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WATFORD, MARCH 8, 1918

NOTE AND COMMENT

The Post Office Department of the United States will next summer put on an air mail service between Washington, Philadelphia and New York.

A member of the Reichstag predicts an early revolt in Germany. Another general strike is also said to be under way. Uneasy lies the head that wears the kaiser's crown.

The Columbia Record:—Wouldn't it match in fine with the eternal fitness of things if the recovery of the Holy Land should mean the preservation of civilization? "He moves in a mysterious way, His wonders to perform."

Seventy-one thousand boys and girls of school age last year increased the agricultural output of Ontario to the value of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars. Every farm boy or girl this year should be encouraged to rear a pig, a calf, a brood of chickens or to grow a plot of potatoes, beans, corn or vegetables.

Southampton carries out the scheme of having one officer for its various municipal jobs, with an office in the town hall and office hours from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. The report of the last council proceedings showed the appointment of a man at \$500 per year to look after the receipts and expenditures, assessing and collecting. Town business should have as efficient management as the business of a private citizen.

By a vote of 15 to 6, the City Council of Toronto has decided to ask for legislation to impose a municipal tax, as a war measure, on all exempted property, or on land alone other than Dominion, Provincial, hospitals wholly or partly supported by the city, and civic, property. This will include churches, private colleges and charitable institutions. It is estimated that the abolition of the exemptions will increase the taxable assessed property by \$23,176,000, which would yield a revenue of \$695,250, assuming that the rate is fixed at thirty mills on the dollar.

BROOKE

Mrs. E. J. Burns, of Detroit, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Fisher.

Mr. Walter Swan, of Brooke, spent a few days last week with friends in Sarnia.

Complete line of Spring Shoes at P. J. Dodds' shoe store. All the new styles in leading makes. Substantial, handsome goods at right prices.

Miss Eva Carter, of Strathclair, Man., who has spent the last two weeks with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Saunders, returned home on Friday.

The Red Cross Workers' Union met at the home of Mrs. McNeil Feb. 27th. The work completed and sent to Hyman Hall since Dec. 1st consisted of 55 grey flannel shirts, 12 pillow slips, 42 trench towels and 8 pair pyjama suits, also 104 pair socks were sent to Mrs. McPhedran, Toronto.

The Red Cross Workers' Union will give an entertainment in S. S. No. 1 and 13, Brooke and Warwick, on Friday, March 15th, at 8 p.m. A good program consisting of readings, solos, instrumental and a playlet, "A Perplexing Situation," will be given. Everybody welcome. Admission, adults 25c, children 15c.

The Sutorville Red Cross met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Lucas and for the past year have shipped to Hyman Hall seven bales containing the following: 69 pyjama suits, 38 grey shirts, 15 sheets, 43 pillow slips, 117 towels, 194 pairs socks, which were valued at \$523.95. A quantity of old linen was also shipped. Next meeting at Mrs. R. Lucas. A free will offering will be taken.

WANSTEAD

Mrs. Fred Sanders was a London visitor on Saturday.

Mr. W. F. Garnham and bride returned home Friday. Congratulations.

Mrs. Andrew Carson, Sarnia, spent Saturday with her niece, Mrs. Earl Morningstar.

Another old and much respected resident of Plympton township passed away at her home on the second line, on Saturday, Feb. 23rd, in the person of Annie Shepherd, beloved wife of Alex. Tait, in her 70th year. Deceased had been in failing health for over a year but the end came rather unexpectedly. The funeral was held from the family residence on Monday afternoon to the Wyoming cemetery, the service being conducted by Rev. H. R. Williams, rector, of St. James' Church, Wanstead. The large attendance at the funeral service was an expression of the high esteem in which deceased was held by her friends and neighbors. Her quiet

and kindly spirit had won for her a host of friends and the sympathy of the whole community goes out to her husband and family in their bereavement. Besides her husband she leaves to mourn her loss, four sons and three daughters, viz.:—Edward of St. Catharines; John of Saskatchewan; Herbert in England; Victor at home; Mrs. John D. McPhedran of Calgary; Olive at home; Also one brother, James C. Shepherd and one sister, Mrs. Mac Donald of Petrolia.

CHOP STUFF

Leamington merchants will hold a "Dollar Day."

It is planned to draft 100,000 monthly in the United States.

It is expected that a sorghum mill will be operated in Blenheim next fall.

Mrs. Malcolm Smith, a resident of Wyoming for fifty years, died last week.

Peach growers in the Blenheim district predict a fair crop from present indications.

Wyoming's new Methodist church will be dedicated and opened on Sunday, March 17th.

Peter Cairns, of Forest, has sold his stock of boots and shoes and is retiring from business.

The Prescott Journal and Tribune have amalgamated. The town could not furnish a living for two papers.

A Malabide farmer was fined \$10 and \$15 costs for cruelly beating one of his horses hitched to a load of logs.

Reeve McCallum, of Alvinston, has been appointed County Roads Superintendent at a salary of \$1500 a year.

Annie Shepherd, wife of Alex. Tait of Wanstead is dead, aged 70 years. Besides her husband she leaves four sons and three daughters.

Realizing that it costs more to sustain talent now than in former years the Kent county council increased their salaries from four to five dollars a day.

Rev. J. E. Munro, a pastor at Oakville, declines to accept an increase of \$250 in his salary offered by the congregation, but the members insist on paying it.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Lockery, of Petrolia, and their nine children were rendered homeless Tuesday of last week as the result of a fire which completely destroyed their small frame house. All the contents were lost. There was little insurance on the place.

A by-law has been passed by the Sarnia city council imposing a license fee of \$10.00 for the sale of tobacco, cigars or cigarettes. The grocery merchants make a protest against this tax as most of them handle the "smokes" for the accommodation of their customers.

A strange black kernel which grew on Geo. Wiper's crop of rye, where the rye kernel should be, has puzzled many. The strange kernel, in some cases, is over half an inch long and about as thick as a grain of wheat, and when broken discloses a whitish substance inside.—Leamington Post.

As a result of a conference held in Chatham on Tuesday, February 19th, between the parties concerned in the action of Edgar L. Moore to unseat Reeve Durward Sturgis, of Camden, for corrupt practices, at the election held in January, Mr. Sturgis agreed to resign and pay all costs of the case, providing Mr. Moore did not press the charges.

Charles Ford, of Colchester South, had a very startling experience with lightning on Saturday, and a close call for his life. He had just tied one of his cows in the stable when a hissing streak of lightning flashed. He was blinded for a moment and felt as if someone struck him on the head. When he came to, some time later, he was lying with his head pillowed on the cow, which was stretched out in the stall dead, having been instantly killed by the lightning bolt. Few men experience such a shock and live to tell their experience.

Sale Register

Saturday, March 16th, household furniture of J. J. Spackman. See ad.

Canada Wins!

"Horses!" said the American. "Don't you talk to me about horses! I had an old mare that once licked the fastest express on our railroad by pretty near a couple of miles on a thirty-mile run to Chicago."

"That's nothing!" said the Canadian. "I was out on my farm one day, about fifty miles from the house, when a frightful storm came up. I turned the pony's head toward home, and he raced the storm so close for the last ten miles that I didn't feel a drop. On the other hand, my dog, only ten yards behind, had to swim the whole distance."

A recent government census credited Brazil with 6,065,230 horses and 3,221,910 mules.

The development of a practical gas turbine engine is claimed by a Swiss inventor.

Isabella Kilzean, a sixteen-year-old girl, has charge of all the office boys in the Kansas City office of the Missouri Pacific railway.

Girl messengers employed by the telegraph companies in the United States earn 2 1/2 cents a message, which nets them from \$5 to \$20 per week.

Mrs. Ellen O'Grady, a widow with three children, has been appointed fifth deputy police commissioner in Brooklyn at a salary of \$6,000 a year.

Miss Mary T. Dowd directs the domestic science training of the 6,000 New York girls in the largest girls' high school in the world.

For blowing whistles or ringing bells at set times there has been invented an electrical device that makes contacts by the use of a punched paper ribbon, easily replaced when a schedule is to be changed.

The New Suits and Coats

FOR EARLY SPRING.

SMART STYLES NEW MODELS NEW TAILORED CREATIONS

---in Suits

Navy Blue—the incomparable—holds first place among colors; also Greens, Browns, Blacks and Tweeds.

The Price:

READY-TO-WEAR
\$15.00 to \$25.00

TAILORED-TO-ORDER
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A Magnificent Array of Separate Coats!

No. 1—The strictly tailored coats with notched collars cut upon mannish lines; sometimes loose and sometimes belted in military style. The price—.....from \$12.50 to \$22.50 Big range to look at and choose from.

No. 2—The Belted Coat with collar that buttons to the neck; some large and some small; tapering shawl collars. The price—in dozens of styles and shading—start at \$12.50 to \$27.50.

SPECIAL COATS FOR YOUNG LADIES 14 to 18 years. —no two alike.

You are invited to see these new garments.

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WANT COLUMN.

FOR SALE.—Two York Sows due in April and May.—G. RUSS, RIVERS.

COAL and wood cooking stove in first-class condition for sale cheap.—Apply to ALFRED WRIGHT, Watford. f22-3t

FOR SALE.—One International 2 1/2 H.P. Gasoline Engine, nearly new, run very little. Bargain. —S. STAPLEFORD & SON. m1t

WORN OUT HORSES and fallen animals of any kind bought.—LETT BROS., fur ranchers, lot 18, con. 13, Brooke; Rural phone 4821. Watford P. O. Phone messages at our expense. tf

SETTLE YOUR ACCOUNT before March 15th. After that date all unpaid accounts will be in other hands for collection, as I am giving up business on that date.—R. C. McLEAY. m1t3

VICTORY BONDS.—Anyone wishing to purchase Victory Bonds can get them of any denomination by applying to JOSEPH H. HUME, Watford. Price the same as when first issued, with accrued interest. m1t3

FOR SALE.—The dwelling house property of John Livingstone on the east side of John street, Watford, consisting of a comfortable brick cottage, frame stable and other outbuildings. There is considerable small and other fruit on this property and hard and soft water. Will be sold cheap to a quick purchaser. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister, Etc., Watford. 1m4

NOTICE

There will be a meeting called in the Town Hall, Warwick, Thursday, March 14th, at 2 o'clock to appoint a new salesman for the Warwick Creamery, as Mr. H. A. Clark has sold out his interest to D. Ross.

Coristine Family Reunion

Pte. Bence Coristine, Heavy Artillery, Camp Merritt, New York, enlisted in the city of Detroit. He was in training in camp in New Jersey when his Company was ordered to France. On the way to New York he contracted pneumonia and was in the North Hudson Hospital for 74 days, which prevented him, much to his disappointment, from having his Christmas dinner on the battlefield. He is again in training and anxious to do his bit. Having five days home leave the family took this opportunity of having a reunion, the first time they have all been together in fourteen years, and gathered together at the home of their mother, Mrs. O. Coristine, 12th line, Brooke. The children are Foster, living in Saskatchewan and home for the winter; Chester, Tom Lance, Wild and Electa, all farming around the old homestead, Dillon in business in London and Bence, a soldier in the U. S. A. army. They all gathered home on Sunday and had dinner with their mother. On Monday the family had dinner with Mrs. Ern Ferguson (nee Electa Coristine), then they journeyed to Petrolia and had a family group taken. Tuesday evening they had a party for Bence and presented him with a gold wrist watch. On Wednesday they had dinner together with Chester and on Thursday they all went to the train to wish their son and brother a safe return from France. Not having been together for fourteen years the family certainly enjoyed themselves, and many boyhood stories and larks were recalled and related.

The family has a remarkable record, which shows seven boys without a break, and one girl, the youngest. The average age of the family is 30 years, the average weight 167 1/2 lbs., the average height 5ft. 10 1/2 inches. The mother deserves great credit in raising such a large family, every one of whom is a fine healthy, robust individual.

The Entire Decorative Atmosphere of a Room May be Unbalanced by a Discordant Color



NOTHING freshens and brightens the home more than pretty wall coverings.

But the decorative art must adhere to certain rules regarding harmony and contrast or else your whole plan will be spoiled through the use of papers that clash with draperies, furniture, etc. Our method of showing papers will give you a perfect idea of how the designs will match up and how the papers will look on the wall. Come in and take plenty of time to inspect our stock thoroughly. We can help you in planning any decorative scheme which you may have in mind. Spring is the best time to paper.



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WATFORD'S BIG STORE

MARKETS

WATFORD		VEGETABLES AND FRUIT—	
GRAIN AND SEEDS—		Potatoes, per bag.....	1 50 2 00
Wheat, fall, per bush.....	\$2 10 @ \$2 10	MISCELLANEOUS—	
Oats, per bush.....	60 90	Wood.....	3 00 4 50
Barley, per bush.....	1 30 1 40	Tallow.....	11 12
Timothy.....	3 00 4 00	Hides.....	13 17
Clover Seed.....	15 00 20 00	Wool.....	00 00
Alsike.....	12 00 15 00	Hay, per ton.....	10 00 12 00
PROVISIONS—		POULTRY—	
Butter, per pound.....	40 40	Turkeys, per lb.....	23 00
Lard, ".....	32 33	Chickens, per lb.....	14 00
Eggs, per doz.....	38 38	Fowl.....	13 00
Pork.....	23 00 23 00	Ducks.....	15 00
Flour, per cwt.....	5 50 6 25	Geese.....	15 00
Brar, per ton.....	38 00 40 00		
Shorts, per ton.....	42 00 45 00	London	
Middlings, per ton.....	44 00 48 00	Wheat.....	\$ 2 10 to \$2 12
		Oats, cwt.....	2 80 to 2 85
		Butter.....	44 to 45
		Eggs.....	43 to 44
		Pork.....	23 50 to 24 25

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THE STERLING BANK

OF CANADA

SAVE, Because---

Extravagance has made shipwreck of many a promising career.

THE MERCHANTS BANK

OF CANADA

CAPITAL AND REST OVER - \$14,000,000.00

LOOK TO THE FUTURE

Times may change and work become less plentiful for you with advancing years and you will have no such help anywhere as your nice little few hundred dollars saved in some sound Canadian Bank.

Begin now with only one dollar. Make a hobby of it. See how far behind you can leave trouble and hard times. Above all things do not look backward in your run to the harbor of comfort.

WATFORD, ONT., BRANCH - F. A. MacLEAN, Manager.

School Reports

Report of S. S. No. 17, Brooke, for the month of February. Names in order of merit.

Class IV—Winnie Parker, (Carrie Healy, Helen Williamson equal.) (Irwin Lucas, Ruby Lucas equal.)

Class III Sr.—Lena Healy, Beulah Saunders.

Jr.—Verlie Williamson, Muriel Parker.

Class II—Fred Kidd, John Rundle, Ada Corestine.

Class I—(Gordon Lucas, Raymond Kidd equal.) Elsie Coristine. No. on roll 15. Average attendance 14. —GR-TRUDE LUCAS, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 10, Brooke, for month of February.

Class IV—Amy Hair, Aileen Reid, Willie Miller.

Class III—Margaret McLean, Ruby Atchison, Charles Miller, Helena Bowie, Elsie Hair.

Class I—Harold Hair, Pearl Powell, Johnnie Scott, Ervin Dempsey.

Primer—Pearl Miller, Minnie McLean. —M. L. MANSFIELD, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 14, Brooke for the month of February. Percentage given.

Class IV Sr.—Lulu Johnson 81, Mervyl Maddock 69, Andy Shields 52.

Jr.—Anson Clothier 58, Archie Campbell 58, Clarence Anlph 44, Charlie Wilks 32.

Class III—Kathleen Johnston 67, Kenneth Johnston 47, Wesley Douglas 44.

Class II—Archie Douglas 90, Grace Johnston 74, Jim Campbell 40.

Class I—Cecil Johnston 97, Howard Pitz 57, Edna Maddock 50, Ralph Pitz 37.

Primer—Monna Maddock 81. Packed box of eatables to send to the front.—H. M. DOLBEAR, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 16, Warwick, for February.

Class IV Sr.—Allan McKenzie, Gordon McKenzie, Rufus Botsford.

Jr.—Willie Jackson, Lloyd Jones.

Class III Sr.—Nettie Saunders, Thomas Corey.

Jr.—Hazel Brice, Verna Williamson, Class II Sr.—Mabel Jackson, Willie

Maher, Loretta Bryce, Ruby Williamson, Jr.—(Frank Bryce, Betty Saunders equal.) Clarence Walker, Bobby Hicks.

Class I—Orville Williams, Amy Williams, Gordon Williamson, Stanley Thompson, Mary Maher, Pearl Claypole. Bruce Sayers, Mary McKenzie, Dorothy McKenzie, Henry Banks, Dick Jackson, Marie Walker, Willie Claypole.

Primer—Merton Bryce, Lucy Bryce, Florence Bryce, Jacob Saunders, Alvin Williamson.

Primer II—Myrtle Banks, Marjorie Sutton.—M. E. MCKERCHER, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 12, Warwick, for February.

Class IV—Morgan Cameron, Irene Westgate, Milton Williamson, Verna Pyke, Percy Ward.

Class III—Melvin Williamson, Archie Cameron, Fred O'Neil, Alfred Horne, Amelia Pyke, Lorenzo McLean, Nelson McLean.

Class II—Oscar Westgate, Gilbert Kersey, Orville Craig.

Class I—Harold Westgate, Wilson Westgate, Robert Pyke.

Primer—Roy Craig.—JEAN MCKERCHER, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 2, Warwick, for the month of February. Number on roll 29. Average attendance 26.

Class IV Sr.—Dalton Smith, Harold Auld, George Main, Olive Corney.

Jr.—Grant Bannister, Mac Gammon.

Class III Sr.—George James, Howard Smith.

Jr.—Annie McElroy, Eric Thompson, Annie Main, Mason Leggate, Charlie James, Illabel Corney.

Class II—Clare Thompson, Melvin Bartley.

Part II—Jack Main, Mary McLeay, Edna Cooper.

Primer—Helen Ross, Isabel Tanner, Beatrice Williams, Ruby Bartly, Johnny Dolan, Maxena Auld, Charles Forron, Dougall James, Marjory Cooper, Bob Gammon.—ANNIE ROSS, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 18 and 20, Bosanquet and Warwick, for February.

Class IV—Earle Evans 91%, Allan Cundick 88, Florence McPherson 83, Minnie Fuller 75, Sarah Cundick 70, Louise McPherson 61, Perry Wilcox 42.

Class III—Grace McColl 84, Kenneth McPherson 83, Grant Evans 77, Clarence McColl 72, Ardley 65, Harold Otton 55, Edwin Cundick 38, George Fuller and Hazel Yorke, absent.

Class II—Donald McPherson 79, Marjorie Munroe 68, Mary Turner 67, Mildred McPherson 64, Edward Brander 53, Lawrence Cates 48, Frank Fuller, absent.

Class I—Neil McPherson, Frank Cundick, Evla Hart, Melvin Turner, Leah Welsh, Leone Evans, Irene Yorke.—BLANCHE HOLBROOK, Teacher.

The following is the report of the Walnut School, S. S. No. 9, Brooke, for January and February 1918.

Class IV—Aileen Edgar 93%, Gwendoline Annett 92, Grace Johnston 87.

Class III—Alma Johnston 87, Gladys Zavitz 84, (Orville Shugg, Gordon Woods) equal 83.

Class II—For Spelling Tests, Edna Dolbear 99, Kathleen Annett 99, Beatrice Shambler 93 (equal), Loleita Dolbear 98, Clifford Edgar 98) equal, Clayton Chittick 94.

Primer—Cecil Dolbear, Gerald Chittick, Jack Parker, Vera Johnston.

No. on roll 17. Average attendance 15.62 —A. L. POPE, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 5, Brooke, for the month of February.

Class IV.—Sr.—Clifford Higgins, Leonard Annett, Margaret Watson.

Jr.—Rato Clark, Merrilline Whitehead, Ethel Watson.

Class III—Alice Sutton, Harold Sutton, Allan Higgins.

Primer (a)—Aileen Sutton.

(b)—Bert Oakes.

V. BAMBRIDGE, Teacher.

Report for the month of February for S. S. No. 5, Warwick.

Jr. IV—Frank Hall, Ila Richardson.

Class III—Mary Hall* (honors), Lloyd Poore, Christina Hall missed some of the examinations.

Sr. II—Bert Hall (honors), Gilbert Hall, Harold Campbell*, Brock Thompson, Aleatha Richardson.

Jr.—Lloyd Orr.

Class I—Mac Hall.

Primer—Fred Orr, Margaret Hall.

Those marked with an asterisk had perfect attendance this month.

GRACE F. EDWARDS, Teacher.

School report S. S. No. 8, Warwick, for the month of February.

Class IV—Clare Dunlop 70, Winnifred Eastman 69, Mildred Benedict 59, Bert-ram Evans 56, Aurilla Wilson 48.

Class III Sr.—Irene Eastman 77, Beatrice Thompson 75, Edna Dunlop 73, Greta Muma 71, Clifford Sitter 67, Ethel Dunham 42.

Jr.—Gertie Thompson 65, Edgar Sitter 61, Ellwood Benedict 57, Olive Dunlop 51.

Class II—Wilbert Eastman 83, Harold Evans 70, Cecil Dunham 63, Gordon Dunlop 49.

Jr.—Harold Dunlop 70, Vera Fitzsimons 67.

Class I Jr.—Leona Butler 82, Alice Wambough 69, Lawrence Benedict 52.

Primer—Eldon Smith 89, Leonard Sitter 89, Jean Butler 88, George Wambough 88, Hettie Percy 86, Alma Dunlop 65.

OLIVE A. OAKES, Teacher.

The following is the report of the Arkona Public School for the months of Jan. and Feb. Those marked thus * were absent part of the time.

Class IV Sr.—Norman Crawford 79, Bruce Augustine 73, Morgan Wilson 65, Myrtle Marsh 64, *Rhea Thoman 56, *Charlie Lucas 54.

Jr.—Joyce Fuller 87, Marjorie Goode 84, Iva Johnston 83, Sara Hostetler 82, Florence Austin 79, Thelma George 67, Ida Eastman 66, *Ruth Richter 52, Elgin Cooper 51.

Class III Sr.—Elma Augustine 70.

success, the young folks reflecting credit both on themselves and those who trained them. The motion group, drills, dialogues etc., were well rendered and received enthusiastically by the audience which filled the building. An impressive and pleasing number on the program was the Young Ladies' Philathea class drill, "The Hour and Eternal" and the vocal selections by Mrs. M. Sitter, Mr. Lawrence Grogan, and the Stoner Brothers Quartette were rendered in good form.

All Provincial freight agents have been notified by the Canadian Food Board that shipments of seed corn from the counties of Lambton, Essex, Kent, Elgin, Norfolk, Haldimand and Welland must be refused until further notice. In the districts mentioned there will not be more than enough seed for this spring's planting owing to bad weather conditions last fall.

CAN YOU READ THIS A FOOT AWAY?

"The shades of night were falling fast as through the village street there passed a youth who bore 'mid snow and ice a banner with the strange device 'EXCLUSIOR'"

THE SHADES OF NIGHT

make one think of reading and with the thoughts of reading come the thoughts of comfort. The first sign of failing vision is when evening reading tires the eyes.

THE EYE MUSCLES GET TIRED

There are seven muscles in each eye, some of them working all the time, and straining all the time if you have not the proper Glasses. The object of our Optical Department is to supply the proper Glasses. And prices are always within reach.

CARL CLASS

Jeweler and Optician
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES

Jr.—Willie Johnson 56, Peter MacNaughton 54, Florence White 52, Alice Wilson 50, Harold Wilson 47, Niven Watts 45, Vera Stephenson 44, Charlie Baynes 43, *Sherman Marsh 40, Harry Richter 36, Arnold Lucas 31, *Charlie Johnson 29, Franklin Martin 25.

Class II—Doris Huffman 93, Ena Smith 78, Anna Morningstar 75, Marion Wilson 71, George Holmes 71, Rhea Wilcocks 64, Marvin Eastman 48, (Willie Walker, Howard Meadows) absent.

Class I—Clare Hume 83, Alma Donaldson 80, Lawrence Austin 78, Herman Holmes 72, Paul Hostetler 71, Vera Johnston 57, Jack Thoman 55, James Johnson 41, Charlie Martin 30.

Jr.—Ruth Barry 100, Willie Woolyett 80, Gertie Utter 75, Beulah Meadows 69, Eveline Johnson 54, Willie Farber 51, Leatha Smith 40, Gordon Wilson 40, Carl Wilson 39.

Primer.—Sr.—Berta Johnston 80, Marguerite Utter 68, Fred Herrington 61, Olive White 59, Lloyd Wilson 49, Ellwood Johnson 49, Fern Utter 48, Marjory Eastman 39.

Jr.—Ivan Richter 79, Robert Austin 78, Stanley Holmes 61, Fred Meadows 55, Lawrence Richter 49, Vivian Utter 45, Donald Herrington 39, Nelson Martin 38, Stella Wilson 36, Ida Richter 31, Leah Smith 28.

Principal, V. E. STEVENS.
Assistant, M. L. FULLER.

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Baby's Own Tablets are a splendid laxative for the baby. They are mild but thorough in their action; do not gripe; are easy and pleasant to take and are absolutely free from injurious drugs. Concerning them Mrs. S. P. Moulton, St. Stephen, N. B., writes:—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets for a long time and have found them the most effective laxative I have ever used for the baby." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Warwick Liberals

The annual meeting of the Warwick Liberal Association was held February 27th for election of officers, which resulted as follows:—

Honorary President—R. J. McCormick
President—Donald McLeay
1st Vice-President—Andrew Auld
2nd Vice-Pres.—Freeman Birchard
Secretary-Treasurer—John Wilkinson

COMMITTEES

No. 1—Joseph Parker, Ed. Robertson, Wallace Spalding, Alex. Laird, Edza Sessions, Hugh A. McKenzie, S. D. Cameron, Andrew Harrower, J. E. Collier, Robt. Edgar, Peter Cran, John Beattie.

No. 2—Freeman Birchard, Daniel Duncan, John Kingston, John Cameron, John Williamson, Albert Bryce, Wm. Smith, Duncan Acton, Thomas Leach, Robert Leach, John A. McKenzie.

No. 3—Wilbert McRorie, Peter Ferguson, Thomas Gavigan, Robert Smith, David Ross, H. K. Kaird, Peter Fleming, Mack Perry, Milton Barrett, Robt. Ross, Clarence Barnes, Robt. McKenzie, Ed. Coughlin, B. Dunn, Henry Mansfield.

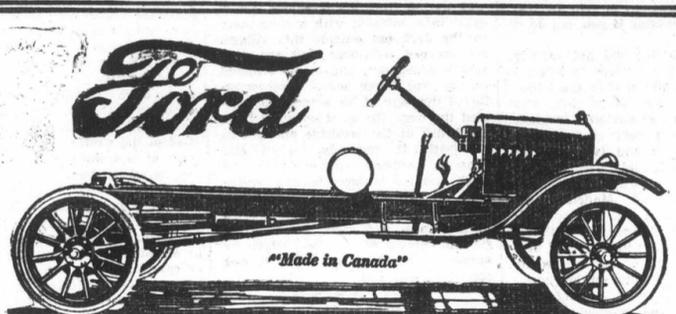
No. 4—Richard Ellerker, George Brodie, Herb. Morningstar, George McFarlane, Wm. Minieily, Donald McLaughlin, Ed. Maidment, David Kernohan, George Mathews, John Fisher, D. D. Brodie.

No. 5—Wm. McKenzie, William H. Luckham, Charlie Thompson, John Campbell, David Auld, John Caper, Jacob Cates, Charles E. Smith, Thomas McPherson, Charles Richardson, Williamson Thompson, Ben Smith.

No. 6—Truman Eastman, Herb. Benedict, George McPherson, Wm. Butler, David Marshall, Carl Smith, George Dunlop, Jacob Smith, Lorenzo Evans, Alfred Smith, Andrew Barnes.

No. 7.—D. A. Ross, Robt. Watson, Wm. Parker, Wm. Poore, Wm. Hall, James Wylie, Chester Orr, Geo. Baird, David Edwards, John Aitken, Wm. Marshall, Edwin Cundick, James Shields.

WHAT puzzles many people is, why the price of potatoes keeps up. These tubers are known to be the only product for which there is no outside demand. It is also known that last season's crop in Canada was away beyond the country's needs. Why, then, don't they come to a more reasonable price. Surely the "rather-let-them-rot-than-sell-them-cheap" principle does not prevail among the farmers. It looks, however, as if a great many will rot on the farmers' hands before next season's crop is ready.



A Truck for the Farmer

FARM equipment which will effect a time and labor-saving, and therefore a money-saving, must be carefully considered by every good farmer now-a-days.

The farm wagon, which for years was the most useful of all farm equipment, is now being replaced on the best farms by a sturdy, dependable motor truck. The truck will haul any farm product—fruit, grain, vegetables, stock, fertilizer, or wood—around the farm, or to the town or city many miles distant, in half the time, and at a much lower cost.

The Ford One-Ton truck is a rapid, economical and very serviceable means of transport. One of these on your farm will save you weeks of time in a single season and will enable you to pass through a crisis of labor shortage with less difficulty.

The Ford truck is supplied as a chassis only. This permits you to select any of the many body styles especially designed for the Ford truck and already on the market. Thus you can mount the one which suits your individual requirements.

Price \$750 f.o.b. Ford, Ont.

RAY MORNINGSTAR - Dealer - Watford.

ARKONA

James Evans has bought Jonathan Dennis' 124 acre farm con. 5, West Williams, east of the village.

Mrs. W. J. Evans is visiting in Sarnia. A full supply of Eastman kodak supplies. Brown Bros.

The Misses Lena and Olive Oakes entertained the D. A. M. I. D. K. club at their home on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Wes. Lucas spent a few days last week in London.

Miss Freda Thoman is visiting relatives in Sarnia.

Placed into stock this week a new stock of spring wall papers. Call and see them.—Brown Bros.

The Misses Olive and Beatrice Oakes spent the week-end in Sarnia.

Mr. R. Patterson, of Pt. Huron, Mich., spent a few days last week in town.

Misses Annie Hobbs and Marie Davidson spent Sunday with home friends.

The Union Sunday Services in the Baptist church were well attended and will be continued until Easter. The two congregations and their Sunday Schools will meet on the 10th, at the usual hours in the Methodist church.

Friends not a few will be glad to know that Mrs. Huffman, of Aylmer, visiting her son Dr. J. C. Huffman, is steadily recovering from her recent illness.

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The Father's Helper

By Osborn Jones

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When Dick Stoner, after a stormy and galloping sort of seaside courtship, had actually heard Madeleine return all his vows of devotion he thought his struggles to win her as his wife were practically over. Madeleine was visiting a boarding school chum when the romance occurred, and for that reason, perhaps, Dick had forgotten that Madeleine probably possessed parents and that those parents might have something to say before permitting their eighteen-year-old beauty to become Mrs. Dick Stoner. But Dick knew that, as parents usually rated sons-in-law-to-be, he was not undesirable. His record at college and in business since then, though not actually brilliant, was clean and progressive, and any father-in-law or mother-in-law-to-be would not have much difficulty in discovering that his share of the Stoner fortune was a large one.

So it seemed as if the matter was settled till, after a sudden burst of enthusiasm on the part of Madeleine, as they sauntered in and out around the sand dunes at the seashore, she suddenly changed her tone and her eyes grew round.

"I'd forgotten about father," she said. "He will never let us do anything we want to—we are a great trial to him, you know, and I don't know how in the world I can ever be married if he doesn't consent. I just couldn't elope."

Dick didn't like this intrusion of an objecting father-in-law. It was much nicer hearing Madeleine's glib praise of his own many virtues and good features. So he tried to persuade her that the father whom he had never seen was not such a gruff sort after all and that it would be an easy matter to "bring him around."

"You haven't any idea how strict he is," Madeleine protested. "He's a professor of psychology and this year he's trying to write his greatest book—and, well, it is very hard to be the father of five daughters and Arthur and Bennet and write a book on psychology. It's hard to be the father of five daughters anyhow, he says, especially when they are the kind of daughters that we are."

"Why can't he shift responsibilities till the book is done?" suggested Dick. "Couldn't your mother manage to keep you within bounds?"

"Oh, mother's just as busy as she can be mending us and darning us and planning meals and things. She has a 'mother's helper' to help her and still she never seems to have time to breathe. And poor old father said he was going to try to get a 'father's helper'—to make his task of being our father easy, just as mother does with her 'mother's helper.' So far he hasn't found anyone that wants the job."

"What would this 'father's helper' have to do?" asked Dick, rather amazed at the turn of Madeleine's conversation.

"Oh, I suppose he would have to help Bennet with his Greek and spank Arthur, and he'd have to come to meals and see that we were all there and maybe say grace, and sometimes just happen in the drawing room when Minerva's suitors were there. Minerva's the stunner, you know, and she has just oodles of suitors, and mother says that father ought to appear once in a while just to show that there is someone keeping track of how often they come. But father can't stand that sort of thing. And I suppose the 'father's helper' would have to scold me sometimes because I am so reckless when I ride—mother keeps at father to scold me for it, but he hates to; and he would have to scold the servants when mother couldn't manage them, and sometimes, if one of us girls didn't have an escort to a dance, I suppose the 'father's helper' would have to go with us. Father ought to, mother says, but he hates to."

"My Greek is a little rusty," announced Dick, when Madeleine had finished her monologue, "but I think I'll take that position. You say your father hasn't found anyone for it. All right, I'll make tracks for your place tomorrow and by the time you have come home I'll be installed and perhaps one of the first things I can do will be to show father that it is to his interest to let his daughter Madeleine become Mrs. Dick Stoner."

When Madeleine reached home at the end of that week she found the young man whom her father had recently employed to be identical with

the man to whom she had recently become engaged, except that he was dressed in dark blue serge and her fiancé had inclined to light tweeds and white flannels. Besides he spoke in a voice that was subdued and the speech was free from slang—not very much like the explosive discourse of the man to whom she had recently engaged herself. And besides, the man she had known at the seashore had been eager to see her alone and often, whereas the new inmate of her father's home, after having been introduced to her, seemed not to notice her. It was not till the following day that they did chance to come upon each other in the library.

"We mustn't try to meet each other on the Q. T. at all," Dick began. "Those brothers of yours are just the sort to find it out, no matter how we try to conceal it. We can stand it this way for a while. Your father has been telling me his troubles this morning. He's especially worried about you—you wretch. He tells me you worry him so he can hardly write, says you ride the wildest horse in the stable, go off in the woods unattended and otherwise render him incapable of the high degree of concentration that he needs to complete his book. He asked me to watch you especially and to suggest a way to tame you. I'd no idea you were such a wild creature—you wonderful, sweetest girl—there, I couldn't help it that time—but I won't steal another till I am no longer playing this role. It would spoil everything if anyone suspected."

The next communication Madeleine had from the new employee was written and slipped into her hand as she passed him one evening on the stairs. It was brief and dictatorial. "In order to accomplish the aim in view you must become even more unruly. Do everything you can except risk your life. Fake a runaway or two and get lost in the mountains if you can do it safely."

Though Madeleine did not exactly understand Dick's motives in this instruction she followed it to the letter, and even the calm-eyed mother, who took the shocks and anxieties incident upon being the parent of five high-spirited daughters and two sons as serenely as anyone could, became overwrought with worry when, for the second time in a week, Madeleine returned home from a wild ride only after the faithful blue-serged "father's helper" had gone out in search of her.

The next day the professor tried in vain to write a chapter of his book, for his publishers were beginning to press him for the complete manuscript. After wasting hours in the bootless effort he called for the young man he had recently employed.

"Did you reprove Madeleine severely for her escapade yesterday?" he asked. "You know how it tries me to have to attend to that sort of thing—still, unless you are very severe I shall have to take her in hand."

"I reprov'd her very severely, sir," replied Dick, "but if you will pardon me for saying so, I think reprov's are of little avail."

"Something must be done, man," said the professor peevishly. "I can't let her go on this way wearing out my nerves. Can you think of any possible remedy—some way of calming the wild creature down a little? Mind you, I am very fond of Madeleine—very fond of her—but I can't let her go on in this way."

"I anticipated such a question," said Dick solemnly. "For that reason I studied the girl's nature. Again, pardon my frankness. I think that, young as Madeleine is, she would overcome her rather hoydenish ways if you permitted her to—to become engaged—possibly to contemplate a rather early marriage."

The professor studied the carpet for several minutes, then without looking at Dick, he said: "Yes, that might be just the thing. But Madeleine is not like Minerva. Minerva has some dozen of suitors—they quite drive me distracted. But Madeleine, poor child, has no such charms and fascination as Minerva. Frankly, I do not think there is anyone who wants to marry her, and I am quite sure that she cares for no one."

It was here that Dick hesitated. He had not planned just what to say when he had led the professor up to this point, so he, too, studied the carpet for a full minute and then looked at the professor with embarrassment that he could not conceal.

"But if there were someone who did care for her devotedly and for whom she cared in return—would you consent then?"

The professor was too much of a psychologist not to guess that the young man was speaking of himself, though perhaps in his present mood he could not conceive how a seemingly sane young man would choose to assume the task of being Madeleine's husband.

"Mr. Stoner, my hand. Forgive me when I tell you that from the time I first saw you I realized that there was something in your nature that would find harmony in Madeleine's. My knowledge of psychology is not all theoretical, you see. And in spite of

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what I have just said, I realized as you have just done that what Madeleine really needed was a husband. So you see my little scheme has worked. But Madeleine is a very sweet girl, in spite of her hoyden ways, and I know you will be happy."

Motorcycle Knocks Beer Out.

Edward Moscow of Carmel, N. Y., was hurled from his speeding motorcycle in a collision with a large deer in the darkness outside this village. He escaped uninjured, but the deer was knocked out, and it lay stunned on the road for an hour. Moscow believed the rays of his searchlight dazzled the deer, for as it emerged from the brush at the roadside and got in his path, it suddenly turned and charged, head-on, catapulted into the ditch and the motorcycle was wrecked. The deer remained motionless. Moscow took his broken motorcycle to a garage, and when he returned for the carcass of the deer, which he supposed was dead, he found it had recovered and fled.

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German Out-pigs the Pig.

Having tried a substitute for almost everything, the Germans, we are told, are stopping short of nothing in their attempt to make certain new foods take the place of those made scarce by the war. The latest report says that a sausage dealer in Berlin has been fined \$500 for selling sausage made of macerated rubber, finely ground hair and gelatin. His camouflage product contained no liver, no flesh, and no fats. At that, it was probably as digestible as some so-called sausage on sale in this country.—Popular Science Monthly.

Ancient Thessalonica.

Salonica, in the days when St. Paul addressed his Epistles to the Thessalonians, was not modern, for it was built about 315 B.C. on the site of an older city called Therme, and was named by its founder after his wife, a sister of Alexander the Great. It has always been a place of importance, as it is the chief harbor of Macedonia, and was a point on the ancient highway from Rome to the East. With a few fine buildings, like the old mosque which had been in turn a temple of Venus and a Christian church, it has always been a collection of houses largely of wood and therefore highly inflammable in the extreme continuous heat of summer.

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PERSIA'S NATIONAL DRINK

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The great beverage in Persia is sherbet, which is plentifully supplied and of which there are many varieties, from the bowl of water with a squeeze of lemon to the clear, concentrated juice of any sort of fruit to which water is added to dilute it.

The preparation of sherbet, which is done with the greatest care, is a very important point in so thirsty a country as Persia and one to which much time is devoted. It may be either expressed from the juice of fruit freshly gathered or from the preserved extract of pomegranates, cherries or lemons, mixed with sugar and submitted to a certain degree of heat to preserve it for winter consumption.

Another sherbet much drunk is called guzangeben. It is made from the honey of the tamarisk tree. This honey is not the work of the bee, but the product of a small insect or worm living in vast numbers under the leaves of the shrub. During the months of August and September the insects are collected and the honey is preserved. When used for sherbet it is mixed with vinegar, and, although not so delicious as that made from fruit, it makes an excellent temperance beverage.

Only among the rich and fashionable are glasses used. In all other cases, sherbet is served in china bowls and drunk from deep wooden spoons carved in pear wood.

SOLDIERS' UNIFORMS.

They Are Not Khaki, but "Cotton O. D." or "Wool O. D."

In speaking of the uniforms worn by the soldiers in the regular army and the militia do not speak of them as khaki. It is incorrect, says the Kansas City Star, because the soldiers do not wear khaki, and, besides, the soldiers are not at all partial to the word. The uniforms worn now are described by the war department as "Cotton, O. D." or "Wool O. D." The "O. D." means olive drab and is descriptive of the color of the uniforms. Cotton uniforms are worn in the summer and wool in the winter.

Khaki is a word of East Indian origin, meaning dusty, and comes from the word khak, meaning dusty. It is a clay or dust colored cloth, originally coming from India. It was first worn by the native British troops and later by all British troops serving abroad or on campaign.

It was later adopted by the United States government for both field and colonial service because of its serviceable qualities and because it was supposed to make it harder for the enemy to detect soldiers. The color of the uniforms was supposed to merge into the color of the ground.

Khaki is lighter in color than olive drab, and the khaki cloth is said to be superior to the cotton uniforms now being worn in the army.

The Church of Gold.

There is no structure just like St. Mark's, in Venice, in the world. Its bulb shaped domes and minaret-like belltowers remind the visitor of the orient. It seems more like a Mohammedan than a Christian temple. In the facade are scores of variously colored marble columns, each one a monolith and all possessing an oriental history. Some are from Ephesus, others from Smyrna, others from Constantinople and more than one even from Jerusalem. St. Mark's is the treasure house of Venice, a place of pride as well as prayer. The work of beautifying this old church was carried on for five centuries, and each generation tried to outdo all that had preceded it. The walls and roof are so profusely covered with mosaics and precious marbles that it is easy to understand why St. Mark's has been called the "Church of Gold."

Gallei and the Swinging Lamp.

The boy Gallei, sitting with hundreds of others in the Cathedral of Pisa on a Sunday morning, saw an attendant draw aside the heavy hanging lamp to light it and then let it swing. Many other eyes saw the same thing, but there was only that pair in Gallei's head which really observed what happened. He alone noticed that as the swings of the huge lamp became smaller and smaller they always took the same time. He proved it by counting them with his pulse. He had made a great discovery, out of which grew the pendulum clock and the accurate measurement of time.

Praise For the Growlers.

"The growlers," says a Georgia philosopher, "are the boys that keep the world moving, for when folks are growing all the time the world stops to ask the reason and straightway finds a remedy for the trouble. If the world paid any attention to the optimists things would be at a standstill. Taking it for granted that everything's O. K. is the end of progress."

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PRINCESS PATRICIA'S C.L.I.
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18TH BATTALION
C. W. Barnes, Geo. Ferris, Edmund Watson, G. Shanks, J. Burns, F. Burns, C. Blunt, Wm. Atterson, S. P. Shanks, Pte. Walter Woollett.

2ND DIVISIONAL CAVALRY
Lorne Lucas, Frank Yorks, Chas. Potter.

33RD BATTALION
Percy Mitchell, died from wounds Oct. 14th, 1916; Lloyd Howden, Geo. Fountain, killed in action Sept. 16, 1916, Gordon H. Patterson, died in Victoria Hospital, London.

34TH BATTALION
E. C. Crohn, S. Newell, Stanley Rogers, Macklin Hagle, missing since Oct. 8, 1916; Henry Holmes, killed in action Sept. 27, 1916, Wm. Manning, Leonard Lees, C. Jamieson.

29TH BATTERY
Wm. Mitchell, John Howard.
70TH BATTALION
Ernest Lawrence, Alfred Emmerson, C. H. Loveday, A. Banks, S. R. Whalton, killed in action Oct. 1916, Thos. Meyers, Jos. M. Wardman, Vern Brown, Sid Brown, killed in action Sept. 15, 1916, Alf. Bullough, C. F. A., Corp. V. W. Willoughby.

28TH BATTALION
Thomas Lamb, killed in action.
MOUNTED RIFLES
Fred A. Taylor
PIONEERS
Wm. Macnally, W. F. Goodman.
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ARMY MEDICAL CORPS
T. A. Brandon, M. D., Capt. W. J. McKenzie, M. D., Norman McKenzie, Jerrald W. Snell, Allen W. Edwards, Wm. McCausland.

135TH BATTALION
N. McLachlan, killed in action July 6th, 1917.

3RD RESERVE BATTERY, C.F.A.
Alfred Levi

116TH BATTALION
Clayton O. Fuller, killed in action April 18th, 1917.

196TH BATT.
B. R. Annett.

70TH BATTERY
R. H. Trenouth, killed in action May 8th, 1917; Murray M. Forster.

142ND BATTALION
Austin Potter.

GUNNER
Russ. G. Clark.

R. N. C. V. R.
John J. Brown

ARMY DENTAL CORPS
Elgin D. Hicks, H. D. Taylor.

ARMY SERVICE CORPS
Frank Elliot, R. H. Acton, Arthur McKercher

98TH BATTALION
Roy E. Acton.

64TH BATTERY
C. F. Luckham.

Harold D. Robinson

65TH BATTERY
Walter A. Restorick.

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ZOUAVES WILL BE POPULAR

Idea Applied to Both Skirt and Jacket in Collection of Spring Models From Paris.

Possibly the most salient feature of the collection of models for spring brought over to New York from Paris is the prominence of the zouave idea. This does not apply only to the skirt, for the elongated jacket is a feature of the zouave dress, as is also the bound-in hipline, and these features are all repeated and played upon in this collection.

While it may not seem that there is anything startlingly new in a dropped waistline, the manner in which the hips are bound, the jacket and the showing of the blouse section under the jacket is distinctive. It produces really another silhouette which, although narrow, is not straight and binds in around the hips.

DAINTY BOUDOIR CAP



Sometimes you see a thing and you call it pretty or beautiful for lack of a word that would express the real exquisiteness and charm of the thing you were describing. This unusual boudir cap is just that sort of thing. It has that Dutch effect, new this season, but which has been in vogue on and off for many years. The Venetian lace is held in place with a narrow pique blue ribbon.

Long Capes.

The long capes are shown in plush, in panne velvet and in various furs, and also heavily brocaded satin. Such models invariably have a tendency to the "tube" lines, so smart a season or two back. This line gives even the unfortunately "heavy set" matron the slimmer appearance so dear to the heart of her, and this is bound to be more popular than is the voluminous folds of a very few capes garishly exhibited.

A novelty for smokers is a small metal matchbox to be clamped on the stem of a pipe.

Honesty

Honesty of purpose is indeed a rare gem and is admirable so long as exercised in the right direction. We should be honest in all our endeavors if we wish them crowned with success. The most successful business men will tell you of the three I's—Industry, Intelligence, Integrity. Added to this, economy, and one's business career will be a success, not a venture. We are prone to wonder if the very rich that we read about, but very seldom see, have acquired their wealth honestly and honorably. Are they really captains of industry or rogues of society? It is certainly beyond the calibre of most men to accumulate money to the million mark. They who have made this amount of money were gifted with brain power above the average and have used it with a purpose. As a reformer I may not agree with the methods by which they are permitted to accumulate money in this fashion, but if you should place yourself in their position you probably would not have the calibre to fill their shoes. Why then should we lesser mortals complain of the greater? What one man can do another man may not be endowed to do. We are all born equal in a sense to make the best of ourselves, but some are born stronger physically and mentally than others, and with fair sailing, cannot avoid getting rich. How they make their money and spend it is a matter of their own conscience. But that there are many who prosper for a time by dishonest methods we cannot deny, but we know their end is not good. Robert Burns has said that an honest man is the noblest work of God, and if we seek for ideals of perfection in man we must not look to the rich and crafty, who may have developed certain lines of their nature, at the expense of other and more important attributes of their soul, but to the honest men of Robert Burns' idea, who, while passing through this world have not set their hearts upon riches and the vanity of the world, but have stood fearlessly for the best and noblest traits of human character.

Foul Air And Disease

"Free as the air we breathe" is not applicable to foul air. Like most other commodities the later exacts a toll from everyone who uses it. Lowered vitality, with a consequent predisposition to such diseases as colds, pneumonia and tuberculosis is the price that is paid for breathing impure air. It is probably true that a large percentage of the homes in countries possessing a climate similar to Canada's, are, to a greater or less extent, breeding places for such diseases, especially during the winter months. This is the outstanding reason for the marked prevalence of such diseases in Canada, diseases for which fresh air is the potent remedy, says "Conservation," a Dominion government publication. Tightly closed rooms, constructed for the sole purpose of retaining heat, soon become filled with poisonous gasses, exhaled by the inmates. The remedy is, of course, better ventilation. It can be only a question of time when our governments insist that scientific ventilating systems be installed in all new buildings. Public health and public opinion will demand it. In older buildings, where the only ventilation is obtained from windows, the air may be "flushed" by opening the windows at intervals for a few moments. This means a loss of some heat, but if the windows are not left open too long, the saving in doctors' bills will more than offset the extra cost of fuel.

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