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A STIRRING PATRIOTIC LECTURE "THE ROAD TO BERLIN"

will be given by
MR. WALTER MCRAYE
IN GLENCOE

Friday Evening, Jan. 15th
in the interests of the Ladies' Patriotic
Work.

Mr. Walter McRaye, the eminent
Canadian entertainer and lecturer and
who recently pleased a Glencoe audience
at one of their concerts, has kindly
consented to give his new and
splendid lecture "The Road to Berlin"
to the Glencoe people to assist them in
the raising of funds for patriotic pur-
poses. He made a tour of the continent
last summer and saw Paris,
Brussels and London in war time.
Remember the date—January 15th.
All seats for 25c. There will also be
a patriotic address by Peter McArthur,
the well-known Canadian writer, and
music will be provided.

C. G. McNaughton
Agent for Fire, Life, Accident,
Plate Glass and Automobile
Insurance

Phone Blythwell U. & R. P. O. Newbury
No. 111 88 R. R. No. 2.

CREAM

I will pay 28c for Butter Fat deliv-
ered at J. Weaver's office, Glencoe,
on Thursdays.

ELMER CONNELLY,
31st

Wanted

Fifteen cords of green hard body
wood 20 inches long. Must be free
from bad knots. Maple preferred.

JOHN WALKER,
Concession St., Glencoe.

Farm For Sale

South half lot 15, second range
south of Longwoods road, Ekfrid; 15
acres; good buildings. Apply to JOHN
A. MURRAY, Route 2, Appin.

Tenders for Janitor

Tenders will be received by the
undersigned until January 12th, 1915,
for a janitor for Burns' Church, Moss,
duties to commence about January 18,
1915. D. C. MACTAVISH,
"Sunnybrae,"
43-1 Glencoe.

Notice

The annual meeting of the Oakland
Cemetery Company will be held Jan.
20th inst., at two o'clock p. m., town
hall, Glencoe.

Dated January 7, 1915.
GEORGE LETHBRIDGE,
Secretary-Treasurer.

MOSA & EKFRID AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the members
of the Moss & Ekfrid Agricultural Soci-
ety will be held on Wednesday, Jan.
20, 1915, at two o'clock p. m., to re-
ceive the report of the directors and
for the election of officers for the en-
suing year. A good attendance is re-
quested.

THOS. HENDERSON, President.
R. W. McKellar, Secretary.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION

MRS. D. E. WEBSTER WILSON, M. E. L.,
Organist, Glencoe Methodist Church. Piano
and organ instruction given. Residence at
Mrs. Allan McPherson's, Main street south,
Glencoe.

DENTISTRY

R. J. MUMFORD, D.D.S., L.D.S., Office
over Howard's Furniture Store. Phone 16.

DR. W. J. OLANFIELD, M.A., M.B.

Honor Graduate University of Toronto and
Toronto Medical College. Licentiate College
Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario. Six
years' experience. Rural phone. Appin, Ont.

JAMES POOLE

Fire, Life, Accident and Plate Glass In-
surance Agent, representing the greatest fire in-
surance companies of the world, and the leading
mutual fire insurance companies of Ontario.
Office at residence, first door south of the
Presbyterian Church, Glencoe.

GEORGE WILSON,

Clerk of the Division Court, Conveyancer, &c.
Justice of the Peace for the County of Middle-
sex. Commissioner in H. C. J. Office—Main
street, over Lumley's drug store.

Boar for Service

New Reg. Yorkshire, "Maple Grove Hero,
1908," bred by H. S. McDermid, Fingal, Ont.
This boar is a vigorous, heavy-set hog, that
sure to give satisfaction. Is not akin to any-
thing I have had.

D. C. MACTAVISH,
"Sunny Brae," lot 6, con. 7, Moss.

For Sale By Tender

Tenders addressed to Elliott & Moss, Bar-
rieters, etc., Glencoe, Ontario, will be received
up to January 15th, 1915, for the property owned
by the Congregation of the Church of Christ at
Glencoe and being a parcel of land situated in
the Village of Glencoe in the County of Mid-
dsex, containing one-half of an acre more or
less and having a frontage on South street of
ten rods and on North street of eight rods,
and being on a frame church.

Tenders may be given for the land and build-
ing in one parcel or for the land and building
separately. The tenders will be opened on the
15th of February, 1915. A cheque for 1% of
the amount offered must accompany each ten-
der. The highest or any tender not necessarily
accepted.

Dated December 29th, 1914.
ELLIOTT & MOSS,
Vendors Solicitors,
Glencoe, Ontario.

OUR WATCH AND CLOCK REPAIRING DEPARTMENT

Is one to which we draw your special attention as
we do not allow a piece of work to leave this de-
partment until it passes a rigid inspection and is

THOROUGHLY SATISFACTORY

to our customers and ourselves. No matter how
complicated a watch or clock, we can make it
keep accurate time, and our expert workmanship
is at your service. Jewelry and optical work given
the same special attention.

When buying a watch, don't forget we are official
agent for Regina Precision Watches.

SPECIAL—Regina works in gold-filled 20-year
case \$9.00

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Fall and Winter Goods, Dry Goods, Millinery,
Men's Furnishings, Carpets and Rugs,
Groceries, Etc.

P. D. KEITH

We join in wishing our many friends and
customers

A Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year

We also add a real bargain—One only new and
up-to-date Pandora Range with high shelf and
reservoir, special price to clear, \$40.00.

Call and get one of our Calendars.

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Maple, Oak, Shingles, Lath, Posts.

WE MANUFACTURE Doors, Sash, Window Frames, Door Frames, Base,
Casings, Mouldings (all kinds), Tubs, Tanks, Cisterns, Storm Doors,
everything made of wood.

WE CARRY IN STOCK Coal (all sizes), Wood, Listings, Lime, Cement,
Galvanized Iron Roofing, Galvanized Iron Shingles, Galvanized Iron Sid-
ing, Brantford Roofing, Olimax Building Paper, Tile, Hard Wall Plaster,
Hydrated Lime, Pressed Brick, Common Brick.

We aim to give our customers prompt service and as we sell nothing but the
D. L. & W. Scranton Coal you are assured of getting the best coal mined.

McPHERSON & CLARKE
PLANING MILL GLENCOE, ONTARIO

Hockey Skates and Sticks

We have a full line of Hockey Skates in all
sizes. Prices from 50c to \$5.00.

Hockey Sticks from 15c to 50c. See our stock
before buying elsewhere.

Buy Royal Purple and
Pratt's Stock Food
This is the time to feed Royal Purple and get
best results.

JAS. WRIGHT & SON

District News Items.

J. Struthers, of Sarnia, died sudden-
ly from apoplexy, while paying his
taxes.

The Russian Government has order-
ed 20,000 saddles from Canadian manu-
facturers.

The livery barn on Centre street,
Alvinston, was totally destroyed by
fire early Saturday morning.

Sixty new trades, heretofore mainly
German industries, are now being
taught to women in England.

A colored editor and publisher has
begun the publication of a newspaper
at Chatham for members of his race.

J. H. Plain, a Southwold farmer, is
suing the Wabash Railway Company
for \$100, the value of four pigs killed.

The British ambassador at Petro-
grad predicts the victorious end of the
war before autumn. The statement will
be at its height at midsummer.

The Petrolia Wagon Works Co. re-
ceived a contract to supply eighty
wagons to the War Department. It
will take three weeks to complete the
order.

As the result of a fight at Bothwell
between William McMaster and James
Oliver the former was arrested, taken
to Chatham and fined \$31 by Magis-
trate Stanworth.

Tom Harrison, the son of Thomas
Harrison, jeweler of Wallaceburg, died
Thursday. He was a prominent
young man of Wallaceburg and was
about 23 years of age.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs.
James Garrioch, concession A, Alder-
borough, died on Friday, and the
funeral took place to Fairview ceme-
tery, Dutton, on Sunday.

Miss Jessie Wilson, of Wardsville,
has been engaged as teacher for S. S.
No. 12, Dunwich, at a salary of \$900.
There were 30 applicants for the po-
sition, 27 of whom held model school cer-
tificates.

The Canadian Cannery has pur-
chased the Morand cannery factory at
Tecumseh, and are asking the town-
ship of Sandwich East for exemption
from taxation. The same company is
said to have purchased McGregor fac-
tory.

A pretty wedding took place at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Gosnell,
Highgate, on Wednesday, Dec. 30,
when their eldest sister, Jennie, was
united in marriage to Thomas C. Gor-
don, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gor-
don, of Highgate.

Arizona's prohibition amendment,
characterized as the most drastic in the
country, went into effect Jan. 1.
More than 300 saloons and ten whole-
sale liquor establishments will go out
of business. Many saloons located in
border towns will move into Mexico.

The death of Daniel McAlpine oc-
curred suddenly at Kalamazoo, Mich.,
on Dec. 26, at the age of 80 years.
The deceased is a brother of Mrs. Wm.
McLander, Dutton. Duncan McAl-
pine, of St. Thomas, Miss. McAlpine,
of St. Thomas, Miss. His wife died a
number of years ago.

Miss Grace McMillan is ill at her
home "The Gore," concession 2, Alder-
borough. Mrs. McMillan is one of the
pioneer settlers coming from Scotland
in 1832. She is her 80th year, and
until recently has been in good health
and able to relate many interesting
incidents of pioneer days.

Found guilty of obtaining \$800
under false pretences from a bank at
West Lorne, Miss. Anne Stuart, of
Bothwell, a middle-aged woman and
well connected, was allowed to go on
suspended sentence at St. Thomas.

Following the disposal of the case
Miss Stuart was placed under arrest
by Chief Waking, of West Lorne, on a
warrant charging her with forgery of
a note of \$432.40, and was remanded
for a week.

The Leamington Post says:—It is
estimated that Leamington concerns
one. The work taken up is practical
and of use to every farmer, especially
the young man.

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Patriotic Shooting Match.
A shooting match held by Walter
Hailstone at his farm near Strathburn
on New Year's Day was a great suc-
cess, and as a result Mr. Hailstone has
been elected the treasurer of the Patri-
otic Fund the sum of forty dollars, the
amount of the net proceeds.

Good scores were made by those
participating in the match. At the
100-yard range, Henry Moore and
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David McIntyre and Dr. Webster
were close seconds. At the 50-yard,
22-rifle range, Kenneth Urquhart, Ir-
vin Walker, Dr. Webster and Dan
Sinclair made the highest scores, the
first named winning the special. The
shotgun competition was closely con-
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Farrell winning the specials.

Hearty thanks are due to Mr. Hail-
stone, manager of the affair, as also to
Kenneth Urquhart and Cassman
Squires, his assistants, and to the
neighbors and others who contributed
fowl and otherwise helped for the oc-
casion.

If at first you don't succeed,
And in the hole you're stuck,
Let Hailstone be your daily creed,
Don't blame it on your luck.

Local Option Returns.
Local option contests were smaller
in number this year. By-laws carried
in six places—Holland Landing, Jarvis,
Newbury, West Lorne, Palmerston
Township and Harwich Township.

In nine cases the three-fifths re-
quirement prevented the carrying of
the by-law, in spite of a majority. In
only four cases was there a straight
majority against the by-law.

No repeals were sustained, votes be-
ing taken in nine municipalities.
There are three municipalities yet to
hear from.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS
The return by acclamation of the
old councils in Glencoe and Ekfrid and
the return by acclamation of the new
councils in Moss led but little local interest in
the municipal elections on Monday.
Results of a contest for councillors in
Moss and reeve in Metcalfe are given
below:

MOSA
D. D. Graham was re-elected reeve
by acclamation. There were eight
candidates for councillors, of whom
Andrew Gardner, Frederick J. James,
Dan N. Munroe and Elias F. Reycaft
were elected. The result of the poll is
as follows:

Name	Divs.	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Andrew Gardner	29	35	40	70	15	7	108	
Edway Jurdle	39	17	25	70	16	8	184	
Frederick J. James	31	65	32	33	9	4	194	
Alexander C. King	27	2	5	30	17	6	87	
Charles S. Morrison	80	41	17	23	10	4	175	
Daniel N. Munroe	27	25	35	32	50	28	207	
Neil Munroe	9	7	16	20	41	32	134	
Elias F. Reycaft	55	33	28	73	30	27	246	

METCALFE
In the township of Metcalfe Cyrus
Graham was elected reeve. Three coun-
cillors were elected by acclamation,
namely—A. McCallum, A. Campbell
and R. Smith. As four councillors
are necessary, another nomination
meeting will be called to elect one.
The voting for reeve resulted as fol-
lows:

Name	Divs.	1	2	3	4	5	Total
Henry	22	23	22	50	41	158	
Pettit	24	29	5	28	31	108	
Toohill	15	28	47	1	15	106	

DUNWICH
In the township of Dunwich the
race for the reeve was a three-
cornered one between last year's
deputy reeve, Alex. Carr, Dugald Blue
and Alex. McKillop. Carr was elected.
The councillors elected were D.
McMillan, John Campbell and Alex.
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deputy reeve by acclamation.

ALDBOROUGH
Reeve—Alex. McCall (acclamation).
Deputy Reeve—Wismer 557, Weh-
lann 306.
Councillors—Stalker 381, McRae 381,
McKillop 308, Frank 255. The first
three are elected.

CARADOC
Reeve—John Stuart.
Deputy Reeve—Donald Graham.
Councillors—D. Leitch, J. Peters, J.
Clark.

WARDSVILLE
Reeve—R. J. Petch, re-elected, 8
majority over Jas. Minna.
Councillors, elected by acclamation—
Thomas Fauda, Jesse Voce, Geo.
Harold, George Snelgrove.

NEWBURY
Reeve—Chas. Rush.
Councillors—Wm. Bayne, W. J.
Armstrong, M. A. Smith, R. J. Hag-
gith.

BROOKE
Reeve—W. Annett.
Deputy Reeve—W. Bourne.
Councillors—D. M. Campbell, H.
Kennedy and W. Johnston.

EUPHEMIA
Reeve—Annett 311, Waagon 92.
Councillors—S. Annett 210, Badgely
208, Davis 211, Burgess 178.

ALVINSTON
Reeve—J. McCallum.
Councillors—John Baird, John
Brown, A. McLaughlin and F. Mc-
Nally.

DUTTON
Reeve McIntyre was re-elected for
his third year by acclamation.
For Councillors the results were as
follows, the first four being elected:—
D. McCallum 147, Wm. Scoyne 187,
Henry Millon 135, W. Affleck 124, W.
Stillwell 82.

BOTHWELL
Mayor—W. Beamish.
Reeve—J. Lidster.
Councillors—Gen. Mahler, J. Mc-
Lean, R. H. Johnston, W. J. King-
ston, Jas. McGregor, John Duncan.
Hydro by-law carried by a large
majority.

STRATHROY
Mayor—Dugald Graham (acclama-
tion).
Reeve—W. F. Hill, 66 majority.
Deputy Reeve—Sam. Oakes, 17
majority.
Commission—Julius Shields, Defeat-
ed ex-Mayor Henry Owens, 316 to 313.

WEST LORNE
Reeve—J. A. Fuller, elected over J.
B. Ferguson by 13 majority.
Councillors—J. Hunchberger, W. A.
Meldrum, H. C. McKillop and B. A.
Carmichael.
Local option was carried by 130 to
60.

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Foreign statisticians have computed
that five months of war has cost the
nations involved 6,000,000 men killed,
wounded and captured and \$7,000,000,000.
These figures are subdivided as follows:

LOSSES
GREAT BRITAIN—800 officers killed,
4,000 wounded; men 15,000 killed, 60-
000 wounded, 25,000 missing.

FRANCE—Total casualties, 1,100,000,
of whom 180,000 have been killed.

RUSSIA—Total casualties, 1,800,000,
of whom 250,000 have been killed.

BELGIUM—30,000 killed, 68,000
wounded, 35,000 captured.

SERBIA—Total casualties, 170,000;
captured, 80,000.

GERMANY—250,000 killed, 850,000
wounded, 400,000 missing.

AUSTRIA—Total casualties, 1,500,000,
of whom 100,000 have been killed.

EXPENSES
GREAT BRITAIN—\$225,000,000 a month,
or \$1,225,000,000 at the end of the
year.

FRANCE—\$300,000,000 a month, a
total of \$1,500,000,000.

RUSSIA—\$250,000,000 a month, a
total of \$1,750,000,000.

GERMANY—\$300,000,000 a month, a
total of \$1,500,000,000 at home, in addi-
tion to paying the expense of her ally,
Turkey.

AUSTRIA—Estimated to total \$1,000,000,000.

In addition, all warring nations
have lost perhaps as much as they
have spent by paralysation of the com-
merce and industry. Owing to this
tremendous cost, financial authorities
say the war must end within the next
five months.

Methodist Anniversary.
Anniversary services will be held in
Glencoe Methodist church on Sunday,
Jan. 10, when Rev. R. W. Knowles,
M. A., Ph. D., of St. Thomas, will
preach morning and evening. Special
music will be rendered by the choir,
and a special offering is asked for.

On Monday evening the Ladies' Aid
will hold their annual tea meeting.
An excellent supper will be served
from 6 to 8 o'clock, after which a first-
class program will be rendered, con-
sisting of addresses, solos, duets,
quartets, and selections by the choir.
Miss Irene Plewes, graduate in elocu-
tion, of London, will give several
readings.

Admission to tea and entertainment,
35 cents.

Died in the West.
The funeral of the late Mrs. Effie
Campbell, who died at Redvers, Sask.,
took place Saturday afternoon from
the residence of her daughter, Mrs. D.
H. McRae, Strathburn, to Oakland
cemetery, the funeral services being
conducted by Rev. Mr. Haig, of West
Lorne.

Mrs. Campbell, who was the widow
of the late John Campbell, of Oran,
was very highly respected in the
neighborhood, where she lived during
her entire married life. A few years
ago, after the death of her husband,
she moved with her family to the
West, where she has since resided.
Her maiden name was McIntyre and
she was Scotch by birth. She was a
life-long Presbyterian. She leaves to
mourn her loss five sons—Duncan,
John and Colin, of Manitoba; Dan,
of Saskatchewan, and Archie, of Ed-
monton, Alberta—and three daughters—
Mrs. W. J. Webster, of Oran, and
Mrs. D. H. McRae and Mrs. David
Allan, of Strathburn.

Agricultural Class.
The Agricultural Class under the
direction of the Department of Agri-
culture started in the Town Hall,
Glencoe, on Tuesday, Jan. 5th, with
an attendance of eight. It is hoped
the number will increase as time goes
on. The work taken up is practical
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NOTES AND COMMENTS

The news of the outbreak of typhoid fever, first among the Belgian troops and now among the Germans, is not a surprise. Indeed, for some time it has been almost certain that the war causes were quietly suppressing all the news of disease as well as of other forms of disaster to the armies. There has never been a war yet in which typhoid fever has not killed at least as many men as the bullets of the enemy, and often it carried off five times as many. Rapid as were the movements of the armies in the Franco-Prussian War, they had to suffer severely from the disease.

Fortunately many of the soldiers have been protected by means of inoculation against typhoid fever, but it is quite impossible as yet that this protection should be made absolute. One of the sad but quite certain effects of the war, then, will be a very serious spread of the disease, especially among the young soldiers, with quite untold suffering and death from it.

War and pestilence have always gone together in the past, and in spite of the advance in preventive medicine and the triumph of sanitation we cannot hope that large masses of men can be irregularly and often meagrely fed in damp trenches, amid constant alarms and disturbances of sleep, without the most serious lowering of resistive vitality and inevitable contagion. Before the new year begins we must be prepared to bear without doubt of very large numbers of sick who have to be cared for in the war hospitals.

Singular honor is paid to the King of Belgium. Singularly it that honor deserved. If ever a crown wearer deserved the respect of men more than Albert of Belgium we cannot at this time recall who he was. Albert has manifested the highest type of manliness in the discharge of his kingly offices.

Albert and his most remarkable and most estimable Queen have demanded no duty of their Belgian subjects they are not willing to perform. Both of them serve as an example of royalty that is of the people and with the people. In their persons and conduct it would seem as if royalty were illumined by the light of democracy.

Seldom if ever have the heroism and the resourcefulness of a European monarch been put to a severer test than in the present crisis, in which Albert and his Queen have acquitted themselves so illustriously. Not only have these two led and directed, but they have served, and the Queen no less than the husband King. The crushing calamity that has befallen their country has given these two to the enrichment of human history.

SHE DIDN'T KNOW HIM.

Hubby Home from the Trenches Needed a Bath. One faithful and anxious woman has had a pleasant surprise, says the London Chronicle. There appeared a man on the doorstep. He had a horrid growth of beard, he was muddy from head to heel and from no outward point of view savory. But the woman, after a moment's puzzlement, fell on his unsavory neck, rejoicing. It was her husband, home for ten days' leave.

Early that morning he had been in the trenches. Leave came. By tea time he had reached London, just as he was, taking the simplest means. What he really wanted was a bath—which he hates abandoning for six weeks on end—and a few days off. So if you meet a filthy scarecrow emerging modestly from a taxicab, don't be alarmed. Probably it is a British officer on a bit of a holiday.

Basis for Exchange.

He had a drove of dispirited steeds and paused to give them a much needed rest. The storekeeper came out and looked them over casually. "Want a horse?" "Guess not." "I'll take it out in goods," said the stranger. "I'll take it out in tobacco, in fact." "Might do some business along those lines," responded the storekeeper, "if we kin agree on a basis." "What's your basis?" "Well, I'll trade you, plug for plug."

HOME

Vegetable Left-Overs:

The English have an odd way of using left-over vegetables for a very pretty as well as a palatable dish. It is called vegetable mould and can be made from almost any combination of vegetables. Rub cold cabbage through a wire sieve, also some cold carrots and turnips, keeping each vegetable separate. Add to each a little melted butter and season with pepper and salt. Grease a small mould and put the vegetables in in layers. Then bake or steam until the mould is hot all through. Turn out carefully and serve. Other vegetables may be used in the same way, and the lighter the color of the vegetables the more unusual and attractive the mould will be.

"Colcannon" is another English dish, simple to prepare and seldom seen in this country. This is made from cold left-over cabbage and potatoes. Cut the potatoes in slices and fry brown in dripping; when they are browned add the sliced cold cabbage and fry lightly together. Season well and serve.

A puree of peas, made in very much the same manner, offers a solution for left-over peas, and may also be made with the dried peas if they are soaked and boiled a sufficiently long time. Mash and press the boiled peas through a sieve. Place them in a saucepan and stir into them enough hot milk and pepper and salt to well moisten and season them; add also butter and very little sugar. This may be served like mashed potatoes, or if preferred it can be turned into a baking dish and slightly browned in the oven.

Uses for Stale Bread.

Not a crust of stale bread should be thrown away, for it is not only useful for the crumbs which every householder keeps on hand to use in frying and scalloping, but may be used in countless other ways. Toast, of course, is always better when made from yesterday's bread and to make good toast is no mean art. Buttered toast, which makes a very good luncheon dish, is made from slightly stale bread. Heat a dish and stand it over hot water; toast several evenly sliced pieces of bread and spread them generously with slightly softened butter. Sprinkle with salt; place them in the hot dish and stand for a minute or two in a hot oven; serve in a covered dish.

Milk toast is delicious when properly made, but it is so simple that people are apt to make it carelessly. Here is a recipe that, faithfully followed, makes perfect milk toast. Make a dry toast, spread with butter and sprinkle with salt. Place it in the dish in which it is to be served. Pour over it a little boiling water; cover and place in the oven for a few minutes to steam. Put into a saucepan one teaspoonful of butter. When it bubbles, stir in a teaspoonful of flour and let it cook without coloring. Add slowly, stirring all the time, one cupful of milk. Cook until slightly thickened and add a salt-spoonful of salt. Pour this thickened milk over the softened toast just before serving.

Stale bread as crumbs or soaked in milk, custard, or stock, may be used in the making of many sweet puddings, such as bread and butter pudding, apple Betty, plum pudding, cheese pudding, etc.

Useful Hints.

Whiting and ammonia are best for cleaning nickel. Vinegar placed in a bottle of dried-up glue will moisten and make it liquid again.

To keep irons from rusting rub with mutton fat and wrap in brown paper before putting away.

Flannel may be rendered non-inflammable by rinsing it after washing it in alum water. Dissolve two ounces of alum in a gallon of cold water.

Never throw away cake, no matter how dry, but the next time you bake a custard, slice the dry cake on top just before you place it in the oven. This makes a delicious caramel.

Bake pastry in a hot oven; this will expand the air in it and thus lighten the flour. Handle pastry as little and as lightly as possible. Use rolling pin lightly and with even pressure.

Colored handkerchiefs should be soaked in cold water for a short time before they are washed. This will prevent the color from running or fading.

When baking, the scissors are useful; a snip and the biscuit dough is quickly apportioned; a quick cut and the drop cookie falls into place on the baking tin.

The celery and cheese sandwiches are delicious. A little mayonnaise is mixed in with the cheese, which is finely grated, the celery being put through the mincing machine.

Cereals will not become pasty in cooking if they are stirred with a plated fork instead of a spoon. Don't buy a chicken if the eyes are not bright. When the eyes are



His Place on the Sunbeam.

This is how a German prisoner was brought in to general headquarters during the battle of the Aisne. His captor, being single-handed, could not afford to place him behind or at his side while driving, and accordingly hit upon the plan of lashing him astride of the bonnet of his six-cylinder three-seater Sunbeam.—The Bystander.

dull and sunken, you can be sure that the fowl has been killed some time.

To soften brown sugar when it has become lumpy, stand it over a vessel filled with boiling water.

Faded silks may be restored in color by immersing them in soap-suds to which a little pearlash has been added.

Nail stains may be removed from wood by scrubbing with a solution of oxalic acid, half a pint of acid to a quart of boiling water. To keep curtains from blowing out the windows, conceal thin iron washers in the hems and corners. This will make the curtains hang evenly and without constant stirring in a breeze.

If you have any icing left over after the cake is iced, spread it on buttered crackers and sprinkle with nuts, raisins or dabs of peanut butter.

If the turkey is not very fat, avoid its being dry after roasting by spreading butter over the outside, and baste it frequently while it is roasting.

Dresses that have been laid away in drawers for some time often become very much creased. Hang them in front of the fire for a while and the creases will disappear.

A teakettle should be given frequent baths, else lime and other salts will settle on the sides. Keep an oyster shell in the kettle to prevent this.

In cooking rice, if you wish to keep every grain separate, cook in rapidly boiling water, with cover off the vessel.

To remove stains from white flannel shirts and similar things, smear with equal part of yolk of egg and glycerine. Leave for an hour and wash them in the usual way.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

INTERNATIONAL LESSON, JANUARY 10.

Lesson II. Deborah and Barak Deliver Israel.—Judg. 4:4-23; 5:1-22. Golden Text. Psa. 34: 17.

Verse 4. The wife of Lappidoth.—Deborah was a married woman. She was a wife in the home, and, undoubtedly, the mother of children. This is a very early evidence that great leadership in the state is not inconsistent with wife and motherly faithfulness and attention to the duties of the home. Much has been said about the particular sphere of women with the implication that this sphere is the home alone. No wife or mother has the right to neglect either her husband or her children, but woman's sphere is any place of service which will help the cause of humanity. This was Deborah's sphere.

5. Dwelt under the palm-tree of Deborah between Ramah and Bethel in the hill-country of Ephraim.—Because of the incursions of the Canaanites, it was no longer safe for the Israelites to have their seat of government, as it were, or, rather, the place of judgment, in the northeastern part of their borders, and hence they went up into the hill-country of Ephraim. The judges sat in an open place, usually under the gate of the city or in the market-place, where many people could be gathered together for special announcements. "The earliest seats of Israel's worship, the earliest rallies to her patriotism, were upon Mount Ephraim" (George Adam Smith).

6. And she sent and called Barak.—Deborah saw very quickly what the greater need of Israel was, and she also discovered that the time was ripe for a decisive blow. So she sent for the man on whom she thought victory would rest. Barak mobilized his troops on Mount Tabor. Kedesh in Galilee is the old, important and very often mentioned city of the Old Testament. Reference is made to it in the Tel el Amarna letters and in the Egyptian inscriptions. Other references in the Bible are Josh. 20: 7; 21: 22. The inhabitants in B.C. 734 were captured and taken away by Tiglath Pileser. Josephus says that the city lay between Galilee and the Tyrian border, and that it was in the hands of the Tyrians, who were continually fighting with the Israelites.

7. The river Kishon.—This river flowed at the foot of Mount Carmel. It was poetically called "The waters of Megiddo" (Judg. 5: 19). The Kishon was a swift-flowing, turbulent stream.

8. Barak said, If thou wilt go with me, then I will go; but if thou wilt not go with me, I will not go.—It is strange that a warrior, used to battle, should be afraid to go into the conflict without the presence of a woman who presumably knew nothing about warfare.

9. And she said, I will surely go with thee.—Doubtless there was considerable argument between Deborah and Barak before she finally agreed to go. She could not see why Barak ought not to lead his army to victory.

Notwithstanding, the journey that thou takest shall not be for thine honor; for Jehovah will sell Sisera into the hand of a woman.—Deborah calls attention to the fact that Barak was less great than he might have been, and that, although he would win the victory, it would not be his victory; it would be the victory of Deborah who was his inspiration, his real leader.

10. And Barak called Zepulun and Naphtali together to Kedesh.—These tribes were very quickly rallied, for we read that there went up ten thousand men at his feet. "At his feet" is a very picturesque expression to indicate the eagerness of the Israelites to follow the call of Deborah and Barak. They came in such numbers and were so ready for the fray that they virtually crowded round his feet.

11. Now Heber the Kenite had separated himself from the Kenites.—This verse attention to be introduced to show how it was that Sisera (see verse 17) could flee away to the tent of Heber the Kenite for refuge.

12. And they told Sisera.—The news of the movements among the Israelites was brought to Sisera in his headquarters by his scouts.

13. Sisera gathered together all his chariots, even nine hundred chariots of iron.—These were the awful implements used by the heathen people against the Israelites. They were instruments of torture. As the fighting between the Israelites and their enemies was hand-to-hand conflict, it is readily seen how terrible these iron chariots, which were arranged with teeth and other sharp protuberances, appeared to the Israelites.

From Harosheth of the Gentiles, unto the river Kishon.—This was the far-flung battle-line which Sisera threw out, reaching from Mount Tabor over to Mount Carmel, although it is evident that his forces were massed at the River Kishon.

14. And Deborah said unto Barak, Up.—Deborah was close at the side of Barak, as Barak evidently was depending entirely upon her. He moves when she commands. His command, however, brings the ten thousand Israelites after him.

15. And Jehovah discomfited Sisera.—The Israelites were fighting for Jehovah, they were fighting im-

POWER OF CHOICE IS OURS

To Every Man Has God Given the High Privilege of Moral Freedom

"When ye spread forth your hands, I will hide mine eyes from you; yea, when ye make many prayers, I will not hear: your hands are full of blood."—Isaiah 1, 15.

If any one thing is clear, amid the confusion and terror of the present hour, it is that humanity is itself responsible for the overwhelming cataclysm of disaster in which it is now involved. The immorality of international relationships, the cynical reliance upon force as the sole security of nations, the sordid struggle for political supremacy, the brutal lusts of commercial rivalries, the threats of militarism, the tyranny of autocracies, the pride of kings—above all, the disregard or defiance of all those gentle precepts of forbearance, mercy, good will, self-abnegation, which constitute the warp and woof of individual happiness and social peace—these are the sins which have brought our great war, as of every ill to which human flesh is heir, it is true that man's own blindness, wilfulness, blood-guiltiness are the cause of all his woes.

We Are Responsible. And yet there are those who hold God responsible for the horrors of our day and seem to find an exultant joy in proclaiming that they can no longer have faith in a Deity who can decree, or even permit, such things.

To all such let me commend the words of the prophet which have been taken for our text. To each one of us He has granted the power of choosing between good and evil. Every influence of His grace moves us toward the choice of the good and away from the choice of the evil. We have only to yield ourselves to the currents of His Holy Spirit to find ourselves borne im-

mediately under his leadership. When a battle went in favor of the Israelites, it was because they believed Jehovah discomfited the enemy. This further evidence how close the tie was between the Israelites and their God, and how, after all, the entire credit was given to him.

With the edge of the sword.—As already stated, the fighting of the Israelites with their enemies was hand-to-hand conflict. It must have been fierce in its contact.

Sisera alighted from his chariot, and fled away on his feet.—Sisera evidently was a coward. He left his men to their own discomfiture. He himself would flee to safety. This fact relieves somewhat the awfulness of the manner in which he met his death shortly afterwards at the hands of a woman (Judg. 4: 17, 22).

16. But Barak pursued after the chariots, and after the hosts.—Even the chariots were put to confusion, so that the footmen of the Israelites could pursue the horses of the enemy. "Not a man left" is the emphatic way in which the writer describes the awful loss that the enemy suffered.

To Combat An Unknown Poison.

To neutralize the action of an unknown poison, when there is no means of finding out, give calcined magnesia, powdered wood charcoal and hydrous peroxide of iron, mixed in equal quantities. Half an ounce of each, mixed with a glassful of water, to be taken every half-hour until three doses have been administered. Where the poisoning results from an overdose of chloroform, turpentine, strychnine, prussic acid, opium, chloral, etc., an emetic should be given at once. Mustard and warm water is perhaps the most easily procured emetic to be found in the home, and this should be administered without delay, and its use continued until it has the desired effect. Salt and lukewarm water will do almost as well. It is no use waiting for the doctor's arrival with a medical emetic. Give the mustard and water at once, as every minute is of extreme value. When the doctor comes he will use the stomach pump and remove what remains of the contents of the stomach. The dose for a mustard emetic is a tablespoonful mixed with a pint of lukewarm water; repeat the dose as necessary. To give a full list of antidotes would be impossible in the space at my command, but most books on "first aid" will give a list, which can be copied on a card and hung in a prominent place in the medicine cupboard. It will then be always ready for reference when required.—A Physician.

Inconsistent.

"Who are your best patients, doctor?" "The people who are always complaining that life isn't worth living."

Overheated and defective pipes are the cause of a large percentage of fires.

sistently toward "the infinite sea of truth. But in the last analysis the power of choice is ours, and ours therefore the responsibility for results. Not even to lift us to the best or to spare us from the worst will God intervene, for to do so would be to transform us into mere automatons and thus rob us of manhood.

Just here is the agony of God for the ignorances and the sins of men. How does He weep at the follies of our lives: how does He pour out His Spirit upon us that we may feel and yield to its saving influences, and how, when the worst appears, does He turn away His face from the crimes with which we defame His holy name! At this very moment, for example, when, as in the days of Isaiah, our

"Hands Are Full of Blood." I believe God hides His eyes from us, and when we pray will not hear the words we speak. The very horror of our condition, the very depth of our misery, the perfect blackness of the storm of passion now ravaging the world, is but the measure of our remoteness from God and the proof of the severance of our wills from His.

If blame must fall, let it be upon ourselves and not upon God. If faith must falter, let it be faith in men and not in the Most High. God wills, as He has ever willed, the best. God waits, as He has ever waited, to help us, save us, that the best may come into our lives. But the condition of our acceptance is the same to-day as it was yesterday. "Wash you, make you clean, put away the evil of your doings from before mine eyes; cease to do evil; learn to do well; seek judgment, relieve the oppressed, judge the fatherless, plead for the widow."—Rev. John Haynes Holmes.

Fashion Hints

Fads and Fancies.

Tailored blouses of chiffon are new.

The Belgian jacket is new in coats.

Now even separate coats are being fur trimmed.

New is the belt of cloth embroidered in roffia.

Fur trimming is used on blouses and neckwear.

Gored skirts are as much in favor as circular ones.

The openwork stocking is winning favor again.

Girdles are being made of flowered silk, draped.

Every conceivable shade of blue will be liked for spring.

Velvet dresses made with gimpes are in favor for children.

A French shirtwaist may be simple but is never severe.

Children's millinery shows the use of a great deal of fur.

The straight high neckties of fur are fashionable for girls.

The newest silk blouses have touches of embroidery on them.

Little girls' party frocks are usually of organdie or fine lawn.

Strings of rock crystal beads combined with amethysts are in fashion.

Most pony skin coats are trimmed with long fur, such as monkey skin.

Coats and skirts promise to rival the one piece dresses for young girls.

The half, or elbow sleeve, is positively cut, along with the narrow skirt.

It is liked for bracelets, earrings, combs, fancy pins, and neckbands.

Cut your tunic in points or scallops and edge it with large colored beads.

Flowers are used on every possible place in trimming the evening dresses.

Sashes and draped girdles are important among young girls' dresses.

If the skirt does not flare enough use a reed or thick wire to get the right line.

Net continues to be used in the wardrobe, and its newest use is for the negligee.

Fine black pin seal is used for the new bags, with gray mocha for inside pockets.

Net tunics edged with velvet are a pretty feature of some of the new evening gowns.

Girdles of roses should be reserved for simple little dresses and youthful wearers.

Fur bodies are new in millinery. To fur bodies are attached the beaks and eyes of birds.

The odd skirt of velveteen, corduroy, or broadcloth is part of every well appointed outfit.

Rame velvet is returning to favor; it is used principally for evening gowns and wraps.



Cigarettes are Always Welcome in the Trenches.

Mrs. Gwyne distributing cigarettes to the men in the trenches. This picture was taken in one of the trenches a few miles beyond Pervyse, and gives a graphic idea of them. Note the snow on the ground and the wrecked condition of the surroundings.

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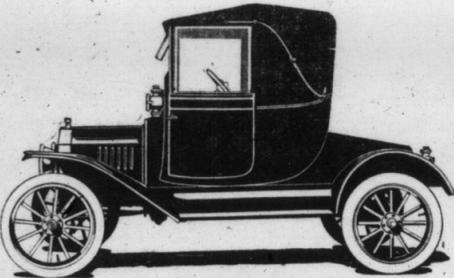
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Why Agriculture Declines.

On the first page of this paper is an article showing the crop production of Lambton in 1914. The figures are from the Ontario Government report recently issued. They are interesting in themselves, but are doubly interesting when compared with the production of a few years ago. We have made a comparison with 1908, and find as follows:—Grain produced, 6,938,000 bushels in 1908, and 6,576,000 in 1914, a decrease of over 300,000 bushels; roots 1,448,000 bush. in 1908 and 1,181,000 in 1914, a decline of 267,000 bushels; hay, 135,000 tons in 1908, and 148,000 in 1914, an increase of 13,000 tons; in live stock on hand and sold there is a slight increase. On the whole the industry of agriculture is not making any progress in Lambton, one of the best counties in the Province, notwithstanding improved farming facilities and the prevalence of better prices. In the same eleven years the farm population has fallen off by thousands, while taxation, both Federal and Municipal, has nearly doubled. The reasons for this unsatisfactory condition are not hard to find. The Canadian autocracy, composed of the manufacturing, transportation and banking combines, have controlled legislation, and have loaded the country with burdens on agriculture, until it has ceased to be profitable. The boys raised on the farms do not remain there, but go into the professions and into other lines of business, simply because they find it pays better to do so. There is only one remedy. The electors who are interested in agriculture must do as the managers of the combines do, that is, unite in their own interests. The farmers are the only people who sacrifice their own welfare by refusing to break down party lines, and in spite of their superiority in numbers they have less influence in the framing of legislation than any other class. The war now going on will soon add enormously to the burden of taxation in this country, and all that additional burden will have to be carried by the farmers, unless they unite and break down the autocracy that has been creating millionaires at their expense, and is now planning for further enrichment when the additional taxes have to be levied.—Forest Free Press.

A Valuable Paper.

The opportunities of the coming year, from a farmer's point of view, appear to be many. Owing to the war there will be a shortage of crops in Europe, and therefore an extra demand for all kinds of farm products in Canada. This will afford an opportunity for the farmer who manages his farm in a business like way to reap a rich harvest. Every farmer, who is farming for profit, should be a reader of the Weekly Sun, the Farmer's Business Paper. This paper supplies the farmer with the same reliable information as the Sun does. By perusing the Sun, you will gain a knowledge of the world, which will enable you to sell your products to the best advantage. The subscription price will only be a fraction of the additional profits you will make by reading the Sun. When renewing your subscription for your local paper, you will make no mistake if you subscribe for the Sun, the Farmer's Business Paper.

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Summary of the War

JUNE.

28. Archduke Ferdinand, heir to the Austrian throne, and his morganatic wife, Duchess of Hohenberg, assassinated by Gavrilo Princip, a Bosnian student, while public guests at Sarajevo, Bosnia.

JULY.

23. Austria delivered ultimatum to Serbia demanding prompt punishment of assassin of Archduke Ferdinand on June 28 and his accomplices.

24. Russia asked Austro-Hungary to extend the time of ultimatum to Serbia.

25. Serbia's reply to Austria resulted in the severance of diplomatic relations.

27. Austria invaded Serbia.

28. Austria formally declared war on Serbia. Russia moved troops to frontier.

29. Russia called out 1,200,000 men. France massed troops on German frontier. British fleet sailed under sealed orders.

30. Germany demanded that Russia cease mobilization within 24 hours.

31. Negotiations for peace between czar, Emperor William and King George. Germany under martial law. All Europe armistice.

AUGUST.

1. Germany declared war on Russia and mobilized her army; France mobilized.

2. Germans invaded France through neutral territory of Luxembourg. Russians invaded eastern Prussia.

3. Britain mobilized. Belgium troops to cross her territory.

4. Belgians resisted German invaders at Liege and Namur.

5. Great Britain declared war on Germany, also Germany on Great Britain.

6. British cruiser Amphion sunk by a German mine.

7. Austria-Hungary declared war on Russia.

8. Montenegro declared war on Austria.

9. French troops invaded German province of Alsace.

10. British troops landed on French coast.

11. Germans occupied city of Liege, Belgium.

12. France declared war on Austria.

13. Great Britain declared war on Austria.

14. German march in Belgium checked at Antwerp.

15. Japan demanded that Germany evacuate Kiauchau, China.

16. Germans occupied Brussels and attacked Namur, Belgium.

17. Germans took Namur and attacked Mons.

18. Canadian troops arrived at Valenciennes.

19. Austria declared war on Japan.

20. Zepplin airships dropped bombs on Antwerp.

21. Allies defeated at Cambrai.

22. French surrendered Longwy to Germans.

23. German auxiliary cruiser Kaiser Wilhelm der Gross sank the British cruiser Highflyer off the coast of Africa. German cruiser Madgeburg destroyed by Russian ships in the gulf of Finland.

24. City of Louvain, Belgium, sacked and burned by Germans.

25. British cruiser fleet destroyed 5 German warships off Heligoland.

26. German aviator dropped five bombs on Paris.

SEPTEMBER.

1. Estimated that 6,000,000 combatants were in the field, 3,000,000 in the east and 3,000,000 on the Franco-German-Belgian lines.

2. Germans defeated Russian invaders at Allenstein and Tannenberg, East Prussia, capturing many prisoners.

3. Austrians abandoned the fortress of Lemberg, Galicia.

4. French capital transferred from Paris to Bordeaux.

5. French city of Rheims occupied by German troops. Germans 25 miles from Paris on the north and 20 on the east.

6. German right wing, commanded by Gen. Von Kluk, attacked on the march and forced to retreat.

7. Battle began on the river Marne, east of Paris, between Von Kluk's columns and allies in pursuit.

8. British cruiser Pathfinder sunk by German submarine in North Sea.

9. Germans captured Maubeuge, France.

10. Von Kluk's column retreated from the Marne toward the Aisne.

11. German retreat from the river Marne began. Gen. French's British force crossed the Marne in pursuit.

12. Action began on the Aisne between British and Germans around Soissons; Von Kluk's retiring column halted and faced about.

13. British auxiliary cruiser Carmala (Commander) sunk the German cruiser Cap Trafalgar off South America. Allies' advance checked by German artillery on the line between Noyon and Soissons.

14. Rheims recaptured by the allies.

15. German artillery bombarded Rheims.

16. German submarine U-9 sank the British armed cruiser Aboukir, Cressy and Hogue by torpedoes in the North Sea.

17. The Canadian troops started from Valenciennes to Britain.

18. Germans laid siege to Antwerp.

OCTOBER.

1. The Germans held as prisoners 2,800 British, 31,300 Belgians, 84,100 Russians; 123,000 French.

Japanese opened bombardment

of Tsingtao, German seaport of Kiauchau, China.

7. Germans began bombardment of Antwerp.

Series of combats called the battle of the Yser, in Flanders, between Russians and Austrians began.

9. Capture of Antwerp by the Germans.

King Albert and the Government escaped to Ostend.

11. German aviators dropped bombs in Paris.

13. The battle on the Yser, which began on the 7th, raged furiously.

Boers in South Africa rebelled.

15. Germans took possession of Ostend.

British cruiser Hawke was sunk in North Sea by German submarine U-9. Hawke lost 484 men.

17. Vanguard of Canadians arrived at Plymouth.

British cruiser Undaunted, with four destroyers, sunk four German destroyers off the Dutch coast; German loss 193.

The Japanese cruiser Takachiho sunk by a German submarine on the coast of China.

18. The battle of the Yser, in Flanders, between Russians and Austrians.

Austrian submarine sunk in the Adriatic Sea by French cruiser.

20. Japanese destroyed the German torpedo boat S-90 outside of Kiauchau bay.

21. The German cruiser Emden sank four British steamers and captured one off the coast of British India.

German troops within ten miles of Warsaw, Russian Poland, retreated as the result of a prolonged battle.

24. British destroyer Badger rammed and sunk a German submarine off the Dutch coast.

Germans crossed the Yser-Ypres canal, near Neuport.

26. Second revolt of the Boers in South Africa.

Former Boer generals, De Wet and Beyers, appeared at the head of this movement.

27. British battleship Audacious hopelessly wrecked by a German submarine mine off the northeast coast of Ireland.

German cruiser Emden sank the Russian cruiser Jemtechug and a French destroyer at Penang, British Strait Settlements.

29. Turkish warships, Goeben and Breslau sank two Russian warships in the Black Sea; Turkish torpedo boats raided harbor of Odessa and sank a Russian gunboat.

30. Belgian troops flooded the German lines on the river Yser, compelling the Germans to withdraw.

Turkish Government severed communications with Great Britain; also declared war on Russia.

31. German submarine sunk the British cruiser Hermes in the strait of Dover.

NOVEMBER.

1. Battle off Chile between the German cruisers Scharnhorst, Gneisenau, Leipzig and Dresden and the British Good Hope, Monmouth and Glasgow. Good Hope and Monmouth destroyed.

4. German cruiser York sunk by a British mine in Jade bay North Sea; loss 266.

5. France and Great Britain declared war on Turkey.

6. Russians recaptured Jaroslavl. Cossacks crossed the German frontier into Posen.

7. Great Britain's loss in army officers killed, wounded and missing had reached a total of 1,598.

Japanese captured Tsingtao, China, after a siege of 38 days; German loss, 2,300 prisoners.

8. Turkish troops crossed the frontier into Egypt.

9. German cruiser Emden destroyed at Cocos Island, Indian Ocean, by British cruiser Sydney.

10. Germans captured Dixmude.

12. German submarine sunk by a French torpedo boat, Westende, Belgian coast.

13. Germans forced back north of Yser canal.

17. German warships bombarded Russian port of Libau, Baltic Sea.

Germans defeated the Russians south of Kutno.

18. Battle in the Black Sea between Russian fleet and the German-Turkish cruisers Goeben and Breslau. Latter retreated badly damaged.

21. British aerial squadron dropped bombs on a Zeppelin factory at Friedrichshafen.

22. German submarine U-18 sunk by British warship off Scotland.

23. German base at Zebrugges, Belgium, shelled by British warships.

26. British 15,000-ton battleship Bulwark sunk by explosion at Sheerness, England; about 800 lives lost.

DECEMBER.

2. Allies' airship dropped bombs upon the famous Krupp gunworks at Essen, Germany. Russians captured Plock, on the Vistula, in Poland, and repulsed Germans at Lodz.

Austrians took Belgrade, capital of Serbia, after siege of 126 days.

6. Germans occupied Lodz, Poland, which Russians abandoned.

8. In action off Falkland Islands, in the Atlantic, Sturdee's British squadron defeated Speer's German squadron, sinking the cruisers Scharnhorst, Gneisenau, Leipzig and Nürnberg.

9. French airships dropped bombs on German aviation camp at Freiburg.

13. Turkish battleship Mesudieh torpedoed by British submarine B-11 in the Dardanelles.

Belgrade recaptured from Austrians by Serbian troops.

16. German ships shelled Scarborough and Hartlepool, England.

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Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of the Estate of Isabella McLellan, late of the Village of Glencoe in the County of Middlesex, Spinster, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Chapter 121, Section 36, that all creditors and others having claims against the Estate of the said Isabella McLellan, who died on or about the 21st day of December, 1914, are required to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to Messrs. Elliott & Moss, of the Village of Glencoe, Solicitors for Charlotte Simpson, Administratrix of the estate of the said deceased, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them. And further notice that after such last mentioned date the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she has had notice, and that the said Administratrix will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by her at the time of such distribution. Dated the twenty-second day of December, 1914.

ELLIOTT & MOSS, Solicitors for Charlotte Simpson, Administratrix of the estate of the said deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of the Estate of Amasa Thomas, late of the Village of Wardville in the County of Middlesex, Farmer, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Chapter 121, Section 36, that all creditors and others having claims against the Estate of the said Amasa Thomas, who died on or about the 21st day of September, 1914, are required to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to Messrs. Elliott & Moss, of the Village of Glencoe, Solicitors for Samuel Hiram Brown, Administratrix of the estate of the said deceased, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them. And further notice that after such last mentioned date the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she has had notice, and that the said Administratrix will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by her at the time of such distribution. Dated the twenty-second day of December, 1914.

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Favor Votes for Women.

In the municipal elections on Monday several municipalities voted on the plebiscite regarding women suffrage—Are you in favor of giving married women votes on the same property qualifications as men? In each case the affirmative carried by a large majority. Municipalities so reporting include Guelph, Wingham, Goderich, Strathroy, Clinton, Thamesville, Orangeville and North Bay.

One good way for Uncle Sam to obliterate his troubles over contraband goods would be for him to unite with the Allies and use his ships in maintaining the integrity of the high seas.

The members of the Glencoe Presbyterian choir presented their leader, Miss Saxton, with copies of Tennyson's and Longfellow's poems, as a work of their esteem, at their weekly practice on Friday evening.

Auto licenses for 1915 will not be issued before February 1, owing to extra work involved by the changes to be made in the rate of taxation. The new tax will be from \$6 up according to horse power. Heretofore it has been a flat rate of \$4.

At the nomination meeting in Metcalfe township it was moved by E. H. deGez, seconded by W. L. Toohill, that the incoming council be empowered to give \$1,000 to the Patriotic Fund and \$1,000 to the Belgian Relief Fund, and in another resolution a committee was named to wait on the council re the same as follows:—Div. E. H. deGez, No. 2, W. L. Toohill, No. 3, Malcolm McIntyre, No. 4, A. F. Munroe, No. 5, Duncan Walker. Both resolutions were carried almost unanimously.

A fancy dress carnival was held in the Glencoe rink on Wednesday evening last. A great number were in costume and the judges had a hard time deciding the winners. The prize list is as follows:—Best dressed lady, Norma Currie; best dressed man, L. M. Nagle as "boy from Botwell"; best dressed girl, Ruth Owen as "Britannia"; best dressed boy, Willie McMillan; best comic, Lizzie Grant; best comic boy, Arnold Aldred; best dressed couple, Sadie Currie and L. M. Nagle.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Best Manitoba flour for sale at McLachlan's Bakery.

Hot chicken supper at Methodist church Monday evening.

For sale—good mixed cow, due to calve shortly. Apply to Mrs. Essie McLean, Glencoe.

All accounts owing to McAlpine & McEachern must be paid by January 20 at their office.

For good shoes and rubbers and fair treatment, call on Sexsmith & Co. Repairing specialties, at store one door north of Mitchell & Hagerty's hardware.—A. B. McDonald.

For sale—farm of 90 acres on the Longwoods Road, Mosa, adjoining Woodgreen. Apply to Joe Walker, Route 2, Wardsville.

Cash for fresh eggs, and dairy butter in pound prints, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at store one door north of Mitchell & Hagerty's hardware.—A. B. McDonald.

Geo. W. Weekes has bought the blacksmith business of R. P. McLevey and has taken possession. He will try to satisfy all in every way and will appreciate your patronage.

Furniture repaired, saws sharpened, skates ground and general repairing done by Harry Vause, old stand corner of Main and McKellar streets, or enquire of Mr. Barker, tailor.

C. G. Knappert has removed to the shop formerly occupied by McLay & Munroe, Main street north, opposite Merchants Bank. All shoe repairing promptly attended to as usual.

A week ago last Saturday, poor film was in the bunch at a pool show, and constantly breaking, caused much delay, which was no fault of the operator, as might have been inferred.

All notices in this column are strictly cash. If ordered on telephone dial, the Transcript, kindly arrange to pay the amount the first time you are in town, so they will not have to be carried through the books.

Now is the time, while your car is not being used, to have it overhauled. To have it put in shape for the coming season, thereby obtaining an economical and thorough job. H. F. McAlpine's is the shop.

Strayed from the Kook Farm, Longwoods Road, Mosa, about two months ago, a roan steed coming two years old. Information leading to its recovery will be suitably rewarded.—Henry Kook, Route 1, Glencoe.

Will any one who has received dishes from R. O. Vause's store wish to have it put in shape for the coming season, thereby obtaining an economical and thorough job. H. F. McAlpine's is the shop.

At the moving picture show next Saturday evening the high class films will be used—a three-reel feature, "The Robbery at Sea," which is startling; "The Pirates of Penzance," "Receiving a Deputation"; one Key stone comedy, "False Beauty," which is very laughable. By request the Ford film will be reshowed in addition to the regular programme.

AUCTION SALES

Farm stock and implements, hay and grain, on south half lot 13, first range south of Longwoods Road, Mosa, 14 miles east of Wardsville, on Tuesday, Jan. 12, at one o'clock. James Humphrey, proprietor; P. A. McVicar, auctioneer.

Auction sale of general merchandise at Holman's store, Newbury, commencing Monday night, Jan. 11, and continuing each night for the balance of the week.—A. Holman, proprietor.

LADIES—READ THIS

If you would do justice to your looks, by appearing attractive and youthful, do not pay a visit to PROF. DORENWEIND, of Toronto, who will be at the McKellar House, Glencoe, on Monday, Jan. 11th. His renowned Human Hair constructions in Transformations, Pompadours, Braids, Switches, etc., will overcome every deficiency of your own hair, enabling you to appear at your best always.

Call and have a free demonstration of any style, in private showrooms at the McKellar House, Glencoe, on Monday, Jan. 11th.

PERSONAL MENTION

—Miss Minnie Walker is home from Aurora.

—Miss Ethel Bechill is visiting in St. Thomas.

—Harry Finlayson left on Friday morning for Regina.

—Miss May Innes has returned home from Midway.

—Jack Blackwell was home from Toronto for New Year's.

—Mrs. (Dr.) McIntyre and daughter spent a few days in Belmont.

—Mr. Shortt, of Drayton, spent New Year's at Alex. McAlpine's.

—Dr. and Mrs. Roome, of London, spent New Year's at J. E. Roome's.

—Archie Finlayson, Jr., was home from Mount Forest for the holiday.

—Miss Riva Welsh, of Alvinston, was the guest of Miss Mabel McLevey.

—Rev. J. E. Ford, of Goderich, is the guest of his brother, Rev. W. J. Ford.

—Harry Davenport, of Detroit, spent New Year's with his mother in town.

—Miss Eliza Samson spent a few days recently at her home at Aberfeldy.

—Mrs. J. W. Smith and children spent the holidays with relatives in Detroit.

—Miss Helen Crothers, of London, spent the holidays with friends in Glencoe.

—Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McEachern, of Ridgeway, spent the holiday in Glencoe.

—Miss Gladys McLevey spent a few days with the Misses Tedford, of Alvinston.

—A. D. Macpherson, of Sarnia, was in Glencoe during the New Year's holidays.

—Thomas McCormick, of Kingscourt, visited at Mrs. J. L. Luckham's last week.

—Miss Blanche Coulthard, of Caledonia, spent the holidays at her home here.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert McRae, of Detroit, spent New Year's at Mrs. A. M. McRae's.

—Mrs. S. A. McLevey and Miss Crothers spent New Year's with friends at Thamesville.

—W. G. Lethbridge, a former resident, is renewing acquaintances in South Ekfrid.

—John Beckton was in London on Monday, attending the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Aul, in the afternoon.

—Tom Smith, of the Merchants Bank staff, has been holidaying at his home in Chesley.

—Colin McNaughton of the Royal Bank staff, spent New Year's at his home in Wexford.

—Miss Florence Tait, of Ottawa, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tait.

—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Copeland and son, of Northville, N. Y., are visiting at A. H. Copeland's.

—Mrs. Martin and daughter Alice, of London, spent New Year's with Mrs. M. J. McAlpine.

—Mrs. Ted Harris and children, of Petrolia, visited at R. McIntyre's during the past week.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bell and family, of Ingersoll, were at A. B. McDonald's for New Year's.

—John, Hector and A. P. McFarlane, of Detroit, visited friends in this vicinity during the holidays.

—Miss Laura McAlpine, milliner, has returned from Drayton where she has been the past few seasons.

—Joseph Munroe, of Streetsville, spent a few days with relatives in Glencoe and vicinity last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Warren and Miss Mary McKinnon, of Toronto, spent the holidays at Mrs. McKinnon's.

—Nurse Clarice Graham, of Detroit, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Graham, Mosa.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Young and son, of Expanse, Sask., spent New Year's with his brother, J. D. Young.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McNeil, of Burk's Falls, spent the New Year's holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McNeil.

—Misses Jean Shaw, of London, and Cora Spackman, of St. Thomas, were guests of Miss Fern Graham for a few days.

—Mrs. Levi Smith and daughters Estella and Carrie returned on Saturday last, having spent relatives in London and Putnam.

—Mrs. Chas. Sutherland and son Elliot are spending a week with Mrs. Sutherland's sister, Mrs. Jas. A. Whitaker, at Mariette, Mich.

—Miss Phyllis Pickles leaves to-day for her home in Winnipeg after spending the past five months with her aunt, Mrs. J. A. McLachlan.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Parrott, Jr., and family, of Glencoe, and Mr. Britton, of London, spent Sunday at R. W. Huston's, Longwoods Road, Ekfrid.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clarke and children spent Christmas with Mrs. Clarke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Crawford, of Lobo, and New Year's with Mr. Clarke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Clarke, of Toronto.

HE GAVE IT ALL AWAY.

Old Ishikawa Told Where Japanese Came From.

Katsuzo-Ishikawa was born in Tokio in the land of Dai Nippon, but at a comparatively early age came to British Columbia. With his earliest life we are not concerned; at the time of which we write he was keeping a boarding house and billiard room in the city of Vancouver, and was president of the Japanese Boarding House Keepers' Union.

Ishikawa was unconsciously the occasion of a great denouement; he it was who furnished a clue—supplied the answer in fact to an important question existing in the year 1907 on the British Columbia coast—

"Where did the Japanese come from?" Ishikawa gave the answer.

In the spring of 1907 the Oriental immigration situation on the Canadian Pacific coast was becoming acute. Chinese immigration, restricted to some extent by the imposition of a \$500 head tax, though not re-

stricted by the white inhabitants of British Columbia, was not causing any great alarm; it was steady, but it came gradually and could be controlled. The head tax had been put up before; it could be put up again.

What concerned to worry the people, however, was the big increase in the number of Japanese coming to Columbia's shores. Then came the riots of 1907 and the enquiry into the losses of the Japanese.

Ishikawa was put on the stand and his evidence revealed the secret.

When the commission rose, poor old Ishikawa had been pumped dry; he had told all about the emigration companies in Japan, formed for the purpose of sending out Japanese laborers for the railway and lumber camps of British Columbia; he had supplied the names of other companies in Vancouver who were bringing immigrants from Japan; had furnished the reasons for their further enquiry as to the methods by which Orientals had been induced to come to Canada, the commission authorizing which was rushed through by wire almost before the Japanese interested in the immigration of laborers had had time to get set, and which further enquiry cleared up the whole question of how the Orientals were coming in.

The further enquiry, however, is another story; the present concerns merely poor, old Ishikawa. For once it became known among his Japanese friends how Ishikawa had let the cat out of the bag his lot was not a happy one; he had been taken at the flood, and it was plain in later evidence that strong efforts were made to dispute his testimony, and throw discredit upon it, but, to no avail, Ishikawa was a tide in the affairs of men, which, when taken at the flood, had led to victory for those interested in solving the big Japanese influx into British Columbia.

And no doubt of it times in his boarding house on Powell street in the Japanese quarter in Vancouver, as he gathers in the receipts from his billiard table, and debates what manner of hash his boarders shall have on the morrow, Ishikawa often meditates on those fair days when he was president of the Japanese Boarding House Keepers' Union, from which long since he has been de-throned, and of one particular, eventful day—a dismal, rainy day in the fall of an eventful year—'07, such the month was October, in his most unmemorable year—the day that he became in truth "poor, old Ishikawa."

Wanted—A Strong Navy.

One of the best stories which Lord Mersey, chairman of the Empire of Ireland Wreck Commission, tells about himself is that concerning an old lady's remarks on his appointment to the position of President of the Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division. "Dear me," exclaimed the old lady, "is he going to the Admiralty Division? How very nice! I do trust he will see that we shall have a strong navy."

Apparently his lordship, like many other people, views with amazement the progress of the modern woman, and during the course of a speech which he made a short time ago he said: "Ladies have ceased to be what they were—the shadow of their husbands—and have become personalities, people whom we cannot ignore. They have become more and more separated from the poor man. What they are becoming quite terrifies me. I am beginning to doubt whether I know women at all, and if I do not, what on earth am I doing sitting in the Divorce Court!"

Give Public Preference.

Amendments have been made to the cold storage regulations passed last session, which are of considerable importance. It is provided that owners of cold storage warehouses which are subsidized under the act must give the public preference in the use of refrigerated space. It shall be a violation of the act if such space is refused on the plea of lack of space if such space is to be occupied by goods belonging to the owners of the warehouse.

Owners shall not contract or agree to give all the refrigerated space to one or more firms to the exclusion of the general public. A line not exceeding \$50 is provided for violation of these regulations.

Not In Force Yet.

As considerable misunderstanding has arisen as to the new naturalization act, the State Department at Ottawa is issuing a special circular on the subject directing attention to the fact that the new law is not now in effect but will be only on January 1st next, while with respect to people living here at present and up to the first of the year, the old law will apply for three years yet. Heretofore naturalization was granted in court by judges. Under the new law the judges will certify as to the evidence of qualification, while the certificate of naturalization will be issued by the Secretary of State.

Stock Judging Course.

A two days' short course in stock judging will be held in Mrs. Donnelly's stables at Appleton on Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 13th and 14th, under the auspices of the Farmers' Institute and the Department of Agriculture.

Commencing at 1:30 on Wednesday, the 13th, Dairy Cattle will be discussed by A. C. Hallman, of Breslau, and at 3 p. m. Beef Cattle, by W. J. Gardhouse. An evening meeting will be held in the Town Hall, addressed by the speakers of the afternoon.

On Thursday, 14th, at 1:30 Sheep will be the subject, taken by Mr. Gardhouse, and at 3 p. m. Heavy Horses, by the same speaker.

The breeds will be represented by typical animals. After the talk by the instructor the audience will be given an opportunity to compare the animals and place them according to their judgment.

Plan to attend both the afternoon meetings and the evening meeting.

Live Stock Sales Association.

At a meeting of prominent Western Ontario stockmen held in London on Thursday a live stock sales association was formed, with auctions to be held at London frequently.

Present from this vicinity were Wm. Hillman and J. Gilbert, of Mosa.

A provisional board was appointed, consisting of Capt. T. E. Robson, London; S. R. McVitt, Muncy; J. D. Brian, Ridgeway; Harry Smith, Hay, and J. T. Gibson, Denfield. A prospectus will be printed at once and a charter applied for.

The meeting was unanimous that an association for the sale of live stock would give a great impetus to the industry in Western Ontario, which has gained an enviable reputation, not only in Ontario, but in the Eastern and Western provinces for the breeding of pure-bred stock.

Carruthers-Stevenson.

A pretty wedding took place at six o'clock Wednesday evening, Dec. 30th, at the home of Mr. George Stevenson, Ekfrid, when his daughter, Ethel Minnie, was married to Thomas H. Carruthers, son of Mr. Jas. Carruthers, of Caradoc. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George Baker, of Toronto, former pastor of the bride, in the presence of immediate relatives and friends of the bride and groom.

At the hour appointed the piano sounded forth Lohengrin's Bridal Chorus played by the younger sister of the bride, Miss Myrtle Stevenson, and the groom took his place under a floral horseshoe of white narcissus, roses and smilax. Then followed the bride, leaning on the arm of her father, looking most charmingly in ivory chrysele trimmed with brilliants and lace, wearing a bridal veil and carrying a bouquet of white roses, lilies of the valley and maiden-hair ferns. After the ceremony and congratulations the company retired to the dining-room where a sumptuous wedding dinner was served.

The bride's travelling suit was navy blue with black velvet hat with plume. The presents to the bride and groom were numerous and beautiful. The happy couple left on the evening train for London and Toronto.

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BOMBS DROPPED ON DUNKIRK

The Allies Make Another Raid With Dirigibles and Aeroplanes on Metz and Other Points

A despatch from Dunkirk says: In answer to the water plane raid on Cuxhaven German aeroplanes on Wednesday raided Dunkirk, and for more than half an hour were dropping bombs all over the town. According to returns already in, 15 people were killed and 32 wounded. The raiding party comprised four aeroplanes, both Taubers and Aviatiks, which flew several times across the city, dropping bombs on each journey.

Soldiers in the streets replied with vigorous rifle fire, but the aeroplanes sailed calmly on. One seemed to have been hit, for he turned on his head and descended several hundred feet before righting himself, but all got safely away. The bombs fell first on one side and then on another. No sooner did one aeroplane seem to be departing than another arrived. The whole city cracked with rifle shots and bombs, which threw up dense clouds of black smoke. Buildings and windows were smashed in all directions and tramway lines at

one place were cut clear through. The first bomb fell on the fortifications and two more near the railway station. Another landed in the Rue Caumartin and another in the kitchen of the military hospital. Another fell near the Town Hall, others in the Rue Pierre and Neupert, and also near the arsenal. Two fell in the suburbs of Rosendal on a lace factory. The districts of Coudekeque and of Furnes also suffered, and many were wounded there. One child had an arm blown off, while another with an old woman was killed outright, being dreadfully disfigured. The bombs were filled with shrapnel, which pitted the walls and buildings. A horse in the Rue Neupert, close to the spot where a bomb fell, was mutilated. British ambulances carried the sufferers to the hospital. Some were dead on arrival there. The fifth German aeroplane remained as sentry outside the town, taking no part in the raid, but holding itself in readiness to attack any of the allies' aeroplanes seeking to repel the invading fleet.

PRICES OF FARM PRODUCTS

REPORTS FROM THE LEADING GRADE CENTRES OF AMERICA

Breadstuffs.
Toronto, Jan. 5.—Flour—Manitoba first patents quoted at \$8.00, in extra-bag; second patents, \$8.10; strong bakers, \$8.20; Ontario wheat, \$4.00 per cent. patents, quoted at \$4.75 to \$4.80, seaboard.
Wheat—Manitoba, No. 1, Northern, quoted at \$1.20 to \$1.25; No. 2, at \$1.15 to \$1.20; Ontario wheat, No. 1, quoted at \$1.12 to \$1.15; No. 2, at \$1.05 to \$1.10; Western Canada, No. 2, quoted at \$1.10 to \$1.15.
Barley—Market quiet, with malting grades at \$4 to \$6; outside, \$3.50 to \$4.00.
Oats—The market is steady at \$1.04 to \$1.05, outside.
Rye—The market is quiet, with No. 1, quoted at \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 2, at \$0.95 to \$1.00.
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MANAGING WAR ALL RIGHT

British Public Cease Criticism—There Is No Need to Fear An Invasion

A despatch from London says: Criticism of the Government's war preparations which was rampant during the early stages of the war, has largely ceased.

The War Office has now enlisted the services of business men with experience in carrying out big enterprises to take part in the work of supplying the army, and the labor unions have volunteered to watch the execution of Government contracts, not only to see that proper equipment and rations are supplied to the soldiers, but to prevent sweating.

Arnold White, a prominent writer and former colonial official, has been making a thorough inspection of the training camps for the purpose of detecting any scandals and mismanagement. Having been a bitter enemy of the Government, his

POLICE OF VIENNA CHARGE PEACE MOB

Wound Thirty and Arrest Large Number of Anti-War Rioters

A despatch from London says: The Daily Chronicle's correspondent at Basel quotes reports from Geneva of serious internal troubles in Austria and Hungary. A crowd made a demonstration in Vienna, according to these reports, in favor of peace and denouncing the war. Women shouted "Give us back our husbands and sons." The police charged the demonstrators in the Praterstrasse, where they were threatening the official buildings, and wounded thirty of the manifestants. Several others were arrested and are being court-martialed.

"Since the Serbian victory," the correspondent says, "not a day passes in Budapest without disturbance. Crowds once or twice have turned against the police, shouting 'Down with Tiza' (the Hungarian Premier). A majority of the Roumanian population of Transylvania has refused to be enrolled in Hungarian regiments and has appealed to Roumania to help them. Several prominent politicians have disappeared from Prague and the police refuse information regarding them.

"Some students arrested in a demonstration are believed to have been shot."

"Sedition and mutiny are rife in the coast districts of Dalmatia. Scores of students have been imprisoned at Agram because of demonstrations in favor of the Serbs. Panic reigns in Sarajevo, on which the Serbs are advancing rapidly. The remnants of the defeated Austrian army are re-forming in Bosnia. The new commander, Archduke Eugene, is eliminating the Slav soldiers and is replacing them with reserves to a total strength of about 200,000."

"A hundred persons have been arrested at Sarajevo charged with being involved in a revolutionary plot, and several State employes have been executed on charges that they were spying for the Serbs."

RUSSIANS AGAIN INVADE

Czar's Troops Have Crossed the Carpathians by Four Passes

A despatch from London says: Reports emanating from diplomatic sources in Rome are that the Russians have again crossed the Carpathians into Hungary. Four of the Mountain passes are said now to be in the possession of the forces of Grand Duke Nicholas, which are at the heels of the Austrian army retreating towards the plains to the southward.

The opinion is held that this new invasion of Hungary, rendered possible by the collapse of the Austrian offensive in Galicia, will make it inevitable for Field Marshal von Hindenburg to draw off the German army with which he has been vainly trying to break down the Russian defences on the Bzura and Rawka Rivers to the west of Warsaw. With Hungary at the mercy of the Cossacks, and with all hope gone of the defenders of Cracow being reinforced from the south, it is expected that the German commander-in-chief will immediately find it necessary to transfer the greater number of his troops from Poland in order to defend the Silesia frontier from invasion.

JOFFRE'S GIFT TO FRENCHMEN

The Richest Part of Alsace Again Under French Administration

A despatch from Paris says: It is plainly evident that the people of France could have had no more pleasing New Year's gift than the one contained in the announcement that the French Government has appointed a sub-prefect for the "department of Haute-Rhin," which comprises the richest part of the lost province of Alsace. This is important not only from a sentimental point of view, but likewise from a military basis. It is interpreted as meaning that the French invasion of Alsace-Lorraine has progressed to such a degree that a civil administration of conquered territory is entirely compatible with the strategic aims of the general staff. The reoccupation of Alsace-Lorraine disastrously attempted in the early stages of the war has long been desirable from many standpoints. Now it has apparently become necessary from the standpoint of offensive warfare. In other words, the French troops have advanced so far in Alsace that the region remaining under their control had to be incorporated in the Government of France, and Alsace has become what it was before 1870—French in laws, customs and procedure.

The Germans several days ago recognized in an official statement that the allies were planning a general forward movement in Alsace, and warned their people to expect such news. It has been known here for some time that this plan had met with full success, but not until Friday was the seal of accomplishment set upon it in the appointment of M. Paulhe as administrator of the region, with his headquarters at Dannemarie.

MARITZ DEFEATS LOYALISTS

Rebel Leader Takes 90 Prisoners and Much Ammunition

A despatch from Pretoria says: Lieut.-Col. Maritz, the rebel leader, reappeared at the head of 800 rebels, armed with four guns and four maxims, and defeated the Loyalists at Schuit Drift, capturing 90 men, a maxim, and 90,000 rounds of ammunition.

He would Earn It.

"Supposing I give you your supper," said the tired-looking woman, "what will you do to earn it?" "Madam," said Tired Tim, "I'll give you the opportunity of seeing a man go through a whole meal without finding fault with a single thing." The woman thought for a moment, and then told him to come in and she'd set the table.

FORMIDABLE SUNK IN CHANNEL

British Battleship Either Hit Mine or Was Torpedoed

A despatch from London says: The British battleship Formidable was sunk in the English Channel on Friday morning with the loss, it is believed, of about 600 officers and men. So far as is definitely known, there are 150 survivors of the disaster. The vessel's normal complement was 781 officers and men. The Daily Chronicle states that survivors of the battleship Formidable did both fore and aft early Friday morning and sank almost immediately, giving the crew hardly time to escape. The place of the disaster was not given in the official announcement, nor had the cause of the vessel's loss been determined. The brief and rather meagre official statement issued was as follows: "The battleship Formidable was sunk in the Channel but whether by a mine or a submarine is not yet certain.

"Eighty survivors have been picked up by a British light cruiser, and it is possible that others may have been rescued by other vessels."

It was later announced that the Tor Bay trawler Providence had landed 70 additional survivors. They were rescued by the trawler during a terrific storm Friday morning. This makes the aggregate number of saved, so far as is known, 150. Among the rescued are eight officers and six midshipmen.

The Daily Mail quotes from the Plymouth Mercury the detailed story of the rescue of the two officers and 68 men by the Brixham trawler Providence. The Providence was

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Sir Robert Baden-Powell, Hero of Mafeking, Says They Are as Important as Drill.

Courage, common sense, cunning and cheerfulness! The cultivation of these four attributes is, in the opinion of Sir Robert Baden-Powell, quite as important as drill in the making of a modern soldier. The question naturally arises can courage be cultivated? In the opinion of Sir Robert it can, and without it a soldier is practically useless in the field.

He tells a story to illustrate his point of General Nogi, the great Japanese leader, who displayed in his life and in his death the highest personal courage. General Nogi once said that, though timid by nature, he had developed this quality by stern self-discipline. When he found a job which caused him apprehension or fear, he forced himself to face it, and to repeat it again and again until it no longer had any terrors for him. "It is that taking oneself firmly in hand," says Sir Robert in his book "Quick Training for War," "that enables a man to stick it out against the impulse of his knees to give in or to run away in a crisis."

Courage is born of confidence, and no matter how timid a soldier may be at first, if he knows that he can handle a rifle and sword well, manage a horse, has some good officers, and is healthy enough to march with the best, he can very soon cultivate it.

Impossible to Make Rules. In regard to the second of the C's—common sense—Sir Robert points out that, although the science of strategy and tactics looks formidable in the text-books, they really only lay down definite principles and examples which serve to guide the leaders when applying their common sense to the situation in hand. "No two situations," he says, "are ever precisely the same, and it is therefore impossible to lay down exact rules that should guide in every case."

They have an effective way of teaching common sense among the South African police. As a rule, the police patrol go about the districts in pairs. When, however, a man is not sufficiently intelligent or self-reliant, he is sent alone on long journeys in order to cultivate and develop his common sense and self-reliance. "Develop," says Sir Robert, in a pregnant sentence, "the intelligence of the individual, and the whole unit will be efficient."

One of the secrets of Napoleon's success was his abnormal cunning, which enabled him to formulate plans of his own for counteracting those of the enemy which were reported to him by his intelligence officers. For quick training in cunning, the best school is that of scouting. "The first step," says Sir Robert, "in making a good scout is to teach him observation and deduction, noticing every detail about the enemy and deducing a meaning from the points observed. Then by a little imagination, the enemy's movements or intentions are read and counteracting steps can be taken with every advantage."

Boer Cunning. The Boers during the South African War, won many a fight through their cunning. Like the Germans in the present war, who have scored in the vital manner of concealing their artillery, they were clever in hiding their field guns, when they were able to shell our troops for a considerable time before the latter could locate the position of the Boer's artillery sufficiently well to reply to it effectively.

"The Hero of Mafeking" lays great stress on the value of cheerfulness. "The spirit," he says, "which possesses the men is a tremendous factor for success in war, and the presence of a few infallibly cheerful men in the ranks, and more especially among the leaders, is of a value that cannot be over-estimated in an arduous campaign or when things are going against you. I have known of more than one officer who was accepted for service, not so much on account of his military ability, as for his undampable spirits, which invariably developed a brighter feeling among those around him."

His Initial. She critically examined the gold sleeve links which were set before her and then requested the clerk to show her another line. She decided on a pair, murmuring to herself: "Yes, I'm sure he'll like these." "Do you care for any initials, Miss?" queried the clerk. "Oh, yes, I forgot," said she. "I think I'll use his first initial this time. You may engrave the letter 'U' on them."

"U," repeated the clerk, as he wrote the instructions down. "May I inquire the name, miss, if it is Urish or Ulysses? Names commencing with 'U' are so very rare." "Eugene," replied the young woman, proudly.

NERVOUS CHILDREN

The Trouble is Often Really St. Vitus Dance—Do Not Neglect It

Many a child has been called awkward, has been punished in school for not keeping still or for dropping things, when the trouble was really St. Vitus dance. This disease may appear at any age, but is most common between the ages of six and fourteen years. It is caused by thin blood which fails to carry sufficient nourishment to the nerves, and the child becomes restless and twitching of the muscles and jerking of the limbs and body follow. In severe cases the child is unable to hold anything or feed itself. St. Vitus dance is cured by building up the blood. The most successful treatment is to remove the child from all mental excitement, stop school work and give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These Pills renew the blood supply, strengthen the nerves, and restore the child to perfect health. Here is proof of their power to cure. Mrs. Geo. A. MacDonald, Harrington, N. S., says: "My son was attacked by St. Vitus dance; at the outset his muscles would twitch and his step was weak and jerky. We called in a doctor who treated him, but notwithstanding he continued to grow worse and at last grew so bad that he could not hold a cup in his hand, while his head constantly twitched, and his speech became rather indistinct. At this juncture I saw in a paper the cure of a boy from similar trouble through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. We at once sent for a supply, and in a few weeks after he began their use there was considerable improvement, and it was not long after this before he was completely cured, and has never had a symptom of the trouble since. I am convinced that there is no medicine like Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for the cure of St. Vitus dance."

If your dealer does not keep Dr. Williams' Pink Pills you can get them by mail for 50 cents a box of six boxes for \$2.50 by writing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

THE BACON HOG.

One of the Foundations of Ontario's Agricultural Prosperity.

With the desire of placing an up-to-date handbook on swine-raising within the reach of every farmer in the province, the Ontario Department of Agriculture requested Prof. G. E. Day, of the Agricultural College, Guelph, one of Canada's leading authorities on live stock, to prepare such a work, which has been issued in the form of Bulletin No. 225, entitled "Swine," containing 80 pages, profusely illustrated. It is a most practical and complete statement, covering every point helpful in the selection, housing, feeding, and general handling of the bacon hog. The bulletin opens with the place of the pig on the farm, Prof. Day very plainly showing the why as well as the how. The various types of swine are then described, with photographs of prize-winners at some of the leading live-stock shows.

The author goes fully into methods of feeding, prescribes the best rations, gives the causes of soft bacon, and shows how to avoid that and other drawbacks to a perfect carcass. His hints on pasturing and soiling crops in hog raising, especially where he compares rape with clover and alfalfa, are particularly suggestive. He also gives valuable directions as to the feeding of roots, potatoes, pumpkins, apples and dairy products.

Prof. Day places great emphasis on the selection of both sire and dam, and his counsel in this regard is much needed. Every feature pertaining to mating is thoroughly helpful. The management of the sow during and after gestation is thoroughly handled, and will likely save many a litter to the swine-raiser who will read this bulletin. The advice on raising young pigs is intensely practical. Hints on dealing with rupture and other troubles are also given, together with excellent counsel regarding exercise.

The chapter dealing with the curing of pork is worth much to those who put up their own meat. An excellent method of try-out lard is also described.

Prof. Day bestows much attention upon the question of buildings, and gives plans of both stationary and portable pens that he can heartily recommend. He also pays considerable heed to sanitation, giving the latest suggestions regarding disinfection, ventilation, etc.

A valuable chapter is that devoted to the common diseases of swine. Many of these are described, and their treatment is covered in so full and practical a manner as to make every hog-raiser practically his own veterinarian.

Any farmer desiring a copy of this latest bulletin on "Swine," will receive one free by writing to the Department of Agriculture, Toronto.

FROM MERRY OLD ENGLAND

NEWS BY MAIL ABOUT JOHN BULL AND HIS PEOPLE.

Occurrences in the Land That Reigns Supreme in the Commercial World.

The price of bread in Birmingham has now advanced one cent per four-pound loaf.

Messrs. Vickers are now working night and day on armaments and ammunition for the war.

Damage estimated at \$100,000 was caused by a fire at the works of Miller, Son & Co., printers, Wakenham.

A German gull has just been shot by Mr. A. Vaux, of Sheffield. A ring on its leg read "Rossiter, East Prussia."

A large number of struggling hen-house keepers in Bolton have decided to give up business rather than pay the increased hen tax.

At Langleybury (Herts) parish church Mr. J. Walker has just completed his 50 years' service as foreman of the bell ringers.

It is notified that a temporary commission as lieutenant-commander Royal Navy Volunteer Reserve has been issued to the Duke of Westminster.

The Lancashire and Yorkshire, and London and North-Western Railway Companies propose carrying out important electrification schemes in their systems in Manchester.

The War Office have in preparation a new concentration camp for German prisoners at Stratford, where accommodation will be found for between 800 and 1,000 men.

The Mayor and Corporation of Banbury, with the assistance of leading inhabitants, have furnished four houses for the reception of Belgian refugees.

Twenty thousand territorialists of the Home Counties division are now arriving for training at Windsor, Staines and Egham, where arrangements have been made for their billeting.

Rejected by the doctors for physical reasons, Percy Hobson, son of Councillor Hobson of West Bridgford, has undergone an operation at a cost of \$150 so as to fit himself for action.

One child was burnt to death and two others severely injured in a fire which occurred in Barry Street, Bethnal Green, caused, it is supposed, by the children's clothing catching fire.

The Home Secretary has declined to confirm the recommendation of the Southampton Licensing Justice that local public houses should refuse to serve women after five o'clock in the afternoon.

The first contingent of Indian wounded soldiers to be treated at Brighton have arrived there, and are quartered in the Royal Pavilion Buildings which have been converted into a hospital.

Having just missed the first Canadian contingent, Mr. J. Peters, a bank clerk of Prince Rupert, travelled over 7,000 miles to England at his own expense to enlist in the Canadian regiment.

Notices have now been placed by publicans in various districts of S. E. Lancashire, that "owing to the alteration in the map of Europe" the price of beer will be increased by one cent per half-pint.

Although 60 years of age, Mr. Albert Gambrell, of Chatham, is still serving the colors as school instructor at Portsmouth. Six of his sons are fighting at the front, and a seventh is in the Austrian navy.

At the request of the War Office the Metropolitan Asylum Board have arranged to provide what accommodation may be necessary for cases of dysentery, enteric, scarlet fever and diphtheria, occurring amongst the soldiers.

Recruiting for the Indian army is continuing in an extraordinary manner, the fighting ranks having had their martial instincts considerably whetted by accounts of feats achieved by the Indian troops at the front. In consequence of the number of applications received at headquarters for permission to proceed to the front the commander-in-chief of the Indian army has been obliged to forbid officers to forward such requests.



Wm. Watson, The English Post.

JOINTS GUILT EATING

Nervine Drives Soreness Away

NO MORE STIFFNESS, PAIN OR MISERY IN YOUR BACK OR SIDE OR LIMBS!

Wonderful "Nervine" is the Remedy. A marvelous pain reliever.

Not an ordinary liniment—just about five times more powerful, more penetrating, more pain-subduing than any thick, oily or ammonia liniment. Nervine fairly eats up the pain and stiffness in chronic rheumatic joints, gives quick relief to those throbbing pains, and never burns or even stains the skin.

"Rheumatism kept my joints swollen and sore for ten years. My right knee joint was often too painful to allow me to walk. In this crippled tortured condition I found Nervine a blessing. Its warm, soothing action brought relief I had given up hoping for. I rubbed on quantities of Nervine and improved steadily. I also took Ferrozone at mealtime in order to purify and enrich my blood. I am today well and can recommend my treatment most conscientiously."

(Signed) C. PARKS, Prince Albert.

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SOLDIERS FROM TROPICS.

Not Used to Cold Weather, and Many Are Frozen.

Troops from the tropics are suffering intensely from the cold, in their positions in the Belgian trenches. This is especially true of the Senegalese. In many cases their toes or feet have been frozen so badly that amputations have been necessary.

Mrs. Harry Floyd chief commissioner of the French wounded emergency fund, who has just returned to London from a visit to the French hospitals at Lisieux, Bayeux, Deauville and other points, tells of the suffering of the soldiers from the tropics. She says also that many of the hospitals are badly in need of anesthetics, tetanus serum, surgical instruments and surgeons.

"In one hospital I saw Senegalese operated upon without the use of an anesthetic," said Mrs. Floyd. "Their toes had been frozen and immediate amputation was necessary."

"All the toes of one Senegalese were removed without even a groan from him. Suddenly he leaped from the operating table and began searching for something. The doctors and nurse could not discover what he wanted. He found a pipe, filled it and lay down, smoking to deaden the pain. Then he began to pray in a low voice."

"The courage and heroism of these men is simply beyond belief. They never complain, but their sufferings in the cold climate are pitiful."

"Blankets, heavy woollen clothing and socks are badly needed at the hospitals and convalescents homes in northern France."

"Typhoid fever now seems to have been checked, but gangrene presents a frightful menace because of the lack of serum. There is also a great need of electrical equipment to treat cases of rheumatism caused by exposure, as well as paralyzed arms and legs caused by neglected wounds."

STICK TO IT

Until Tea or Coffee Hits You Hard. It is about as well to advise people to stick to tea and coffee until they get hit hard enough so that they will never forget their experience.

A woman writes, and her letter is condensed to give the facts in a short space:

"I was a coffee slave, and stuck to it like a toper to his 'cups,' notwithstanding I frequently had severe attacks of sick headache; then I used more coffee to relieve the headache, and this was well enough until the coffee effect wore off. (The effects on the system of tea and coffee drinking are very similar, because they each contain the drug, caffeine.)"

"Finally attacks of rheumatism began to appear, and ultimately the whole nervous system began to break down and I was fast becoming a wreck."

"After a time I was induced to quit coffee and take up Postum. This was half a year ago. The result has been most satisfactory."

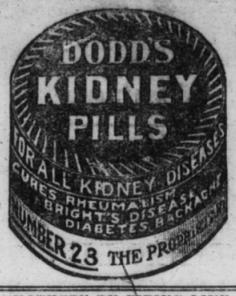
"The rheumatism is gone entirely, nerves practically well and steady, digestion almost perfect, never have any more sick headaches, and am gaining steadily in weight and strength."

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She's a Big British Howitzer Who Pounds "Black Maria."

A British officer sends from the front a grimly humorous description of the recent additions to the artillery arm of the expeditionary force.

"Our artillery," he writes, "is being gradually reinforced and we are able now to reply to the German heavy howitzers with shell that is even weightier than their much-vaunted 'Black Marias.'"

The howitzers I refer to is 'Mother.' She has been christened by the Tommies, and the name is not inappropriate. She is of matronly dimensions, but comely withal, and has done excellent work while she has been with us, and more than one of her family of field batteries scattered round the front owes its existence to the attention 'Mother' has devoted to the German eight-inch heavy howitzers. 'Mother's' shell weighs 300 pounds. She ranges most accurately, and, indeed, she has had four direct hits on German guns in the past fortnight. A direct hit is only recorded by the airman when the shell actually strikes the enemy's gun. 'Mother' is usually accompanied by 'Archibald,' which is one of the new anti-airplane guns. 'Archibald' is mounted on a motor lorry, and yesterday brought down a Taube aeroplane, much to our delight. He fires a thirteen pound shrapnel shell and is daily becoming more expert in his attention to hostile aircraft. Our five-inch battery is still doing its good work, and is constantly keeping hostile batteries quiet."

"After a hostile battery had been shelled a short time ago our airman reported next day that only four of the six German guns had been moved to a new position, so that it appeared that the other two which had been left behind were of no further use."

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A JOKE ON BISMARCK.

How His Wife Got Rid of An English Nobleman.

The great Iron Chancellor of Germany, Prince Otto von Bismarck, who first welded the nation into an empire, was a most devoted and affectionate husband, and very devoted to his wife's advice. And her ready wit, although it saved him many a weary hour, once got him into a ludicrous position.

Lord Russell, an English nobleman, was one day calling on the prince, when he remarked that Bismarck was doubtless annoyed by countless visitors who took up his time unnecessarily.

"That is true," responded the chancellor with a laugh, "but my wife has a trick for getting rid of all bors in a graceful way. If she sees I have a visitor who is likely to prove dull, she comes in and makes some pretext for getting me away."

Hardly had Bismarck ceased speaking when his wife bustled into the library.

"Otto," she said, in a commanding voice, "you must go at once and take your medicine; you ought to have had it ten minutes ago."

It is needless to say that in spite of the hearty laugh that followed, the English visitor did not long delay his adieux.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Both services are immensely gratified that the King has decided to give medals to the heroes of sea and land before the war is over. This recognition should prove very stimulating to all our warriors, and assist recruiting as few other things could. Should the brave men die, their wives or nearest relatives will receive the medals, and no heirlooms will be more precious in the families of those who give up their lives for their country.

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of the bowels is an absolute necessity for good health. Unless the waste matter from the food which collects there is got rid of at least once a day, it decays and poisons the whole body, causing biliousness, indigestion and a host of ailments. Salted and other harsh mineral purgatives irritate the delicate lining of the bowels. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills—entirely vegetable—regulate the bowels effectively without weakening, sickening or griping. Use Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills.

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Beauty is only skin deep, and some of us are more thin-skinned than others.

A Question of Roads.

A retort that shows something of the attitude of Russian and Austrian officers before hostilities actually broke out, is reported by the Petrograd correspondent of the London Times. In the course of his last interview with the Russian military authorities before the war, Prince Hohenlohe, the Austrian military attaché, expressed surprise that the Russians should be requisitioning so many automobiles, the extensive use of which since then may help to explain the rapid alternations of fortune of engagements that have so often proved confusing. "Your roads are too bad," the Austrian remarked. "Of what use are automobiles?" "Ah," replied the Russian, "but you must remember that your roads are very good!"

Life is short, and our brother men are like ourselves, very imperfect. It is best to judge all charitably, to resent nothing too bitterly, to forgive much, and to smile over many things.

A Bit of Cat History.

A great many years ago the people of Egypt, who had many idols, worshipped the cat, among others. They thought she was like the moon, because she was more active at night, and because her eyes shined like the moon, which is sometimes full and at other times only a light crescent, or, as we say, half-moon. So they made an idol with a cat's head and named it Pasht. The same name they gave to the moon, for the word means the face of the moon. The word has been changed to "Pasha" and "Pash," the name the most of us give to the cat. Puss and pussy cat are pet names for kitty anywhere now. But few think of the name as given to her thousands of years ago, and of the people who then bowed down and prayed to her.

A Nova Scotia Case of Interest to All Women

Hallfax Sends Out a Message of Help to Many People.

Hallifax, N.S., Dec. 15.—When interviewed at her home at 194 Argyle St., Mrs. Haverstock was quite willing to talk of her peculiarly unfortunate case. "I was always 'blue' and depressed, felt weak, languid and utterly unfit for any work. My stomach was so disordered that I had no appetite. What I did eat disagreed. I suffered greatly from dizziness and sick headache and feared a nervous breakdown. Upon my druggist's recommendation I used Dr. Hamilton's Pills."

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His Side-partner—So? Well, most lawyers have got you skinned as a highwayman.

INFORMATION FOR INVENTORS

Messrs. Pigeon Pigeon & Davis, patent solicitors, Montreal, report that for the week ending December 8th, 1914, 146 Canadian patents were issued, 91 of which were granted to Americans, 27 to Canadians, 17 to residents of Foreign Countries and 11 to residents of Great Britain, and Colonies.

Of the Canadians, 9 were residents of Ontario, 7 of British Columbia, 6 of Quebec, 3 of Manitoba, 1 of Alberta, and 1 of Saskatchewan.

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Discredited. Bix—I see there's a report from Holland that concrete bases for German cannon have been found there.

Dix—Don't believe a word you hear from Holland. The geography says it is a low, lying country.

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Our Language. The Frenchman asked an English sparmaker what he was making. "A yard," was the reply. "How much have you got done?" "The next question." "A yard." "Where did the spar come from?" "The yard." And the Frenchman was very much surprised at the lucidity of the answers and amazed at the simplicity of our language.

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The Transcript.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 1915.

SOUTH EKFRID.

Miss Annie Lethbridge has returned home from a holiday trip to Chicago. Miss Maggie Coulthard spent the holidays at her home.

John McGregor and friend spent Sunday at John S. McAlpine's.

The Christmas tree entertainment passed off successfully, a larger number having attended than usual. The recitations and choruses deserve special mention and the boys' patriotic drill called forth hearty applause.

David Dobie has recovered from a severe attack of lumbago.

Miss Annie Coulthard is home, having resigned her position as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lethbridge, Pinal, are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Cameron Berdan, of Wetaskiwin, Alberta, is holidaying with friends here.

Clarence Urquhart is reported to be improving nicely.

Mark Berdan had the misfortune to lose two fingers while operating a cutting box in Aldboro.

Ross Lethbridge returned from visiting his brother in Galt.

Miss Jennie Bell McAlpine is taking her holidays.

Miss Stacia Dobie is home after a few years absence in Nebraska.

The healthy glow disappearing from the cheek and moaning and restlessness at night are sure symptoms of worms in children. Do not fail to get a bottle of Mother Graves' Worm Expeller: it is an effectual medicine.

NEWBURY.

Monday was election day, and the contest was keen and exciting. Local option in addition to the election for reeve, councillors and trustees brought out the largest poll here in many years. Following is the result of the poll:—For local option 61, against local option 34; for reeve—Chas. Rush 52, Stephen Fennell 41; for councillors—Wm. Bayne 64, M. A. Smith 64, Wm. J. Armstrong 52, Robert J. Haggith 48, Edward Woods 37, Duncan McRae 34; for trustees—Charles Blain 73, Wm. Gillett 66, Wm. Connelly 60, Geo. H. Thomas 49.

A number from here attended the funeral of the late Charlie Wilson, at Wardsville, on Monday.

Mrs. Lamb was down from London over Sunday, being the guest of Mrs. Wm. Bayne.

Mr. and Mrs. McCabe and son of Govan, Sask., are visiting Mrs. McCabe's mother, Mrs. Yates.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. McCabe, of London, spent New Year's with her grandmother, Mrs. Yates.

Ed. Gilleland, of Oakville, spent Sunday here.

Warren McAlpine, of Glenoee, preached in Knox church on Sunday afternoon, making a very favorable impression.

John Archer spent the week-end here—a farewell visit, as he expects to leave London with the contingent sailing next week.

Several have been selling Red Cross stamps. So far Mrs. Daniel Hillman has the banner, she having sold 250.

Another year has rolled round and now comes the annual banquet of the Women's Institute tomorrow (Friday) evening, when the husbands and families are made welcome.

School reopened on Monday, with Mr. Armstrong and Miss Bessie Fennell in charge.

John McIntyre, of St. Thomas, spent New Year's with his mother.

Russell McVicar and wife, of Regina, are guests of his parents, at "Ingle side."

Christ church held a social evening for the Sunday school and congregation in the town hall New Year's eve. A good program was followed by a supper. At midnight, as the old year passed out and the new year was ushered in, Rev. J. Hale made a prayer, after which all sang the Doxology and "God Save the King."

KILMARTIN.

Murray, Malcolm and Katie Bell Leitch, of St. Thomas, holidayed at Alex. Leitch's.

Mrs. McCready, of Lobo, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Colin Munroe.

John and Archie McAlpine, of Dutton, and Douglas McNabb, of Minnedosa, Manitoba, spent a few days at Donald McGregor's.

Born—on Sunday, Jan. 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Giles, Mosa, a son.

The first meeting of the literary society of S. S. No. 17, Mosa, will be held on Friday evening next, Jan. 8th. There will be a debate, "Resolved that Agriculture should be taught in public schools."

Hector, John and Alex. McFarlane, of Detroit, renewed old acquaintances here last week.

John A. McGregor spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. McAlpine, of Alliance.

Misses Lena and Margaret Stinson, of Yrden, Manitoba, spent a few days at John Secord's.

Phemia and Charlie Munroe, of St. Clair, Mich., visited relatives here last week.

Archie McKellar and son Dan visited friends at Oakdale last week.

Mary McAlpine spent a few days at her uncle's, John Smith's, Wardsville, last week.

D. W. McKellar, student of McGill College, spent the holidays with friends here.

Douglas McAlpine, who has been spending some time in Ottawa, returned home this week.

Alex. Moore has gone to Walkerville, where he has secured a position.

APPIN.

Miss Muriel Mullins, of Fowler, Mich., is visiting Miss Mayne Rankin.

George Mullins, of Fowler, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mullins.

Miss Bernice Newport, of Glenoee, is visiting friends in and around Appin.

Appin, Dec. 30.—The patriotic tea given by the Women's Institute was a success. The proceeds of tags and the tea amounted to \$26.50.

Miss Bernice Newport, of Saskatchewan, are visiting here.

D. Thompson is spending the winter with his sister in Denver, Colorado.

Miss Small, of Dutton, is the guest of Mrs. J. A. McTaggart.

Mrs. John Macfie visited in London recently.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. C. McDonald spent the week-end in London.

Miss Allen, of Strathburn, was a recent guest of Mrs. James Allen.

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CAIRO.

G. L. Smith, of Essex, gave Cairo friends a flying visit during the holidays.

Miss Buehlah Sullivan, of Komoka, is at her former home, for the holidays.

S. Hartley, of Melbourne, is a caller at the Webbann home.

Miss Elliott, of London, returned on Saturday, after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. A. Summers.

Mrs. John Baird and son Maurice, of Alvinston, visited the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Burr.

G. W. McLean, of Kenora, arrived home a few days ago.

Miss Leapha Annett returned to her school in N. Cayuga on Saturday.

Fred Burr visited friends in Toronto during the week.

A new Kern organ has recently been installed in the Presbyterian church here.

Are your corns harder to remove than those that others have had? Have they not had the same kind? Have they not been cured by using Halloway's Corn Cure? Try a bottle.

EKFRID WEST.

Mrs. R. B. Moore is visiting friends in London.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryden Glasgow and Clarice are spending their holidays in Tupperville.

James Glasgow is spending a week with his father in Tupperville.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Moore, of London, spent a few days in this vicinity.

Miss Margaret McCallum is home for her holidays.

Mrs. Munroe is visiting friends in Sarnia.

TIME HAS TESTED IT.—Time tests all things, that which is worthy lives; that which is inimical to man's welfare perishes. Time has proved Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. From a few thousand bottles in the early days of its manufacture the demand has risen so that now the production is running into the hundreds of thousands of bottles. What is so eagerly sought for must be good.

KNAPDALE.

Knappdale, Jan. 4.—J. D. Mitchell, of Glenoee, visited his uncle, Neil Leitch, last week.

Miss Mary Samson, of Swift Current, Sask., has been visiting Knappdale friends and left on Friday last for her home in Inwood.

Miss Nellie Armstrong, of North Newbury, spent a few days last week in this vicinity.

A. McLachlin, of Windsor, spent New Year's at D. Hillman's.

School reopened on Tuesday of this week.

The many friends in Knappdale will regret to hear of the death of Charles Wilson, of Wardsville. Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

John Campbell, of Kilmartin, called on Knappdale friends recently.

St. Thomas, spent New Year's at her home here.

McCREADY.

McCready, Jan. 4.—On Friday evening, Jan. 1st, a number of the young people of the neighborhood met at the home of Mrs. Donald Ross, and presented Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johnson with a miscellaneous shower, consisting of linen, china, and silverware. The evening was spent in games and other amusements, after which lunch was served. The company then dispersed, after wishing Mr. and Mrs. Johnson a happy and prosperous future.

SHETLAND.

A Better and Brighter New Year to all.

Christmas passed quietly in this vicinity, a few family festivities relieving the monotony of old familiar faces, old boys and girls, while some few of our friends for the day went "to shine in other homes and hearts."

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Whittington, of Newbury, spent Christmas at the latter's home.

Miss Mary Blakie, of London, is spending her holidays with her parents here.

George, of Willow Bunch, arrived home to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moorhouse, of Toronto, are spending the holidays among relatives here.

Playford has engaged with L. Badgley to learn the "smithie." We wish Tom every success, as no better stand for horse-shoeing exists in the country.

Frank Rush is visiting in Woodstock.

Mrs. John Moorhouse is very poorly.

Fred Laney spent Christmas in Oil Springs.

Due to great increase in pressure of the gas at the new well here, the consumers are demanding something in the way of moderation of pressure, as the flow is too strong for household use.

Reports from nomination credit L. H. Badgley in the field for alderman again. Speed away, Levi: we've got our money up on you.

Miss Edna Moorhouse, of Alma College, is home for the holidays.

Miss E. Long, our teacher, left for her home at Ilderton on Wednesday.

Mrs. Geo. Dennis is visiting friends in Sarnia.

Clayton, Mrs. Sharp and daughter Helen spent Christmas in Bothwell.

The splendid sleighing has been a great boon to business in our town and things have certainly been a humming.

W. A. and Mrs. Edwards took in the concert in Wardsville Christmas night and report it well worth the drive.

Myrtle Bolton is spending her holidays with her sister, Mrs. Whittington, of Newbury.

The Christmas tree and concert in the hall was a splendid success. Report a good time.

Richard Laird, a former resident of Shetland, passed away on Christmas night at the home of his brother in Florence. The remains were interred in Shetland cemetery, the funeral being largely attended considering the severe weather. Mr. Laird for many years was a boot and shoe maker here, only a few years ago selling out, and retiring to Florence. A large number of friends and relatives regret the loss, while the community at large feel that a landmark has been removed.

Duncan Bolton, family and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bolton, spent Christmas at Oakdale.

Miss Rae McAlpine and sister Anna visited Shetland store this week.

Geo. Brownlee, of the Bell Telephone office staff, London, spent Christmas at his old home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dolson, of Chatham, spent their Christmas with relatives here.

Ocell and Lola Graham "dinnered" with their sister, Mrs. Geo. Snellgrove, of Wardsville, on Friday.

Nellie McCreedy, of Windsor, is home for the holidays.

Richard's QUICK NAPTHA

THE WOMAN'S SOAP

BETHEL.

Mrs. Charles Towers and daughters Alna and Vera returned home after spending Christmas with Mrs. Tower's parents in Dawson, Neb.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Curtis Gough, sr., on Monday evening last.

Duncan Munroe, who has been moving his house, has moved it into McAlpine's field and intends leaving it there till some of the snow goes off.

Edgar Munson was elected trustee for U. S. S. No. 14 and Enoch Moore secretary-treasurer.

Thomas Towers gave an oyster supper to a few of his neighbors on Wednesday evening.

A very pleasant time was spent at the home of D. E. McAlpine when a large number of his friends and neighbors gathered and danced till the wee small hours.

Charles Towers, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Henry, spent New Year's in Detroit.

M. B. Blase, of Niagara Falls, is spending a few days with his uncle, Joseph Gates, who is seriously ill.

The many friends of Geo. Moore are pleased to hear that he is recovering from his recent illness.

Angus Fletcher spent a few days with his aunt, Mrs. Chas. Olde.

Enoch Moore went to London on Saturday last to spend Sunday with his wife who, is in Victoria Hospital.

Ulex and Zed Moore, of Glenoee, are the guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Towers.

John Kellestine, jr., of Longwood, is spending a few days with his cousin, Thurman Gough.

Robert Ash, who has been visiting his parents for a few weeks, has returned to his home in Alberta.

EKFRID STATION.

School opened on Monday, there being no municipal election.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hillis have returned to their home after spending several weeks at W. H. Switzer's.

Alex. L. and Dan McLean, of Humbolt, Sask., are on a visit to their former home here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Smith spent the holidays with friends in St. Thomas.

A. J. Willey was an exhibitor at the poultry show in St. Thomas last week and was fortunate in winning several prizes.

Harry Blue is visiting at his home in Dunwich this week.

John A. Murray and son Alan, of Killam, Alberta, are visiting at Jas. Murray's and with other friends here.

The many friends of John J. Wynn will regret to learn that he is seriously ill at his home in Detroit.

A SUCCESSFUL MEDICINE.—Every-one wishes to be successful in any undertaking in which he may engage. It is, therefore, extremely gratifying to the proprietors of Parnele's Vegetable Pills to know that their efforts to compound a medicine which would prove a blessing to mankind have been successful beyond their expectations. The endorsement of these Pills by the public is a guarantee that a pill has been produced which will fulfill everything claimed for it.

WARDSVILLE.

Wardsville, Jan. 4.—R. J. Petch was elected reeve today for a third term by a good majority. The councillors elected by popular vote are—Thos. Faulds, Geo. Harold, Geo. Snellgrove and Jesse Voce.

Wm. and Frank Jackson, of St. Thomas, spent the week-end with their mother.

Miss Mina George, of Parkhill, spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Gundy returned from Aymer and Miss Millard returned from Bridgburg to resume school duties, while Miss Blott went to Cody's Corner to resume her work there.

Most infants are infested by worms, which cause great sufferings, and if not promptly dealt with may cause constitutional weaknesses difficult to remedy. Miller's Worm Powders will clear the stomach and bowels of worms and will so act upon the system that there will be no recurrence of the trouble. And not only this, but they will repair the injuries to the organs that worms cause and restore them to soundness.

PARKDALE.

Parkdale, Jan. 4.—T. Blain, of Glenoee, and Master Albert Blain, of Newbury, were visitors at H. Blain's last week.

Miss Graydon and Miss Stotta, of Newbury, were guests of the Misses Smith on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson spent New Year's with Newbury friends.

A. Campbell spent last week with friends in Merlin.

Good-by to Asthma.—Persons suffering from that extremely trying trouble known as asthma know what it is to long with all their hearts for escape as from a tyrant. Never do they know when an attack may come and they know that to struggle unaided is vain. With Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy at hand, however, they can say good-by to their enemy and enjoy life again. It helps at once.

MELBOURNE.

Melbourne, Dec. 30.—Miss Florence Fletcher returned from a visit with relatives in North Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Drinkwater and daughter, Helen, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Drinkwater, Merrickville.

Miss Bienenberg is the guest of her parents in Tillsonburg.

Mrs. M. Bennett is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. Carruthers.

DAVISVILLE.

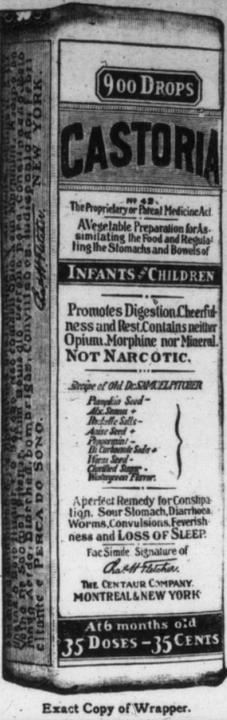
Davisville, Jan. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Armstrong and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Armstrong and son Clinton and Leonard Pearson spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McRae, Glenoee.

O. Woods, of Palmyra, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jeffery.

Miss Neta Watterworth, of Woodgreen, spent Sunday at Bruce Farm.

Willie and Miss Jean Archer are spending a few days with friends at Shetland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armstrong and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Armstrong and family spent New Year's at Mr. and Mrs. A. Sinclair's, Glenoee.



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