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Miss Kelly Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.

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NOTE AND COMMENT

Would King George mind confiding to us the address of the place where he found that \$14 suit?—Kansas City Star.

And to think that in a few weeks all of us will be paying so much per ton for heat.—Brantford Courier.

Four years ago the Kaiser began his war against civilization, his vassal Austria attacking Serbia. To-day he is reaping the reward of his perfidy and baseness, face to face with the might of right.

But just wait, some of you war-brides until the glamour of the war is over, and you see your husband in civilian clothes with derby hats and wrinkly shirts and unpressed trousers.—Kansas City Star.

The Guelph Mercury says—"Putting a stamp on matches is probably the first step to get after the smokers who are the chief users and little by little the small luxuries of men are being eliminated. But what we want to know is why the stamp says 'paid by the manufacturer' when the consumer has to put up for it? Everybody but the consumer

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts through the Blood of the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions. After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

knows how to get rid of the peak load, while he gets stuck every way."

The spirit of Jealousy which seems to be on the increase between the different classes of the population of Canada to-day is most unfortunate. If Canada is going to prosper there must be a spirit of co-operation among all classes. Every member of the community who is engaged in a useful occupation is essential to the happiness and welfare of the other. The spirit of jealousy and suspicion is chiefly due to the want of knowledge. It is said that one half the world does not know how the other half lives and this statement is true even when applied to the different classes in the same country or even in the same community. The true ideal of national happiness is equal service, equal sacrifice and equal privileges and rewards and this ideal can only be obtained by the faithful co-operation of every Canadian, each in his own sphere.—Picton Gazette.

After four years of war Paris is in the hands of the French and surer now than ever of staying there

Montreal Gazette: By March 31 next Canadian war pensions will have reached the total of \$17,000,000 annually, points out Chairman J. K. L. Ross. The amount is great and will be greater in time but there will be no objection on the part of the public. The pensions are earned by the man who goes to the front.

The Old Girl is Game
(From the Kansas City Star).

We owe England a cheer for this. The old girl is game. She has in the nautical phrase of one of her own favourites—and our laid a point closer to the wind for us than a man could expect of his own married wife. She has stood by at every crisis from the start. Her destroyer fleet took the seas before ours was ready and battled the submarine at a time when it seemed that monster might dispute our passage. She sent us coal last winter when thousands of tons of ships were tied up in our harbors for want of fuel. Let's not forget it. England's been a good neighbor and a good ally right through the time when most of the flowers were sending down to the footlights were marked for her co-star that she never failed to join her voice to ours in acclaiming that wonderful people—and kept right on doing hard, practical handy jobs for us.

PILLS OF ATTESTED VALUE.—Purmelec's Vegetable Pills are the result of careful study of the properties of certain roots and herbs, and the action of such as sedatives and laxatives on the digestive apparatus. The success the compounders have met with attests the value of their work. These pills have been recognized for many years as the best cleansers of the system that can be got. Their excellence was recognized from the first and they grow more popular daily.

Dispose of Old Hens and Breeding Stock Early

As soon as the breeding season is over, get rid of all male birds used in the breeding pens. When the egg yield drops in the early summer, or when the egg yield does not pay for the feed, sell off all hens over two years old and even the year-old cull pretty well. Poultry at this time of the year will bring a better price than later and feed and space will be saved for the best of the year-olds and the growing chicks. Old hens as a rule, especially of the heavier varieties do not pay for their feed in late summer eggs.

Sell the young cockerels whenever they are ready throughout the summer. Don't keep everything till fall. Whenever the price is good, sell the cockerels as broilers or as small roasters.

Two girls were knitting for the soldiers when one of them turned the conversation to an auto ride she had enjoyed the evening before. "Mr. Jones' ability in running an automobile is simply wonderful," she declared. "I never dreamed that it was possible to go quite so far without machinery." "Go without machinery?" was the wonderful rejoinder of the other. "Do you mean to say that such a thing happened?" "Yes," answered the first. "We must have gone at least twelve miles before Mr. Jones discovered that the engine was missing."

Fall Fair Dates—1918

Ailsa Craig	Sept. 19-20
Alvinston	Oct. 8-9
Bridgen	Oct. 1
Forest	Sept. 28-27
Glencoe	Sept. 24-25
Mt. Brigid	Oct. 1
Parkhill	Sept. 23-24
Petrolia	Sept. 19-20
Sarnia	Sept. 24-25
Watford	Oct. 2-3
Wyoming	Oct. 10-11
Strathroy	Sept. 16-18

CORSET AND GRACE

Provides the Foundation for Well Fitting Garments.

Season of Vests and Vestees Is Further Demand for Service of Corsets That are Right.

You wouldn't expect to stand firm if the foundation were faulty. That is the first thought in building a house—a good foundation which is intended not only to preserve the unity of the building that is to come, but also to be the means of holding it in place. Later, all the finishing touches can be added to make the house beautiful. What is true of the house should also be true of your costume. Be sure that the foundation—the corset—is right. This is the beginning, afterward you can add to it beautiful clothes for usefulness and adornment. Correct corsets are even more important this year than ever before, asserts an authority. If you have any desire to look attractive, and every woman should have a keen sense of the value of always looking her best, not only does the silhouette demand that there be a good figure beneath, but the accessories also demand that the corset be well fitting, for this is a season of vests and vestees, which will not and cannot look smart or fit well unless the underneath fits well.

There is no need these days for any woman to buy a corset at random or to wear a corset that is in any way uncomfortable, for there is such a variety of shapes, sizes and measurements that, no matter what your need may be, there is a corset made to fill your requirements.

Just buying a corset, because it is made of pretty material is not being done by women who wish to be well groomed and comfortable. Such women appreciate the fact that it is impossible to pick up a corset from the counter and by holding it in the hand decide that the corset has the correct lines for her figure. The time spent in the retail shop, having a corset tried on to determine if it is the right one for you, repays a hundredfold, and every shop nowadays would far rather go to the trouble of trying on corsets in order to have the customer content. It is also a great aid in overcoming the return goods trouble.

Certain it is that if the start isn't right the finish can't be what you desire for no matter how good looking your clothes may be the foundation must be well fitting.

ATTRACTIVE SUMMER FROCK



Flesh-colored taffeta is the material of this lovely frock, which is a foundation of cream-embroidered organdie and a charming fish collar of the same.

Save the water in which peas, beans or potatoes are cooked. This makes good material for the stock pot.

Use Millar's Worm Powders and the battle against worms is won. These powders correct the morbid conditions of stomach which nourish worms, and these destructive parasites cannot exist after they come in contact with the medicine. The worms are digested by the powders and are speedily evacuated with other refuse from the bowels. Soundness is imparted to the organs and the health of the child steadily improves.

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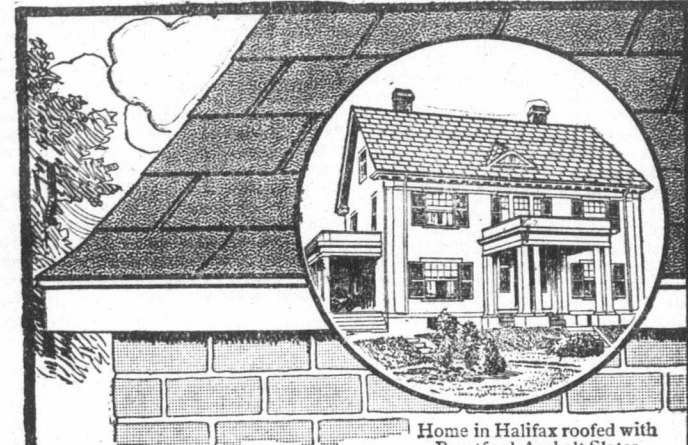
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CITY'S FIRST AND LAST FALL

Jericho's Siege and Capture One of the Spectacular Stories of the Old Testament.

On the morning of Washington's birthday Gen. Sir E. H. Allenby's Australian troopers rode as conquerors into a little village of huts, noted geographically as being the city of lowest elevation on earth, and in Biblical history as being the scene of the Promised Land, observes the Minneapolis Journal.

In the Canaanite days Jericho was a fortified city, commanding both the lower ford of the Jordan and the route leading up to the highlands of Judea. The story of its siege and capture and the destruction of its population is one of the spectacular stories of the Old Testament, which contrasts strongly with its gentle seizure by a Christian army in a year of our Lord thirty-five centuries later.

According to the Old Testament story, the city was left desolate with a curse from Joshua upon the man who should attempt to rebuild it. And it is related that Hiel, the Bethelite, who did rebuild it, lost his two sons in the construction of the wall as punishment for his temerity.

It was at Jericho that Joshua instituted his campaign of frightfulness upon his enemies; and it was on the Jericho road leading up to the Judean highlands that Jesus laid the scene of the story of the Good Samaritan who gave first aid to a wounded enemy. The advance from Joshua to Jesus in the human ideal of duty toward one's enemies is the very measure of the spread between the ideals of Hindenburg and Allenby on the same question.

This war is fundamentally a conflict between the ideals of modern brotherhood and ancient overlordship; and nowhere is the contrast more noteworthy than in this little village of Jericho, where the people today are safer in the hands of their enemies than they were under the rule of their own people. The world, with the exception of Germany and Turkey, has traveled a long way between the two falls of Jericho.

ROMEO WAS CLAD IN KHAKI

Played the Popular Game, Choosing the Dinner Table to Work on Affections of Waitress.

It is natural that we should be eager to do whatever we can for the boys in khaki; but sometimes, when the patriotic zeal is not accompanied by a sympathetic imagination, the beneficiary may pray to be delivered from our friends, writes "An American Woman" in the Outlook.
 A homesick lad is likely to want either an atmosphere like that of his own home or else the exotic flavor the expectation of which has helped him to undertake the great adventure so cheerily.

In one family among my neighbors the son of the house was scandalized when one of his guests at Sunday dinner made the perfectly simple and natural request that he be permitted after the meal to repair to the kitchen where the pretty waitress was. Permission was denied, but young Romeo was not discouraged, and this letter came "To the Girl That Waits for Mrs. So-and-So: You are the best ever. Are you keeping company with anybody?" He added his name and a few personal details, and this delicious bit of identification: "If you don't know which soldier wrote this, it is the one that touched your hand under the dish when you passed the potatoes."

Russia a Puzzle Even to Tolstoy.

"How can one understand chaos?" is the reply Count Ilya Tolstoy, son of the famous Leo Tolstoy, writer, philosopher and mystic, made to the question as to his interpretation of conditions in Europe.

If such a man as Count Tolstoy is at sea in regard to Russian affairs, it is surely pardonable for Americans to be in ignorance of them. The count says that the real Russia has not been consulted at all in the recent changes there. The real Russia is peasant Russia and peasant Russia has been ignored. The count pleads for American sympathy for his people, who, he says, have been deceived and misled. "The crime of all the Russian leaders," he says, "is that they have been following their own programs and ignoring the peasants, the masses." What will come out of the present chaos the count professes he does not know.

Long Loaves Are Most Economical.

A loaf weighing one pound contains 11 per cent of water if it is round and only 34 per cent if it is cylindrical. Therefore, she who buys long loaves gets 140 grammes more actual food for her money than she who buys round loaves.

The reason for this is that the sphere is the figure that contains the largest possible volume under the smallest possible surface, and, as evaporation is a matter of surface, this is greater from a cylinder than it is from a sphere of the same weight.

Devonshire.



[L.S.]

CANADA.

PROCLAMATION

GEORGE the FIFTH, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To all to whom these presents shall come or whom the same may in any wise concern,—GREETING :

A Proclamation of conditional amnesty respecting men belonging to Class I under the Military Service Act, 1917, who have disobeyed our Proclamation of 13th October, 1917, or their orders to report for duty, or are deserters or absent without leave from the Canadian Expeditionary Force.

E. L. NEWCOMBE, Deputy Minister of Justice, Canada. WHEREAS considerable numbers of men belonging to Class I under our Military Service Act, 1917, called out on active service in our Canadian Expeditionary Force for the defence of Canada under our Proclamation of 13th October, 1917, although they have thus become by law soldiers enlisted in the Military Service of Canada,

Have failed to report for duty as lawfully required of them under the said Military Service Act and the regulations thereunder, including the Order in Council duly passed on April 20 last,

Or have deserted, Or absent themselves without leave from our Canadian Expeditionary Force,

And it is represented that the very serious and unfortunate situation in which these men find themselves is due in many cases to the fact that, notwithstanding the information and warning contained in our Proclamation aforesaid, they have misunderstood their duty or obligation, or have been misled by the advice of ill-disposed, disloyal or seditious persons.

AND WHEREAS we desire, if possible, to avoid the infliction of the heavy penalties which the law imposes for the offences of which these soldiers have thus been guilty, and to afford them an opportunity within a limited time to report and make their services available in our Canadian Expeditionary Force as is by law their bounden duty, and as is necessary for the defence of our Dominion of Canada.

NOW KNOW YE that we in the exercise of our powers, and of our good will and pleasure in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare and cause to be published and made known THAT THE PENALTIES OF THE LAW WILL NOT BE IMPOSED OR EXACTED as against the men who belong to Class I under our Military Service Act, 1917, and who have disobeyed our Proclamation aforesaid; or who have received notice from any of our registrars or deputy registrars to report for duty on a day now past and have failed so to report; or who, having reported and obtained leave of absence, have failed to report at the expiry of their leave, or have become deserters from our Expeditionary Force, PROVIDED THEY REPORT FOR DUTY ON OR BEFORE THE TWENTY FOURTH DAY OF AUGUST 1918.

AND WE DO HEREBY STRICTLY WARN AND SOLEMNLY IMPRESS UPON ALL SUCH MEN, and as well those who employ, harbour, conceal or assist them in their disobedience, that, if they persist in their failure to report, absence or desertion until the expiry of the last mentioned day, they will be pursued and punished with all the rigour and severity of the law. SUBJECT TO THE JUDGMENT OF OUR COURTS MARTIAL WHICH WILL BE CONVENED TO TRY SUCH CASES or other competent tribunals: and also that those who employ, harbour, conceal or assist such men will be held strictly accountable as offenders and subject to the pains, penalties and forfeitures in that behalf by law provided for their said offence.

Provided however that nothing contained in this Our Proclamation is intended to release the men aforesaid from their obligation to report for duty as soon as possible or to grant them immunity from arrest or detention in the meantime for the purpose of compelling them to perform their military duty; Our intention being merely to forego or remit the penalties heretofore incurred for failure to report, absence without leave or desertion incurred by those men of the description aforesaid who shall be in the proper discharge of their military duties on or before the said twenty-fourth day of August, 1918.

Of all of which Our loving subjects and all others whom these presents may concern are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. Witness: Our Right Trusty and Right Entirely Beloved Cousin and Counsellor, Victor Christian William, Duke of Devonshire, Marquess of Hartington, Earl of Devonshire, Earl of Burlington, Baron Cavendish of Hardwicke, Baron Cavendish of Keighley, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter: One of Our Most Honourable Privy Council: Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George: Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order; Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

At Our Government House, in Our City of OTTAWA, this FIRST day of AUGUST, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and in the ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

Thomas Mulcahy

Under-Secretary of State.

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August 22, and August 29.	From stations in Ontario West and South of Toronto to and including Hamilton and Windsor, Ont. From stations on Owen Sound, Walkerton, Teeswater, Wingham, Elora, Listowel, Goderich, St. Mary's, Port Burwell and St. Thomas branches. From stations Toronto and North to Bolton, inclusive.

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The following is the revised list of the Prize-winners in the Field Crop Competition conducted by the Plympton and Wyoming Agricultural Society, under the direction of the Dept. of Agriculture.

Name	Variety	Points
1—Arch. Smith,	O. A. C. 72	86½
2—Jos. Bryson,	Banner	85
3—Hugh Hunter,	O. A. C. 72	84½
4—J. P. Donald,	O. A. C. 72	84
5—R. S. Jardine,	Abundance	83½
6—G. A. Dewar,	White Jewel	83
7—Geo. Hartley,	Ontario Hy's wt.	82½

Geo. A. DEWAR, Secretary.

Her Boy

(A Soliloquy)
Somewhere in France
I know where,
Is the grave of the Boy
I loved most dear,
No stone marks the spot
Where he takes his sleep,
No flower decked mound,
Where I've may weep.
He fell with the brave
In the awful fight,
Waged for Justice,
For God and Right,
And though earth's honors
He may not gain,
He has won the Crown
Of martyr'd slain.
Now Somewhere in God's
Own home above,
He waits for me,
The Boy I've loved,
And when life's journey
On earth is past,
I'll meet again
The loved I've lost.

A fire-escape has been invented that resembles a giant tape measure as it consists of a steel ribbon which unrolls from within circular casing as a person descends while seated in a sling at the end. Ammonia will relieve the burn from iodine which has been put on too thickly.

Useful Canning Booklet

The Canada Food Board has published a very attractive and useful little booklet on the canning, drying and storing of fruits and vegetables. It is being distributed at five cents per copy as one of a series of four similar booklets dealing in addition to canning with the subjects of bread making, cooking of vegetables and cooking of fish. The set of four may be obtained for twenty cents from the Provincial Committees of the Canada Food Board.

War Drop Cake

One-third flour, two-thirds bran, 2 teaspoons sugar, sour milk to make a nice batter, half teaspoon soda, table-spoon shortening. Bake in a hot oven for 20 minutes.

BORN

In Plympton, on Tuesday, August 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McEwan, London Road,—a daughter.
In Bosanquet, on Monday, August 12th, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter O'Neill, a son.
In Forest, on Thursday, August 8th, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Trowbridge, a daughter.

DIED

On August the 18th, 1918, at her late residence, 311 Indian road, Toronto, Mary Ann, relict of the late H. P. Lawrence, aged 58 years.
In Bosanquet, on Saturday, Aug. 10th, 1918, Mr. Chas. Maidment in his 80th year.
In Plympton, on Friday, Aug. 2nd, 1918, Mr. Percy J. Scratch, London Road, in his 63rd year.
At the family residence, lot 18 con. 8. Carodoc, on Tues., Aug. 13, Mrs. Annie McNeill, beloved relict of the late Malcom McNeill, aged 74 years, 1 month and 9 days.

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WANT COLUMN.

A few good dwelling house properties in Watford for sale cheap. Some private funds to loan on farm property at lowest rates. Apply to W. E. Fitzgerald, Barrister, Watford.

CARD OF THANKS.—I wish to tender my sincere thanks to all the friends who showed acts of kindness and sympathy at the time of the illness and death of my wife.—T. E. McMAHON.

CARD OF THANKS.—The family of the late Mrs. Lawrence wish to extend their sincere thanks to their many friends for kindness during her illness and for sympathy in their sad bereavement; also for the beautiful floral tokens.

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

CARDS OF THANKS 50c.; memorial notices or poetry 5c. a line, minimum charge 50c. Enclose the money or state who is responsible for payment when sending them for publication.

Tenders Wanted

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up till August 31st, for janitor work in the Watford Methodist Church. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For full particulars apply to W. H. Harper, Sec.-Treas., Trustee Board.

Canadian Casualties

Ottawa, Aug. 20.—Hon. Martin Burrell acting minister of militia in a statement issued to-night to The Canadian Press referred to the recent Canadian offensive and expressed in no uncertain tones the Government's views in the amnesty for deserters which expires at the end of this week.

"Since the first of August", said the minister, "the Canadians have marked their entry into the fifth year of the war by achievements which have confirmed the reputation of the Canadian corps as a most formidable fighting force of its size on the western battle front. The recent advance made by our men has been important in its results and brilliant in execution."

"In the past three weeks they have captured 10,000 prisoners, 150 guns and thousands of machine guns. During this same brief period they have suffered also 10,842 casualties, in killed wounded and missing, 130 officers and 1,474 men having been killed in action. No comment can be so strong as this simple statement of facts. The figures carry their own story both of valor and grief. They are at once an evidence of the unshaken resolve of our countrymen to crush the foes of our common liberties and a challenge to ourselves."

Toronto Markets

Cattle values have changed very little during the past week, excepting in the case of medium quality cows, which suffered a decline of about 75c per cwt on Monday.

Spring lambs have been selling at various prices ranging from \$18 to \$23.50 per cwt. The buyers are paying high prices for lambs at odd times in order to induce the farmers to ship larger numbers into the market.

Hogs are a little weaker, but the strength of the outside markets and the fact that the present contracts are not nearly completed, will undoubtedly bring the figures back almost immediately.

Calves are strong \$17.50 per cwt, having been paid for seventy consignments during the past few days. Sheep and yearlings are steady. The milk and stocker trade is still very quiet.



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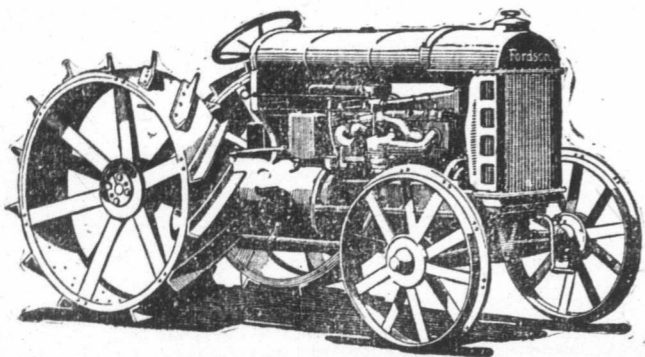
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LONDON'S EXHIBITION

Sept. 6th to 14th

The Official programme of the Western Fair has just been issued and a glance over the same will assure the public that a visit to the Exhibition will be well worth while this year. There will be two speed events daily with \$400.00 purses all week with only two exceptions. A new system has been adopted of making every heat a race and dividing the money accordingly. This should bring out the very best horses and the best that is in them. There will be fireworks of the very best each night after the platform performance is over.

The Midway will be filled with shows and riding devices by "The Show World Exposition Shows" Carnival Co. and will be a source of fun and amusement for all visitors to the Exhibition. If favored with suitable weather this should be the best Exhibition ever held in London. All information from the Secretary, A. M. Hunt, London, Ont.

SUMMER COMPLAINTS
KILL LITTLE ONES

At the first sign of illness during the hot weather give the little ones **Baby's Own Tablets** or in a few hours they may be beyond aid. These Tablets will prevent summer complaints if given occasionally to the well child and will promptly cure these troubles if they come on suddenly. **Baby's Own Tablets** should always be kept in every home where there are young children. There is no other medicine as good and the mother has the guarantee of a government analyst that they are absolutely safe. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from **The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.**

Dr. Kidd, of Wyoming, has sold his medical practice and will move to London.

It is estimated that over 8000 people attended the Shetland picnic last week. John Farrell was chairman and the speakers were Dr. Maatyn M. P. P., Neil McDougall, P. S. I., J. McRobie, H. A. Gilroy and John McCallum. A splendid program, including a baby show, was given with a concert in the evening.

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS

Canada's output of zinc is nearly fifty tons a day.

Ottawa announces that all alien enemies must register.

The British people have subscribed five billion dollars for war bonds since 1914.

A fire on Dundas street, London, on Thursday last did damage estimated at \$150,000.

Six acres of hay were destroyed on a farm near St. Thomas by a spark from a passing locomotive.

Besides supplying a fighting ground France produced 25 per cent more wheat this year than last.

Ellmore Williams formerly of St. Thomas, was killed in a railway accident at Vancouver last Saturday.

The G. T. R. freight sheds at Ottawa were burned and 28 cars of freight destroyed last Thursday.

Up to Aug. 17th, the U. S. has raised 2,600,000 soldiers. Thirty-two divisions are already in France.

Mail matter was carried from Toronto to Ottawa, a distance of 250 miles in 4 1/2 hours by aeroplane. A stop was made at Deseronto.

A railway more than 130 miles in length behind the French front has been built in less than 100 days and opened for traffic.

E. P. Wood, bank manager at Odessa, Ont., took a dose of carbonic acid in mistake for medicine he was using, with fatal results.

Two British destroyers struck mines and sank Thursday, according to an announcement made by the admiralty. Twenty-six men are missing.

There has been a marked improvement in Western crops since the middle of July and the yield of wheat is now estimated at 150,000,000 bushels.

Five thousand persons are homeless and 250,000 are without proper food as a result of a flood in the Tung-Kiang River. American Red Cross is providing temporary relief.

Three-year-old Ralph Allen Watson, son of Private H. A. Watson of the Canadian Service Corps, was burned to death when an oil stove exploded and set fire to the house.

As a result of another accident at the Perfection Stove Company's plant at Sarnia, Archie McDonald, 15 years old, of Point Edward, had his left hand and arm so badly mangled that it was found necessary to amputate it above the wrist.

One hundred leaders of the Industrial Workers of the World were found "guilty as charged in the indictment" by the jury after one hour's deliberation at their trial for conspiracy to disrupt the nation's war program late Saturday at Chicago. Argument for a new trial will be heard next week.

Cached away "somewhere" in Essex county are 35 cases of Scotch whiskey, valued at more than \$3000, part of a consignment of liquor that was being shipped to Chicago for use in the United States military hospitals. They were stolen, it is alleged, by employees of the Michigan Central Railway Company, eight of whom are now under arrest.

Mrs. J. F. McKenzie, aged 76 years, died on Sunday in Port Huron. She was born in Plympton Township, near Mandamin. She had been in her usual good health up till Saturday night, when she took suddenly ill. Her husband predeceased her twelve years ago. Two sons, John and Alex., resided here and William, at St. Thomas, and Mrs. Bascum, of Port Huron.

Rev. John G. Dunlop, D. D., a leading Presbyterian missionary in Japan, has reached France with a regiment of Chinese workmen for work behind the lines. Dr. Dunlop was born and educated in Kingston, being a graduate of Queen's University. His knowledge of the Orient makes him of great value with Chinese soldiers.

Nearly seven hundred returned soldiers have now taken advantage of the soldier settlement act and have applied for the Government loan of \$2,500 at 5 per cent interest, to enable them to acquire land, stock, agricultural equipment, to erect farm buildings, etc. The total of advances so far made to returned men who are settling on the land is over seven hundred thousand dollars.

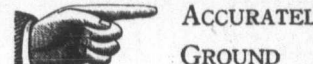
Edward Charles Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Hayes, of Thamesville, and a member of the crew of the passenger steamer *Ossifrage*, was drowned at Chatham Saturday afternoon when he fell from the steamer just before she arrived here with an excursion from Detroit. The sailor was lowering the fenders and was moving along on the outside of the deck railing when he evidently lost his hold.

Another proof of the wonderful adaptability of the soil and climate of the Niagara peninsula for the successful growing of fruits is shown by the fine samples of figs now ripening at Niagara-on-the-Lake, grown by Mr. and Mrs. Hunter in their garden. The trees are six or seven feet high, very bushy and leafy, and well laden with figs in all stages of growth. Some are just nicely formed, some half-grown, others nearly full size, while rich ripe figs are being gathered.

The figures of wastage in the Canadian E. F. recent Picardy offensive in which the Canadians were heavily involved, and from which the total of casualties is not yet available for publication include in round numbers 27,200 killed, 9,350 died of wounds, 2,300 died of disease, 4,350 presumed dead, and 400 missing. This makes a total of 43,200, to which may be added 2,774 prisoners of war and the fallen in the battles of last month, bringing the approximate absolute wastage for these categories up to about 50,000. In addition to these approximately 50,000 men have been returned to Canada as being unfit for further service through wounds or other causes.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Norris, late of Watford, Ont., Gentleman, deceased.

In pursuance of the statute in that behalf all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above named Thomas Norris, deceased, who died on the 10th day of July, 1918, are required to send or deliver particulars of their claims duly verified to the undersigned solicitor for the executors of the last Will and Testament and codicil thereto of said deceased on or before the 9th day of September, 1918, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they may have notice, and said executors will not be liable to any one of whose claim they had not notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 10th day of August, 1918.

W. E. FITZGERALD,
Watford, Ont.,
Solicitor for Thomas Dodds and John Elmer Collier, Executors.

Executors' Sale of Valuable
Village Property and Household
Furniture

The executors of the estate of Thomas Norris, late of Watford, Ontario, deceased, will offer for sale by public auction on the premises hereinafter mentioned on **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th, 1918**, at four o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, viz.—Lots numbers 244 and 245 as shown in a plan of an addition to said village made by Alexander Davidson, P.E.S., for Alexander McGregor of Record excepting thereto such portions thereof as have been heretofore sold and conveyed by said Thomas Norris to one William Houe.

Said property is well situated, being on the south west corner of Ontario and McGregor Streets, Watford. On the same there is a frame one story dwelling house and a frame stable.

TERMS OF SALE—10 per cent, of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale, and the balance within thirty days thereafter.

At the same time and place there will be sold by public auction all the household furniture and household effects of the said Thomas Norris **Terms of Sale**—Cash.

Further particulars and conditions of sale respecting said real property will be made known on the day of sale, or upon application to

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One hundred and seventy-six merchant ships have been sunk since the war began, without leaving trace of ship, cargo or crew.

All this is in the Allies' cause—it is for us! Isn't it the very least we can do, to take care of the widows and orphans, who otherwise will nurse their grief in poverty? Sooner or later governments may make provision for this vital service, but until such time comes we have an unquestionable duty.

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A H Woodward, killed in action
Sid Welsh M Cunningham
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R A Johnston G Mathews
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J Ward, killed in action C Ward
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T Wakelin, wounded and missing
H Whitsett B Harly
- PRINCESS PATRICIA'S C. L. I.
Gerald H Brown
- 18TH BATTALION
C A Barnes Geo Ferris
Edmund Watson G Shanks
J Burns F Burns
C Blunt Wm Autterston
S F Shanks Walter Woolvett
- 2ND DIVISIONAL CAVALRY
Lorne Lucas Frank Verks
Chas Potter
- 33RD BATTALION
Percy Mitchell, died of wounds Oct. 14, 1916
Lloyd Howden
Geo Fountain killed in action Sept. 16, 1916
Gordon H Patterson, died in Victoria Hospital, London
- 34TH BATTALION
E C Crohn S Newell
Macklin Hagle, missing since Oct. 8, 1916
Stanley Rogers Wm Manning
Henry Holmes, killed in action Sept. 27, 1916
Leonard Lees
- 29TH BATTERY
Wm Mitchell John Howard
- 70TH BATTALION
Ernest Lawrence Alfred Emmerson
C H Loveday A Banks
S R Whalton, killed in action Oct. 1, 1916
Thos Meyers Jos M Wardman
Vern Brown All Bullough
Sid Brown, killed in action Sept. 15, 1916
- 28TH BATTALION
Thomas Lamb, killed in action
- MOUNTED RIFLES
Fred A Taylor
- PIONEERS
Wm Macnally W F Goodman
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- J Tomlin
Basil Saunders Cecil McNaughton
- ARMY MEDICAL CORPS
T A Brandon, M D W J McKenzie M D
Norman McKenzie Jerrold W Snell
Allen W Edwards Wm McCausland
Basil Gault
- 135TH BATTALION
Nichol McLachlin, killed in action July 6th, 1917
- 3RD RESERVE BATTALY, C.F.A.
Alfred Levi
- 116TH BATTALION
Cleyton O Fuller, killed in action April 18th, 1917
- 106TH BATTALION
R R Annett
- 70TH BATTERY
R H Trenouth, killed in action on May 8th, 1917
Murray M Forster V W Willoughby
Ambrose Gavigan
- 142ND BATTALION
Austin Potter
- GUNNER
Russ G Clark
- R N C V R T. A. Gilliland
1st Class Petty Officers,
ARMY DENTAL CORPS
Elgin D Hicks H D Taylor
Frank Elliot ARMY SERVICE CORPS
Arthur McKercher R H Action
- 87TH BATTALION
Roy E Action, killed in action Nov. 3, 1917
- 64TH BATTERY
C F Luckham Harold D Robinson
Romo Auld
- 63RD BATTERY
Walter A Rectorick George W. Parker
Clare Fuller
- 67TH BATTERY
Edgar Prentis
- 60TH BATTERY
Chester W Cook
- ROYAL FLYING CORPS
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J. C. Hill, mechanic
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- AMERICAN ARMY
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If the name of your soldier boy does not appear in this column, kindly notify me and it will be placed there.

A Little Child

By
Martha McCullough Williams

"Yes, sir!" Miss Prue said oracularly. "You hear my racket! Sompin is in the wind over to Barton's—shore's I'm knee-high to a grasshopper."

"How come you to be so shore?"

Widow Allan demanded, settling her knitting-sheath more firmly against her plump side. Miss Prue half shut one eye—a devout church member of course could not wink—set her arms akimbo, advanced a large foot, and said still with the oracular intonations: "I'd tell ye—only I'm main afraid ye'll go strowin' all up and down Bresh Creek neighborhood, and gittin' me the name o' talkin' scandal."

The widow smiled broadly. Miss Prue was known already for the head and front of all gossip—especially of the more lurid sort. "Suit yourself," she said tranquilly. "Till hit or keep yer month shut. I know and you know I can't possibly want to hear things half as bad as you want to tell 'em."

Which was fact rudely stated. Miss Prue magnanimously ignored it. "I know you're a sensible person," she began. "Besides—I r'alely must have somebody ter take counsel of. This yere business is too much for one lone woman ter wrestle with—"

"How many other ones have ye done told a'ready?" the widow interrupted. Miss Prue looked down: "I jest sorter sketched things to Nan Wickfield and Josy Crimes—" she began. The widow threw up both hands, shaken with gusty laughter. "Ye had better wrote hit to the county paper," she said. "But I wonder at yo' choosings. Nan and Joe won't rest tell you've told the whole neighborhood, not leavin' you nobody but me."

"They come in on me in the middle of things—while the young man was here, asking the way—and makin' out like he hung on admirin' my dominicker pullets," Miss Prue protested. "They seen him—also heard. So I jest had to tell 'em—partly—the rest."

"Stop beatin' the bushes, for goodness sake! What is the rest?" the widow demanded. Miss Prue drew a long breath. "Ef I but knowed the whole full of hit; 'twould be wuth money—a heap of money. Five hundred dollars!"—In an awed voice: "Enough to send a missionary clean to China."

"Ef I didn't know folks can't git sunstruck in the late fall, I'd think your head was tetch'd," the widow exploded.

Miss Prue looked at her loftily, severely. "Make light of hit all you want'er," she said, "but that's the reward. Here! Look at the handbill! Didn't you find one like hit in your letter box?"

The widow read, gasping. Sure enough there was a reward—five hundred dollars for information leading to the capture of counterfeiters, double that for capture actual. Followed descriptions—three men, a girl, hardly more than a child, an elderly person, very dark-skinned, a small boy, almost a baby. All pictured in the usual ghastly fashion of "dodgers." Over the widow's shoulders Miss Prue glared down at the alleged portraits. "Them two's at Barton's, shore," she said, her finger on the dark woman with the baby in her arms. "S'manthy told me out of her own mouth they was goin' to board a boy-child and hits nurse till after Christmas. Now I ask you, what would honest folks be doin' sendin' a child to the country such a time o' the year?"

"Oh, that ain't nothin'! Town folks has got so silly they don't s'prise me, no matter what they do," the widow commented. "You're hatchin' a mare's nest out of nothin', as usual, Prudence. Your parents ought to a-named ye Im-Prudence—you talk so wild."

"Wait! You ain't heard half," Miss Prue said magisterially. "Two of the men, and the gal, are at Barton's every little while—come an go in a car—always on the edge of dusk else mighty early mornin'. And this other—him come yesterday—he makes up the hull three."

"Are you shore? Did he look like them pictures?" the widow demanded.

"As much as anybody else," Miss Prue answered, tossing her head. "But that ain't all I judge by. He actually offered me one o' his bad bills—a twenty, bran-new—wanted to buy a dozen pullets, and said he hadn't no change."

"You took hit—then you've got the gang dead to rights," the widow said quivering in her eagerness over the unfolding drama.

Miss Prue smiled. "I didn't do no sech fool thing," she said. "Once is enough for me. I ain't forgot that time I took in a bad dollar so's to sell a dozen eggs—and had the bank man

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snove it back at me, marked 'counterfeit' I told that thar man I hadn't no change—he might come again for the pullets. I don't believe he will do it—but if he should—"

"Well, what?" the widow asked as Miss Prue's lips closed like a steel trap. "Oh, nothin'—much," said that lady, "only I've got a telephone and the sheriff's office has done promised me already to come running when I call it."

The Barton house, clean, rambling and comfortable, had an absolute monarch, by name Roy Evers. He was five years old, golden as to hair, blue-eyed, chubby, and dimpled as a Cupid. The young woman who came intermittently in the red car hugged him throughout the most of her visits and left him always with streaming tears. She surely looked too young to be his mother, yet he called her "My mammy," and they were very much alike. Roy liked the men who came and went with Mammy—especially the tall one with graying hair, whom Mammy addressed as Big Injun. Big Injun had a way that made you mind in spite of yourself. Johnny, the other man, showed that even plainer than Roy himself. As for Mammy, all of them appeared to think the earth ought to turn around for her lightest whim. She being Roy's bond-slave, his kingship followed inevitably, with her as first subject and Anne his nurse for prime minister.

While Miss Prue was expounding her beliefs to the widow, Mammy sat snuggling Roy, and smiling woebegonely at Big Injun. He had just said: "Make much of today, daughter; it won't be safe to come again before Christmas. Try as we may to blind our trail, that detective hound, Feggie, has picked it up. Fact—never mind how I know it. So be brave, girl, and say good-by to the little man for a while. I shan't be easy in my mind until we have him across the big water."

Mammy hugged so hard she hurt the tender little body. Roy began to whimper. There came a rap at the door. Mrs. Barton opened it cautiously, but seeing a slouching figure with a hat pulled low over the eyes, and a creel of saucy pullets upon one arm, said severely: "Don't you know enough to go round back? Ah! them the chickens Miss Jones said she'd lemme have?"

For answer the man dropped the creel, dashed past her into the big south room where the strangers were assembled—grabbed the whimpering child, lifted him high on his shoulder, saying hoarsely to Mammy: "I can't take you forcibly, May, no matter how much I want you—but I will have our child."

Mammy crumpled in a sobbing heap. Big Injun got gray-faced—Johnny sprang at the newcomer, but was pulled back by the other man, crying: "Remember the child!"

"I say that! Why don't ye remember him? All of ye!" Nurse Anne cried, darting to the side of the intruder. "Ain't he got no rights, the angel? Rights to father, mother, home! I tell ye, Master," to Big Injun unwinkingly: "There's been packs and stacks of lies told—as I found out—never you mind how. Roy's pappy was lied to, same as his Mammy—by two that had thar own game to win—you know how hard that Pascal girl tried to get Mr. Haughton tangled in her net—and her cousin Peter wanted Miss May and her fortune jest as bad. When I found out thar game—I wrote Mr. Haughton—that's how he comes here now. Not for his own sake nor Miss May's—they're big enough to know better. But I won't stand it no longer—havin' Roy ask me after he says his prayers: 'Why don't God send me back my daddy?'"

Nurse Anne stopped short, swallowing hard. Through the hush, they heard Roy cooing, his hands locked tight in the stranger's hair: "My daddy! My daddy! I love my daddy."

"May," young Haughton said low and entreatingly. She lifted her eyes, her arms; with a quick spring she was beside him, held against his heaving heart, close to her boy. So the sheriff found them, when, answering Miss Prue's summons, he descended upon the homestead. Explanations followed—here were no malefactors, only actors in a domestic drama that had verged on tragedy, but was ending happily, as all dreams should. The drama turned out to have been a practical joke played on Miss Prue—perhaps by some one who had suffered from her inquisitions. It was fifteen years old at least and undated—its

mention of a woman and child has perhaps incited the joker to fit it to the folks at Barton's. Fate, which is called Chance, had done the rest. And Miss Prue took a lot of credit for the happy outcome—hadn't her chickens really served Haughton as a card of entry?

Formation of the States.

From the beginning of our history the tendency has been toward territorial expansion in the formation of new states. Of the 13 original states seven contained less than 10,000 square miles, as Vermont, 9,564; New Hampshire, 9,341; Massachusetts, 8,268; New Jersey, 8,224; Connecticut, 4,963; Delaware, 2,370; Rhode Island, 1,248. New York contains only 48,264 square miles. The middle western states were considered of great size when formed. Ohio, 41,045 square miles; Indiana, 36,284; Illinois, 56,835; Michigan, 57,980; Wisconsin, 58,006, but they are small compared with the far western states of California, 158,297 square miles; Montana, 148,997; Arizona, 113,956; Nevada, 110,390, and Colorado, 103,948. Texas, with her 265,896 square miles, would almost make six states as large as New York.

Service Flag for Grief.

Service flags are displayed all over the big city, and it appears to be quite the patriotic thing for large corporations to outdo each other in showing the largest number of employees engaged in the war game. There are four corporations in New York with a vague sort of community interest, each of which, though entirely independent, insists on placing on its service flag a star for every employee of the four corporations now in service. But a saloonkeeper has the star service banner. It hangs before his saloon, and he has patriotically placed upon it a star for every one of his customers gone to the front.

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VILLAGE OF WATFORD

Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in Section 9 of the Ontario Voters' Lists Act, the copies required by said Act to be transmitted or delivered of the said list, made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing on the last revised Assessment Roll of the said municipality to be entitled to vote in the said municipality at Elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections; and that the said list was first posted up in my office at Watford, on the 12th day of August, 1918, and remains there for inspection.

And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law.

Dated this 12th day of August, 1918.

W. S. FULLER, Clerk of Watford.

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TOWNSHIP OF WARWICK

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And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law.

Dated this 31st day of July, 1918.

N. HERBERT, Clerk of Warwick

Operated by a gasoline engine or electric motor a portable scoop conveyor has been invented that enables one man to load a wagon in far less time than the work could be done with a shovel.

To test textiles an Englishman has invented a machine to pass fabrics under a microscope while at the same time they are subjected to powerful electric lights above and below their surfaces.

For automobile tourists a fireless cooler refrigerator, vacuum bottles and dishes and silverware for six persons have been combined in an outfit that can be carried on a car's running board.

Scientists in Europe who have tested the effect of various food plants containing iron on the human system have succeeded in making some vegetables absorb more iron from the soil than normally.

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Treasurer's Notice as to Lands Liable For Sale For Taxes, A. D. 1918

TAKE NOTICE that the list of lands in the County of Lambton liable for sale for arrears of taxes by the Treasurer of the County of Lambton has been prepared by me and that copies thereof may be had in the office of the County Treasurer.

And further take notice, that the list of lands for sale as aforesaid is now being published in the Ontario Gazette in the issues thereof bearing date the 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th days of July, 1918.

And further take notice that in default of payment of the taxes in arrears upon the lands specified in said list together with the costs chargeable thereon as set forth in the said list so being published in the Ontario Gazette before the day fixed for sale of such lands, being the 12th day of October, A. D. 1918, the said lands will be sold for taxes pursuant to the terms of the advertisement in the Ontario Gazette.

And further take notice that this publication is made pursuant to Assessment Act Revised Statutes of Ontario 1914, Chapter 195, Section 149, sub-sec. 3.
Dated at Sarnia this 8th day of July, A. D. 1918.

H. INGRAM,
Treasurer of County of Lambton,
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Australian wild turkey hens lay their eggs in common nests that hold half a bushel or more cover them with soil and decaying vegetable matter and leave them for the heat of decomposition to hatch.

Spaghetti and tomatoes cooked together make a cheap and filling dish.



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Accommodation,.....	6 44
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Accommodation, 80.....	7 32
New York Express, 6.....	11 16
New York Express, 18.....	2 52
Accommodation, 112.....	5 16
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Suggestions for Most Profitable Care of Dairy Cows and Calves—August Ploughing and September Cross Ploughing Kills Grubs and Worms in Old Sod.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

DURING the extremely hot weather, cows and calves frequently suffer, sometimes needlessly, from three things—effects of high temperature, lack of water, and from torment by flies.

A great mistake was made in the older parts of Ontario, when practically all the trees were cut down, thus leaving no shade for cattle and other live stock. When the late Prof.

between the dates of harvesting and seeding. Those growers who have old wheat of good quality should save it carefully for seed purposes. Special efforts should be made to thresh as much of the good wheat of this year's growing at as early a date as possible. Farmers having more seed than is required for home use or for sale to neighbors would undoubtedly receive a good demand by advertising in either the local or the agricultural papers. Tests should be made of the germination of both the old and the new wheat. Strict economy of winter wheat for seed purposes this autumn is essential.—Dr. C. A. Zavitz, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Young Officers Honored.

Fifteen Canadian officers received Military Crosses recently, and when their names were gazetted, it was discovered that their average age was 25 years. Eight of the officers had previously served in the ranks and received their commissions after seeing service as privates in France.

A Museum for Horses.

A Fight for Life

It has been fight or die for many of us in the past and the lucky people are those who have suffered, but who are now well because they heeded nature's warning signal in time to correct their trouble with that wonderful new discovery of Dr. Pierce's, called "An-u-ric." You should promptly heed these warnings, some of which are dizzy spells, backache, irregularity of the urine or the painful twinges of rheumatism, sciatica or lumbago. To delay may make possible the dangerous forms of kidney disease, such as diabetes or stone in bladder.

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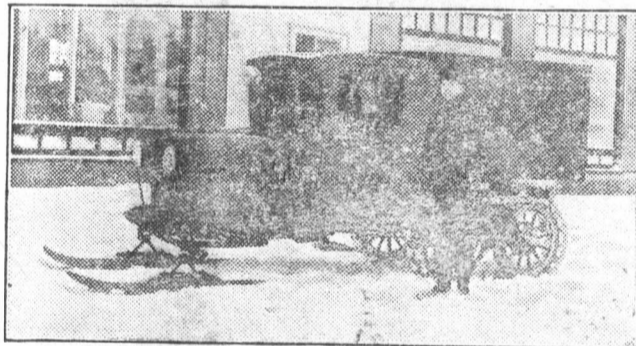
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Fish is the only food which has not risen in price, and the wise house keeper will take advantage of this fact.

When Winter Comes



A "Snowmobile" used in the Maritime Provinces

DOWN in the Maritime Provinces the Canadian Fords wear snow shoes. Here is a Ford "Snowmobile" all set for a hard winter. Proof that it will get over the roads no matter how high the drifts may be is furnished by Captain Donald McMillan, the famous Arctic explorer, who was first to use a "snowmobile" in the Far North. With his Ford thus equipped he travelled nearly two thousand miles over ice on one expedition, at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour. This, of course, is far better than dogs can do in ordinary circumstances. The McMillan "snowmobile" has a tractor tread and runners.

A Model A "Snowmobile" such as that

shown in the accompanying illustration, is used by a lumber concern in the Maritime Provinces. It travels regularly over a rough wood road at ten miles an hour. Another used by a large hotel, has accomplished a speed of twenty-five to thirty miles an hour with ease on well built roads on which, however, three or four feet of snow has accumulated.

The "snowmobile" has skis where the front wheels ordinarily would be. Heavy chains furnish traction for the rear wheels no matter how deep the snow may be. A Ford dealer has just reported that one such car regularly carries five passengers over a wood road to a lumber camp.

twenty-five cows and may be applied with a brush or cloth. If there is no rain it will keep the flies off for several days. Milkers must be careful not to get this on the hands, nor allow hairs to drop into the milk pail, as it will taint the milk. It is safer to apply after milking.—Prof. H. H. Dean, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

What About Seed Wheat This Year?

Good seed of the most desirable varieties of fall wheat is sure to be scarce this autumn. The most of the winter wheat in Canada is grown in Ontario, and the acreage sown in this province last autumn was less than usual. Over fifty per cent. of the crop was winter killed. In numerous instances the wheat which was not ploughed was re-sown with other grains either over the whole areas or in patches. Owing to the scarcity of labor it may be difficult to thresh the grain from the good fields be-

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Because frosts do most of the damage when the air is calm a Paris scientist has advanced the theory that orchards and vineyards can be protected by electric fans to keep the atmosphere moving.

Among the sanding devices invented to prevent automobiles skidding is one which, operated by a lever from the driver's seat pours more sand before the rear wheels the nearer it is moved to them.

No man or woman should hobble painfully about because of corns when so certain a relief is at hand as Holloway's Corn Cure.

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New York Express, 6.....11 16 a.m.
New York Express, 18.....2 52 p.m.
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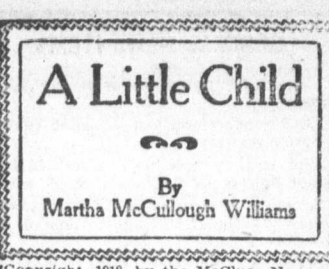
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Thos L Swift, reported missing since June 15th, 1915
Richard H Stapleford
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L Gunn Newell, killed in action
F C N Newell, DCM T Ward
All Woodward, killed in action
Sid Welsh M Cunningham
M Blondel W Blunt
R W Bailey A L Johnston
R A Johnston G Mathews
C Manning W Glenn Nichol
F Phelps H F Small
E W Smith C Toop
J Ward, killed in action C Ward
F Wakelm, D C M, killed in action
T Wakelm, wounded and missing
H Whitsett B Hardy
PRINCESS PATRICIA'S C. L. I.
Gerald H Brown
18TH BATTALION
C A Barnes Geo Ferris
Edmund Watson G Shanks
J Burns F Burns
C Blunt Wm Autterson
S P Shanks Walter Woolvett
2ND DIVISIONAL CAVALRY
Lorne Lucas Frank Yerks
Chas Potter
33RD BATTALION
 Percy Mitchell, died of wounds Oct. 14, 1916
Lloyd Howden
Geo Fountain killed in action Sept. 16, 1916
Gordon H Patterson, died in Victoria Hospital, London
34TH BATTALION
E C Crohn S Newell
Macklin Hagle, missing since Oct. 8, 1916
Stanley Rogers Wm Manning
Henry Holmes, killed in action Sept. 27, 1916
Leonard Leets
C Jamieson
29TH BATTERY
Wm Mitchell John Howard
70TH BATTALION
Ernest Lawrence Alfred Emmerson
C H Loveley A Banks
S R Whalton, killed in action Oct., 1916
Thos Meyers Joe M Wardman
Vern Brown Alf Bullough
Sid Brown, killed in action Sept. 15, 1916
38TH BATTALION
Thomas Lamb, killed in action
MOUNTED RIFLES
Fred A Taylor
PIONEERS
Wm Macnally W F Goodman
ENGINEERS
J Tomlin
Basil Saunders Cecil McNaughton
ARMY MEDICAL CORPS
T A Brandon, M D W J McKenzie M D
Norman McKenzie Jerold W Small
Allen W Edwards Wm McCausland
Basil Gault
135TH BATTALION
Nichol McLachlin, killed in action July 6th, 1917
3RD RESERVE BATTERY, C F A
Alfred Levi
116TH BATTALION
Clayton O Fuller, killed in action April 18th, 1917
196TH BATTALION
R R Annett
70TH BATTERY
R H Trenouth, killed in action on May 8th, 1917
Murray M Forster V W Willoughby
Ambrose Gavigan
142ND BATTALION
Gunner
Austin Potter
Russ G Clark
R N C V R
John J Brown T. A. Gilliland
1st Class Petty Officers.
ARMY DENTAL CORPS
Elgin D Hicks H D Taylor
ARMY SERVICE CORPS
Frank Elliot R H Acton
Arthur McKercher
89TH BATTALION
Roy E Acton, killed in action Nov. 3, 1917
64th BATTERY
C F Luckham Harold D Robinson
Romo Auld
63RD BATTERY
Walter A Restorick George W. Parker
Clare Fuller
67TH BATTERY
Edgar Prentis
60TH BATTERY
Chester W Cook
ROYAL FLYING CORPS
Lieut M R James Cadet D. V. Auld
J. C. Hill, mechanic
1ST DEPOT BATTALION
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James Peist Fred Birch
Russell McCormick Robert Creasey
Leo Dodds Fred Just
John Stapleford Geo. Moore
Mel. McCormick Bert Lucas
Tom Dodds Alvin Copeland
Wellington Higgins Herman Cameron
CENTRAL ONTARIO REGIMENT
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SPECIAL SERVICE COMPANY
Nelson Hood
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If the name of your soldier boy does not appear in this column, kindly notify us and it will be placed there.



A Little Child By Martha McCullough Williams

"Yes, sir!" Miss Prue said. "You hear my racket! Some'n is in the wind over to Barton's—shore's I'm knee-high to a grasshopper."

"How come you to be so shore?" Widow Allan demanded, settling her knitting-sheath more firmly against her plump side.

Which was fact rudely stated. Miss Prue magnanimously ignored it. "I know you're a sensible person," she began.

"How many other ones have you done told a'ready?" the widow interrupted. Miss Prue looked down: "I jest sorter sketched things to Nan Wickfield and Josy Crimes—"

"Stop beatin' the bushes, fer goodness sake! What is the rest?" the widow demanded. Miss Prue drew a long breath.

"Ef I didn't know folks caint git sunstruck in the late fall, I'd think your head was tetch'd," the widow exploded.

Miss Prue looked at her loftily, severely. "Make light of hit all you wantar," she said, "but that's the reward. Here! Look at the handbill! Didn't you find one like hit in your letter box?"

The widow read, gasping. Sure enough there was a reward—five hundred dollars for information leading to the capture of counterfeiters, double that for capture actual.

"Wait! You ain't heard half," Miss Prue said magisterially. "Two of the men, and the gal, are at Barton's every little while—come an go in a car—always on the edge of dusk else mighty early mornin'."

"Are you shore? Did he look like them pictures?" the widow demanded. "As much as anybody else," Miss Prue answered, tossing her head.

"You took hit—then you've got the gang dead to rights," the widow said quivering in her eagerness over the unfolding drama.

Advertisement for Zam-Buk, featuring the text 'PILES Zam-Buk ends the pain, and stops bleeding. Try it! All dealers, 50c. box.' and the product name 'Zam-Buk' in large letters.

The Barton house, clean, rambling and comfortable, had an absolute monarch, by name Roy Evers. He was five years old, golden as to hair, blue-eyed, chubby, and dimpled as a Cupid.

Service flag for Grief. Service flags are displayed all over the big city, and it appears to be quite the patriotic thing for large corporations to onto each other in showing the largest number of employees engaged in the war game.

While Miss Prue was expounding her beliefs to the widow, Mamma sat snuggling Roy, and smiling weebegonely at Big Injun. He had just said: "Make much of today, daughter; it won't be safe to come again before Christmas. Try as we may to blind our trail, that detective hound, Feugle, has picked it up."

For answer the man dropped the creel, darted past her into the big south room where the strangers were assembled—grabbed the whimpering child, lifted him high on his shoulder, saying hoarsely to Mamma: "I can't take you forcibly, May, no matter how much I want you—but I will have our child."

Errors or omissions corrected according to law. Dated this 31st day of July, 1918. N. HERBERT, Clerk of Warwick

Operated by a gasoline engine or electric motor a portable scoop conveyor has been invented that enables one man to load a wagon in far less time than the work could be done with a shovel.

To test textiles an Englishman has invented a machine to pass fabrics under a microscope while at the same time they are subjected to powerful electric lights above and below their surfaces.

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Flies, Drought and Heat Cause of Trouble.

Suggestions for Most Profitable Care of Dairy Cows and Calves—August Ploughing and September Cross Ploughing Kills Grubs and Worms in Old Sod.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

DURING the extremely hot weather, cows and calves frequently suffer, sometimes needlessly, from three things—effects of high temperature, lack of water, and from torment by flies.

A great mistake was made in the older parts of Ontario, when practically all the trees were cut down, thus leaving no shade for cattle and other live stock. When the late Prof. Brown was in charge of the Ontario Agricultural College farm and live stock, he planted small groves of trees on various parts of the College farm, and no more pleasant sight may be seen than that of the College herd lying in the shade among these trees on a hot day. These groves make the fields where located rather awkward to work, but the cattle certainly enjoy themselves among the trees. On a live stock and dairy farm, while it may not be advisable to plant trees in the middle of a field, it certainly will pay to have them in as many places as possible, where they do not interfere with the working of the land.

In the meantime, on dairy farms where no shade is available in the regular pasture field, sometimes a wood-lot can be utilized for the stock during the heat of the day, though they may damage the young trees to some extent. Another plan is to keep the cattle in a darkened stable for part of the day. This means a good deal of extra labor cleaning the stable, and keeping the cows clean, and under present labor conditions may not be practicable on many farms. However, where there is the necessary labor available and particularly where cows are receiving soiling or silage feed to supplement the pasture, the feeding in the stable may well take place during the day and the cows be kept inside while it is very hot. This plan also reduces worry from flies, when the windows are covered to make the stable dark.

Water Necessary for Comfort and Milk Production.
Cows frequently suffer from lack of sufficient water. As a boy, the writer remembers driving cattle to "Big Creek," in Brant County, during dry spells. The cows were nearly famished when they reached the "Creek" and would drink until they looked like bursting. By the time they reach home, after walking for a mile-and-a-half over a dusty road, the cattle were nearly as thirsty as ever.

The only safe source of a sure water supply is a deep well, driven or bored, and having the water pumped by windmill or other sources of power, with a storage tank for emergencies. There is no part of Ontario in which an abundance of water cannot be obtained, if we go deep enough to tap the hidden sources of supply.

No matter how it is obtained, the owner of dairy stock, more especially of cows milking, must supply a large amount of water, else the stock will suffer, which means lessened milk supply, and small cheques from the creamery, cheesery, condensery, or city dealer. Milk consists of about 87 1/2 per cent. water, and this water must come from the drink and feed of the cow. A cow giving 100 lbs. (10 gallons) of milk daily, will drink over 200 lbs. (20 gallons) of water in a day. Cows giving less milk will drink in proportion. Give the cows plenty of water. Young cattle, calves, and hogs also need plenty of clean water in hot weather.

Fly Remedies.
There are several good fly remedies on the market. Where there is no time to make one, the purchase of a patent fly-killer or repellent, is advisable. These are usually applied daily, or twice a day with a small hand sprayer.

A home-made remedy may consist of one-half gallon fish oil, or any old grease, one-half pint coal oil, and four tablespoonfuls of crude carbolic acid, cresol, etc. Mix thoroughly. This will be sufficient for twenty-five cows and may be applied with a brush or cloth. If there is no rain it will keep the flies off for several days. Milkers must be careful not to get this on the hands, nor allow hairs to drop into the milk pail, as it will taint the milk. It is safer to apply after milking.—Prof. H. H. Dean, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

What About Seed Wheat This Year?

Good seed of the most desirable varieties of fall wheat is sure to be scarce this autumn. The most of the winter wheat in Canada is grown in Ontario, and the acreage sown in this province last autumn was less than usual. Over fifty per cent. of the crop was winter killed. In numerous instances the wheat which was not ploughed was re-sown with other grains either over the whole areas or in patches. Owing to the scarcity of labor it may be difficult to thresh the grain from the good fields be-

tween the dates of harvesting and seeding. Those growers who have old wheat of good quality should save it carefully for seed purposes. Special efforts should be made to thresh as much of the good wheat of this year's growing as early a date as possible. Farmers having more seed than is required for home use or for sale to neighbors would undoubtedly receive a good demand by advertising in either the local or the agricultural papers. Tests should be made of the germination of both the old and the new wheat. Strict economy of winter wheat for seed purposes this autumn is essential.—Dr. C. A. Zavitz, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Young Officers Honored.
Fifteen Canadian officers received Military Crosses recently, and when their names were gazetted, it was discovered that their average age was 25 years. Eight of the officers had previously served in the ranks and received their commissions after seeing service as privates in France.

A Museum for Horses.
Paris has established a museum of the horse, presenting a complete history of the animal from the earliest known period to the present day.

MEN WHO ENLISTED IN 149 BATT. AT WATFORD

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- Sergt. S. H. Hawkins
- Sergt. E. A. Dodds
- Sergt. W. C. McKinnon
- Sergt. Geo. Gibbs
- Sergt. H. Murphy
- Sergt. C. F. Roche
- Corp. W. M. Bruce
- Corp. J. C. Anderson
- Corp. J. Menzies
- Corp. S. E. Dodds
- Corp. H. Cooper
- Corp. C. Killen
- Corp. C. E. Sisson
- L. Corp. E. I. Small
- B. Q. S.—B. C. Culley
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- Pte. A. Banks
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- Pte. G. Lawrence
- Pte. R. J. Lawrence
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- Pte. W. C. Pearce
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- Pte. G. A. Parker
- Pte. A. W. Stilwell
- Pte. W. J. Saunders
- Pte. Bert Saunders
- Pte. A. Armond
- Pte. W. C. Aylesworth, Band
- Pte. R. Clark, Bugler
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- Pte. Wilson
- Pte. Richard Watson, Can. Engineer
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- Pte. Percy Mitchell
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- Pte. Thos. Lamb
- Pte. J. Ward
- Pte. Sid Brown
- Pte. Gordon Patterson
- Pte. F. Wakelin, D. C. M.
- Pte. T. Wakelin
- Pte. G. M. Fountain
- Pte. H. Holmes
- Pte. C. Stillwell
- Pte. Macklin Hagie
- Sergt. Clayton O. Fuller
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- Bandsman A. I. Small

The cheapness of Mother Graves' Worm exterminator puts it within reach of all, and it can be got at any drug-gists.

Because frosts do most of the damage when the air is calm a Paris scientist has advanced the theory that orchards and vineyards can be protected by electric fans to keep the atmosphere moving.

Among the sanding devices invented to prevent automobiles skidding is one which, operated by a lever from the driver's seat pours more sand before the rear wheels the nearer it is moved to them.

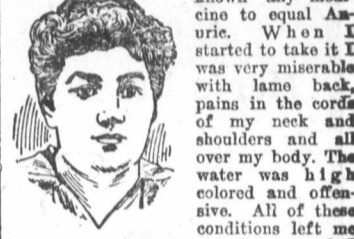
No man or woman should hobble painfully about because of corns when so certain a relief is at hand as Holloway's Corn Care.

A Fight for Life

It has been fight or die for many of us in the past and the lucky people are those who have suffered, but who are now well because they heeded nature's warning signal in time to correct their trouble with that wonderful new discovery of Dr. Pierce's, called "Anuric." You should promptly heed these warnings, some of which are dizzy spells, headache, irregularity of the urine or the painful twinges of rheumatism, sciatica or lumbago. To delay may make possible the dangerous forms of kidney disease, such as diabetes or stone in bladder.

To overcome these distressing conditions take plenty of exercise in the open air, avoid a heavy meat diet, drink freely of water and at each meal take Anuric (double strength). You will, in a short time, find that you are one of the firm indorsers of Anuric.

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Death of Dr. McKinnon

(Alvinston Free Press).

The community was shocked this week when it became known that Dr. McKinnon, a former Alvinston man had died at his home in Los Angeles, California, where he moved about 18 years ago when he retired from active medical practice here. The deceased was a well known man and highly honored by all who knew him, he having had an office in the building on the corner of Elgin and Centre street for about 10 years.

It will be remembered by residents of the town that he was at one time a candidate for the Legislature against McCallum who defeated him by a small majority. He was an ardent supporter of the Presbyterian church and was connected with all enterprises which were for the welfare of the town.

He was also a member of the local Oddfellows Lodge and Honorary Member of the Masonic Fraternity.

The sorrowing relatives of the deceased have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

Government To Make A Big Display

The Canadian National Exhibition has joined in the war on non-essentials, has reconstructed its classifications on war time basis and has striven in every way to reflect the spirit and interest of the times. It has offered every facility to the governments, Federal and Provincial, for displays to illustrate the achievements of the various national departments, engaged in war work and has freely given space for this purpose. The governments apparently have come to realize the importance of the Exhibition as a point of contact with a million people each year and have responded generously with displays of a most interesting and educational character. In fact, in no other year did the governments co-operate so readily and completely and the result will be an array of exhibits demonstrating how the experts at Ottawa, Guelph, Toronto, and the West are striving to give the people the very best scientific service along production, conservation and kindred lines. These demonstrations will cover every branch of the food problem, both from the standpoint of the city man and the country resident.

COMMUNICATIONS.

(We do not hold ourselves responsible for opinions expressed by correspondents).

EDITOR GUIDE-ADVOCATE:

May I ask, have you any influence over the council of the Village of Watford, and if so would you care to exercise it for the benefit of our harmless little town? Recently I motored from Oshawa to Watford, a distance of approximately two hundred miles, and the most amusing things I saw on the trip were the motor regulations at Watford. As a motorist enters the village limits he is requested not to drive over 15 miles an hour. I don't know why this should be unless it is to afford the inhabitants an opportunity of seeing an occasional stranger. At the Presbyterian church we see a "danger" sign and for the life of me I fail to see the danger. I have attended that church for many years and I doubt if it ever did me any harm. Even if it is dangerous, people will go to church anyway. If it is intended for the corner, I have lived and motored around that corner for fifteen years or more and I don't know where the danger comes in unless some one might turn there and land at my place for lunch.

The long and the short of it, Mr. Editor is this. The average motorist will translate these signs to read, "keep out of this place." I would suggest that the council erect a sign at the gates of our fair village to read something like this, "This is Watford. You are welcome. No speed limit on money spending." Invite motorists and people living in the country to our town, do not give them a hint to keep out. Put the motorist in good humor and nine times out of ten he will go out of his way to get into the town to spend a dollar. Even if there should be an occasional accident, surely the members of the council can see it would be to the interests of the Druggists, the Undertaker and the Lawyers. So why have up these signs, it keeps people out of the town, makes laughing stock of the village and at best only invites petty annoyances for an innocent offender. By all means have them removed. There are very few autos driven under 20 miles per hour in this city of Toronto, and Toronto must not be ahead of Watford.

R. C. McLeay.

Toronto, Aug. 17, 1918.

NOTE:—Watford auto signs are about the same as those used in most small towns. Fifteen miles an hour is none too slow to ensure the safety of pedestrians in any place where traffic police are not engaged at street intersections. A speed of over 15 miles would be exceedingly dangerous on busy days, especially on Saturday nights. We have heard other motorists say that the danger sign is somewhat superfluous. The writer of the communication seems to have a grinch at someone. Wonder if he has violated some traffic regulation and been "interviewed" by the Chief?—EDITOR.

Farmers in some sections have been troubled considerably the past few weeks with grasshoppers attacking the bands on the sheaves and causing great inconvenience and annoyance by cutting the bands so that farmers find on hauling in the grain that they have to spend a great deal of time rebinding the sheaves. One farmer in Malden declared that in a ten acre field of oats he had to rebind about six acres. This is one of the most annoying and time destroying nuisances farmers must face.

BOSANQUET COUNCIL

Council met on the 12th inst. All the members present. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

A by-law was passed commuting statute labor at \$1.00 per day and by-law were passed prohibiting obstructions being placed on the public highways.

C. A. Gibbs applied for and received permission to build a boulevard 8 x 10 ft. next to the sidewalk in front of his land on Huron street, Brewster. The Reeve was instructed to have Jas. Carrothers take his fences off the Pine Hill—Port Frank Road.

The following orders were given:—
The Standard Printing Co., \$10.00, printing the Donald Drain By-Law, \$10.00, printing the Hilborn Drain By-Law and \$101.72, printing Voters' Lists, ad. in newspaper, etc.; David Stewart, \$34.60, to pay freight on tile for the Brooks-Niddary Drain and \$100 for work on the John Coultis Drain; Mrs. W. H. Welsh, \$31 for gravel; Bruce Bossenberry \$93.10 for building cement sidewalk at Brewster; G. Sutherland, \$1 to pay County Registrar searching sub-divisions of lots; Mrs. M. A. Oliver \$3.23, supplies for Harry Taylor, and C. Medcoff, \$300, work on Mud Creek Drain.

Council adjourned to meet on Monday, the 9th of September, at 10 a.m.

GEO. SUTHERLAND, Clerk.

New Ministers Returned

at Bye-Elections

Toronto, August 19.—Hon. Dr. Cody, minister of education, and Hon. George S. Henry, minister of agriculture, were elected to the Legislature in to-day's bye-elections by immense majorities. The electors of Northeast Toronto gave

Dr. Cody a majority in the neighborhood of 5,000 votes over Wm. Varley, soldier-labor candidate, while in East York Hon. Mr. Henry came back with a margin of about 3,000 votes over John Galbraith.

AN AGE OF WEAK NERVES

"No heart for anything" is the cry of thousands of men and women who might be made well by the new red blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make. Misery day and night is the lot of hosts of men and women who are to-day the victims of weak nerves. Their pale drawn faces and dejected attitude tell a sad tale, for nervous weakness means being tortured by morbid thoughts and unaccountable fits of depression. These sufferers are painfully sensitive and easily agitated by some chance remark. Sleeplessness robs them of energy and strength; their eyes are sunken, their limbs tremble, appetite is poor and memory often fails. This nervous exhaustion is one of the most serious evils affecting men and women of to-day. The only way to bring back sound, vigorous health is to feed the starved nerves which are clamoring for new rich red blood. This new good blood can be had through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which fact accounts for the thousands of cures of nervous diseases brought about by this powerful blood builder and nerve restorer. Through the fair are of this medicine thousands of despondent people have been made bright, active and strong.

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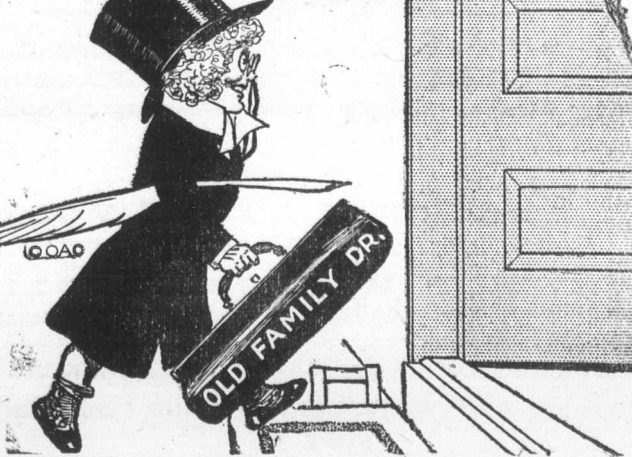
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Household Preparations
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Sickness.



Just at this particular time of the year you will do well to have on hand a few of the Reliable REXALL Remedies.

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- " HEADACHE WAFERS..... 25c
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OCTOBER 2nd and 3rd

LOCAL HAPPENING

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes items of interest for this column. Call Phone 11, send by mail or drop them in GUIDE-ADVOCATE Letter Box.

PUBLIC and High School Suppl

MCLAREN'S.

SEE THE NEW FORDSON TRACTOR

Flow at R. MORNINGSTAR'S.

ONLY one more Wednesday after

half holiday.

OUR BIG WORK SHIRTS for big

SWIFTS.

THE CASUALTY LISTS have been

heavy the past week.

The next sitting of the division

in Watford will be held on Sept

20th.

MR. T. G. MITCHELL, grain des

now shipping grain from Sutorville

ang, Brooke.

If the average man's digestive

status is alright his conscience do

trouble him much.

OWING to Monday being Labor

and a holiday the stores will be op

day Wednesday.

SEVERAL cars of coal were rec

here this week, part of the 1500

allotted to Watford.

A MOTHER thinks it queer that

daughter should care for the things

she never cared for herself.

THE copious showers on Wedne

were certainly "Showers of bliss

and of untold benefit to the root and

crops.

Sunday, October 20th, is the day

ed for the jubilee services in T

church. His Lordship the Bisho

Huron will preach.

OWING to the rain the Methodist

day School did not picnic at Hills

on Wednesday as was proposed, b

little ones were entertained in the

basement.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS want

best style of Shoes procurable. We

them,—and at the lowest price.

need a new pair for school next w

come in and see ours.—P. DODDS &

THE Oshawa Vindicator has fin

its course and has ceased public

and last week the Almonte Time

announced that as it could not find

it would discontinue.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made

house-to-house canvass in Ontario,

mening the first week in September

aid of the sailors on the high seas

their dependents.

PEELING TOMATOES is about a

munerative as munition making and

also patriotic work as it helps to con

food. One woman earned as high

\$6.50 the other day peeling tomatoe

the Leamington Canning Co.

ANY PERSON who permanently

moves from the address given at tin

recent registration must within 15

notify the Central Registrar at O

giving new address. There is a 1

fine for anyone neglecting to do th

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Appleford Counter Check Book C

any. Why not give us your next

for check books? No matter what

of check book you are using, we

duplicate it at the same price. Giv

social man the preference.

MERCHANTS have received the fo

ing notice re sugar regulations:—

Canada Food Board says all order

sugar must contain at least one-

yellow. If you sell granulated to

customers you should sell on the

basis, namely, that the customers

one-third yellow."

ADVERTISING RATES.—Cards of Th

In Memoriam Verses, Complime

Addresses, 5c per line, minimum cl

50c; notices of entertainments to b

also notices of Lost, Found, Wante

For Sale, 5c per line each inse

minimum charge 25c—all to be pre

Six words in a line.

The principal attraction on Labor

will be the sports at Wyoming,

preparations are being made to giv

of the most complete program

aces, sports, games, etc., ever offer

Wyoming for public patronage. See

you will not be disappointed if you s

the day there.

FARMERS in this section are thi

cutting grain and hauling in. The

on the whole has proven very satisfi

and many barns are filled to the

while some are compelled to thro

make room for the balance of their

The farmers have managed very w

spite of help shortage.

THE SALE of tickets for the bea

gold watch which was given to Tecu

Chapter I. O. D. E. will close on 8

day evening next. If you get a

you will have made at least 200 pe

on your money. If you do not get it

have given a quarter of a dollar,

cent of which goes for Red Cross

so secure your ticket.