats—No. 2 white, 45 1/2 to 46c; Flour, fancy patents, \$9.10. First and second clears unchanged. Bran, \$24.00 to \$25.00.
Duluth, Oct. 24.—Wheat No. 1 hard, \$1.81; No. 1 Northern, \$1.79 to \$1.84; No. 2 Northern, \$1.69 to \$1.74; No. 3 Northern, \$1.74 asked. Lined on track and to arrive, \$2.57 1/2 October, \$2.55; November, \$2.56 1/2; December, \$2.51 1/2; May, \$2.56.

Live Stock Markets.
Toronto, Oct. 24.—Choice heavy steers, \$8.35 to \$8.75; good heavy steers, \$8.00 to \$8.25; butchers' cattle, good, \$7.50 to \$7.80; do., medium, \$6.50 to \$7.00; do., common, \$5.35 to \$6.00; butchers' bulls, choice, \$7.10 to \$7.25; do., good, \$6.40 to \$6.50; do., rough, \$5.50 to \$6.00; butchers' cows, choice, \$6.25 to \$6.50; do., good, \$5.75 to \$5.90; do., medium, \$5.20 to \$5.50; feeders, \$5.25 to \$6.00; choice feeders, \$5.25 to \$6.00; canners and cutters, \$5.25 to \$5.50; milch cows, choice, \$7.00 to \$9.00; do., com. and med., \$7.00 to \$9.00; do., com. and med., each \$10.00 to \$10.00; springers, \$5.50 to \$6.00; light ewes, \$7.25 to \$8.15; sheep, heavy, \$4.50 to \$5.50; ewes, good, \$4.50 to \$5.50; lambs, \$11.00 to \$11.75; spring lambs, choice, \$11.00 to \$11.25; do., medium, \$9.30 to \$10.00; hogs, fed and watered, \$10.50 to \$11.00; do., weighed off cars, \$11.15 to \$11.25; do., 10-lb., \$10.20.
Montreal, Oct. 24.—Heavy steers, choice, \$8.25 to \$8.75; medium, \$8.00 to \$8.25; butchers' steers, choice, \$8.00 to \$8.25; medium, \$7.25 to \$8.00; canners, \$6.75 to \$7.25; butchers' bulls, choice, \$8 to \$8.25; do., good, \$7.25 to \$7.50; do., medium, \$6.50 to \$7.00; butchers' cows, choice, \$6.50 to \$7.00; do., good, \$5.75 to \$6.25; do., medium, \$5.25 to \$5.50; feeders, \$5.25 to \$6.00; canners and cutters, \$5.25 to \$5.50; milch cows, choice, \$7.00 to \$9.00; do., com. and med., \$7.00 to \$9.00; do., com. and med., each \$10.00 to \$10.00; springers, \$5.50 to \$6.00; light ewes, \$7.25 to \$8.15; sheep, heavy, \$4.50 to \$5.50; ewes, good, \$4.50 to \$5.50; lambs, \$11.00 to \$11.75; spring lambs, choice, \$11.00 to \$11.25; do., medium, \$9.30 to \$10.00; hogs, fed and watered, \$10.50 to \$11.00; do., weighed off cars, \$11.15 to \$11.25; do., 10-lb., \$10.20.

HOW THE GERMANS ARE FED UP WITH ZEPPELIN FABRICATIONS

400 Soldiers Killed in Grimsby Barracks; Regent Street Laid in Ruins.

A despatch from Berlin says: Eye-witnesses of the Zeppelin attack on England on Sept. 23 report, according to the Overseas News Agency, that bombs hit the Grimsby barracks, killing more than 400 soldiers, and that about 60 men were killed on board a cruiser which was hit by a bomb. It is said that Regent Street, London, was for the most part laid in ruins.

A cablegram from London bearing on the above says: "The press bureau appends a note

to a wireless despatch from Berlin relative to the alleged 'gigantic damage' done in England by the Zeppelin raids of Sept. 23 and Oct. 2, which declares such statements to be 'audacious fiction,' and adds: "The Secretary to the Admiralty states that there is not a word of truth in the statement that a cruiser or warships were damaged. No warship or merchant ship, nor any man belonging to the navy or mercantile marine was touched by Zeppelin bombs. The whole story is a fabrication."

RECRUITING RATE IS 6,000 PER MONTH

Aggregate of Enlistment From Start is 368,863—Last Two Weeks.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Recruiting in Canada is proceeding at the rate of about 6,000 a month, compared with 30,000 a year ago. In the fortnight, ended October 15th, 3,160 men were enlisted, compared with 3,046 in the previous two weeks. The aggregate enlistment from the start is 368,863.
From the 1st to the 15th of October, Montreal again led in its enlistments. It reported 672 recruits.
By divisions the enlistments are as follows:
Mil. Div. Two Wks. G'd T'l.
London 314 30,455
Toronto 447 82,827
Kingston-Ottawa 356 38,891
Montreal 672 31,951
Quebec 138 7,344
Maritime Prov. 336 33,410
Manitoba—
Saskatchewan 425 74,320
British Columbia 286 36,157
Alberta 186 33,508
Total 3,160 368,863

MOURNED FOR TWO YEARS.

Soldier Who Was Lost in Mons Retreat is Prisoner.

After having been mourned as dead for nearly two years, Rifleman Henry Robinson Lupton, of the King's Royal Rifles, has now written to his mother, Mrs. Lupton, of Back Lane, Horsforth, near Leeds, England, to say that he is alive and well and a prisoner of war in Germany.
Lupton was in the great retreat, and Mrs. Lupton received official information that her only son had been killed. A few weeks ago a letter written from Werden Ruhr, and dated August 16, came to hand, in which Lupton says that in August, 1914, he was taken ill, and had to be left behind in a village with eleven others.
After resting about two hours, Lupton says, they were surrounded by Germans. As he had no wish to become a prisoner he managed to make his escape. He roamed about the district hiding in the forest all day, and emerging at dusk to ask for food at the nearest house. After dodging the enemy in this way for 22 months he was at last obliged, through illness and lack of food, to give himself up to the Germans in June last.

CREWS OF SUBMARINED SHIPS FROZEN TO DEATH IN BOATS

German Pirates Leave Norwegian Sailors to Die of Exposure and Exhaustion.

A despatch from London says: Copenhagen Politiken transmitted by the Exchange Telegraph Company. Four men were frozen to death, report adds, and a Norwegian man died on his arrival at Alesund.

BALLOONS WERE BOMBED.

How Two British Aviators Destroyed Six Observation Bags.

The Australian and New Zealand soldiers, whose valor and grit manifested in Gallipoli and in Picardy have received high recognition in London, are themselves enthusiastic in praise of the British airmen on the western front.
"They are all astonishingly brave," said a convalescent New Zealander who has watched them for months. "You always know that if the machine is very high up it belongs to Fritz, but if it is taking every risk and playing round among the Arches it is one of ours. Often your heart is in your mouth as you watch them flying through a sky that looks black with shells. We have strict orders not to cheer, and I've only known our trenches do it once. That was after a most dramatic bit of work by British aircraft.
"Two aeroplanes had suddenly whirled over our lines, flying low and so mixed up that we were confused as we watched them. One was obviously English and it was attempting to drive the other back over the German lines, and as they flew in circles we saw it was succeeding. The Germans were watching with as much interest as we, and so, we thought, were the men in the six beautiful observation balloons of a new pattern moored behind the German lines. The man who was chasing forced the other right back over the German trenches, and instantly they separated, each flying toward those balloons.
"It was the most dramatic thing you ever saw. Before the Germans had time to realize what was happening those six balloons were bombed and destroyed. One man alone was quick enough to seize a parachute and fling himself out, but the bomb that ripped his balloon killed him as he fell. It was then that our trenches at the back cheered like mad. We didn't. We turned round, waved at them and yelled 'Shut up! You must relieve your feelings somehow.'"

She Always Has It.

Little Lemuel—Say, paw, are all the words in the dictionary?

Paw—No, I guess not, son. Every little while a new word comes into use.

Little Lemuel—Then what is the very last word, paw?

Paw—I don't know, son. Go and ask your mother.

When a fool is angry he opens his mouth and closes his eyes.

There are men who would not kick an enemy when he was down—preferring to jump on him with both feet.

The tendency to suicide is more prevalent among the educated and wealthy than among the poorer and middle classes.

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Items Of Interest.

A woman may not always be a close observer, but on the other hand she is always a clothes observer.

The gasoline engine is the only hired man the farmer can get that does not flirt with the hired girl, yet is the steadiest sparker on record.

A New York doctor's name was left out of the telephone directory and he is suing for \$10,000. Any wide awake newspaper could make him famous for much less than that.

Measles have broken out in the 110th Battalion at Camp Borden. It is not known at present what effect this will have on the movements of the battalion. It may prevent them going eastward for some weeks.

With prohibition in effect, an emptying of the poorhouses was anticipated; but with butter forty cents a pound, milk eight cents a quart, and bread eight cents a loaf, all hopes have been shattered. The institutions will have to be continued.—Listowel Banner

Three Toronto men got sent to jail without the option of a fine, for being drunk while driving cars. Being drunk is a crime in itself nowadays, but being drunk while driving a motor car is certainly a greater offence, for these dizzy drivers never get a chance to run over themselves.

Thos. E. Blair of town, fireman on the Durham-Palmerston train, was mysteriously shot in the leg while attending his regular duties on the cab part of his engine. The shooting occurred two miles north of Mt. Forest, the bullet passing between the cab and the fender. None of the train crew saw the shot fired nor can anyone throw any light on the affair.—Durham Review.

Mr. W. H. Wright, barrister of Owen Sound, a native of the riding, was chosen as Dominion Liberal candidate for Southeast Grey, succeeding the late H. H. Miller, and Dr. Mearns of Hanover was selected as Provincial Liberal candidate for the riding of "Seely" at the Liberal convention at Durham on Monday.

A Toronto paper points out that there is need of redoubled efforts on the part of the women of this country who have been sewing and knitting for the soldiers, and high time for those who have not started to begin. In some cases enthusiasm has died down in the face of hard work. If the soldiers followed that example the war would soon be over—and not in our favor. Here in Bruce, with our county battalion just off for the front, the requirement for knitted goods will be very much greater than ever this winter.

The resourceful French perfumers recently started in to make a toilet preparation that had been monopolized by Germany. It was cologne water. They changed the name a bit in order to rob it of its enemy sting, and then offered to the public. But they do tell that even in France there was no response to the marketing, as people continued to ask for cologne, and to look askance at the druggist when he explained that he had something just a little better under a new name. So the old name was restored to the French article, and the sale proceeded. It may be that the makers of other lines will experience the same trouble. It all goes to prove that the real answer to the old word "What's in a name?" would make quite a volume.

A Murderous Race.

A Frenchman was waiting at a railway station in Ireland when a couple of natives sat down beside him. Said one:

"Sure, Pat, it's down to Kilmory I've been and I'm on my way back now to Kilpatrick."

"Ye don't say," said the other. "It's meef that's just after being down to Kilkenny and I stop here a bit before I go to Kilmoor."

"What assassins!" exclaimed the shocked Frenchman, "Would that I were safely back in France!"

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The autumn session of Waterloo County Council was held at Kitchener last week but nothing was done in the matter of taking official notice of the name Kitchener. Reeve Reist, of Preston, stated that as there was a possibility of the name being changed back by the city it would be advisable to leave the matter in abeyance until after the next municipal elections.

Pauper had Wealthy Father

Born on the Hamilton Mountain and a son of the man that owned a large part of the land on which the city of Hamilton is now built, Mr. J. Wedge, descendant of a wealthy family, passed away in the House of Refuge here on Sunday night at the advanced age of 91 years. The deceased who had been bed-ridden for the past two years, succumbed to the general ravages of old age. He was amongst the first to be admitted to the Bruce Shelter, he entering fifteen years ago from the township of Brant, where for many years he worked as a farm laborer. He is survived by a grown-up daughter. The remains were interred in the Walkerton cemetery on Tuesday afternoon.—Times

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Of all overworked women probably the housewife is the hardest worked. She has so much to attend to, with very little help. Her work can be lightened if she knows the value of system and she should try and take a short rest in the daytime. A physician who became famous almost around the world, Doctor Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., the specialist in women's diseases, for many years practiced medicine in a farming district. He there observed the lack of system in the planning of the work.

If it is a headache, a backache, a sensation of irritability or twitching and uncontrollable nervousness, something must be wrong with the head or back, a woman naturally says, but all the time the real trouble very often centers in the organs. In nine cases out of ten the seat of the difficulty is here, and a woman should take rational treatment for its cure. The disorder should be treated steadily and systematically with Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

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Some of the letters now coming through to anxious friends from the front are written in a peculiar green ink. The explanation is that in the elaborate dugouts which the Canadian boys have taken are found many things which the Germans left behind in their flight and among these are bottles of ink. Some of the letters are begun in black ink and suddenly changed to green, showing at what stage in the letter the German writing fluid was introduced into the fountain pen.

A Squeeze For Uncle Sam.

The appearance of a German submarine on the Atlantic coast of the United States has raised a new issue between that country and the allied powers of Europe.

Following the visit of the submarine, Britain, France and Russia joined in a note to the United States, requesting that submarines be not accorded, in neutral ports, the same privileges as are extended to war vessels belonging to a country engaged in war—that is, that such a vessel may put into a neutral port remain 24 hours and receive such supply of food for the crew and fuel as may be necessary to bring the ship to its nearest home port.

To this request the United States Government replied that it would treat submarines the same as other war vessels, making no distinction between under-water and above-water craft.

Evidently the United States diplomats little thought that in making this reply they were hitting their own country much harder than the European powers. But so it turned out.

Immediately on the refusal of the United States Government to comply with their request, the allied powers issued an order that all ships owned by their citizens and now in United States ports were to remain there until further orders were issued. This practically tied up all United States transatlantic commerce, as there are comparatively few vessels other than British or French, engaged in this traffic. Imagine the consternation this would bring to United States shippers. Hundreds of thousands of tons of goods of all sorts sold at great profit in the European, African or Asiatic markets is tied up infinitely. The whole foreign trade of the country is simply paralyzed.

The implication of the Allies' order was that, because of the stand taken by the United States regarding submarines the safety of ships upon the Atlantic could not be guaranteed. Ship owners of course, might sail if they chose, but in the event of their ship or ships being sunk by a submarine, there would be no composition nor insurance paid.

The governments of Holland, Denmark and Norway have taken a different stand from that of the United States. They have issued a warning that submarines entering their ports or coming within waters controlled by them must leave at once or they will be attacked or interned.

It is safe to say that the attitude of the Washington Government was determined, at least in large measure, by fear of the effect upon the pro-German vote at the coming election.

The pro-Germans, however, cannot help out in the shipping difficulty, and it is hard to see how Wilson and Lansing can maintain their present stand. Certainly great pressure will be brought upon them by the great business interests engaged in overseas commerce.

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A letter from a soldier at the front published in the Orillia Packet recently seemed to say: "This is a great place for scenery; but—send us more socks!" Never was the need so urgent as now. Are you doing all you can to help the Red Cross Society in its noble work? Surely many of us have reason to feel ashamed of our self-indulgence and lack of interest in the men who are fighting our battles.

When is Harvest Time?

All through the year wheat is being harvested. In January it is being cut in the great fields of the Argentine and in New Zealand. In February and March it is cut in the East and Egypt. The wheat fields are harvested in April in Cyprus, Asia Minor, Persia and Cuba, and in May in China and Japan. June is the busiest harvest month of the whole year, for then Turkey, Greece, Spain and southern France, as well as most of the Southern States are all cutting wheat. The more northerly States as well as Austria, Germany, and parts of Russia, do their harvest gathering in July. August sees the wheat crop gathered in Great Britain, and September and October for Sweden and Norway. Peru and South Africa are busy harvesting in November and December.

Premises Like Hog Pen

Wearing layer upon layer of filthy rags which included nine pairs of pants, several shirts and coats, and carrying a bag containing \$1,300, Amos Davis of Chatham Township appeared in the county police court at Chatham charged with neglecting to clean up his premises after receiving due notice from the medical officer of health. He was fined \$10 and costs. Dr. Charteris, M.O.H. of the township, stated that he had found the premises "like a hog pen." The prosecution was a result of an investigation made by the M.O.H. and High Constable Peters, who recently forced an entrance, and found the defendant's daughter hopelessly insane in a room in which she was alleged to have been kept in close confinement for six years. The unfortunate girl has since been removed to Orillia Asylum.

Put New Life into Fall Fairs

(Farmers' Advocate)

Most of the fall fairs in Ontario have been held for another season, and the big day in many a county town is again over for the year. There are upwards of three hundred local fairs held annually in this province, and the attendance this year has been reported as fairly good. If it averaged a little over 8,000 people it would mean that more than 1,000,000 persons, largely from the farms of Ontario, attended these shows. We believe that the estimate is not too high, for we know many fairs that have a great deal larger attendance than 8,000 some running as high as eight and ten thousand people. We have heard the question, and in fact it has been discussed in the columns of farm papers, as to whether or not the county fair as at present constituted was worth while. When we come to think of the fact that in Ontario alone 1,000,000 people get a day off to see the show, and that the majority of these are farmers with their wives and children, we would not care to see the county fair go out, for the farmer and his family certainly do not have any holidays at present.

A county fair should be a great holiday. It should

have an effect on the agriculture of the district round about year after year otherwise it is not doing the good which it might do. Too many of these fairs have become stereotyped, and nothing new, interesting, and more educative is planned year after year. The same old grain comes out in some cases; the same exhibitors show fruit, vegetables and field roots; the same breeders bring a few of their best stock; or, to make a show, some are encouraged to bring a few animals out of the field. The same old fairs ply the same old trade, and four or five rather questionable side-shows very often get the hard-earned dimes which are none too plentiful with the farmers' boys and girls. We believe that an improvement could be made if a little new blood was injected into some of the Fair Boards. It is all very well to brag about the directors being men of experience, having had twenty-five or thirty years on the Board, but in some cases, no doubt, it would be an improvement to put on a bright young farmer who had ideas and was ready to do a little more work than wearing a nice smile and a pretty piece of ribbon on Fair Day.

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Carrot Jam.—Wash the carrots and scrape them clean, then boil until quite tender. Mash them very smoothly and to each pound of pulp add three-quarters of a pound of sugar, a generous pinch of ginger and a half teaspoonful of grated lemon rind. Boil all together until it sets when a little is dropped on a plate and then put up in sterilized jars as usual.

Green Tomato Pudding.—Line a pudding mold with suet pastry and fill with green tomatoes, sliced and peeled. The tomatoes should be put in between layers of sugar and seasoned with lemon juice. Cover the top with a lid of the pastry, fasten up as usual and boil hard for two hours. When cooked turn out of the mold and serve with a simple syrup sauce flavored with ground ginger.

Vienna Steaks.—Chop together one-half pound each of raw, veal and raw beef. Season with three-fourths teaspoon salt, paprika and a little celery salt, one-eighth teaspoon nutmeg, one teaspoon lemon juice and a few drops of onion juice. Add one beaten egg. Mix thoroughly and let stand three hours. Make into small steaks and pan broil. While hot spread with butter and sprinkle with salt and pepper.

Plum Sago.—Soak three and one-half ounces of fine sago in a pint of water for at least an hour, and then put both into a saucepan and bring to a boil. Continue boiling very gently, stirring frequently, until the sago is quite clear. Stone and skin one pound of plums and add them, together with six ounces of sugar, and keep the whole simmering until the plums are soft. Then pour into a well-rinsed mold and when cold turn out on a glass dish and serve with whipped cream.

Tomato Cream Soup.—Heat one quart of strained stewed tomatoes to boiling; add two tablespoonfuls of flour rubbed smooth in a little cold water. Let the tomatoes boil until thickened, stirring constantly that no lumps form, add salt, also one-half a teaspoonful of celery salt. Have ready one cup of hot rich milk or cream, add the cream or milk to the tomatoes, and let all boil together for a minute, serve with bread cut in inch squares and browned in a hot oven.

Vinegar Cabbage.—One cabbage, seasoning, one ounce of butter, one cupful of best malt vinegar. Shred the cabbage finely and boil rapidly in salted water until it is quite tender. Stand on one side of the stove to keep hot and make a sauce by blending the butter and the seasoning with a cupful of vinegar. Pour the sauce over the cabbage, cover the saucepan and let it stand on one side of the stove for five minutes, as before. It is then ready to serve.

Apple Pie.—Sift together one heaping teaspoonful baking powder and one pint of flour, add a piece of butter as large as a walnut, one pinch salt, one beaten egg, sweet milk enough to make a soft dough. Roll it out one-half inch thick, butter a square biscuit tin and cover the bottom and sides with dough; fill the pan with quartered juicy apples, sprinkle with a little cinnamon and molasses. Bake in rather quick oven until the crust and apples are cooked a light brown. Sprinkle a little sugar over the top five minutes before removing from oven.

Sweet Pickled Damsons.—Put two

pounds of damsons in a large jar with one pound of cube sugar. Cover with thick paper and stand in the oven till the fruit is tender, but not at all broken. Drain off the syrup and add to it one-half pint of vinegar, six cloves, the same of allspice berries, ten peppercorns and a bit of ginger and mace. Boil all these ingredients together, and when cold pour them over the damsons, which should have been placed in jars or bottles. If bottles are used they should be corked and the corks waxed over. The pickle is fit for use at once, but improves by keeping. It is excellent with fried steaks and chops, as well as with cold meat.

Carrot Chowder.—One cupful of diced raw carrot, one cupful of diced raw potatoes, one cupful of sliced raw onions, one tablespoonful of chopped parsley, one cupful of milk, half a tablespoonful of butter, half a tablespoonful of flour; seasoning. Boil the carrots and onions in a quart of boiling water for fifteen minutes with the lid off the saucepan; add the potatoes, cover and boil for twenty minutes; stir in the milk and seasoning and boil for five minutes. Melt the butter in a cup and stir the flour into it smoothly. Add to the contents of saucepan, boil all together for another five minutes, sprinkle in the parsley and serve.

Macaroni Stuffed Cabbage.—One head hard, white cabbage, one and one-half cups cooked macaroni, one tablespoon flour, three tablespoon butter, one cup sweet milk, four tablespoon grated cheese, salt to taste. Cut outer leaves from cabbage and one thick slice from top. Stand in salted water for ten minutes or so. Wash in cold water and boil until fork will pierce it. Remove, drain and cut out center. Melt two tablespoon butter, add flour and when smooth milk. Cook until thickened, add cheese and salt to taste. Put remainder of butter over cabbage, sprinkle with cayenne and fill hollow alternately with layers of macaroni and sauce. Bake until cabbage is tender and browned on top.

Home-Made Fireless Cooker. A fireless cooker is almost a necessity in the up-to-date kitchen, but the expense is a serious consideration with the young housewife. However, a very satisfactory substitute can be made at virtually no cost and will prove an economical means of boiling and stewing. Get a stout wooden box, if possible with a hinged lid; line it with newspapers or packing paper; then cover the papers with baize or felt. Cover the lid inside in the same manner. Press enough hay firmly into the bottom of the box to form a compact layer six inches deep. Fill the box with hay, pressing it well against the sides, and make nests for the pans or casseroles you intend to use, leaving a partition of hay between the top of the pots and the box lid. To fill this space you make a mattress like cushion of baize and fill it tightly with hay. It must fit the top of the box tightly and be six inches thick. See the contents of the pans are absolutely boiling when put in. If opened during cooking they must be reboiled. You can make any kind of stew, of meat, game or poultry, by cooking it over the fire in the usual way for twenty minutes, and when boiling putting it into the hay box, covering it up with the cushion,

shutting up the lid and leaving it six hours. Lentil, pea or mixed vegetable soups require thirty minutes' boiling on the fire and four hours in the hay box. Boiled meat requires thirty minutes' boiling for a small joint and forty-five for one of five pounds and four to five hours in the hay box. Beefsteak pudding requires an hour's steady boiling on the fire and four to five hours in the hay box; suet pudding the same. Soft vegetables, like potatoes, and cereals, like rice, sago, tapioca, macaroni, require five minutes' boiling and one and a half hours in the box. Haricot beans, lentils, carrots, turnips, require twenty minutes' boiling and three hours in the box. Oatmeal porridge can be cooked fifteen minutes on the fire, then left all night in the box, and be given five minutes on the fire before serving at breakfast. Any kind of fruit can be stewed in the hay box. It is best to make a syrup of sugar and water, add cloves, lemon or any flavoring liked, bring to the boil, add the fruit and let it simmer ten minutes; put into the cooker and leave three hours. Small fruit takes less time. Any dish that is to be eaten hot must be brought to the boil after taking it out of the hay box before serving.

Useful Hints.

Mend knitted underwear with a crochet needle.
Sweet oil will remove finger marks from furniture.

If you wish fish to be crisp, do not cover while cooking.
A sharp instrument should never be used to remove dirt from beneath the finger nails.

When chestnuts are in season they are a delicious addition (boiled) to a simple salad.

Baked stuffed tomatoes or peppers will be much improved if brushed over with olive oil.
Do not leave the furnace ashes uncovered after sifting. Sprinkle with water and cover tightly.

Tea that is long steeped loses a delicate flavor and develops a larger amount of tannic acid.

Vegetables containing sugar will not keep their sweetness long and should be cooked as soon as possible.
Croquettes should stand in a warm place for half an hour before frying; this makes them brown more quickly.

In covering jelly with paraffin it is best to melt the paraffin and turn it over the jelly while the latter is hot. For peach stains, wet the stain, spread it with cream of tartar, and see in the sun. Then wash as usual.

A good flavor can be added to the scalloped potatoes by adding a sweet green pepper, boiled and chopped fine. Eggbeaters should be rinsed as soon as used, and any dish that has had eggs in it should be filled with cold water until it is used.

If garbage is burned it should be first dried; otherwise steam is created and the moisture is injurious to the firebox.

Milk strainers can be cleaned by rubbing a cake of soap over the wire and then pouring boiling water through the strainer.

To prevent cakes, pies and other pastry from burning on the bottom, sprinkle the bottom of the oven with fine, dry salt, and your cake or pies will bake perfectly.
When coal is red-hot it has parted with most of its heat; therefore, dampers should be closed before it reaches that stage to prevent the heat from going out the chimney.

When preparing asparagus for the table, it is well to strip off the beards all the way up to the head, because it is these little pockets that catch the sand, and washing does not remove it.

If you wish to keep a very low fire going in the furnace, do not clean the ashes from the fire for several days, but just enough draught to light it.

A simple and splendid filling for pin cushions can be made of dreid coffee grounds which do not pack down and never rust the needles. Be sure all the coloring is out of the grounds before filling the pin cushions.

To get rid of ants in the house paint the edges and cracks of the floor with oil of pennyroyal. The ants will disappear very quickly. Care must be used in the use of the drug, as it is a poison. Cayenne pepper is also very effective in ridding the house of ants. Sprinkle it about freely wherever ants are seen.

the soul. Self-indulgence in a palace is as damning as in a hovel. Selfishness is as corroding in royal purple as in rags. Wrath, malice, evil speaking, stealing, jealousy, envy, hatred, godlessness and all the rest of the brood of hell are not excusable because fashionable, respectable and conventional.

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THE SUNDAY LESSON A LUMBER OR METAL CLAD BARN WHICH?

INTERNATIONAL LESSON
OCTOBER 29.

Lesson V.—The Voyage—Acts 27.
1-38. Golden Text—
Psa. 37. 5.

Verse 13. Their purpose—To reach Phoenix (verse 12). There is a harbor still called Phineka, which does "look southwest and northwest"—for this, it must be admitted, is the only possible rendering there. It is just at the back of Lutro, which has usually been identified with Phoenix, and has produced the strained interpretation in the Revised Version (see margin).

14. Down from it—From Mount Ida in Crete. Tempestuous—The original is the word from which we get our typhoon. The wind that sweeps down from Ida is described as coming "in heavy squalls and eddies." Called Euraquilo—A combination of Eurus—east, and aquilo—northwest; it came, accordingly, from east-northwest. The call suggests that Luke repeats the seaman's term; compare King'sley's ode, "Welcome, wild northeast-er!"

15. Face the wind—She would have had to run northward and then somewhat eastward to make Phineka; and in such a gale it was impossible to run so near the wind.

16. Under the lee—So as to get shelter enough for these necessary precautions. Cauda—Still called Goudo. We were able—The we implies that Luke lent a hand in a job which any willing "larder" could tackle. In the next verse we have operations that demanded the skill of sailors. Presumably all of them joined in pulling the rope by which she was trailing, and as she was, of course, water-logged, it took some pulling! The word with difficulty is Luke's reminiscence of the effort.

17. Undergirding—Passing thick cables under the keel and fastening them tightly on deck amidships, to prevent the timbers' starting with the tremendous strain of the mast. This operation, technically known as frapping, is naturally unfamiliar in our time, when shipbuilders have learned how to forestall such dangers, Syrtis—The dangerous sandbank to the southwest. The gear—Almost certainly the mainsail, leaving one or two small sails set to keep the ship steady. It seems that the ship was turned as near the wind as possible; and while pointing nearly north, she thus drifted a little north of west. This is exactly the direction of Malta.

Furniture (margin)—The word is general; they collected all the equipment that could possibly be spared and pitched it over. The addition of with their own hands is intended to suggest what a desperate sacrifice it was.

20. In the absence of sun and stars they could, of course, have no knowledge where they were drifting. Taken away—More exactly, "was being stripped off"; one hope after another vanishes.

21. Without food—Not absolutely; the word describes "loss of appetite" in the medical literature, with which Luke has so much in common. Paul stood forth—Commentators will compare the splendid ode in which Horace describes the "just man, unshakable," who remains unmoved amid the storms of "restless Hadrea." It does not seem that the despairing men accepted Paul's comfort yet. The turning point apparently comes after verse 29, where, having exhausted all possible action, the men take to prayer; see margin, and note on Acts 26. 29 (October 22). It is at least suggestive that at that point Paul virtually takes command. They "prayed for the day," which no prayer would hasten, and God instead sent them a man with his wits about him. Have gotten—Literally, gained. The word has irony in it—it was the "gain" of a minus quantity. Injury—A word often denoting a criminal assault on the person, a combination of insult and injury.

22. And now—Emphatic; he recalls his previous neglected counsel, which

A Helpful Discussion of a Very Important Subject.

By A. A. GILMORE, A.S.A.E.

When a farmer decides to erect a new barn, he naturally wants prices on the different materials that will be used in the building. The local lumbermen quote him a price of \$25.00 per thousand on a pretty good grade of lumber. Then he goes to the hardware man or his builder, and wants to get prices on metal roofing and possibly siding, and is quoted a price of \$5.50 or \$6.00 per square. Very likely the intention is to erect a frame of wood, possibly plank construction, and cover the roof with metal, and the sides as well, if the cost is not too high, but Mr. Farmer considers these prices carefully all the way home, and finally comes to the conclusion that the lumber figures out about 2 1/2 c. per foot, and the metal 5 1/2 or 6 c. per foot, or more than twice as much as the wood. It certainly looks like it, but—

Let us take two barns, size 36' wide, 56' long, side wall 16' high, gambrel roof, and compare them. We will consider the frame to be built of plank construction in both cases, one barn to be covered completely with lumber, and the other covered on the walls and roof with metal.

The lumber in the frame in either case will cost \$500.00, and the following is a short list of the materials required in a metal clad barn:

Frame, including floors, etc.	\$ 500.00
3737 s. f. 28 ga. Galv. Corr. Iron, walls @ \$5.50 per square	205.53
3619 s. f. 28 ga. Galv. Corr. Iron, roof, @ \$6.00 per square	217.14
58 lin. ft. Ridge, @ .13	8.44
116 " Hip, @ .12	13.92
116 " Eave Starter, @ .07	8.12
116 " Gable Cornice, @ .11	12.76
112 " End Cornice, @ .15	15.68
50 lbs. 1 1/2" Galv. Nails, @ .09	4.50
54 lbs. 1 1/2" Galv. Nails, @ .09	4.86
18 lbs. Lead Washers @ .15	2.70
2 Barn Vents @ \$5.55	11.10
2 Gable Windows @ \$4.00	8.00
1 Roof Window	6.00
Lightning Conductors	8.00
Total Metal work	\$526.75

Hardware for doors, etc. 30.00
Nails for frame and floors 30.00
Erection of wood and metal work 196.00

Total \$1282.75

The above are actual figures used by contractors when tendering on farm barns, and while the prices of metal may have advanced a little since this estimate was made, the difference is not great in a barn of this size.

Following is list of material required for complete lumber clad barn:

Frame and floors	\$ 500.00
3,600 s. f. wall covering @ \$25.00 per M.	90.00
Roof Sheeting (required in addition to the 1x6 strips on 2" centres on which the corr. iron is secured) 2,400 s. f. @ \$25.00 per M.	60.00
27,000 Wood Shingles @ \$4.00	108.00
1 Dormer Window on roof	10.00
2 Gable-end Windows @ \$2.00	4.00
2 Wooden Vents @ \$7.00	14.00
Lightning connections, with points, etc.	25.00
Hardware for complete barn	36.00
Erection	250.00
Total	627.00

According to the Valuator's Tables of the Insurance Companies the depreciation on a metal clad building is never greater than 1 1/2% per annum, while on a wooden building it is not less than 2 1/2%. The total cost of the metal clad barn is \$1,282.75, which at 1 1/2% amounts to \$16.03 per year. It would be eighty years before the complete cost was expended in repairs.

Now look at the wooden clad barn. The price is \$1,127.00 and the depreciation is 2 1/2%, so that the wear and tear would amount to \$28.20 per year. This building will last almost forty years before the complete cost has been expended in repairs. It has only half the lifetime of the metal clad building, yet the total difference between the two, completely erected, is only \$155.75. It is apparent that the cost of repairs on a wooden building would offset in a few years the extra initial cost of a metal clad barn, and when the fire and lightning-proof qualities, the better appearance and low insurance rate on the latter is considered the choice should be an easy one for Mr. Farmer.

events had justified, only to induce them to listen now.

23. An angel—To the pagans whom Paul was addressing the word would simply mean a messenger. The God—Note Paul's delicate consideration for the men's religious susceptibilities. Another day he would plead for his God as the one God, now it is enough to identify him as the God to whom his own life and service were given.

24. A certain island—Quite indefinite; the name of Melita was no part of the revelation.
HISTORY OF DOBRUDJA.

Awarded to Roumania in Exchange for Province of Bessarabia.

The Province of Dobrudja is as little known outside of its immediate neighborhood as is the mystery of Tibet itself, Lhasa the Forbidden.

Away back in the second century, when Emperor Trajan reigned at Rome, the Roman legionaries penetrated into what is now the Dobrudja. There is now a reminder of the early Roman domination in a series of ruins which run from the Danube to the sea and are called Trajan's wall. The authenticity of this connection is not accepted by historians, however, although it persists in popular belief.

The Romans called the province Scythia Minor. Its present name, Dobrudja, dates from the fourteenth century, when a Bulgarian prince named Dobritch (or Dobrotich) established there a Bulgarian principality. The town of Dobritch, which was taken by Mackensen and his Bulgarians recently, was founded by that prince and bears his name. The word Dobrudja is a corruption of the name of the same prince.

The area covered by the geographical designation Dobrudja is 7,500 square miles. It has a population of about 250,000. In 1878 Russia took the Dobrudja from Turkey as a result of the war of the preceding year. Russia turned the territory over to Roumania in exchange for the Province of Bessarabia, adjoining Little Russia.

Roumania did not care much for the exchange, but Russia insisted upon it, and the congress of Berlin which went counter to Russia's wishes in almost every other respect, assented to the Russian idea of rewarding ally for his aid in war.

When Roumania took over the Dobrudja the province extended from the delta of the Danube on the north to a line drawn from a point a hundred miles south of Mangalia, on the Black Sea, to a point ten miles east of Silistria, on the Danube.

Bread should not be put in a hot oven. It should not be baked the first ten minutes, and then gradually.

THE GOSPEL AND WELL FAVORED

Wickedness Is No Less Offensive to God If Dressed in Silks and Satins.

Text:—"Into a far country."—Luke, xv., 13.

The young man known to history as the Prodigal Son made two charts of his travels—one of his soul, the other of cities and barren lands. They do not coincide. He was in the far country mentally and spiritually long before he spent his substance in riotous living while "seeing life." Lot was in Sodom before he entered the gates. "He pitched his tent toward Sodom." Righteousness is not a thing of diagrams and circumstances.

The Man Who Is Down and Out.

Had I been born of worthless and vicious parents in the so called slums, or forced to live there through unavoidable poverty caused by sickness or industrial depressions, I think I should bitterly resent the officious and superior goodness of many who engage in the diverting excursions called slumming. It is easy for us to classify the sinners who are conspicuous-law breakers, social anarchists, moral and mental defectives; the denizens of the haunts of vice and crime; the obvious wretchednesses of the ragged, homeless and hungry. It is easy to say that the saving grace of Christ and human "uplift" are necessary and to be welcomed by the "submerged tenth" and the man who is down and out. "What else has he got?" you say. That's true.

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Serbian Troops Build Sanctuary in Honor of King Peter THE troops of the reorganized Serbian army north of Saloniki recently erected a sanctuary with their own hands in honor of King Peter. This shows mass being held just before the troops are going forth to battle.

THE ONLY WAY TO CURE RHEUMATISM

Must Be Treated Through the Blood and the Poisonous Acid Driven Out.

The twinges and tortures of rheumatism are not due to cold, damp weather as so many people suppose. Rheumatism comes from poisonous acids in the blood. This is a medical fact. Every rheumatic sufferer should know this. There is only one way to cure rheumatism—it must be treated through the blood. All the liniments and rubbing and so-called electric treatment in the world will not cure rheumatism, and the sufferer who tries them is not only wasting money, but is allowing the trouble to become more firmly rooted in the system and harder to cure when the proper remedy is tried. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have had remarkable success in curing rheumatism because they go right to the root of the trouble in the blood, driving out the poisonous acid, releasing the stiffened joints, clearing away the torturing pains, and giving the victim renewed health and ease. Mr. Vincent Brow, Havre Bouche, N. S., says: "For two years I was an almost constant sufferer from rheumatism, the trouble being so bad at times that I could scarcely get about. The trouble seemed to bring with it anemia, and altogether I was in a very bad condition. I used doctor's medicine for almost a year without relief. Then on the advice of a friend I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I think I took altogether about seven boxes, with the result that I am again enjoying perfect health." You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail, post paid, 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

HOUSES FOR EMPLOYEES.

The C.N.R. is Building Up-to-Date Homes in New Ontario.

The Canadian Northern Railway is planning to complete one hundred houses distributed over a number of divisional points on the Montreal-Port Arthur section of its transcontinental line. These homes—modern, comfortable and of pleasing design—are intended to provide satisfactory accommodation for the employees of the road and their families, who will be living at these centres. The conditions of occupancy have been made so easy that it will be a comparatively simple matter for the C.N.R. employees to virtually own outright the towns, Brent, Capreol, Foley, Horne Payne and Jellicoe, where the company house-building operations are now in progress.

It is confidently expected by Mr. Cyril T. Young of the Eastern Lands Dept. of the Canadian Northern, who in charge of the work, that the employees will be able to celebrate Christmas, 1916, in their cosy new homes. This work, he says, will provide each point the nucleus of a progressive town. With the extension of electric lighting, which may later development, the homes in Ontario will be equipped quite as completely as are the homes of similar size in long established towns and cities in Old Ontario. They contain a large living room, from which a winding stair-case leads to the upper floor, a kitchen, a pantry, and a room, on the ground floor. Above these are two bedrooms, a bathroom, and a sewing-room, all of fair size. One of the hardships in winter has been eliminated by the provision of a roofed-over coal and wood bin

outside the house, but against the kitchen, with a sliding door arranged in the wall so that the household supply can be replenished without the usual cold out-of-door journey.

The walls, up to the eaves, are of timber—6 and 7 inch logs "sided" down to 5 inches at the saw mill at Foley, made snug and comfortable by caulking with oakum. The cornice is carried entirely around to provide a "bell-end" end. Windows there are in plenty, and on the upper floor a ten-foot wide dormer window furnishes natural lighting for the sewing-room, while on the opposite side a window eight feet wide, provides for the bathroom and stair-way. The white sanded roofing is fireproof, and the solid construction of the houses appealed to the Canadian Northern executive officers as an added protection against the danger in the north. Beaver board supplies the interior finish, and ship lap may be added outside.

As a general rule the plan has been followed of placing each house at the side of a good sized lot, to facilitate the planting of the remainder to garden truck for table needs. But the townmen and their families, who move to the new towns to take up residence, are expected to constitute a fairly good market and it is understood that the Ontario Government is surveying, and will later throw open to settlement a township contiguous to the town of Foley and another to Horne Payne, in the great clay belt. The Canadian Northern officers are confident that the building of these homes will mark the beginning of a new era in the New North. First there should follow the stores to cater to the needs of the town dwellers, and then settlers to take up the adjacent land, because of the inducement of a good market, and the advantages of adequate shipping facilities.

Handsomest Cathedral.

Mexico City, the capital of Mexico, is a town of some historic interest, while its cathedral is regarded as the handsomest church on the American continent. The foundation stone of this edifice was laid in 1593 on the site of a former heathen temple. The national museum is filled with treasures of Aztec civilization, and various memorials of the hapless Maximilian and the beautiful Carlotta lend a lustre to this attractive city. The climate is quite good and the population about 471,000, many of whom are Americans and Germans.

For Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

Here in America there is much suffering from catarrh and head noises. American people would do well to consider the method employed by the English to combat this insidious disease. Everyone knows how damp the English climate is and how dampness affects those suffering from catarrh. In England they treat catarrhal deafness and head noises as a constitutional disease and use an internal remedy for it that is really very effective. Sufferers who could scarcely hear a watch tick tell how they had their hearing restored by this English treatment to such an extent that the tick of a watch was plainly audible seven and eight inches away from either ear. Therefore, if you know someone who is troubled with catarrh, catarrhal deafness or head noises cut out this formula and hand it to them and you will have been the means of saving some poor sufferer. From total deafness the prescription can be easily prepared at home for about 75c. and is made as follows: From your druggist obtain 1 oz. of Parment (Double Strength), about 75c. a pint of hot water and 4 ounces of granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take a tablespoonful four times a day. Parment is used in this way not only to reduce by tonic action the inflammation and swelling in the Eustachian Tubes, and thus to equalize the air pressure on the drum, but to correct any excess of secretions in the middle ear, and the results it gives are usually remarkably quick and effective. Every person who has catarrh in any form should give this recipe a trial and free themselves from this destructive disease.

THE BRAVE BLIND.

An English Nurse Tells a Touching Story of the War.

Few of the many true tales of the heroism of the brave men fighting in the great war equal some of those related of men who will fight no more—the cripples, the deaf, the disfigured, the blind. One such, recently told by an English nurse home on leave to recuperate her strength, is a little story with a heroine as well as a hero; it is, indeed, a love story.

A young French officer, blinded and cruelly disfigured, was for a time under her charge. He was engaged to be married; but as soon as he understood he would never see again, or ever be seen without a shock at the ruin of his once handsome countenance, he wrote releasing his sweetheart from the engagement. She refused to be released; indeed, she appeared at the hospital and demanded that her lover marry her at once. He would not consent; but the interview left him so shaken that he dared not trust himself to see her again. He confided his weakness to the nurse, and begged her help.

"Do not let her in," he pleaded; "but make an excuse to talk with her. Tell her I am not only helpless and hideous—she does not mind, the angel—but that my disposition is altered; say it is often that way with those injured as I am. Say I am no longer fit to live with. Say that I am grown morose, and fly into frightful rages on the smallest provocation; say that those I have most loved are most likely to excite me. Tell her she could not make me happy; she must leave me to strangers. You understand, madame? You will help

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"and I will tell her all about your horrible disposition, you may be sure." "Ah, madame, you mean to betray me!" he cried reproachfully. "I hear it in your voice!" "You certainly do!" she assured him shamelessly. "I am going to betray you into matrimony, and be best man and bridesmaid rolled into one!" And she kept her word.

Drink Hot Water For Indigestion

A Physician's Advice. "If dyspeptics, sufferers from gas, wind or flatulence, stomach acidity or sourness, gastric catarrh, heartburn, etc., would take a teaspoonful of pure bisulphated magnesia in half a glass of hot water immediately after eating they would soon find they were ever afflicted with stomach trouble, and doctors would have to look elsewhere for their trouble. In explanation of these troubles are due to stomach acidity, fermentation of the food contents of the stomach combined with an insufficient blood supply to the stomach. Hot water increases the blood supply and bisulphated magnesia instantly neutralizes the excessive stomach acid and stops food fermentation, the combination of the two, therefore, being marvellously successful and decidedly preferable to the use of artificial digestants, stimulants or medicines for indigestion.

His Day Off. A lady admirer of Kipling's works had long wished to meet the author and at last her desire was gratified. She was frankly disappointed. "You—you are Rudyard Kipling?" Mr. Kipling murmured something. "But I thought," she stammered, "I thought you were—oh! how shall I say it—something quite different." "Oh, I am," the author hastily assured her. "I really am, madam; only, you see, this is my day off."

Vast Cost of Army Housing. Many protests have been made in England as a result of the revelation in an official report that it cost \$95,000,000 to build huts and stables for the British troops in the first year of the war. This is at the rate of \$100 a man, it is stated.

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Correct, One Way. Teacher—Bobby, spell "yesterday," Bobby (with his eye on the calendar)—W-e-d-n-e-s-d-a-y.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc. Same Family Name. An Irishman was seated in a railway carriage next to a very pompous-looking man, with whom he commenced a conversation in a rather free and easy manner. At length the pompous one said: "My good man, reserve your conversation for one of your own equals. I would have you know that I am a K.C." The Irishman jumped up and held out his hand. "Begorry shake!" he exclaimed, "O'm a Casey meself."

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TERRIBLE CLERICAL PARENT.

Bishop Told Queen of Denmark He Had 200 Children. It is related of the Queen of Denmark that she once paid a visit to the Danish colony of Iceland, where the good old-bishop exerted himself to the utmost in her entertainment. His most successful effort in that direction, it is stated, followed upon the explanation of a mistake which had at first greatly scandalized his royal mistress. The Queen paid many compliments to her host, and having learned that he was a family man, graciously inquired how many children he had. It happens that the Danish word for "children" is almost identical in sound with the Icelandic word for "sheep," and the worthy bishop promptly answered "Two hundred." "Two hundred children!" cried the Queen. "How can you possibly maintain such a number?" "Easily enough, please your Majesty," replied the prelate, with a cheerful smile. "In the summer I turn them out upon the hill to grass, and when the winter comes I kill and eat them."

Vanilla comes from an orchid grown in Mexico.



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VANCOUVER A GREAT PORT.

City will Spend \$5,000,000 and the C.P.R. \$1,500,000 on New Wharves.

The Canadian Pacific has plans for wharves at Vancouver which will cost \$1,500,000. These plans will dove-tail into those which the city contemplates to carry out at the port. The latter is growing in value and bigness all the time. There is great complaint from shippers of congestion for Vancouver is becoming a great port. The city is going to spend \$5,000,000 on wharf extension in the immediate future, and the railway company, on its own account, has plans for a further extension of the wharves which it will use for its own business. Both east and west the Canadian Pacific Railway has now for its shipping interests, facilities which render it absolutely independent—this independence making for better and more efficient service in the ocean carrying business, which the company has notably extended during the past few years. The fleet of the company now numbers, all told, over 100 vessels; but it has especially strengthened its Atlantic and Trans-Pacific service in later years—recognizing, as it did, the possibilities of increased exchange between this continent and Europe and Asia, an intimacy and largeness of communication which, somewhat hurt by the war, are resuming their urgency and importance from day to day.

GUARD THE CHILDREN FROM AUTUMN COLDS

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WOOD FOR PIPE-MAKING.

Growing Use of the American Mountain Laurel Root.

A sale of a large quantity of mountain laurel roots from one of the national forests in the Southern Appalachians is reported by Government officials in charge, who say that the roots will be used to make pipes. The mountain laurel root is similar in appearance to the French briar, which the majority of pipe smokers are said to prefer. The French briar is the root of the white hawthorn, or "bruyere." These roots are gathered in large quantities, and after being cleaned and saved into blanks they are placed in hot water and simmered for 12 hours or more. This process gives them the rich hue for which the best pipes are noted. It is said that in 1915 the value of the blanks shipped to this country was almost \$300,000, and in addition a large number of finished pipes were imported.

On account of the present scarcity and high price of French briar, a number of pipe manufacturers in this country have been on the lookout for substitutes, and the Federal Forest Products laboratory has conducted experiments to determine the availability of other woods. It is reported that the mountain laurel root burns out more readily than briar, but forest service experts are trying to find a method of hardening the wood, and have succeeded to an appreciable extent. They have also found that a number of the various kinds of chaparral which are abundant in the West give promise of yielding material which will be the equal of French briar in every way. Other woods now widely used for pipe making are apple, red gum, ebony and birch, together with smaller amounts of olive wood, rosewood and osage orange.

Considerable amounts of the laurel roots are being used, and officials expect to make further sales. The lands purchased by the Government in the Southern Appalachians are reported to contain unlimited quantities of laurel which is widely known for the delicate beauty of its flowers. In places it forms extensive thickets, which are almost impenetrable. Visitors to the mountains say that in the Spring these thickets, or "pink beds" as they are called by the mountaineers, are indescribably beautiful and form one of the main attractions of the region. The sales of laurel root will not be made at places frequented by tourists, or where its removal will detract from the beauty of the landscape.

The War of the Home Seekers. Two English workmen were discussing the war. "It'll be an awful long job, Sam," said one. "It will," replied the other. "You see, the Germans is takin' thousands of the Russians prisoners, and the Russians is takin' thousands and thousands of German prisoners. If it keeps on, all the Russians will be in Germany and all the Germans in Russia. And then they'll start all over again, fightin' to get back to their homes!"

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He Owned Up. "Simple Simon went fishing in his mother's pail." "Not so simple at that," declared the amateur sportsman. "I've spent time and money getting to a place where the likelihood of catching fish was no whit greater."

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The run of cattle was the largest for many months past. Good cattle of all grades were steady to firm. Spring lambs were steady to strong. Sheep were firm.

Good to choice calves were slow and about 50c lower, while common calves were 75c to \$1 lower and hard to sell.

There were very few hogs on sale, the majority being consigned.

Choice heavy steers, \$6.25 to \$6.50; good heavy steers, \$7.50 to \$8.

Butcher Steers and Heifers—Choice \$7.25 to \$7.75; good \$6.75 to \$7; medium, \$6 to \$6.50; common, \$5.50 to \$6.75.

Cows—Choice, \$6.25 to \$6.50; good, \$5.75 to \$6; medium, \$4.25 to \$5.50; common, \$4.25 to \$5. Canners and cutters, \$3.75 to \$4.50.

Bulls—Choice, \$6.75 to \$7; good, \$6 to \$6.50; medium, \$5.50 to \$6; common, \$5 to \$5.50.

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Spring Lambs—Choice, \$11 to \$13.25; cull lambs, 8c to 9c lb.

Light butcher sheep, 7c to 8c lb.; heavy fat sheep and bucks, 5c to 6c lb.; culls, 2 to 5c lb.

Veal Calves—Choice, 10 to 10c lb; heavy fat and grassers, 4c to 7c.

Hogs—Fed and watered, \$11.25; weighed off cars, \$11.60. Less \$2 off light hogs \$2.50 to \$3.50 for sows; \$8 off stage and one half of one per cent. government condemnation loss.

Additional Locals.

Mr. and Mrs. Oetzel of Toronto were visitors at John Hamel's yesterday.

Miss E. Parsill is spending a few days with relatives at Linwood.

Mrs. J. Stewart is having a new residence erected on her farm north of Mildmay.

Some men who talk of the days when they used to buy butter for 16 cents a pound forget they used to work for about a dollar a day then.

All the teachers of the public schools of Carrick attended the convention in Chesley last week. It will be held at Wariatou next year.

Advertising, it is claimed, contributed to the success of the Canadian million dollar loan. There is no doubt of it. Judicious advertising is a factor in the success of every enterprise.

Mrs. M. Murray, Mrs. Ed. Ryan and Mrs. Wm. Norris of Normanby and Miss M. Foley and Mr. Wm. Keane of Ayton motored here last Sunday and visited friends.

Miss Estelle Scheffer received a card of thanks from Gnr. H. Wilton for a pair of socks which she knitted and received by him. He states that this is the third pair he received from the U.J. Club.

Shareholders in the Canadian Ford Motor Company received a rude jar today when they learned that the directors at their annual meeting had decided to take no dividend action at this time, and that for the time being at least, "Ford of Canada" was a non-dividend paper.

The Mildmay Red Cross Society is putting on an entertainment in the town hall on Thursday, Nov. 9th. Miss Lottie Tillotson of Hawaii, assisted by local talent, will furnish the program. Watch for lithographs and further announcements.

A Ford Runabout met with an accident on the Elora road north of Mildmay on Sunday afternoon. The machine skidded on the slippery road, and upset into the ditch. The occupants succeeded in getting the machine on the road again and reached here under its own power, where repairs were made.

A girl was bitten by a rattlesnake while berry picking near Huntsville and her little brother sucked the poison from the wound, thus saving her life, and afterwards killing the snake, which was five feet long. It would be well to remember this simple cure or preventive.

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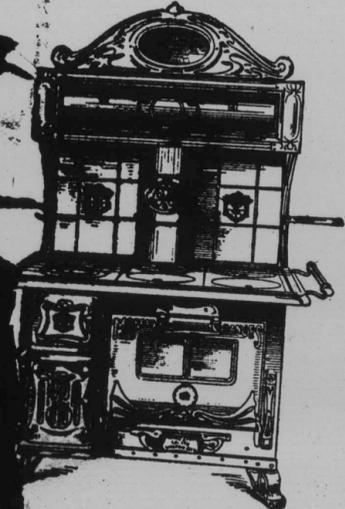
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