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MONEY SAVERS
Don't fail to read the "Special Notices." They contain information that will save you money.

Whole No. 2411

LADIES' CUSHION SOLE SHOES, \$3.98, AT THE MODERN SHOE STORE, GLENCOE

The Woodgreen Dramatic Club will give their play

"The Parson's Vacation"

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Friday Evening,
April 12th

Admission - 35c and 20c
Proceeds for Red Cross

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Part of the west half of the north half of lot 22, con. 1, Ekfrid, known as "Fairview Place." Contains about 35 acres of clay loam soil, good house, barn, orchard, etc. An ideal small farm, with telephone and rural mail, and only one mile from school, church and railroad station. See Mrs. A. M. McRae, Appin Road.

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Cream Wanted

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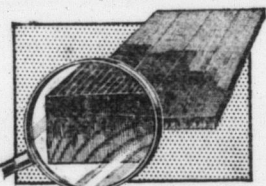
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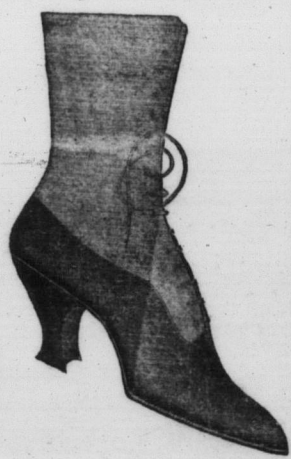
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Main Street, Glencoe

Phone 103

LADIES' PATRIOTIC LEAGUE

The Ladies' Patriotic League will meet at the home of Mrs. Parrott next Tuesday evening at 7.30.

On Saturday, April 27th, an Allies' Tea will be given in the Town Hall in aid of the League, to buy yarn and other material in demand for Red Cross work and soldiers' comforts.

Hunt up all your old rubbers and we will have them called for on leaving word with any of the committee.

"The Sweet Girl Graduate"

St. John's Dramatic Club will repeat their charming play, "The Sweet Girl Graduate," in the

Opera House, Glencoe

on the evening of

Friday, April 12

Change of program between acts.

Admission - 25 cents

Proceeds evenly divided between Red Cross Society and Patriotic League (allowing for what St. John's church has already given to Red Cross Society).

Mortgage Sale of Valuable Real Estate in the Township of Mosa.

Under and by virtue of power of sale contained in a certain mortgage which will be offered for sale by public auction at the

McKellar House, Glencoe

ON

Saturday, April 20th, 1918

at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable real estate, namely: East half of the east half of the north half of lot 12, in the 4th concession in the Township of Mosa, County of Middlesex, containing 25 acres more or less. This property consists of improved farm land, with dwelling house, stable and other improvements.

TERMS OF SALE: The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid. One-fifth of the purchase price to be paid at the time of sale and the balance within two weeks thereafter.

For further particulars apply to

Elliott & Moss,
Solicitors for the vendor.

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Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain mortgage, there will be offered for sale by public auction at the

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at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable real property, viz.: Village lots numbers sixteen and seventeen in block "E," in Nathaniel Currie's survey of four in the first concession of the Township of Ekfrid and now forming part of the incorporated Village of Glencoe, containing one-half of an acre more or less. This is a desirable residential property, well situated on Main St. in the Village of Glencoe, and has on it a substantial brick dwelling use and other improvements.

TERMS OF SALE: The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid. One-fifth of the purchase price to be paid down at the time of sale and the balance within two weeks thereafter.

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CHARLES GEORGE, Clerk

District and General.

A farmer of Euphrasia realized \$90.40 from the sale of one hog.

The butchers of Parkhill have decided to sell meat for cash only.

The Ontario License Commission is to be reduced from five to three members.

The Grand Trunk ticket office at Watford was broken into and the tills rifled of about \$55.

A horticultural society has been organized in Alvinston with the idea of beautifying the town and home surroundings.

Potato dealers from Michigan points were in Petrolia taking orders for potatoes laid down in that town at \$1.80 per bag. This includes a duty of 40 cents a bag.

In years gone by, when muskrat hides were worth about 10 cents each, the creeks were full of them. This year the pelts are quoted at from \$1.50 to \$2, and the creeks are minus the rats.

Potomac poisoning, supposed to have been caused by drinking sap from a willow which was rusty, caused the sudden death of Jennings Foster, the 10-year-old son of R. J. Foster of Leamington.

Idleness in Canada is now punishable by penalty. An order-in-council enacts that all persons domiciled in Canada shall, in the absence of reasonable cause to the contrary, engage in useful occupations.

The Daylight Saving Bill has passed the committee stage of the House at Ottawa after meeting with considerable opposition. It will probably receive its third reading at an early sitting of the House.

While George Richardson was driving a new Maxwell car from Windsor for delivery at St. Thomas the car stalled on a crossing near West Lorne in front of an express train and was smashed to atoms.

Prior to leaving Ridgeway to reside on a farm near London Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Watterworth were given a farewell evening and presented with a leather suit case each by members of the Baptist church.

E. S. Ethey of Zone recently cut down a soft maple tree, out of which he procured 190 cords of wood. The stump measured 5 feet 3 inches across. At \$3.50 a cord, a common price during the winter, the tree was worth about \$60.

Middlesex county council at a special meeting on Saturday voted \$30,000 towards the work of the Y. M. C. A. among the troops in Canada, England and France. This sum will be raised by adding three-quarters of a mill to the tax rate.

Hearing ashes were good for poultry to eat. Mrs. Mary Crowell of Bothwell emptied a pan of ashes in her chicken yard. The chicken house burned down, roasting two chickens. The fire spread along the fence, and only after great difficulty was extinguished.

More than 400,000 male adults in Ontario out of a possible 750,000 have bought liquor in Montreal since prohibition went into effect in this province in September, 1916. It is estimated that more than \$6,000,000 worth of liquor has been shipped in that time.

In order to assist in the greater production campaign, many municipalities are offering to plough vacant lots for any person who will agree to plant and care for a garden. Here is a chance for the village fathers to assist in this great work. There were several vacant lots in the village last year which grew nothing but weeds.

The prosperity of a town is not gauged by the wealth of its inhabitants, but by the uniformity with which they pull together when an important undertaking is to be accomplished. A man with a thousand dollars at his command and a love for his town in his heart can do more for its building than the millionaire who looks up his capital and snaps his fingers at home enterprise.

Nearly all watch signs, in the United States, probably 80 out of 100, have their hands set at 8.18, but comparatively few people know why this is. It is no accident. W. K. Washburn, of New York, was painting a sign for a jeweler of that city, when the news of the assassination of Abraham Lincoln, April 14, 1865, was received in New York and the jeweler ordered the painter to paint the exact time when the fatal shot was fired, namely 8.18 and so it has continued ever since.

When Cain had killed off one-fourth of the people of the earth, leaving only three, then went into the land of Nod and builded a city, it is evident that he did not sit around like a lump on a log and growl about the Nod real estate and people. He was not himself, perhaps, the most exemplary of men, and if he had some reason to emigrate from the land of his birth, he did not mope and whine, but got hold of a piece of ground and went to work to do something. The man who could build up a city under such auspices is the kind of material we want in this town. But what is more, Cain did not advise his son to "go west" and get out of the dead old town. He named the city after him, believed in it, worked in it, bought his goods there and kept his money at home.

All persons parking cars on the streets of Glencoe must park them on the right-hand side of the street, with the cars facing diagonally towards the sidewalk, so that any car can be backed out when desired without interfering with the others.

By order of the Council of the Village of Glencoe.
113 CHARLES GEORGE, Clerk

Glencoe Council.

The regular meeting of the Glencoe council was held on Thursday evening. Members all present.

A deputation representing the Glencoe Women's Patriotic League requested the free use of the assembly room in the town hall for the purpose of holding their business meetings once a month through the summer months.

On motion of Messrs. Roome and Keith, their request was granted.

On motion of Messrs. Roome and Hagerty, Dr. John Walker's report as Medical Health Officer was accepted as being very satisfactory.

At the urgent request for aid to the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, it was moved by W. A. Hagerty, seconded by A. McPherson, and carried that this council grant ten dollars for the same.

On motion of Messrs. Roome and McPherson, the following accounts were ordered paid:—The Glencoe Library Board, part of requisition for 1918, \$50; Harry Vause, sharpening saw, 30c; W. R. Quick, shovelling snow \$0.25, scraping streets \$15, \$21.25; S. Thompson, salary for March \$40, stamps \$3.17, \$43.17; J. E. Weaver, salary as constable for January, February and March, \$15; Chas. George, first quarter's salary \$37.50, stamps \$8, \$57.80.

On motion of Messrs. McPherson and Keith, the reeve and Mr. Hagerty were appointed to look after the renting of lot owned by H. McMechan.

Council adjourned to meet April 15.

CHAS. GEORGE, Clerk.

The Sweet Girl Graduate.

On Tuesday evening of last week this breezy and entertaining little comedy was presented by St. John's Y. P. A. Drama Society at the Opera House, Glencoe, to a large and most appreciative audience. The interest of the play centres round the heroine, Miss Maude De Smythe, the "Sweet Girl Graduate" and the only child of Mr. De Smythe, the railway magnate. It is the eve of her graduation, and as the curtain rises the preparations for that important event are in progress. The time and energy of Maude's whole staff of admirers, her valet, her maid and her florist, her father and mother and last, but not least, her maiden aunt, Matilda Hoppenhoer, are all being pressed into the service.

It takes a pretty girl to fill the bill of such a heroine, and the role of the sweet girl graduate was well portrayed by Miss Clea Hicks, who presented the character of the spoiled young favorite of fortune natural and pleasing. Mrs. De Smythe, the fancied invalid, with her negligee apparel, languid airs and threatened "spasms," was well taken by Miss Margaret Stinson. The character of Mr. De Smythe, the well-dressed, somewhat pompous and opulent railway magnate, found a good exponent in Ed Mayhew, whose talent for acting in other roles is well known in Glencoe. Richard Singleton, as Jack Hamilton, the tall and good-looking fiance of the sweet girl, made a straightforward and manly lover. His little attack of jealousy over the loss of his hair upon the audience, W. J. Strachan, as Hubert the florist, with his long white linen coat and red waistcoat, gave the audience many a good laugh, while Miss Edith Warratt, as Matilda Hoppenhoer, was inimitable. Her costume, from her tawny wig, voluminous skirts, white knitted stockings and flat-heeled shoes, was pure comedy, while her portrayal of the funny, fussy, energetic, maiden aunt was something never to be forgotten in Glencoe dramatic circles. The other characters in the play were all well taken by F. G. Humphries, Miss Jean MacLachlan, Miss Frances Moss, Miss Florence Westcott and Miss Grace Dalgety.

Between the acts the audience was entertained by popular songs from Mrs. McGeachie, Mr. Strachan and Stanley Humphries which were much enjoyed. Mr. Singleton was accompanied for the evening, while Rev. T. J. Charlton as chairman, excelled himself by his witty and humorous presentation of the play and the players. The proceeds amounted to \$114.45.

The "Sweet Girl Graduate" will be repeated on Friday evening, April 12th, when it is hoped that there will be just as large and enthusiastic a house. The proceeds on this evening will be divided between the Patriotic League and the Red Cross Society.

McCracken-Elliott.

There was a very quiet but pretty wedding at the home of Mrs. G. C. Elliott, Symes street, on Thursday afternoon when James McCracken of Jenner, Alberta and Miss Christy, Mrs. Elliott's only daughter, were united in marriage.

The bride, who was unattended, was given away by her brother, J. C. Elliott, and looked very sweet in a gown of white point d'esprit over white silk, with Juliet veil of white tulle caught with orange blossoms, and carrying a bouquet of white roses. The ceremony was conducted by Elder J. B. Slauson of St. Thomas, under a canopy of green, banked with ferns, palms and calla lilies. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present.

After the ceremony, luncheon was served and Mr. and Mrs. McCracken left on the evening train for their home in Alberta, the bride travelling in a suit of navy blue, with hat to match.

Come cripple the feet and make walking a torture, yet sure relief in the shape of Holloway's Corn Cure is within reach of all.

Flax for Aeroplanes.

Word has been received at Ottawa that Colonel Wayland of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces has been requested by the War Office to immediately proceed to Canada to supervise the distribution of flax seed which is anticipated will be urgently required in order to supply the manufacturing needs for aeroplanes in the near future. As the importance of these supplies cannot be exaggerated it is exceedingly desirable that there shall be cordial cooperation between the farmers who will sow this special flax seed and Colonel Wayland who will distribute the seed to be sown. Colonel Wayland has been empowered to offer suitable terms to farmers sowing this seed. He is proceeding to Canada at an early date and in the meantime enquiries may be addressed to him care of Grain Exchange, Winnipeg.

Easter Vestry Meeting.

The annual vestry meeting was held in the schoolroom of St. John's church on Tuesday evening, April 8th (adjourned from Easter Monday). The meeting was largely attended, almost half being ladies, who took an active part throughout, this being the first time they had full voting powers. The rector was in the chair and opened the meeting with prayer.

The following officers were all unanimously appointed:—Rector's warden, Wm. Hagerty; people's warden, Wm. D. Moss (barrier); sidesmen—Messrs. Dunlop, Lamont, Wm. McMillan and Sidney Overton; Synod delegate, J. E. Roome; Synod substitute, D. Lamont; vestry secretary, Isaac Walker.

The various societies submitted their reports, which were all of the most satisfactory character, showing the extraordinary amount of work that ladies do for their church. One wonders how they manage to get so many hundreds of dollars. To their energy and love is to be credited the good and well-kept rectory, besides their help to missions and to the church in general. The church warden presented a most creditable statement, the whole debt on the parish being \$28. Messrs. Roome, Wright and I. Walker were elected auditors; Messrs. Wright, Lamont and Roome were nominated by the rector as a finance committee to assist the rector when called upon. Votes of thanks were accorded the rector and the A. Y. P. A. for having handed to the warden, and to the warden, ladies and others for all their good work. The choir is requested to remain a few moments after the school room next Sunday after the morning service to receive the thanks of the congregation for their services.

The rector was unanimously granted one month's vacation. The meeting was a very splendid meeting was closed with the benediction by the rector.

The Late Mrs. Young.

Mrs. Mary Young, widow of the late Jacob Young and a pioneer of Ekfrid township, passed peacefully away at her late residence in the town of Emerson, Manitoba, on the evening of March 21, 1918, at the age of 88 years, 8 months. Funeral services were held at Emerson, the sermon being preached by Rev. D. M. Kennedy, an old family friend and former pastor when the family resided near Glencoe. The remains were brought east for burial in Longwood cemetery where she was laid to rest beside her husband on March 28th, after a short memorial service, conducted by Rev. D. McCullough of Appin, had been held at the residence of a daughter, Mrs. Robert Webster.

Mrs. Young, whose maiden name was Mary Cooper, was born near Toronto, June 29, 1829, and while still a child moved with her parents first to Caledon and in 1845 to Carleton Place. In 1851 she was married to the late Jacob Young and for fifty-four years they stood side-by-side, making for themselves a comfortable home out of the forests of Ekfrid township. In 1883 they moved with their family to Manitoba, having seen Emerson and later retiring into the town.

Early in March Mrs. Young was attacked with heart-trouble, and throughout her illness she displayed a saintly patience and gentleness, thoughtfulness for others that characterized her entire life. She was a life-long member of the Methodist Church and her devoted, consistent Christian life was an inspiration to all who came in contact with her.

Besides her husband, two of her children, William J. Young and Mrs. Mary Guthrie, have also been called to their rest, and she leaves to mourn her passing five daughters and three sons: Mrs. Robert Webster of Appin, Miss Harriet Young and Miss Sarah Young of Emerson, Miss Margaret Young of Minneapolis, Minnesota; Mrs. I. V. Whitely of Saskatoon, Sask.; Henry Young of Woodmore, Man.; John C. Young of Montana, and J. B. Young of Buffalo, N. Y.

Metcalfe Council.

Metcalfe township council met at Napier on Monday, April 1st. Members all present.

A number of accounts were passed for payment.

On motion of Blain and Hawken the reeve and clerk of Ekfrid to settle township accounts.

A court of revision was held in the Davis drain. No change was made in the assessment. R. Denning was appointed commissioner.

On motion of Blain and Hawken the commissioners were empowered to spend any balance of last year's grant in 1918.

Council adjourned to meet again on May 6th, at 10 a. m.

BOVRIL

Take it as Soup before Meals

KITCHENER'S MOB

By Jas. NORMAN HALL.

CHAPTER X.—(Cont'd.)

III. Rissoles and a Requiem

At the close of a gloomy October day, six unshaven, mud-encrusted machine gunners, the surviving members of two teams, were gathered at the C Company gun emplacement. D Company's gun had been destroyed by a shell, and so we had joined forces here in front of the wrecked dugout, and were waiting for night when we could bury our dead comrades. A fine drenching rain was falling. We sat with our waterproof sheets thrown over our shoulders and our knees drawn up to our chins, that we might conserve the damp warmth of our bodies. No one spoke. No reference was made to our dead comrades who were lying there so close that we could almost touch them from where we sat. Nevertheless, I believe that we were all thinking of them, however unwillingly. I tried to see them as they were only a few hours before. I tried to remember the sound of their voices, how they had laughed; but I could think only of the appearance of their mutilated bodies.

On a dreary autumn evening one's thoughts often fall back on the turn, though one is indoors sitting before a pleasant fire, and hearing but faintly the sighing of the wind and the sound of the rain beating against the window. It is hardly to be wondered at that soldiers in trenches become discouraged at times, and on this occasion, when an unquenchably cheerful voice shouted over an adjoining traverse,—

"Wot che'r, lads! Are we downhearted?"—a growling chorus answered with an unmistakable,—

"YES!"

We were in an open ditch. The rain was beating down on our faces. We were waiting for darkness when we could go to our unpleasant work of grave-digging. To-morrow there would be more dead bodies and more graves to dig, and the day after, the same duty, and the day after that, the same. Week after week we should be living like this, killing and being killed, binding up terrible wounds, digging graves, always doing the same work with not one bright or pleasant thing to look forward to.

These were my thoughts as I sat on the firing-bench with my head drawn down between my knees watching the water dripping from the edges of my puttees. But I had forgotten Private Lemley, our cook, or, to give him his due, our chef. He was not the man to waste his time in gloomy reflection. With a dozen mouldy potatoes which he had procured Heaven knows where, four tins of corned beef, and a can of condensed milk, he had set to work with the enthusiasm of the born artist, the result being rissoles, brown crisp, and piping hot. It is a pleasure to think of that meal. Private Lemley was of the rare souls of earth, one of the Mark Tapleys who never lost his courage or his good spirits. I remember how our spirits rose at the sound of his voice, and how gladly and quickly we responded to his summons.

"Ere you are, me lads! Bully beef rissoles an' 'ot tea, an' it ain't 'arf bad fer the trenches if I do say it."

I can only wonder now at the keenness of our appetites in the midst of the most gruesome surroundings. Dead men were lying about us, both in the trenches and outside of them. And yet our rissoles were not a whit the less enjoyable on that account.

It was quite dark when we had finished. The sergeant jumped to his feet.

"Let's get at it, boys," he said.

Half an hour later we erected a wooden cross in Tommy's grave-strewn garden. It bore the following inscription written in pencil:

Pte. No. 4326 MacDonald.
Pte. No. 7864 Gardner.
Pte. No. 9861 Preston.
Pte. No. 6940 Allen.
Royal Fusiliers.
"They did their bit."

Quietly we slipped back into the

It is fine for cleaning cans—says the dairyman

Comfort Lye

The Housewife's Corner

WAR AND FOOD SERIES, ARTICLE No. 14—HONEY

"How doth the busy little bee Improve each shining hour?"—

While the country woman looks after her dairy and her chickens, the bee works away gathering flower-juice, bringing it home to the hive and transforming it into the most delicious of sweets.

There are two aspects to bee-keeping. On the one hand it is a profitable war-time industry. On the other hand, if the farmer wants his fruit to be of the best, he needs the help of the bee.

Honey production has arrived at a commercial basis undreamed of thirty years ago. The world's markets are clamoring for honey, and upon the way in which this unforeseen opportunity is used, depends the status of the industry when times again become normal. It is passing through a phase which will mean either the establishment of honey as a staple food or its relegation to the oblivion of a mere occasional luxury.

Honey has about the same food value as sugar, but it has also a far wider range of uses. It should be considered as a distinctive food and not as a substitute for anything else. It is a heat-producing food and in

they were talking in excited and gleeful undertones, as they might have passed through the gates at a football match.

"Are we downhearted? Not likely, old son!"

"Tyke a feel o' this little puffball! Smack on old Fritz's napper she goes!"

"I'm a-go'n' to ask fer a nice Blighty one! Four months in Brentford hospital an' me Christmas puddin' at home!"

"Now, don't forget, you blokes! County o' London War Hospital fer me if I gets a knock! Write it on a piece o' pypor an' pin it to me tunic w'en you sends me back to the ambulance."

The barricades were blown up and the fight was on. A two-hundred-piece orchestra of blacksmiths, with sledgehammers, beating kettle-drums the size of brewery vats, might have approximated, in quality and volume, the sound of the battle. The spectacular effect was quite different from that of a counter-attack across the open. Lurid flashes of light issued from the ground as though a door to the infernal regions had been thrown jarringly open. The cloud of thick smoke was shot through with red gleams. Men ran along the parapet hurling bombs down into the trench. Now they were hidden by the smoke, now silhouetted for an instant against a glare of blinding light.

An hour passed and there was no change in the situation.

"Fritz's a tough old bird," said Tommy. "E's a-go'n' to die game, you got to give it to 'im."

(To be continued.)

HIS NERVE STILL HOLDS.

Kaiser Sends Condolence to Man Who Lost Five Sons in the War.

One of his faithful newspapers, the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin, says that Kaiser Wilhelm has sent a telegram of condolence to Count Von Roon, who has lost five sons in the war. The Von Roons are a family famous in the annals of German arms, so the telegram very aptly and kindly observes:

"May your pain be soothed by the certainty that the German people are proud of the father and sons who, to the honor of their famous names, willingly sacrificed their lives for the fatherland."

Which is quite decent of him, but the Kaiser has some five or six sons and a son-in-law—all of military age and able-bodied, all alive and whole now, and perfectly safe for the future, even if the war should last ten years more! One of the few very tolerable medals struck by the Potsdam Government during the struggle is that to commemorate Count Von Spee and his two sons—all three of them lost in the battle of the Falkland Islands, says Collier's Weekly. Lincoln's letter to Mrs. Bixby of Massachusetts on the death of her five sons in the Civil War will live forever in men's hearts because of Lincoln's devoted martyrdom to the cause for which they died. If a truthful portrait medal were struck now of the Potsdam plotter and his numerous progeny, it might show Wilhelm II. looking a bit worried. A good inscription for it would be, "Our safety is our supreme law," or something to the same effect, preferably in hog Latin. When the Kaiser has passed to his final restlessness, we'd like to furnish the epitaph: "He had the nerve." Certainly he had no humor, or humility, or justice.

The Voice of the Grass.

Here I come creeping, creeping everywhere.

By the dusty roadside,
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For three years this French soldier hid in an attic from the boches. It was the attic of his home. Below German officers and their orderlies were billeted all the while. He had answered the call to the colors on the first day of mobilization in France. A week later he was captured as the Hun overran northern France.

By one of those strange freaks of fate he was sent back to the rear by way of his own village. In the darkness of night he slipped out of the line entirely unnoticed.

His wife was a jewel. No betraying sound escaped her lips when he appeared at the back door of his home. She simply placed a warning finger to her lips, and they formed the words, "Boches are here."

She led the way to the attic and there she made him a well-covered hiding place. The attic had been searched that morning, and the Boches did not dream that anyone would dare to enter the house.

But it was a terrible life that this unnamed man led from that time on. At any moment the attic might be searched again upon the whim of one of the officers below. He could tiptoe only a few steps now and then during the day.

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The wife fed her husband from the scraps of the meals served to the intruders of her home. They were pitiful meals that she managed to smuggle upstairs to him. So little was her own portion that she could not spare a morsel from it without suffering.

For months they kept the knowledge of his presence from their 3-year-old daughter. In an unguarded moment, however, she toddled into the attic behind her mother, and nearly betrayed her father by her childish shrieks of joy.

A new danger was now ever present, for both husband and wife feared that the little girl might unwittingly reveal the whereabouts of her father as she played with the German officers, who had grown fond of her. Time and time again the wit of the mother averted an exposure.

But the British came to drive the Boches out at last, and his worst prison sentence was ended. The Tommy, smashing through in the Cambrai battle, routed the Germans with tanks, infantry and cavalry. With wild haste before the flaming monsters of iron, backed by shooting, hacking British "demons," the Teuton officers leaped out of the house and went down the road toward home at a brisk pace. As friendly English faces appeared at the door the wife dashed to the attic and brought down her husband. The soldier was a veritable living skeleton when he hobbled out of his hiding place. For the first time in more than three years he spoke above a whisper, ate a full meal and lived like a human being. The wife told the story to the amazed British soldiers, who brought up their fellows to see and hear, and before night the astonishing tale was running through the ranks of the conquerors.

A RIGHTEOUS NEMESIS.

Awaiting Germany, Breaker of International Law.

It is more than probable that by her illegal use, or abuse, of the submarine, Germany is starving herself eventually instead of Great Britain. She has reduced the ships of the world available for carrying the produce of all countries, and when the war is over these sunken ships will be sadly needed to set things back to their normal condition, as far as the supply of the world is concerned.

Now, who is likely to consider Germany, the creator of all the trouble? Rest assured that every nation will be served before her at the table of the world; and, even when she gets served, her portion will be meagre. Thus the U-boat, about which the Hun brags so constantly, and to which he pins his faith so surely, is laying up privation for Germany for many a year to come.

Besides, as the unrestricted use of the submarine has been condemned as illegal in the laws of the nations, every time the Germans sink a cargo-boat they are sending the bill to themselves. With characteristic casuistry they say, with their Kaiser, "There is no longer any international law." Wait and see. The burglar says that until he meets the policeman. Then he finds he does not make his own laws, but that they are made for him, and if he chooses not to obey, then he must take the consequences—when he is caught. That is why we must be sure to catch Germany.

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Farm Crop Queries



Conducted by Professor Henry G. Bell

The object of this department is to place at the service of our farm readers the advice of an acknowledged authority on all subjects pertaining to soils and crops.

Address all questions to Professor Henry G. Bell, in care of The Wilson Publishing Company, Limited, Toronto, and answers will appear in this column in the order in which they are received. As space is limited it is advisable where immediate reply is necessary that a stamped and addressed envelope be enclosed with the question, when the answer will be mailed direct.

H.M.S.:—I would like to learn the value of spring vetch. Can it be sown with peas and oats, the same to be cut for hay? How much freezing will it stand?

Answer:—Spring vetch is a rapid growing legume. It yields a heavy quantity of nutritious feed. It can be sown with peas and oats and makes a valuable addition to such a mixture for hay purposes. It will stand considerable period of cool weather. In fact, there are types that pass the whole winter in a dormant state, just like winter wheat.

E.R.I.:—We have a field which raised a crop of beans this year, it being sown last spring. Owing to the lateness of the beans ripening we were not able to get all sowed to rye. It was well fitted and we got part of it drilled to rye. The seed came from a field that yielded about thirty bushels per acre; we sowed at the rate of one and one eighth bushel per acre. We have the seed for the field all cleaned up and in bags. The same field several years ago, so we were told by the man who worked it, was put into rye so late that it did not come up until the next spring and made a fair yield. This field's soil is on the sandy order with some clay and is underlaid with subsoil, and in turn underlaid with a sheet of gravel; it is warm soil. I am informed of several instances of rye being put in so late that it did not come up until the next spring, and doing well, one yielded about thirty bushels per acre. Do you know of instances of rye being sowed early in the spring (winter rye) and it yielding successfully? How much seed would you recommend to sow per acre in the spring? How deep would you drill it?

Answer:—I would not advise sowing winter rye for seed in the spring. Nature seems to have modified the growth of the fall-sown grains so that they seem to require a period of rest between the original germination and the production of grain-bearing shoots. You know if you plant winter wheat in the spring, it grows low and sends up very few grain-bearing shoots. The same is true of winter rye. While late-sown fall rye does germinate early in the spring and produces a good yield, you must remember that the dormant period of the germinating seed has been passed in the soil. It would be much better to obtain some spring rye, of which there are two or three good varieties. Ontario Agricultural College has obtained good yields from Petkus, Common and Prolific Spring varieties of spring rye. A bushel and a half of seed per acre is about the correct amount to sow. It should be drilled about the depth that winter wheat is sown, that is, 1 1/2 to 3 inches deep in well prepared soil. In order to insure a good stand and give your crop a vigorous start, it would be well for you to fertilize the spring rye with approximately 200 to 300 pounds of fertilizer per acre analyzing 2 to 3 per cent. ammonia and 8 to 10 per cent. available phosphoric acid. This can be drilled in at the time

the rye is sown, if the grain drill is equipped with a fertilizer drilling attachment. If not, the fertilizer can be broadcasted like lime and worked into the soil by thoroughly disking and harrowing.

S.G.:—I have a few acres of rather heavy marsh land. Would this grow barley successfully? What variety, when and how much should be sown for the best results? Is barley straw as good for feed as oat straw? Is millet good for dairy cows?

Answer:—If the marsh land is severely flooded till late in the season, it is questionable whether barley will grow successfully upon it. However, barley will do the best of any of the small grains on poorly drained soil, because this crop is shallow-rooted. You would do best to get seed of O. A. C. No. 21 barley. You should sow a bushel and a half to the acre seeding it as soon as the ground is fairly dry. Barley straw is not as good feed as oat straw but is better than wheat straw. Millet hay is not particularly good hay for dairy stock as it is not rich in protein. However, if the millet has been cut early and millet hay well made, it is all right to feed it once a day.

A.B.C.:—I bought eighty acres of level sandy loam last fall which has been somewhat run. I intend to lime this land, and had thought of seeding same to mammoth clover. Would sweet clover be any surer crop on a light soil? Would it be equally good hay for cattle and horses? How does the price of the seed compare with mammoth clover seed and how much should be sown to the acre?

Answer:—Sweet clover would be a good crop on your sandy loam soil. It is not a surer crop than common red, in fact I do not look upon it as so sure a crop. There is a difference of opinion as to the quality of hay sweet clover makes. Stock do not eat it readily until they are trained to use this roughage, because the sweet clover contains an aromatic oil which seems to be distasteful to the stock. However, I know of several farmers who claim good results from sweet clover hay. You should use from 20 to 25 pounds of sweet clover to the acre. In order to make sure of the catch of clover I would advise you to fertilize the soil at the time of seeding, using from 200 to 300 pounds of fertilizer analyzing 1-2 per cent. ammonia, 8-10 per cent. phosphoric acid to the acre. If you have no drill or fertilizer attachment this fertilizer can be scattered on the ground and worked in by harrowing and disking.

A.R.:—What is the best way to prepare corn ground for oats? Would you plow or disk the field?

Answer:—The preparation for your corn ground for oats will depend entirely on the nature of the soil. If your soil is naturally a free and open loam all you will need to do will be to disk it thoroughly. If it is a medium heavy clay, on the other hand, you had better plow it five or six inches deep and work it down by disking and harrowing.

purpose of his mission. Caesarea Philippi was so called to distinguish it from the Caesarea on the coast, the city north of Jaffa, where Paul was imprisoned. It was given the name Philippi in honor of Philip the Tetrarch who had rebuilt it. On the way he asked his disciples—This is the first time that Jesus questions his disciples about himself. Luke tells us that the question was asked when he was alone with the disciples at prayer. It was a solemn crisis in his life. It marks a turning point in his career. Who do men say that I am (Matthew says, "That the Son of man is")? His first question is about the opinion of others. The reply indicates how various were the impressions.

28. And they told him—In this answer we have the explanation, which common rumor, in his own days, agreed that he was a wonderful personage, either the Baptist, or Elijah, or (Matthew) Jeremiah, but none said that he was the Messiah. He wished to ascertain from them, the special witnesses as they had been of his life and daily words, the results of those labors which were now drawing in one sense to a close, before he went on to communicate to them other and more painful truths. Peter answered—All three of the Gospels (Matthew, Mark, and Luke) make Peter the spokesman. We have no report of what the others may have said, perhaps because of its unimportance compared with the great confession now made by Peter. Thou art the living God. Luke, "of God." There had been earlier confessions by the disciples as "The Son of God" and "The Holy One of God," and Peter recognized Jesus as the Messiah when he first followed him (John 1:11), but this confession is now made by Peter in answer to the Master's own question and in the most explicit terms. Christ or "Christos" is a

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Greek translation of the Hebrew word "Messiah" or "anointed one." In the Old Testament a man who was selected for the great duty of kingship was anointed, or was a "messiah." Even Cyrus the Persian King, who, we are told by Isaiah, was an instrument in God's hands, was called a "messiah" or anointed one. Thus there were many "messiahs," but through the prophets the hopes of Israel became fastened upon One who in the coming ages would be the restorer of his people. To him they gave the title "Messiah." What Peter now confesses is that in Jesus is found The Messiah, the Redeemer of all Israel, the Restorer and Redeemer of his people, whose full title as it appears in the Epistles is Lord Jesus Christ.

30. Charged them—The times were not ripe for a public and general declaration of the Messiahship. Then, too, while the disciples had asserted their belief in him as the Messiah they were not competent at this time to instruct and persuade the multitude who had deliberately and even passionately rejected him.

31. Began to teach them—From now onward Jesus has much to say concerning his sufferings and death. He now gives a new direction to his teachings. He now dwells freely upon his awful future. Son of man—His favorite title for himself. Must suffer many things—There is here implied a moral necessity in the divine plan. He is to be cast aside by official Judaism, finally put to death, but in three days will rise from the dead.

32. And he spake the saying openly—His first turning point was when he left Galilee, because of the antagonism of his enemies and the falling away of the people. His second is here at Caesarea Philippi, when his Messiahship is clearly announced and his pathway to the cross declared. Peter took him, and began to rebuke him—Put his hand upon him and would have taken him aside. Peter could not tolerate the thought of a suffering Messiah. He was enthusiastic for Messiah's triumph, but not for Messiah's cross. Matthew gives the words of Peter: "Be it far from thee, Lord: this shall never be unto thee."

33. Get thee behind me, Satan—Mark gives the very attitude of Jesus. "Turning about, and seeing his disciples." Jesus uses the very words he had used toward the Tempter in the wilderness, for Peter's protestation tended to veer the Master from his appointed path of sacrifice. The things of men—This meant the human conception of a triumphant Messiah.

There now follows Jesus' teaching that self-denial is the condition of discipleship and the secret of gaining the true life.

34. Called upon him the multitude with his disciples—Even here, in these heathen regions, there were not wanting spectators. He now calls all to him and speaks the larger meanings of life suited to them all. Take up his cross—We have no record that Jesus had previously spoken to his disciples of the cross, though it must have been implied in several instances. A Roman punishment, it must have long been the symbol of extreme suffering.

35. Whosoever would save his life shall lose it—This sounds paradoxical. There is the lower life and the higher life. He who would save his higher life must deny the lower. He who would gain the world of things—money, position, power, gratification of self—will lose or forfeit the higher life of the spirit.

36. Who doth it profit a man, to gain the whole world, and forfeit his life?—Mere lust and ambition for

success in the accumulation of the world's treasures and emoluments is dust and ashes compared to high achievements in character.

37. What should a man give in exchange for his life?—That is, after he has bartered the higher life for the lower how can he buy back the lost life. The question answers itself. The wasted life can never be won back.

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GOAL OR GAOL?

A look of disappointment spread over the face of Joseph-Marvin as he came home from work one evening and found his son William there already. He knew that it could mean only one thing: William had left his position again.

"Quit work again, William?" he said, trying to be casual.

"Yes," replied the boy. "I chucked my job at noon. I'm not going to work for a slave driver like Nelson any longer."

"How many jobs have you had in the six months since you left high school, William?" asked the father.

"This is the fourth," said the boy uncomfortably.

"And in every case you threw up the position, didn't you?" his father asked.

"I guess so," replied the boy sulkily. "That's better than having been discharged four times. But I must say I'm beginning to feel pretty anxious about you, my boy. It doesn't speak very well for your success to have you able to stay no longer than an average of six weeks in a position."

"Oh, I know what you're coming to," said the boy, "the old story of the rolling stone. I've heard it till I'm sick of it. You seem to forget the other saying that 'a sitting hen never gets fat.' There's something to be said on both sides."

"Yes, I know. A sitting hen never gets fat. But she sticks to her task long enough to hatch out something to repay for getting thin. If you stick to nothing, nothing will stick to you. What I'm worried about is the effect such a course is going to have upon you. Every position must either be a goal or a goal. There's no alternative. You must either look on your job as a means toward reaching some goal beyond the job itself or else it's going to be a prison."

"Yes, but what goal was there toward which any of those jobs was leading?" asked William.

"I don't know," replied the father, "and it isn't essential to the point I'm trying to make. The chances are, however, that out of four jobs one would have led somewhere if you had stuck to it. But the question is altogether one of how you take your work. I remember two horses we used to work on a treadmill for sawing wood when I was a boy. One of them took his work in a sulky mood. He fretted and chafed, and by the time he was through with a week's work on the mill was as thin as a rail. The other always had an expectant look in his eyes, as much as to say that if he kept on he'd get somewhere sometime. Anyway, he took his task patiently, and consequently he didn't tire, like the first horse, and he kept his flesh."

"Yes, but neither one of them got anywhere, fret or no fret," said the boy.

"Granted," replied the father, "but that doesn't alter the situation as it concerns you. The principal consideration about a position is not what you make of it, although that is important, but what it makes of you. None of us knows whether his job is going to lead to anything, but as a matter of policy we must treat it as if it were going to. If you act as if it weren't leading you anywhere, then you will treat it so that it never can lead you anywhere. It's goal or goal, as I said a moment ago. You can't get round it, and the sooner you face it the better."

City Boys as Farmers.

In every rural community there will be city boys helping with the farm work this coming summer. They are enlisting by the hundreds and thousands to go out and work for such farmers as are willing to teach them something about the great business of agriculture. I wonder how our boys and girls from the country are going to greet these strangers?

This seems to the writer to be something that our young people in the country can look forward to. They have the chance to make these boys from the city welcome. There are many things in the country that will be strange to them. Instead of laughing at their mistakes it will be much better to do all you can to help them to become acquainted with farm ways and practices.

The meeting should be looked forward to for another reason, and that is, that these city boys are going to bring something to the country. Most of them are high school students and are from refined families. They have lived under quite different surroundings and have seen and experienced many things that country young people might know with profit.

The intercourse between town and country young folks should be mutually beneficial. Let us give these "Soldiers of the Soil" a warm welcome, and make them feel at home in their new surroundings. Let us establish at the outset an atmosphere of cordial goodwill. They have much to learn from us, and we have much to learn from them.

Some farmers who have shipped butter, eggs and produce direct to unknown consumers in cities, have had a hard time collecting their money. The safe rule is to give no stranger an order for anything until the order has been fully investigated, and never to sign your name to anything for a man you do not know.

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Daylight Saving.

BY A FARMER.

The question of daylight saving has been the subject of a considerable amount of discussion for some time and now that a bill regarding it is likely to be passed by parliament it might be well for farmers to realize how such a move would affect their work and business.

The fact that the so-called daylight saving scheme has proved successful in other countries is no argument in its favor here in Canada. Conditions of climate and industry vary with different latitudes, and the problem must be considered wholly as it applies in this country alone.

In the first place, the term "daylight saving" is a misnomer, as no effect is made on the amount of daylight that is available—it is merely a substitution of one hour's work from the evening to the morning.

The chief reason given for proposing a daylight measure is that it will increase production. It is suggested that the farmer will benefit greatly by such a move, as the who cultivate gardens in the towns and cities. It is extremely evident that those who are advocating this scheme know nothing whatever of actual conditions on the farm. This is, unfortunately, the case in a great number of instances where advice is being handed out so freely to those on the land.

Let us see how starting on the farm an hour earlier will pan out. After the beginning of spring, farmers, as a rule, rise at 5 o'clock and endeavor to be ready to go to work in the field at 7 o'clock. During seeding how often it happens that, due to night frosts or showers, the land is not fit to work until 8 or 9 o'clock. What advantage would it be to be ready for the field an hour earlier? Again, if the farmer quit the field at 5 o'clock he would lose the very best hour of the day, for at that time the land is thoroughly dry and warm and seeding operations can be carried on most satisfactorily.

Then, when the time for hoeing and cultivating comes, one must wait for the dew to dry off before work of this kind can be done to advantage. Again, the hour in the evening is much more preferable than the morning hours. In fact, under present conditions many farmers hoe in the evening as long as light permits. This is the real "daylight saving."

When haying time arrives cutting does not usually commence until the grass is dry, and hauling certainly must not start until the dew is dried off. Similarly during the harvest grain cannot be cut until the dew is gone, neither can sheaves be drawn to the barn when damp. Again, the hour in the evening is indispensable.

It is thus seen that from the viewpoint of work on the farm, the change in time would be a distinct disadvantage. In fact, farmers cannot and will not change their clocks an hour earlier.

What benefit, then, is to be derived in the cities? Men working in shops and factories will work the same number of hours as formerly, hence no increase in production along their lines of work. These workmen are supposed to put the extra hour in the evening in their gardens, but how many of them will do it? As far as gardening goes, our farm women do more actual garden work in one week, besides all their other work, than a backyard garden plot requires in a month. What about the city women?

In some towns where daylight saving was tried last year the scheme proved a failure, because workmen could not retire earlier than usual, due to the heat of the evenings and having to rise an hour earlier in the mornings, they proved wholly unfit for work. The small amount of interest which many business men, in some towns and cities at least, have in gardening is evident by the manner in which they spend their evenings, holidays and half holidays. Little increase in production is to be expected from this source.

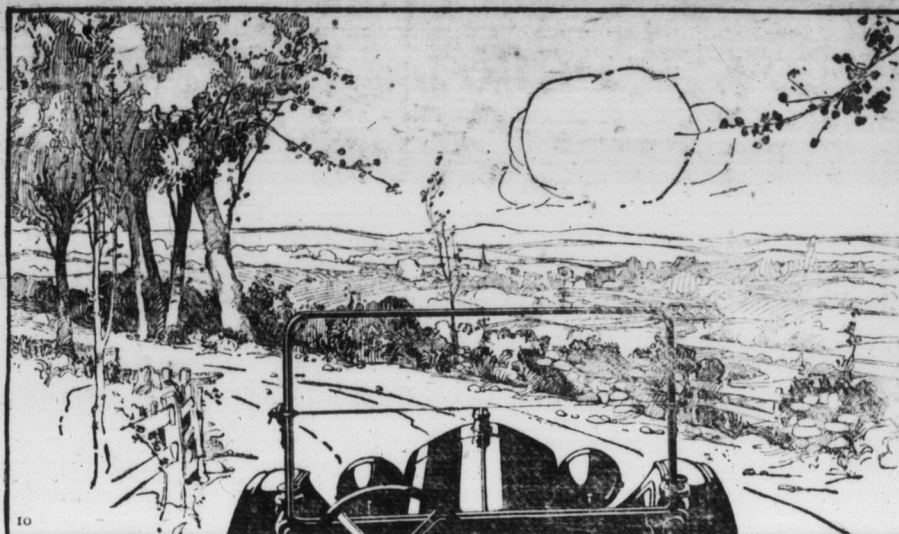
The chief object to be secured from the daylight saving plan is that the city man will have the extra hour in the evening to go motoring through the country, playing golf, cricket or baseball, go to the parks, picture shows, etc., using the time for recreation rather than production.

Now that men and boys from the towns and cities are being asked to go to the farms for the summer it will, indeed, seem an injustice that they will be obliged to continue work at least one hour longer than their city friends. This, no doubt, will lead to much dissatisfaction in regard to hired help.

Owing to the nature of his work the farmer cannot alter his working hours, but when he leaves the farm to do business he will have to conform to the hours kept in business places, much to his inconvenience at times. When the whole situation is reviewed we fail to see where under the system of daylight saving that much can be gained, but where much may be lost. In fact, it would appear to be about the most insane piece of legislation ever foisted on a willing public.

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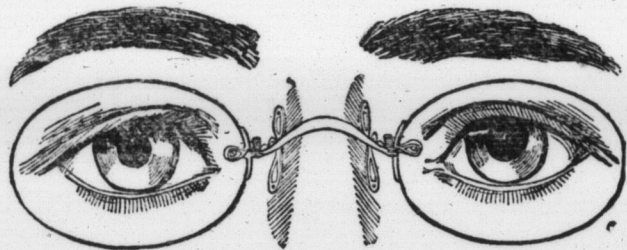
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McINTYRE.—In loving memory of Pte. Willis R. McIntyre, who was killed at Vimy Ridge April 10th, 1917.

He sleeps beside his comrades
In a hallowed grave unknown.
But his name is written in letters of love
On the hearts he left at home.

—MOTHER AND SISTERS.

LOCAL.

Whack! Whack!
Another home guard is the home

garden.
The pen is mightier than the sword—
especially if there is a pig in it.

The "wets" are recalling that Russia
went dry in 1915 and crazy in 1918.

An old bachelor says that an optimist
is a married man who says that he
is glad of it.

The marriage took place in Detroit
on April 2nd of Miss Margaret Adams
and Alex. M. Craig.

Drillers for F. J. Carman are putting
down a test well for oil on the Hynd-
man farm, lot 4, Longwoods Road, Ek-
frid.

Wm. Tait, who has been ill for the
hospital at London yesterday for treat-
ment.

The Canada Food Board has ruled
that eggs must weigh a pound and a
half to the dozen. The hens will please
take notice.

A. B. McDonald, James Poole and
Andrew Strachan have been chosen
delegates to fill vacancies in the Glencoe
Presbyterian church.

Last week Glencoe Red Cross shipped
overseas 72 pairs of socks and 27 towels,
and to Hyman Hall 27 suits pyjamas,
17 pairs hospital cap and 8 bed pads.

The food controller was pretty good
at inaugurating the heatless, whatless
and meatless days. Now, if he would
only establish a brand of real boneless
fish!

Canada's daylight saving bill, it is
estimated, will be put through its final
stages this week and come into effect
on Monday next, when clocks will be
advanced one hour.

Next Sunday evening Rev. Mr. Ir-
win will give his last sermon in his
series on the Bible. Subject, "Why
some men accept and why others re-
ject the Word of God."

Archie Munroe, formerly in the
Merchants Bank here, has resigned
from the bank at Alvinston and has
gone to his home near Walkers to en-
list with the "soldiers of the soil."

Coal prices in Toronto will remain
stationary at \$9.75 and \$10 per ton dur-
ing the summer months, and normal
requirements of over six tons will be
reduced by thirty per cent.

The council has an important notice
in this issue regarding the parking of
motor cars on the streets. Look it up
and assist in establishing a uniform sys-
tem that will be mutually beneficial.

The weather for the past couple of
weeks has been favorable for plowing
and sowing, but too cold and dry to
start growth. Fall wheat and early
sown spring wheat are badly in need of
a warm rain.

Wesley Edwards of Newbury has
bought, through James Brown, real
estate agent of Wardsville, the Wat-
terworth farm on the Longwoods
Road, Moss, formerly occupied by Mr.
Kook, for \$5,500.

Mrs. Sillett has a letter from her hus-
band, who is in the Royal Navy, saying
that he has been promoted by the Ad-
miralty from stoker to second-class en-
gineer. He wishes to be remembered
to the people here.

At a recent special meeting of Glen-
coe council the reeve and treasurer
were authorized to invest \$3,000 of
money accrued in the sinking fund ac-
count in five-year bonds of the city of
London yielding six and one-eighth per
cent.

The Alvinston Free Press has again
changed hands. J. E. V. Atkins has
gone to the farm to assist in the great
er production movement and Angus
McLean, a member of the staff for
some years, took possession on the
first of April.

A number of Glencoe young people
attended a taffy pull held in the Metho-
dist church at Appin on Friday even-
ing under the auspices of the Organi-
zed Bible Class of that church. The
affair was a great financial success and
was much enjoyed.

Rev. Angus A. Graham, president of
Moosjaw Presbyterian College for
Boys, is visiting at his former home
here for a few days. He gave an inter-
esting address in the Presbyterian
church Sunday morning on the de-
velopment of the boy.

The Battle Hill Relief Society receiv-
ed \$20.93 from the entertainment given
in the school house S. E. No. 1, Moss,
on Friday evening. This society will
meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Burch-
iel, sr., on Thursday afternoon, April
18. Please bring all finished work.

A Food Board note says that one
pair of rabbits in one year would in-
crease to 2,481 in twelve months at the
rate of six young ones per month,
which is a very conservative rate, some
young families numbering as high as
thirteen. This is also allowing for the
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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

—Miss Lena Craig spent a few days
in Detroit and Windsor.

—Miss Lila Rogers was home from
London for the week-end.

—Morley Farrell of Sarnia spent the
week-end at his home here.

—Mrs. J. A. McKellar was in St.
Thomas over the week-end.

—James Wilson was home from
Hamilton for the week-end.

—Pte. Arnold Aldred of London
spent the week-end at his home here.

—Mrs. Harry Pickles of Winnipeg is
visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. McLach-
lan.

—Mrs. Suiter returns this week
from a visit in Toronto, Grimsby and
Ingersoll.

—Misses Mary and Helen Williams
of Toronto are visiting at J. A. Mc-
Lachlan's.

—Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLachlan
of Petrolia spent the week-end at J. A.
McLachlan's.

—Mrs. Ross Watterworth and
daughter of St. Thomas are spending a
month in Glencoe and Detroit.

—Miss Nellie Farrell returned to her
school at Efford Monday, after spend-
ing the holiday at her home here.

—J. C. Elliott, M. P., has gone to
Edmonton to visit his brother, C.
Elliott, who has been ill for some time.

—Mrs. D. D. Campbell and Marion
and Lillian spent the holidays at Mrs.
Campbell's former home in Warwick.

—Mrs. Harry Singleton and babe of
London, who have been spending sev-
eral weeks in town, returned home
yesterday.

—J. A. McKellar, manager of the
Merchants Bank, arrived home on
Sunday, after visiting his mother, who
has been exceptionally ill for some time
near Battleford, Sask., and whose con-
dition is not much improved.

Plan your garden now and get your
garden seeds at Wright's Hardware.

If you didn't see "The Sweet Girl
Graduate" last week you have one more
chance. Be at the opera house on
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A disheveled man past the prime of
life, wearing worn and dirty clothes,
with dirty hands, uncombed hair, and
scruffy mustache, and a leer on his
face, sat at a table, such as might be
in the back room of a saloon playing
solitaire with a greasy deck of cards.
On the table beside him was an empty
whisky bottle. On the window was a
large sign reading: "A failure. This
man is a failure because he wasted his
spare time."

Another Objector.
Pa—I am afraid that boy of ours
has been reading some of this German
propaganda.

Ma—Why so?
Pa—When I took him out to the
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Money to loan on farm property.
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For sale—yellow-eyed seed beans.—
W. N. Willey, Ekfrid Station.

Can provide pasture for a number of
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Chopping Tuesdays, Thursdays and
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Full market prices for butter and
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Co.

White Leghorn eggs for hatching;
Barron strain; \$1 per 13—M. L. Far-
rell, 12

Team of light horses and farm
waggon for sale cheap.—W. Bayne,
Newbury.

For sale—ten ewes with lambs by
side.—Archie J. Purcell, R. R. No. 6,
Alvinston, 11-3

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costs, just what you want.—J. N. Cur-
rie & Co.

One 1916 Dodge touring car as good
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For sale—pure O. A. C. No. 72 seed
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One 1918 Ford with license and other
extra equipment, just used a few miles,
\$500.—Wm. McCallum.

Until further notice our chopping
mill will be run on Tuesdays and Fri-
days only.—Roy Siddall.

Cream and eggs wanted at the old
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in cash.—Wm. Muirhead, 06-1

3,000 rods of Peerless fence just
taken into stock. See it and get our
prices.—Jas. Wright & Son.

White Leghorn eggs for hatching;
Barron strain; no better
layers; \$1.50 for 15.—R. C. Vause, 10-3

Farmers, no matter what is your re-
quirements, call and see me before you
buy, I can save you money.—Wm. Mc-
Callum.

Money wanted on first mortgage,
sums from \$1,000 to \$5,000, on real es-
tate. Interest, 7 per cent, payable half-
yearly. Apply to Elliott & Moss,
Glencoe, 14

For sale—comfortable frame house
with all conveniences, good stable and
two lots. Apply to Mrs. W. H. Wat-
terworth, 11

For sale at reduced price—one new
Ford touring car, never used. Step
quick if you want this bargain.—Wm.
McCallum

Lost—between Glencoe and Oakdale
rim off automobile head lamp. Finder
communicate with McCallum's gar-
age, Glencoe.

Will the party who borrowed an
iron wire fence stretcher from
Wright's Hardware last fall please re-
turn it to the store.

"The Sweet Girl Graduate" will be
repeated in Glencoe opera house on
Friday evening, April 12. Proceeds
for patriotic purposes.

Sheep strayed onto the premises of
James Allan, Appin, on Sunday.
Owner may have same by proving
property and paying expenses.

For sale—new 8 room house, hard-
wood interior, nicely situated on
corner lot in village of Appin. Ap-
ply to W. R. Stevenson, Appin, 08-1

"Billie Burke" fancy tub dresses,
"Jack Tar" middie blouses and fancy
silk coats in combination colors,
large assortment.—J. N. Currie & Co.

Flour and feed for sale at store
corner of Main and McKellar streets.
Still buying grain at North Glencoe.—
J. D. McKellar, Chas. Mawhinney, 88-1

Sixteen cars sold in the last fourteen
days and some excellent bargains yet,
large assortment.—J. N. Currie & Co.
See me before you buy.—Wm. McCallum.

For sale—150-acre farm with gravel
pit, underdrained; large house and
barn with concrete foundations, stable
floors concrete.—J. N. Currie & Co.,
R. R. No. 4, Glencoe, 13

The Woodgreen Dramatic Club will
give their play, "The Parson's Vacan-
tion," at the Woodgreen Baptist
church on Friday evening, April 12th.
Admission, 35c and 20c. Proceeds for
Red Cross.

For the convenience of those doing
Red Cross work, yarn may be had on
the south side of the track at Mrs. C.
E. Davidson's or Mrs. James Poole's,
and on the north side at Mrs. Chas.
Stinson's or Mrs. Robert Eddie's.

Appin

Mrs. Dan McIntyre and little daugh-
ter are visiting friends in Toronto.

Miss Jean Campbell of Chatham and
Miss Maribelle Blue of Bothwell spent
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mc-
Taggart.

We are pleased to have Mr. and Mrs.
Peter Ferguson back to the village
again.

Dugald McIntyre's little son is rapid-
ly recovering from a severe attack of
bronchial pneumonia.

AUCTION SALES

On south half lot 15, second range
north L. W. R., Ekfrid, on Thursday,
April 11, 1918, at one o'clock—1 cow, 7
years old, with calf by side; 1 cow, 5
years old, due to freshen in June; 1
two-year-old heifer, 8 months old,
fresh in May; 2 two-year-old heifers with
calves by side, 1 two-year-old heifer, 2
one-year-old steers, 2 one-year-old heifers;
1 colt rising 2 years old, general pur-
pose; 1 mare, 8 years old, heavy; 1
colt, 1 year old, by Golden Glow.—
Peter McCracken, proprietor; L. L.
McTaggart, auctioneer.

Clearing sale of farm stock, imple-
ments and household effects on south
half lot 18, con. 2, Ekfrid, Friday,
April 12, at 12:30 o'clock:—1 heavy
Percheron mare, 10 years old; 1 heavy
mare, 10 years old, in foal to Golden
Glow; 1 heavy mare, 8 years old, in
foal to Golden Glow; 1 heavy mare, 5
years old; 1 mare, 4 years old, general
purpose; 1 Percheron mare, 3 years
old; 1 Percheron mare, 2 years old; 1
Percheron colt, rising 1 year old; 2
colts, coming one year old by Branton
Surprise; 1 reg. cow, Shorthorn, in
calf; 1 reg. Shorthorn bull, 2 years
old; 1 reg. Shorthorn bull, 8 months
old; 12 milk cows, 9 milking now, 3
to freshen soon; 1 two-year-old heifer,
in calf; 23 steers, weight about 1100,
the purchaser will have the privilege
of having them fed on the premises
till the first day of May, if desired; 4
two-year-old heifers; 2 steers, 1 year
old; 2 heifers, 1 year old; 8 calves,
from 1 month to 8 months old; 3
brood sows, with pigs by side; 1 brood
sow, in pig; 4 fall pigs; 1 Massey
Harris mower, 6 ft. cut; 1 Massey
Harris side-delivery rake and tedder
combined; 1 Massey-Harris hay loader,
1 dump rake; 1 Massey-Harris manure
spreader, new, never used; 1 Cock-
shutt two-furrow riding plow; 1 walk-
ing plow, 1 log roller, 1 diamond-tooth
harrow; 1 straight-tooth harrow, four-
sections; 1 disk harrow, 1 hay and
stock rack, 1 cultivator, 1 two-horse
corn cultivator, 1 corn scuffer, 1 drill,
1 fanning mill, 2 buggies, 1 cutter; 1
gasoline engine, 15 h. p., and pump
jack; 2 sets of double harness, 2 sets
of single harness; 1 Chevrolet touring
car, 1918 model; few dozen chickens,
1 good cook stove and other household
effects. No reserve as the proprietor
is going West.—George S. Edle, pro-
prietor; McTaggart & McIntyre, auc-
tioneers.

Clearing sale of farm stock, imple-
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GROWTH OF AIR-CRAFT FIGHTING

PROGRESS SINCE BEGINNING OF THE WAR.

Captain de Berroetta, of French Army. Describes Power Developed By Airplane.

In an interesting communication to the National Geographical Society at Washington, Captain Andre de Berroetta, of the French Aviation Service, now on duty with the French Military Mission to America, traces the development of the airman's duties since the beginning of the world war. A part of Captain de Berroetta's communication is issued by the society as the following bulletin of its war geography series:

"The preparation, conduct and results of an offensive military operation in Europe bear but a faint resemblance to those of a battle at the opening of hostilities.

"There are at the present time three branches of aviation which differ in the duties performed, in the machines used and in the armament provided. These are:

"The Division of Reconnaissance Aviation, a valuable ally of the staff it serves, of the batteries whose flight directs, of the infantry it assists in leading during the battle.

"The Aviation of Combat, younger sister of the first, and the most faithfully ally she has for her protection from the aggressions of hostile airplanes. 'Attack the boche, down him, or compel him to flee,' is its clearly offensive motto.

"The Aviation of Bombardment, hitherto chiefly employed in reprisals for the aerial raids of the enemy, but now called to a much greater and perhaps a decisive role.

Weapon of the Future.
Although essentially distinct, these three branches of aviation can only be effectively employed by the constant co-ordination of their efforts. Let us consider the conditions and influences attending their birth and development and the roles they are to play in the battles of to-morrow.

"When war was declared the chief strength of the French and German armies lay in the masses of their infantry, in the power of their artillery and in the skill of their cavalry. However, it seemed the part of wisdom to put the few hundred airplanes we possessed at the service of the fighting forces, in order to facilitate the success of their undertakings. The offensive strength of both the French and German squadrons was very small in comparison with the millions of combatants ready to clash with each other, supported by the fire of several thousand cannon.

DANGER SEASON IS AT HAND.

Rangers Ask Public to Help Them Keep Fire Out of the Woods.

The danger season for forest fires is near at hand. Rapidly drying soil has left the old grass, brush, leaves, etc., in the most perilous condition for starting fires.

An effort is being made by the fire rangers in this province to keep down the forest losses this year to a minimum. They will succeed only if every camper carefully extinguishes his camp-fire before leaving it, if every smoker refrains from tossing away burnt matches or tobacco in or near a wood, and if settlers in the newly-opened districts guard their land-clearing fires with the utmost care. Settlers' fires continue to be the very worst source of forest conflagration, although campers and careless smokers are close competitors.

"The fire rangers," says the Canadian Forestry Association, "want every good citizen to regard himself as a deputy ranger from now until November first."

"A Canadian forest was never worth so much as to-day, never gave so many jobs as to-day, never put money into circulation as it does this year."

"Hush Hush" Cruisers.

The idea that England is secretly constructing tremendous cruisers, carrying batteries of fifteen-inch guns and travelling much faster than any naval ships now afloat, has become almost an obsession with the German press, whose naval experts recognize that these ships present a problem that cannot be met with submarines. The new British cruisers are termed "hush, hush" cruisers because of the supposed secrecy with which they are being constructed. Captain von Kuhlbreiter, a famous German naval authority, believes them to be 866 feet in length and probably more effective naval units than any yet constructed. No doubt the prime cause of interest in their building is the realization that a complete fleet of fast cruisers could annihilate a whole squadron of slow and ponderous German dreadnoughts if the German fleet ever again aspires to the open sea. In the Jutland and other fights such a unit of fast and heavily armed ships might have cut off their retreat. That England is constructing a number of large battle cruisers of a new type is not denied by the admiralty.

Springtime Fashions



This is a very good suit for the small boy. McCall Pattern No. 7608, Boy's Suit. In 4 sizes, 2 to 9 years. Price, 15 cents.



A simple dress, requiring very little material indeed! McCall Pattern No. 8227, Ladies' One-Piece Dress. In 6 sizes, 34 to 44 bust. Price, 20 cents.

These patterns may be obtained from your local McCall dealer, or from the McCall Co., 70 Bond St., Toronto, Dept. W.

Why He Was Solicitous.

Canon Cureton was to preach at the Abbey on a certain saint's day when the boys of Westminster School attended service and afterwards had the rest of the day as a holiday. Mr. Cureton was looking over his sermon when his son asked anxiously, "Father, is your sermon long?" "No, Jimmy, not very." "But how long?" "Well, about twenty minutes, I should say." "But why?" "Because the boys said they would thrash me if you are more than half an hour."

Devise schemes to make the sow take exercise. Keep the sow growing thriftily, but do not fatten.

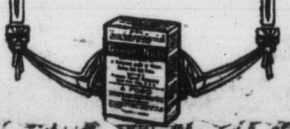


These Days, Eat Grape-Nuts

A Wheat Saver
A Sugar Saver
A Milk Saver

This ready-to-eat food also saves time and fuel.

Ideal for Wartime



PARIS SHELLED BY HUN GUNS.

Church, Dating From Middle Ages, Struck on Good Friday.

There was from the first a mystery regarding the purpose, the military necessity, of the big gun which the Germans have been firing on Paris, the gun which has added "a new page to the fame and history of Krupp," and which was "an achievement of German science and labor," for which the Kaiser has expressed his imperial thanks.

From its position in the forest of St. Gobain, it had intermittently dropped shells into the French capital. But Paris was depopulated of soldiers except the wounded and the invalid after the beginning of the offensive on the western front. The shells had not fallen upon the defences of the city; they had wrecked small buildings in the outskirts or dug holes in the pavements, causing less damage than the usual aerial bombardments.

Persistence and practice that could profit from failure improved the marksmanship of the gunners. Good Friday one of their shells was dropped on a Paris church, demolishing the building, killing seventy-five persons and wounding ninety.

"The shell struck the north side of the church, bringing down part of the roof and opening a breach twelve feet high and twenty feet wide. Nearly all the debris fell inward upon the heads of the worshippers sixty feet below.

"The edifice is now a heartrending sight. The enormous mass of stone, crumbled into all shapes and sizes, lies in the middle of the nave and piled to about the same height as the high altar, which was not damaged. The side aisles are littered with less cumbersome wreckage and the pavement is covered with gray dust. All the stained glass windows, some of which were of historical interest, are shattered. The church, although begun in the Middle Ages, was remodelled in the epoch of the Renaissance. The beauty of its musical services, which were sung unaccompanied, attracted many music lovers."

Another victory that will have a place in the catalogue of Kultur's achievements with the aerial raids on London, the burning of the university and library of Louvain, the bombardment of the Venetian churches and art treasures, the wrecking of Il Sante di Padua, the destruction of the Rheims Cathedral and the sinking of the Lusitania!

FAMOUS MEN WHO LOVED CATS.

And Declared That Their Company Was Conducive to Work.

Had you any idea that some of our greatest men liked to have cats about them, and even declared that they could work better in their company.

Very often George Washington is said to have met visitors with a kitten perched upon his shoulder, and Daniel Webster adopted every stray cat he met.

Old Dr. Johnson rescued half-drowned kittens and took them home to his study, where they were stuffed with good things till they looked like little barrels.

Sir Walter Scott had a warlike cat called Hinc, who lorded it over both dogs and cats. One day she made the author's great staghound weep aloud because she would not let him go up the stairs to his master's study. With her back up she dared him to come on and be scratched.

Dean Swift is the man who had two holes cut in his study door, so that the cats might go in and out as they pleased. He said that the large hole was for the big cats and the small hole for the kittens.

The story is told of Mohammed that being constantly followed by cats, which were attached to him, he one day cut away the sleeve of a handsome robe so that he might not disturb a sleeping cat that had taken refuge there.

BOMB OWN LEGATION.

Germans Ask France to Pay for Damage to Paris Buildings.

During the recent German aerial attack on Paris one of the enemy aviators dropped a bomb which struck and damaged the embassy building of one of the Central Powers. Two days later the caretaker of the building requested the legation of the neutral Power representing the enemy country to present a bill to the French Government for damages done to the building.

France is asked to pay \$900 for destruction by the enemy of his own property.

Silver-Plating Fake.

The street faker finds ready sale for bottles of so-called "liquid silverplate." To show how beautifully it works he takes a spoon or fork, much worn or perhaps of base metal, and dips it into the solution. Then, taking it out, he wipes it with a rag and lo! it is bright and silvery.

Such solutions are sometimes advertised for "restoring silverware" in the home. Housewives buy them and the first results are pleasing.

Unfortunately, however, the brightness quickly disappears and the "plating" wears off. The stuff is not silver at all, but mercury saltpetre.

Prune and tie up the roses and syringe with tobacco to prevent insect attacks later.

PAINT? NOT A BIT! LIFT YOUR CORNS OR CALLUSES OFF

No humbug! Apply a few drops then just lift them away with fingers.

This new drug is an ether compound discovered by a Cincinnati chemist. It is called

freezone, and can now be obtained in tiny bottles as here shown at very little cost from any drug store. Just ask for freezone. Apply a drop or two directly upon a tender corn or callus and instantly the soreness disappears. Shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can lift it off, root and all, with the fingers.

Not a twinge of pain, soreness or irritation; not even the slightest smarting, either when applying freezone or afterwards.

This drug doesn't eat up the corn or callus, but shrivels them so they loosen and come right off. It is no humbug! It works like a charm. For a few cents you can get rid of every hard corn, soft corn or corn between the toes, as well as painful calluses on bottom of your feet. It never disappoints and never burns, bites or inflames. If your druggist hasn't any freezone yet, tell him to get a little bottle for you from his wholesale house.

HEROES OF THE ROAD

In order to give some recognition to men who have done so much to build up its fine record of efficiency, the Canadian Pacific has decided on a new policy which should attract wide interest. Hitherto on this continent railway locomotives have been identified by numbers only—a practice which has prevailed elsewhere except on certain English railways. For the future it has been decided to name certain of the Canadian Pacific locomotives after the engineers, who by meritorious conduct or by acts of special bravery have, in the opinion of the management, earned the right to special distinction.

Some of these names may even be taken from the 92 engineers who are on the pension list, whose names breathe of long, meritorious, faithful and in some cases markedly distinguished service.

Over two thousand locomotives run in the Canadian Pacific service, with over two thousand engineers. It is not the intention to name every locomotive at once, but only those in passenger service, and to keep each name as a privilege and a reward. The idea is one which should appeal to every man who knows the value of personality in good railroad work. It appeals to the C.P.R. because it will make for efficiency and encourage that esprit de corps which is the keynote of the whole Canadian Pacific System.

The engineer does not think of his locomotive merely as a machine. It is something almost human to him. "She's a good engine," you hear one call to a passing conductor, "but full of hard luck." It takes an engineer months to master the peculiarities of a new locomotive, and for that reason he is not much in love with any pooling system, preferring to have one engine at any rate "assigned" to him—an engine that he can almost call his own. Were he to know that his favorite engine would eventually bear his own name, surely he would take greater pride than ever in work well done.

Very Slow.

For two years the most decorous courtship of Sandy and Lisbeth has slowly progressed. One Sabbath night, after a silence of an hour, Lisbeth murmured:

"A penny for your thoughts, Sandy."

"Well," replied Sandy, with boldness, "I was just thinkin' how fine it was if ye were tae gie me a wee bit kissin'."

"An' what are ye thinkin' about the noo, Sandy—another?"

"Nae, nae, lassie; it's mair serious the noo."

"Is it, laddie?" asked Lisbeth, softly, her heart going pit-a-pat. "An' what might it be?"

"I was just thinkin'," answered Sandy, "that it was about time ye were paying me that penny for my thoughts."

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Diet For The Second Year.

In feeding young children no sudden changes should be made in the diet unless ordered by a physician. New foods should be introduced one at a time, and only a little fed for the first few feedings so that the effect may be watched. During the second year the number of meals should be reduced, if possible, from five to four per day, the last to be given at six o'clock and the baby then put to bed. A healthy child will usually make this change for himself. In the case of delicate infants it is sometimes better to give a small amount of food at more frequent intervals, but the average child does better with fewer and larger meals, giving the stomach time to rest.

During the second year the following foods may be safely introduced: Broths, beef, mutton, and chicken; the milk from oyster stew or creamed vegetable soups with potato bread, toast or crackers; baked potatoes, bits of well shredded meat if there are plenty of teeth; creamed carrots, mashed fine; baked apples, prune pulp, tapioca pudding, the juice from roasts or steak on bread or potato; chopped spinach, and always eggs and plenty of milk.

Never give tea or coffee to any child at any age. They do not need stimulants, and the effect on the nervous system is very bad. The proper drink is milk, or water. A quart of milk a day in addition to solid foods is not too much.

Give plenty of well cooked cereals, rice, oat meal and wheat cereals. The wheat cereals should be cooked in the double boiler at least one hour; the oat meal two hours.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Baking powder biscuit can be made with half flour and half corn meal.

Each year Italy makes more than 27,000 tons of concentrated tomato paste. The shortage of coal now makes this industry most difficult, and besides the Government will requisition about four-fifths of the product. Tin plate is also scarce.

A Dyspepsia Cure

M.D. advises: "Persons who suffer from severe indigestion and constipation can cure themselves by taking fifteen to thirty drops of Extract of Roots after each meal and at bedtime. This remedy is known as Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup in the drug trade." Get the genuine, 50c. and \$1.00 Bottles.



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Here is a list of the things that were found in Johnny's pocket. What ARE THEY? All you have to do to win one of these splendid prizes is to re-arrange the above letters so that they tell what was in Johnny's pocket, and fulfil one simple condition.

There Are No Entrance Fees
Every person sending in a correct solution will be awarded a prize if they fulfil the above simple condition. This need not cost you one cent of your money. All replies will be judged with the utmost care and the prizes will be awarded according to merit. Neatness will be considered so be sure to write plainly. Send your answer NOW to: BELFAST SPECIALTY CO., Dept. X, Drawer 591, St. F., TORONTO

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THEY SELL EVERYWHERE IN CANADA

BENZINE STOVE POLISH.

Its Use Has Led to Many Serious Accidents.

In the last eight years, according to the U.S. Bureau of Standards, there have been in that country more than 400 serious accidents due to the use of benzine stove polish. A number of women have been burned to death.

Many brands of stove polish contain benzine. It has the advantage of causing the polish to dry quickly—a point that strongly recommends it to housewives. The danger is so great, however, that, say the U.S. Government experts, it should be banished.

The directions accompanying a benzine polish usually state that it should not be used on a hot stove. But this warning is likely to be ignored; and even if the stove be cold, there may be danger from an open light in the room—the benzine vaporizing and causing an explosion.

Only fireproof polishes should be used, even though it may take a few minutes longer to do the work.

LEMONS MAKE SKIN WHITE, SOFT, CLEAR

Make this beauty lotion for a few cents and see for yourself.

What girl or woman hasn't heard of lemon juice to remove complexion blemishes; to whiten the skin and to bring out the roses, the freshness and the hidden beauty? But lemon juice alone is acid, therefore irritating, and should be mixed with orchard white this way. Strain through a fine cloth the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing about three ounces of orchard white, then shake well and you have a whole quart of skin and complexion lotion at about the cost one usually pays for a small jar of ordinary cold cream. Be sure to strain the lemon juice so no pulp gets into the bottle, then this lotion will remain pure and fresh for months. When applied daily to the face, neck, arms and hands it should help to bleach, clear, smoothen and beautify the skin.

Any druggist will supply three ounces of orchard white at very little cost and the grocer has the lemons.

Every boy should realize that, having received untold benefits from the freest and best government on earth, he holds his services in trust for the preservation of Democracy on which that government rests. Although he may have to endure aching limbs and sore muscles in field and factory, he will be happy in the consciousness that he has had a real part in winning the war.

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Dominion Express Money Orders are on sale in five thousand offices throughout Canada.

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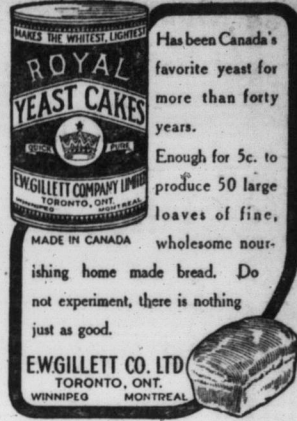
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Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

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Drive them out with Sloan's Liniment, the quick-acting, soothing liniment that penetrates without rubbing and relieves the pain. So much cleaner than musky plasters or ointments; it does not stain the skin or clog the pores. Always have a bottle in the house for the aches and pains of rheumatism, gout, lumbago, strains, sprains, stiff joints and all muscle soreness. Generous size bottles at all druggists, 25c., 50c., \$1.00.

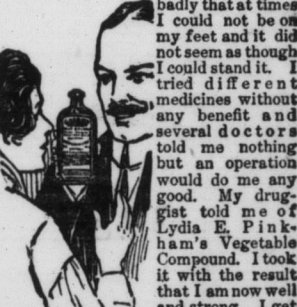
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Mothers can easily know when their children are troubled with worms, and they lose no time in applying the best of remedies—Mother's Own Worm Exterminator.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 1918

North Glencoe

Mrs. Zach. McCallum is seriously ill at her home in Ekfrid.

Miss M. Poole has returned, after spending the Easter holidays with her parents in Ingersoll.

Rev. Angus Graham, principal of Moosejaw College, visited his brother, Dan. A. Graham, last week.

Much sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leitch in the death of their youngest daughter, Margaret, who passed away on April 3rd after a lingering illness with inflammation of the heart, aged four years and six months. The funeral services were conducted at Burns' church on Friday at 1 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Robertson. Most beautiful flowers covered the small white casket, which was borne by the following as pallbearers:—A. D. McVicar, Robert Carruthers, John Little and George McCallum. Interment was made in Kilmartin cemetery.

A most successful entertainment was given in S. S. No. 7, Ekfrid, on the evening of March 28. The interesting play, "The Dust of the Earth," proved to be everything that could be desired. The crocheted fancywork made and donated by Mrs. Sutton brought \$23.10, Miss Phemie Graham being the purchaser of the lucky ticket. The quilt which was made and donated by Mesdames Glasgow, Carruthers and Crawford brought \$29.10, John Mawhinney being the possessor of the ticket which claimed the prize. Mr. Mawhinney had it put up at auction and it was purchased by George Eddie for \$10. Mr. Eddie had it put up the second time and it was purchased by Nelson Mawhinney for \$5. It was then put up for the third time and was purchased again by Mr. Eddie for \$5. The total proceeds were \$138.55, which were handed over to the Red Cross in Glencoe.

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Bethel

James Gough has purchased a new car.

Miss Anna Bell McGill of London spent the holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wilson have moved to their new home at Keyser.

Miss Mabel Stephenson of Glen Oak is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Earl Moore.

Glance Olde, who was conscripted while engaged in farming.

Miss Susie Boyd has returned to her school at Ilberton, after spending her holidays under the parental roof.

A bunch of our local sportsmen, deciding they would lower the high cost of living a peg, dug a huge can of bait, gathered up their tackle, and hid themselves to their favorite haunt on the Thames. Needless to say, living is just as high as ever in this burg.

No surgical operation is necessary in removing corns if Holloway's Corn Cure be used.

Newbury

Mrs. Ed. Moore is visiting in Hamilton.

Miss Jones of London is visiting her sister, Mrs. Overton.

Mrs. W. Grant of Windsor is visiting her mother, Mrs. Fenby.

A letter from Pte. M. Fowler says he is at a Canadian camp in Surrey, England.

Reeve Holman attended a special session of the county council at London on Saturday.

Mrs. Will King of New York and her cousin, Miss McDonald of Rodney, called on friends here Thursday.

Born—in Wheatley, on Thursday, March 28, to Mr. and Mrs. James Hanna, a daughter, (Marjorie Jean).

Miss Sarah Fletcher of Detroit was in town last week attending the wedding of her niece, Miss Sarah Fletcher.

Ed. Pickering moved with his family from Wardville last week and is occupying the Thos. Johnston property.

The Red Cross Circle shipped to Hyman Hall on Monday 27 shirts, 2 suits pyjamas and 54 pairs of socks, value \$110, also a quantity of old linen.

This makes a total of 105 shirts and 137 pairs of socks for the three months of 1918.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Thos. Fletcher, Moss, on Tuesday at ten o'clock when his sister, Miss Sarah, became the bride of Robert Bailey of Galt. Rev. Jas. Malcolm performed the ceremony in the presence of the near relatives. The bride wore nigger brown tulle and silk with georgette crepe and beaded trimmings.

After the wedding breakfast Mr. and Mrs. Bailey left via C. P. R. for their new home near Galt. The bride's travelling suit was dark blue. Mrs. Bailey was a general favorite and all good wishes go with her.

Posters are out with full particulars of the lecture to be given Monday, 15th inst., by Rev. Mr. Haig of West Lorne.

The return of the soldiers from "From down and out to up and in again" will be well illustrated by 100 lantern slides lent by the Military Hospitals Commission at Ottawa. The subject will surely be interesting, and of personal interest, for we all have friends and many have their nearest and dearest facing the risk of wounds that may at any time disable them. Everyone who possibly can should attend and hear and see what is being done.

The marriage took place at three o'clock on Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride of Mrs. Emily Jones and Adam Campbell. Rev. John Hale conducted the ceremony in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. The bride looked well in a brown velvet gown. She wore a necklace set with pearls and match. After the ceremony dinner was served in the dining-room, which was prettily decorated with flags and festoons.

Among the many lovely presents were several pieces of silver, cut glass and table linen. Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Campbell.

Melbourne.

House cleaning and lawn cleaning is the order of the day.

The Epworth League met on Wednesday evening as usual, between 50 and 60 being present. The Junior League gave a splendid program, after which Miss Robertson addressed the meeting on "Prayer."

The play put on in the Woodmen's Hall on Friday evening by the young people of Walkers for patriotic purposes was a splendid success. The proceeds, which amounted to about \$70, were divided between the two societies. Everyone spoke well of the play. The Melbourne Patriotic Society expressed their thanks and appreciation to the young people of Walkers.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist church held their regular meeting on Monday afternoon, April 1st. Mrs. (Rev.) D. E. Harrison of London addressed the members. Reports were given showing an increase in membership during the year. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. Ed. Richards, re-elected president; Mrs. M. R. Brown, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Will Clarke, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Earl Beattie, recording secretary; Miss Tillie Richards, corresponding secretary; Mrs. James Collier, treasurer.

Ekfrid Station

D. A. Campbell has purchased a new Ford car.

Miss Annie Merriott and Miss Nellie Beaton of London visited with Mrs. Hugh Black last week.

D. J. McEachren, contractor, of Alvinston has purchased a quantity of timber from Duncan McLean.

Farmers are busy with their spring seeding. The cold winds and frost will be hard on the fall wheat.

Mrs. Ross Waterworth and daughter Alice of St. Thomas were the guests of Mrs. Jas. Murray last week.

The Ekfrid Patriotic Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Duncan McCallum on Wednesday afternoon, April 17th. Bring all finished articles as a box will be packed for Hyman Hall.

Cairo.

Mrs. Shannon of Wyoming visited her aunt, Mrs. Ed. Arnold.

Mrs. Alfred Wehlann is not improving in health as rapidly as was expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Clements of Mossie visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wehlann on Sunday.

Wilfred Lorne Elliott called when passing through to London, on Saturday, where he attends Horton College.

H. A. Summers, merchant, of this place exchanged properties with G. A. Stewart of London during the past week.

John A. Wehlann and Miss Susan Siddall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Siddall, were united in marriage on the 3rd inst. Rev. Mr. Malcolm of Newbury officiated.

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Wardville

Mr. and Mrs. W. Mimna left on Tuesday for Oshawa.

Mrs. Macdon of Ann Arbor visited old friends here last Tuesday.

Mrs. King of Philadelphia renewed old acquaintances here last week.

Miss M. Eastman of Glencoe spent a few days last week with Miss A. Ward.

Mrs. Mary Mulligan is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. Sheppard, in Detroit.

Leonard Purdy has returned home after working in Oshawa during the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Gauding of Chicago are visiting his sister, Mrs. A. Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hale and Misses Evelyn and Blanche Hale of Guelph spent the week-end at Rev. J. Hale's.

Miss Margaret McVicar of Detroit is at Mrs. W. Tilton's nursing her mother, Mrs. A. McVicar, who is very ill.

The Wardville Relief Society wish to acknowledge the receipt of a donation of \$5 from Mrs. Wm. Atkinson and \$2 from Mrs. Roberts.

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School Reports.

Newbury school Easter report for 1918:

Sr. IV.—Total 900, honors 675, pass 540—Dorcas Glennie 730, Alva Burr 628, Henry Armstrong 572, Ray Holman 522.

Jr. IV.—Total 900, honors 675, pass 540—Ethel Moore 733, Olive Regis 583, Fanny Connelly 574, Gertrude Burr 518, Theresa Miller 466.

Sr. II.—Total 400, honors 450, pass 390—Howard Edwards 507, Ferns Moore 497, Bessie Moran 383, Willie Connelly 335, Victor Wallace 329, Flossie Stocking 281.

Sr. III.—Total 575, honors 431, pass 345—Edith Moore 474, Christina Miller 468, Harry Armstrong 400, Jimmie Moore 390, Willie McReady 380, Irene Armstrong 332.

Sr. II.—Total 475, honors 350, pass 285—Marjorie Robinson 361, Alberta Armstrong 358, Irene McReady 343, Earl Gauthier 312, Wesley Connelly 280, Emily Jones 284.

Jr. II.—Total 400, honors 300, pass 240—Harry Wallace 300, Ella Miller 305, Breerton Woods 300, John D. McCallum 279, Maggie Stocking 255, J. D. McNaughton 235, Hazel Armstrong 225, Isabel Armstrong 232, Duncan Armstrong 188, Mary Clements 160.

Sr. Part II.—Total 285, honors 213, pass 171—Tom Hammett 228, Frank Moore 213, Letitia Guy 204, Fred Jones 190, Rouina Bayley 184, John Burr 187, Janet Stalker 174, Ethel Miller 174, Rosabel Guy 173, Elliott Stocking 171, Harold Miller 165, May Gauthier 140, Dorothy Armstrong 142, Jack Little 74.

Promoted to Sr. Part II.—Total 275, honors 204, pass 165—Arley King 220, Fred Haskell 191, May Bayley 172.

Promoted to Jr. Part II.—John Wallace, Garfield McNaughton, Howard Durley, Herbert Armstrong.

Promoted to A—Percy Connelly, Percy Foley, Jessie Bayley.

Promoted to B—Janet McCallum.

Promoted to C—Edna Gauthier, Roma Haggith, Lorna Miller, Nelson McDonald.

The following is the report of S. S. No. 9, Moss, for the month of March:

Sr. IV.—Total 697—Lillian Henderson 451.

Jr. IV.—Total 476—Jessie Mitchell 222.

Sr. III.—Total 1275—Alma Henderson 1040, Albert Munro 485.

Jr. III.—Total 1278—Vera Henderson 817, Vera Henderson 809, Maggie-bell Livingstone 600, Hector McLean 477.

Sr. II.—Total 585—Catherine Mitchell 420.

Sr. I.—Total 704—Johanna Mitchell 540.

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