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## POULTRY WANTED

Call us at the McAlpine garage or McKellar House, Glencoe, and state name and phone number if you want our truck to call. We also buy all kinds of junk. Good prices.

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Chester White 25084, sired by the 1,000 lb. sire Royal Prince, imported. 21795.—F. M. Siddall.

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An organizing a music class of beginners from 5 years of age up, using kindergarten method of class groups. Terms reasonable. For further particulars enquire Miss Margaret Morrison, Glencoe; phone 1111v.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Mrs. Isaac Willson and family wish to thank their many friends for their kindness in their recent bereavement.

**HONEY BEES**  
For sale—three colonies of bees. Dan Hillman, con. 4, Mosca.

**HOUSE TO RENT**  
Nine-room house, hard and soft water, electric lights and fixtures, stable, henhouse and new wire run. Apply to Mrs. Ida M. Young, Glencoe.

**FOR SALE**  
Ten colonies of bees, in excellent condition; also honey extractor. Apply to Arthur Willson, Route No. 1, Wardsville; phone Rodney 619 r 24.

**FOR SALE**  
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**NOTICE RE SPEEDING**  
Notice is hereby given that parties driving automobiles must comply with the law in respect to the rate at which they drive, especially on Main street south of the C.N.R. tracks. It is the intention to prosecute those who violate the law in respect to speeding. By order—Chas. George, Clerk.

**WANTED**  
Life Company with Head Office at Waterloo contemplates opening an agency at Glencoe. One representative wanted for this locality. Good opportunities for right man, with District Office supervision and assistance. Write P. O. Box 175, Waterloo, Ont.

**FOR SALE**  
Chevrolet car, good as new, run 2427 miles.—M. Everett, Route 3, Newbury.

**FOR SALE**  
Five 2-year-old heifers for sale; also seed beans.—Neil McFarlane, lot 17, con. 4, Ekfrid.

**FOR SALE**  
Three yearling steers and 3 yearling heifers.—Crawford Allan, Route 3, Glencoe.

**SEED CORN**  
White Cap Yellow Dent, also Yellow Flint seed corn, for sale.—Frank W. Fry, Route 2, Wardsville.

**FARM FOR SALE**  
200 acres, first-class farm and buildings. Will divide to suit purchaser—100 acres with buildings. Possession till October.—E. V. Thorncroft, Route 4, Appin.

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For prompt service and satisfaction get J. A. Blackmore, Route 1, Walkers; phone Melbourne.

**FARM FOR SALE**  
Fifty acres at Woodgreen, on Longwoods Road, Mosca; well improved, with all necessary buildings. Apply to S. Whitfield, Route 1, Glencoe.

**MOSA FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION**  
will meet at Glencoe Wednesday, May 14; Monday, June 9; Monday, September 15; Monday, October 5. For information, long and short term loans, apply to President, Joseph Walker; Vice-President, R. Walker; Secretary-Treasurer, C. C. McNaughton; Directors—Charles Webster, F. J. James, D. A. Mitchell, A. Gardner and R. H. Murray.

**FARM LOANS**  
Apply to V. T. POLLEY, 83 King Street, West, Chatham. Phone 180.

**GLENCOE LODGE, No. 133,**  
meets every Tuesday evening at eight o'clock sharp in the lodge room, opposite Royal Bank building, Main street. All brethren of the Order cordially invited to attend.—Russell Quick, N. G.; A. B. Sinclair, R. S.

## TOWNSHIP OF MOSA

### Court of Revision

Notice is hereby given that the first sitting of the Court of Revision for revising the Assessment Roll of the Township of Mosca for the year 1924 will be held in the Town Hall, Village of Glencoe, on Monday, May 26th, at 10 o'clock a.m.

C. C. McNAUGHTON,  
Clerk, Township of Mosca.

### TENDERS

The undersigned will receive tenders up to May 16 for the janitor work of Burns' church, Mosca. Work to commence at once.—D. C. McTavish, Walkers, Secretary.

### CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Catherine Congdon wish to convey sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors who showed so much kindness during their sad bereavement.

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Mrs. James Patterson and family desire to return sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends who so kindly showed sympathy to them in their sad bereavement.

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The family of the late Duncan McKellar states that it is receding at their many kind friends and neighbors for the sympathy extended to them in their recent bereavement.

### EKFRID FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION

will meet at Appin March 4, April 15, June 10, August 5, October 7 and November 11. For information, long and short term loans, apply to President R. D. Coad, Vice-president D. F. Eddie, Secretary-treasurer Duncan McAlpine, Directors A. T. Irwin, Dan McDonald, Martin Johnston, James McKee, R. A. Finn.

## NOTICE TO FARMERS

Glencoe Creamery is now running. If you have any cream to dispose of, bring it to the Glencoe Creamery, the place where its patrons are going to receive all but 4c per lb. butter, which is the charge for manufacturing. Hoping you will give us your support in patronizing your home creamery. If you cannot bring it in, phone or drop us a card and we will call.

Yours respectfully,  
H. A. CLARK, Prop.  
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## Chick Prices Reduced

Better hatches enables me to quote very low price on chicks—from my pens of heavy laying pure bred White Leghorns. All males pedigreed. Inspection invited. Write or phone for particulars and folder.—E. Brown, Route 2, Alvinston. Also custom hatching, eggs and pullets.

### FOR SALE

Rug, five-piece parlor suite, kitchen range (coal or wood), 2 outside doors, 2 window frames and sashes, back stairs, 200 ft. picture moulding, gothic window, electric fixture.—P. J. Morrison.

### FOR SALE

Bantam corn seed for sale.—David Squire; phone 14 r 11.

### FOR SALE

1 Chester sow and 7 pigs 6 weeks old; few bushels good apples.—H. B. Clananah.

There are two things that go on forever; one is the brook, and the other is that one commencing: "There were two Irishmen, Pat and Mike."

## DISTRICT AND GENERAL

A piece of gum with teeth marks in it left on the counter of a store at Washington, Pa., led to the discovery of the boy who robbed the place. Ex-Mayor Dr. F. J. Bateman, of Strathroy, took nux vomica on Friday evening in mistake for a tonic. He is recovering after being in a critical condition for some time.

The death occurred in Strathroy of Mrs. James Drew, in her 94th year. She was a cousin of the late Robert Browning, renowned English poet. She was a native of England but resided in Strathroy for 50 years.

The contest for the world's champion barber, held in New York last week, was won by Harry Odelena, of that city, who completed a haircut and shave in 12½ minutes, beating the former record by 2½ minutes.

Farmers in the vicinity of London complain that while they are paid from 90 cents to \$1.25 a hundred pounds by the dealers for their milk the latter sell it at 10 cents a quart or \$4 a hundred pounds. On account of this wide spread it is proposed to establish a community dairy.

If you have not viewed the wonders of Niagara Falls it might be as well to visit the great cataract before it disappears. A Toronto professor states that it is receding at the rate of four and a half feet per year and in the course of a few centuries may be reduced to a shallow rapids.

Officials of the Federal income tax office at London report that the returns received from the district up until the closing period numbered about five thousand less than one year ago. It is claimed that this indicates that there are a large number of delinquents, but it is probable they state that of the 5,000 there are no taxable income.

The death occurred in Victoria Hospital, London, April 29th, of Belle Webber, wife of George Martin. Deceased had been in poor health for some time and passed away after undergoing a surgical operation. She leaves her husband and two sons, Fred and Ross; her father, Alher Webber, West Lorne, and two sisters, Mrs. Furr, of London, and Mrs. Marr, in the West.

## BASEBALL LEAGUE

The annual meeting of the West Middlesex Baseball League, held at Melbourne, was attended by many enthusiasts. Herman Galbraith, of Appin, was chairman. It was decided to continue the league, the following clubs having entered for this season's contest: Ilberton, Fernhill, Delaware, Appin and Melbourne. Other clubs are expected to join. The following officers were elected: President, Herman Galbraith, Appin; vice-president, Harry Brodie, Melbourne; secretary, Edgar Weld, Delaware; treasurer, Elmer McIntyre, Appin; executive committee, the officers and one member from each competing club.

## REGULAR SUMMER HALF-HOLIDAY FOR GLENCOE STORES

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14, TO WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, INCLUSIVE

Desiring to give all employees the advantage of a half-holiday during the summer months, the Glencoe custom in Glencoe and nearly all villages, towns and cities for some years, we, the undersigned, agree to close our places of business commencing Wednesday, May 14, to Wednesday, September 24.

In the event of any regular holiday other than on Wednesday, the Wednesday half-holiday of that week will be withdrawn. Hoping for the co-operation of the public. The banks will continue to close every Wednesday afternoon the year round.

Signed: E. A. Mayhew & Co., dry goods; J. N. Currie & Co., dry goods; C. E. Davidson, jeweler; Dr. Mumford, dentist; A. J. Wright, hardware; Bruce McAlpine, grocer; D. M. McKellar, implement dealer; Joe Russo, Modern shoe store; J. L. Tomlinson, tailor; G. A. Parrott, garage; D. Lamont, merchant; H. J. Jamieson, insurance; Fred Gough, furniture dealer; Bank of Montreal; H. I. Johnston, druggist; Russell McKay, barber; Chas. Dean, undertaker; Royal Bank; Sam Irwin, novelty store; Mrs. W. A. Currie, ready-to-wear store; Geo. Westcott, grocer; Jas. Anderson, tinsmith; L. Grigg, barber; Percy Hill, dry goods; Percy Lumley, druggist; A. J. Traver, grocer; John Hayter, barber; W. A. Currie, jr., postmaster; W. D. Moss, barrister; Moss & Ekfrid Co-operative store; W. F. Hayter, grocer; W. A. Currie, jr., grocer; W. Cumming & Son, hardware; J. D. Brown, upholsterer.

## COUNCIL MEETING

At the regular monthly meeting of the town council, held on Monday evening, the members present were: Reeve, McPherson and Councillors McAlpine, Parrott and Irwin. A number of accounts were passed for payment. The assessment roll was accepted and the court of revision on same fixed for May 26th at 8 o'clock p.m. By-law No. 309 for the closing the outlet drain was read and provisionally passed.

## ANOTHER PIONEER PASSES

The death of James Patterson, one of the oldest and most highly respected pioneers of Mosca township, occurred at his residence in Newbury on Tuesday, April 29th, at his 97th year.

Mr. Patterson was born in Argyle-shire, Scotland, on August 20, 1827, and came to this country with his parents when twelve years of age. When a young man he taught school for three years. Later he was engaged in business in Newbury, then followed farming, retiring from active life sixteen years ago. Mr. Patterson could relate many stirring incidents in his career under the conditions that existed in the pioneer days.

Besides his widow, formerly Mrs. Agnes Simpson, daughter of the late Wm. Simpson, of Mosca, he is survived by four sons and two daughters. John Patterson, of Metcalfe; Wm. and James Patterson, of Phoenix, Arizona; Duncan, of Vancouver; Mrs. L. L. McTaggart, of Ekfrid, and Mrs. Frank Foster, of Detroit.

Funeral services were held at Knox Presbyterian church, Newbury, on Sunday afternoon, May 4th, conducted by Rev. H. Bellinghrook, and interment was made at Cameron cemetery. Six grandsons acted as pallbearers—Dan Patterson, Duncan Patterson, James Patterson, Philip Patterson, Wm. Foster and Milton Fletcher.

## DEATH OF DUNCAN MCKELLAR

The death of Duncan McKellar occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Calderwood, Glencoe, on Friday, May 2nd, after a short illness, in his 63th year.

Mr. McKellar, in his trade as a mason, came into contact with many people and had a large circle of friends. Three times in less than three years has death visited the home—first, the mother, on July 19, 1921; the grandmother, May 22, 1922, and lastly, the father, Mr. McKellar, leaves a family of five sons and three daughters—Donald, at the old home; Dougald and Alex., of Prince Rupert, B.C.; Archie, of Jenner, Alberta; Ernest, of Harrow, Essex county; Mrs. John Calderwood, of Glencoe; Mrs. Archie McNeil, of Regina; and Mrs. Russell Roemuele, of North Ekfrid. He also leaves three brothers and two sisters.

The funeral from the old home on Monday was largely attended. Service was held in Burns' church, Mosca, and interment was made in Kilmartin cemetery.

## DEATH OF MRS. JAMES WALKER

The death of Margaret Freeman, widow of the late James Walker, occurred at her home in Mosca on Friday, May 2nd. Deceased was born in Hamilton 82 years ago and moved with her parents to the Longwoods Road, near Wardsville, where she resided until shortly before her marriage to the late James Walker, who died about three years ago.

Mrs. Walker had been an invalid for the past nine years. She is survived by one son, George, and three daughters, Annie and Edith, at home, and Minnie, in Toronto. The funeral was held on Monday at 2 o'clock to Oakland cemetery, conducted by Rev. Mr. Wm. Johnston, pastor of the Glencoe Methodist church, of which she was a member. The pallbearers were W. Reycraft, A. B. Gillies, Isaac Walker, W. A. McCutcheon, F. Abbott and T. Henderson.

## A GOOD PLAY COMING

"Her Gloves, or Always Tell the Truth to Your Wife," an amusing farce in three acts, under the direction of Mrs. T. W. Elliott, is billed for the Glencoe opera house on Friday evening, May 9th. The cast are well known and popular young men and young ladies of Dutton, and the play has been given with remarkable success and has received with great enthusiasm in West Lorne, Rodney, Melbourne and Dutton. There will be selections by a first-class orchestra, and the play will be conducted by Miss Anna Coates and A. C. Kendall. If you want to spend an evening of real enjoyment this play is recommended to you. Prices are 35c and 25c. Plan at Lumley's Drug Store.

The newspaper men of Essex, Kent and Lambton will hold their annual Press Association meeting at Blenheim on Friday, May 16.

## BURNS' CHURCH CELEBRATES

### Newly Decorated Kilmartin Church Reopened on 80th Anniversary

Kilmartin, May 7.—The eightieth anniversary services were held in Burns' church, Mosca, last Sunday. Large congregations greeted Rev. A. L. Carr, of West Lorne, preacher for the day, who conducted the services both morning and evening in a very acceptable manner. The choir rendered special music, Robert Morrison, of Alvinston, sang a solo, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," in the morning, and Miss Wilhelmina Munroe sang "Lead, Kindly Light" in the evening.

Supper on Monday evening was equally successful, although the rain spoiled the attendance somewhat. About four hundred people partook of a bountiful supper provided by the ladies of the congregation, and did ample justice. After supper a sacred concert was held in the church, when one of the finest entertainments ever given in this part of the country was enjoyed. Rev. D. Robertson occupied the chair. The speakers were Dr. Macdonald, of Kintore; Dr. Smith, of Blenheim; Rev. W. Leitch, of Kintyre, and Rev. D. G. Paton, of Glencoe. The musical part was entirely in the hands of the choir of the First Presbyterian church, London, under the leadership of George Lethbridge. The music was of the highest order, and was fully appreciated by the large gathering. Resolutions of appreciation were passed to the speakers and singers and those taking part in the Sabbath services; to the Ladies' Aid and the ladies of the congregation; to the visitors for their presence and help, and to the old members who were among the pioneers of the congregation and through old age were unable to be with us.

The church building has just been decorated by the Stoneman-Crawford Company, of Toronto, and has been done in a very tasteful manner. The color scheme conforms to the lines of the building, to retain the loftiness peculiar to church architecture. The colors are restful, particularly the warm grey on the walls. The plain ceiling with the absence of any border, except some gold trimming around the ventilators, shows up exceedingly well with the dark beams and woodwork. The printed medallions on the wall representing symbolic emblems—the Bible, Crown, Dove, the Lamp or Light and the Burning Bush—are all designs made for the building. The whole scheme, from the interesting treatment of the arch behind the pulpit to the vestibule, is apparently a complete, simple and dignified job of the better type of church decoration. The Ladies' Aid are to be congratulated on the work they have secured and on having been able to carry it through so successfully.

## ONTARIO MUSICAL FESTIVAL

Donald Wright, of Strathroy, won second prize in the violinello number at the Ontario Musical Festival in Toronto. Donald, who is but 15 years of age, had to compete against men and his showing is thus all the more creditable. Last year he won first prize, but his competition was not as keen. Donald is a pupil of Howard Gordon. In the high school orchestra competition, first place was won by the Central Collegiate orchestra, London, with Douglas Fetherston as conductor. The orchestra led by Howard Gordon, and which is composed of pupils from Strathroy, Aylmer and Glencoe, was allowed to compete only after strong representations were made, owing to its being drawn from several towns. The dispute apparently had the effect of antagonizing the judges, who henceforward lost no opportunity not for honest criticism but for a shallow order of sarcasm at its expense. Its performance nevertheless brought a spontaneous outburst of applause from the audience, showing that this orchestra was decidedly their favorites and would have easily retained under competent judges its first place standing won last year. Glencoe public school orchestra was awarded third in its class, but, judging from the applause, in the estimation of the audience, composed for the most part of real musical critics, was worthy of the highest award.

Miss Gladys Richards, of Strathroy, who is the possessor of a beautiful contralto voice, won highest honors in her class, and Miss Irene Reith, soprano, of Glencoe, was awarded third place in a group of twenty-three competitors.

## NICE SURPLUS ON HYDRO

Glencoe hydro-electric commission have been notified by the Ontario commission that Glencoe's share of surplus on operations during the year 1923 amounts to \$1,028.

## DEATH FROM LOCKJAW

The death occurred at his home in Appin on Monday, May 5, of Thomas Howe, a well-known retired farmer of the township of Ekfrid, aged 67 years. The death of Mr. Howe was the result of having the palm of his hand pierced by a small stick or thorn on the 16th of April. Lockjaw developed, to which he succumbed.

The late Mr. Howe was born in Canadoc township. Prior to moving to Appin three years ago he lived in Ekfrid township for thirteen years. He leaves, besides his widow, formerly Miss Teresa Pettit, five daughters and three sons—Mrs. George Chisholm, Mrs. Fred Perry, Mrs. Alvin Perry, Appin; Mrs. James Campbell, Komoka; Mrs. Calvert Reycraft, Newbury; Levi Howe, Windsor, and Al and George Howe, Appin; also three sisters—Mrs. Clements Fisher, Strathroy; Mrs. Sarah Green, Canadoc; and Mrs. Mary Ann Connors, of the West.

Funeral services were held in the Presbyterian church at Appin on Wednesday afternoon, conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. J. Stevenson. Interment was made in the Appin cemetery.

## APPROVES ALDRED ROAD PLAN

The Essex Free Press, commenting on Mr. Aldred's letter re the proposed Blue Water Highway, which it publishes in its last issue, says: "The above letter is correct and to the point in every detail. The Free Press is also familiar with the lay of the land covering the above 'lay-out' as the promoters of the Blue Water Route would have it. Common sense would say that for the present Sarnia could have the old Military Egrement Road, London to Sarnia. This is the main road through Lambton county and there are no cross roads running north and south, which are now advocated and most desirable. Build the paved road, Sarnia to London, 65 miles, then have cross roads from Lake Huron to Lake Erie, north and south. If the Blue Water way is built, as suggested along the south shores of Lake Huron and the sand hills of Port Frank, which is almost inconceivable, such would be used only by a few tourists in the summer. And again, there are miles of farms only on one side of the road, the lake being on the other side. It would be a shame and a disgrace to harness the cost of building such a road on the province for the benefit of a few tourists. We would advise to build a few cross roads, north and south, and let the Blue Water route, Sarnia, up the lake, rest for the present. One could take the paved Egrement Road through Warwick township, then the paved roads, if built, north and south, into Grand Bend on Lake Huron or to Lake Erie on the south."

A sentence inadvertently omitted by Mr. Aldred in the first draft of his letter we think should be emphasized. It reads: "The mileage between Windsor and Grand Bend would be approximately nineteen miles less by the proposed Central Highway and present improved Longwoods Provincial Highway than by the proposed Blue Water Highway."

## DIES SUDDENLY IN HIS CHAIR

The death of one of Aldborough's earliest settlers occurred at the family residence, concession 2, on May 1st, when John G. Stalker, aged 83 years and 11 months, passed away. Deceased had been in his usual health, and died suddenly while sitting in his chair.

Mr. Stalker was a native of Scotland, coming to this country in 1853 and settling on the farm where death took place. He was well known and very highly thought of. Besides his widow he leaves two daughters, Effie and Bessie, and one son, Donald. The funeral took place on Saturday, service being at the residence and interment in the Simpson cemetery.

## DEATH OF MRS. CONGDON

An old and highly esteemed resident of Ekfrid township died on May 1st at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry McLellan, in the person of Catherine Congdon, wife of the late John Congdon, at the age of 83 years. Mrs. Congdon enjoyed the best of health, in spite of her advanced age, up to the time of her illness several months ago. Her husband predeceased her by five years. Mrs. Congdon was a member of the Anglican Church, and the funeral service on Saturday afternoon was conducted by Rev. Wm. Willars, rector of Glencoe, assisted by Rev. M. C. Parr, Methodist minister, of Appin. The pallbearers were Edward Andrews, John McKellar, John Tuffin, Duncan Campbell, John Huston and Archie Paterson. Interment was made at the Eddie cemetery. The late Mrs. Congdon leaves five daughters and one son.



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## CHAPTER XVI.—(Cont'd.)

Hugo smiled unconcernedly and shrugged his shoulders. "That was all gone into when they tried me for shooting him. We needn't rake it up now."

"Certainly not, Hugo," Jean agreed hastily. "Only—whatever money Mrs. Egan has, you can make no claim on it. You're about the last person in the world who could do so."

Hugo's smile broadened a little. He looked almost enigmatic.

"She'll pay," he said, with a satisfied nod.

Gaunt and Jean exchanged glances, and Gaunt tapped his forehead significantly.

"You frightened the poor lady," he said, with brutal directness. "No doubt she thought you still safe at Broadmoor, and to be suddenly confronted by the man who shot down her husband—well, she'd likely promise anything."

But Hugo was unaffected by this bold reference to his crime. He continued to smile—it had become a smirk now—tossed in his waistcoat pocket for a tattered packet of cigarettes, lit one, puffed at it in such a way that furious sparks flew out, and swung one knee over the other, thus displaying his utter and perfect confidence in himself and what he had asserted.

Gaunt went back to the original argument with Jean, and he made use of what he did not believe in—Hugo's fortune that was to come from Mrs. Egan.

"Well, you can pay me back when you've more money," he said, and swept all the bills and memoranda into his pocket.

Jean's eyes filled with reproachful tears and Gaunt leaned across the table and took her hand, patting it gently.

"Won't you let me do anything for you and Alice?" he asked. "Could you be cruel enough not to give me just that one little morsel of pleasure?"

Hugo looked at him sideways—a fluttering, admiring gaze—and blew out a perfect shower of sparks.

"You needn't be cruel, Jean," he prompted her. "Old Hector means well, and of course we can pay him back when Mrs. Egan settles her debt to me."

Mrs. Carnay gave in, but principally because she was dreadfully short of money. They would have to pay for their rooms at the hotel in lieu of proper notice, and taking this little villa was not nearly so cheap as it had looked to be at four o'clock that morning. She could not see that Gaunt had been grossly extravagant in his ordering. Yet the thing had been done quickly, as she had hoped it might be, and she realized now that by herself she could never have managed it in so short a time. Such a relief that Hugo need not make any further appearance at the hotel.

But he left behind him Carrie Egan and the trail of unkind gossip which only a word or two from her might start. There was also Philip Ardeyne to be considered.

Jean had watched Dr. Ardeyne closely—oh, so closely. Could one say there was the slightest change in his manner towards Alice? Jean had not detected any. "Uncle John" seemed to have been accepted by him without question.

Her mind reviewed uneasily all that had taken place during the past five hours. Hadn't she herself made a few blunders? Her brows drew together in the weary effort to recall:

her lips puckered dismally. How many times had she said "Hugo" instead of "John"? Perhaps it was only her imagination.

"I must see about things," she said vaguely. "You'll stay to supper, Hector?"

"I'll stay, but there's nothing for you to see about. Go in and lie down for awhile."

"Yes, you must take care of yourself," piped Hugo. "Hector and I have a lot to talk about. Men's talk. We haven't seen each other for so long, you know."

Jean hesitated for a brief moment, but she realized that Gaunt really wanted her to go, so she went, wondering what they would talk about when they were alone together.

## CHAPTER XVII.

Dr. Ardeyne finished first with his share of the packing. Hugo's slender belongings all went into the two handbags and it did not take long to dispose of them.

The doctor was just about as unhappy as a man in love can be when things are not going altogether well. To begin with, there was the unbearable fact that he cared more for Alice than he had ever believed it would be possible for a man to care for a woman, and he was old enough to know his mind in that respect. Quite apart from any feeling of chivalry, there was his love for her. Yet what sort of a marriage could their be? How could he explain to her that she must never have any children? It was an explanation which would involve a great deal of suffering and humiliation for her.

On the surface, Hugo Smarke was no more than eccentric, and no more eccentric than thousands of other people. But this history of the Smarke family was a terrible one; and "Uncle John," the apparently harmless eccentric, had spent fifteen years of his life in captivity, a criminal lunatic. Yet not in Philip Ardeyne's opinion—a dyed-in-the-wool homicidal maniac. Smarke's asylum record had been carefully kept, of course, and never once during the whole of those fifteen years was there one mark against him for violence or even for bad temper. He had been at times sulky, depressed, peevish, irritable, mischievous, but those adjectives apply to sane people as well as to lunatics. Confined in such a place as Broadmoor, with the faintest hope of ultimate release, it would be strange indeed if a man did not occasionally lose patience and self-control. On the whole, Hugo Smarke's asylum record had been excellent. But one could not overlook the fact that he had killed a man, and although they had set him free as sane, he was by no means normal, and there was no way of being sure that, given certain circumstances, the old mania would not assert itself. Ardeyne wished there was an extra room at the Villa Charnell, so that he might propose himself as a guest.

He felt that he ought to have a clear understanding with that preposterous Mrs. Carnay, but it would be difficult to broach the subject to her.

As he waited on the verandah of the hotel for Alice and the chambermaid to finish with the trunks, he debated the matter.

His conscience and his reason were all against this marriage. A different sort of man might have complained bitterly, if only to himself, that he had been trapped into the engagement. For that was what it was. Yet sometimes he felt a little sorry for Mrs. Carnay. She lived with such passionate selfishness for her daughter, was so determined that Alice should be happy, that Ardeyne—now sharing those sentiments—could not altogether dislike her.

At this hour of the day the hotel verandah was always more or less deserted, and the doctor had it quite to himself. He ordered a cup of coffee and smoked a cigarette while he waited in the pleasant shadow cast by the big awnings. It was a very hot spring day, and already the various birds of passage were beginning to wing their way north, or to think about it. There would be no more new arrivals. Ardeyne's own holiday was drawing to its close.

As he sat on the balustrade, swinging one foot and thinking his gloomy, tangled thoughts, Mrs. Egan's car rounded the steep driveway and came to a stop before the hotel entrance. Her chauffeur, now restored to health and her service, jumped out and immediately got into conference with the assistant concierge. There was a ringing of bells and some shouting from the concierge to the lift-boy and from the lift-boy down a speaking tube to the porters' office. Then the chauffeur came back, walked around the silver car punching the tires in turn with his fist, opened the bonnet and looked into the engine, then lit a

cigarette and began to undo straps on the luggage carrier. The lift-boy and assistant concierge came out to watch him, and presently the head waiter was seen hovering about inside hospitably ready to speed the parting guest. It gradually dawned upon Philip Ardeyne that Mrs. Egan might be going away.

This suspicion was confirmed presently by the appearance of her maid and luggage. The chauffeur and one of the porters began to strap on a couple of motor trunks; the maid, dressed for travelling, put small bags, rolls of rugs, umbrellas, parasols, golf-sticks and tennis racquets into the tonneau, reserving enough space in a corner of the seat to tuck herself away.

Last of all came Mrs. Egan, hatless as usual, but encased in a big white coat and loose driving gloves. Mrs. Ardeyne disposed of his cigarette and touched his cap. Everything was ready. The young manager stood near at hand to wish her good-bye and many happy returns; the head concierge, with his upturned moustache and ready smirk, had taken command of the door of the car.

"Going away?" Ardeyne asked, a little superfluously.

Mrs. Egan looked sideways at him. There was a question in that glance, but he did not know what it was.

"Yes," she said. "I'm tired of this place. I'm going home."

"To England?" asked Ardeyne.

"No." She laughed at his query. "England isn't my home, really. I'm going to Kingston—Jamaica. I've just been looking up the boats, and I can catch one at Marseilles on Wednesday."

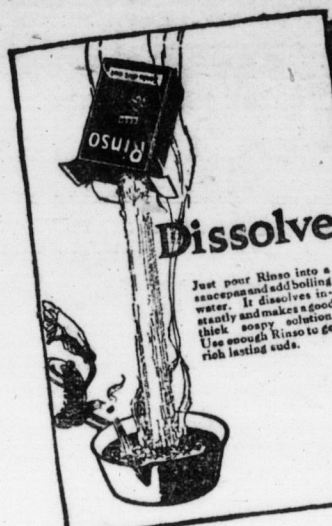
Ardeyne regarded her attentively. She certainly had the furtive manner of one who is running away. But from what? Surely not from Hugo Smarke. It should be the other way about, if anything.

"Isn't this rather sudden?" he asked.

Carrie Egan nodded and displayed her fine teeth in a smile, the quality of which was a little uncertain. She was a mysterious creature, hinting, always at subtleties which the ordinary mind is not quick enough to grasp. Here, as one might say, at a moment's notice she was flinging off to distant portions of the world as unconcernedly—or less so—that Mrs. Carnay had taken the Villa Charnell.

"To tell you the truth, that awful little man, Smarke, gives me the shudders," she said. "Phil, you are a demon. You never let on that he was a relation of your precious Carnays and that you'd have him in tow. I suppose he's your parent."

(To be continued.)



**Dissolve**

Just pour Rinso into a warm soapy solution. It dissolves dirt, stains, and makes good thick soapy solution. Use enough Rinso to get rich lathering suds.



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**Woman's  
Interests**

## DON'T FORGET THE GIFT GARDEN.

It may seem a little like "rushing the season" to be thinking of Christmas gifts and giving now, but next winter this forethought will be appreciated. And, too, there are other special reasons and dates when gifts and remembrances seem to be in order, birthdays and "showers" when the busy housewife may be sorely puzzled for something appropriate and suitable to give. It is not the gift that shows the greatest outlay of money that is appreciated the most, but those that show the careful thought and care of a loving friend.

The gift I appreciated more than any other last Christmas was a delightful bouquet of "everlastings." They were arranged with ornamental grasses, and were an exceptionally welcome bit of color in our living-room. This little box of brightness was sent half-way across the continent.

Geranium and coleus seeds planted late this spring, and well cared for, will make charming potted plants for this winter. One summer on the old homestead Mother bought a package of coleus seeds, and that Christmas she had thirty-three potted plants—all different—to distribute among her neighbors as Christmas remembrances.

Coleus seeds are very fine, so Mother mixed them with dry earth, and sifted them out of a salt shaker, so that they might be evenly distributed. They were planted indoors, in shallow pans. Until the little seedling peeped through they were watered by spreading a flannel cloth over the soil and sprinkling the water on this, so that the tiny seeds would not be washed out.

Most flower lovers will appreciate a little collection of flower seed that have been grown in the flower garden of a friend. These may be from favorite, quick-growing annuals, which may be put in tiny envelopes, with the names of the flowers, as well as directions for growing—if they are needed—on the outside.

Most bulbs multiply very rapidly, and a small box of these products will always make very acceptable gifts. Dahlias and cannas tubers are also desirable. Gladiolus, monbretrias and jonquils are suitable, as well as many other bulbs.

But while flowers, seeds and bulbs are all unexcelled, they are only a small part of the garden products that may be utilized for gift purposes. A collection of common garden herbs—

to be used in seasoning, should prove very acceptable as a gift for the bride. Most of them are perennials, and are all easily grown. Such a collection may consist of sage, sweet marjoram, summer savory, anise, and thyme. Two sage plants in our garden have for years provided two families with all the sage they can use, as well as several of the neighbors, and many little gift packages have been puzzled for something appropriate and suitable to give. It is not the gift that shows the greatest outlay of money that is appreciated the most, but those that show the careful thought and care of a loving friend.

A bunch of sweet lavender may be fixed as elaborately or as simple as one chooses. It may be fixed into a dainty sachet for milady's dresser drawer, or it may merely be tied with a ribbon.



A PRETTY "DANCE OR EVENING" FROCK.

4715. Tall, elegant, chiffon and crepe de chine are desirable materials for this design. Changeable taffeta would also be attractive. As illustrated the dress was made of peach color crepe de chine, with corded pipings of satin, and embroidered chiffon for the yoke portions. A rosette of chiffon and narrow braided girde finish the waistline.

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Bystander—"Just arguing over the Bok peace plan, lady, I believe."

Minard's Liniment for Dandruff.

A youngster in a primary school wrote the following about the pig: "The pig is very dirty and will eat anything but rhubarb. He has very little, if any, ambition for himself." The lack of humane education is the principal cause of crime.

## RADIO I

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## Minard's Liniment Heals Cuts.

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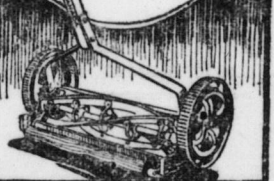
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## The Daily Newspaper Habit.

What Canada's forests mean to the United States was very clearly shown by Mr. R. S. Kellogg, Secretary of the News Print Service Bureau, in a recent address. As the United States takes 87 per cent. of the Canadian newsprint production, his address is of particular interest to this country, apart from the fact that paper consumption in both countries is of like proportions. Mr. Kellogg said:

"We are passing into a paper age. If you have any doubt of that think what would happen if some great catastrophe should wipe out all the paper there is in the world. Civilization would be in utter chaos."

"We absolutely depend upon paper for every kind of purpose, particularly for business purposes, since probably 95 per cent. of our business is done through the medium of paper."

"It is only within the last 50 years that the world has begun to have enough paper. There never was enough until processes were developed for making paper out of wood instead of rags."

"To show that we are now in a paper age, such figures as we can obtain from official sources indicate that on the 1920 basis the per capita consumption of paper in Russia was six pounds. At the same date in Japan it was 12 pounds; in Germany, 45 pounds; Scandinavia, 33 pounds; Great Britain 74 pounds; and in the United States, 150 pounds."

"More specifically, in addition to being a paper age, we can say, I think, that we are in a newspaper age. In 1880 the per capita consumption of newsprint in the United States was three pounds. In 1893 it was nine pounds. By 1919 it had grown to 35 pounds, and in the year 1923 it was 50 pounds. In the 43 years from 1880 to 1923 it has grown from 3 to 50 pounds."

"There have been two great things that have led to this—making paper from wood and the development of the rotary printing press."

"We have to-day paper machines that are turning out paper at the rate of over 1,000 feet a minute in a steady stream. We have newsprint processes eating it up even faster."

"Certain interesting developments have been responsible for this absolutely unprecedented use of newsprint. Advertising has been one of the big ones. Tremendous circulations have had a great deal to do with it. We have to-day papers that in 20 years have grown from 100,000 to 700,000 or 800,000 circulation. We have printed at this time a copy of a daily newspaper every day for every family in the United States and Canada. There is a daily newspaper habit."

## Bitter Words.

Cynicism to-day is more likely to be found among the young people than amid the old. It is frequently the pose of those who, with life before them, find that all is vanity and nothing is worth while. Therefore they abhor and defy convention, are ready to join any group that promises inflammation and revolt and, shouting the battle-cry of freedom, make all that looks like conservatism the target of the acute and poison-tipped barbs of their caustic irony.

The cynicism of the young is saddest when the expressed disillusionment of those who have lived long and seen much and are sorrowful. For youth is supposed to be the other name of all that is hopeful and joyous.

But, fortunately, the cynicism of youth seldom is more than skin deep and usually does not live long. Of all the burdens and curses laid upon the world, of all the liabilities society must carry, the chronic grouches of those whom life has embittered are among the most onerous.

There is so much work to do that none has time to spare for the atrabilious comment of the pessimistic talkers, upon those who are steadfast in a task. A thoughtful, critical attention that in candor points out a fault, desiring to assist the performer, is a different matter from sheer abuse or ridicule of one who has started something.

How many useful things have been ridiculed to death, how many unequal meaning persons who could have done a thing worth while have been swerved from the idea, because of a withering blast of sarcasm that came as they struggled to begin! A Kents writing poetry, a Langley devising an airplane, a Palissy in quest of a potter's secret, must expect ridicule that may mean heartbreak for the sensitive.

A sarcastic tongue may raise a laugh at the expense of the victim, but it is likely to make the speaker feared and hated.

One definition of a gentleman is that he is a person who avoids giving pain. If we add to it the affirmation that he seeks to give pleasure, the definition is fairly complete. Nobody ever made himself popular in society or beloved in a home by the use of harsh speech.

## Only Halfway Cousins.

There is a good story about Sir Nicholas Bacon, the father of Lord Bacon, the philosopher. Nicholas was a judge in the time of Elizabeth. Once a criminal importuned him to spare his life on account of kinship.

"How are we related?" demanded the judge.

"Because my name is Hogg and yours is Bacon; and hog and bacon are so near akin that they cannot be separated."

"Ah," responded the judge dryly, "but you and I cannot yet be kindred, for the hog is not bacon until it be well barded."

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## CREDITORS IN BRITAIN OFFER TERMS TO SOVIET GOVERNMENT

Accept Compensation in the Shape of Concessions—Companies Putting in Working Capital Must Have Control of Operation.

A despatch from London says:—British creditors of Russia now have put forward a counter-proposition in reply to the proposal of the Soviet Government for a settlement of their claims. This alternative scheme abandons their demand for the return of confiscated and ruined property, but they are willing to accept compensation in the shape of concessions, and offer to form a number of companies, one representing each branch of industry, to work these concessions. They agree to supply the working capital needed and to allow a certain amount of control by the Soviets, and participation in the profits, under the following conditions:

1. No mixed companies—by which is meant that the Soviet Government shall not be a shareholder, either directly or through nominees.
2. No interference by the Soviet Government in the internal affairs of the companies or control of their work.
3. No interference by the Executive Red Trade Union in Moscow in contracts with workers. The companies agree to collective bargaining through the local trade union and to pay the existing rates of wages.
4. Full freedom of the companies to buy raw material in Russia and abroad and sell the manufactured products in Russia and abroad.
5. All orders for material to be placed with mines, factories, etc., without Government interference.
6. After deducting a percentage for interest on the new capital, the companies will pay a certain percentage of the net profits to a fund for compensation to claimants, but the money from each company is to be used only to compensate individuals in that industry.

This scheme is now under consideration by the Soviet delegates, but is said to have little chance of acceptance unless materially altered. The Soviet attitude, not disclosed until now, is that the Russian Government is willing to pay individuals who have suffered loss as a direct result of Soviet legislation. For instance, it will pay for property requisitioned, nationalized, etc., but not for property destroyed in the revolution or abandoned by persons who left Russia because of the revolution.

It also refuses to recognize claims for compensation for loss of employment or illness due to the rigors of the revolution. Such exceptions, if recognized, would reduce the claims about 50 per cent.

The British, on their side, are concentrating rather on the political than the economic side of the conference. They are demanding that Russia cease its diplomatic representation in Afghanistan, which they feel is directed solely against India; disband the school of Oriental propaganda in Turkestan, and cease propaganda in Persia. The British are also said to be trying to buy the East China Railway from the Russians. There is a complication about this, as, while the railway is Russian property, it is heavily mortgaged to French bondholders, and an effort by Russia to sell the East China Railway recently failed on this account.

## U.S. TORNADO'S DEATH LIST TOTALS 113

Seven Southern States Affected Are Recovering Slowly.

A despatch from Atlanta, Ga., says:—Towns and rural communities, stricken by an epidemic of tornadoes that dipped ruthlessly through seven southern states, on Wednesday were recovering slowly. Relief workers, from organized services and volunteers, had their tasks well under way in the scores of villages leveled. Reports gathered placed the total death list at 113. There still was no definite estimate of the persons injured, but belief persisted that the number would reach 500. Property damage would be much greater than at first anticipated on Thursday. The only estimate attempted—that of \$10,000,000, probably will be eclipsed. South Carolina was worst stricken of the seven states visited by the tornadoes. Red Cross workers and others were at Anderson and at Horrell Hill settlement state troops were on guard. Property damage at Anderson alone was \$750,000.

## Deaf to Hear at British Exhibit by Aid of Science

Special arrangements are being made to enable deaf persons to take part in the various conferences which will be held at the British Empire Exhibition, says a London despatch. The four conference halls are being fitted with highly sensitive microphones. Some two hundred seats will have ear pieces attached to them to enable their occupants to pick up the voices of the speakers. Attached to each ear piece is a regulator.

## Sixty-ton Salvage Tug Crosses Atlantic Ocean

A despatch from Montreal says:—Buffeted by the Atlantic and at times almost swamped, a tiny steel vessel, the Salvage Prince, 60 tons, no bigger than a harbor tug, is in port here, after a twenty-days' crossing from Hull, England. She is bound for Kingston, Ont., where she will enter salvage service on the Great Lakes.



Photograph shows the first residents from the Gold Coast to arrive at their new home at the British Empire Exhibition. Corporal Manna Grunshi, the tallest man of the party (6 feet 3 inches), is shown with his wife.



Miss Bessie Whiteside was crowned fifty-third Queen of the May of New Westminster, B.C., at the annual May Day celebration. pole, some to the right, some to the left.

## ORGANIZED WORK FOR BLIND PEOPLE

In this article, which concludes the present series, we simply wish to point out for special attention the main features of work for the blind in Canada and the campaign that is being waged to prevent blindness. The Canadian National Institute for the Blind stands ready to investigate each case of blindness reported and if treatment cannot restore vision, to render the following services:

1. To provide teaching in the home.
2. To provide books and magazines printed in embossed type.
3. To sell raw materials required for home industries at cost.
4. To purchase for cash those home products that cannot be sold locally.
5. To secure and pass on at wholesale cost, Braille writing appliances, typewriters specially adapted, Braille watches, games of various kinds, paper for use with typewriter or Braille writing machines, tools, etc.
6. To give vocational advice, etc., to individuals desiring such and to secure other professional advice or opinions as desired.
7. To employ in industrial departments for men and women, those individuals who appear desirous and capable of taking advantage of such supervised factory work.
8. To interest efficient business men and other people in efforts and products of blind individuals in your community and to render every other assistance that may be helpful.

How far has the Institute progressed in carrying out the above program? In six years it has registered a total number of 5,600 individuals across Canada, of whom 4,800 are at the moment eligible for Institute service from the blind standpoint. It has investigated hundreds of other cases but has not registered where the vision of the individual was sufficient to permit continuing at ordinary occupation. In such cases, however, prevention of blindness treatment or information as to care of remaining vision was provided. It has employed in broom shops at the present time, ninety blind men and in the white-wear shop for women, twenty-three girls and women, with approximately twenty-two men employed in basketry shops. This brings the total of men and women actually employed in factories to 135. Besides this, over six hundred men and women are connected with the various salesroom departments as home workers. Over eight hundred blind people in Canada are registered with our Library and Publishing Department as readers of our literature. Over forty are resident in homes or rest-houses operated or maintained by the Institute.

What has the Institute done in its campaign against needless loss of vision? 1. It has through lantern slide lectures, newspaper publicity and the circulation of pamphlet literature, endeavored to educate and arouse the public and authorities concerned to the great menace of carelessness and neglect.

2. It is at the present time endeavoring to secure the treatment of all infants' eyes at birth.

3. It is educating mothers to the need of attention to eye trouble in young children.

4. It assisted in carrying out initial surveys in schools leading to the establishment of conservation of vision classes for all children with less than one-third normal vision in the better eye and is pushing this campaign throughout the whole country with a view to having the children with defective sight in all schools, whether urban or rural, properly taken care of.

5. It is endeavoring to educate men and women in industry to the need for care and use of all safety appliances provided.

6. It is endeavoring to suppress the tendency of adults to wear cheap or improperly fitted glasses which may cause further strain or complete loss of remaining vision.

7. When cases are found where the individual cannot afford to secure treatment or purchase the necessary proper glasses, this Institute stands ready to assist.

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## DR. BANTING, DISCOVERER OF INSULIN, AWARDED MEDAL BY AMERICAN SOCIETY

A despatch from Philadelphia says:—Prof. Frederick G. Banting, of Toronto, discoverer of insulin, a substance which saves the lives of sufferers from diabetes, was one of the recipients of a John Scott gold medal. The medals were awarded at a meeting Friday night of the American Philosophical Society in its richly traditional hall on Fifth Street. "Canada can teach the rest of the world how to appreciate and reward the scientific men's free gifts to mankind," said Frederic Hudd, Canadian Trade Commissioner, who received the medal and \$1,000 cheque for Dr. Banting. In the latter's absence, Mr. Hudd said, Canada has conferred upon Dr. Banting for his discovery of how to arrest diabetes, a life annuity of \$7,500 and created for him

a research professorship at the University of Toronto. Medals were also awarded to Dr. Elmer Verner McCollum, of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md., eminent biochemist and discoverer of the first vitamins ever recognized; William W. Coblentz, of Washington, D.C., physicist of the United States Bureau of Standards, who has devised ways to measure diameters of stars by measuring their radiations of heat, and Ralph Modjeski, engineer. Prof. William B. Scott, of Princeton University, presided. Dr. H. A. Hare announced the achievements of the scientists honored. Chairman M. P. Quinn, of a sub-committee of the City of Philadelphia's union of city trusts, represented the board of directors.

## The Week's Markets

TORONTO.

Man. wheat—No. 1 North, \$1.06 1/4; No. 2 North, 99 1/2 c.  
Man. oats—No. 3 CW, 40 1/2 c.; No. 1, 39 1/2 c.  
Man. barley—Nominal.  
All the above c.l.f., bay ports.  
Ont. barley—65 to 70 c.  
Am. corn—No. 2 yellow, 95 c.  
Ruckwheat—No. 2, 76 to 80 c.  
Ont. Rye—74 to 78 c.  
Peas—No. 2, \$1.45 to \$1.50.  
Milled—Del. Montreal freight, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$28; shorts, per ton, \$28; middlings, \$34; good feed flour, \$1.95.  
Ont. wheat—No. 2 white, 98 c to \$1.02, outside.  
Ont. No. 2 white oats—39 to 41 c.  
Ont. corn—Nominal.  
Ont. flour—Ninety per cent. pat. in bulk, \$2.00; prompt shipment, \$4.60; Toronto basis, \$4.60; bulk seaboard, \$4.25.  
Man. flour—1st pat. in bulk, \$5.50; 2nd pat., \$5.50.  
Hay—Extra No. 2 timothy, per ton, track, Toronto, \$14.50; No. 2, \$14.50; No. 3, \$12 to \$14; mixed, \$10 to \$12; lower grades, \$10 to \$12.  
Straw—Carlot, per ton, \$9.50.  
Standard reelected screenings, f.o. b. bay ports, per ton, \$20.50.  
Cheese—New, large, 16 to 16 1/2 c.; twins, 17 to 18 c.; triplets, 18 to 19 c.; Stiltons, 20 c.; Old, large, 22 to 23 c.; twins, 23 to 24 c.; triplets, 24 to 25 c.  
Butter—Finest creamery prints, 24 c. to 25 c.; No. 1 creamery, 32 to 33 c.; No. 2, 31 to 32 c.; dairy, 28 to 30 c.  
Eggs—Extras, fresh, in cartons, 30 to 31 c.; extra, loose, 28 c.; firsts, 26 c.; seconds, 23 to 24 c.  
Live poultry—Chickens, 3 to 4 lbs., 25 c.; hens, over 5 lbs., 26 c.; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 24 c.; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 15 c.; spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over, 25 c.; roosters, 1 lb. and over, 15 c.; lightweights, 14 c.; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 24 c.  
Dressed poultry—Chickens, 3 to 4 lbs., 80 c.; hens, over 5 lbs., 28 c.; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 18 c.; spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over, 32 c.; roosters, 22 c.  
Beans—Can., hand-picked, lb., 47 c.; primes, 46 c.  
Maple products—Syrup, per imp. gal., \$2.50; per legal, tin, \$2.40 per gal.; maple sugar, lb., 26 to 26 c.  
Honey—60-lb. tins, 11 to 11 1/4 c.; 10-lb. tins, 11 to 12 c.; 5-lb. tins, 11 1/4 to 12 c.; 2 1/2-lb. tins, 12 1/4 to 13 c.; comb honey, per doz., No. 1, \$3.75 to \$4; No. 2, \$3.25 to \$3.50.  
Smoked meats—Hams, med., 23 to 24 c.; cooked hams, 34 to 36 c.; smoked hams, 34 to 36 c.; cottage rolls, 18 to 20 c.; breakfast bacon, 21 to 25 c.; special brand breakfast bacon, 28 to 30 c.; backs, boneless, 28 to 32 c.  
Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 50 to 70 lb., \$18.50; 70 to 90 lb., \$18.90 lb., and up, \$17; lightweight rolls, in barrels, \$37; heavyweight rolls, \$32.  
Lard—Purified, 14 1/2 to 15 1/4 c.; tubs, 15 to 15 1/4 c.; pails, 15 1/4 to 16 c.; prints, 18 to 18 1/4 c.; shortening, 14 1/2 to 14 3/4 c.; tubs, 14 1/4 to 15 c.; pails, 15 to 15 1/4 c.; prints, 16 1/4 to 17 c.  
Heavy steers, choice, \$8 to \$8.50; butcher steers, choice, \$7 to \$7.75; do, good, \$6.25 to \$6.75; do, med., \$5.25 to \$5.75; do, com., \$4.50 to \$5; butcher hammers, choice, \$7 to \$7.50; do, med., \$5 to \$5.75; do, com., \$4.50 to \$4.75; butcher cows, choice, \$5.25 to \$5.75; do, med., \$3.50 to \$4.50; do, com., \$2.50 to \$3.50; bologna, \$2.50 to \$3.50; canners and cutters, \$1.50 to \$2; feeding steers, choice, \$6 to \$6.75; do, fair, \$4 to \$5; milk-cows, springers, choice, \$75 to \$80; stockers, choice, \$4.50 to \$5.25; do, fair, \$3.75 to \$4.20; calves,

choice, \$9 to \$10; do, med., \$7 to \$7.50; do, com., \$4.50 to \$5.50; lambs, choice ewes, \$15.50 to \$16; do, bucks, \$13 to \$13.50; do, culls, \$8 to \$9; spring lambs, each, \$8 to \$16; sheep, light ewes, \$8 to \$9; do, culls, \$5 to \$5.50; hogs, fed and watered, \$7.75; do, fob., \$7.25; do, country points, \$7; do, off cars (long haul) \$8.16; do, select, \$8.50.

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Oats, Can. West. No. 2, 51 to 52 c.; do, No. 3, 49 to 50 c.; extra No. 1 feed, 48 to 49 1/2 c.; No. 2 local white, 44 to 45 c.; Flour, Man. spring wheat, 1st, 1st, \$6; do, 2nd, \$5.50; do, strong bakers, \$5.80; winter, choice, \$5.55 to \$5.65; Rolled oats, bag 90 lb., \$2.80; \$2.90. Bran, \$2.25. Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$16.  
Cheese, finest westerns, 14 1/2 to 15 c.; finest easterns, 13 1/2 to 14 c.; Butter, No. 1 pasteurized, 20 1/2 to 20 c.; No. 1 creamery 29 1/2 to 29 3/4 c.; 2nd, 28 1/2 to 28 3/4 c.; Eggs, fresh specials, 33 c.; fresh extras, 30 c.; fresh firsts, 27 c.; Potatoes, per bag, car lots, \$1.35.  
Dairy cows, \$3 to \$4; canners, \$1.50; calves, better lots, \$5.50 to \$6; do, com., \$4 up; hogs, \$8; sows, \$5.50.

## UNITED STATES' NEW RULE ON AUTO TRAFFIC

Canadian Motorists Crossing Border Must Obtain Permit Card.

A despatch from Niagara Falls, Ont., says:—Unless the customs division of the Federal Government takes some action in regard to the local situation, Canadian motorists entering the United States will experience considerable delay, when the new ruling on traffic going into the United States from Canada goes into effect. Representative Clarence MacGregor of Buffalo has promised the Niagara Falls, N.Y., Chamber of Commerce that he will work for a special ruling on the situation here.

Under the new regulation every motorist entering the United States at the local port will be compelled to secure a permit card, issued by the American Customs. Residents of nearby points will be able to secure special one-year permits.

The United States Customs officials say that much congestion of traffic will result from the new ruling. Instead of being able to handle 300 to 400 cars an hour on Sundays and holidays, the customs men say they will be able to handle only about 30 cars an hour. It is not unusual for 10,000 automobiles to cross the bridges here on a Sunday or holiday during the summer season. The United States Customs officials want the Government to make a special ruling allowing Canadian motorists to leave their automobile registration cards at the bridge offices as American motorists do on entering Canada.

## Mother of Four Has Received the King's Bounty

A despatch from St. John, N.B., says:—The mother of the Mahan quadruplets, born on Christmas Day, 1923, has received the King's bounty. It amounts to three pounds sterling, the same as is provided for triplets in England. The four children are all well.



An Ontario farmer is shown gathering his spring harvest from the sugar bush. Reports say that this season has brought one of the biggest sap runs on record.

## GERMAN ELECTIONS FAVOR ALLIED PLAN

Returns from Polls Show That Dawes Scheme for Restoration of Country Appeals to People.

Berlin, May 4.—First returns from today's elections indicate that, though, as expected, the German Nationalist party, standing at the extreme right, registered substantial gains, the old coalition from which the present Government was formed—the German People's party, the Centrum, and the Democratic party—will form the next Government, probably in conjunction with the Socialists.

This is the group pledged to carrying out the Dawes plan. It was supposed that the German Nationalist party would lose heavily to the "Volkische bloc," the party formed from its ranks and the most violently reactionary of all the German parties, but, judging from the early returns, this has not been the case.

The Centrum party, to which Chancellor Marx belongs, seems to have held its own, judging from returns from Berlin and other big centres.

## Natural Resources Bulletin.

The Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa says:

The forested areas of Canada stand second only to agricultural lands among the basic natural resources of this country, and industries using forest products have been surpassed by agriculture alone in mothering commercial growth. Their importance as a factor in the rise of Canadian commerce is evidenced by the increase of the Dominion's exports of wood, wood products and paper from \$42,000,000 in 1908 to nearly \$268,000,000 in 1922.

The work of ascertaining the actual extent of Canada's commercial forests is a large and exceedingly difficult undertaking. While progress has been made, the inventory is still far from complete. It is estimated, however, that approximately 600,000,000 acres of the total land area in the Dominion is covered by forest growth. Of this 150,000,000 acres may be considered as bearing saw timber of merchantable size, amounting to approximately 550,000,000 M board feet. The remainder of the area carries young stands, or timber suitable for pulpwood, fuel, etc. The total pulpwood resources are estimated to be about 1,800,000,000 cords of which 500,000,000 cords is of saw timber size and is included in the estimate of saw timber. The total stand of timber of all kinds, reduced to board measure, is about 1,000,000,000 M. feet. Of this, over 80 per cent is coniferous.

## Early Demand for Seats at National Exhibition

A despatch from Toronto says:—A record for early sales of Exhibition grand stand seats was established on Thursday when the representative of an east end Masonic lodge applied to Treasurer F. F. Brettnell for 300 tickets for the night of Tuesday, September 4. On that occasion the lodge is putting on a ceremonial and as part of the entertainment the visitors from outside the city will be given a trip to the Exhibition and an evening on the grand stand.

## Japan to Float in U.S. \$150,000,000 Loan

A despatch from Washington says:—Official advice received on Thursday indicate that the Japanese Government probably will seek to float another large loan in this country early next year. It is expected this loan will be for \$150,000,000, as was the external loan floated in the United States early this year.

There has been much criticism in Japan and the Orient generally of the terms of the \$150,000,000 loan floated in this country. A loan for approximately \$100,000,000 floated in Great Britain under precisely the same conditions, for some reason, has not been criticized to any thing like the same extent.

## Round-World Flight Continued Despite Loss of Leader

A despatch from Washington says:—Search for the lost commander of the round-the-world airplane flight will be continued in Alaskan waters, but the expedition with which the War Department is intent upon making history will continue. The attitude at the White House and War Dept. on Friday was that the bold undertaking should not be discontinued because its leader is missing, much as it will be regretted, if the intrepid aviator is not found. Gen. Patrick, chief of the Air Service, communicated by telegraph with Lieut. Lowell H. Smith at Dutch Harbor, directing him to move forward with the plane as soon as the weather permitted.

The death rate in Sweden is 16.49 per thousand.



## King Tut's Telephone



QUITE naturally, effective work by the Howard Carter party at the tomb of King Tutankhamen in the valley of the Kings, was out of the question without the aid of the



telephone. The problem of an operator was solved by arranging for the services of the turbaned gentleman shown on the left. The contrast between him and the alert, intelligent

young lady of the type we know so well, is striking, but it is averred that, under the conditions imposed by the excavators, the Egyptian filled the bill very well.

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Smith; H. Gould, \$16, for refund of statute labor. Carried.

Moved by J. A. Leitch, seconded by I. Vetter, that by-law No. 127, to provide for the Mosa township assessments in the Glencoe outlet drain, be provisionally adopted, and that the date for holding a court of revision be set for the 26th of May, at the town hall, Glencoe, at 2.30 in the afternoon.

By-law No. 726, to commute statute labor in the township of Mosa, was finally passed as read a third time. The council adjourned to meet at Glencoe on Monday, May 26th, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, as a court of revision on the assessment roll for 1924.

C. C. McNaughton, Clerk.

## SCHOOL REPORTS

S. S. No. 14, Metcalf and Ekfrid

Sr. IV.—Florence Moore 85, Archie Carruthers 69, Christopher Carruthers 65.

Jr. IV.—Orville Towers 74, Charlie Towers 49.

Sr. III.—Martin Walker 73, Dennis Giles 70.

Sr. II.—Ernie Moore 60, Lloyd Munroe 57, Bruce Moore 53.

High school starts for perfect spelling—Dennis Giles, Ireta Walker.

Honor roll—Florence Moore, Archie Carruthers, Christopher Carruthers, Charlie Towers, Orville Towers, Dennis Giles, Martin Walker, Elizabeth Carruthers, Verna Moore, Gladys A. Lunn, Teacher.

S. S. No. 9, Mosa

IV.—Donna Gillies 77, Kenneth Gillies 68, Martha Livingstone 66, George Innes 57.

III.—Alden Gillies 57.

II.—Leland Innes 79, John Mitchell 66, George Smith 59, John Smith 54.

I.—Margaret Gillies 84, Stanley Gillies 80.

Primer—Lloyd Gillies 81.

Jean McEachern, Teacher.

Middlemiss School

Sr. IV.—Part II test; pass 450—Margaret McNeil 560, Henry McNeil 491, Willie Richards 420.

Sr. III.—Howard Richards 581, Howard McDonald 525, G. M. McIntyre 331, Wm. Burdon (absent).

Sr. II.—Bud Lucas 380, Viola Clarke 327, Lena Clarke 238.

Jr. II.—Anna B. Clarke 276, Nora-lean Graham 186, Carl Lucas 50.

A.—Cassie Clarke 393.

I.—Bruce Lilley 105, Clifford Anderson 55.

Enrollment, 16; average, 13.5.

S. S. No. 5, Ekfrid

Sr. IV.—Anabelle Gates 64, Jessie Raeburn 58.

Jr. IV.—Lottie Smith 59; below 50—Beatrice Raeburn, Evelyn Raeburn, Bobbie Twiss.

Sr. III.—Angus Hurley 55, Norman Squire 51.

Jr. III.—Lila Mitchell 50; below 50—Gladys Smith.

Jr. II.—Florence Squire 74, Frances Grover 60, John Smith 54, Wilfred Hurley 42.

Sr. I.—Helen Grover 61.

Primer A.—Mamie Smith, Robert McKenzie, Harold Watson, Bertha Squire, William McKenzie.

B.—Areta Grover.

Helen McLean, Teacher.

U. S. S. No. 17

Number on roll, 12; average attendance, 11.

Highest in spelling—Prudence Moore, Zella Munroe.

Sr. IV.—Zella Munroe 77 (honors), Mary McLachlan 75 (honors), Lloyd Little 68.

Jr. IV.—Kenneth McKellar 69, Viola Munroe 62, Hugh Leitch 61.

III.—Duncan Leitch 77 (honors), Prudence Moore 73, Harley Lease 64.

I.—Archie McKellar, Innes Graham.

Primer—Grace Graham.

Corinne Howe, Teacher.

After husband gets mad and throws the hammer at the thing he is trying to make, his wife goes ahead and finishes it.

Judging by recent disclosures in Ontario politics, isn't it about time we dispensed with calling some ex-cabinet ministers "Honorable"?

## THIS MAN'S LAND

To the Editor of The Transcript:

In last week's issue of The Transcript I noticed an article entitled "A No Man's Land." In this a statement was made which is not correct, for in that article it is stated that eight acres of land were never assessed either for township or village purposes. In examining the records, the highest number of acres unassessed at any time was two and one-quarter acres. Last year twelve acres were assessed in Ekfrid and sixteen acres in Glencoe. This year twenty-four acres are assessed in Glencoe and six and one-quarter acres in Ekfrid.

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## GUARDING AGAINST SWINDLERS

(American Magazine)

"If everyone would use a little common sense," says Chief Simmons, "the swindlers would soon go out of business. The post office department does all it can to punish those who use the mails to fleece you but the best weapon against crooks of all kinds is common sense on the part of the public."

"First of all, beware of the man who offers to give you something for nothing, who has 'inside information' and promises to let you in 'on the ground floor.' And then remember that plums will never drop into your lap. Millions of dollars are lost every year by people who fall for the 'get-rich-quick' schemes. You can't beat a swindler at his game."

"This would be a sad world if we had to be suspicious of all strangers; but in dealing with people about whom you know little or nothing, you had better become suspicious at the very moment that they offer to let you in on a good thing. If it were such a good thing they wouldn't let you in on it. Keep that fact in mind, and it will save you some money."

## THE RADIO FAN'S PROBLEM

The radio fan thinks he paid quite a fair sum for the equipment he has in the corner of his living-room. But, he argues, there are no records to buy for the machine, and all that is necessary is to tune in to the desired length and pick up the program that appeals to him. The world is his and the entertainment thereof.

But hold. Some of the largest broadcasters are in the business because they make receiving sets. They figure that the sale of these sets provides sufficient revenue to warrant them in including the daily program in their entertainment.

That is all right as long as the sale of new equipment keeps up, but it is coming nearer to the point of satir-



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ation, and there is practically no replacement; the radio does not wear out. Once the free program fails to keep on stimulating the purchase of new receiving sets, that work will become plain expense and no corresponding revenue. Then it will cease. The radio fan bought his equipment thinking that he was through with costs. He did not figure that it was like going into matrimony or the automobile market, where the cost of upkeep must have a place on the family ledger.

Some of the great stations are now using their outfit for commercial purposes or propaganda, but there are limits to this business. This service is paid for by those providing the material, but the fans don't want it; they crave entertainment. They want concerts, singers and musicians and good speakers. But who is going to provide these items? The broadcasting problem may not be here, but it is on the way. The fans may not know it, but the broadcasting stations do. There is a limit to turning a knob and picking a high class number out of the air. Will the radio fans be called upon some day to help finance their own entertainment?

The indications of worms are restlessness, grinding of teeth, picking of the nose, extreme peevishness, often convulsions. Under these conditions one of the best remedies that can be got is Miller's Worm Powders. They will attack the worms as soon as administered and they pass away in the evacuations. The little sufferer will be immediately eased and a return of the attack will not be likely.

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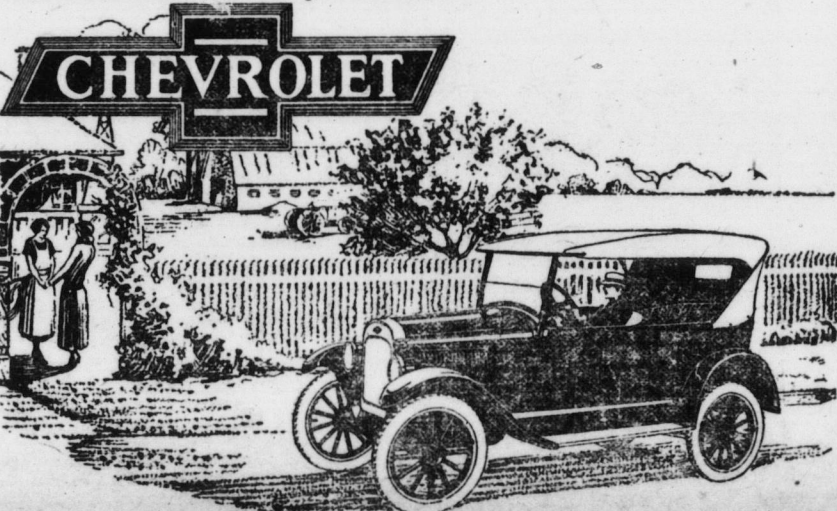
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### CHAIN PRAYERS CONDEMNED

Preaching in St. Joseph's church (Chatham, Sunday morning, the Rev. Father Gnan scored the practice of sending chain prayers. He stated that several of his congregation had been recipients of chain prayers, which he contended were blasphemous in that they contained a threat that evil would befall the person who broke the chain by failing to send copies to friends. He advised recipients to destroy the prayers.

### SPECIAL NOTICES

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Glencoe Presbyterian ladies will hold a sale of homemade baking in the lecture hall of the church on Saturday, May 10, from 3 to 6. Lunch will be served.

My shop will be open every Wednesday afternoon as usual. We are here for your business and need the money.—Don H. Love, "The Village Blacksmith."

### ATTRACTIVE FARM HOMES

The interest of the farmer today is being directed almost entirely towards means of herd improvement, crop rotation, seed selection, and other very necessary and important phases of agricultural activity. Our agricultural magazines and papers are filled with information along such lines, yet it seems that we have overlooked and often forgotten the chief attraction offered by living in the country. Farm life can hardly be expected to appeal to a young man or woman of ambition and culture, if the home surroundings are devoid of the beauty and pride that practically every country home (however humble) can so cheaply and easily provide. How many of us who live in the country realize that we possess what nine out of every ten people in the city strive to obtain? A man owning a house built on a town or city lot of one-tenth of an acre will diligently strive to develop a garden and improve the attractive appearance of his property. The city man does this actuated by three chief motives—his pride in his home, the greatly increased enjoyment in living in such surroundings, and the added

value and saleability of a property improved in this manner. The farm home is not limited to a few square feet as is the city home. The farm home can be surrounded by beautiful trees and shrubbery that the average city home is denied. It is readily understood that the amount of time that can be spared on a farm to attend to the home surroundings is strictly limited, but the style of planning would not imitate that of a home built on a few square feet, and when one considers the very material increase in value, to say nothing of the enjoyment and pleasure to be derived from living in a home surrounded by trees and shrubs, it is a matter that should receive far more earnest attention than has been the case in too many instances.

### THE DESERTED VILLAGE

The economic disturbances of the past few years have shown how unwise it is to allow all our industries to become centralized in the larger centres and for farmers to place themselves unreservedly in the hands of the big combinations. The village blacksmith, carriage builder and miller have gone, while the village or crossroads merchant is struggling against the handicap of small patronage on the one hand, and the pressure of big business on the other.

Farmers can well afford to patronize their local industries, for without the village and crossroads community the farm home is still further removed from those social and economic advantages that should form a part of rural life. The village or small town is an asset to the farm, and every rural family should remain loyal to local institutions. The village is a rallying point for the youth of the community, and unless the village stores and shops are patronized by farmers in the community it will become deserted and a blot on the landscape, rather than a thriving community centre.

From the economic point of view farmers have lost considerably through the closing down of the village shops and small industries. The village blacksmith is now almost a thing of the past. The smiths who are left are to be found in the towns and cities, and the farmers there are obliged to pay city prices for the service they purchase. Wheelwrights and carriage makers have gone out of business and are selling their labor to the manufacturer at so much per day. Competition is eliminated between the village product and the output of the big manufacturing plants, with the result already too well known. The closing down of the small mills places the farmer at the mercy of the big millers, regardless of the fact that he has wheat and grain of his own from which flour might be made and wheat by-products secured.

There is always a difference in standards between farm and industrial life. When the grower must sell his product according to one standard and purchase on the basis of a higher standard of prices the practice becomes irksome and, in the end, unprofitable. The village shop and local mill, in the past, provided a partial escape from the strangling influences of big business, and where there are any of these still left they should be patronized and encouraged.—Farmers' Advocate

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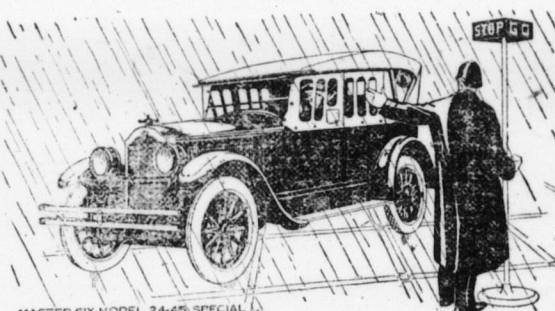
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Westbound—No. 9, Detroit express (daily, no local stops) 4.45 a.m.; No. 75, accommodation (except Sunday) 7.25 a.m.; No. 21, Detroit express (daily, stops at Glencoe, Bothwell, Thamesville and Chatham) 11.59 a.m.; No. 11, accommodation (except Sunday) 6.40 p.m.; No. 115, International Limited (daily, stops Glencoe and Chatham) 9.52 p.m.

##### Wabash and Air Line

Eastbound—No. 352, mixed, 10.05 a.m.; No. 354, mixed, 4.10 p.m.; Westbound—No. 351, mixed, 9.00 a.m.; No. 3, express, 12.15 p.m.; No. 353, mixed, 2.50 p.m.

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### GLENCOE POST OFFICE

Mails closed—C.N.R. East, 9.30 a.m.; C.N.R. West, 5.45 p.m.; London and East, 5.45 p.m.; Glencoe Rural Routes, 7.45 a.m.

Mails received—London and East, 8.00 a.m.; C.N.R. East, 7.00 p.m.; C.N.R. West, 10.20 a.m.; Glencoe Rural Routes: No. 1—1.00 p.m.; No. 2—12 noon; No. 3—2.40 p.m.; No. 4—12.30 p.m.

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### Born

ROEMMELE.—On Saturday, May 3, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Roemmele, North Ekfrid, a son—Lorne Max.

### TOWN AND VICINITY

A good play coming to the opera house Friday evening.

The population of Dunwich township decreased 108 last year.

Too many young people imagine they are live wires because they are shocking.

Perhaps Sir Thomas White will explain the difference between cashing a cheque and depositing it to his credit.

Complaint is made that dogs are digging up bulbs and destroying plants. If you want flowers, plant the dog.

The Gordon Mission Band will hold their regular monthly meeting on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. R. Hagerty.

The Fletcher Manufacturing Company are again running their plant full time, but have laid off a number of their men temporarily.

The proposal to celebrate Victoria Day on Monday, May 26, rather than on Saturday, May 24, is being considered in several towns and villages.

Archie and Hector McCallum have disposed of their fifty-acre farm, south half of the west half of lot 15, concession 5, Ekfrid, to Neil Caruthers.

Next Wednesday afternoon will be observed as the first weekly half-holiday of the season by Glencoe business men who have signed the agreement.

It is said that a local lady who was shopping in a London store became real peeved when the bow-legged floorwalker said to her: "Walk this way, please, madam."

Seeding is a little late, but a few years ago no seeding was attempted until about the 18th of May, and yet the crop that year was one of the finest in the history of the province.

It is said that soft water can be produced by running well water through a cream separator. The soft water will come out of the cream spout and the hard or heavier water will flow out of the milk spout. Do you believe it?

Operating statement of the Hydro-electric Power Commission for Ontario for the 12 months ending 31st December, 1923, shows the cost of power purchased by Glencoe to be \$4,696.29; total revenue \$10,860.11, and net surplus \$1,886.99.

The chap whose specialty a few years ago was getting out in the middle of the road, taking off his hat and flagging a runaway horse, now climbs up a telegraph pole when he sees a woman driving down the street, just learning to handle a car.

The C.N.R. will deliver a trainload of cinders for putting on No. 8 side road, Mosa, on both sides of the track, where this road was graded last year. This will complete a sec-

tion of road that will make practically an improved gravelled highway all the way between Glencoe and Shields. It is up to the county now to reduce the grades and gravel the hills leading up to Gray's bridge. This highway has not only scenic beauty but is one that is much travelled in fine weather, only owing to the treacherous nature of the hills.

The first W.O.S.S.A. baseball game of the season for this district was played on the G.H.S. grounds Friday afternoon between Wardsville and Glencoe. The score was 20 to 6 in favor of the locals. Both teams showed lack of practice. Further games are expected.

R. A. Finn and J. A. Andrews, of the Middlesex branch of the Department of Agriculture, have finished distributing garden seeds to the 94 rural schools of the county. Some 5,000 packages of seeds will be in the ground this week, and the vegetables and flowers will be on display at the school fairs in the fall.

The annual W.O.S.S.A. track meet for London District will be held at Queen's Park, London, on Saturday, May 17th. Championships will be granted, and it is hoped that the G. H. S. will be honored. The following pupils of Glencoe will participate: Wm. Treastin, senior dash; John Allan, intermediate half mile; Kenneth Webster, intermediate 100-yard dash; relay team—John Allan, Kenneth Webster, Graham McDonald and Hugh McKellar.

At a sitting of the Division Court on Tuesday afternoon before Judge Judd, the case of Donald McIntyre vs. Metcalfe township was dismissed. McIntyre, who lives on the township line, in the township of Brooke, had entered action against the township of Metcalfe for \$50 damages alleged to have been occasioned by Messrs. Gardiner and McNaughton, commissioners of Metcalfe township, opening up a culvert and ditch, by reason of which a quantity of sand was washed onto the land of McIntyre.

### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

—Mrs. Chas. Hurley spent the week-end with relatives in London.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McEachren and family left on Wednesday for Redgate Farm, Birmingham, Mich.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wortman and children, of London, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. MacPherson.

—Miss Florence Hurley is home from London for a few days, having had an operation for the removal of her tonsils last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of St. Catharines, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Paton, at the manse. They are on their way home from wintering in California.

### NEW BOOKS AT THE LIBRARY

An interesting shipment of books was received this week by the public library. Especially noteworthy are several books by Canadian authors: "Ballads and Lyrics," by Bliss Carman; "Stephen Leacock," by Peter MacArthur; "The Child's House," by Marjorie McMurphy; "Life of George W. Ross," by Margaret Ross. Of interest also is the "Life of Christ" by Giovanni Papini. High school students will find "Physics of the Household," by Lynde, a very fine book of science. The other books, fiction and juvenile, are all particularly readable. Library patrons will be pleased by these books and also by those of a much larger shipment which will be on the shelves shortly.



# Soils and Crops

Address communications to Agronomist, 72 Adelaide St. West, Toronto

## THE POTATO CROP.

Much can be done before potatoes are planted to ensure a good crop. It is a mistake to cut the sets several days before they are needed, but if this is done they should be sprinkled with slaked lime. At the Rothamsted Experimental Station in Saskatchewan, the crop from sets cut two weeks before planting gave a yield of 209 bushels to the acre, which was 170 bushels to the acre less than those planted on the day cut.

Even though seed may be sound and appear perfect in every way, there is no assurance that it will produce a good crop. The source of the seed has great influence on the yield. The Maritime Provinces and New Ontario both appear to have favorable climatic conditions for producing vigorous seed.

It has been proved again and again by the Experimental Farms that immature seeds are better than those which are thoroughly ripened. Seed grown under conditions that are favorable for keeping the tops green well into the autumn appears to give best results. The value of immaturity in the seed is further proved by experiments in the use of seed from crops planted on different dates. May planting gave poor planting stock for the next year, compared with that put in toward the end of June.

Potato yields may also be increased by using sprouted seed, a practice sometimes followed by market gardeners. It does not do to depend on the long white sprouts that potatoes produce in the cellar. The sprouting should be done in the light so that the sprouts will be green, stocky, and not easily rubbed off. The cold frame is sometimes used for this purpose, but sprouting may be done in the attic of a dwelling house or in a well lighted room where frost can be kept out. The potatoes should be spread in a thin layer or placed in shallow boxes or trays with the seed end up. The boxes are then put in a bright airy place, where the temperature is too cool for the sprouting to begin. After a few days the potatoes will turn green and the skin become tough.

## How I Wash Comforts, Quilts, and Blankets

BY NEIL B. NICHOLS.

Laundrying the blankets and quilts, like the annual house-cleaning, is a task dreaded by most home-makers. I firmly believe, however, that this work need not be a bugbear if the right day and methods are used, and a pile-up of household duties is avoided.

The weather requires some consideration. I always choose a bright, breezy spring day. Then I make certain that most of the ordinary housework can be put aside so all of my attention and efforts can be given to the task. And, quite naturally, I try to tackle the job when I am in good spirits.

My washing machine is mustered into service; its tub is filled with tepid water, soft, if possible; but if not, I add two table-spoonsful of borax dissolved in one quart of hot water. Then sufficient soap flakes or shavings of a mild soap which have been melted in a little water are stirred in until a rich suds is made. By operating the machine three minutes it is easy to determine whether the lather is rich enough.

I have a favorite soap jelly which I keep in fruit jars on my supply shelf for use in washing woollens, and I frequently make the suds for laundering blankets, quilts, and comforts from it. Since the results it produces are excellent, I am passing the directions for making the soapy solution on to you.

Use one large cake of soap or six cupfuls of soap chips, two table-spoonsful of borax, and two quarts of water. Mix these ingredients together, and heat until the soap and borax are dissolved. If the mixture is stirred while cooking, the jelly is made quickly.

After the force of the machine and the soapy water have loosened the soil in the bedcovers, I wring them through the wringer into a rinse water tepid in temperature. Only one blanket, quilt, or comfort is placed in the machine at a time. I give each cover two thorough rinsings. After squeezing the bedding up and down in the first rinse water, I put it through the wringer and immerse it in another tepid rinse. After this last rinse is completed, the cover is ready to be hung on the line to dry. If I am washing a wool blanket, I always add one table-spoonful of pure glycerin to every two gallons of the last rinse water. This replaces the natural oil which is removed in the washing, and makes the blanket soft.

I have had varying degrees of success in laundering cotton and wool filled comforts and quilts. Those which are tied and quilted closely have a better appearance after they are tubbed because the batting is not so likely to collect in bunches. When I launder a pretty comfort, I usually

They are then given a little more heat, and two or three strong sprouts will soon appear. The sprouts should be about two inches in length at planting time. If allowed to grow longer than this they are more difficult to handle without injury.

Recommended varieties are, for early crop, Irish Cobbler and Early Ohio; and for main crop, Green Mountain, Wee McGregor, and Empire State.

## REGISTERED COCKERELS.

Canada is setting the pace for the whole world to follow in the system adopted to obtain registered cockerels. The bred-to-lay cockerel that can transmit to his pullets the ability to produce a large number of eggs is what all keepers of utility poultry are after. It is recognized that the quickest way to increase the average egg yield of any flock is through the male, and this fact is commercialized by many breeders of so called bred-to-lay stock, who advertise high producing males that have not the breeding behind them, and are therefore unable to transmit this quality to their offspring.

Because of this fact dishonest breeders have foisted overrated stock upon the public, and one of the reasons why registered cockerels are wanted is to overcome this practice of selling inferior birds as good breeding stock.

At the present time it is possible for honest breeders to enter their pullets in the Laying Contests (of which there are 12 throughout the Dominion), and by having their birds qualify to produce cockerels that may be registered by the Canadian National Records.

The fact that a cockerel is registered is a guarantee to the public that he has a certified pedigree behind him, of at least two generations of 200 (or more) egg blood, and that he is himself a bird typical of the breed and without standard disqualifications. Such a bird grown in our Canada is a guarantee to the very best procurable in breeding for high egg production.

reach them, but where the direct rays of the sun do not penetrate. Too much heat burns the wool, and freezing shrinks it. After a down quilt is dry, I press it between the stitchings with a warm, not hot, iron, and occasionally I give thin quilts a quick press.

Pillows need to be laundered every now and then. Although the feathers can be washed without being removed from the ticking, I get better results by emptying them. To do this I make a small hole in one corner of the pillow and sew this to a similar opening in a muslin bag, such as a clean flour sack, which is closed at the top with the exception of the little hole sewed to the ticking. I shake the feathers into the muslin bag, which is tied tightly so no feathers will escape before it is separated from the ticking.

The muslin bag of feathers is washed in warm soapsuds, rinsed thoroughly in two tepid rinse waters, and hung outdoors in a breezy but shady place to dry. I discovered by experience that it is best never to wash feathers unless it is a good drying day, because if they are left wet any length of time they sour.

I put the ticking in soapy water without shaking it, to keep the down from scattering. A stiff-bristled brush, dipped in soapsuds helps wonderfully in removing the soil. By hanging the ticking evenly on the line, it seldom requires pressing.

Proud as one is of the results achieved on comfort, quilt, and blanket washing day, the work is just difficult enough, or perhaps I should say the homemaker is weary enough, when the day is over, to wonder if there is any way of avoiding this task. I have tried to answer this question for myself, and have come to the conclusion that fewer washings are required only when care is used in protecting the bedding from soil.

I now place plain muslin bags over all my pillows. These covers not only protect the ticking and feathers, but they also add charm to the pillow case by providing the right background.

Another example of how I protect bedding is the use I make of protectors on the tops of quilts and comforts. These are pretty and dainty as well as serviceable and easily laundered. I make them from a thin, white fabric, such as India linen, cheesecloth, dotted swiss, or any soft muslin, or from white linen. Material which is one yard in width is used, and the length is one inch longer than the width of the quilt. This material is folded lengthwise and the ends are stitched together in a tiny French seam. Then a two-inch hem is basted along the selvage edges and narrow lace edging, hemstitching, an embroidered design, or any initial may be used for decoration.

I work five buttonholes, one in the centre and two on either side, in both hems. Then I slip this protector over the end of the comfort and mark the position of the buttonholes. The buttons are sewed on the quilt, with care that the thread is not pulled tight enough to draw the buttons into the comfort. These protectors may be unbuttoned and washed every week or so, and they are easier to handle than a large bedcover.

Folding the sheet down over the blanket also serves as a protection. A few slightly soiled places on bedding may be removed with a dry cleaner, and of course it is essential that the covers, when not in use, be kept in a clean place, away from dust. I use large muslin bags and wrappings of paper about the blankets, quilts, and comforts when they are not in service.

## A Walnut Tree Pest.

The walnut tree is liable to severe injury by the walnut caterpillar, an insect that was more or less prevalent throughout Southern Ontario last summer. In some localities the trees were badly stripped of leaves the latter part of the season. Partial defoliation at any time interferes with the normal functioning of the tree, and complete stripping of the leaves will finally result in the death of the tree. Other trees subject to attack are the willow, beech, honey locust, thorn, oak, and apple.

Circular No. 21 of the Dept. of Agriculture at Ottawa gives a picture of the moth, the parent of the caterpillar. The wings have an expanse of about two inches, are buff color, much darker in the centre and are crossed with dark brown and whitish lines. The under or back wings are pale buff. The larva when first hatched is about one-fifth of an inch long. The body is of brick-red color. When full grown the caterpillar is blackish without markings other than an indistinct white lateral line and a conspicuous white central line along the under portion of the body. It is covered with fine greyish-white hairs and measures from 1 1/2 to 2 inches in length.

Spraying the trees as early as caterpillars are observed is recommended. A good poison mixture consists of three pounds of lead arsenate in fifty gallons of water. Another system of control consists of destroying the masses of caterpillars during the moulting period when they are crawling quickly on a trunk or branch. A stiff brush may be used to bring them down at this time.

Make a dress form for daughter before she goes away to school. Keep it at home, and she can have the homemaker make her frocks while she is miles away.

## POULTRY.

Where chicks are being reared with hens and have access to tender grass or other green feed, a very good feed is raw or cooked Johnny cake made with an egg in it, so says Prof. W. R. Graham, O.A.C. Give milk to drink and have a quart or so of gravel near the coop to supply grit. Move the chicks every few days. When the chicks are a few weeks old gradually change to ordinary feeds.

Raise the chicks on new ground. Keep off the old ground that has had chicks running upon it year after year. Keep the hens free of lice. Dust with sodium fluoride or use a small amount of blue ointment. A piece one-half the size of a kernel of corn placed on the skin below the vent, will usually kill many of the lice.

The mash used at the Poultry Dept., O.A.C., in the hoppers, or feed mounds, where the chicks are ranging consists of:

150 pounds of corn meal  
100 pounds of crushed oats  
100 pounds of shorts  
100 pounds of bran  
60 pounds of meat scrap  
20 pounds of bone meal  
The whole grain hopper feed usually consists of fifty per cent. each of wheat and cracked corn. If milk is given to drink, one-half, if not more, of the meat scraps may be taken from the mash.

The pullets stay on range until ready to lay, which period is when they are about six months of age. If they prefer roosting in trees to the house we allow them to do so; in fact, we rather prefer that they would roost in trees.

Shade, tender green feed, plenty of clean drink, and enough to eat, are essential.

## Hog Grading Results.

Returns for the first three months of 1924, compared with the first quarter of last year, from the stockyards and packing plants, particularly of Alberta and Ontario, indicate the progress that is being made under the hog grading policy, and the campaign in favor of the bacon type carried on by Dominion and Provincial Departments of Agriculture. In the first named province, the returns show 4,516 selects compared with 2,840 and 166,341 thick smooths compared with 111,474. A noticeable feature of the Alberta returns is a decrease of shop hogs from 26,410 in 1923 to 338 this year. For Ontario the figures are 92,534 selects this year compared with 47,449 last year, an increase of no fewer than 45,085, and of thick smooths, 128,796 this year compared with 74,095, an increase of 54,701. For Manitoba the returns show 6,531 selects compared with 8,082, and 96,842 thick smooths compared with 59,876. Quebec shows a decrease in selects of 3,797 and an increase of thick smooths of 9,728. In shop hogs Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec each show an increase. But select gets the premium, and they show a total increase in the four provinces combined of 42,013.

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## THE CHILDREN'S HOUR

BENNY SEES A BIRD FIGHT.

BY LEBERNE BALLANTYNE.

High in the air rose a great bird, and darting at it, picking and worrying it, was a smaller bird.

"Oh see!" exclaimed Benny. "What is the little bird doing that for?" Grandad Fairway looked up to where the larger bird was trying his best to first mount, and then dive away from his torment.

"Go to it, little fellow," he said with a laugh. "Give him a good drubbing." "Why?" asked Benny. "The big fellow is a hawk, and has no doubt been trying to steal his little ones."

"Will he kill the hawk?" Benny questioned eagerly, as the birds flew further and further away, the little one still attacking his enemy viciously without any sign of letting up.

"Bless you no. He can't hurt him very much; only makes him uncomfortable, and drives him away, warning every other living thing in the district with his outcries, so that Mr. Hawk will have to search elsewhere for food."

"Where is his nest?" was Benny's next question, for Grandad Fairway had a beautiful big home called "The Elms," and in the orchard and grove near-by were to be found nearly every type of bird. They all seemed to know they were safe on Grandad's farm, and came year after year to "The Elms." Grandad had all sorts of books telling about nature and birds and bees, and each year when Benny came up to spend his holidays he learned about these things, and hunting them to watch their peculiar habits-made the time pass so quickly that Benny just dreaded school time coming when he must go back to the school of books, for he preferred learning from the school of nature, especially when Grandad was the teacher.

"Where is his nest?" repeated Grandad. "Let me see. I think we shall find it on one of the outer branches of the wild plum tree growing at the far corner of the orchard." That afternoon was warm and drowsy, and having nothing else to do, Benny insisted on going at once to find the nest.

Grandad was right. In a forked branch of the old plum tree, carefully concealed, was the king-bird's nest. Mrs. King-bird was sitting on it watching eagerly for her mate to return from his encounter with the hawk.

Soon he came hurrying back, and lighting on a branch near her, told her all about it, scolding the old hawk roundly. With a soft little "K-y-rie" note she answered him, agreeing no doubt with everything he said.

Standing near the fence several rods away, Benny and Grandad could easily see him as he darted about. His vest was a soft creamy grey with a coat of darker grey, and his dark tail was tipped with a pretty edging of white across the end of it. His real mark of beauty is the little crest of crimson on the top of his head. Benny noticed it and pointed it out to Grandad.

"Yes," said he, "there is a story about that. You see, the King-bird belongs to the family of fly-catchers because it eats many kinds of flies and insects, and it also catches an odd bee when it fancies one. Usually it takes the drones, but sometimes it takes an odd honey-bee when it fancies one. So the story was once told that when it wished to get a bee-it simply sat motionless on a branch of a tree and opened its beautiful crest, which resembles a flower so much that the bee would fly toward it."

"And does it really do that?" Benny asked.

"No, I do not think so," Grandad said. "I fancy it is agile enough to get a bee on the wing when it wants one, since it can dart around the hawk and other birds larger than itself so cleverly. However, the story of the bee has done it a lot of harm, giving it a bad reputation when it is really a very useful bird, as are all fly-catchers. However, his name signifies his real character—Kingliness, for surely a king should be very courageous, as were the really great kings of history, and no bird is so brave in attacking birds far greater in size than himself than our little friend there, and therefore he is well named."

## Burning Brush.

Many of us have difficulty in burning brush, as it may be too green or too wet at the time we want to burn it. When draining the old oil from the automobile crank case save this and use it to pour over the brush. In this way brush that is almost green may be very easily destroyed. If very much oil is needed the local garage man will likely be glad to save his old oil for us if he is furnished with a can to put it in.

Old sour cream often shows a higher percentage of butter-fat, not because the amount of butter-fat has increased, but for the reason that some of the water has evaporated.

Clean utensils and plenty of fresh water will be found in every recipe for growing healthy calves.



## STORIES OF WELL-KNOWN PEOPLE

### Lord Darling's Poems.

As well as being a great judge, Lord Darling (better known as Mr. Justice Darling) is also a poet. A small book of verses by him—"The Oxford Court and Other Poems"—first published in 1909, has just reappeared with a number of new poems added.

One of the verses, "November, 1923," deals with his emotions when he retired from the English Bench. The poem begins: "Long worn, now cast aside; red robe, lie there"—and the second verse runs:

Not, with resounding trumpets, may I come  
To sit in judgment on the regal Bench;  
Dividing false from true  
With sword and even scale,  
Mantle and stole laid by, and cap of doom;  
Bereft, alone, I wear no ermine more;  
Nor judge—yet one Assize  
I, fearful, must attend.

### The Visitor's Mistake.

A recent visitor to Mr. Thomas Edison's laboratory thought to win some slight favor by making friends with his dog.

On approaching the front porch he caught sight of a great shaggy mass under a tree beside the house, so he thrust out his hand to pat the animal. The next instant he was running up the stairs. He burst into the laboratory hatless and panting, for the animal under the tree was a brown bear!

Mr. Edison laughed heartily when he looked apprehensively behind him for the beast which he felt must be at his heels, and it was not till later that he found that the bear was chained.

### Not the King of Marksmen.

Besides being an ardent sportsman King George V. is a remarkable marksman. His father, Edward VII., may have enjoyed field sports, but he was as poor a shot as any one with his opportunities for practice could well be. In his Diary of a Journalist Sir Henry W. Lucy has this entry on the contrast between the two:

August 12, 1911.  
To-morrow the King goes off to Stirling Royal for grouse shooting. One of the things in which His Majesty excels is the skill of his lamented father is shooting. In the judgment of experts he ranks as one of the six best guns in the country. One of the others is his host of the coming week-end, the Marquis of Ripon, who earned his reputation whilst still Earl of Grey.

Birrell (former Chief Secretary for Ireland) has a charming story illustrating the reputation for shooting of the late King Edward. During a visit to Balmoral, Queen Alexandra found the Chief Secretary one morning in the library when the host and other guests had gone off shooting. On being asked why he should remain indoors on such a day Birrell explained that he did not shoot and added: "I hate to see anything killed."

"Ah," said the Queen with her sweet smile, "then you should stand behind His Majesty when he is shooting at the butts. Your feelings would not be hurt by anything you saw."

### The Periods of a Man's Life.

The twenties are the molding years of the life, when the young man forms those habits that shall direct his career. Then he finishes his school work, stands before the altar, establishes a home and looks the world in the eye.

The thirties are years of discouragement. It is a hard and trying time for all. It is a time of battle without the poetry and dream of youth.

The forties are the years of vision, when a man finds himself, finishes his castles in the air and knows the value of his dreams.

Life comes to its ripening in the fifties. These should be the years of jubilee and he should do his best work then.

At sixty, a man has completed enough mistakes to make him wise far above his juniors. He should live better and do better work than in any decade of his life. No man has a right to retire at any age unless he wishes to die. A word of congratulation to those who have reached seventy and beyond: You have reached the end of your course; we trust that you have fought a good fight and that there is laid up for you a crown of righteousness.

A Strict Rule.  
The Lodger—"I just lost my job, Mr. Innkeeper. Can you lend me a couple of bucks till I get another?"  
His landlady—"Sorry, Mr. Ever-broke, but it's against my principles to give currency to an idle roomer."

# Ogden's CUT PLUG TOBACCO

## A Drama of The Woods

By Gretchen Gibson

"Cigarette!" "Thanks!" The elder man selects a cigarette and lights it. "Great place this!" he remarks, "country's getting pretty well dried up, though." His companion nods lazily.

Both men lie on their backs, gazing contentedly at the slightly swaying branches of the fine forest about them. "Well, we'd better be getting along," finally says the elder, flinging his cigarette butt into the nearby brush. "Must be some three miles to the car." And they gather up their fishing rods and are gone.

Over the spot they have left, peacefully, beautifully, evening falls. Feathered bushbodies of the woods and other little gadabouts of the day chirrup and drone their more or less melodious vespers as they settle into their respective hiding-places for the brief summer night. Nocturnal creatures awake, eager to partake of the share of the joy and plunder of existence—and one and all of these creatures—creatures of feather and creature of fur, creatures of marvellous skin and flimsy, gauzy loveliness—one and all of these creatures, sleeping and waking are possessed of a common powerful impulse—to survive—survive—survive. It extends even to the plant life of the forest, this impulse to achieve complete fulfillment of such life as is their birthright.

It may be that in the tiny spark still glowing in the butt of a cigarette which lies among the dry midsummer underbrush, this same impulse exists. But surely the chances are more than ten to one against the spark's survival. However, the evening breeze grows stronger and a dried leaf falls here and there; in fact, one leaf falls.

Planets, orange, violet, reddish, yellow, graceful as a Spanish dancer, curving, sweeping, darting, crackling, roaring, licking.

Smoke-blinded, frantic creatures, creatures of feather, creatures of fur, creatures of marvellous skin and flimsy gauzy loveliness, all madly impelled by their great common impulse to survive—survive—survive.

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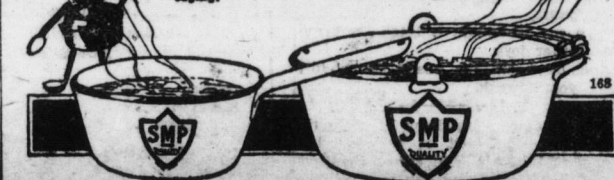
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The bluebird and the robin and the wren;  
Up from the marsh the redwing flutes a call;  
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The goldfinch has not donned his summer dress,  
And yet we tell him as he lites along  
Each note attuned to spring and joyousness;  
They come back singing, and we know their song.

You do not have to see his feathered throat  
To name a robin singing in the rain,  
Or need to cast a glance at cap and coat  
To know the bobolinks are back again;  
The tiniest of the warblers passing by,  
Among the tasseled trees may flit along  
And hide his colors from the seeking eye,  
Yet prove his presence with a thread of song.

For more than this what need of mortal care—  
That men may know us by the songs we sing,  
Naming us never by the garb we wear,  
The dun of winter or the gold of spring?  
I pray I shan't mock another's lay,  
But keep my own distinct and true and strong,  
That as I fare along some one will say:  
"She passed me singing, and I knew her song."

—Florence Boyce Davis, in Youth's Companion.

## Gave Wife as Royal Token.

In the early days of Virginia the head of all the allied tribes of Indians was Powhatan, father of Pocahontas. In Powhatan was centred all governmental powers. He had a royal retinue as bodyguard, composed of 60 or 70 of the most stalwart and fearless Indian warriors. His subjects planted all his corn and gathered it for him when it was ripe. He had a large treasure house of many valuable possessions, such as skins, copper, paint and beads and arms of all kinds, and he had to himself the responsibility of many wives.

Most of the wives he left at home when he made excursions, but always carried with him two or more where-abouts, such as skins, copper, paint and beads and arms of all kinds, and he had to himself the responsibility of many wives.

## An Unknown Ivory Mine.

Why are ivory billiard balls so expensive? The answer is that the supply of ivory, a natural growth depending mainly upon the tusks of elephants, is exceedingly limited. Nevertheless, it some wanderer through the impenetrable forests of Central Africa, probably in the vicinity of that inland sea of fresh water called Lake Victoria Nyanza, could stumble upon a certain "pit" and communicate his discovery to the world, the value of this commodity would drop to the merest fraction of its present worth.

Seeing that in Africa there are tens of thousands of wild elephants, one would imagine that travellers like Stanley and Cameron would have recorded coming upon the carcass of a dead beast. Yet they never did, nor has any other African explorer come upon an elephant which has died in its tracks from natural causes.

What becomes of all the elephants that die? It is said that somewhere in the million square miles that constitute the African continent is a mighty pit, with precipitous sides, which contains the bones, and therefore the tusks, of countless thousands of elephants.

How did they come there? It is said, further, that wherever an African elephant may be, when it feels the approach of death it leaves the herd and "reks" unerringly for the death-pit. It may travel for days and even weeks, and when it arrives at the edge of the pit it leaps to its death. How much ivory lies there? Who will discover it?

Do not be like the bell that answers every pull and has but one note.

## Wembley's Naval Battles.

The Navy is represented at the British Empire Exhibition. A special water stage, seventy feet wide, has been erected, and on this indoor ocean ships take part in representations of famous battles.

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## THE DELICATE GIRL

### What Mothers Should Do as Their Daughters Approach Womanhood.

If growing girls are to become well-developed, healthy women, their health must be carefully guarded. Mothers should not ignore their unsettled moods or the various troubles that tell of approaching womanhood. It is an important time of life. Where pallor, headache, backache or other signs of anaemia are evident you must provide the sufferer with the surest means of making new blood.

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—Rose Henderson.

The Master's Message.  
A general who had returned home from India visited a well-known public school, where he called on the house-master of a young Indian prince, the son of a Rajah.

The general stated that before leaving India he had promised the Rajah to deliver a message to the boy's tutor. It was that the Rajah desired that his son should receive no exceptional treatment in the school on account of his exalted birth.

The house-master hastened to reassure the general.

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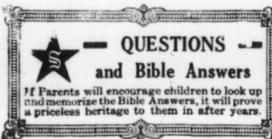
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### NEWBURY

Rev. C. D. Farquharson motored from Woods'ock, where he had attended Synod, with Wm. H. Parnall, stopping here for a short visit before taking the evening train for Windsor. R. J. Haggith and wife left on Saturday for Harrow and Windsor for an extended visit.

Born—at Inwood, on May 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Lou Kelly, a son.

Hugh Boyle has sold his property to Herbert Brownlee, of Aylmer. James Winship and family wish to thank the neighbors and friends for their splendid help at the fire which destroyed their house.

The Newbury-Mosa W. I. will hold their regular monthly meeting in their rooms at Newbury on Thursday, May 15th. Will all members please make an effort to attend for the election of officers. All ladies welcome.

Beginning May 14, business places in Newbury will close at 12:30 Wednesday of each week.

### CAIRO

Chas. Smith, of Bothwell, called on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Newkirk, of Northwood, visited in this vicinity on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McGugan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John A. Armstrong.

Mrs. Robert Huffman and Mrs. M. D. Smith were Bothwell visitors on Saturday.

### MOSA

The regular meeting of the No. 9 W. I. was held on Thursday, April 24, at the home of Mrs. Neil W. Munroe. There were 25 members and 4 visitors present. The collection amounted to \$4.95, and \$3.80 was realized from the sale of a piece of lace; total, \$8.75. It was unanimously decided to invite Mrs. George Edwards, of Komoka, Dominion president, to be present at our June meeting. The following program was enjoyed: Solo by Miss Agnes McEachern, selection by the No. 9 quartette and recitation by little Gordon Nesbet. At the close lunch was served by the hostess. We would like to see all the members present at the annual meeting, to be held at the home of Mrs. D. C. Gillies on May 29.

No need to suffer with corns, or to run the risk of paring them. Remove them surely and painlessly with Holloway's Corn Remover.

### WARDSVILLE

Miss Ivy Henderson, of London, is spending some time in the village, having her mother's house remodeled.

Wm. Tomlin, of Detroit, visited in Wardsville over the weekend. Mrs. F. Gourley, of Adrian, Mich., is with her sister, Mrs. J. Thomas, for the summer.

Mrs. J. Dewar and children, of Detroit, are visiting Mrs. Charles Morrison.

Mrs. M. Mulligan called on friends in the village last week.

Mr. McDowell has returned home after taking treatment in the hospital at Ann Arbor.

Elmer Bilton, of Detroit, spent the weekend with relatives in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nichols have returned home after spending the winter in Detroit.

Carlisle Bilton, of Detroit, spent the weekend at his home here.

Sunday, May 11th, being Mother's Day, special services will be held in the various churches of the village.

The Wardsville branch of the W. C. T. U. has passed a resolution asking the Government to maintain and enforce the Ontario Temperance Act.

Notice.—Monuments, in Scotch and Canadian granites; inscriptions engraved at your cemetery a specialty. Wardsville Granite & Marble Works; Chas. Mimma, proprietor.

### NORTH EKFRID

Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Musgrave motored to Fingal and spent the weekend with Mrs. Haggerty.

Lizzie Down is visiting at Mount Brydges.

Floyd Webber and Emerson Ramey motored from Windsor last week and called on friends here.

Mrs. Roy Brothers, of Strathroy, is visiting her father, Will Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hardy, of Caradoc, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hardy.

North Ekfrid school has purchased a new tennis net.

Mrs. Foster returned home Friday evening, April 25th, after an extended visit of eight months in Alberta and other parts of the West. She gives a good report of the crops out there last year and says everything is favorable so far for a good crop this year.

Louis Ramey motored from Windsor Saturday night and spent Sunday with his parents.

### WOODGREEN

Mr. Underhill, of Bothwell, spent Sunday at Geo. Scrimshaw's.

The Union Sunday School presented Mrs. Daum with an electric iron prior to her leaving this vicinity. She was a great worker in the Sunday School and will be greatly missed by all.

Mary Beattie, nurse in training at the Children's Hospital, Detroit, is visiting at her home here.

Mother's Day will be observed in the Union Sunday School on May 11. Rev. Mr. Murphy, of Wardsville, will give an address.

### SHETLAND

Miss Grace Bilton is visiting Lambeth and London friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Showers and little son spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bolton.

Miss Florence Simpson, of Chatham, spent the weekend with Mrs. J. T. Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Shortt spent Sunday with Shetland friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray spent Friday with Mrs. James Patterson at Newbury.

Ed. Harold spent Sunday with his mother at Wardsville.

### SKFRID STATION

Miss Frances Wynn has returned to Windsor to resume her duties in one of the schools there.

Born—at Victoria Hospital, London, on Sunday, April 27, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. Neil McLean, a daughter.

Miss Sadie Switzer has returned to London Normal School.

Mrs. W. Webster, of Windsor, spent a few days with friends here last week.

Rural education is one of the live questions of today. Mothers will be particularly interested in the demonstration of school books to be given at the home of Mrs. D. J. McLean on Thursday afternoon, May 8.

Invitation is extended to all the ladies in the section to attend this meeting and to assist in making the demonstration interesting. The hour of meeting is 2 o'clock and all members are requested to be present.

Mother's Day will be observed in S. S. No. 4 schoolhouse on Sunday, May 11, at 2:30 p.m., with Mrs. Wm. Switzer in charge.

Mrs. George West is spending a few days with friends down east.

Mr. and Mrs. Beales motored to St. Thomas to visit friends on Sunday.

### STRATHBURN

D. H. McRae had the front of his gas tank broken off last Thursday night. Mr. McRae, fortunately, was sold out of gas and the robbers were fooled.

David Coulthard received news from the West that his brother, Geo. Coulthard, took a stroke and is not expected to recover.

Mrs. Annabelle McRae, who is in Victoria Hospital, London, in training, took sick last week and is being operated on for appendicitis.

D. H. McRae, Jr., of Detroit, spent a few days at his home here, returning on Sunday.

Pleased to hear that Bert Gould is some better. Miss Alf Gould is the nurse in attendance.

Clare Treastin is able to be around again after his severe illness.

D. H. McRae has re-opened his booth, which has been freshly painted.

Arthur Williams has gone to Michigan to work with Ross McEachern.

Fred Whitfield has visited with D. H. McRae.

Stanley Merritt is hiring at N. Currie's.

A number from here attended the sale at John McAlpine's Monday.

Mr. Sharpe is putting up a garage for Bert Simpson.

Mrs. Christopher McRae, who fell and broke her arm several days ago, is improving nicely.

### MODEL CENTRE

On Friday evening, April 25, the neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Will Eddie gathered at their home to bid them farewell before leaving for their new home in London. During the evening, which was spent in songs, speeches and dancing, the Eddie family were asked to come forward. Miss Margaret Eddie then read an address testifying to the esteem in which they are held in this community and expressing every good wish for their future. Will Graham and James Hawkins made presentation of two lovely oak chairs.

Miss Tena Campbell is able to be around again after her recent operation.

Mrs. Will Graham and Billy are holidaying at Charlie Hurley's.

A number from here attended the anniversary services at Kilmartin.

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### MELBOURNE

Melbourne, May 3.—The Mission Circle of the Methodist church met at the home of Miss Laura Collier today. A splendid program was given and the meeting well attended.

Although the nights have been frosty and the winds cold, we are quite convinced of the fact that spring has come. The robins sing their morning and evening song and during the day are busily engaged in building their nests. Groups of boys and girls may be seen after school playing ball on the streets. Even the adults have caught the spring fever and have organized a baseball team for the coming season and have entered the West Middlesex league.

They have also arranged for the Gilders players of Empress Avenue church, London, to come here on the 12th and give a play in the town hall. Our citizens are much interested in the new ball team and are looking forward to some good games during the summer.

A number of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Squire in honor of Mrs. Gordon Squire (nee Lottie Perry). During the evening the bride was showered with many pretty and useful gifts. Lunch was served and a social evening spent.

Mrs. Robert Parr, of West Lorne, spent a few days here the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Gilbert McLean. The Dutton dramatic club motored to the village Friday and gave their popular play, "Her Gloves," in the town hall, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church. A four-piece orchestra furnished music between the acts. After the play the Presbyterian ladies entertained the guests to supper.

### SOUTH EKFRID

Mr. and Mrs. John Spackman and Mrs. Ashplant, of London, spent Sunday at D. A. Dobie's and D. R. McRae's.

D. H. and Mrs. McRae were Sunday visitors at David Allan's and D. A. Dobie's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Dobson and Miss Elsie Hume, of Detroit, spent the weekend at Dugald McIntyre's.

Miss Grace McIntyre has returned from a visit with her sisters in Detroit.

Dennis McDonnell, who has been spending some time with his brother, T. J. McDonnell, left last week for Birmingham, Mich., in company with R. W. McEachern.

Mrs. T. J. McDonnell and Mrs. James McRae spent Friday at Cowal, the guests of Mrs. Catherine Bennett.

Miss Ada Tanner spent the weekend at her home near Agincourt.

Miss Anna McRae, of Victoria Hospital, London, is at present suffering from an attack of appendicitis. We hope to hear of her speedy recovery.

Seeding is about completed in this district.

James McRae is intending growing a large acreage of tobacco.

Wedding bells are ringing south of Strathburn.

Fishing at the river is very popular just now.

The regular monthly meeting of the U. F. W. O. was held at the home of Mrs. Bert McEachern on Wednesday, April 30th. On account of disagreeable weather the attendance was not as large as usual, but a very interesting meeting was held. Papers were given by Mrs. Roy Squire, Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Bert McEachern. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. D. A. Dobie on Wednesday, May 28.

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### PRATT'S SIDING

On Thursday evening last the many friends and neighbors gathered at the home of John B. Jones in honor of his daughter, Mrs. Walter Parrie. The bride was showered with many dainty and useful gifts, among which was a lovely set of silverware from the Book Club. A program was given and euchre played, after which lunch was served.

Miss Jennie Reyrcraft is improving nicely from her illness.

The regular monthly meeting of the Book Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Isaac Walker on Friday evening, May 16th, instead of 14th, as was announced.

### CAIRO

Mrs. George Smoke is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Macaulay.

Mrs. Claude Stafford, of Detroit, is spending a couple of weeks at the home of Mrs. Will Stafford.

Miss Jean Armstrong, of Detroit, is visiting at her home here.

John Armstrong spent a few days in Chatham last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McPhail, of Bothwell, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hands.

Russell Smith and Mrs. Will Hillman spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Longley.

Many mothers can testify to the virtue of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, because they know from experience how useful it is.

### APPIN

The Y. P. S. held a very interesting meeting last Sunday evening in the Presbyterian church. Two topics were given, namely—"The Temptations of Christ" and "The Christian in the Home." Both were well handled by the committee in charge. A duet was rendered by the Bardwell brothers in a pleasing manner. The attendance was good.

Mother's Day will be observed next Sunday in the Presbyterian church. It is also "Go-to-Sunday-School" Day. Miss Gladys Congdon has returned to Leamington after spending some time at her home here.

Russell Congdon has returned to Detroit after spending the week-end at his home.

The play "His Uncle's Niece" was well put on by Alvinston young people in the town hall last Wednesday evening. All the parts were well taken, and the play was greatly enjoyed by the audience.

### KILMARTIN

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed in Burns' church next Sunday morning. Preparatory services will be held on Friday evening.

D. N. Munroe, of Toronto, spent the week-end here and is having his furniture shipped. He will be accompanied back by his mother, Mrs. M. C. Munroe.

Dr. Fraser Smith and Grant, of Blenheim, spent a few days with friends while attending the 80th anniversary of Burns' church.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Leitch and family spent Sunday in Rodney.

The proceeds from the anniversary supper and entertainment amounted to \$300.

Mrs. Rebecca McAlpine, of Sarnia, was renewing old acquaintances around here last week.

Capt. Dan McDougall, of Detroit, is visiting friends here and we are glad to say he is much improved after a serious operation.

The next meeting of the Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. Marion Walker on Wednesday, May 14th.

Rev. W. A. and Mrs. Leitch and daughter Bernice, of Kintyre, spent a few days with friends here.

BY HECK, I'M READY FOR A FULL DAY'S WORK

Down on the farm 'bout half past 11 slip on my pants and sneak out the door.

Out to the yard I run like the dickens To milk ten cows and feed the chickens.

Clean out the barn, curry Nance and Jiggs.

Separate the cream and slop all the pigs.

Work two hours and then eat like a Turk.

And by heck, I'm ready for a full day's work.

Then grease the wagon and put on the rack.

Throw a jug of water in an old grain sack.

Hitch up the horses, hustle down the lane;

Must get in the hay for it looks like rain.

But look over yonder, sure as I am born,

Cattle's on the rampage, cows are in the corn;

Start across the medder, run a mile or two,

Heavin' like I'm wigd broke and get wet clean through;

With my joints all a-squeakin' and muscles in a jerk,

I'm fit as a fiddle for a full day's work.

Soon get to pitchin' the hay on the rack.

Lightning gets to flashing, thunder gives a crack,

Clouds roll up, black across the dell, Starts in raining and it rains like hell,

I don't care, don't even frown, Rest fixing the fence while the rain comes down;

Just get to resting, then for recom-pense

Nance got straddle the barbed wire fence;

Clothes all wet, so slip off my shirt, And by heck, I'm ready for a full day's work.

Work all summer till winter is nigh, Then I figure up the books and heave a sigh;

Work all year, didn't make a thing, And I've less money now than I had last spring.

Now, some people say that there ain't no hell,

But they never farmed, so they can't tell.

When spring rolls 'round I'll take another chance,

While the fringe grows longer on my pants,

Give my 'spenders a hitch, belt another jerk,

And by heck, I'm ready for a full year's work.

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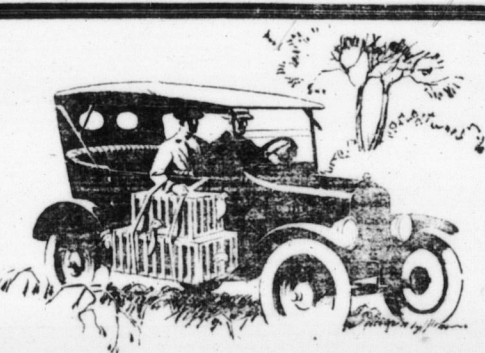
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