

# OF INTEREST TO THE DAIRYMAN

## RAISING CALVES

Yes, you rear a larger percentage of our dairy calves find out to their sorrow that the slogan, "Drink more milk," is not for their ears. A few still enjoy the luxury of who's milk as nature intended, but most of them must be content to have their served without cream, whereas many find even skim milk denied them after a few weeks of age. For the calf it is a gloomy outlook; for many dairy-keepers it is a perplexing problem.

It is a real need for a more practical method of raising calves in the fluid-milk territory where there is no skim milk.

Some dairymen who sell their product as fluid milk, skim enough of it to raise their calves. This requires extra labor and trouble and means that there must be a market for the cream, and this is ruled out as impracticable on most farms.

The most common practice is to start the calf on whole milk and change as soon as possible to grain and hay only. This may be the most practicable method, provided enough whole milk is used to give the calf a good start and provided the change is made gradually enough to keep the calf growing regularly and avoid serious digestive troubles. With vigorous calves that quickly develop an appetite for hay and grain the milk can be gradually withdrawn beginning at forty-five to sixty days of age; with others the milk-feeding period may need to be extended a month longer. At least 400 pounds of whole milk will be required by this method and most calves should have 600 pounds or more to give them the right start.

The use of dried skim milk by dissolving one part of it in eight parts of warm water makes a very good substitute for skim milk. Production of dried skim milk is increasing; we need careful studies to determine how

it can best be used and how much the dairyman can afford to pay for it.

## WASHING MILK UTENSILS

In almost every case when we are troubled with high bacteria counts in our milk we eventually trace the cause to dirty milk utensils. The trouble may be in the pails, the cans, the cooler.

Pails and cans with wide-open seams in them give the most trouble. It is our practice to take such utensils to a tinsmith at once and to have everything soldered over smooth. It is then possible to wash them efficiently, because there are no crevices to catch and hold dirt.

We wash utensils by first rinsing in cold water, and then scrubbing with a brush in hot water into which cleaning soda has been put, then rinsing again in cold water, and finally scalding with live steam or very hot water. The water must be so hot that the utensils will dry without wiping.

In order to retain their brightness the utensils are gone over regularly with scouring powder. Such utensils as we can get in seamless form we buy in that way, as it obviates a lot of soldering.

## FOUR PER CENT. BUTTERFAT

There is much being said now to increase the use of fluid-milk and thus encourage and make better the lot of the dairyman. The first thing that we as dairymen must do is to make that milk palatable. I believe that one of the things that will increase the public taste for milk as much as anything is a fair percentage of cream in it. Four per cent. butterfat should be the standard. This makes the milk creamy enough to be attractive and palatable even when pasteurized, and I believe that consumers will be glad to pay for such a milk.

## Home Market Pays.

We live on a 225-acre farm, have 75 peach trees, and raise lots of peaches. We usually arrange to give a sale once a week, generally on Saturday, when people quit work to go to town. The sale is advertised, and a few posters put up, giving the names and prices of what we have to sell. We always serve milk and other farm dainties to the little children while their mothers are busy selecting their products. We generally have peaches, melons, green peppers, tomatoes, roasting ears, cucumbers, honey, butter and nice fresh eggs.

We arrange things nicely on a long table, or kind of bench with two steps, putting the peaches and vegetables in half-bushel and bushel baskets. We try to get a good price, yet give good weight and more for the money than they could buy elsewhere. The ladies from town find it a pleasure to drive out to our home to buy their produce fresh.

We have tried this method for two summers, and also in the fall when we had potatoes and turnips, pears and other late fruits that ripen in September. A sale just before Christmas, say about December 16, should bring a nice profit. This sale should consist of fruits—dried, canned, preserved or fresh; nuts, such as peanuts, pecans and hickory nuts; fruit cakes; young fall chickens; turkeys; butter and eggs.

We always realize good profits, and I am sure almost any one else will, too, if they have just a little patience and time. We find it a pleasurable work as well as profitable. A sale such as this is fine for the children, if you let them help and share in the profits. —M. M.

## Cutworms in the Garden.

Cutworms rank among the worst insect pests of garden and field crop. They are general feeders, attacking all kinds of garden plants, particularly when they are young and succulent in the early part of the season. As a rule, they cease to be troublesome after the end of June. A bulletin on cutworms and their control, distributed free by the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, gives detailed information on this pest and describes the means of control. Poisoned bran is the best remedy for cutworms, and it should be applied as soon as their presence is indicated. For small gardens one quart of bran, one teaspoonful of molasses, and one tablespoonful of water to moisten the mixture, is sufficient. When large quantities are needed use 20 pounds of bran, 1/2 pound Paris green, 1 quart of molasses and 2 to 3 gallons of water. Mix the bran and Paris green thoroughly while dry, dissolve the molasses in the water, and pour it on the mixture, stirring well.

The cutworms hide in the soil during the day and come out to feed at night; therefore, the mixture should be applied immediately after sundown to get the best results. In gardens or fields containing rows of vegetables, it should be scattered thinly along the rows on either sides. Flowering plants may be protected by placing a small quantity of the poisoned bran around, but not touching, each plant.

The only way to keep a circle of friends is always to act on the square.

## How I Delouse My Hens.

Experience has taught me that the easy methods of treating hens for vermin are more or less inefficient. I dip my hens in a sodium fluoride solution, using three tablespoonfuls of the powder to a gallon of water. Examining the hens after using this treatment I have never found a single living louse.

I shut the hens in the henhouse the evening before the day I treat them. I pick a day for the dipping that is warm and bright so that the hens will dry quickly and not chill.

There is an opening with a slide door near the floor in a corner of my henhouse. I put a catching pen there, with some feed in it.

The hens fight to get into the pen. When it is full I close the slide door, then take them, one at a time, through a door in the top and immerse them in a tub containing the dip.

I hold their heads up and ruffle their feathers back so that the dip penetrates to the skin.

Just before releasing them I hold their bills shut and give the head a quick dip, then place them in an empty tub to drain.

They soon hop off to find a breakfast that they won't have to share with a lot of good-for-nothing lice.

This method requires quite a lot of time, but it is almost 100 per cent. efficient and does not need to be repeated very soon. —S. N.

## Mold in Silage.

Mold in silage is the result of organisms which work in the presence of air. The natural fermentation which occurs in corn cut slightly green uses up the air imprisoned in the mold. Silage, therefore, must be thoroughly packed and settled in order to keep well. The taller the silo the better the silage will keep. Thorough setting of silage is facilitated by the observance of the following points: First, cutting into pieces from one-half to one inch in length and keeping the knives sharp at all times. Dull knives and ragged cutting, so that stalks and husk go into the silo in chunks, are responsible for many mold spots. Second, making sure that the corn contains plenty of moisture, either in the stalk or by the addition of water. Third, thorough tramping while the silo is being filled.

## Dock the Lambs.

Docked lambs bring better prices than those which are not docked. An easy way to dock is for one man to gather the four legs together and press the lamb tightly against his body with his head up and feet out. When in that position, a second man, with a sharp knife, cuts the tail one inch or so from the body. At that distance the skin of the body merges into the tail on the under side. Cut between the joints. If docking is done when the lamb is not more than a week old, it will not suffer from the loss of blood. Hot pincers are often used to cut off the tail and when used the searing prevents bleeding. Do not dock lambs in the hot season when flies are numerous.

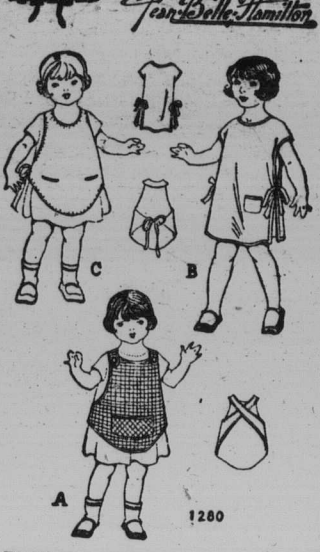
## Loss of Top-Soil.

When the timber goes to the mill, the soil goes to the sea. Bare hills let water run away into streams so swiftly that the rich top-soil goes along. Two things that help check this terrible loss of fertile top-soil are reforesting rough land, and keeping rolling land in some kind of farm crops that do not require any cultivation.

## Get Rid of Ticks.

If ticks have bothered the sheep, try this: About a week after shearing the ewes, dip the lambs in a barrel or tank of some kind if no dipping vat is available. When the ewes have been dipped the ticks can't hang on any longer and all that are left will soon be on the lambs. By dipping the lambs the main brood of ticks is destroyed before they multiply and get back on the old sheep. —W.

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## How He Knew.

Timmons—"The best way to lose a friend is to lend him money."

Watson—"Did you find that out by lending or borrowing?"

## TASTY DISHES I MAKE FROM WILD GREENS

By NELL B. NICHOLS

My first experience in preparing tasty dishes from wild greens was not many seasons ago. I'll confess, too, that it was quite accidental. I was on my way to a meadow on our farm, Oak Hills, in search of the first wild flowers. Along the path I noticed many green shoots lifting their heads. I began to wonder how many different kinds of edible greens were on the place. I decided to find out, and from that day many common weeds were served on my table.

I have employed the following greens in the making of appetizing dishes: watercress, leeks, dandelions, curly-leaf, field sorrel, horse-radish, chicory, cinnamon fern, burdock, milkweed, purslane and parsley.

Home economics schools are agreed on the health properties of green foodstuffs. As an aid in reviving the jaded appetite they have no substitutes. These common weeds contain large amounts of vitamins and they are rich sources of the minerals which make red blood and energy.

## PREPARING GREENS

After the greens are gathered they are looked over carefully and washed. I always discard the coarse leaves and stems. I prefer to wash the leaves in warm water first, then they are plunged into cold water. This process is continued until all the sand and grit is removed. I either place the plants in cold water or wrap them in a damp cloth and set them in a cool place. Either treatment aids in making them crisp.

My family is fond of a mixture of horseradish, dandelions and dock. If I am going to serve plain greens I chop the cooked leaves and season them with salt and pepper. Then I place them in a skillet containing a little melted butter or bacon fat. Onions are relished in our household, so a little minced onion is added. After simmering a few minutes the greens are ready for the table.

Leeks, frequently called wild onions, are adaptable foods. Chopped fine they are delicious in salads. When they are cooked in a small amount of water containing a pinch of soda this wild vegetable may be served on toast with butter in a French fashion. Cooked with a true stalk of celery and made into cream soup, leeks are delectable. I remember having tasted such a soup in a fashionable restaurant in Paris.

Cheese combines nicely with leeks. One of the recipes I use calls for a dozen leeks, six potatoes and one-half cup grated cheese. The leeks are boiled, as are the sliced potatoes. The vegetables are arranged in a buttered baking dish. One cup milk thickened with two tablespoonfuls flour is poured over the mixture. Then the cheese is added. Bread crumbs and seasonings of salt and pepper are sprinkled on top. The dish is baked about twenty minutes.

## BURDOCKS AND MILKWEED

I learned by bitter experience that the juicy stems of burdock must be scraped or peeled carefully before being eaten. Then they are good served with salt like celery stalks. Or they may be cooked in a small amount of water and buttered. I always remove the woolly outer covering of the cinnamon fern before using the plant.

In my neighborhood the milkweed is not good to eat after the first part of June. Some way the flavor is spread between the blossoms appear, and the plant becomes tough and fibrous. The milkweed, on account of its rare, delicate flavor, is

cultivated in gardens throughout France. There it is sown every few weeks just as we sow peas.

A simple manner of preparing milkweed is to cook the young shoots in a little water until they are tender. Then they are drained and seasoned with salt. I place a layer of the milkweed in a buttered casserole and sprinkle it with dots of butter and grated cheese. I repeat this process until all the milkweed is used. Then grated cheese and buttered crumbs are spread over the top. The baking dish is set in the oven until the crumbs are browned.

Another happy use for cooked milkweed stalks is to chop them fine and add them to eggs that are being scrambled. Milkweed salad also is toothsome. The French combine the cooked stalks with strips of pimento and serve them on lettuce leaves with salad dressing to which tomato catsup has been added.

## DANDELION SANDWICH

Dandelions as a rule are served as plain greens. A delicious sandwich filling may be fashioned from the uncooked leaves and stalks. I chop them well and season with salt and pepper. If celery salt is available it is used, or a few sprigs of celery, chopped, are good. The mixture is moistened with salad dressing.

Sorrel is enjoyed by children who like to eat nature's gifts. Its appetizing flavor, which is slightly acid, adds an appeal to many dishes. One of my recipes that gives good results is as follows: Cook two and one-half cups sorrel leaves, which have been washed and chopped very fine, in a pan containing three tablespoons butter, one chopped onion, a few sprigs of parsley and four or five lettuce leaves. Stir constantly during a few minutes of cooking. Stir in two and one-half tablespoons flour. Then add two and one-half quarts of boiling water while stirring constantly. Cook twenty-five minutes. Add three cups hot milk and one cup mashed potatoes. Season with salt and pepper. Serve this soup piping hot.

All greens may be used in making wholesome soups. I have a standard recipe which is satisfactory. Two cups milk are thickened with two tablespoons flour and season with one tablespoon butter. Then two thin slices of bacon are cut in small pieces and cooked in a skillet until light brown in color. One small onion, chopped, is added and cooked until brown. Then the thickened milk and one cup cooked greens, which have been rubbed to a pulp, are added. Stir well during the cooking. Just before serving add one hard-cooked egg yolk which has been rubbed through a sieve.

## SERVE ON TOAST

Cooked greens of all kinds may be served on toast. I find they are especially appropriate in the supper menu. Two cups of cooked greens are chopped fine and heated. To them one and one-half tablespoons onion juice and two tablespoons horseradish are added. Four tablespoons of sour cream are stirred in with sufficient salt and pepper to suit the taste. This mixture is spread evenly on slices of warm buttered toast. As a garnish I use two slices of minced cucumber pickles on every slice of the toast.

For Sunday evening suppers sandwiches are convenient. My family welcomes a filling mass of greens. To one cup of crisp greens, which are chopped fine, one-half pimento, minced, one-half cupful cottage cheese and six tablespoons of broken nut meats are added. Salad dressing is used to moisten and a little salt is added if desired. This filling is spread between buttered slices of bread. For variation I frequently substitute chopped raisins for the cheese in this sandwich filling.

which the butter is covered. The cut will be straight and sure, and the knife free from grease.

Tie the strands of a new broom firmly together, and allow the broom to soak for an hour in a pan of very hot water, when the service and resiliency of the broom will be much increased.

To extract onion juice, cut one slice from the root end and rub in a rotary motion upon a coarse grater.

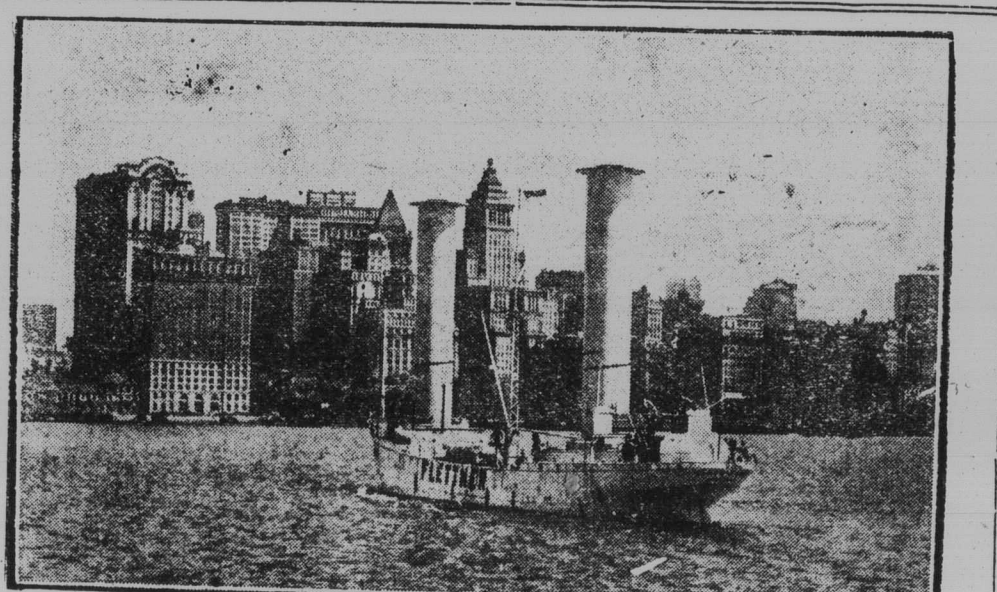
White silk, when washed, should be rinsed in water containing one teaspoonful of alcohol or one quart of water. To stiffen or freshen silk ribbon rinse in a weak solution of white sugar and water.

In cutting rags for woven rugs, beam up all straight pieces in tubular shape, leaving the ends marked by the width of the strips to be cut. Then, beginning at one end, one may tear one continuous strip for a ball, needing scissors only as one reaches the 8 in. each time.

Bread crusts, if dried slowly in an almost-cold oven and stowed away for crumbs, will not mould.

Jellies which have soured may be utilized in mince-meat pie.

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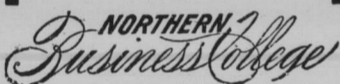
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Northbound ..... 8.51 p.m.

His attention being attracted by someone calling him, Mr. A. P. Reuber who was motoring up town Sunday morning put his head out of the car just as he was about to turn round at Schwartz-Barber's corner and in doing so one fender struck a telephone pole and caused sufficient of a jar to throw his young daughter Noreen, who was sitting beside him, off the seat against the windshield, breaking the glass and inflicting a gash in the child's upper lip which necessitated a couple of stitches to close.—Port Elgin Times.

**Wit and Humor**

The flapper will never make a good runner. She is too ready to stop at the first lap.

Why criticize the younger generation? Isn't it the product of the one before?

We still think that the worst error ever made by a newspaper was not the time when an auction sale and an account of a wedding got mixed up with dire results, but rather when a New York daily changed the heading of the shipping news and the obituaries so that the death notices appeared in the column headed: "Passed through Hell Gate yesterday."

No Hurry  
One chilly evening in the early part of March the sheriff entered the county jail, and addressing the colored person who occupied the strongest cell, said:

"Gabe, you know that under the law my duty requires me to take you out of here tomorrow and hang you. So I've come to tell you that I want to make your final hours on earth as pleasant as possible. For your last breakfast you can have anything to eat that you want. What do you think you'd like to have?"

The condemned man studied for a minute.  
"Mr. Lukins," he said, "I b'lieves I'd like to have a nice watermelon."  
"But watermelons won't be ripe for four or five months yet," said the sheriff.

"Well, suh," said Gabe, "I kin wait."

Some girls avoid marriage because they regard it as the extra syllable which turns syncope into sink-occupation.

A Little Truth  
Men go to church  
Their eyes to close  
While women go  
To eye their clothes.

The barber chairs were all occupied by flappers when we entered the other day—five minds with but a shingle thought, ch.

"Squeaks" says a floating item "are caused by poor lubrication." Our politicians should pass the oil can.

Would Be Suitable  
A young lady inquires what kind of shoes do we think would go best with her new dress. Well, after giving the costume the once over we would suggest she wear hip boots.

A young woman had aspirations to be a singer, and, as is so often the case, little else who went to a vocal teacher for a try-out before arranging to take lessons. The professor sat down and played a selection while the budding but ambitious singer poured out her choicest assortment of notes. When all was o'er, the professor swung around on his stool and in a wrathful voice said: "Ach, Gott! Never have I heard such a voice. I play on der vite keys and I play on der black keys, and you sing in der crack!"

**NO PLACE LIKE HOME**

This new ballad by Walt Mason the well-known American writer will be appreciated. To add a local touch to the composition we have substituted a word in the last line.  
"Mid pleasures and palaces though? I may wend, I find the home merchant a much valued friend. The mail order catalogue woos me in vain, for to buy without seeing gives me a pain. The home merchant credits till pay day arrives; he knows all the whims of his friends and their wives. His overalls wear like the buckskin of old, his buttons ain't brass if he tells you they're gold. Of every community he is a part, and even the kids know the path to his heart. He boosts for the chapel, the lodge and the school; community uplift is ever his rule. And even the baseball team looks kindly on him in the athletic dream. I'd rather have him at my elbow each day than to deal with some one furlongs away. Let's make the thing mutual and stand by our friend, there's no place like Mildmay for money to spend."

**GYPSY BAND VISIT TOWN**

Money Missed—Long Chase and Return with Prisoners

On Tuesday afternoon a band of gypsies drove into Palmerston in three large touring cars and proceeded to visit stores, tell fortunes and to occupy themselves in diverse manner according to their custom. The party consisted of fifteen or sixteen individuals, men, women and children with the children in the majority. Their visit to Palmerston lasted about an hour and they left town by the Harriston road.

Almost immediately after their departure, Sam Sparks, harnessmaker at Cherry Bros. found that he had been robbed of \$45.00. Two women of the party had visited this shop and after they had gone the till was found to be short that amount. Mr. Sparks lost little time in informing Constable Wilson of the occurrence and in a short time he was on their trail.

Some time was lost in following the trail owing to the fact 'hat it was thought that they had proceeded to Harriston. After some time information was received that they had turned down the 4th of Minto.

Fordwich was communicated with and word received that they had just passed through that village. Mr. Jos. Chalmers and Chief Wilson then started the hunt in earnest. The route taken by the gypsy band was a devious one as they apparently shunned all towns and villages and preferring the back roads. The hunters were misled several times and much time was lost. West of Clifford no trace could be found of them for some time. Formosa was visited without result but just at dusk they were located between Mildmay and Formosa on a side road preparing to camp for the night. Taking charge of the two women suspected of committing the theft the party returned to Palmerston accompanied by two male members of the band. The women were lodged in the cells.

The gypsies protested their innocence but the men appeared quite willing to give up the amount alleged to have been stolen and to pay any cost. Magistrate Hillyer was advised of the circumstances and on his advice a settlement was made and the women released. They left town immediately.

Chief Wilson is to be complimented on his part in this affair for the party apparently criss-crossed thru the country with the purpose of rendering any pursuit most difficult. Mr. Jos. Chalmers drove sixty-five miles in pursuit and willingly cooperated in every way with the Chief—Palmerston Spectator.

**GARAGE ENTERED  
TIRES AND MONEY STOLEN**

A chain of garage robberies, apparently the work of amateurs, was perpetrated on Saturday night or Sunday morning, when Bruce Berry's gas station at Brucefield was entered and a number of automobile tires and about \$50 in cash stolen. An entrance was effected by boring holes around the lock, which was removed. It is supposed that the same gang operated at Epp's garage, Varna, and Westlake's garage. Bayfield, which were entered in a similar manner the same night, and a quantity of goods taken from each. The thieves made a clean get-away, leaving apparently no clues to work on. Last year some such thing happened at Kippen. It will be a pity if this gang is not caught. Provincial Constable Whitesides of Goderich is working on the case.—Clinton News-Record.

**"DARE-DEVIL BILL"  
PAINTS THE CLOCK**

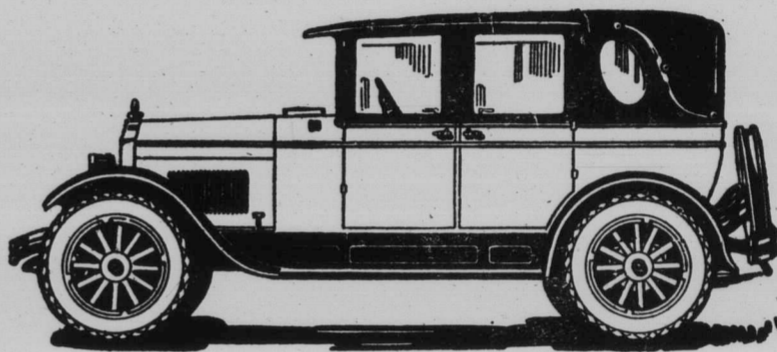
Our townsman, William Berry, who has a reputation for pulling off many hair-raising stunts, has again been in the limelight during the past week.  
Some time ago, upon the recommendation of the Board of Trade and Town Council, the government decided to have the dials of the post-office clock repainted to make them more readable. Some one had undertaken to do the job, and of course Bill Berry was the logical man for this hazardous adventure.  
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They dream of farms, those city folk Who know the great town's heavy yoke

Who on their flesh feel every stroke Of trade's unflagging whips.  
They dream of farms and maple trees,

Of clover fields and drowsy bees, As those sad exiles far from seas Dream still of ships.

They dream of farms, of soil and sod Where their forefathers, farmers, trod

And shared the mystery with God Of giving green things birth.  
They long to leave the city shrill, Where souls are ground in greed's great mill,

They want to find, and own, and till Their share of earth.

And we who long have had in fee What they so yearn for ceaselessly, We hold our treasure carelessly, And even half despise

These fields, a too familiar sight, The little farmhouse warm with light  
That seems, to hosts who dream to-night A paradise.

The rate of assessment by the Workmen's Compensation Board of Ontario for 1925 was 25 cents per \$100 in the payroll in the job printing business. This was the lowest rate of any of the industries except Clothing manufacturing which was 10 cents. Boot and Shoe Manufacturing, Laundries, Piano Manufacturing were each 30 cents. Rates for other callings ranged up to \$5.00 for Logging, payroll under \$5,000. Quarrying and Structural Steel erection, which are the most dangerous occupations. In the United States the rates were very much higher with few exceptions, one of which was for printing in Ohio, where the rate was only 20 cents. In Michigan it was 59 cents and in New York \$1.04.

Customs collections at the Port of Kincairdine for the year ending March 31st, amounted to \$91,145.32 and was the largest collection for any one year in the history of the port.

If children are permitted to do as they please and to go where they please, they will be playing in the sand pile of the devil's back yard before mother has played three hands of the bridge game.

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FLOUR FEED & GROCERIES

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Local Agent

## LAKELET

Well! the Goderich crowd were here on Monday afternoon as pre-arranged, and they say they had their 10c cigars and by way of variation one smoked cigarettes. So far as we can learn, nothing definite was done. The engineer, Mr. Edgar of Orange Hill has been asked to make a survey and get an estimate of the cost of a ditch. Mr. Edgar will likely do his seeding first and by the time he has his report in to the County Council, we would judge a month will have gone. Then if the cost is to be too great, no doubt they will buy a roadway off P. Dickert and by the time the road is com-

pleted we will have sleighing. The Engineers made a survey of this same ground a few years ago, got a good thing for it and there it ended. Now that Mr. Dickert will sell them a roadway, when a good road could be built for about one-tenth of the ditching is it fair to tax farmers beyond their ability to pay it, even if the County has the power? A ditch will take the surface water off but the roadway which is inundated now will still sink and be a bill of expense for years to come. Some indecision!

The majority of the farmers will finish seeding this week. Quite a number are plowing up the fall wheat as it is the worst in years. It is a big loss to the country. It is very seldom a wheat crop is a failure in Howick.

Some fishing for suckers! There are dozens round every night. We have been looking for Henry Reipert up from Kitchener. If some one would catch them, prepare them for the table and pick out all the bones we could relish them as well as anyone.

Often a heavenly looking man is no earthly good.

Business is taking other people's money and having other people take yours.

There is one thing certain—that a community in which there is a high percentage of home-owners is likely to be well-governed, progressive and advantageous to live in. Home ownership makes for civic loyalty, local pride and zeal for community welfare. Of that there is no question—especially when the business and farming communities get together as they should.

## FOUND DEAD BEHIND HEDGE

Mr. Wm. A. Taylor, an old countryman, who for some years past has been living in Southampton, was found by a milk boy lying dead behind the hedge at Major Tolmie's home in Southampton, about 9 o'clock on Sunday morning last. Taylor, who had some business to discuss with Major Tolmie, went to the latter's home about 10 o'clock Saturday night, and on leaving is thought to have been seized with a stroke. He went to the right side of the terrace and collapsed behind the hedge. When he did not show up at his home his two sons went to the Tolmie home in search of him, and as it was suspected that something of the like had befallen him the grounds were scanned and search was made even under the hedge, but he was not found until about 9 o'clock Sunday morning when the milk boy calling at the Tolmie home happened to pass behind the hedge and found Taylor lying dead. Dr. Laird, coroner, was called and pronounced death due to apoplexy but stated he had only been dead about an hour. Deceased leaves a wife and two sons in Southampton and one son in England. The funeral took place to Southampton cemetery on Tuesday afternoon.

## WILL THEY BE CANARIES

Ten feet from the ground, in a fine old fir tree on the farm of Mr. Alex Harrison of Pilkington Township, sits an unusual hen, quietly awaiting the welcome sound of breaking shells and the tiny voices of new hatched chicks. Last year, this remarkable biddy, a pure bred Plymouth Rock, broke away from the traditions of her family and made her nest high up in the fir tree. Long before the eggs were hatched they fell through to the ground and were destroyed. This year, Mr. Harrison noticed that she was again bent on providing herself with a nest in mid air, and so he placed a box ten feet up on the tree, where the nest was made and where the procession of incubation goes quietly along. The unusual procedure has aroused considerable interest in the neighborhood, where the outcome is being awaited with interest. What will the expected brood turn out to be. Will they be canaries, orioles or some of the other feathered songsters that are usually brought to life in the tree tops, or will they, despite location and environment be mere Plymouth Rocks just as they would have been had they been hatched in the hen-house or under the oat box in one of the angers of the horse stable?

## NEW ADVERTISING SCHEDULE

An Ontario editor is tired of running free advertisements and in an "ad" of his own tells the world about it as follows:

"Here you will find a schedule of prices from which no deviation will be made, but we hope to donate a certain percentage of our earnings towards founding an asylum for feeble-minded people who believe an editor has a soft snap.

"For telling our readers that a man is a successful citizen when everybody knows he is a lazy bench-warmer, \$2.75.

"Referring to one as a hero and a man of courage and one who will stand by his convictions when everybody knows he is a moral coward and would sell out for a dime, \$4.13.

"Referring to some gossipy female as an estimable lady whom it is a pleasure to meet and know, when every man in town would rather see Satan coming, \$8.10.

"Calling an ordinary preacher an eminent divine, 54 cents.

"Lambasting the daylight out of John Barleycorn at the behest of the local dry forces, \$6.77.

"Whooping 'em up for the repeal of the O.T.A. law in the interest of the White Mule Club, \$6.77.

"Referring to a deceased merchant who never advertised and who was too stingy to contribute toward needed public improvements, as a leading citizen and a progressive resident, \$344.95.

## SHOULD INFORM THE PUBLIC

A number of newspapers are taking up the question of the notifying of the public, or rather the lack of notification, of new laws passed in the legislature. The old adage that "ignorance of the law is no extenuation" may be quite all right in certain cases, but the number of new

laws and amendments to old laws that are passed each session, of which the average person is not apprised, don't give a person much chance. It is certainly true that much of this legislation goes through without the general public being given any definite information. A summary of all legislation enacted should be prepared by the government and sent to every municipal council and newspaper of the province in an opinion that will be endorsed generally.

## MAKE A WILL

Among educational campaigns being conducted under various auspices is one giving every man and every woman a reminder of the duty of making a will and of appointing competent and responsible executors. The importance of this should be plain, yet thousands die yearly without leaving wills. Under the circumstance, their property is disposed of according to state laws which cannot undertake to deal with the families in accordance with individual requirements. Frequently injustice results, with much suffering, entailed. This emphasizes the duty of making a will. Men and women should realize that only in this way can their estates be distributed as they would wish.

The chief trouble, however, is simply neglect. Some who realize their duty to have their wills drawn keep putting off the discharge of it to "another time." But a fatal accident or a sudden illness affecting their minds and rendering them mentally incompetent to the end may occur and, obviously, make it impossible to repair the neglect. While the normal expectation of those in their prime is to live "to three score and ten" or more, it is only common sense and common prudence to recognize the uncertainty of life.

Although the drawing of a will naturally takes into consideration the certainty of the coming of death some time to the testator, it should

constantly be kept uppermost that the whole purpose of the instrument is the service of life; the care of the "dear ones" of the decedent who remain behind or the cause of humanity in general.

The drawing of a will ought to be recognized as a thing not to be "put off."

## FOUND DYING IN DITCH

Colin Ward, a young man who resides near Lion's Head, died in the hospital there on Wednesday night last under the circumstances which to say the least were rather unusual. It seems that on Monday night Ward attended a dance a few miles away from the village, and while there it is alleged that there

was no shortage of moonshine whiskey, and that the young man had indulged freely, but what happened after the dance is rather mysterious. It is known, however, that Ward was picked up alongside the road some distance away from the scene of the festivities, and taken into a farm house, from where he was later removed to the hospital at Lion's Head. His condition was such that Dr. H. G. Murray, of Owen Sound, was sent for, and an examination revealed the fact that there had been a perforation of the tissues of the stomach, which was the ultimate cause of his death. It was but a couple of months ago that the father of the young man took his own life by shooting himself in his bedroom. He mother and several children survive. There will be no inquest. The funeral took place on Friday afternoon last.

## NEW ROAD MAP OF ONTARIO

Hon. George S. Henry, Minister of Highways, has authorized the publication of a new road map of Ontario for the use of motorists and tourists. Inquiries have been coming in for the past two weeks from fishing parties from Ohio, Pennsylvania and New York, asking for information about

roads and fishing grounds.

The new map will have all the provincial highways in red, the lake and waterways in blue, while the hunting and camping grounds will be over-printed in red. The country roads will also be designated by numbers. Lakes, cities, towns and villages will be easily found from the alphabetical list on the back of the map. The maps are to be sold at a nominal price.

From a divorce report: "She claims that marriage is nothing but a delusion and a snore."

The best man is said to be the busiest person at a wedding. Yes, but the groom is the busiest even after.

In an address given recently by Hon. J. S. Martin, Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, the advantages of an early training on the farm for boys was emphasized. A large percentage of the successful business men of the cities point with pride to their early association with the farm. At a meeting of railway magnates in the United States presided over by Chauncey Depew, every man present spent his boyhood on the farm. Sheer force of will and pluck had been factors in the advancement of these men, but it was their early acquaintance with work that told in later life. Mr. Martin further pointed out that the abnormal condition during and directly after the war had disorganized farming to some extent. This, however is being overcome and there is little to complain of in most branches of farming. There is more certainty, he thought, in the mixed farming of Ontario than that of Western Canada. There is a general evenness of crop in the province that shows a steady increase every year. Further, the inflated prices of land that developed from speculations in Iowa and other western states had not been experienced on this side of the line and there is a stability here that makes for success.

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## HISTORY OF SPICES INTERWOVEN WITH EARLY ROMANCE AND WAR

Nowadays the nations of the earth can get up a tremendous amount of excitement over oil wells and rubber trees. And it hasn't been so long either since some of our ancestors used to pop out from behind a palm-covered island to take a pot shot at the Spanish treasure galleons. But it has been hundreds and hundreds of years since cloves were a part of a bride's dowry and men sold the shirts off their backs or bartered their immortal souls to bring back a cargo of cinnamon, nutmeg and pepper to some chilly city in northern Europe. It may be gaudy, but the world needs nowadays or a good 5-cent cigar. But once upon a time, long before Queen Elizabeth was putting the flirty young princes of Europe in their places, merchants wanted ginger, rubarb and the precious root called galingale.

In the Middle Ages the spices came across the deserts of Arabia by camel train, traveling at night usually to escape the burning sun. Sometimes the merchants came from the mysterious lands to the east by way of the freezing Caucasus, where men were alternately robbed, frozen and burned by pillaging tribes, mountain snow and desert sun.

**Some Spicy History.**  
It was all very mysterious to people in the north. They knew that the spices eventually reached the rich city of Alexandria, in Egypt, where Germans from Bremen, Italians from Genoa and Venice and Flemings from Ghent used to go in their crazy little ships to buy their cargoes. There was

a theory abroad that somewhere near the headwaters of the Nile was the Paradise of Adam and Eve. There was a river in Eden called Gihon, and the spice trees bent over it. They dropped the spice into the river, it floated down the Nile to Alexandria, and the Egyptians gathered it up to sell—the pirates! All they did was to collect it, but they charged enormous prices for it just the same.

**Absolutely Necessary.**  
One thing was certain, however, cinnamon, cloves, nutmegs and mace were absolutely necessary in medieval cooking. They even put pepper into their sweetened pastry, and their meats were always stuffed with everything from sugar and honey to cubebs. They had to do it. Breeding fat cattle for food in those days was not what it is now. Besides, even Charlemagne or Frederick Barbarossa had no ice boxes. When the meat became a little bit rank the imperial cooks used to disguise it as best they could. Some of the recipes indicate that they were not unsuccessful. Our own mince-meat goes back to the days when everything was spiced to the limit. It is practically the only descendant we have of medieval dishes.

The kings and nobles knew that spices were indispensable to a well-kept table. A skylark was best cooked with raisins and cinnamon. A venison pasty needed cloves and nutmeg, and so did wine. When an ambassador went on a journey the king gave him an allowance of cinnamon and cardamom and other things to take along.

### "Evil Communications Corrupt Good Manners."

"Train up a child in the way he should go," is an oft-quoted saying of the wise man which is emphasized by the friends and workers of the Sunday school in the moral teaching of the youth of the land. Thousands of boys and girls have received excellent training in the Bible through the efforts of faithful and self-sacrificing teachers in the Sunday schools.

But what about music? Has the average Sunday school scholar acquired a taste for the higher and better music through the hymns that have been sung from Sunday to Sunday, or has he acquired a taste for the light and frivolous, one might almost say the "jazz" or so-called sacred music.

Some Sunday schools have bravely tackled the music problem, and have made serious effort to secure the best leadership in the best music available. But too often there is a haphazard selection of the hymns to be sung, and the light, lilted modern tune is used to some frothy rhyme that teaches absolutely nothing of the great truths of the Christian religion.

"Evil communications corrupt good manners," is another proverb that may be used in this connection. Children love to sing good music, but give them a few Sundays of the lighter stuff, and they lose their taste for the better. The best music is never too good for a Sunday school, and even though it may seem a little more difficult to introduce it, a few Sundays of careful prearrangement, and just as careful teaching, will give the scholars an added zest in the music.

Many Canadian people will respond to the national appeal for the protection of the forests for the sake of preserving the natural beauty of the land. Songbirds are heard most joyously where trees are plentiful, where they nest and live. Tree-planting on the prairies has been accompanied by a welcome increase in bird population. Happily the leaders of all parties in the Federal Parliament and in the provinces are united in endorsing the national crusade to save the forests.

## FRANKNESS AND TRUTH

By Mary E. Stover.

A neighbor had volunteered to stay with little Ruth and Ellwood while their mother went shopping. "Do they know that you are going?" this woman asked, when she appeared in the kitchen doorway with a knitting bag over one arm.

"No, I haven't told them yet, but there'll be time enough before I start for my car."

"Don't say a word to them! They're playing all right now, and you can slip out this back way without their suspecting a thing. They may not miss you for an hour."

The mother hesitated, but only for words with which to make a tactful reply. She decided that candor was best. "I couldn't slip away from the children so. It would be too great a strain on their faith in me. They have a right to suppose that they will find me at home or else know when and where I went just as it is my right to expect the same of them. If I should slip away in secret, they might feel themselves justified in following the same course."

The accommodating neighbor is childish; but her troubled eyes have watched big and little children, even to those of six-foot size, slinking away to places and companionship of which their parents would not approve.

"I don't know how often deceitful children are the result of deceitful parents, but I guess your way is best,

though it must bring on a lot of teasing and fussing every time you leave home," she sighed. "No, it doesn't. From babyhood both the children have been accustomed to my bidding them good-bye for a little while. They know that I will never leave them uncared for nor stay away an unreasonable time. Come, let me introduce you as their temporary auntie; then listen to our farewells."

The good-hearted neighbor followed outdoors with some misgivings, but she found that these children took their mother's going sensibly. After watching to wave their ray "hankies" as she turned the corner, they contentedly went back to their play.

The neighbor recalled thoughtfully the scenes in which her young nephews and nieces always indulged when they found their parents gone. "This must be another proof that honesty is the best policy with children—especially when you begin with it from the first," was her comfortable decision as she sat knitting in peace.

It is the best policy to be honest and frank with children. Deceit may seem more profitable for a while, but it brings a penalty in suspicious children who naturally fall into deceitful ways themselves. Indeed, whoever is troubled by deceitful traits in a child should scan her own ways and speech with care. Deceitfulness and candor both seem to be highly contagious to children. It is for us to choose which they shall "catch" from us.



Rt. Hon. George H. Roberts  
Former minister of labor and food controller of Great Britain during the transport strike in 1919, who believes that the great strike in England goes beyond the immediate question of wages, but is aimed at nationalization of the mines. Failure of the strike, he says, will mean crippling of the unions for many years to come.

### Marvellous Memories.

Among the various feats of memory which have been recorded from time to time, the achievement of a member of the staff of the Prussian State Library deserves a special notice.

He has specialized in weather reports, and claims to remember exactly what sort of time we had on any day that can be mentioned between 1831 and the present year. Name the day, and he will tell you all about it—he will even give you the official thermometer and barometer readings.

His claims have been tested by the Meteorological Society of Berlin, and, according to reports, that body has been quite unable to "catch him out." Memory, of course, is largely a matter of training, and some marvellous demonstrations of the extent to which it can be cultivated have been given from time to time.

Dates, for instance, would put a date—and the correct date—to any event you liked to name; while another cultivator of the same branch of knowledge, a stoker, memorized the whole of Haydn's "Dictionary of Dates."

One of the pioneers of steeplechasing, Colonel Charrat, had also this amazing knack. He once memorized the day's issue of a newspaper, advertisements included, for a wager.

After these feats, the ability, enjoyed by Macaulay and Lord Randolph Churchill, to repeat a page of print after a single reading seems a small thing.

### A Two-Ton Carpet.

Cleaning at Windsor Castle is a herculean task. The special dread of the royal spring cleaners is beating the two-ton carpet which covers the floor of the Waterloo Chamber—the royal dining room, during Ascot week, when the King and Queen make Windsor their headquarters.

It takes sixty men to carry this massive "rug" downstairs to the lavas. Eighty feet long and 40 feet wide, it is the wonderful carpet which took the prisoners of Agra seven years to weave.

### Hockey Among the Irish.

The rather active game of hockey does not fit the temperament of Irish lasses of today. It would appear from complaints made by spectators, who assert that the players are addicted to "bad language" on the field. Officials of Ireland's governing body for that sport are little concerned, believing the colleens will denigrate their utterances without compulsion.

### Red-Letter New Testament.

Bind up three hundred pages in a book.

Typed large for wondering childish eyes to claim.

And wear it in your pocket where none look.

Upon your treasure in morocco frame; Print all the Master's words in crimson ink.

And you will see how very few they show;

But on the least of all their phrases think—

The seed of beauty thousand-fold shall grow.

I am the Light of the World. If ye believe

Ye may remove this mountain to the sea.

All things ye ask in prayer ye shall receive.

Lo, I am with you always. Follow me. And, if it were not so, I would have told.

Oh, these are words with more than edge of gold.

—Isabel Fliske Conant in Christian Science Monitor.

### Eating Sunlight.

When the scientists began to investigate the riddle of cod-liver oil they found that this oil had more disease-fighting properties than any other known substance. What made it so potent in combating ill-health?

It was ultimately ascertained that cod-fish, from whose livers this oil is prepared, feed entirely upon a sea-vegetable which floats upon the surface of the water. In other words, they feed upon sun-drenched food and nothing else.

But it was a long time before anyone thought of applying this knowledge in a practical way to other foods. That has now been done.

The action of sunlight upon disease has long been known and understood. The unseen, but potent ultra-violet rays fortify the blood against invading germs. The same results are obtainable by means of artificial sun lamps.

But it is not yet possible to give this treatment to all sick people. Many ailing people, especially little children, live in remote districts, far from the nearest artificial sunlight clinic. How were these patients to be treated with sunlight?

The solution came when it was decided to see what effect food radiated under these powerful light-batteries would have upon the sufferers. In a northern hospital food was radiated, packed, and distributed to remote patients.

How were results to be checked? One of the diseases readily curable by artificial sunlight is rickets, which leaves bones soft. A number of small rickety patients were X-rayed before the sun-impregnated food treatment was started. And they were again X-rayed after a course of sun-food. The pictures showed that bone had actually been formed by the sunlight absorbed into the food.

### Sure Proof.

A particularly sour and plain-looking woman had come to consult the doctor, and was explaining her symptoms. "Do you know, doctor," she said, "I'm always thinking that a man is following me. Do you think I suffer from hallucinations?"

"Absolutely certain you do, madam," came the prompt reply.

### Clamps for Concrete Moulds.

Notched metal clamps have been invented to hold the forms used for making concrete columns, to save time and labor.

By the overflowing of the Yellow River, an area of more than 1,500 square miles of China has recently been flooded. This is stated to be the worst flood since 1887.

## TEN GOOD HINTS FOR PAINTERS

Every one about the farm and home should be able to do a little occasional painting, and do it skillfully. The following simple hints have been gathered from practical experience, and from cabinet-makers of the old school; all of them are tried and tested. They should help the amateur.

1. Turpentine will soften putty as quickly as oil. To keep putty moist and pliable, place on a piece of glass or tin.

2. In thinning prepared paint, always follow directions printed on the label.

3. If you stand brushes in water over night, do not sink them below the bristles, or the wood will swell and burst the casings. The best stunt is to hang them in raw linseed-oil, so the bristles are just covered, in a covered vessel.

4. To remove fresh paint from anything, including brushes, use gasoline. Its action is far more rapid and perfect than turpentine, and it is much more pleasant to use.

5. To put a new brush in proper condition for painting, dip it in paint and

lay it aside for several hours, turning it over once during this time.

6. An oil stain like mahogany can be put on a hard and glossed surface without any roughing of the surface.

7. To paint wicker-work, thin the paint so that it is runny, and use a long-bristle brush that is limber in the bristles.

8. To refinish a hard surface that has become scratched and bruised, it is not necessary to burn away and scrape away all of the old surface. All that is required is that it be roughed slightly yet evenly with medium-grained sandpaper. Such a roughed surface will grip the first coat of flat paint.

9. Before using paint that has been standing, strain carefully through a wire screen with a fine mesh so as to remove all foreign particles.

10. A hard or enameled surface can be given to anything painted if to each coat of the flat paint there be added clear varnish, in the proportion of two parts of one of varnish, or half-and-half. This varnish will set the surface hard, and will not chip off so easily as cheap enamel. The varnish can be added to paint of any color without affecting that color.—A Rutledge.

### When May Arrives.

When May arrives, all hearts forget  
The winter time of dark regret.

With lilac fragrance on the air,  
And blossoms bursting everywhere,

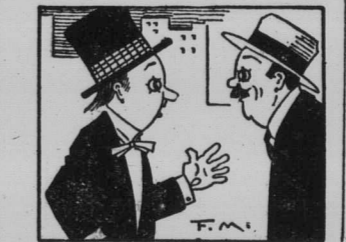
Could any mortal grieve or fret!  
The winter's timid sun has set,

Rude March a sombre fate has met,  
And Princess April seems less fair,  
When May arrives.

Old Nature is not bankrupt yet:  
Now Beauty comes to pay her debt.

The gardens ridicule despair:  
Could any weep—would any dare?  
When May arrives!

—Thomas Curtis Clark.



In a Straight and Narrow Way.  
Dryden—"Drunk again! My friend, do you know where drinking leads a man to?"

Wetmore—"Sure! It leads him right to the places where they sell it!"

### The Poet.

Wide must the poet wander  
To garnish his golden cells,  
For in yesterday and in yonder  
The secret of poetry dwells.

It is where the rainbow resteth,  
And the gates of the sunset be,  
And the star in the still pool nesteth,  
And the moon-road lies on the sea.

—F. W. Bourdillon.

### Brought to the Bar.

A lawyer is a member of the bar simply because he has been actually admitted past the bar used in courts to separate court people from the witnesses or spectators. The expression, "brought to the bar," was used in France when an average of fifty persons were daily taken before the actual bar before being sent to execution.

### Of Course.

School Teacher—"Now, who was the father of the Black Prince?"

Bright Lad—"Please, sir, old King Cole!"

## ADAMSON'S ADVENTURES



### Readers of Classics.

I know not how it is, but their commerce with the ancients appears to me to produce, in those who constantly practice it, a steady and composing effect upon their judgment, not of literary works only, but of men and events in general. They are like persons who have had a very weighty and impressive experience they are more truly than others under the empire of facts and more independent of the language current among those with whom they live.—Matthew Arnold.

### Proof Positive.

The twin sisters had been misbehaving and had been sent upstairs without supper and with strict injunctions to go to bed and stay there.

"Mother," called Betty, "what do you think? Susie's got out of bed and is walking about the room, and you know what you told us."

"Yes," answered her mother, "I know what I told both of you—not to get out of bed. But how do you know that Susie's not in bed? There's no light in your room."

"How do I know!" cried Betty indignantly. "Why, I've just bumped into her in the dark."

### Vegetables.

Long before some sleeping folk  
Are thinking to begin  
Their daily tasks, I take my knife,  
Clean and sharp and thin.

And with my basket on my arm  
Gardenwards I go,  
Where so wetly and so green  
The vegetables grow.

### Chinese Medical Women.

A medical school for Chinese women has been established in Shanghai.

## WOULD WAKE UP TIRED

Smack Out of Order and System Run Down.

"I suffered from stomach trouble for several years," says Mrs. Mary Crowe, of Neneveh, N.S. "I would have severe pain after eating, and as a result I ate sparingly, and so ran down in general health. I grew pale and weak, was easily tired, and would wake up in the morning as tired as when I went to bed. Then my nerves began to give out, and my sleep easily disturbed. Naturally I was being treated for the trouble but it did not help me; indeed I was growing worse and could not walk to the nearest neighbor's without stopping to rest. It was at this stage that, as a result of an advertisement I read, that I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I had taken the pills for several weeks before I could notice any improvement in my condition, then I seemed to have a better appetite, and less difficulty after eating, and this encouraged me to continue taking the pills until I had used a dozen boxes, by which time I could eat a hearty meal and enjoy it. My general health had improved so much that I felt I was again a well woman. I have not since had any return of the trouble, and feel that I can with confidence recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to other weak and ailing people."

## English Woman Writes as Dual Personality.

One of the strangest phenomena in the British literary world is that of the dual writing personality of one of its feminine members who writes under two names, one, her own, L. Adams Beck, picturing the intricate mysteries of the Orient, and again as E. Barrington, the author of popular romantic tales such as "The Glorious Apollo."

According to "One Who Knows Her," writing anonymously in the current International Book Review, this unusual author is unable to explain her peculiar talents and states that the thoughts flow from some hidden spring whose source she has been unable to locate.

"I sit down, pen in hand, and I cannot tell whether it will be Beck or Barrington who will write," she says. "It comes as—how shall I describe it?—as a memory comes, clear and undisputed—things that we know have been, and describe as we have seen them."

"Therefore, whether it be L. Adams Beck describing the life and thought of India two thousand years ago, or E. Barrington at home in the French or English saloons of the eighteenth century, there is no effort; it is only, as it were, to remember and relate."

It is reported that she writes as swiftly as the pen can move, scarcely correcting afterward. "The Divine Lady" was written in six weeks. "Glorious Apollo" about the same time. And it is hinted obscurely that there is a third personality creeping into notice, and quite unlike the other two.

## Kicking Up a Dust.

The well-known novelist, Mr. Edgar Wallace, tells an amusing story of a fellow writer who, at a dinner party held in his honor, sat by the side of a fair maiden who professed a great admiration for his books.

"There is, however, just one question I would like to ask you," she said coyly. "In that new novel of yours there was a phrase I couldn't quite understand. You said a 'blush creep slowly'."

"Well," said the novelist, "if a blush tried to run nowadays it would kick up too much dust."

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## THE SECRET OF SUCCESS

Getting the Best Out of Life and Business.

By Dr. Bernard Hollander.

The first essential to success is that you should know yourself, your innate capacities, and what you are capable of doing. Most of us study our friends more than we do ourselves, and could pass a better examination on their qualities than we could on our own.

We are all born with definite abilities which want drawing out and training. In many men, and especially in many women, they remain latent and hidden, simply because the circumstances have never arisen which would have drawn out the native ability.

The man who is engaged in work suited to his natural capacity will learn that work readily, without effort; it will be a pleasure to him, he will be happy doing it, and he will be more likely to achieve success than if he is a square peg in a round hole. Even overwork will not fatigue him.

### Use the Brains You Have.

The cry is for more brains by people who have never made full use of the brain they possess. Now, a good sound brain is always active. If you do not stock it with information, if you do not employ it in all its capacities, it will be active all the same. But, instead of you controlling the machinery, the machinery will control you. You cannot always help your thoughts, but you need not dwell on them. You can exercise choice in the thoughts you wish to entertain. If your interests are sufficiently wide and you focus your attention on one subject at a time, you will become master of your brain and of your thoughts and feelings.

Another method of acquiring mental discipline is to practise observation. With observation you collect facts. They are important to you in every walk of life, and you can take your time for reflecting on them.

Another condition of success is having a fixed aim. If you read the biographies of men who have achieved wealth or fame, you will find that all of them had a certain aim, a definite goal in view; and this unity of object enabled them to gather up all their mental powers into one special channel. Even their amusements were chosen with the view of furthering their personal interests; either to promote their health, or to bring them in contact with men who could be useful to them in word or deed.

### "Killing" Time.

Further, methodical employment of time is essential to success. One man will accomplish in a day as much as another in a week. If you are ever so poor, you have always got "time." The indolent literally "kill" time. We cannot all be geniuses; indeed, most men achieve success only by steady methodical plodding.

Have you ever taken stock of your dispositions to enable you to develop the weak and to curb the over-active ones?

You may have tendencies which hinder your success. Thus, some men lack self-confidence and self-reliance, are timid and shy, and afraid of responsibility, which raises the more enterprising man to wealth, power, and influential position. The man lacking in self-confidence persuades himself that he is inferior to others, and he reiterates his failings from day to day. Such self-hypnotization is very common and disastrous. If you suggest to yourself beforehand that a particular task is difficult or beyond you, you are sure to fail. If you cannot make positive suggestions, do the best you can with your work; but beware of negative suggestions! They are paralyzing you.

Some men are obsessed by fear. They anticipate evil and never venture. Fear is given us to produce forethought, caution, and prudence; not for worry. Worry is thought plus an unpleasant feeling of anxiety. You may have what thoughts you like; they come and go. But your fears stick to you and increase in energy the longer they persist.

Some men lack ambition to get on in the world. Ambition is the greatest motive power to industry and achievement. But ambition must not go beyond capacity, otherwise disappointment will follow. Nor should ambition destroy your general contentment. Rightful ambition brings out the good qualities in a man; for he must earn the goodwill of others by tact and agreeableness of manner.

### Be Healthy.

Some men desire power, influence, fame. All men desire money, though not necessarily riches. Contempt for money is commonly found to be only a fine name for being too indolent to earn it, or too extravagant to keep it. The main advantage of sufficient money is that it gives one confidence, a sense of independence and power. In order to make money, one man is diligent, another speculates. The latter wants to get rich quickly without doing any work for it.

Some men are too suggestible. They

believe A—B, because C said so. They have no opinions of their own, but are influenced by what they hear and read. Such dependence on others is fatal to success.

Another of the conditions necessary to success is good health. Robust health gives self-confidence and personal magnetism. The vigorous man is not disappointed by rebuffs; on the contrary, he draws lessons from them for his ultimate victory. Abundance of vitality causes us to be up and doing; deficient vitality makes us afraid to venture.

The man lacking in vitality gets readily fatigued and is apt to think only of his troubles. When a man becomes so self-centred, he should train himself to think of others and what he can do for them. The delight you give to others will react on yourself and make you happy and cheerful, so that you are better fitted for your work.

### Be True to Yourself.

To sum up: To get on and succeed in life, you should ascertain your individual mental capacities and make the most of them. You should cultivate your positive forces: self-confidence, assurance, hopefulness, cheerfulness, courage, and determination. They improve the circulation and aid the general nutrition of the body.

You should avoid anxiety, fear, dissatisfaction, despondency, hatred, and resentment. They affect the heart, slacken muscular energy, and produce wasting of the body. In conclusion let me advise you: Be true to yourself, act up to the best of your capacity, so that you may be able to seize opportunities when they come your way.

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Are there going to be any regrets tomorrow about that good meal you're all set to stow away tonight. Better take Seigel's Syrup. Any drug store.

### Sad Story of the Salmon.

The little story of the King Salmon is really a sad one, even for a fisherman. The male and female of this species travel thousands of miles to go up a river and spawn.

Arriving on the grounds the female lays the eggs on the bed of the stream and the male swishes around until they are covered with sand and gravel. The moment this operation is ended the two salmons go into the middle of the stream, turn their tails down the river and float away with the current; so die long before they get back to their old home in the ocean.

It is said by the scientists who have studied these fishes for years that not one salmon of the species ever returns alive to the ocean after having spawned.

They are like many insects including the silkworm moths, which lay their eggs and immediately die.

### Wall.

My friend and I have built a wall Between us thick and wide; The stones of it are laid in scorn And plastered high with pride.

We talk across the stubborn stones So arrogantly tall— Only we cannot touch our hands Since we have built the wall.

—Elizabeth Morrow.

It is not much good bragging "Welcome" on the door-mat if you haven't got it on your face.—C. F.

Minard's Liniment King of Pain.

## Nature's Orchestras.

A French scientist has invented an organ from which music is produced by means of tiny jets of flame instead of by air. The idea was anticipated some years ago by the late Professor Wheatstone, who made an organ of fourteen notes operated by a series of gas jets.

We are so accustomed to man-made music that we seldom realize that the elements have ways of producing music of their own. In the Malay States there are fields of bamboo that in certain conditions make a volume of sound that from afar strikes the ear like a huge orchestra of flutes. The effect is caused by a small worm which bores holes in the bamboo stems; the wind, blowing through the holes, produces an astonishing variety of notes that sometimes blend in one great open-air symphony.

In China there is a river whose banks are lined at intervals with stretches of a certain kind of pebble. When the river waters are turbulent the sound made by these masses of pebbles is often curiously weird and beautiful, and at certain seasons the natives flock from all parts to hear it. A somewhat similar phenomenon has been noted in northern latitudes, where ice floes have been heard to produce musical sounds peculiarly their own.

Another form of outdoor orchestra is to be found on the Scottish coast, where the sand, in some districts, produces distinct musical notes when walked on or struck by a stick.

Water, in certain circumstances, is capable of yielding extremely pleasing musical effects, a fact realized by the ancient Greeks, who had a number of musical instruments operated solely by water. Certain North American tribes of Indians make music by filling buffalo hides with water and beating them with sticks.



### A Stinging Vine.

Longard—"Justed says his wife is a true clinging vine."

Nevered—"She sure is. And pole on ivy, at that."

### Those "Northern Lights."

Recent unusually brilliant displays of the Aurora Borealis—the "Northern Lights"—have caused many people to ask what causes this phenomenon.

Astronomers tell us that an aurora is due to electric discharges taking place in the upper atmosphere sixty miles above the surface of the earth. The displays are intimately connected with magnetic storms, and they are always followed by a disturbance of magnetic needles. Occasionally the disturbance is so great that ordinary telegraphic work is completely interrupted for the time being.

The interesting discovery has been made that the Aurora Borealis always coincides with the appearance of sunspots. The number of recorded sunspots waxes and wanes in a cycle of about eleven years, and it has been noticed that the variations of the aurora seem to extend over a similar period.

### Horses Bred to Utilize

Tails for Violin Bows

A farm has been started near Elma, Wash., for breeding of white horses for the long, smooth tail hairs used exclusively in the manufacture of violin bows. There has been an acute shortage of this material in Siberia and Manchuria whence the bulk of the long hairs formerly was obtained.

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### If Only Kindness Ruled.

If each of us would try to do Some kind and thoughtful act each day,

Just step aside to do in love One deed out of the common way—

To say some word of cheer, perhaps, Or honest praise to those that live Oppressed by doubt; some message write That might fresh inspiration give

To flaming spirits weak and spent; 'E'en to the humblest and the least Of all God's creatures minister In tenderness—or man or beast;

Oh, what a different place would be This world of ours! How great the sum Of joy 't would know, could kindness Mere habit in this way become!

—Louella C. Poole.

### Colds Are Not Necessary Evils

Observance of One Fundamental Rule of Health Protects Against Them

Whether one catches cold easily is largely a question of physical condition. If the general vitality is low, resistance to disease is weak and at such a time a cold is easy to contract and difficult to check.

Constipation is frequently the cause of such a state of health, with its attendant listlessness, biliousness, headaches and a general lack of vitality. Poisons from the waste matter that remains behind after improper, irregular bowel elimination are picked up by the blood and carried to every part of the body. They weaken your resistance to disease. Thousands of people who have suffered from self-poisoning in this way have found that *Nujol*, the internal lubricant makes bowel elimination sure and easy.

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Dahlias are best grown in a fairly rich, loamy soil in an open, sunny location, where they are not exposed to high winds. The north side of a fence or building, if not too densely shaded, is a very good place to plant dahlias, as they should be kept cool at the roots when growing.

A clump of tubers should be divided. Sever each tuber from the others, with the neck and piece of crown containing at least one eye. The tubers may be started in pots or boxes in sandy soil and later set out of doors in the shade to harden before planting in the garden. They should not be planted out until early in June, after all danger of frost is over. Plant the tubers not less than 4 feet apart with the rows 4 feet wide.

Cultivation should take the place of watering. This method will create

a strong root system, while constant watering curtails it.

Best results are obtained by allowing one shoot and never more than two, to grow to each plant. Dahlias should be staked and securely tied.

William Fothergill, an esteemed resident of the township of East Wawanosh, was fatally wounded on Monday morning about 11 o'clock when unloading stone. His horses were frightened and bolted for freedom. Mr. Fothergill clinging to them for a time but was finally thrown under the load when it upset and was trailed a distance. He never regained consciousness and passed away about four o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

The average wages per month paid to farm helpers in the summer of 1925 over the whole of Canada was \$40 for men and \$22 for women. The value of board received was reckoned as \$23 for men and \$19 for women. Thus the total received for wages and board in 1925 was \$63 for men and \$43 for women, per month.

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### CARLSRUHE

The remains of the late Mrs. John Kirstein, who died in St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, were brought here last Friday and laid to rest beside her husband, who predeceased her about 20 years ago. The funeral was largely attended by many friends and neighbors to show their last respects for the deceased. She was a good Christian woman and devoted most of her time for that purpose. She was widely known and held in the highest respect by her large circle of friends. The late Mrs. John Kirstein had lived on the South Line until the death of her husband when she moved to Karlsruhe, where she had lived with her sister Miss Kate Kestner, who predeceased her some months ago. The pallbearers were Messrs. L. Fisher, J. Grub, P. Hesch, J. Pochman, H. Halter and P. Kroetsch. Mrs. Jos. Niesen and son of Deemerton, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kestner of Mildmay, Mrs. Graff, Mrs. Obright, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Giesler Mr. and Mrs. George Giesler, and Messrs. George and William Lambertus of Walkerton and Mr. and Mrs. John Hinsberger of Deemerton attended the funeral.

The following were visitors here over the holiday.—Mr. and Mrs. John Kupferschmid of Deemerton at William Spielmacher's; Mr. Wm. Schawn and son of Waterloo at Chas. Schwan's; Mr. and Mrs. John Vath of Hanover and Miss Anna Vath of Kitchener at Peter Girodat's; Mr. Noah Grub of Waterloo at his home Mr. and Mrs. John Grub, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Bisch and Mr. John Wandt Jr. at his home; Mr. and Mrs. John Wandt, Messrs. Rudolph and Eric Henning, Joseph Montag Jr. and the Misses Tecla and Tullita Montag, all of Kitchener at Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Montag's.

### NOT SO GOOD, NOT SO BAD

It ill behooves an outsider to drop into a community and commence wielding the hammer against institutions and people with impunity. Those living in a community are best able to judge its citizens and anything pertaining to their moral welfare. Besides, converts are not made of people by slaming their characters but by locating that little bit of good to be found in everybody's make-up, and to stimulate it to expansion and so crowd out that which is destroying character. This can only be done by appealing to the better self with kind words and deeds. As a community Mildmay could be some better morally and it could also be a whole lot worse. Whatever reformation is made, however, we look for it to come from an internal influence, not from any outside force.

Samuel Bonner, the insane man who escaped from the county jail at Orangeville, on Sunday, May 2nd, where he was being held temporarily awaiting removal to a Hamilton, was found at 10.30 on Tuesday at a lonely spot known as Oak Ridge on Lot 17 Townline Mulmur and Tosoronto Townships, where he had hanged himself with a binder twine rope, evidently taken from a farmer's barn for the purpose. The body was suspended from a limb on a beech tree, and swinging sixteen inches clear of the ground. The finding of the man's body will calm the minds of the population of the surrounding country, where the residents have been living in considerable fear for some days. The man, whose mind had been deranged, had threatened violence on different occasions and the territory between his former home in Mulmur Township and Orangeville has been combed for the past week by large forces. The search was daily renewed with increased vigor which was finally rewarded in the finding of the body on Tuesday last.

### THE BOY'S SPARE TIME

A recent investigation shows that the average boy spends his 8,760 hours in the year in this way: Sleeping, 3285 hours or 37.5 per cent.; school, 1000 hours or 11.4 per cent.; eating, 550 hours or 6.3 per cent.; church 100 hours or 1.14 per cent.; and leisure 3831 hours or 43.66 per cent. It is what the boy does with the 3,831 hours of leisure that interests thoughtful grown-ups, and it is this interest that leads to the leadership and the devotion of time, energy

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### THE LAW OF FRIENDSHIP

Emerson defined friendship by attributing to it the characteristics of Truth and Tenderness. Between friends, each may be sincerely himself without the protection of sham or affectation often assumed in ordinary intercourse. "My friend," said Emerson, "gives me entertainment without requiring me to stoop, or to lie, or to mask myself." Further friendship needs tenderness to tide it over rough roads and hard fare, which are bound to come. The end of friendship is for and comfort through all the relations and passages of life and death. Without Truth and tenderness, a friendship cannot survive such experience.

This kind of friendship seems of necessity to be limited to two persons. With the presence of a third, self-consciousness enters in and the fine sincerity of the former relation is lost. It is difficult enough to find two persons whose interests and personalities so complement each other as to make real friendship possible. A third would complicate the situation hopelessly.

Someone will say, what of the clubs and lodges where men grow intimate with each other? Such exist in numbers, it is true; but real friendship as defined by Emerson cannot develop in the midst of a group. The whole of each member's personality could never be grasped by the others. The law of one to one, as Emerson sums it up, is the practice and consummation of friendship.

### TWO SIDES TO MISS MacPHAIL'S PROPOSITION

Miss Agnes MacPhail, M.P., in her humanitarian efforts on behalf of the inmates of Canadian prisons and penitentiaries, to have them paid for their services to the state, the excess over their keep to be paid to their families or paid on the conclusion of the term to those who have no dependents, has overlooked a great company of persons who are entitled to compensation from the earnings of the incarcerated persons, remarks the Kingston Whig. For instance a home is entered, the husband slain, a widow and children are left destitute. Should the sufferers—if manslaughter is the verdict—be charged on the community or should this layer be charged with helping to maintain those he had deprived of a wage earner? Similarly in case of robbery and the funds unrecovered. Has the convict no duty to perform to his victims other than imprisonment? Again has the state no claim on his wage earning capacity for the costs of his trial and his maintenance in prison? These things should have precedence on the convict's earnings. When these are satisfied it is time to consider the setting aside of his wages for his family or for himself, if unmarried. Miss MacPhail's ideas are excellent but the side of the victims and state should also be considered.

### CRASHED INTO CAR

While Mr. Ed. Klages, the West End Blacksmith, was motoring westward past the Presbyterian church in a Tin Lizzie on Friday afternoon, his attention was distracted by some prisoners at work on the Court House green, and failing to notice a large McLaughlin touring car belonging to Mr. John Hamel, the furniture manufacturer of Mildmay, the local smithy crashed into the side of

the big Mildmay bus, damaging the latter to the extent of a crumpled fender, a shattered running-board and a twisted lamp. The Ford touring, which belonged to Erdman & Bell's garage, pulled away from the impact, with merely a few dents in its tinware. Mrs. Hamel, who was sitting in the Mildmay chariot awaiting her husband, who was in the Court House, nearly suffered a nervous collapse as the result of the unexpected crash. Admitting his liability in the affair, the Walkertonian has agreed to make good the damage to the Mildmay car, which will probably entail an expenditure of something over one hundred dollars. —Times.

### FOUND BOTTLE OF MOONSHINE

A half-gallon bottle of moonshine that was doubtless strong enough to cause an epidemic of head-aches among the thirsty, was located in the home of Joseph Caskanette, near Riverside, on Saturday morning last by License Inspector Widmeyer and Provincial Constable Bone, who raided the premises in search of booze. Having been tipped off that a visit to the Caskanette home might not be in vain so far as the finding of fire water goes, the officers went to the place high in hope and strong in faith. And on peering about, their eyes soon verified what their ears had heard, for a giant bottle of the high powered moisture was boldly uncovered that bore mute evidence to the fact that the dry law was not being too rigidly observed in one spot in this Prohibition Province. As a result of the find a charge is being laid against one Joseph Caskanette for having illicitly liquor unlawfully on his premises. In the event of the accused deciding to fight the case, the trial, which should be interesting will doubtless take place shortly in Walkerton before County Magistrate Macartney. —Herald Times.