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This issue contains many bargain offerings. Don't miss them.

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HAY FOR SALE

For sale—about seven tons of timothy hay, also four bushels of alsike clover seed. If the hay is taken away and paid for by the 25th of February the price will be made right.—Geo. F. Anderson, Shields, Ont.

FOR SALE

Dwelling house on Victoria street in the village of Glencoe belonging to the estate of the late Jennie Hacker. This is a comfortable frame cottage in first-class repair and with modern conveniences installed. Offers for sale will be received by Miss M. H. Saxton, or Elliott & Moss, Solicitors, Glencoe, Ontario.

JANITOR WANTED

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Wednesday, Mar. 1st, for the janitor work of Kilmartin church.—Andrew Douglas, Route 2, Glencoe.

FOR SALE

Registered oats, O.A.C. 72, first in field crop competition, 1921; O.A.C. 23 seed barley, and building 16 x 25, nearly new.—A. B. McDonald, Glencoe.

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The C. E. Nourse Company wish to announce that they have purchased the flour and feed and other business connected therewith from Bruce McAlpine, and are prepared to give their best attention to the wants of the community in their line. The business will be conducted on a strictly cash basis. They are also prepared to buy all kinds of grain, paying the best market prices.
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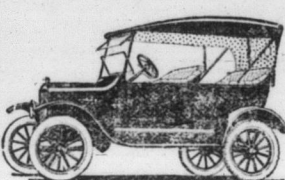
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CENTRAL GARAGE

THE QUESTION OF DEPRECIATION

YOU cannot afford to overlook the question of depreciation when buying a car, because the time will come when you will either sell the car you have bought or turn it on a new car. The loss you will have to take will depend on your choice now.



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"Yes, people wonder at my success in being able to increase sales, but there is really no secret to it. One night when my business was at its worst, in a heart-to-heart talk with myself I worked out these facts:—

"It has always been easy to do business with my neighbors, because I could meet them and talk to them. They like to do business with people they know. The only trouble is, the world has grown so large it's hard to meet and be friendly with a lot of people.

"Well, is it?" I asked myself. "If I can make good friends and good customers by meeting them, why can't I meet them and talk to them over the telephone?"

"The next day was Wednesday. Wednesday afternoon is a good time to telephone—the wires are not so busy, and after lunch most folks feel friendly. I called up by Long Distance three men I've long wanted to sell—men who have never been in my store, introduced myself in an easy friendly fashion, and offered them some real bargains. Say, do you know, two of these men came in to see me the next day and bought a good bill? They're good friends of mine now. I've got over 60 new customers like that in a short time.

"Just being neighborly is the secret of building up business. At some time or other I manage to telephone nearly every customer we've got. Does them good. Does me good. Personal solicitation is still the one best way of making a sale."



DISTRICT AND GENERAL

The Home Bank of Canada has opened a branch at Mount Brydges. L. D. Nolan is manager.

Gannaque high school has installed the necessary appliance for the teaching of wireless.

Petrola council set aside \$3,000 out of the general funds for the purpose of a soldiers' monument.

The Newcastle Independent is the latest weekly newspaper to go out of business, having been absorbed by the Bowmanville Statesman.

Further strength in Canadian exchange on Thursday made Canadian dollars worth .9625 cents, the highest price in more than two years.

James Drury of Norwood, over 90 years old, cut his winter's supply of wood in the bush this winter and walked three miles each day to his source of supply.

Last year's tobacco crop in the Duart district has been sold at prices ranging from 17c to 20c a pound. The average last year was only about one-half of that in 1920.

Scarlet fever has been epidemic in the Duart district. Five families were under quarantine, and schools and churches were closed. It is expected the quarantine will be raised this week.

Good hardwood is selling at Park hill for \$4.50 a cord and lighter wood is being offered as low as \$3 a cord. The length of the wood is not stated, but no doubt it is stovewood length, 16 to 18 inches.

Mrs. George H. Small has been appointed a member of the library board at St. Thomas. She has also been made a member of the house committee and of the children's library department.

The death occurred at the family residence, concession 1, Aldborough, Friday afternoon, of Mrs. Harriet Johnson, aged 80 years and 7 months, after a few days' illness with pneumonia. Mrs. Johnson was a native of Glengary county, and came to Aldborough over 60 years ago.

The death of Joshua C. Kellor, on Sunday, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. Welch, Dutton, removed an old resident of the district. Mr. Kellor had just passed on of his breakfast, and while sitting on a lounge he was seized with a fainting spell and death ensued in a few moments.

West Middlesex Liberals held an organization meeting at Mount Brydges on Thursday. Samuel Sutherland, of Delaware, was chairman. Delegates appointed to the provincial convention were: Chas. Macfie, Appin; J. A. McGugan, Lebo; Dr. J. G. Bice, Delaware; Robert Campbell, Metcalfe.

There is a big demand for farm laborers in Kent county, and the employment bureau is unable to supply the demand. Orders for men are being received every day and the positions being offered are in large number of cases very attractive. The wages range from \$10 to \$40 a month and board.

The merger of the Merchants Bank with the Bank of Montreal will not come before the Government for some weeks yet. The sale has been ratified by the shareholders of both institutions, but to give effect to it, the approval of the Treasury Board, a sub-committee of the Cabinet and the Government itself will be necessary.

The funeral of Mrs. Rachel Waddell, wife of Elijah Waddell, Muncy of the Thames Band, held Friday, with service at Halfmoon's Methodist church, Lower Chalmers, was attended by a large company of sympathetic friends. Deceased leaves her husband, one daughter, and one adopted son, James, a returned soldier.

Vandalism from his home near Tyrecomel while temporarily deranged, Ernest Robson, aged 25, ventured out on the thin ice of Lake Erie and was either drowned or died of exposure on a drifting floe. Young Robson, who was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Robson, townline of Aldborough and Dunwich, had not been in good health since an operation some time ago.

At the annual meeting of the Forest Library Board the following resolution was placed on the books:—Resolved that whereas the councils of Bosanquet, Warwick and Plympton had refused to give the library any financial assistance, we raise the price of tickets of township patrons to fifty cents, which will put them more on a par with the townspeople, who are required to pay fifty cents per capita on the entire population in taxes to maintain the library. Same to be in effect at once.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Special services on Sunday, March 5th. The Rev. D. N. Abhyankar, converted Indian Brahmin of the Church Missionary Society, formerly a member of the highest Indian religious caste, will preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., and at 3 p.m. he will address the ladies' societies, exhibiting idols, etc. Everybody welcome (men, women and children). A collection. No entrance charge.

FARM IMPLEMENTS CHEAPER

Prices of agricultural implements will be lower by 40 per cent. than last year. Tractors that sold at \$1,450 last year are now quoted at \$820, with a gang plow thrown in that itself was quoted at \$225. In some cases tractors are quoted at 58 per cent. below last year's prices.

DIAMOND WEDDING

Appin, Feb. 21.—On Tuesday evening, Feb. 14th, a happy event was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McMaster, it being the 60th anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Woollocks. The occasion was also a reception for Mr. McMaster, one of the grand children, and his bride, from Sarria. At seven o'clock the guests, numbering about forty, sat down to a sumptuous wedding dinner. The tables were gay with spring flowers, and the many candles shed their soft light over all, making a most pleasing effect. Afterwards the Laughton orchestra furnished music and a very pleasant social evening was spent, during which a program of speeches and music was given. Congratulations from friends and different branches of the Appin Methodist church, of which Mr. and Mrs. Woollocks are members, were tendered to them.

The bride and groom of sixty years were the recipients of many gifts, among which was a handsome brass bed from their children and grandchildren. After the presentation Mr. Woollocks made a suitable reply, thanking them all, and narrated many of their experiences in the pioneer days, contrasting the present occasion with their wedding 60 years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Woollocks were both born in Middlesex county, where they have resided all their lives. The guests present included their three daughters—Mrs. John Henry, Glencoe; Mrs. Ed. Laughon, Appin; and Mrs. John McMaster, Appin; also ten grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

The best wishes of a large circle of friends and neighbors are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Woollocks for many more years of married happiness.

CHURCH AND COMMUNITY

Beginning March 10, and covering a period of two weeks, "Church and Community Conferences" will be held throughout the Presbytery of London, the object of which is the increased efficiency of the churches and the furtherance of the spiritual aims of the Forward Movement. Special speakers for the campaign have been obtained, including Frank Veigh, Publicity Secretary for Canada; Dr. W. G. Wallace, Forward Movement Secretary, and Rev. Dr. Colin Young, superintendent of work among Anglo-Saxons.

For the purposes of the campaign the Presbytery has been divided into ten districts.

SCOTTISH FARMERS COMING

This southwestern part of Ontario will have an opportunity shortly of receiving a number of selected farm workers. They are the beginning of a movement to Canada from the north of Scotland of men who have worked on farms all their lives. They are hard workers. They come from the western parts of Inverness-shire, where men must work hard to live.

Farmers of Kent and Essex counties will have first chance of getting these men to work for them. There are about one hundred and fifty men coming this year, of whom about fifty are married men; some with large families, the members of which may in many instances be profitably employed; others with small and young families, and a few married men with no family.

As these men desire to settle in Ontario, and in time have farms of their own, they are keen and determined to make good. They will find farming methods somewhat different from those they have been accustomed to, but as they are experienced farm workers they will soon note differences and act accordingly. They are expected to arrive in this country about the 20th of March.

BRAVERY RECOGNIZED

Glencoe, Feb. 16th, 1922.
Mr. Thomas Haggit, Glencoe, Ont.

Dear Sir:—Whereas our village has recently been visited by fire that has not only destroyed a humble dwelling but has taken the life of a citizen;

And whereas you, being first to discover the body of the unfortunate victim, did not shrink from your duty but fearlessly entered the burning cottage and recovered the remains from the fire.

Therefore we, the reeve and councillors of the village of Glencoe, wish to express our recognition of the heroism and bravery displayed by you in rescuing the remains of the late Mrs. Agnes Hyndman as her humble dwelling was being destroyed by fire.

Signed on behalf of the Glencoe council.

Charles George, Clerk.
Allan McPherson, Reeve.

SOME FINAL CLEARING LINES FOR SATURDAY'S SALE AT J. N. CURRIE & CO'S

Men's underwear, heavy weight, wool rib, reg. \$1.75, for 98c. Men's Penman's best fleeces underwear, reg. \$1, for 40c. Men's heavy bib overalls, black and grey, reg. \$2.25, for \$1.39. Men's winter caps, inner bands, reg. \$2, for 60c. Boys' winter caps, inner bands, reg. \$1.50, for 90c. 200 yds. heavy wide flannellette, reg. 35c, for 19c. 300 yds. heavy wide flannellette, reg. 25c, for 16c. Other lines at tremendous reductions.

IS SEEKING DAMAGES FOR MISTAKEN ARREST

An echo of the arrest and conviction of the two pickpockets, Joseph Conway and H. Clarke, at Port Stanley last summer, is to be heard at the Spring Assizes in London when Wm. McRae of Glencoe will seek damages to the extent of \$5,000 of Leslie Thompson of Nissouri township, Oxford county, late of London, on the ground that Thompson was responsible for his arrest on a false charge of being implicated in the theft of Mr. Thompson's roll.

Mr. Thompson's pockets were picked of \$60 at Port Stanley on Dominion Day, and when he reported his loss, Mr. McRae, who was standing near, is alleged to have remarked: "You're lucky you didn't lose your wife."

Mr. McRae was later arrested on suspicion by Harry Phillips, late chief of the Port Stanley police force, but the charge preferred against him was dismissed by County Police Magistrate Hunt on July 6, as Mr. McRae submitted conclusive proof that he was in no way connected with the offense.

Mr. Thompson has engaged a St. Thomas barrister to defend him at the trial.

STRATFORD BEATS GLENCOE

Stratford seniors defeated Glencoe by the score of 7 to 6 in the first of the home-and-home series in the second round of the Northern Hockey League at the Carman Arena here Friday night.

Morenz, Carson and Kelterborne played remarkably fast; hockey for Stratford, exhibiting combination work which was a treat to witness. Davenport and Willis played fast hockey for the home team.

The game was clean throughout, and Referee Wade of Woodstock only handed out one penalty. The teams: Glencoe—Leask, goal; Willis and Davenport, defense; Weaver, center; Alfred and Wall, wings; Apleck, sub. Stratford—Norfolk, goal; Berger and Richards, defense; Morenz, center; Kelterborne and Carson, wings; Tripps, sub.

The return match was played at Stratford on Tuesday night, when the score was 12 to 1 in favor of Stratford. Thus Stratford wins the round by 12 goals.

Don't miss Lamont's sale of harness and harness parts on Saturday, Feb. 25th. Brass-trimmed team breeching harness, 12 1/2 yds. traces; brass ball harness, no better harness made, for \$61.50; back band harness, made same as above, for \$44.50; best 1-inch team lines, with snaps, \$5.75; team bridles, \$8.50; breast straps and martingales, 95c each; best sweat pads, 65c each; best team collars, \$4.50 each; good single harness, \$20 and \$25 a set. These prices are for Saturday only.

GLENCOE COUNCIL

The regular meeting of the Glencoe council was held in the council chamber on Wednesday, Feb. 15, with all the members present. The minutes of the last regular meeting and of the special meetings were read, approved and signed.

On motion of Messrs. Parrott and Davidson it was agreed to accept the petition signed by R. M. McPherson, A. E. Sutherland and others for certain drain or drains, and to instruct the engineer to make survey and prepare a report on same.

It was moved by C. E. Davidson, seconded by P. E. Lumley, and carried, that the council purchase 200 feet of hose for the fire engine from the Dunlop Tire and Rubber Co., at \$1.50 per foot, less 10c per foot allowance for couplings and 2 per cent. cash discount.

On motion of Messrs. McCracken and Lumley it was agreed to re-engage J. B. Henry as townsman for the year 1922 (engagement to end Dec. 31).

By-law No. 287, appointing the municipal officers for the village for 1922, received its three readings and was finally passed.

On motion of Messrs. Lumley and Parrott, clerk was instructed to draft a letter to Mr. Thos. Haggit in recognition of bravery displayed by him in rescuing the remains of the late Mrs. Hyndman as her dwelling was being destroyed by fire.

On motion of Messrs. Davidson and McCracken the clerk was instructed to write the G.T.R. in respect to opening a railway crossing on Elizabeth street.

On motion of Messrs. Parrott and Lumley the following accounts were ordered paid:—James Poole, Insurance premiums, \$63.75; A. B. McDonald, insurance premium, \$30; J. B. Henry, salary for January, \$100; W. B. Mulligan, electrical repairs and supplies, \$26.80; James M. Anderson, balance due on furnace, \$179.60; C. George, by-law book, \$2.50; James Wright & Son, paint, bolts, etc., for town hall, \$28.78; Chas. Chapman Co., binding assessment roll, \$2.50; John McFarlane, painting sign, \$2; Russell Haggit, moving sand and stone, \$3; Wm. McRae, work, \$1; D. Lamont, leather for fire engine, \$2; McPherson & Clarke, supplies, \$38.27.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

On St. Patrick's night, the 17th of March, in the basement of the church, under the auspices of the A. Y. P. A. and the choir, a concert and social will be given. Good program. Reserve this date.

RECKLESS DRIVING CHARGED

Arthur Callier of Windsor was taken in charge by provincial officers in that city Wednesday and brought to Glencoe Thursday morning by Provincial Officer Arthur Palmer, charged with reckless driving as a result of an accident at Battle Hill on the Longwoods road a few weeks ago. Clara Trestain and L. D. Siddall were seriously injured and their horse killed when a motor car, alleged to have been driven by Callier, struck the buggy in which they were driving.

According to Palmer, Trestain and Siddall were driving home at 1 o'clock in the morning and were almost at the summit of the hill when a big motor car shot into view over the brow of the hill when a big motor car shot into view over the brow of the hill and crashed into the buggy with terrific force. The horse was instantly killed, and the men thrown into the ditch, the injuries to Trestain proving to be of a very serious nature.

Callier was brought before Magistrate McKenzie Thursday morning and was bailed in the sum of \$2,000 to appear in court on February 24th at Glencoe.

The case is set for hearing at 2.30 o'clock.

SCHOOL PROBLEMS DISCUSSED

A correspondent writes:—To correct a wrong impression left by a report published regarding the convention held in the Normal school, London, on Feb. 10th and 11th, I wish to point out that the convention was held under the direction of the Trustees and Ratepayers' Associations of Middlesex. Efforts have heretofore been made to hold local meetings for the discussion of school problems in which trustees and ratepayers have a vital interest, but with only limited attendance and success. The county gathering proved a great success, although only an experiment, about 250 or 300 persons from all parts of the county being present. Continuation work, consolidation, agricultural teaching and various phases of the educational problem came up for discussion. A committee was named to ascertain the meaning of certain legislation relative to the organization of county high and continuation school boards and the attitude of the present existing boards and the county council thereto.

Further meetings of the association will be held to endeavor to ascertain and put into form some of the opinions of the ratepayers and trustees, and influence legislation in such a way as best to further the interests of rural education.

PRESENTATION

On Friday evening, Feb. 10, friends to the number of 65 gathered at the home of the Misses McLean, Model Centre, Elfrid. Dan A. McCallum, ex-reeve of Elfrid, was asked to occupy the chair, and in a few well-chosen words introduced a good musical program given by Mr. and Mrs. Fred McGill, the Misses Sutton, Mrs. Hartley, Archie McFarlane and Dan Leitch. Impromptu speeches were given by David F. Eddie and Archie Leitch, and an address was read by Mrs. David F. Eddie to the Misses McLean—Catharine, Margaret and Mary—expressing the loss which was felt at their coming removal from the neighborhood.

The address stated in part:—"In our social, educational and Sunday School work we will especially miss your help and zeal. We know that the sterling qualities and the merits which have endeared you to us will obtain for you many warm friends wherever you go. Still, we wish to assure you that to none of your friends will your prosperity and happiness afford more genuine satisfaction than to your associates in this community."

A sum of money accompanied the address, which was signed on behalf of the friends by Peter W. Munroe, T. J. Devlin, Wm. R. Eddie and David F. Eddie.

Miss Margaret made a suitable reply, thanking the friends for their kindness to their entire family and extending a welcome to any who could call on them in their new home. Refreshments were served and the evening concluded by singing "Auld Lang Syne."

"FANCHON, THE CRICKET"

On the evening of Wednesday, March 8th, the Appin Community Players will present at the Town Hall, Appin, a quaint drama of French peasant life of a century ago entitled "Fanchon, the Cricket," being a dramatization by Aug. Weldon of George Sands' delightful story. The play depicts the life of the French peasants of the hamlets of that period and tells the life story of Fanchon Viveaux, an orphan girl, who, reared by her grandmother, a reputed witch, is also looked upon by the villagers as a witch and treated with the scorn and contempt which was characteristic of that time. By her cheerful demeanor and irreproachable behavior she eventually wins the friendship of all, including the father of the young man who loved her when all others scorned her. There are sixteen people in the cast, and special costumes, scenery and properties have been secured for an adequate presentation of the play.

One of the most noteworthy features in connection with Fanchon is the large number of men and women who have reported an astonishingly rapid increase in weight as a result of its use.—P. E. Lumley.

Soils and Crops

Address communications to Agronomist, 73 Adelaide St. West, Toronto.

Deadly Germs Breed in Filth.

We want every reader of this column to recognize the danger of fifth-germ infection and adopt measures for the protection of animals. Similar precautions should be taken to prevent infection of wounds on man, for many a death occurs from blood-poisoning and tetanus (lockjaw) that might readily be prevented by prompt cleansing and disinfection of the wounded part.

A mischievous germ known as "Bacillus necrophorus" is present in all places contaminated by hog manure. This germ is the cause of canker of the mouth in little pigs; bullnose or snuffles, which distorts the bones of the snouts of swine and causes difficult, loud breathing in those animals, an intestinal disease akin to hog cholera and known by veterinarians as necrotic stomatitis, and the skin disease termed necrotic dermatitis of hogs.

This bacillus also causes the worst form of foot-rot in sheep and cattle; causes the tails of pigs and calves to drop off; makes black, scabby sores on the lips and legs of sheep; infects the hoof-heads of horses, causing the most severe form of boils or furunculosis. Then, too, it may invade little abrasions or lacerations of the teats of the cow, sow or ewe, and induce a serious condition that is difficult to cure, or even ruin the parts invaded. To prevent diseases due to these germs, stock barns must be kept clean, sunny and perfectly ventilated, for all germs hate cleanliness, sunshine and oxygen; indeed, germs are killed quickly by the direct rays of the sun and by free action of the oxygen of fresh air; cheap remedies, surely. Dirty teats cause mouth canker in new-born pigs. Navels may also become invaded by germs and pus abscesses result. Feed must come from clean troughs and other utensils. Hogs fed ear-corn from dirt-covered yards contract necrotic enteritis, and getting the infected fifth upon their bodies develop necrotic dermatitis, which causes sores and makes patches of skin slough off. The old filthy hog-wallow is a fertile source of such diseases.

Sheep wound their lips and muzzles eating dry or frozen corn-stover, then the Bacillus necrophorus gets in its work and causes sores.

All feeding-floors, pens and yards used by livestock on farms should, where possible, be made of concrete, so that they can be kept clean.

Test Every Egg Before Setting.

If there is one rule above all others to be followed in hatching, it is this: Test every egg before setting. Set only the eggs that are clear when held in front of the tester. Thirty-six hours after the eggs are put under the hens, test out all infertile eggs which look fresh.

It is not hard to tell which eggs are fertile and which are infertile. A yolk will show in the fertile egg, but

it will look somewhat separated and to one side, and will resemble a half-moon in shape, though not distinctly. If you can see a yolk when you roll the egg in front of the tester lens, this egg is fertile and will probably hatch.

In a thin, white-shelled egg, such as a Leghorn egg, you can sometimes see a yolk in a fresh egg, but there will be a change after the eggs have been under the hen or in the incubator for a few days. If a thermometer is laid on the eggs in the incubator, the fertile eggs will have a higher temperature than the infertile ones. It takes more heat for infertile eggs, and if enough heat is applied to bring them up to the required temperature, the fertile eggs will be overheated. Hence the importance of testing out infertiles (which are cold eggs) at an early date. An infertile egg is not hurt by three days of incubation, but a fertile egg is spoiled for food purposes at this stage.

Set two or three hens at the same time you start the incubator, and as the infertiles are tested out of the trays, replace them with fertile eggs from under the hens. Trays should always be kept full of eggs.

In ten days test again, taking out all spoiled eggs, dead or weak germs, and replacing again with good eggs from under the hens. If in ten days the germ does not move freely in the shell of a warm egg, it is too weak to be saved, and will never live to hatch. Full trays of strong, live eggs will hatch strong chicks that, barring an accident, will live. It is a waste of time to care for an incubator one-half or one-third full of good eggs for three weeks (the rest being unhatchable). In the end there will be trays full of spoiled eggs, chicks dead in the shell, just pipped or half out; those that hatch may seem all right, but begin dying in two or three days with bowel trouble, for which the incubator is not to blame. The trouble comes from spoiled eggs left in the incubator. These eggs throw off a poisonous gas, destroying and weakening good eggs. There are often half-developed chicks which die in the shell. If not tested out, a single egg will poison an entire hatch.

To detect a dead chick, look for the red veins running from the germ to the different parts of the egg; if only a black blotch is seen, without red blood veins, it indicates a dead chick. In an egg subjected to ten days or two weeks incubation, a dead chick looks like what it is—a big, black, lifeless body in the shell, when seen through the lens in the tester.

If the unhatchable eggs are tested out carefully with a tester which reports correctly, and the temperature kept between 103 and 104 deg., very few chicks will die in the shell at pipping time, and there will be no bowel trouble among the flock. That impure eggs left in the incubator will poison the good eggs, I have learned by actual experience, and almost all

incubator people will bear me out in this assertion. With a good egg-tester the chick can be seen to move around in the shell, like a fish in water, after seven or eight days of incubation, provided the germs are strong enough to be saved. If the egg is warm and the germ does not move freely, reject it; the egg will never hatch.

Were these directions carried out, two incubators would be sold where one is sold to-day, as the only objections to the incubator would be removed, these objections being: Chicks die in the shell at pipping time, and of bowel trouble after hatching, which often takes the entire flock.

A little practice and experimenting will enable one to test out all infertile eggs in thirty-six hours after the egg reaches the temperature of 103 deg. Have a good egg-tester, with a magnifying lens attachment, which can be used in daylight. A pasteboard box with holes in it and a coal-oil lamp, which must be used in a dark, hot room, are only an excuse, as this tester does only part of the work necessary to a successful hatch.

People will never know what the modern incubator can do until they attend more carefully to this important feature of testing the eggs, in a reliable way. They will never be successful in hatching and raising strong incubator chicks, unless more stress is put on keeping the trays full of good eggs, during incubation. A poor hatch means poor chickens, which, if grown to maturity, will be unprofitable.

Choose

There are many ways of destroying the lice which are sure to be present wherever hogs are, unless some effective measure is adopted to prevent. We used to think that if we could once eliminate them entirely we would be free from them ever after but the job of eliminating is still going on. I sometimes thing they may be a blessing in disguise, for in the process of destroying or preventing them, the hog's body and his bed gets a renovating that, in the absence of such an instigator, might be neglected. It matters little the method one uses, just so he gets the lice. I have tried the dipping tank, and found it effective but almost impossible to get the hogs through it after the first experience. I have seen dozens of patent hog oilers in operation, and where one of them has been giving service the other eleven have been dry. Some people fix a rubbing post and wrap it with gunny sacks which are saturated from time to time with dip or oil. I find an ordinary watering pot with the holes in the nozzle enlarged with a small nail, and a can of good coal tar dip handy to the water supply about the easiest and surest method. One can do a thorough job in a good-sized herd of hogs in less time and with less effort than it would take to put one willful pig into the dip tank, or clean up and reload one patent hog oiler. I like to go over the shoats while at the trough, or in a close pen. The big heavy hogs will flop down to rub themselves when the dip begins to bite and give one a good opportunity to do a thorough job.

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The Tobacco of Quality

1/2 LB. TINS-and in p'kgs.

Maple Sugar and Syrup Profits

A Properly Handled "Sugar Bush" Will Pay Good Dividends.

BY E. A. WILLIAMS.

The making of maple sugar and syrup has become but a memory to too many farmers where wood lots have given place to cultivated fields and pastures. Upon hundreds of farms are found the best kind of a sugar bush, yet the farmer is not equipped to collect nature's liquid sunshine and convert it into one of the most delicious market products for which there is an unanswerable demand at profitable prices. This, too, in view of the fact that one season's good run would pay for the outfit, leaving a dozen years' clear profit for the future.

On many farms the sugar bush is simply the woodlot that has been preserved to supply fuel for the household, to afford a bit of beauty and shelter in the midst of a windswept country and to provide an annual crop of sugar and syrup to be used as a delicacy or sold to regular customers at a high price. Such bushes usually contain trees of several varieties, but the maples are the last to be taken.

It is not from these small mixed groves that the great marketable supply is secured, but rather from the more rugged areas where the pines and the harvesters are not so easily operated. The groves as found in the principal sugar sections are chiefly maple trees, the other kinds having been removed for fuel or for the saw. This is the condition that obtains in many sections.

Big Leaf Surface Necessary.

The production of sap of a sugar-making quality depends on a large leaf area. From this it follows that the number of trees per acre must be consistent with the greatest crown development of each tree in the grove. A maple tree, which is a forest species, growing under this condition will produce a good length of trunk and this is necessary to a productive yield because the elaborated sugar is stored in the trunk of the tree for use during the next season; thus the trunk becomes a storage tank. The typical tree for sugar making is a tree with ample root system to supply an abundant amount of crude sap; a broad, spreading top with big leaf surface to elaborate the sap and a big, long body in which the sap may be stored.

A sugar grove requires some attention to keep it in good condition. Apart from the maintaining of roads, thinning out may be necessary from time to time. In a usual mixture the trees of species other than maple may be gradually removed and the reproduction of the maple encouraged. In making such a thinning, the work should be done gradually, the trees which crowd the best maples being taken out first, a few trees from a place at a time so as not to expose the largest maples to danger from wind storms. If the maples themselves stand too thickly those with small crowns or unsoundness should be removed. The promising saplings should be given every opportunity for growth.

More Valuable as Sap Producer. Unfortunately the stripping of even our rocky lands of their trees has gone to an unprofitable degree. A maple tree that will cut two cords of wood is worth on the stump for that purpose about \$6 at the present price of wood. The annual interest on this sum is thirty cents. The tree left to grow into considerable value for itself will yield an average of three pounds of sugar worth anywhere from forty cents to \$1, according to the intelligence of the maker. To clear off the maple timber from stony land unsuitable for farming purposes is like killing the goose that lays the golden egg.

Sap as it comes from the maple tree is a very dilute solution containing from ninety-five to ninety-eight per cent. of water and about three per cent. of sugar and small quantities of mineral constituents. The making of maple syrup or sugar consists primarily of "boiling out" the water and skimming off the foreign matter. To make a good sugar or syrup it is necessary, therefore, to have an equipment which will allow for the least

possible contamination of the product in all stages of manufacture. Not only must thorough cleanliness be observed but transformation of the new sap to the finished product must be direct and as speedy as possible.

The sugar house of a modern plant is not only for making and putting up the products but also for storing buckets, pails, spouts and other equipment from one season to the next. One farmer with a one-thousand-tree bush has a very satisfactory house. This is forty-two feet long by thirty feet wide. The walls are built of board siding and painted; the floor is of cement and the ceiling of shingles wood. It has a lean-to twelve feet wide on the east side for protecting the storage tank. It is built on sloping ground so that the gathering tank empties by gravitation into the storage tank and from there into the evaporator.

Cover Your Buckets.

At the beginning of the season all the sugar utensils should be cleaned even though they were well washed, dried and stacked away at the close of the season previous for the dust which collected during the year would damage the first run. Having distributed the buckets and spouts, the tapping is started. The sap is forced out by internal pressure, and a very small opening will relieve that pressure, causing the sap to flow as rapidly as from the larger opening. The three-eighths, seven-sixteenths and half-inch bits are used. The hole is bored in slightly upward about one or one-half inches in the medium-sized tree, and two inches in the large tree. The point of tapping should be about thirty inches above the ground where the bark has a healthy look.

We still find farmers who do not think that it pays to cover their sap buckets. But one neighborhood had such a good illustration of the value of covers recently, that nearly all the sugar makers there now have them. A heavy rain storm came on and a man with a thousand trees tapped, buckets covered, was able to make six hundred pounds of sugar, while across the line fence, the next farmer, without covers, passed through his bush and emptied the sappy water out.

Bulk in Green Food Necessary. Green food cannot be given to the poultry in the form of tablets dissolved in water. The value of the green food consists in its bulky nature and such material is needed to mix with the more concentrated feed. Just as human beings need vegetables such as celery, beets and onions, the hens do better if they have mangels, cabbages and clover to go with their grain ration and beef scrap. Certain chemical elements of the green food might be in the tablets but the bulk is not there.

Twenty or thirty minutes of drying is usually enough to make Bordeaux stick to the trees, even in the rainiest weather. Don't let the prospect of rain delay spraying. Only actual rain should stop it.

Feeding mares in foal: I give feeds rich in mineral matter. Oats, bran, clover and alfalfa, are to be preferred. A grain ration may consist of five parts ground oats, four parts wheat bran, and one part linseed-meal, with bright clover or alfalfa hay for roughage. I find the above formula a good one and believe it will bring good results when fed in the way just mentioned.—M. B.

THE CHILDREN'S HOUR

Honesty Wins.

At School of the Woods a great competition was in full swing. The head teacher, Miss Browne, had, one month previous, received a letter from Sir Stephen Langton stating that the best composition written on "A Bird's Life" would be rewarded with \$500 and a gold medal. Of all the girls, Roseleen Monarch was the most excited, for composition was her hobby. Immediately the girls set to work with great energy.

The rules were few, but strict. Each girl must not get help from another. Each competitor must every night keep her composition in her desk, securely locked.

Roseleen at once hunted up books on the subject. Her intimate friend, Lenore Gray, found it hard to keep from dropping hints of what her essay contained.

Roseleen's and Lenore's only enemy in the school was a sneaky, shy girl about one year older than the two. She was Rose Green, who hated Roseleen for her riches, pretty clothes, and because she was the school's favorite. Lenore was disliked by Rose because she was Roseleen's bosom friend.

It was the day before "Competition Day." Roseleen went to her desk in the schoolroom, locked up her composition and went away after exchanging a few words with Miss Browne, who was busily piling books inside of the schoolroom cupboard.

A few minutes after she left, the lean face of Rose peeped in the door. She glanced hastily around and, as Miss Browne was inside the roomy cupboard, completely hidden, gave a sigh of relief. Immediately she went to Roseleen's desk, unlocked it with a duplicate key, took out the precious essay, and soon had copied it all out in an old work book. Miss Browne had seen it all and she gave a gasp of amazement. At first she decided to tell her assistant and get advice, but on second thought she knew it would be wise to keep the news to herself until after Rose's competition had been read next day.

Next day dawned bright and clear. Only a few lazy, fluffy clouds hung over the surface of the sapphire sky. At half past two the compositions were to be read before an assembled crowd. Soon after two o'clock Roseleen, wearing a dainty, simple muslin dress, went arm in arm with Lenore down to the auditorium. Then Miss Browne rang the bell and the first girl called read her essay. All this time, Rose, in the waiting room, was copying down and adding to her notes as the other girls read. When Roseleen read the applause was great. She went blushing down the aisle to where Lenore was sitting. Then she whispered to Lenore: "Oh, I hope I get the money. Jinie, the gardener's daughter, is almost blind and the \$500 will just cover the cost for an operation."

Then came Rose's turn and the applause was deafening. She cast a triumphant glance at Roseleen, who smiled back in congratulation. Of course the people expected Rose to get the prize, but just then Miss Browne in a clear voice called order. She told of what she had seen and the audience murmured against the sneak.

The prize was then given to Roseleen and the cheers, circled, echoed and re-echoed through the room for her.

Meanwhile Rose was hastily taken from the school by an angry and indignant mother and was seen no more at School of the Woods.

Two weeks later Jinie was taken to a specialist, the operation performed, and she recovered her sight, much to the joy of Roseleen.

"Oh, I'm glad I won the prize. If I hadn't Jinie would still be blind," said Roseleen a month later.—Written by Florence Dare, aged 14.

Red cedars and apple orchards are poor bedfellows. Cut out red cedar windbreaks around apple orchards, unless you want rusty apples.

You can use lime and fertilizer in the most approved way, plow at the proper time, cultivate till the shovels shine like silver, yet your harvest will be thorns and thistles if you overlook the one single factor—good seed.

GROWING ROSES AND SWEET PEAS

Sweet peas can be started as soon as the ground thaws. If a little freezing and a few frosts overtake this operation, they will do no particular harm, as this seed is quite hardy and seems to do best in cool weather. Choose a location where the sun shines for the best part of the day; avoid locations in the shade of buildings. A good plan is to run the rows north and south, so that the sun can shine on both sides of the vines.

Do not feel discouraged if the seedlings fail to poke their heads above ground for a couple of weeks. Frequently they take a month, if the weather is cold, but meantime they are developing good, strong roots. This means earlier flowers, better flowers and a longer blooming season, for when the roots are deep the plants are better able to withstand the heat and drought of summer.

Sweet peas do best in soil that is inclined to be heavy. The ground must be turned over pretty deep, at least twelve inches. Work in a supply of manure in the bottom of the trench. Plant the seed about an inch apart, covering them with two inches of soil. Later it may be necessary to thin the plants so that they stand about two inches apart. The supports or trellis should be erected shortly after the plants appear above ground, for the tendrils soon reach out for something to cling to, and growth is thereby encouraged.

Avoid Formation of Seed Pods. The Spencer type of sweet peas are the most popular; these come in the early flowering or long-season varieties, and the regular summer flowering. It is a good plan to plant both sorts. They come in many colors and shades, and if properly cultivated there should be long stems, with three to four blossoms to the stem. All flowers should be picked from the vines as they fade, to avoid the formation of seed pods, or the flowering season will be shortened.

Cultivation is necessary, of course. Keep the ground close to the plants well stirred, using a hoe about once a week, until the blossoms appear. It is a waste of seed and labor to start sweet peas later than April; the vines will not flourish in hot weather; they are cool-weather plants.

Roses are somewhat particular as to soil conditions. They do best in rather heavy loam which is inclined to be clayey, but it must be well drained. Lighter soils can be improved by manuring. Strictly speaking, the rose bed is excavated, not dug, for the soil should be moved to a depth of two feet. Put the most fertile of the top soil to one side, then take out the remainder, which, if very poor, should be mixed with plenty of manure and replaced. If possible, obtain some loam from another source and dump it into the bottom along with the manure. The upper part of the bed should consist of the top soil which was removed and kept separate.

If sod was removed to make way for the bed, it should be broken up into small bits and mixed with the top soil. In finishing off the bed, it should be left several inches higher than the existing ground level, to allow for settling.

Care of Roots in Planting. In setting out dormant rose bushes the work should be done as early as possible. If they are shriveled or affected by frost, bury the plants branches and all, under moist soil for a couple of days. This will restore the shriveled branches and thaw out the frost. Avoid exposing the roots to the air when planting. Keep the plants in a bucket of water, removing them as they are required. Make a hole large enough to receive the roots without crowding; place broken pieces of pottery in the bottom for draining; distribute the roots in all directions when planting, and be sure to have the soil come in close contact with the roots when filling in the hole.

Rose beds should be located away from the influence of large trees. Five feet is a good width for the bed, which allows three rows of plants, spaced from eighteen to twenty-four inches apart in the rows. The question of varieties is a matter of choice. Climbing roses should find favor along fences, walls and arbors, any place where the effect of a bower is wanted; hybrid perpetuals are the hardiest of the bush roses, which come in many colors; then there are the hybrid teas and the tea roses, which latter can be counted on to bloom the entire season.

Most sinners are cynics, and most cynics are sinners.

The man who is bothered with his horses gnawing the mangers should go to the drugstore and get some horse rosin. Put some in the feed box and pound it to pieces with a hammer. A few feeds will cure the horse.

Paste this in your hat and save it till spraying time: Granulated sugar will keep Bordeaux mixture from going bad. Add one-eighth ounce of granulated sugar, dissolved in water, for each pound of bluestone used. This will keep the spray mixture from spoiling when the sprayer breaks, or rains stop spraying. For a 200-gallon tank of 6-6-50, three ounces (seven heaping teaspoons) of sugar are needed. For small amounts of Bordeaux, dissolve a well rounded (not heaping) teaspoonful of sugar in one quart of water, then use a half-pint of the solution for each pound of bluestone.

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THE MOST PROFITABLE YEAR IN
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ASSETS	\$129,372,127.33
Increase for year	14,532,682.85
CASH INCOME	31,107,149.16
Increase for year	2,355,570.73
SURPLUS over all liabilities and capital	10,383,909.10
Increase for year	2,019,241.95
PROFITS paid or allotted to policyholders	1,849,089.95
PAYMENTS to Policyholders, Death Claims, etc.	11,967,069.62
ASSURANCES IN FORCE	536,718,130.53
Increase for year	50,076,895.36
NEW ASSURANCES issued and paid for in cash	90,030,035.66

SUN LIFE ASSURANCE
COMPANY OF CANADA
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Stranger Than Fiction.
Business acquaintances and rivals of Andrew Carnegie's used to declare that in addition to his remarkable ability and far-sightedness he was blessed with amazing luck. An incident early in the ironmaster's career seems to justify the assertion. A piece of carelessness that might have ruined another man resulted, in Carnegie's case, only in a brief scare.

One morning, he relates in his autobiography, he set out from Altoona for Pittsburgh with a package of pay rolls and cheques under his waistcoat—for the package was too large for his pockets. He was a very enthusiastic railroader at that time and liked to ride on the engine. It was a very rough ride over the mountains, and at one place, uneasily feeling for the package, he was horrified to find that the jolting of the train had shaken it out!

There was, he says, no use in disguising the fact that such a failure would ruin him, for to have pay rolls and cheques under his waistcoat and to lose the package was a dreadful showing. I called the engineer and told him that it must have been shaken out within the last few miles. Would he reverse his engine and run back for it? Kind soul, he did so. I watched the line, and on the bank of a large stream within a few feet of the water I saw the package. I could hardly believe my eyes. I ran down and grasped it. It was not damaged. Need I add that it never passed out of my firm grasp again until it was safe in Pittsburgh?

I never ventured to tell the story until long afterwards. Suppose that package had fallen just a few feet farther away and been swept down by the stream; how many years of faithful service it would have required to wipe out the effect of that one piece of carelessness!

I have never since believed, says he, in being too hard on a young man, even if he does commit a dreadful mistake or two; and in judging such acts I have always tried to remember the difference it would have made in my career if I had not found that lost package.

French Tractor Simple and Original in Design.

To all intents and purposes the ordinary farm tractor is a more or less skillful adaptation of the principles of operation embodied in the automobile. Moreover, these tractors, as a rule, are adapted for hauling the same kind of farm implements as are used with horses. A novel type of tractor has been constructed in France that has little more in common with the ordinary motor car than the fact that it is driven by an internal-combustion engine. The motor and its adjuncts, as well as the wheel and its supports and the water-cooling radiator form a unit that is pivoted in a horizontal circular frame, to which can be attached any suitable means for hauling the implements, as well as a trailer which supports on two wheels, the seat for the driver.

Extracting a Cork.

One of the most puzzling things in the world is to get a cork out of a bottle. Nevertheless, it can be done easily enough, if you know how. Immerse the bottle in cold water for a few minutes, without allowing any of the fluid to enter. Then take a hatpin and poke with it until you have succeeded in impaling the smaller end of the cork. This accomplished, you can pull the cork up into the lower part of the bottle neck, though you cannot get it out. Now immerse the bottle in hot water and presently the cork will fly out of its own accord, forced out by the expansion of the air inside. The way it works is quite surprising and affords an interesting lesson in physics. The performance may be facilitated somewhat by greasing the inside of the bottle neck.

Beyond Him.

The oculist was examining the eyes of a patient. He requested the patient to read the top line of the test card, the letters of which ran—N P R T V Z B D F H K O.

The patient stared hard at them, but did not speak.

"Come," urged the specialist, "surely you can read the top line?"

"The patient shook his head. "Do you mean to say you cannot see letters that size?" exclaimed the specialist in astonishment.

"Oh, I can see the letters all right," replied the patient; "but I can't pronounce the bloomin' word!"

Waiting for Him.

"This is the opportunity of a lifetime, madam," declared the smooth-tongued canvasser as he stood at the door.

"Seems to me I've heard that tale before," thought the housewife.

"Opportunity knocks at everyone's door—but only once," continued the caller.

"That's where you're mistaken, young man," snapped the woman, as she reached behind her. "Opportunity has knocked at my door eight times this week. In case he should knock again, I have been saving this pan of hot suds—"

But opportunity departed hurriedly.

Natural Mistake.

Mistress—"Bridge, what on earth have you done with that box of new breakfast food?"

Bridge—"Food, was it, mum? Begorra! I thought it was charivari, an' I made a bed of it for the poor little pup to lie on."

HAS NEVER FELT FINER IN HIS LIFE

"TANLAC MADE A CLEAN SWEEP OF MY TROUBLES," DECLARES TORONTO CITIZEN.

Wife and Daughter Also Greatly Benefitted by Master Medicine.

"Tanlac fixed me up so fine that I quit taking it three months ago, and I've been feeling great ever since," said Thomas Brown, of 140 Hamilton Street, Toronto, employee of the Wm. Davies Co.

"Indigestion and stomach disorder was my trouble, and for three years before I got Tanlac I was in mighty bad shape. Why, if I drank a cup of tea and ate a little buttered bread for breakfast I would bloat terribly and be in awful distress. I had to let meat and pies alone, and after meals I felt as though I had a big lump in the pit of my stomach. I had headaches a great deal, too, and there was sharp, shooting pains round my heart that nearly worried the life out of me."

"After taking Tanlac my wife and daughter thought so much of it that they got me to try the medicine, and it proved to be the very thing I needed. Why, it has made a clean sweep of all my troubles and given me the very best kind of an appetite. I can eat just anything I want now and I feel as fit and fine as I ever did in my life. Tanlac is what did the work in my case and I don't make any secret of it."

Tanlac is sold by all good druggists. Adv.

Search others for their virtues, and yourself for their vices.—Fuller.

MONEY ORDERS.
Remit by Dominion Express Money Order. If lost or stolen you get your money back.

Better to hold your tongue to-day than regret your words to-morrow. Minard's Liniment for Distemper.

Surnames and Their Origin

DUNCAN
Variations—Duncanson, MacDonnachie, Tennochy, Donachie, Duncachie, MacConnachie, MacDonachie. Racial Origin—Scottish. Source—A given name. Though the family name of Duncan, with some of the foregoing variations, in some cases represents a development from the Gaelic name of one of the Irish clans, it is, for the most part, Scottish Gaelic, and traces back to the Clan Robertson, of the Scottish Highlands.

There is not, however, any connection other than a historical one between the name of Robertson and Duncan. It simply happens that the English and Gaelic names of this clan are entirely different, which is no unusual thing among the Scottish clans. The Gaelic designation of the clan is "Clann Donnachaidh" or Clan Donnachie, or Duncan. History is a bit hazy but the founders of this clan were apparently descendants of the old Earls of Athol, and the clan took its name from one of these, "Donnachadh" (or Duncan) Reamhar, who led it at the battle of Bannockburn.

The English designation of Clan Robertson was a later development in the reign of King James I. from the name of Robert, then its chieftain. All of the foregoing family names

Marine-Engine Condenser of Novel Construction.

Considerable attention has been attracted to a surface condenser for marine engines that has been invented in Belgium, and patented in several countries. The object of the invention is to eliminate automatically all causes for engine breakdown due to defective feed water, preventing the entrance of salt water into the boilers, and maintaining in the condenser a constant state of cleanliness. The condenser has a steam chamber at one end connected to the engine exhaust, and another at the other end connected to the air pump. Between these two chambers, in the main body of the condenser in which the water circulates, are series of pipes, divided into two or more separate groups, so that one group can be cut off by a shut-off valve from the others, and can be attended to without requiring the stoppage of the engine. In connection with each of these groups is a specially designed siphonometer—an instrument for measuring the quantity of salt that there may be in solution in the water of the condenser—that is electrically connected with an instrument warning lamps that by ignition indicate a dangerous condition of the water.

STORMY WEATHER HARD ON BABY

The stormy, blustery weather which we have during February and March is extremely hard on children. Conditions make it necessary for the mother to keep them in the house. They are often confined to overheated, badly ventilated rooms and catch colds which rack their whole system. To guard against this a box of Baby's Own Tablets should be kept in the house and an occasional dose given the baby to keep its stomach and bowels working regularly. This will not fail to break up colds and keep the health of the baby in good condition till the brighter days come along. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Never criticize that which you could not do better.

Seeing Both Sides of the Shilling At Once.

An ordinary shilling piece, a contributor tells us, was largely responsible for the origin of the present-day motion picture.

Some hundred years ago Sir John Herschel asked his friend Charles Babbage whether he could show both sides of a shilling at once. Babbage replied by taking a shilling from his pocket and holding it in front of a mirror. Sir John was not satisfied and set the shilling spinning on a large table; at the same time he explained that if you placed your eye on a level with the coin you could see both sides of it at once.

Babbage was so much impressed with the experiment that the next day he described it to his friend, Dr. Pitt. who immediately made a working model. It was a cardboard disk with the picture of a bird on one side and of an empty bird cage on the other. When the card was whirled on a silk thread the bird appeared to be inside the cage. The model, which is called a thaumatope, showed that the eye retains the image of an object for a fraction of a second after it has been removed.

Following the thaumatope came the zoetrope, or "wheel of life." A cylinder was perforated with a series of slots, and a band of drawings of dancing men was placed inside it. When the apparatus was rotated the figures seen through the slots seemed to be in motion. About 1872 Edward Muybridge made the first systematic photographs of men and animals taken at regular intervals with a view to showing them in motion.

Beauty.

Oh, I had sought for Beauty, And dreamed that it might be. At the end of distant pathways Beyond a tropic sea— In radiant silver moonways By a golden tropic sea.

But when I went to seek there, The path I followed did lie Beneath a pall of darkness Under a moonless sky— Sadly we turned us home again My tired heart and I.

And there above my doorway A young moon laughed at me, Caught in the tangled branches Of mine own willow tree— From its green and silver branches Beauty smiled down on me! —Edna Valentine Trapnell.

Shifting the Responsibility.

The children of a young college professor had been sent upstairs and told to keep quiet while their parents were entertaining guests at dinner. During a lull in the conversation the youngest boy appeared in the dining room doorway.

"Mamma," he said, "there's nothing but clean towels in the bathroom. Shall I start one?"

Progress, Anyhow.

"I'm not at all sure," said the prof's wife to the head master of one fashionable preparatory school, "how your school is going to suit my dear boy."

The head master smiled confidently. "You need not worry about that, madam," he said, "We've taught him how to hold his knife already."

In the given name of Annette, for instance, but which was equally applicable to masculine and feminine names.

When we say that these family names may come either from Ann, John or Anthony, we mean that doubt exists only in the individual instance, for the old records clearly establish that they actually did come variously from all three of these sources.

TREAT RHEUMATISM THROUGH THE BLOOD

Liniments and Rubbing Only Give Temporary Relief.

Rheumatism is a trouble extremely difficult to get rid of. If a tendency to rheumatism is established in the system it makes itself manifest by a return of the acute pains with every spell of bad weather. This is why so many people think the trouble is due to cold or damp. The fact is known, however, to medical men, that with the appearance of rheumatism there is a rapid thinning of the blood, and that the rheumatic poisons are only expelled from the system when the blood is restored to its normal condition. This means that to drive rheumatism from the system it must be treated through the blood, and for this purpose Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been very successful, as they build up and enrich the blood, thus easing the aching, swollen joints, and benefiting the health of the sufferer in other ways as well. Among the rheumatic sufferers who have satisfactorily used this medicine is Mrs. James Gillan, Charlottetown, P.E.I., who says: "For three long months I suffered terribly from rheumatism. I was so bad that I could not do my housework, and even to attempt to walk caused me agony. I spent a great deal of money on liniments and medicines without getting the least benefit, and my condition was pitiable. At this stage my attention was called to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I began taking this medicine, and shall always praise the day I did so. Before long there was no doubt that I had at last found something that would give me relief. I gladly continued using the pills with the result that I am now as well as ever I was, able to do my housework and care for my children. Since that time one of my daughters fell into an anæmic condition and was obliged to discontinue going to school. I gave her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and now she is as healthy a girl as there is in the city. You may be sure I lose no opportunity in praising this medicine." Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can be had through any medicine dealer, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

An Improvement.

"Where you goin', Ma?" "To a surprise party, dear." "Aren't you goin' to take all of us?" "No, dear, you weren't invited."

"But, ma, don't you think they'd be a lot more surprised if they saw all of us comin'?"

Mother! Open Child's Bowels With California Fig Syrup

Your little one will love the "fruit" taste of "California Fig Syrup" even if constipated, bilious, irritable, feverish, or full of cold. A teaspoonful never fails to cleanse the liver and bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the sour bile, and undigested food out of the bowels and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful of it saves a sick child to-morrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

The Manitoba Legislature has been asked to vote \$50,000 for the coming anti-grasshopper campaign.

Minard's Liniment for Garget in Cows.

The House of Worth.

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Kind friends of this store have informed us that a report had been circulated claiming that the management of this store circulated a petition to all merchants in town asking them to agree not to take dairy butter from farmers. This report when first brought to our attention was treated as a joke, but when advised to correct the statement if false, we take this method of doing so.

To make it worth while to anyone who can tell us who originated this false report we will give above reward.

Such a petition was never even thought of, mentioned, or discussed by the proprietor or any clerk in the store. More than this, if such a petition had ever been presented to us to sign we certainly would not have done so.

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In the Estate of Duncan McLean, Late of the Township of Ekfrid, in the County of Middlesex, Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Chapter 121, Section 56," that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Duncan McLean, who died on or about the twelfth day of February, A. D. 1922, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned, solicitors for Archibald McLean and Isaac McLean, executors of the last will and testament of the said Duncan McLean, deceased, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after the fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1922, the said Archibald McLean and Isaac McLean will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said Archibald McLean and Isaac McLean will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim they shall not then have received notice.

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Those marked with an asterisk were absent for one or more examinations. Number on roll, 22; average attendance, 17.21.

IV.—Jean Sherwood 78, Ruth King 57, Mary Hardie 54, Rosie Bell 41, III.—Jack Bubak 67, Katharine Gilles 66, Norman Sherwood 45, *Elmer Leeson 40, *Jean Bain 23, *Jack Reycraft 23.

II.—Mamie Logan 80, *Willie Logan 80.

I.—Ross Little 70, Doris Reycraft 65.

Primer.—Garnet Leeson, Lorna Sherwood, Gerald Leeson, John Telfer, Duncan Gould.

Margaret C. Brown, Teacher.

S. S. No. 13, Ekfrid

Sr. IV.—Pass—Viola Payne 648.

Jr. IV.—Honors—Vergie Gast 637; pass—James Nevin 536, Stuart Allan 519, Earle Edwards 515, Harold Cushman 515; under 60 per cent.—Harold Lotan 504, Lorne Thornecroft 483, Mabel Black 479.

Sr. III.—Honors—Ivan Cushman 638; Kenneth Peckham 560, Melvin Gough 528.

Jr. III.—Honors—Barbara Sinclair 640; pass—Hazel Perry 588, Cameron McGargart 567, Evelyn Stephenson 552, Jessie Jeffery 517; below 60 per cent.—John Jeffery 491, Norris Cushman 476, Albert Nevin 471, Howard McIntyre 434.

Sr. II.—Honors—J. D. McGill 469, Alice Black 446, Duncan McGargart 420, Manetta Tanner 413; pass—Harley McDonald 375; under 60 per cent.—Hugh Rankin 294.

M. D. Coulthard, Teacher.

Jr. II.—Honors—Eva Bardwell 506, Alice Bardwell 466; pass—Howard Cushman 401, Howard Pole 395, Lorne Jeffery 387, Gladys McIntyre 387; under 60 per cent.—Leo Cushman 318, Morley Payne 306, Kenneth Congdon 294, Alfred Rankin 279, Ardell Gough 250, Elmer McCoy 248.

Sr. I.—Honors—Thelma Leith 415, Marie Huston 406, Erna Leith 386, Lorene Gast 384, Olive Hughes 384, Hazel Congdon 361, Kathleen McCol 356, Alex. McGargart 349, Kenneth Johnston 338, Stewart Pole 345.

Jr. I.—Honors—Edith Philpot 208, Jack Howe 302, James Black 254.

Primer A.—Honors—Clare Perry 275, Annabell Macfie 274, Vera Perry 254, Beryl Payne 247, Emma Gough 242, Evelyn Cushman 209, Douglas Sinclair 219, Harold Howe absent.

Primer B.—Pass—Norman Hughes 220, Helen Rankin 214, Katie Gough 187; under 60 per cent.—Donald McIntyre.

A. Farrell, Teacher.

FAIRBANKS' LATEST PICTURE HIS BEST

Critics and Public Wonderfully Enthusiastic Over "The Mark of Zorro"

Never before has Douglas Fairbanks waxed so enthusiastic over the success and admiration of a picture than he has over "The Mark of Zorro," his fourth United Artists' production, which will be the feature attraction at the opera house, Glencoe, on Saturday, Feb. 25th.

The story is an adaptation of Johnston McCully's novel, "The Curse of Capistrano," which appeared in the "All Stars Weekly" magazine.

Those critics who have viewed "The Mark of Zorro" have proclaimed that Fairbanks has excelled any of his previous performances. This is due to some extent to the ingenious story and the opportunities afforded "Doug" to make the greatest use of his athletic ability.

The background of the story is centered around early Southern California of nearly a century ago, when its destinies were zealously guarded by the Spanish settlers.

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The horse is, and will continue to be, the principal farm motor for an indefinite period. There are approximately 1,500,000 horses in Canada, all of which are used as a source of motor power. One and a half million may not seem to be a large number, but if we were to place the horses in the Dominion head and tail in one long parade line, they would reach from Halifax to Vancouver. So there is some horse flesh left in Canada, notwithstanding statements to the contrary by people interested in the manufacture of mechanical motors.

About the Farm Horse.

The farm horse as a farm motor differs from the mechanical farm motor in that it is self feeding, self maintaining, self reproducing, and self controlling. These qualities give the horse a tremendous advantage over the mechanical devices used for field work on the farms and for haulage on the roads.

The Horse Largely a Self Feeder.

Self feeding means a lot. There is no carburetor on the horse; nor are spark plug required. Green grass, good clean hay and oats, the products of the fields in which the horse labors, produce the energy that keeps up the horse's body, and keeps him going as a motor while labor is being performed.

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Within the horse's body cavity there is a wonderful self maintaining motor. The heart, the lungs, and the digestive organs make an engine combination of great efficiency. This hidden motor made of flesh, blood and tissue keeps tight, and makes its own repairs. Furthermore, the horse motor develops pep, or places in reserve energizing substances that may be used on demand. The mechanical motor when at rest does not improve, nor grow stronger as does the horse, but frequently wastes or rusts. The high cost of gasoline, oil and motor mechanic service, together with the too frequent neglect that is accorded tractors on many farms, has reacted to the advantage of the faithful horse.

Old Dobbin Has Horse Sense.

Old Dobbin is also possessed of horse sense. No mechanical motor yet devised has possessed this function. Fuel for the horse motor is grown on the farm, and all profits remain on the farm. There is no tax on it either.—Lionel Stevenson, Secretary, Dept. of Agriculture, Toronto.

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The man on the land can learn much about his own farming operations by taking an inventory each year. No form of record will give so much information about the year's work as will an inventory properly taken at a definitely fixed date each year. The usual time for taking an inventory of the farm business is in March, when there is least feed and unsold produce on hand. The inventory of any ordinary farm can be taken in a half day, so there is no excuse on account of shortage of time. The information gleaned about the farm business through the study made possible by inventory taking is worth many times the expenditure of time and effort.

For convenience in keeping the farm inventory any blank record book with pages wide enough to permit spacing for a number of columns can be used, and if ruled to accommodate the entries for a number of years so much the better.—L. Stevenson, Secretary, Dept. of Agriculture, Toronto.

How to Select the Breeding Ram.

Select a ram that possesses scale, but not to the extent that he is lacking in quality. A well-proportioned ram is a rule transmits these characteristics to his offspring. He should be masculine in appearance, which is indicated by the carriage and boldness of head, short face, good width between the eyes, large open nostrils and an absence of feminine characteristics in general.

A ram should show good strength of back and depth of body, especially through the chest, with good width between fore legs and well sprung ribs. He should be closely made, that is, good depth, width of body, and short on legs.

The fleece should also be considered as to density, fineness and freedom from black fibres, with a skin that is pink in color, indicating that he is in good condition.

Purchase a pure-bred ram if possible, as blood will count and marked results will be seen in the quality of lambs. Breed character should be considered as it is very important, more especially in pure-bred flocks. Prices are relatively low and it pays to buy the best.

Head lettuce requires cool moist weather to head well. The loose leaf sorts are best for warm weather.

Prepare orchards for spraying for scale and other pests by pruning and scraping off loose bark.

Be sure that all seed corn and root seeds are stored in the best sources available, and are in ample quantities for spring seeding.

IMMIGRATION WANTED

ROOM FOR MANY MORE CITIZENS IN CANADA.

Where the New-comers Fall From and Who and What They Are—Some Facts About the Opportunities Offered by This New Country, and How the Authorities Are Handling the Important Problem.

ONE of the most important problems that Canada has to deal with is that of immigration. It is probably of importance equal to the problem of conservation of the great natural resources of the Dominion, vastly important as it is. Upon the policy in dealing with the immigrants depends, to a very noteworthy extent, the future prosperity and well-being of the Dominion. Perhaps at no other time in the history of Canada did the immigration problem demand more serious care and consideration than at present.

The still is in Canada an area of land fit for tillage estimated at 250,672,810 acres. A recent estimate placed the acreage of land in the Dominion under cultivation at only 51,427,130. In the three prairie provinces—Manitoba, Alberta, and Saskatchewan—settlers are needed for 128,000,000 acres of surveyed farm lands, and these lands are equally well suited for the carrying on of mixed farming or for grain growing. The balance, 172,552,310 acres is located in the other provinces.

It has been noted that since the war there has been an increased desire among the people of a large part of the world to earn a living from the soil. How sincere this desire will prove to be a large extent it is yet too early to predict or ascertain. Canada is primarily an agricultural country and agriculture is its basic industry. While there is immense wealth in the mineral and other natural resources of the Dominion which to develop will require the union of capital and labor, yet the assured benefit to Canada and on graduated measure to the world beyond, must come chiefly through agricultural development. Canada already is one of the great granaries of the world. Within its 3,729,665 square miles of area there is land enough to support many times the present population.

For a country with such an immense area and such a relatively small population—approximately 8,500,000—Canada is well equipped with railways, much more so than any other British Dominion. There is at present a total mileage of 38,174 and the transcontinental lines operated for the Canadian Government, with other branch and subsidiary lines, form the largest public utility system in the world. Add to the extensive mileage operated by Canadian National Railways the elaborate and far-reaching system of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and a glance at a railway map will show a well planned network of railways in the Dominion. These with the inland canals, measuring 1,600 miles in length, and the rivers and great lakes, form highways of transportation that are of inestimable advantage to the development of the country, and afford the farmer easy and profitable means of moving his produce to market. Moreover, they have brought within profitable reach of markets millions of acres that previously were considered too far away to be developed with reasonable assurance of profit.

Another point that is worth noting is that Canada is nearer to Great Britain and the European countries than any other considerable part of the British Empire, except Newfoundland, and the Mother Country and Europe are profitable markets. Further, Canada is a next door neighbor to the United States with their population of well over 100,000,000 and the country to the south will, if the population there continues to increase in anything like the same proportion it has been doing of late years, be more dependent on the agricultural products of Canada than has been the case in the past. Highly productive land in Canada is selling at from \$50 to \$50 an acre, improved and with buildings. True, some farms have been sold recently on the prairies for as high as \$100 an acre, but this price has included a good house and substantial barn and outbuildings, all located close to a railway, town or city.

For a few years before the outbreak of war a big tide of immigration was flowing into Canada. In 1913, 402,432 immigrants were admitted of whom 150,542 were from the British Isles, 133,710 from the United States and 112,881 from all other countries, the total representing an increase of 1,584 per cent. over the year 1900 when the total immigration to Canada was 23,896.

As was to be expected immigration began to fall off with the outbreak of war and in 1918 from all countries was 50,270, the majority coming from the United States which contributed 40,194; from the British Isles, 4,484; and other countries, 5,592. Last year, however, there was a notable increase, the total being 117,633. From the British Isles came 57,251, from the United States 52,064, and 8,318 from other countries, or 67,863 more than in 1918—an increase of 134 per cent.

Immigrants from the United States, the majority of whom were of the farming class, brought with them cash and effects amounting to \$18,419,406, compared with \$7,351,847 in 1918.

Of the Americans who took up residence in Canada last year, Alberta attracted more than any other province. The number who went there was 13,882; Ontario, 12,093; Saskatchewan, 8,672; Quebec, 6,617; Manitoba, 4,465; British Columbia, 3,601; Maritime Provinces, 2,593, and the Yukon Territory, 140.

Ontario was the favorite province for the British settlers, last year re-

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Eastbound—No. 634, 12.25 p.m.; No. 672, Chatham mixed, 4.17 p.m.; No. 22, stops for Toronto passengers, 6.06 p.m.
Westbound—No. 635, for Windsor, 4.45 a.m.; No. 671, Chatham mixed, 9.27 a.m.; No. 633, 8.16 p.m.

Trains 22, 634, 633 and 635, Sundays included.

GLENCOE POST-OFFICE

Mails closed—G. T. R. East, 9.00 a.m.; G. T. R. West, 6.00 p.m.; London and East, 6.45 p.m.
Mails received—London and East, 8.00 a.m.; G. T. R. East, 7.00 p.m.; G. T. R. West, 9.45 a.m.
Street letter box collections made at 8.30 a.m. and 5.30 p.m.

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Announcing a ten per cent. reduction for cash in tile. All sizes up to 7 inches.

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Great War Veterans' Association of Canada (Incorporated)
Glencoe Branch meets 1st Friday each month at 7 p.m. in I.O.O.F. rooms, Main St. All Veterans Welcome.—W. B. Mulligan, President; J. Tait, Sec.-Treas.

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Purveyor of all kinds of FRESH AND SALT MEATS
Deliveries from 8 to 10 Saturdays all day

Highest prices paid for all kinds of Fowl, live or dressed.
Cash for Eggs, Butter, Hides, Wool.
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The best remedy known for Asthma is RAZ-MAH; for Rheumatism, etc., is T.R.Cs. Both are sold and guaranteed by reliable druggists everywhere. Ask H. I. Johnston.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Alex. Craig was home from Detroit for the week-end.

Mrs. C. B. McLean of London is spending a few days with Mrs. (Dr.) McIntyre.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hays, Appleton, spent a few days last week with their daughter, Mrs. Calvert Reynolds.

Mrs. E. F. Reynolds has returned home after spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Lorne Mitchell, Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McTavish, who have been spending several months in Glencoe, returned to Marshall, Sask., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Cameron of Dutton announce the engagement of their daughter, Edith, to John Burton of Middlesex. The marriage will take place this month.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Aladdin lamp repairs in stock.—Wright's Hardware.

No. 21 O.A.C. seed barley for sale.—Fred McGill, Glencoe.

Hay and oats for sale.—John B. McKellar, Route 4, Glencoe.

All canned vegetable 15c and washing ammonia 7c, at Mayhew's.

Wanted—house to rent. Apply to Box 217, Transcript office.

Men's work shirts at 75c and men's tweed pants at \$1.95, at Mayhew's.

Three pure bred Yorkshire sows for sale; 7 months old.—Roy Squire.

Wanted—cattle, fat or lean. Call J. L. Hull; phone 15 on 18, Melbourne.

For sale—No. 21 O.A.C. seed barley, \$1 bushel.—Earl Webster Appin.

New spring wall paper has arrived and the low prices will surprise you, at Mayhew's.

For sale—1 sow with 10 pigs about 5 weeks old; also 4 sows in pig.—Fred McGill.

A very well finished, desirable house for sale, in Glencoe. Nice location. Enquire at this office.

For sale—building on Main street, opposite post office, 20 x 28. Apply to any member of the I.O.D.E.

The annual meeting of the Glencoe Board of Trade will be held in the town hall Friday evening, March 3rd.

We have a stock of artists' supplies, comprising brushes, paints and academy board.—Jas. Wright & Son.

Don't forget the big Irish drama in the music hall, Wardsville, Friday, Feb. 24. Beautiful scenery. Catchy music.

Upholstering, fine cabinet work, carpenter work, furniture finishing.

J. D. Brown, second floor Graham's garage.

Four, bran and shorts for sale at our warehouse, opposite Frank Hay.

Co-operative.—Mosa & Ekfrid Farmers' Co-operative.

A meeting of S. S. No. 5 literary society will be held on Friday evening, Feb. 24th. A good program is being prepared.

North Appin United Farmers meeting, Wednesday, March 1st. Director Currie speaks on cooperative company. Everybody welcome.

To rent—a brick house on Main street, Glencoe, with 2 acres of land, and stable which may be used as garage. Apply to A. B. McDonald.

We have just received a carload of granulated and brown sugar. Call us up and get our prices. Our prices are for 10 days only.—E. McIntyre, Appin.

Millinery and Ready-to-wear Parlors.—A new shipment of ladies' misses' and children's dresses; a beautiful assortment of blouses; plaid and striped sport skirts.—Mrs. W. A. Currie.

The Shields dramatic club will present their popular four-act play "The Country School Ma'am" in the town hall, Appin, on Wednesday, March 1, under the auspices of the Fraser Mission Band. Prices 35c and 25c.

NOTICE.—All accounts owing the Fletcher Mfg. Co. not paid on or before the 1st day of April, 1922, will be placed in other hands for collection. The Fletcher Co. pay cash and demand cash, and in future all work must be settled for before leaving shop. We repair only as an accommodation, and must demand cash. Bring the money or stay away.—The Fletcher Mfg. Co.

AUCTION SALES

On south half lot 6, second range north of L.W.R. Moss, 3 1/2 miles from Glencoe, on Monday, Feb. 27, at one o'clock—1 grey horse, 8 years old; 1 three-year-old Percheron cow; 1 roan driver; 1 Polled Angus cow, milking 2 months; 1 Holstein cow, 6 years, due in June; 2 roan cows, milking 2 months; 1 cow, 8 years old, due in July; 1 red cow, 3 years, due in June; 2 roan heifers, 2 years; 1 two-year-old heifer, due in May; 2 two-year-old steers; 2 yearling heifers; 7 calves; 3 young calves; 10 Oxford Down ewes; 1 Case tractor, 10 H.P.; 1 three-furrow tractor plow, Cockshutt; 2 disk harrows (tractor or horses); 1 Deering binder, 6-ft. cut; 1 Deering mower, 6-ft. cut; 1 International side rake; 1 International manure spreader; 1 Johnson corn binder; 1 Massey-Harris drill, 11-hoe, disk; 1 Bissell roller; 2 scuffers; 1 two-horse corn cultivator, Oliver; 1 set of diamond-tooth harrows; 1 set of straight-tooth iron harrows; 1 spring-tooth cultivator and seeder; 1 set one-bench bobbleheads; 1 Woodstock wagon, 2 1/2-hp. tire, log bunks; 1 gravel box; 1 combination hay and stock rack; 2 buggies; 2 cutters; 1 Fleury walking plow, No. 21; 1 Fleury walking plow, No. 13; 1 Chatham fanning mill, with bagger; 1 set beam scales, with platform for live stock; 2 steel oil barrels; 1 garden drill; 1 cider press; 1 root pulper; 1 Steward horse clipper; 1 grass seeder; 1 blacksmith outfit; 200 lbs. horse shoes; 1 set taps and dies (standard thread); 160 ft. hay fork rope; 1 hay fork; 4 sets sling ropes and sling chain; 40 ft. 5-inch belt; 2 sets single harness; 2 sets double heavy harness; 2 wheelbarrows; 1 extension ladders; 5 beehives; 1 circular saw blade, 30-inch, new; 75 bred-to-lay Barred Rock hens; 1 Chatham incubator, 200; 1 Hatchet incubator, 60;

CRIPPLED WITH RHEUMATISM

Then She Took "FRUIT-A-TIVES" And Has Been Well Ever Since



MADAM SLOAT

PERIN JUNCTION, N.B., Jan. 22nd, 1920

"For many years, I was a great sufferer from indigestion, constipation and Rheumatism. My stomach was weak and gave me constant distress, while Rheumatism in my joints made me almost a cripple. I was treated by two different doctors but their medicine did me no good.

Then I tried "Fruit-a-tives" and at once that fruit medicine helped me. Soon the Constipation and Indigestion were relieved and the Rheumatism began to go away, and in a few months entirely disappeared. For twelve years now, my health has been first class, and I attribute it to the use of "Fruit-a-tives" which I take regularly."

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50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c.

At dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

1 brooder; 1 one-man grindstone; 1 DeLaval cream separator, No. 12; 1 crock, 4 years old; 1 barrel of vinegar; 1 dining-room suite; 1 kitchen cabinet; 1 box stove; 1 Souvenir range; quantity of carpet; 1 square of linoleum, 4 x 4 1/2 yards, nearly new; 300 bus. acid, 1920; quantity of silo feed; about 15 tons of other articles too numerous to mention.—Wm. R. Goff, proprietor; L. L. McTaggart, auctioneer.

Clearing sale of farm stock, implements, hay and grain, the property of Wm. Dobson, lot Y, con. B. Aldborough, half mile west of Walker bridge, on Thursday, March 2nd—1 bay work horse, 12 years, 1300 lbs.; 1 brown mare, 11 years, 1350 lbs.; 1 black horse, 11 years, 1100 lbs.; 1 bay gelding, 4 years, 1400 lbs.; 1 colt, 2 years, Clyde; 5 choice 3-year-old heifers, just fresh, with calves by side; 1 cow, 8 years, fresh about 6 weeks; 1 cow, 5 years old, due in April; 1 cow, 4 years old, due March 17; 1 cow, 6 years old, due March 20; 1 calf; 25 hens; 6 shoats, about 125 lbs.; 1 pure bred Chester sow, due May 20; 1 sow due 1st April; 1 sow due 15th April; 1 rooster, 1 year old; 1 Masses-Harris binder, new; 1 Deering corn binder; 1 Deering mower; 1 fertilizer and grain drill; 1 L.H.C. land cultivator, new; 1 Oliver cultivator and bean puller; 1 roller; 1 Cockshutt plow, 2-furrow; 1 plow, walking; 1 set harrows; 1 Bissell disk; 1 hay rake; 1 Adams wagon, new; 1 wagon; 1 sleigh; 1 cutter; 1 buggy; 1 hay rack, new; 1 hay fork; 1 set scales; set of scales, 2,000 lbs.; set double harness; about 8 tons good hay; 400 bus. corn; 125 bus. oats; some corn stalks; 5 cords wood (3-ft. long); 2 chains; set slings.—M. A. McAlpine, auctioneer.

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Synopsis of Preceding Chapters.

The outbreak of war sends Ronald Ewart, a young London barrister, to the Highlands to say good-bye to his fiancée, Myra McLeod. On the train he meets Hilderman, who calls himself an American and a stranger in those parts, but later Ewart finds that he has built a hut on a cliff above the falls opposite General McLeod's lodge. While fishing in the river Myra is suddenly blinded by a flash of green light. Gen. McLeod tells Ewart of a strange experience at the same place, known as Chemist's Rock. Hilderman is very curious as to the cause of Myra's blindness. The famous London oculist holds out no hope and Ewart, after taking Myra home, brings Dr. Garnesk from Glasgow. In the meantime Sholto is blind, then chloroformed and stolen. Garnesk asserts his belief that Hilderman knew of Sholto's affliction. The next morning the two men find footprints and keel-marks on the beach, and the name-plate from the dog's collar. Ewart telegraphs for his friend, Dennis Burnham. At Chemist's Rock, Garnesk sees the green flash and Ewart is satisfied.

CHAPTER XI.—(Cont'd.)

"I shall certainly go on," I replied eagerly. "But we can hardly expect you to run risks on our behalf."

"It may be in the interests of civilization," he answered, "and in that case it is our duty. Now look here, Ewart, this will have to be a secret. It is essential that we should not get ourselves laughed at because for one thing, the scoffers may get into serious trouble if they start investigating our assertions in a spirit of levity. You and I must keep this to ourselves entirely. What about your friend?"

"I can trust him," I replied simply. "Then tell him everything," Garnesk advised. "If you know you can rely upon him he may be of great assistance to us."

"What about Hilderman?" I asked. "He knows a good deal already."

"There is no need for him to know any more. He may be of some use to us. I had thought he might be of the greatest use, but he may be able to help us still. We should decrease, rather than augment, his usefulness by telling him these new complications."

"How do you mean?" I asked. "Well, for instance, he might think we are mad, although he's a very shrewd fellow."

"Yes," I agreed, "I think he's pretty cute. Funny that Americans so often are. Anyway, he's been cute enough to make sufficient to retire on at a fairly early age, and retire comfortably, too."

"H'm," was my companion's only comment. After dinner that evening we discussed all sorts of subjects, mainly the war, of course, and went to bed early.

"Now, Ron," exclaimed Myra, as we said good-night, "if Mr. Garnesk is really going to leave us on Monday, you mustn't let him worry about things to-morrow. Do let him have one day's holiday while he is with us, anyway."

"I will," I agreed. "We'll have a real holiday to-morrow. Suppose we all go up Loch House in the motor-boat in the afternoon?"

So it was arranged that we should have an afternoon on the sea and a morning's fishing on the loch. Garnesk fell in with the arrangement. "It will do you good," he declared. "You won't be feeling too frisky in the morning after your adventure this afternoon."

As it turned out he was quite right, for I awoke in the morning with a slight headache and a tendency to ache all over. So we fished the loch

in a very leisurely fashion for an hour or two, and after lunch the four of us went up to Kinlochcourn. We took a tea-basket with us, and very nearly succeeded in banishing the green ray altogether from our minds. I had taken my kodak with me, and we ran in shore, and otherwise altered our course occasionally in order to enable me to record some choice peep of the magnificent scenery. When we got back to the lodge we were all feeling much the better for the outing. After dinner Myra, who had taken the greatest interest in the photographs, although, poor child, she could not see what I had taken, and would not be able to see the result either, was anxious to know how they had turned out.

"I should love to know if the snapshots are good," she said, "particularly the one at Caolas Mor. Develop them in the morning, Ronnie, won't you? If you don't you'll probably take them away, and forget all about them."

Garnesk looked at me. He was always on the qui vive for any opportunity to give Myra a little pleasure. He felt very strongly that she must be kept from worrying at all costs.

"Why not develop them now, Ewart?" he suggested.

"Certainly," I said, "if everybody will excuse me."

"Dad's in the library," Myra replied, "but everybody else will come with you if you ask us nicely. Besides, I shall have to tell you where everything is. There's plenty of room for us all."

"Right you are," I agreed readily, and went out to get a small folding armchair from the verandah. We went up to the dark-room at the top of the house, and Myra sat in the corner, giving me instructions as to the position of the bottles, etc. I prepared the developer while Garnesk busied himself with the fixing acid.

"Now we're ready," I announced, as I made sure that the light-tight door was closed, and lowered the ruby glass over the orange on Myra's imposing dark-room lamp; she believed in doing things comfortably; no messing about with an old-fashioned "hook-bottle" for her. I took the spool from my pocket and began to develop them in blue.

"How are they coming along?" Myra asked, leaning forward interestedly.

"They're beginning to show up," I replied; "they look rather promising."

"It's rather warm in here," said the girl presently; "do you think it would matter if I removed my shade, Mr. Garnesk?"

"Not if you put it on again before we put the light up," the specialist answered. Myra took off the shade and the heavy bandage with a sigh of relief, and leaned her elbow on the table beside her.

"There's a glass beaker just by your arm, dear," I said; "just a minute and I'll put it out of reach."

"All right," said Garnesk, moving forward. "I'll move it; don't you worry."

But before he could reach the table there was a crash. The beaker went smashing to the floor. I turned with a laugh, which died on my lips. Myra was standing up with her hand to her head.

"What is it, darling?" I cried, dropping the length of film on the floor. Garnesk made a grab for the shade. Myra gave a short, shrill little laugh, which had a slightly ominous, hysterical note in it.

"Don't be alarmed, dear," she said quietly, in a curiously tense voice, "I can see!"

CHAPTER XII.

Who is Hilderman? I must admit that I was so de-

lighted to find that Myra had recovered her sight that I very nearly made what might have been a very serious mistake. I gave her a loud shout of triumph and made a dive for the light, intending to switch it on. This might, of course, have had a very bad effect upon my darling's eyes, but fortunately Garnesk darted across the room and knocked up my arm in the nick of time.

"Not yet, Ewart, not yet," he warned me. "We must run no risks until we are quite sure."

"But, Ronnie, I can see quite well," Myra declared delightedly. "I can see everything just as easily as I usually can by the light of the dark-room lamp."

"Still, we won't expose you to the glare of white light just at present," Miss McLeod said. Garnesk solemnly. "We must be very careful. Tell me, how did your sight return, gradually or suddenly?"

"Suddenly, I think," the girl replied. "I took off the shade and laid it down, and then when I looked up I could distinctly see the lamp."

"Immediately the shade was removed?"

"No," she answered, "not just immediately. You see, I was looking at the floor, which is so dark, of course, that you couldn't see it in the ordinary way. Then as soon as I looked up I could see the lamp. For a moment I thought it was my imagination, but when I found I could see the floor, and the more I looked at it, the more I was convinced that I was all right again."

"This is very extraordinary, you know," said Garnesk. "Can you count the bottle on the middle shelf?"

"Oh, yes!" laughed Myra. "I can make them out distinctly. Of course, I know pretty well what they are, but in any case I could easily describe them to you if I'd never seen them before."

"What have I got in my hand?" the specialist queried, holding his arm out.

"A pair of nail-clippers," Myra declared emphatically, and Garnesk laughed.

"Well," he said, "you can obviously see it pretty well; but, as a matter of fact, it's a cigar-cutter."

"Oh! well, you see," the girl explained airily, "I always put necessity before luxury."

So then the oculist made her sit down again and cross-questioned her at considerable length.

"I'm puzzled but delighted," he admitted finally. "It's strange, but it is at the same time decidedly hopeful."

"I suppose it means that she will always be able to see in a red light at any rate?" I suggested.

"Probably it does," he agreed, "and, of course, her sight may be complete-

ly restored. There is also a middle course; she may be able to see perfectly after a course of treatment in red light. I will get her a pair of red glasses at once. We can see how that goes. But I feel that it would be advisable to introduce her to day-light in gradual stages, in case of any risk."

"Oh, if we could only find poor old Sholto!" Myra exclaimed eagerly. Garnesk turned to her with a look of frank admiration.

"You're a lucky young dog, Ewart," he whispered to me, "by Jove you are!"

So Myra graciously, but a little reluctantly I think, placed herself in the hands of the young specialist and replaced her shade. Then we left the dark-room, allowing the films to develop out on the floor, and went downstairs. We took her out on the verandah and removed the shade for a moment, but the chill air of the highland night made her eyes smart after their unaccustomed imprisonment, and we gave up the experiment for that night.

As Garnesk and I bathed together in the morning we were both brighter and more cheerful than we had been since his arrival.

"I shall catch the train for Mallaig," he declared. "You see, if we have come to meet your friend without having long to wait?"

"If you insist on going," I replied, "I can get you there in time to meet him and you will have an hour or more to wait for your train."

"Oh, so much the better! I can tell him everything and give him all the news in the interval."

"Are you still determined to go?" I asked.

"Yes," he said, "I must go. It will be necessary for me to make one or two inquiries and get a pair of glasses made for Miss McLeod."

"I shall be very sorry to lose you, Garnesk," I said earnestly. "Don't you think you could write or wire for the glasses? You see, if we have come to the conclusion that this green ray is some chemical production of Nature unassisted there isn't the same reason for you to leave us."

"No, that's true," he agreed, "but we were both a bit scared yesterday, old chap, and the more I think of this dog business the less I like it. It was mere conceit on my part that made me say it was bound to be some natural phenomenon merely because I couldn't understand how the effect could have been humanly produced."

"Perhaps," I suggested, "our best course would be to keep an open mind about the whole thing."

"Yes," he replied, "I'm with you entirely. And in that case my going

away is not going to aggravate the effects of a natural phenomenon, while it may restrain the human agency by removing the necessity for further activity."

"Well, that's sound enough," I acquiesced; "but I shall hear from you, I hope?"

"Of course, my dear fellow," he laughed, "we're in this thing together. You'll hear from me as often as you want, and who knows what else besides. I have no intention of dropping this for a minute, Ewart. But I think I can do more if I am not on the spot. We're agreed that my presence here may be a source of danger to you all."

"Yes," I said, "I think yours is the best plan. What do you propose to do?"

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Starting Something.

Life's capital prizes never go to the timid. Large enterprises never are put in charge of those who fear to initiate. In every calling there are those so reluctant to assume the burden of executive responsibility that they never will enjoy the glow of satisfaction that comes from carrying through a successful effort to its victorious conclusion.

Men held in honor, and likewise rewarded by those tangible tokens that matter less than a good name, are men who were willing to leave the safe, easy, settled things and places and be original. They weighed anchor and spread sail forever to the breath of fresh adventure. They sought not to let go but to take on. They were not looking for those to whom they might unshoulder the burden of command. They rose each day with a gladness to be needed, in counsel and in control, as prime factors in some ongoing work of real and lasting value.

Unskilled laborers may go dully to a task, coming on and knocking off in the mechanical routine of hours bought and paid for. These may leave all thinking to those higher up and reserve for themselves the right to protest against the terms of their employment. The employed who has the slimmest chance of joining the ranks of the employers is the one who is satisfied to mark time in a fixed place on the payroll without doing anything to enlarge his value to the concern that employs him. You need not look to him for a new idea. He does not even wish to be foreman; he would rather blame than take the blame.

A successful young salesman, aggressively on the alert to every chance of putting his wares on an enlarging market, said to an older relative of his who was an office clerk with the same company: "Why don't you go into the factory, in some of the time when you're sitting idle, and learn about what we're making and how we make it?"

The older man did not kindle to the idea. Instead, he looked at his junior and said coldly: "That is not my department; it's none of my business." The clerk is earning less than \$2,000 a year; the salesman is getting \$12,000 a year. But the second man makes it—which is a very different matter from merely receiving it.

Too many of us fail to draw the distinction, and we talk of making money and taking money as though these were one and the same thing.

The money-maker hustles early and late. He rubs up against those who can give him ideas. He figures out the reasons why other men's plans succeed or fail. When he fires, he fires the no-good or the too-good; when he hires, he hires those who stick at the job and put it over. He doesn't pay men necessarily to think as he does and to agree with him. He is willing to be something of a shock-absorber, if you can show him that the new scheme works.

Business calls for grit and determination and gumption, not for the dreamy lassitude that folds its hands in pious resignation to fate and expects the pigs to appear roasted and the manna to fall from the skies. We get what we go for. We arrive after and not before the start.

A Famous Round Robin.

Many theories have been advanced for the origin of the term "round robin." The most generally accepted is that the practice of signing a protest or petition in a circle, thus concealing the order of signing, originated in France, where protests from subordinates were regarded by Government officials as little less than mutiny.

The best-known "round robin" in the English language originated at a dinner at the house of Sir Joshua Reynolds, the famous portrait painter. Among those present were Edmund Burke, Edward Gibbon, and others famous in the world of letters, all of whom were friends or acquaintances of Oliver Goldsmith.

The epiphany written for the poet by Dr. Johnson became the topic of conversation, and various changes were suggested. These, it was agreed, should be submitted for the doctor's consideration. When the question arose as to who should propose them to him, it was suggested that a "round robin" was the best means of solving the difficulty.

Despite his fiery disposition, Dr. Johnson accepted the "round robin" in the spirit in which it was intended.

He Had a Reason.

Mother was very surprised when Jimmie came up to her and said: "Mother, didn't you say last week that you wanted the carving-knife and the chopper sharpened?"

"Yes, I did," admitted Mrs. Greens. "Bless your little heart! How thoughtful of you!"

"Well, I'll take them round to the cutter's for you," was the next unexpected offer.

"How sweet of you to offer to do such a thing for your mother! I'll wrap them up," replied Mrs. Greens gratefully.

"No, no," answered Jimmie quickly. "Don't wrap them up. I want them to show. There's a boy out there waiting to fight me, but I fancy that when he sees me coming with these he'll go home."

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Winston Churchill Presents British Government's Case for Adoption of Free State Bill Enabling Dublin Authorities to Secure a "Sensible Parliament in Ireland."

A despatch from London says:—In moving the second reading of the Irish Free State Bill in the House of Commons on Thursday, Winston Churchill, Secretary for the Colonies, laid stress on the necessity of giving effect to the treaty by clothing the Provisional Government, as the treaty provided, with lawful powers and enabling it to hold an election at the earliest moment.

"It is the view of the Irish signatories of the treaty," he said, "that an Irish Republic had been set up by the Irish people at the elections and that the Republic could only be converted into a Free State by the decision of the people. We don't recognize the Irish Republic and never will."

The objects of the proposed election, added the Secretary, were to secure an adequate constituent assembly, and "a fresh, normal, and, if I may say so, sensible Parliament in Ireland."

Of the present Irish Parliament Mr. Churchill declared that it was not chosen because of the fitness of its members to govern, but because they were thought to be most obnoxious to Great Britain and men who hated England most. The Irish Minister must know where he stood. Some people felt they had waited too long already, but in any case the sooner an election was held the better. The success of Mr. de Valera at the election he characterized as "an ugly hypothesis."

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"and the position of Britain, standing on the treaty and ready to carry it out if the others were found on behalf of the Irish nation to do their part, would be a position of great moral, as well as undoubted material strength. "The position of Southern Ireland, on the other hand, would be one of the greatest weakness and difficulty, absolutely isolated from the sympathy of the world and bitterly divided in itself. The position of Northern Ireland would be quite unaffected."

All the Government's information led it to feel that such an assumption as the success of de Valera was incorrect. "In any case," added the Secretary, "it would be a pity for us to go threatening and blustering at this stage and give the impression that the Irish people were being made to vote under duress or at the point of the bayonet. If this were indulged in it could afterwards be stated that the vote had been given under duress, tending to impair the authority of the decision."

Alluding to the report of a coup d'etat to overturn the Provisional Government, Mr. Churchill said: "There are those who think that the Provisional Government may be overthrown by a coup d'etat and a red Soviet Government set up. The British Government does not think that at all likely, but if it were, it is quite clear that the success of Mr. de Valera at the election he characterized as 'an ugly hypothesis.'"

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DUBLIN CASTLE
The Headquarters of the Provisional Government of Southern Ireland.

SINN FEINERS SET FREE BY ULSTER BORDER COMMISSIONS NOW ASSURED FOR BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH IRELAND.

Belfast, Feb. 19.—Viceroy Fitzalan to-night ordered the release of the Sinn Fein football players who have been in jail at Derry since their arrest several weeks ago, charged with carrying arms and ammunition into Northern territory.

In return for the release of these men, Michael Collins gave his promise to free at once the remaining eighteen Ulsterites still held by kidnapers.

This information was given late this evening by Colonel Spender, Secretary of the Ulster Cabinet. The release of the prisoners by both sides followed all-day negotiations by wire between Belfast and Dublin.

The arrest of the Free State men was the primary cause of the present delicate situation between the North and the South, which has been aggravated by promiscuous clashes in Belfast streets. Following an unexpected session of the Northern Cabinet yesterday, Premier Craig telegraphed Downing Street his intention of dropping the case against the prisoners.

The move is accepted here as a tremendously courageous action on the part of Premier Craig, especially as the authorities claim to have an exceptional prima facie case against the Southerners, who are known to be prominent officers of the Fifth Northern Irish Republican Army Division.

The prisoners, who have been consistently refused bail, will appear formally before the Assizes when they will be discharged. It is anticipated, however, that they will now apply at once for bail, as the reason for it being previously refused has disappeared.

A Border Commission has now been assured for Southern Ireland. Three Colonels, Algood, Bates and Boys, of the British Army, with two officers to be selected by the Provisional Government, will have headquarters in County Monaghan.

For the North, Colonel Sutton and Major Calenson, of the British Army, with two officers of the special constabulary, will have headquarters at Clogher.

The duties of the Commission will be to note the presence of ill-disposed persons and other potential causes for trouble. The two bodies will have direct communication with each other, but will not necessarily cross the boundaries into the opposite territory. Their cars will wear special flags and the members will wear distinguishing armlets.

Will Spend Honeymoon in Florence

London, Feb. 19.—Princess Mary's honeymoon will be spent at the Villa Medicea, Florence after a comparatively short stay at Weston Park, Shifnal, the home of the Earl and Countess of Bradford, according to the London Times. The bridal couple will visit Paris for a few days on their way to Florence.

To Preserve Fort as Historic Memorial Site

A despatch from Ottawa says:—Fort Prince of Wales, situated at the mouth of the Churchill River, in Manitoba, has been placed under the control of the commissioner of Dominion parks for the purpose of preserving it as an historic memorial site and park.

The Farmers' Course.

The Short Winter Course for Farmers which has been going on at the University of Toronto for the past two weeks seems to have been even a greater success this year than last. Two hundred and twenty-five men and women of various ages, but mostly in their twenties, have been hard at work taking notes on lectures, asking questions and engaging in discussions. The students are representative of thirty-four counties in the Province; one comes from Rainy River and one from Manitoulin. The women in the course have been particularly pleased to have the opportunity of receiving up-to-date instruction in Household Science. The complete range of subjects is as follows: English, Economics, History, Public Speaking, Commercial Geography, Hygiene, Biology, Psychology, Engineering, Architecture, and Household Science. Interspersed with the lectures have been several social functions intended to relieve the strain of hard study. The university authorities speak highly of the wholesome type of student attending this course and of the earnest work that is done.

BELFAST IS NOW COMPARATIVELY QUIET

No Disorders Reported on the Ulster Frontier.

A despatch from Belfast says:—Only three shots were fired in Belfast on Friday and no disorders were reported on the border. All the kidnapped civilians have been released, but a score of specials are still detained.

There are said to be 20,000 well-armed specials on the northern side of the border and an uncertain number of Republican soldiers on the southern side, with British troops at Newry, Enniskillen and elsewhere. Hence it is considered important to get a liaison commission working whose business it would be to move about the border and keep peace. The commission, it is stated, will consist of two British officers, two police officers representing the North and two Republican army officers representing the South.

Strong Sentiment in England Against Mormons

A despatch from London says:—The savage agitation against the Mormons here has resulted in several attacks on members of the creed. A number of women recently confronted a Mormon elder, knocked off his hat and tore up his tracks. One night four large stained glass windows of the Mormon headquarters were smashed in with a hammer. So great has the hostility grown that the Home Office says that if the anti-Mormon sentiment continues the Mormons would be compelled to leave England for their own safety.

Decorated Football for Princess Mary

A despatch from London says:—One of the most curious gifts ever presented to a bride-elect was included in Friday's presents to Princess Mary, namely, an historic football, decorated with portraits of Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles. The ball came from the inhabitants of Ashbourne, Derbyshire. It is similar to those used in a strange game played at Ashbourne each Shrove Tuesday since the year 1200.

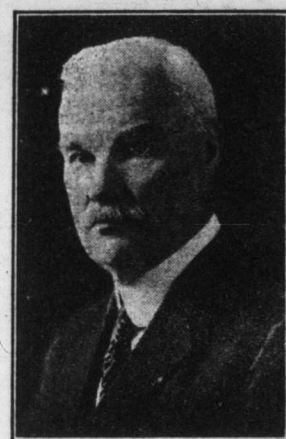
PHOTOGRAPHERS OF ROYAL WEDDING PAY \$5,000 FOR BEST CAMERA SITES

London, Feb. 19.—Completed plans for reporting and photographing Princess Mary's wedding on February 28 reveal the fact that photographers, in order to procure desirable vantage spots for their cameras, will be called upon to pay huge sums of money. From forty to fifty motion picture cameras will be employed, and about 100 press cameras for snapping photographs of the procession. A favored place for taking pictures will be near the Westminster Abbey Gateway, where the bridegroom, Viscount Lascelles, King George, Queen Mary and other members of the Royal family, as well as the chief guests, will alight from their carriages and enter the building.

For the privilege of taking pictures there the Abbey authorities are said to be asking £1,000, the money to be devoted to the fund for restoration of the edifice.

The Westminster Hospital, directly opposite the abbey, has a portico over the doorway, affording a splendid position for several cameras. Space for each of them is being assessed by the hospital authorities at £100.

House owners along the line of the procession are also trying to reap "golden hay" from the photographers. Ten guineas is not an unusual price asked for the privilege of standing in a window or a door to "shoot" the bridal party as it drives slowly past.



T. B. Macaulay
President Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada, under whose direction the company has just completed the most profitable year in its history.

Thousand Christians Slain by Moslems

London, Feb. 19.—The red scythe of the Turkish Nationalists is again cutting a swath of death. One thousand Christian women and children are reported to have been ruthlessly massacred in the region of Sasuz by the Moslem forces, according to an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Constantinople.

26 ULSTERITES ARE RELEASED

Provisional Government Sets Kidnapped Northerners Free.

A despatch from London says:—Mr. Churchill told the House of Commons that, according to the latest information, 26 of the kidnapped Unionists had been released through the exertions of the Provisional Government.

He said both the Northern and Southern Government had agreed that there should be an impartial investigation of last Saturday's shooting at Clones.

Accordingly, he had notified them that the Imperial Government would place at their disposal any suitable judicial officer on whom they might agree, who would conduct a public inquiry.

Dollars and Cents to Replace Sterling in S. Ireland

Dublin, Feb. 19.—Proposals for a new Irish currency are being discussed by the Free State authorities. Reckoning by pounds, shillings and pence will doubtless continue for some time, and English silver and copper will continue to circulate; but it is anticipated that the Free State will adopt the decimal system of coinage as soon as practicable, and that Irish dollars and cents, or whatever their equivalent Gaelic names may be, will ultimately take the place of the sterling money.

Weekly Market Report

Toronto.
Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.66 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.65 1/2; No. 3 Northern, \$1.64 1/2; No. 4 Northern, \$1.63 1/2; No. 5 Northern, \$1.62 1/2; No. 6 Northern, \$1.61 1/2; No. 7 Northern, \$1.60 1/2; No. 8 Northern, \$1.59 1/2; No. 9 Northern, \$1.58 1/2; No. 10 Northern, \$1.57 1/2; No. 11 Northern, \$1.56 1/2; No. 12 Northern, \$1.55 1/2; No. 13 Northern, \$1.54 1/2; No. 14 Northern, \$1.53 1/2; No. 15 Northern, \$1.52 1/2; No. 16 Northern, \$1.51 1/2; No. 17 Northern, \$1.50 1/2; No. 18 Northern, \$1.49 1/2; No. 19 Northern, \$1.48 1/2; No. 20 Northern, \$1.47 1/2; No. 21 Northern, \$1.46 1/2; No. 22 Northern, \$1.45 1/2; No. 23 Northern, \$1.44 1/2; No. 24 Northern, \$1.43 1/2; No. 25 Northern, \$1.42 1/2; No. 26 Northern, \$1.41 1/2; No. 27 Northern, \$1.40 1/2; No. 28 Northern, \$1.39 1/2; No. 29 Northern, \$1.38 1/2; No. 30 Northern, \$1.37 1/2; No. 31 Northern, \$1.36 1/2; No. 32 Northern, \$1.35 1/2; No. 33 Northern, \$1.34 1/2; No. 34 Northern, \$1.33 1/2; No. 35 Northern, \$1.32 1/2; 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Balance of our ladies' Coats to be cleared at ridiculously low prices.

When in town drop in and see our big range of Spring wall papers. Always a pleasure to show them.

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NEWBURY

The box social given by the A. Y. P. A. on St. Valentine's eve was a great success. The beautiful boxes were auctioned by Eugene Crotte and brought good prices. Proceeds, \$35.50.

March 10th has been set by the Y. P. S. of Knox church for the presentation of their play, "Don't Marry for Money." Posters will be out soon with full particulars.

Mrs. McLaugh of Southwood is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. F. Jeffery.

Mrs. Glennie spent a few days in Bothwell last week with her sister, Mrs. Beamish, who is ill.

P. T. Galbraith is in Saginaw this week attending a Heinz Pickling Co. convention.

Mr. Parkes, an employee at the Muncey Institute, was in town last week and has decided to locate here, conducting a shoemaking and repair shop in W. H. Parnall's building. This has been a business badly needed here and should be well patronized.

"Tony, the Convict," the play put on by the Aughrim young people on Wednesday last, was good.

Mrs. James Martin and daughter of Delaware visited the former's sister-in-law, Mrs. P. Hillman, on Saturday.

Misses Lydia Pennell and Niesse Archer arrived home from Tilbury on Saturday. Her friends are pleased to learn that Miss Archer is improving nicely from her serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hagith returned home last week from Harrow and Detroit.

Some from here attended the hockey match at Woodstock last week.

Dr. H. C. Bayne was in Sarnia last Thursday on a business trip.

Col. C. M. R. Graham of London will preach in Knox church Sunday afternoon at 2.30.

Rev. R. J. Murphy was able to resume his work on Sunday.

Owing to the indisposition of Rev. C. D. Farquharson, the work in Knox church on Sunday was taken by laymen—D. Stalker, Donald Fletcher, Wm. Bayne and W. H. Parnall. The three latter gave a splendid report of the laymen's convention held recently in London.

A Prime Dressing for Wounds.—In some factories and workshops carbolic acid is kept for use in cauterizing wounds and cuts sustained by the workmen. Far better to keep on hand a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil. It is just as quick in action and does not scar the skin or burn the flesh.

WOODGREEN

A number from here attended the play, "A Country Minister," put on by the Campbellton dramatic club in Wardsville town hall on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Coyne entertained a number of friends on Friday evening last. The evening was spent in cards and dancing and lunch was served at midnight.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Duncan Johnson of Aldborough was held from her home at Crinan on Monday. Interment at Simpson cemetery.

Lee Simpson and sister Florence and Lyle Elliott spent Sunday with the latter's mother at Florence, Mrs. Simpson, who has been spending some time there, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie entertained a number of young people on Monday evening.

Miss Elsie Leitch is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eddie.

Miss Titus, who was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Henderson, has returned to her home.

Archie McMillan has purchased a horse from Lee Simpson.

WARDSVILLE

A company of young people from Campbellton gave a play in the town hall on Thursday evening. A good crowd was in attendance. The play, entitled, "The Country Minister" was very well given.

The play was presented between acts. After the play dancing was enjoyed until the small hours.

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(late J. A. Mulligan)

Is now open for business.

All lines are being filled up as rapidly as possible.

We extend a hearty welcome to all the old customers.

W. H. Parnall

An old-time tea meeting was given in the town hall Tuesday evening.

A large number took advantage of the bounteous supper which was served by the ladies, which was a program of music and recitations was given.

Mrs. Gifford and Marion Reed of Detroit spent a few days with J. Wilson.

LeRoy Weer has returned from a short visit to Adrian, Mich.

Misses Violet Murphy and Jean McRae spent the week-end at their home here.

A large number attended the A. Y. P. A. meeting in the church basement on Friday evening. After the devotional exercises the evening was spent in games. Lunch was served by the ladies.

Don't forget Friday, Feb. 24th, the date of "College Brawl."

Wardsville public library board held its annual meeting last week, with election of officers as follows:—

Chairman, Mrs. V. Faulds; secretary, Mrs. Douglas; treasurer, Mrs. George Low. The remaining members present were: Miss Campbell, Mrs. Jas. McIntyre (newly elected), and Miss Gardiner. The board has had a prosperous year, and the rooms were repaired and wired for hydro.

EKFRID STATION

John Smith of Newbury died Feb. 20th. He was a brother of Mrs. John T. McLean.

John A. Murray and son Grant left the beginning of the week for their home at Killam, Alberta.

The next meeting of the Community Club will be held at the home of Mrs. D. A. Campbell on March 2nd.

Mrs. Neil McLean has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Muckle, Kingsville. While there she suffered a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McDonald gave a dancing party last week at their home, part of the proceeds going to the Community Club of Ekfrid.

Mrs. D. J. McLean, who has been laid up with sickness for some time, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Marr Newbigging entertained a number of their friends to a dance recently.

Ekfrid's hockey team suffered defeat on Friday afternoon on Stock's pond where a friendly game was played with North Ekfrid's team. What was the matter with three or four of Ekfrid's team?

Murray McCallum and Kenneth Welsh provided the music for a dancing party at Earl Webster's on Friday evening.

MIDDLEMISS

The Loyal Orange Lodge here are having a members' oyster supper in the hall on Wednesday.

E. W. McDonnell, who was hurt by a piece of frozen earth falling on him in the gravel pit here, is improving rapidly.

Miss Mariner McCracken of Glencoe spent several days with Miss Ann McArthur here.

Mrs. Wm. Stevenson has returned to her home in Toronto after spending a week with her mother Mrs. W. Lucas.

George Moore and Melvin Lee spent Sunday with friends in the village.

The G. T. R. steel gang have finished the work here and have moved on to Lawrence and east.

Some 750 clerks in the civil service at Ottawa will be dismissed on April 1st.

Why drag around feeling half sick and no account all the time when you can get Tanlac?—P. E. Lumley.

MELBOURNE

Melbourne, Feb. 17.—Duncan McLean passed away on Sunday morning at the home of his nephew, Mr. McLean of Ekfrid. The funeral took place on Tuesday. Services were held in the Old School Baptist church. Mr. McLean was 77 years of age and a bachelor. He leaves two brothers, Archie and Gilbert, and one sister, Mrs. Dan McTaggart, Appleton.

The continuation school held their annual banquet and concert on Wednesday evening. The banquet was held in the Sunday-school room of the Methodist church and the concert in the Presbyterian Sunday school hall. Edward Bateman presided as toastmaster and deserves great credit for the able way in which the position was filled. The toasts and replies were all exceptionally good, each pupil doing his or her part well. The vice-president, Miss S. Switzer, acted as concert chairman. A drill given by a number of the girls caused much laughter and fun. The Boys' and Girls' Glee Club supplied the music. Elder spoke on "The Awakening of Japan" in a very able manner. Garnet Long spoke on "Canadian Forests," and proved the necessity of preserving the forests of our country. The judge, Rev. Byron Snell of Alvin, awarded the medal to Garnet Long and presented Arthur Elder with a useful prize, stating that it was difficult to decide, as both addresses were well given. Miss M. Edwards spoke on "Citizenship" and Miss M. Murray on "The Oil Wells of Canada." The medal went to Miss Murray (daughter of the late Archie Murray of Riverside), and a prize to Miss Edwards. Rev. Mr. Snell referred to the loss of the school and its value in a community, stating that untold wealth was wrapped up in this splendid group of young people attending the Melbourne school. The program was prepared by the principal, Miss B. Snell, and her assistant, Miss Hogg. The proceeds will go towards something for the new school.

Melbourne, Feb. 20.—A meeting of the ratepayers was held on Friday evening. Dr. Dewar occupied the chair. The question for discussion was: Shall a new school be built, and where? It was finally decided that a four-room school, to be used as a public and continuation school, be built on the old site. The building will be one storey, 75 feet by 54 feet, and will be erected as soon as possible.

Rev. Mr. Bowen preached at Riverside on Sunday afternoon and in the Presbyterian church here in the evening. A song service was arranged by the choir, with Mrs. Sparham and Charlie Auld as soloists.

At an examination held in the Musical Art building, London, on Feb. 1, for the Toronto Conservatory and University of Music, Mrs. Arch. Stevenson was successful in obtaining the certificate for history, with honors.

One of the most effective vermifuges on the market is Miller's Worm Powders. They will not only clear the stomach and bowels of worms, but will prove a very serviceable medicine for children in regulating the infantile system and maintaining it in a healthy condition. There is nothing in their composition that will injure the most delicate stomach when directions are followed, and they can be given to children in the full assurance that they will utterly destroy all worms.

KILMARTIN

We regret to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. McDonald (nee Margaret McGregor) of Saskatoon.

The funeral of Mrs. Thompson took place to Kilmartin cemetery on Monday of this week. A service was conducted in Burns' church by Rev. Mr. Whitfield of Woodgreen, assisted by Rev. Mr. Robertson. Mrs. Hall was in her 34th year and was in poor health for some time prior to her death. She leaves a husband, three brothers and one sister: Alexander Dewar, of this place; John, formerly of Moss but now of Aldborough; Duncan, in Ohio; and Janet, of Port Huron.

Former Pupil of S. S. No. 9, Moss, Honored.

The Prince Rupert, B. C., Daily News says:—"Hon. Alexander Malcolm Mann, who succeeded J. W. de B. Parris as attorney-general, is one of the youngest as well as one of the ablest of the members of the Legislature. He is in his 39th year but has been a member of the British Columbia bar for 14 years. He was city solicitor for Prince Rupert at the time of its incorporation and for the past two years has been speaker of the Legislature. He is a graduate of Toronto University and of Osgoode Hall." Sanders M. (as we all know him) is a son of Kate McTavish, daughter of the late Alex. McTavish of this place. His mother having died when he was quite young, he stayed with his grandmother and got his public school education in No. 9. We all join in extending "Sanders" our heartiest congratulations on his appointment and hope he will have the honor as well as the pleasure of his coming east and visiting his many friends here.

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STRATHBURN

Mr. Lebert of the Lombardo orchestra, London, spent a few days last week with D. H. McEae, Jr. Mrs. James Treastain spent last week visiting her daughter at Cairo. Ed. Currie is on the sick-list. Stanley Dobie has rented his farm for a year. Mr. and Mrs. Dobie will leave for the West about the last of March.

Muscular Rheumatism Subdued.—When one is a sufferer from muscular rheumatism he cannot do better than to have the region rubbed with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Let the rubbing be brisk and continue until case is secured. There is more virtue in a bottle of it than can be fully estimated.

PARKDALE

Mrs. W. Thretheway and Lyle of London spent a few days with her parents here.

Miss Gladys Miers, Windsor, is visiting at the home of Wm. Martin.

Kathleen Flaher visited Sunday with Mrs. E. Blain.

Geo. Everitt, who is staying with his niece, Mrs. Thos. Haggitt, is at present quite ill.

Wm. Tait is visiting with Charles Nichols.

The quarantine is lifted from the home of A. Brainer and they are able to be out again.

NORTH NEWBURY

No. 7 school has purchased a piano to replace the old organ.

Peter Welsh is building himself a nice little dwelling house on ten acres of lot 17 in the 3rd concession, Mosa.

Robert Plaine, Duncan McCallum and Albert Logan have a number of Indians broken wood.

George Turner has a contract of cutting 30 cords of short wood for Wm. Gage.

Reid Bros. are still cutting and hauling logs, with big force.

Miss Duckworth, teacher of No. 7 school, is able to be on duty again, after an illness.

Gilman Goldrick is recovering from a cold.

At a concert held recently in No. 7 school, the old organ was disposed of by lottery at ten cents a draw. Lachlan McKelvie drew the winning ticket.

METCALFE COUNCIL

Meeting of Metcalfe council held Feb. 6. Members all present. Minutes read, approved and signed.

Moved by Blain and McNaughton that the council hear the Presbyterian delegation.

Moved by Woods and Bennett that the council give a grant of \$10 to Napier library, and that the following accounts be paid:—J. H. Thompson, \$2.00; J. H. Thompson, \$2.75; 200 post cards and printing notice of appointment on same; W. Annett, \$8.15; Brooke townline account, 1921; C. Henry, \$3.00, use of hall for election; R. B. Denning, \$3.00, use of school house; W. Smith, \$3.00, use of school house; D. Galbraith, \$3.00, use of school house for elections.

Moved by McNaughton and Blain that the collector's roll be accepted and that the collector be paid \$7.75 salary and \$4.75 for postage and stationery.

Moved by Bennett and McNaughton that R. McDonald be relieved of duties of taxes on grain store at Walkers.

Moved by Blain and McNaughton that the auditors' report be adopted and the auditors paid—L. Denning, \$10.55, auditing and stationery; A. McLean, \$10.00, auditing.

Emil Duran, \$31.50, work on McEae drain.

Moved by Blain and McNaughton that the request of Messrs. Laughton and Livingston to have the Kettlewell-Laughton drain repaired be granted.

Moved by Blain and McNaughton that A. Livingston be paid \$2.25, error in dog tax, 1921; A. Smith, \$25.00, bridge, Brocks drain.

Moved by Blain and Woods that the Adelaide Telephone Co. by-law be passed.

A. Taylor, \$1.50, shovelling snow, half to Brooke, div. 2.

Moved by Bennett that the treasurer's bond be approved and accepted.

Moved by Blain and Bennett that the Hay Stationery Co. be paid \$62.55, printing financial statements; Chapman, \$22.55, binding assessment roll; C. Henry, \$6.00, preparing financial statements.

Moved by Woods and Blain that C. Beer be paid \$10 for one double cord of wood for hall, to be placed in wood shed.

Moved by Blain and McNaughton that the treasurer of St. Andrew's church deposit \$5 with the township treasurer as a guarantee that the hall will be cleaned after being used by the church; if not, the said money to be returned if the agreement is carried out.

Council adjourned to March 6th at 1 o'clock p.m.

Harry Thompson, Clerk.

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MUST IMPROVE LAWS.

Campaign Started to Help Illegitimate Children.

A great effort to alleviate the lot of illegitimate children, those unfortunate little ones responsible for whose fate rests with erring fathers and mothers, is being made by the National Council of Women.

Crude Ontario laws passed years ago when a crude public sentiment viewed illegitimacy as inevitable and the law sought to protect the father and gave him constant consolation to mother and child, are still in force. And they virtually make pariahs of children born out of wedlock. Under the harsh law of to-day, no illegitimate child has any legal claim on the estate of a parent. And a child born out of wedlock cannot be legitimized by the subsequent marriage of its father and mother. By the statutes of Ontario the sins of the fathers are literally visited upon the poor child. It labors under the handicap of illegitimacy all its life and carries the stigma of its grave.

Even Norway is far ahead of Canada in her treatment of these unfortunate children. Under the Castberg Law passed in 1915 the father is obliged to care for the mother before and for a time after the child's birth. He is also compelled to assume towards an illegitimate child all the obligations he would be under to a legitimate one. The States of Minnesota and North Dakota have similar laws.

The appalling estimate of from 800 to 1,000 illegitimate births for the city of Toronto alone is made by the Neighborhood Workers Association. Say they in their booklet: "The girls who go wrong are the unprotected girls, the ones who are not living at home, but in cheap boarding houses and rooming places and who are dependent for recreation on any chance friends they can pick up." Many births are not registered at all, but the association prints the following significant list of 232 mothers who have come to their notice.

Home address—

Toronto 201

Elsewhere in Ontario 21

England and United States 3

Unknown 7

Age—

21 and under 46

Over 21 113

Unknown 29

Previous illegitimate children 29

Mentality—

Normal 71

Subnormal 43

No record 118

Physical condition—

Good 60

Fair 45

Poor 32

Education—

High School 6

Good 22

Poor 57

No record 147

Religion—

Protestant 147

Roman Catholic 30

Salvation Army 1

Greek Church 1

Jewish 3

Unknown 50

Occupation—

Factory 54

Domestic 25

Waitresses 18

Charwomen 8

Telephone operators 8

Nurses 2

Teacher 1

Miscellaneous 47

Living at home 22

Married 58

Unmarried 174

Nationality—

Canadian 109

Concerning the fathers of these children the information gathered in much more fragmentary. In three quarters of the cases nothing whatever is known about them. In some cases the mothers refuse to divulge the fathers' names. In less than ten per cent. of the cases have the fathers contributed anything whatever to the child's support. Owing to the laxity of the Ontario law the "man in the case" is slipping out of responsibility entirely.

A movement is on foot to improve both the child's legal status and social welfare. Here are some of the recommendations: The state must assume full responsibility for establishing paternity, supervise all adoptions