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Lincoln County Has Seven Male, 76 Female Teachers Teaching in Rural Schools

Comprehensive Report of General School Conditions in this County With Recommendations By Inspector Carefoot

Following is the report of George Carefoot, Public School Inspector Lincoln County, January 28th.

The Warden and Councillors of Lincoln County, in Council assembled:

Members: I have the honour to submit my Annual Report on the state of Lincoln County for the year 1919, as follows:

Number of Teachers Salaries and Certificates.

Number of male teachers in rural schools 7

Number of female teachers in rural schools 76

Number of male teachers in urban schools 6

Number of female teachers in urban schools 26

Number of male teachers in rural schools 13

Number of female teachers in rural schools 102

Number of teachers with first certificates 6

Number of teachers with second certificates 104

Number of teachers with third certificates 5

Salaries of Teachers.

Highest salary male teachers in rural schools \$1400.

Highest salary female teachers in rural schools \$750.

Average salary male teachers in rural schools \$1190 (1919).

Average salary female teachers in rural schools \$657 (1919).

Highest salary male teachers in urban schools \$1075.

Highest salary female teachers in urban schools \$900.

Average salary male teachers in urban schools \$803 (1919).

Average salary female teachers in urban schools \$704 (1919).

Maximum salary paid in rural schools \$1723, 1918, \$658, Increase \$65.

Maximum salary paid in rural schools \$1754, 1918, \$718, Increase \$41.

On salaries of rural teachers, Govt. \$3375.

On Certificates of rural teachers Govt. \$918.50.

Amount department withheld for superannuation in rural schools, Govt. \$1170.62.

Special Grant on rural teachers salaries Govt. \$3354.27.

On accommodation and equipment of rural schools, Govt. \$821.66. County \$821.66.

On certificates in urban schools Govt. \$587.00.

Special Grant to urban Schools Govt. \$404.

Amount deducted for Superannuation in urban schools, Govt. \$445.08.

Fifth Class Grant Govt. \$183.89. County \$183.89.

Rural School Library Grant Govt. \$236.46. County \$206.65.

Grant to Agriculture Classes Govt. \$1345.40.

Grant to Domestic Science Classes \$60.

Total of all grants Govt. \$11,725.92. County \$1191.20.

Cost of Education and Number of Pupils Enrolled.

Total enrolled in rural schools 3399

Total enrolled in urban schools 1450

Total 4849

Increase from 1918, 246.

Cost Per Pupil Per Year.

In rural schools \$29.75.

In urban schools \$25.27.

New Buildings and Increased Accommodation.

The Niagara Board purchased a house and lot adjoining the Public School and fitted up the house as a class room. The lot adds about 1-4 acre to the present school grounds.

In Grimsby a large house was purchased and altered so as to provide 2 class rooms, cloak rooms, lavatories with heating and complete equipment. Two teachers were added to the staff.

In Beamsville the Public School building was improved and the premises put in better general condition.

In Merrittan an additional room was fitted up in the Central School, and another teacher added to the staff.

In S. S. No. 1 North Grimsby the upper rooms in the building were finished and a steam heating plant installed. A third teacher was added.

In S. S. No. 7 Grantham the second room was opened, and a steam heating plant installed.

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WICKED AND RIGHTEOUS IN SLIPPERY PLACES

With the thawing yesterday and the freezing today both the wicked and righteous walked in slippery places. With a thin coating of smooth ice on the side walks, you didn't know when you were safe and at a most unexpected moment down you went. This particularly applied to worn rubbers. Some people got really bad falls, hurting elbows and heads. Others who landed plump are only bothered with a bit of soreness.

A Conciliation Board Dealing With Men's Wages

The Board of Conciliation which is considering the question of increase of wages for the men of the Niagara St. Catharines and Toronto Railway Company had sittings today and yesterday, going into the earnings and expenses of the railway which being part of the Canadian Northern system is owned by the Canadian government.

It is quite probable the Board after it concludes its work here will make a report of its findings which will be issued from Ottawa. The men ask 60 cents an hour. They are now getting 47 to 50 cents an hour. It will be remembered that the men struck last summer and tied up the road for several days.

WIDE LAKE STRETCH NOW FROZEN OVER

As far as the eye can see, ice covers Lake Ontario. All along the northern shore of the lake it is the same. Ice stretches out and out to the horizon. Not since 1912, the men at the storm signal station say, has the lake been so widely frozen over, and even then it is doubtful if there was as much ice as there is this year and in 1912 the amount of ice on the lake was looked on as a record. Ice of tremendous thickness covers the bay and ice of almost equal thickness girds the waters of the lake adjacent to the land. The Eastern Channel, which the sweep of the waves usually keeps from freezing, is now a solid roadbed.

DEMPSEY-WILLARD PICTURE TO BE SHOWN HERE VERY SOON

The Dempsey-Willard championship bout pictures, by permission of the Government are to be sent on tour of the Province shortly, it being expected that St. Catharines will be played about the 11th February. As the object is a most deserving one, for returned soldiers, there should be a big crowd at the Grand to see these interesting pictures.

AUSTRIAN KILLED BY TRAIN

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Feb. 3.—The body of John Skadamuck, an Austrian, thirty nine years of age, was found in a badly mutilated condition beside the railroad tracks, about one quarter mile west of the tunnel at St. David's, by a G. T. R. section man yesterday. It is thought that the man was returning from the Hydro store when he was struck by a Washburn train. The body is now at Morse's undertaking rooms, where an inquest was opened last night.

Ulric Soulliere, twenty-seven years of age, of Tecumseh, was drowned while crossing River Detroit Sunday afternoon, when his boat struck some ice and capsized.

WHY THIS FAVOR?

Just why public school pupils should be allowed to leave their classes in the early afternoon and go to a picture show, put on by a newspaper as a business and publicity scheme of its own, is not clear. This, however, is what is being done and all at the request of the newspaper which charges these pupils, of course, for admission.

Why have not managers of local theatres as much right to appear occasionally before the Public School Board and explain that they are showing pictures of great educational value and ask that the Board give the pupils a part holiday to see the pictures shown at 15 cents per pupil?

The claim that this particular picture or the other one has peculiar educational value comes with more force from the manager of the newspaper who has revenue to take in to meet the cost of a picture than it comes from a parent of a pupil who believes that his offspring can get educated at the school or go at night with parents to see pictures.

It is presuming a long way to urge a School Board to do for a newspaper what it wouldn't do for the manager of a theatre. Many fine pictures are brought to this city of a year, historical, literary and educational nature but the theatre managers show them at their own expense and risk. They could not get the Board to let pupils out to see their pictures but when a newspaper undertakes to put on something in which it stands to make money or lose it the sentiments of the School Board are appealed to and they grant the appeal.

The Journal agrees with a parent who writes a letter published in today's issue, when a charge is made for the picture and pupils have to put up 15 cents each there is no particular philanthropy shown by the newspaper. It is a business proposition and if a thousand pupils go \$150 is taken in receipts.

There are some other good pictures coming along at the local theatres soon. They also will have an educational value. Will the School Board listen to the theatre managers if they come before it and request a part holiday?

If the Board should take such a course public school supporters would have a right to object. Some of them object to what has been done for the newspaper's personal benefit and they have a perfect right to object. Public Schools should not be exploited for private interests.

FORWARD MOVEMENT MEETINGS ARRANGED

A series of meetings in the interests of the Anglican Forward Movement are being held in this city and district this week. Tonight there is a gathering in the church in Louth township and one also at Jordan the latter of which will be addressed by Rev. A. H. Howitt and Mr. J. M. Elson. Tomorrow night there will be a joint meeting of two or three denominations at Marshville and a dinner is being held in connection with it. Mr. Elson has been asked to go out and speak there also. On Thursday there is a meeting at Homer and on Friday night a banquet will be held in St. Thomas Church. Mr. A. M. Watts of this city spoke at Port Colborne last Sunday and is also assisting the movement by addresses in various other places in the Peninsula.

METROPOLITAN WATER AREA

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Feb. 3.—Mr. Dallyn of the Ontario Board of Health spoke here in favor of a metropolitan water area for Niagara Falls, St. Catharines, Welland, Thorold, Port Dalhousie, Port Colborne and Humberstone, the intake to be near here at Chippawa, from Niagara River. A public meeting will be called by the Mayor to go into the whole question. The Health Engineer condemns the present supply.

Farmer and His Wife Are Found to Have Abandoned Their Eight Little Children

LAKE ONTARIO IS FROZEN LONG WAY

As far as you can see out from Port Dalhousie ice stretches out into the lake and it is the same thing on the Toronto side. No such ice conditions have prevailed on Lake Ontario since 1912 when some folks here claimed that Lake Ontario was frozen clean across.

George Oscar Doughty Passes Away Age 66

The death occurred this morning at his home on Mary street of a well known citizen in George Oscar Doughty, in his 66th year.

Mr. Doughty was for many years in the butter and egg business. He formerly lived on McDonald street and then moved to Hamilton, afterwards returning to the city and purchasing his present home on Mary street.

As a retired business man, Mr. Doughty served on nearly all coroner's juries, he being a familiar figure at inquests.

He leaves a widow, one son and one daughter. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon to Victoria Lawn Cemetery.

SAY FUR PRICES WILL GO HIGHER BY NEXT WINTER

Buyers at National Fur Exchange Opening Prophecy Boost.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 3.—Prices of furs will be decidedly higher next winter, according to buyers attending the winter auction of the International Fur exchange here.

More than six hundred buyers from all parts of the world were in attendance. More than fifteen million pelts, valued at approximately \$25,000,000 will be disposed of during the sale, which will continue through February 14. The sale is expected to be the largest in the history of the trade.

The prospective increase in prices is assigned to the embargo placed on higher grades of furs by Australia and to the Bolshevik uprisings in Russia, which, it is said, virtually had paralyzed the fur trade in that country.

A NIGHT IN HONOLULU PLEASED BIG AUDIENCE AT GRAND LAST NIGHT

"A Night in Honolulu," a melodious, tragic and humorous Hawaiian play, drew a large crowd to the Grand last night. The production was thoroughly satisfying. The Company is a strong one and well balanced and the spectacular features add to its attraction. Then running all through it is that subtle, alluring Hawaiian music which is irresistible to most people with its soothing sweetness. Unlike "The Blue Bird," of pleasant memory "A Night in Honolulu" has a pleasant ending—they were married and lived happily ever after, the kind of wind up which after all is more satisfactory to the average theatre goer.

The Hawaiian dancing was good but if one night suggest it, a chorus of Hawaiian girls would make "A Night in Honolulu" top hole.

The Niagara Falls street railway franchise expires in two months. The Hydro has had an engineer looking over the road. The Council appears tired of delay, and favors the taking over the road by the city at the expiration of the franchise.

Agent Boyle of the Childrens Aid Society Found the Children in a Sad Condition; Six of the Live Stock Had Died Apparently of Hunger

That they abandoned their eight children to shift for themselves and went to Toronto to accept employment will form the basis of a charge which Agent R. E. Boyle of the Childrens Aid Society is likely to bring against a couple belonging to Gainsboro township named John Fexter and wife.

Mr. Boyle visited the farm of the couple yesterday afternoon and found the eight children practically destitute, with very little food in the house and scarcely any clothing. Some of the children were without shoes and were barefooted in the none too well heated house.

The eldest of the family is a lad of 11 and with the assistance of his sister of 13 or 14, he managed to keep the other six children. The little girl did the best she could in the way

of cooking, but apparently did not make much of a job of it for two reasons, her lack of experience and the lack of food.

Apparently the parents had not sent the children any money. The children said their parents went away in November and since then have only been back three or four times. They thought they had got jobs in Toronto.

The farm is 150 acres with good brick house and barn on it. Since the man and wife went away two horses, two cows and two pigs had died apparently of starvation.

Mr. Boyle has written to the parents in Toronto warning them that if they do not return at once they will be prosecuted under the Childrens Aid Act for abandoning their children.

Cut Down the Speed of Autos in Towns and Cities and Avert Many Mishaps

According to an open appeal just received here from R. B. Morley, the general manager of the Ontario Safety league, "the increase in traffic accidents is largely due to increased rates on the highways of the province." Mr. Morley declares further that the "league bitterly opposed the increase in speed limits at the last session of the provincial house, when the limit for motor vehicles was raised from fifteen to twenty miles per hour in cities.

"It is a generally recognized fact that the authorities winked at anything up to twenty miles under the old regulations, and there is reason to believe that the same regulations allow the same spread of five miles per hour."

"It is a scandalous state of affairs to think that careful, law abiding motorists—and there are many—should be exposed to the liability of accidents due to the carelessness of some reckless speed fiend, who to paraphrase the old poke 'should be driving nails, and not a motor.' Some-

thing must be done. Some concerted action must be taken.

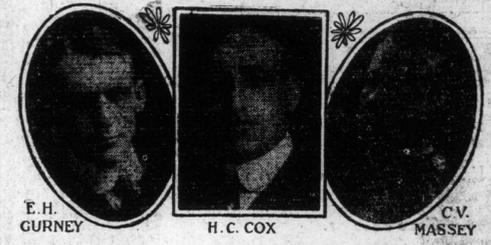
"How long will the decent element in automobiling stand for this? Some day the public will rise in its wrath and demand legislation that will down motorists to a degree that will rob it of all its pleasures. Let us get back to the limit of fifteen miles per hour in cities. Let us have safe and sane use of our streets. Let us have reasonable enforcement of existing laws, and let us look to magistrates to 'soak' the speed fiend."

THE WEATHER

TORONTO, Feb. 3.—The cold wave is now centred to the northward of Lake Superior while a depression is developing off the south Atlantic states. The weather is generally fair in Canada and decidedly cold in the western provinces and over northern Ontario.

FORECASTS—North easterly to northerly winds, colder and mostly fair, today and on Wednesday.

What of the Sons? They Serve a Church



E. H. GURNEY

H. C. COX

C. V. MASSEY

These names (Massey-Cox-Gurney) long stood for strength and aggressiveness and originality in industry and finance in Canada.

But the fathers and grandfathers—founders of the houses—are gone. What of their sons? Mr. C. Vincent Massey, grandson of Hart A. Massey and Bishop Vincent; Herbert C. Cox, son of Senator George A. Cox; and E. Holt Gurney, son of Edward Gurney, are young men who are achieving prominence first in religious, educational and philanthropic activity.

A man of keenness and devotion, Holt Gurney is one of the leaders of the Methodist National Campaign. In addition to taking up energetically his father's work in the insurance field and in the Superannuation Fund and treasurership of the Methodist Church, Mr. Cox is treasurer of the Methodist National Campaign. Although inclined by nature to a scholastic life, Mr. Massey has become vice-chairman of the national executive of the present campaign. He is also the creator of Hart House, the social centre of the University of Toronto, and is directing welfare work in a great manufacturing industry.

Commissioner Carvell of the Board has given a ruling regarding the use of telephones, and express franks.



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EDITORIAL NOTES

How do the teachers like having their ages suggested to the reading public by the computation of years they have been on the public school staffs? Shades of Mars but it will cause a stir.

That bear should have known enough not to come out when there were sun rays and shadows about.

One of the new aldermen is credited with having already acknowledged that one man in a City Council can't do everything no matter what his pre-election speeches contained. When this fact was mentioned prior to the election the same man felt that he could sweep all obstacles aside and make the wheels spin around with a whirr. Thus is a person disillusioned.

In the United States reputable doctors are to be furnished with whiskey for the "flu" cases. We haven't heard of Hon. Mr. Rowell making any such proposal for the patients in Canada.

Still the weeks go by and no step is taken by the Council to negotiate for railway extensions and improvements in this city, improvements that could be secured at an early date if the matter were pressed.

Seaforth failed to lift the Just Write Trophy from the St. Thomas curlers.

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Society Woman's Shooting Unsolved

Police Call It Accident—Physician Say Patient Silent

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—The mysterious shooting of Mrs. Richard S. Folsom, prominent Chicago society woman, who was taken to a hospital late Friday night with a bullet wound below the heart, remained to-day unexplained.

Mr. Folsom, a former city corporation counsel, and chief of Police J. J. Garrity, who was privately notified of the shooting and made an investigation, announced yesterday that Mrs. Folsom had been wounded by the accidental discharge of a revolver which she had taken from a dresser drawer. According to Mrs. Folsom's physician she had been suffering from influenza the night before the shooting.

Mrs. Folsom has made no statement regarding the shooting and the two physicians attending her said to-day. The physicians announced Mrs. Folsom probably would recover.

PARENT OBJECTS.

Editor of The Journal.
Sir, By the papers I notice that the Public School Board is granting a part holiday to pupils this week to go to a local theatre and see a picture put on by The Standard. This was done at the request of the paper in order that the pupils might see something of an "educational value."

As a parent who has children going to school I want to express through your columns, my objection to this proceeding. If I want my boy to see pictures I can take him at night and I don't think the School Board should lend themselves to the pleas of newspaper owners who, however, public spirited though they may be, in bringing moving pictures here, bring them as business undertakings of their own. After a while we may have the managers of local theatres asking for part holidays to allow children to go to their houses and see pictures they are putting on at 15 cents a head, and in my judgment they would be perfectly entitled to do it, for they are in the picture business and have the same right to ask the Board for concessions as a newspaper. If sir, any more part holidays of this kind are granted I for one will appear before the Board and object. My children go to public school to be educated in those schools by the teachers.

Sincerely Yours,
Public School Supporter.

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Scene from the Laugh Festival, "Fats and Warnings" at the Grand Opera House, Thursday night, Feb. 5th.

Peace Incomes and War Prices

TEN years ago a Canadian clergyman was forced by illness to retire from active work. The largest salary he had received in the forty years of his ministry was \$1000 and a furnished house. The average did not exceed \$800.

On this sum he had maintained and educated his family. He and his wife were given to frequent hospitality. They supported every good cause, and even contributed to the maintenance charges of the Church they served.

A Minister's Budget

Good management of their money, they were able to secure an endowment insurance policy, an assessment to their perannuation Fund, and accumulate some small savings. When that clergyman was superannuated in 1909, he bought a house. His income during the first year of retirement was as follows:—

The retiring allowance from the Church, (being \$10 for each year of active work)	\$400.00
Interest from investments	100.00
Wedding fees and sundries	75.00
Summer supply work	100.00

Against this total of \$675 stood the charge for taxes, insurance and maintenance of the house; say, \$75, leaving a net annual income of \$600.

The Shrinkage in Values

Before the war, the rise in the cost of living had necessitated careful management of this income. Today, the pressure is too great to be borne. If the statisticians are correct, the dollar of 1913 is worth now in purchasing power about 47c.

Therefore, the real income available to

maintain these people of refinement and culture is \$282 a year.

Do you say that this is an exceptional case? On the contrary, scores of retired clergymen are not so well situated as this one. Some are tasting the bitterness of destitution, since in a few instances no retiring allowances are provided for.

Veterans of the Cross

These men gave a lifetime of unselfish service for their Church, their country, their neighbors; visiting the sick, burying the dead, comforting the bereaved, preaching Christ crucified, and doing their part in making Canada "God's country." In a time when the payment of pensions to old employees is accepted as a reasonable thing by industrial firms, these veterans deserve more consideration than they have been getting from the Christian people of this Dominion.

The Forward Movements

The Superannuation, Beneficiary or pension funds of the five Communions co-operating in the United National Campaign must be largely increased to yield a reasonable and an adequate income for these old heroes of the pulpit.

They ARE heroes. They make no complaint. They still are found doing all that their strength will permit for the great and noble Cause to which they devoted their lives. They still are enduring hardness as good soldiers of Jesus Christ.

National Peace Thank-Offering

Simultaneous Every-Person Canvass by Each Communion
February 9-14

What Are You Going To Do About It?

This is not a question of Charity. It is a question of justice, of chivalry, of common honesty.

Your Church is seeking, through the Forward Movement, to do its full duty to the retired clergymen.

Your interest and your subscription are needed.

Tell your Church leaders where you stand. Do it NOW.

The United National Campaign

Representing the Simultaneous but Independent Forward Movements of the Anglican, Baptist, Congregational, Methodist, and Presbyterian Communions in Canada

CONTAGIOUS ABORTION

A Too Common Trouble With Some Farm Mares.

Cause of the Disease Discovers Method of Spreading Describes Measures for Control—Shell Bark Louse With Treatment.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

CONTAGIOUS abortion of mares is due to a specific bacillus (Bacillus abortus equi) which gets established in the uterus, fetal membranes and placenta, setting up local inflammation leading to expulsion of the fetus dead or alive at any time during pregnancy. The symptoms of approaching abortion are not usually in evidence until just before abortion takes place. Then the animal is restless, colic pains, restlessness and swelling, and a swollen vulva with a mucous discharge is noticeable. The abortion, the symptoms of which are specific. There is a chocolate-colored fluid discharge from vulva which has a typical offensive odor, and the fetal membranes are inclined to contract, thus necessitating artificial removal to prevent blood poisoning.

The disease has been known in Europe for many years, but was first found on the American continent until 1888 when it appeared in the Mississippi valley. Since then it has spread far and wide in the United States and Canada. Although many investigations were made in Europe and America, it was not until 1912 that the cause of the disease was discovered. In that year Dr. S. Good of Kentucky, discovered the bacillus which causes the disease. The same year Dr. Schofield, of Toronto, discovered the same bacillus in some cases of joint ill in mares which had developed in districts of Ontario where contagious abortion of mares was prevalent and the following year found the same bacillus in cases of contagious abortion of mares in Ontario.

Method of Spreading.—The disease is spread mainly by the discharge from the vulva of aborting mares. If a mare that has aborted is allowed to remain in the stable, she will be able to infect the mares with which she is housed. Discharges are allowed to contaminate water or food material and give to other mares. The mares are liable to contract the disease.

Measures for Control.—1. The mares must elapse between abortion and subsequent breeding. 2. Mares that have aborted must not be bred if there is evidence of uterine catarrh, even after six months.

3. Mares that have aborted must only be bred at the end of the winter season.

4. Application of an efficient disinfectant to the external genitalia of the stallion after each service in the infected districts.

Measures to be Employed at Time of, or Subsequent to Abortion: 1. Isolation of mare at first signs of approaching abortion.

2. After abortion the fetal membranes should be burned, if possible, or buried deeply in quicklime.

3. Those handling the fetus or mare should disinfect hands and clothing.

4. Bedding should be burned or the stall washed with a strong disinfectant.

5. External genitalia, thighs and tail of mares should be washed with a strong disinfectant. 1 per cent. bacterol, lysol, or cresol, is satisfactory for this purpose.

6. Isolation of mare should be maintained for at least a month until all evidence of uterine discharge has ceased.

Treating the animal with drugs: carbolic acid, bicarb. haw and iodoine blue, though popular in some districts, cannot be recommended as being of any value.—Dr. J. H. O. A. College, Guelph.

Oyster-shell canning insect. It attacks not only oysters but also pears, pumpekins, and other ornamental and shade trees and bushes. Full grown scales are almost exclusively on the bark and are easily recognized by their oyster-shell appearance. They are about 1/16 of an inch long, 1-24 inch wide, and towards one end and in color resemble closely the bark.

The injury is caused by their sucking the juices out of the bark and thus weakening the trees. When abundant they almost completely cover the bark and in that case will kill either the whole tree or portions of the branches. Most infested trees, however, are not killed but are weakened.

Control.—Spraying the trees before or just after the buds begin to open with lime-sulphur solution, 1 gallon to 8 or 9 gallons of water, is a satisfactory remedy. The regular oyster-shell canning insecticide, which is sulphur to about 39 gallons of water to which two pounds of arsenic and lead paste or one pound arsenic and lead powder is added will also be greatly effective because it will hit the oyster-shell insects just after they have hatched, while they are still unprotected and easily destroyed. The scales may remain on the trees for several years after date of killing. Pruning the trees early makes it easier and cheaper to spray them.

—Prof. L. Caesar, O. A. College, Guelph.

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TO PETITION GOVERNMENT

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont. Feb. 3.—Niagara Falls will unite with West-ern municipalities in petitioning the Ontario Government to give part of the motor license fees toward the upkeep of roads.

Tenders for Jubee roadmaking contracts will be put together, in an effort to get a big contractor to build permanent streets this year.

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GENERAL STATEMENTS

Capital Stock paid in
Reserve Fund
Balance of Profit and Loss Account carried forward
Dividend No. 149, payable January, 1920
Bonus, one per cent, payable January, 1920
Former Dividends unclaimed

Total Liabilities to the Shareholders in Circulation
Due to Dominion Government Deposits not bearing interest \$7,088.37
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date 74,325.67

Balances due to other Banks in Canada
Balances due to Banks and Correspondents elsewhere in Canada
Bills Payable
Acceptances under Letters of Credit
Liabilities not included in the going

Total Public Liabilities

Gold and Silver Coin
Dominion Government Notes, Deposit with Central Gold Notes of other Banks
Cheques on other Banks
Balances due by other Banks in Canada
Balances due by Banks and Correspondents elsewhere in Canada

Dominion and Provincial Government Securities, not exceeding market value
Canadian Municipal Securities, British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian, not exceeding market value
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, not exceeding market value
Call and Short (not exceeding 90 days) Loans in Canada on Deposits and Stocks
Call and Short (not exceeding 90 days) Loans elsewhere in Canada

Other Current Loans and Deposits in Canada (less rebate of interest)
Other Current Loans and Deposits elsewhere than in Canada (less rebate of interest)
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit, as per Contract of Real Estate other than Bank Premises, (estimated loss provided for)
Bank Premises, at not more than less amounts written off
Deposit with the Minister of Finance for the purposes of the Circuit Fund
Mortgages on Real Estate sold

E. B. OSLER, President.

AUDITORS' REPORT
We have compared the above list with the Chief Office of The Dominion Bank and its Branches, and after checking the Chief Office and certain of the several years after date of audit, we are of opinion that the same represents the true and correct view of the state of the Bank as at the date of the audit.

In addition to the examinations the Chief Office and certain of the Branches were visited during the year by us at another time during the year. All information and explanations furnished to us by the Bank and its Branches, and the transactions of the Bank which have been examined, were found to be correct.
G. T. CLAWSON,
K. J. DELWORTH,
Toronto, January 20th, 1920.

CONTAGIOUS ABORTION

Common Trouble With Some Farm Mares.

of the Disease Discovers Method of Spreading Described. Measures for Control—Oyster Shell Bank Louse With Treatment.

Attributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture (Toronto).

CONTAGIOUS abortion of mares is due to a specific bacillus (Bacillus abortus) which gets established in the fetal membranes and foetus up local inflammation leading to the death of the foetus at any time during pregnancy.

symptoms of approaching abortion are not usually in evidence just before abortion takes place. The animal is seized with pains, restlessness and strain and a swollen vulva with a discharge of mucus.

On the symptoms of abortion. There is a chocolate brown discharge from the vulva which is offensive in odor, and the membranes are inclined to bleed.

Thoroughly clean the vulva to prevent blood poisoning. This disease has been known for many years, but it is found on the American continent only when it appears in the Mississippi valley. Since then it has spread far and wide in the States and Canada.

Investigations were made in Europe and America. It was discovered that the cause of the disease was discovered. In the Good of Kentucky, discovered a cell which causes the disease.

Dr. Schofield, of 7 discovered the same bacterium in cases of aborting mares. It had developed in districts where contagious abortion was prevalent and the year found the same bacterium in contagious abortion in Ontario.

Method of Spreading.—The disease is spread mainly by the discharge of the vulva of aborting animals. It has been shown that mares that have aborted in service, then the mares are to contract the disease. If the mares are allowed to contaminate water or food materials that are to other mares, the latter are to contract the disease.

Measures for Control.—1. There is a must-elapse between abortion and subsequent breeding. Mares that have aborted must be bred if there is evidence of a catarrh, even after three years.

Mares that have aborted must be bred at the end of the season. Application of an efficient disinfectant to the external genitalia of all mares after each service in districts.

Measures to be employed at the time of abortion.—Subsequent to abortion, the vulva of mares at first sign of aborting should be disinfected. After abortion the foetus and membranes should be burned, if possible, or buried deeply in quicklime. Those handling the foetus should disinfect hands at once.

Bedding should be burned at once. Stall washed with a strong disinfectant. External genitalia, thighs and mares should be washed with a good disinfectant. Two per cent. bacterol, lysol, or cresol, is satisfactory for this purpose.

Isolation of mares should be maintained for at least a month. All evidence of uremia should be ceased.

Feeding the animal with drugs. Blue, though popular in districts, cannot be recommended of any value.—Dr. L. H. B. College, Guelph.

Oyster-shell scales. In every common oyster shell, there are oyster-shell scales. These scales are about 1/2 inch long, 1/4 inch wide, and one end and in color resemble the bark.

Injury is caused by their sucking juices out of the bark and weakening the trees. When they are almost completely removed from the bark and in that case in either the whole tree or portions of branches. Most infested trees are not killed but are weakened.

Control.—Spraying the trees with a solution of 1 gallon of water, is a satisfactory remedy. The regular coating with one gallon of water to about 30 gallons of water, which two pounds of arsenate of lead or one pound arsenate powder is added will also be satisfactory, because it will kill the insects just after they are hatched, while they are still upon the bark and easily destroyed. Do not remain on the trees after date of killing the trees early make it easier to spray.

Dr. L. H. B. College, Guelph.

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Alderman Dixon said outside municipalities "were not only getting our power, but want us to pay their taxes also."

WANTED - MEN WANTED FOR detective work. Write J. Ganor, former Government detective, Danville, Ill. 117-24-31.

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THE DOMINION BANK

At the Forty-Ninth Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of The Dominion Bank, held at the Head Office, in Toronto, on 28th January, 1920, the following statement of the affairs of the Bank as on the 31st December, 1919, was submitted:

Table with columns: LIABILITIES, ASSETS. Rows include Capital Stock paid in, Reserve Fund, Balance of Profit and Loss Account, Dividend No. 149, Bonus, Former Dividends unclaimed, Total Liabilities to Shareholders, Balances due to other Banks in Canada, Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada, Bills Payable, Acceptances under Letters of Credit, Total Public Liabilities, Gold and Silver Coins, Dominion Government Notes, Deposit with Central Gold Reserves, Notes of other Banks, Cheques on other Banks, Balances due by other Banks in Canada, Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada, Dominion and Provincial Government Securities, Canadian Municipal Securities, British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian, Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days) Loans in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days) Loans elsewhere than in Canada, Other Current Loans and Discounts in Canada, Other Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada, Real Estate other than Bank Premises, Bank Premises, Deposit with the Minister of Finance for the purposes of the Circulation Fund, Mortgages on Real Estate sold.

E. B. OSLER, President. C. A. BOGERT, General Manager.

AUDITORS' REPORT TO SHAREHOLDERS. We have compared the above Balance Sheet with the books and accounts of the Chief Office of The Dominion Bank, and the certified returns received from its Branches, and after checking the cash and verifying the securities at the Chief Office and certain of the principal Branches on December 31st, 1919, we certify that, in our opinion, such Balance Sheet exhibits a true and correct view of the state of the Bank's affairs, according to the best of our information, the explanations given to us and as shown by the books of the Bank.

In addition to the examinations mentioned, the cash and securities at the Chief Office and certain of the principal Branches were checked and verified by us at another time during the year and found to be in accord with the books of the Bank.

All information and explanations required have been given to us and all questions, been within the powers of the Bank.

G. T. CLARSON (of Clarkson, Gordon & Dilworth, C.A. & J. D. WORTZ)

Toronto, January 20th, 1920.

Strong in Assets is the Dominion Bank

Those Immediately Available Equal 54 Per Cent. of Public Liabilities.

One of the most reliable of tests in respect to the financial strength of a bank, as well as that of business corporation in general, is the relation of its immediately available assets to its liabilities to the public.

That this is one of the strong points in respect to the Dominion Bank is evident from the statement which was submitted to the shareholders at the Annual Meeting held in Toronto, on Wednesday, January 28th. The total amount of immediately available assets was no less than \$70,075,000, an increase for the year of \$8,548,000. But the point of particular interest about this sum is that it is equal to 54 per cent. of the Bank's liabilities to the public. Its cash assets alone, amounting to \$31,903,000 or \$3,405,000 in excess of a year ago, are sufficient to meet 24.59 per cent. of its public liabilities. The total assets of the Bank stand at \$143,500,000, an increase for the year of \$10,000,000, while the Reserve Fund, another evidence of fundamental strength, remains at \$7,000,000, a round million in excess of the Capital Stock.

But in addition to the augmentation in strength, The Dominion Bank has also during the year made substantial increase in both its profits and business.

The net profits amounted to \$1,169,703, a gain of \$38,205 for the year, and equal to 9 per cent. of the Bank's Capital and Reserve, as compared with 8.35 per cent. at the end of 1918. As a result of the year's business the directorate was able during the year to distribute a total of \$780,000 among the shareholders, this being made up of dividends at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum, and a bonus of 1 per cent. while the balance carried forward \$495,700, was larger than a year ago by \$50,000.

Evidence of the Bank's expansion in business during the year are to be found in the items relating to deposits and commercial loans. The increase in deposits was no less than

\$15,307,000, the total on December 31st being \$111,414,000. Commercial loans at the same date were \$66,400,000, a gain for the year of \$2,328,000.

The amount written off the Bank Premises Account is \$300,000, or \$50,000 in excess of the previous year.

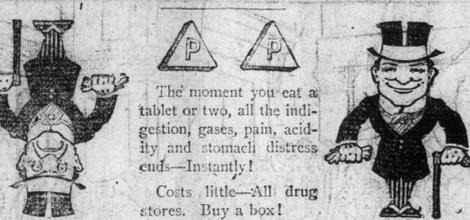
In Dominion Government War and Provincial Government taxes the Bank paid a total of \$86,350 during the year, while its contributions to Pension, Patriotic and other funds amounted to \$20,500.

Mons People Caring For Soldiers' Graves

OTTAWA, Feb. 3.—Word has been received by the office of the overseas Military Forces of Canada from M. Gustave Casy, President of an association formed by the people of Mons to care for the graves of allied soldiers.

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Hospital for Sick Children TORONTO

Upkeep of Big Charity Requires Fifty Cents a Minute.

Dear Mr. Editor: The 44th annual report of the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, shows a notable advance in every department of its services to the suffering and crippled youngsters of this province.

The daily average of cot patients has increased during the year from 192 to 323, including children from practically every county in Ontario. Even had the cost of supplies and labor remained stationary, the substantial increase in the number of patients would alone account for the addition to the charity's debt, which at the close of the fiscal year was \$109,000. This debt has become an embarrassing burden. Further increase must threaten impairment of an enviable efficiency.

The Hospital is in the forefront of all institutions upon this continent devoted to the care of sick children. It cost \$335,399 to maintain last year. This great sum not only puts at the service of the children of Ontario all the resources of medical science, but, in addition, provides for a training school for 120 nurses and for unsurpassed clinical facilities for the University students who are preparing to engage in their profession throughout the Province.

The income which must be forthcoming to finance this absolutely essential work figures out at seven hundred dollars a day; and, as there is no endowment fund, all but a fraction of that amount has to be derived from individual benevolence. Therefore the Trustees are making a Christmas appeal to every lover of children to foot the bills for some period of time, no matter how short it may be. A minute of mercy costs fifty cents.

For churches, societies, lodges, etc., who have more ample resources wherewith to assist the youngsters to a fair start in life, the naming of cots is suggested. A number of memorial cots have been thus dedicated in honor of the overseas service of fellow-members. This privilege is extended in recognition of gifts of \$2,000 to the Main Hospital or \$500 to the Lakeside Home, which can be paid in annual installments if so desired.

Literature, illustrative of all branches of the past year's work, together with any other information desired, will be gladly furnished on application to the Secretary, the Hospital for Sick Children, College Street, Toronto. Contributions should also be addressed to the secretary.

IRVING E. ROBERTSON, Chairman of Appeal Committee.

REPLIES TO TEACHERS

Editor of the Journal: Sir: I would like through the columns of your paper to make a reply to a letter sent by two of the Public School teachers to the School Board, last Thursday. A copy of this letter was printed in your paper and the substance of it was given in the Standard.

Miss Ratcliffe and Miss Fee say the meeting, which authorized the sending of a letter of thanks to the School Board, was not a regular meeting. They are correct in this; it was a special meeting which Miss Ratcliffe asked the President of the W.T.A. to call that some action might be taken regarding the new salary schedule. Except in the case of one school the teachers were notified of the importance of the meeting. In that case they were notified of the meeting but there was a misunderstanding regarding the purpose.

They say that there were only twenty-five teachers present. This is not accurate. There were thirty-three present; twenty-five voting and eight refusing to do so.

Again these ladies state that there are teachers on the staff who have no professional certificates. If I have been correctly informed there is not a teacher on the staff who has not completed his or her professional training and has been granted a professional certificate by the Department of Education. For two years this is an "interim certificate" and is then exchanged for a "permanent certificate" without any more training if the teacher is a success.

Then they say the Education Department allows a grant to the School Board for each experienced teacher but the grant is given for every teacher on the staff. For example, I understand that the grant paid for Miss Ratcliffe and Miss Fee, and Miss Hetherington, two of the teachers having these interim certificates, is exactly the same as that paid for Miss Ratcliffe and Miss Fee. These ladies assume the right to sign their letter in the name of the majority of the teachers but I have not been present at nor heard of any meeting, regular or otherwise, which gave them the right to do so.

Thanking you for your space I remain, IRENE LENNOX.

A new type of electric arc has been discovered by Supt. J. W. Dorsey, Asst. Professor of Electrical Engineering at the University of Manitoba.

The Montreal waterworks employees who have been on strike for a month returned to work.

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Mandolins.....reduction of \$3.00 on each instrument
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"What Shall I Do Then With Jesus, Who Is Called Christ?"

Pilate's Question Is Yours To-day

THE Church is not impersonal. It is a company of individuals, each of whom has expressed determination to acknowledge Jesus as Lord and God, to accept His teachings and follow His example.

The Active Christians

Those who persist in the Way find their lives radiant with hope. They have an object in living. They are not plunged into hopeless misery by bereavement. They develop character. They learn contentment. Being themselves men of hope and good-will, they are centres of hope and good-will in the world.

The Inactive Christians

Not all continue faithful. Many neglect to keep the Pattern before them. They cease to pray. They forego public worship. They become only nominal Christians. Their sympathies are on the side of Right, but they miss the full-orbed peace that comes from being obedient to the Heavenly vision.

Aiding the Enemy

Apart from their own loss, lukewarm Christians do positive harm to the Faith. Enemies never cite the lives of notable Chris-

tians as a proof of the inefficiency of the Church, or of the Gospel it proclaims. If, therefore, all lukewarmness should disappear the critics of Christianity would be confounded.

Where Do You Stand?

You are a Christian. Are you ardent or careless? Are you whole-hearted or half-hearted? Do you realize that the Church in Canada faces unprecedented responsibilities? You believe that the Gospel of Christ is a perfect solvent of selfishness and class-hostility. Will you do your part to give it free course?

A Great Possibility

"Righteousness exalteth a nation, but sin is the reproach of any people." If all the Church Members of Canada would begin today to follow earnestly the principles enunciated by their Divine Master; if they would acknowledge their stewardship in full measure, the name of Canada would ring around the world. Therefore, the Question is to you:

"What shall I do then with Jesus, who is called Christ?"

National Peace Thank-Offering

Simultaneous Every-Person Canvass by Each Communion
February 9 to 14

A United Appeal

FIVE Christian Communions—Anglican, Baptist, Congregational, Methodist and Presbyterian—have in Canada ten thousand congregations, over one million communicants, and represent more than half of the population of the Dominion. Under the stimulus of five great Forward Movements, it is in the power of these people to root out the evils of materialism in Canada, and to conserve the spiritual values revealed by the chastisement of War. Are you ready for active service?

The Decision Is Yours

LET Christianity have a fair trial in your own life. Make Jesus Christ master in your home. Test the reality of prayer. It will give your life direction, purpose and power.

You can help to cure the ills of Canada and the world. Be prepared to serve. Begin NOW.

The United National Campaign

Representing the Simultaneous but Independent Forward Movements of the Anglican, Baptist, Congregational, Methodist and Presbyterian Communions in Canada.

Holds Course In Fruitgrowing

PROGRAM TO BE TAKEN UP AT THE TOWN HALL, BEAMSVILLE NEXT MONTH.

The following program has been drawn up in connection with the course in fruitgrowing to be held in the town hall, Beamsville, during the first week in February. Morning sessions will be from 9.30 until 12, and afternoon sessions will be from 1.30 until 4.

Tuesday, Feb. 2—
A.M. Sweet and Sour Cherry Growing. E. F. Palmer.

Spraying Cherries for Insects and Diseases. L. Caesar.

P.M. Plum Culture. J. E. Henry. Insects and Diseases of Plums, J. E. Howitt.

Question box.

Wednesday, Feb. 4—
A.M. Grape Culture, Fred. Carpenter.

Control of Grape Insects and Diseases. Dr. Rankin.

P.M. Currants and Gooseberries, G. H. Dickson.

Insects and Diseases of Gooseberries. Dr. Rankin.

Thursday, Feb. 5—
A.M. Apple Culture. G. H. Dickson.

Insects and Diseases of Apples. W. A. Ross.

P.M. Raspberry and Strawberry Culture. P. H. Wismer.

Insects and Diseases of Strawberries. W. A. Ross.

Question box.

Friday, Feb. 6—
A.M. Diversified Fruitgrowing for the Niagara Peninsula. E. F. Palmer.

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ASK THAT LIBRARY BE MADE A FREE ONE And School Board Exercise a Censorship Over the Books In It.

BRIDGEBURG, Feb. 3.—The much anticipated meeting of the Fort Erie Library Board, called in connection with the future recently started by Rev. Canon D. R. Smith of St. Paul's Church, over the circulation of a certain book, was held yesterday.

It was decided to ask the Council to make the Library free institu-

tion instead of a library maintained by subscriptions, as at present, and also to have the School Board exercise a censorship over the contents of the library.

The book, despite the criticism that has been leveled against it, is still in circulation. Many have read it, only to be disappointed by the failure to find anything sensational. Canon Smith declares it teaches morality and disrespect to God and parents.

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NERVE EXHAUSTION

A CONDITION AFFECTING MANY MEN—THE GREAT AMERICAN DISEASE—IT IS BROUGHT ON BY OUR MANNER OF LIVING—OUR WORRY AND HURRY—AMERICANS EXHAUST MORE NERVOUS ENERGY THAN ANY OTHER RACE OF PEOPLE.

There are a great many men who need treatment for their nervous system. These men do not know what is the reason they don't feel right—why they can't work like they used to—why they tire so easily and why they are irritable, nervous, despondent, weak, pale and lack ambition. These conditions require the expert knowledge and treatment of a specialist who has had many years' experience in just such ailments. A specialist learns by experience to know just the right treatment at the right time so that the patient can be dismissed at the earliest possible time. Men affected with nervous exhaustion have no endurance—no ambition—everything they attempt is an effort. Life to them appears as a long, gloomy future. Their appetite is poor and variable—they become irritable, cross and discouraged. They have pains and aches in various parts of the body and there is often indigestion and pains in the stomach. Sleepless, wakeful and restless nights follow.

RHEUMATIC AILMENTS

SCIATICA AND OTHER FORMS OF RHEUMATISM, LUMBAGO, PAINS IN BACK, SWELLING, ACHING, PAINFUL CONDITIONS IN ANY PART OF THE BODY—INFLAMED AND SWOLLEN JOINTS OF LEGS AND ARMS—MANY OTHER SYMPTOMS.

Hundreds of men are suffering with some form of Rheumatism. Many of these men go from day to day suffering untold agonies thinking they cannot be cured. They have tried liniments, rubbing, massage, salts and other treatments without experiencing any relief, and they are now going through life thinking they are martyrs to that burden called Rheumatism. If these men could only know how easy it is to get rid of many rheumatic conditions I know they would suffer another single day. Then all sufferers of rheumatism would be strong and healthy if they could get rid of the condition. Rheumatic patients are nearly all strong and robust before being attacked by this ailment, and therefore it is so hard for the man to understand why he should suffer the agonies of such a condition. When a man gets rid of such a condition he feels that a heavy burden has been lifted from his life, and he starts right out to make up for lost time both in money and pleasure. When a man comes to my office suffering with the above condition he is given a most careful examination, and he is given treatment that he feels is giving him great benefit.

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Four Good Reasons for a National Forward Movement

"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on Him should not perish but have everlasting life."

DESPITE the four years' fury of War, and the year of uncertainty just ended, the people of Canada have prospered. Yet, spiritual glories revealed to us in the great Conflict are being clouded by drifts of class-hostility, mutual suspicion and cynical materialism.

The world is troubled. Old conceptions are giving place to new. Yet, the Kingdom of God remains, firmly grounded on the great principle of love. It has the one remedy for a world diseased:—"Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved."

Five Christian Communion—Anglican, Baptist, Congregational, Methodist and Presbyterian—call their various constituencies and the whole nation to a livelier and more sacrificial Christianity. They are making a great financial appeal. It is fitting that the public should know the reasons.

1 The Decline of the Dollar The sharp rise in prices the world over has affected injuriously the position of every man working for a fixed salary. Missionaries are in this category. Stipends that were ample in 1900, and nearly adequate in 1912, are utterly insufficient in 1920. There has been no general increase in these stipends. There cannot be, until the Canadian people scale-up their giving to balance the decline in purchasing-power of the Canadian dollar.

International exchange has been unstable. Money for export has been subject to heavy discounts. In view also of the increased cost of materials and of labor, any new building programme abroad has been out of the question. But the need for new buildings is imperative. Some missionaries are living in clay-floored huts.

New Standards are Necessary The Anglican Synods, the Baptist Conventions, the Congregational Union, the Methodist Conferences, and the Presbyterian General Assembly, have set new standards for the salaries of Clergymen actively engaged in Canada. But, for the Missionaries, and for the Superannuated Ministers, no increases have been possible.

One of the aims of the Forward Movement is to show the fine-spirited, generous, Christian people of Canada that the old standards of giving for Missions must be revised. It is impossible to maintain existing stations, even on a pre-War basis, without more men and much more revenue.

2 The Call from Abroad Coincident with this financial difficulty, new and glorious opportunities for the extension of Christian teaching have appeared. In India, literally millions of "outcastes" are pleading for Missionary preachers and doctors. In China, a new National spirit has been born. Missionary teachers are urgently required to help formulate the National system of education. Hospitals, Missionary nurses, doctors and dentists, are heartily welcomed by the people. From Japan, Africa and the Islands of the Sea, comes the same story.

3 The Home Responsibility Here in Canada, the work of evangelizing Indians and Eskimos must now be undertaken wholly by the Canadian Church. The rapid growth of our cities, the expansion of the West, the great immigration of the last twenty years, and the depopulation of rural areas, make a four-fold problem which can be solved only by radical readjustments of policy and greatly increased resources of men and money.

4 The Pressure on the Colleges Finally, the decline of the dollar has created difficulties in financing the Colleges and Universities established and maintained for the training of the Clergy. Last year, one College which had been able before the War barely to subsist, faced an additional charge for coal alone of \$1500. All other expenditures have risen in like proportion. Christianity has been the mother of Higher Education. A thoroughly trained Ministry is the great need of the times.

The men of faith, filled with the Holy Ghost, who proclaim the Gospel story by the frozen Copernic, beneath the cone of Fujiyama, along the banks of the Yangtze and the Ganges are the product of our Canadian Colleges. There the Vision first appeared to them. The Church must stand behind these institutions.

The Unity of Faith and Prayer These are the facts. Faced with such conditions, the Church leaders, at first, were appalled. They went to their knees, first in separate denominational groups, then in company. Putting aside for the time being differences of religious temperament, considering only their common belief in the Everlasting Father, the Almighty Son, and the everpresent Holy Ghost, they prayed together. Then they arose, thrilled with a glimpse of the wonderful Missionary opportunity, to appeal together to the whole body of Christians in Canada.

The Greatest of All Gifts You are a believer in the Lord Jesus Christ, and in the Gospel He proclaimed. Your country has become great through the hope and love of the Gospel have warmed your heart and illumined your life. Next week you will be asked by the representatives of your Church to show practical proof of your convictions. Be prepared—not to give a trifle out of your abundance, but to taste the full sweetness of Sacrifice.



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Lincoln County Has 83 Teachers

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In S. S. No. 6 North Grimsby a new brick building was erected and was ready for occupation at the New Year. This school is an up to date building with cloak rooms, teachers room, basement, hot air furnace, and lavatories complete.

In S. S. No. 3 Louth a new two room, brick building was erected which is very complete. This is probably as fine a two roomed school as there is in the Province.

In several other sections, increased accommodation is urgently needed, but the high prices now prevailing, and the unsettled labor situation, and the difficulty of procuring materials make it a very debatable question as to the advisability of undertaking building operations at the present time. However, it is admitted by all, that accommodations must be provided for the increasing school population. There can be no question also that many of our present school buildings and accommodations should be improved. I must say that School Boards are becoming more interested, as a rule, in improved school accommodations, and in a large number of our schools considerable improvements were made during the year.

Consolidation of Schools

One reason why some Boards have

not done more towards improving their schools, is that there is quite a strong feeling in favor of consolidation.

There are many advantages in consolidation, especially where the schools are small. A large central school, would have several teachers, and the classes would be graded properly. All the subjects could be better taught, and provision could be made for Domestic Science, Manual Training, and Agriculture. The pupils education could be made more complete in every way. Especially would this be the case if a Community Hall were added to the School. These would then be a community centre in each district with great advantage to pupils, teachers, and the whole community. There are several districts in this county where consolidation would be a great improvement and I hope to arrange with the Department to hold meetings wherever and whenever the public are enough interested to consider the matter. The Education Department will send speakers to place this matter before the people at any time, and will make surveys and do all the preliminary work free. A fixed grant of \$2,000 is made to any school in operation by December 31st, and the Department will pay from 20 to 30 per cent. of the cost of the site and building up to \$6,000, and from 20 to 30 per cent. of the cost of transportation. There are also very liberal grants on teachers salaries, and equipment, in addition to the usual grants paid to rural schools.

Teachers' Work.

As a general rule the teachers are doing good work. Many of our teachers are beginners and it speaks well for the training given in our Normal Schools to find that most of the teachers make a success of their work in the first year. The conditions at the present time result in frequent changes in teachers. In this County there were 3 changes in teachers at Midsummer and 1-change at New Year. The frequent change of the teachers in a school tends more than any other cause, to destroy the efficiency of the school. Most School Boards are beginning to realize that higher salaries must be paid to the teachers, and from present indications the supply of teachers can be maintained only by paying higher salaries. In consideration of the special grant on teachers salaries made at last session of the Legislature, the Department expects that second class teachers will receive at least \$750 per year. It is to be hoped that every Board will pay sufficient salary to secure the services of efficient teachers.

Teachers' Convention

A most successful and helpful Teachers' Convention was held on October 9 and 10, in St. Catharines. The attendance was good, nearly every teacher being present.

School Attendance.

The new School Attendance Act came into force in 1920. The aim is to improve the attendance in our schools especially in the rural schools. The average attendance at the majority of the schools is fairly satisfactory, but there are some sections where an improvement should be made. The average daily attendance for the whole county is 2951.1 and the total number of pupils enrolled during the year is 4949. The average attendance is about 60 per cent. of the total enrollment. This is scarcely a fair estimate as the total enrollment includes pupils who were enrolled for part of the year only. In visiting the schools, I found the urban schools had an average attendance of about 90 per cent. of the total enrollment. On the other hand some of the rural sections had an average attendance of 57 per cent. of the enrollment at the time. This means that 43 per cent. of the pupils were absent 43 per cent. of the time. This conditions can be remedied only by (1) an efficient teacher, (2) More interest in education by parents and (3) an efficient attendance officer. A Provincial Attendance Officer has been appointed to superintend the work of the local attendance officers, and to take measures to improve the attendance of pupils. Comparing the attendance this year with that of last year, I find that the daily attendance is 5

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per cent. of the total enrollment higher in the rural schools than last year, and 15 per cent. higher in the urban schools. This is a fairly satisfactory increase and is due to more efficient work of the Truant Officers, and to the effective work of the County Truant Officer.

Mental Defectives and Backward Children.

In my visits to the schools during the past year I have found a number of children attending school who are mentally defective, or very backward in their classes. These children are not only a great problem for teachers, but they are not capable of profiting by the ordinary school education. There should be a special school for such cases, where they could be taught by specialists in that kind of work, and where the course of studies would develop whatever latent powers they may have. This is one phase of our educational system that will require attention in the future, if we are to raise the standard of our citi-

zenship to the highest level. The problem is receiving the attention of the Education Department and it is hoped that some solution will be found.

Agriculture in the Schools.

The number of schools teaching agriculture is now 22. Last year it was 16. This work can be made very beneficial to a school and to a section, but results are not satisfactory in some schools for two reasons: First the teacher has not a sufficient knowledge of the subject, or is not practical enough to make it a success. Second there is opposition to the work on the part of parents or trustees who perhaps have not given the matter sufficient thought. Our education in the past has been too much confined to books, and has not given enough scope to the activities and interests of the pupils. The whole tendency of the recent time is toward the practical, and for that reason as well as for many other reasons agriculture should be taught in every rural school.

School Fairs.

There were 5 School Fairs held in this County in 1919 as follows:

Niagara Township at Queenston.
Grantham Township at No. 2 School.

Louth Township at No. 3 School.
Vineland Township at Vineland.
Gainsboro Township at Bismark.

These fairs were all very successful, and have been the means of arousing interest in schools, besides being a great benefit to the pupils. It is proposed to establish two more fairs in 1920; one in Caistor and one in Clinton. It is also proposed to move the Vineland Fair to the Thirty School, or to Grimsby Park, and include in it the schools below the mountain and along the edge of the mountain.

Change in Inspectorate and Number of Teachers.

In January, 1919, the Inspectorates in this Peninsula were readjusted and this Inspectorate now includes Lincoln County only. This change has been very satisfactory as it makes it necessary for the Inspector to make reports for the County only. The number of teachers in the Inspectorate before the change, was 135. After the change there were 107 teachers, but during the year 8 teachers have been added in the various schools, and there are now 115. There are likely to be several more teachers added this year.



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Promotion Examinations

In June the Promotion Examinations were held for the first time, and the results have been highly satisfactory. While it is not intended that teachers will be guided entirely by the results of these examinations in making promotions, it is easier for teachers to keep their classes at the proper standard, and also gives the pupils an incentive.

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Scene from Avery Hopwood's farce that made the writer famous, "Fair and Warm," at the Grand Opera House, Thursday night, Feb. 5th.



SCENE FROM "FAIR AND WARM," COMING TO THE GRAND ON THURSDAY NIGHT.

Lincoln County Has 83 Teachers

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Inspection.

During the year I paid a visit of the length required by the Regulations to every school in the County. I also made 25 special visits to the schools; attended nine meetings of Board of Trustees; 2 meetings of Consolidation of Schools; 9 ratepayers meetings; 1 meeting of Board and Council; 1 opening of new school and 2 school examinations. All of which is respectfully submitted.
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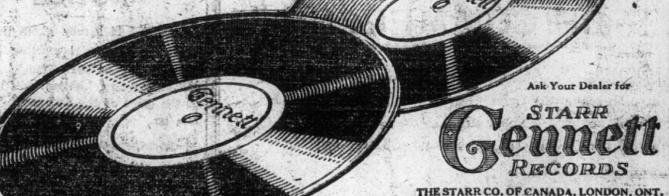


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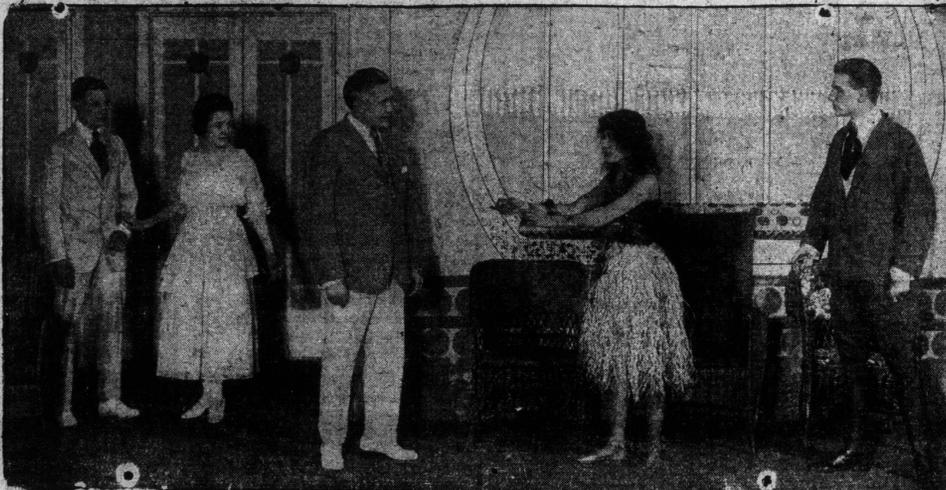
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LOCAL NEWS

We buy everything you want to sell. McGuire & Co. There were no fires during last night.

Miss Doris Moyer is visiting friends in Kitchener.

Angus Back, a drunken Indian, was remanded in police court today.

J. B. Milner, U. S. Consul at Niagara Falls, is in the city today on business.

Earl Clark was fined \$5 for allowing a dog to run at large, in police court today.

There are a lot of skating rinks in different parts of the city all doing a pretty good business.

The annual fruit meetings of the Niagara Peninsula Fruitgrowers Association will be held the last of this month.

Port Weller hockey team is getting quite a record. The other evening the boys took Niagara on the Lake into camp by a score of 7-1.

A great deal of the snow left yesterday and the running water was well disposed of in the channels cut in the snow by the city men.

Andrew Macdonald has purchased the newspaper and tobacco store of Mr. Sinnet at the corner of Church and Niagara streets and took possession yesterday.

This evening the lawn bowlers hall will be held in Prince of Wales hall at which there will be a large gathering from the city and district.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the forty-second annual meeting of the shareholders of the Lincoln Paper Mills Company, Limited, will be held at the office of the Company, Merritt, Ont., on Wednesday, Feb. 4, 1920 at two o'clock p.m. for the following purposes: The election of Directors, submitting the Annual Report, and for any other business expedient or necessary touching the affairs of the company. P. MITCHELL, Secretary

Notice to Creditors

IN THE MATTER of the Estate of HOWARD HODGKINS of the city of St. Catharines in the County of Lincoln, Contractor, Insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above named Howard Hodgkins, carrying on the business of a contractor, in the said city of St. Catharines, has made an assignment under the R.S.O. 1914 chapter 134, of all his estate, credits and effects to Henry O'Loughlin of the city of St. Catharines in the County of Lincoln, sheriff of the said County, for the general benefit of his creditors.

A meeting of creditors will be held at the office of the Assignee in the Court House in the city of St. Catharines on Friday the thirteenth day of February 1920 at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, to receive a statement of affairs, to appoint inspectors and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally.

Creditors are requested to file their claims with the Assignee with proofs and particulars as required by the said Act, on or before the day of such meeting.

And notice is further given that after the thirteenth day of February 1920 the Assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any claims he shall not then have had notice.

Dated at St. Catharines this second day of February 1920. JAMES A. KEYES, Solicitor for the Assignee. Feb. 2-5-7-10.

A very large number of friends attended the funeral of Ethel May Dresdel, yesterday from the residence of her parents, Grantham, to Victoria Lawn Cemetery. Rev. McKenzie Naughton officiated. Robert Dawson, Laurence Hutchinson, Frank Stewart Robert Secord, Henry Secord and C. Knox were the bearers.

The firemen were called out this morning to 87 Queen street, where the water pipes having burst, the water had run over the upstairs floor flooding everything and causing part of the dining room ceiling to come down. The house is owned by Chas. Weistead of Toronto and is occupied by Howard McNulty, he having just recently moved in.

The Committee appointed to investigate the complaints as to the management of the Children's Aid Shelter will sit tonight in the court house and take evidence. The matron and Agent Boyle will be questioned. Inability to get the proper kind of help is at the bottom of the trouble. The matron has been there with the assistance of only one Indian girl and having as many as 35 children, many of them babies to look after. It has been a colossal task.

Lee Yon, who came up before Magistrate Fraser at Niagara Falls yesterday morning charged with keeping an opium dispensing house and ran ten on Cataract avenue, was convicted on the opium charge, and fined \$50 and costs. The gambling case was thrown out for lack of evidence. Lee Wong, charged with running a lottery, was dismissed, his case to come up again in the near future. Crown Attorney Cowper of Welland appeared for the prosecution and J. W. Curry, K.C., M.P.P., of Toronto, for the defense.

Passchendale Fight Kept Up Army Morale

General Currie Says It's Most Misunderstood Battle of the War.

MONTREAL, Feb. 3.—General Sir Arthur Currie, Inspector-General of Canadian Militia, speaking before the Returned Soldiers' Association of McGill University here Saturday night, stated that the battle of Passchendale was the most misunderstood battle of the whole war, since it had resulted in such heavy casualties with apparently small results in territory gained. The fact was, he said, that after the frightful losses of the French in their disastrous offensive at the Aisne, the French army morale was badly shaken, and the British offensive had been organized to restore the whole morale of the Allies, thus leading to the attack on, and capture of Passchendale, carried out by the Canadians. It was the culminating event of that severe period of the war, and had prepared the way to the series of movements which later had led to the final and conclusive victory.

General Currie said that Canada must be prepared to meet future problems of defense, and to that end "I am determined that ever yunit of Canada shall be perpetuated in the Canadian Militia."

Union Lodge I.O.O.F. will give a banquet to returned soldiers in Empire Lodge rooms on Friday night of this week.

The Journal is in receipt of a letter from a reader in Alameda California, signed J. M. Gregory, who states he is 91 years old. He says he spent many of his younger days in St. Catharines drawing wood to keep warm those who were able to go to school. Perhaps some of the old residents of this city will recall Mr. Gregory.

An Old Recipe To Darken Hair

Sage Tea and Sulphur Turns Gray, Faded Hair Dark and Glossy

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked, or gray. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome.

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You'll get a large bottle of this old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients, at very little cost. Everybody uses this preparation now, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy, and you look years younger.

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Hon. G. Howard Ferguson told Ward Four Conservatives, Toronto, that the task of the Unionist party was finished.

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The citizen who was brandishing a fierce looking razor says it wasn't suicide but corns he was thinking about. Needless to say his wife bought him Putnam's Corn Extractor and hid the razor—very wise, because Putnam's cures in 24 hours; try it, 25c. at all dealers.

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Security Loan & Savings Company, St. Catharines will be held at the Company's Office, No. 26 James street, St. Catharines, on

Thursday, February 19th, 1920, at 11.30 a.m.

for the purpose of receiving the Financial Statement and Report of the Directors for the year 1919, the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it.

E. F. DWYER, Sec.-Treasurer. St. Catharines, Ont. January 12th, 1920.

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THE INVESTIGATION SHELTER SOCIETY

lack of Help and Not Enough Accommodation, but Things Have Wonderfully Improved, With Even Better Prospects For the Future.

County Council committee named to investigate the Children's Aid Shelter complaints held a session in Grand Jury Room last night.

President Claus and other members of the Children's Aid Society were present, including Mrs. J. S. Campbell, Mrs. C. M. Gibson, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Herbert Moyer, D.C. Hethington, E. Poole, C.M. Gibson, Mrs. Hethington, Mrs. D.C. Hethington, Mrs. Culp, Mrs. C. H. Hethington, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. C. Taylor, Mrs. Johnston Clench and others.

The members of the County Council Committee were Reeve Richardson, chairman; Reeve Mitchell, Deputy Reeve Revett, Niagara, Deputy Reeve Haynes, Grand

The evidence showed that while the Children's Aid Society has gone through much trial and tribulation in conducting the shelter, the untiring energy of noble women of the city doing the only thing that saved its

collapse, splendid things have been accomplished and that when the improvements and enlargements to the building are completed, even better things will come in the future.

H. H. Claus at 8.20 arose and announced that there had been some apprehension regarding the call for the meeting. Some charges had been made against the management of the Children's Aid Shelter.

He felt that it was up to the council to proceed with the investigation. The society was ready to answer the books and answer any questions. But until proven guilty the members wished to be considered innocent, which was all that any one could ask.

Reeve Richardson took the chair and said the criticism had been made of the Children's Shelter, an institution which received a great deal of public money. The committee had seen things at the shelter which they did not approve of.

Mr. Richardson did not consider that he was there as a judge at an investigation. He invited all who had any questions to ask or information to give to come forward.

Mr. Claus reiterated that the committee had been ordered by the council to make an investigation and report. The society was there to answer any questions.

Reeve Revett said the committee would like to know the ones who were responsible for the feeding, clothing and general care of the children.

C. M. Gibson advised taking up the question at a time. W. J. Westwood said it would be well to hear from the man who made the charges in the county council.

Reeve Mitchell of Grimsby admitted that he was the man. He said he didn't think there was a disposition to blame anyone. He thought the committee would meet the city committee and talk things over.

What he said at the county council meeting he would repeat there. He said he didn't think the Children's Shelter was a credit to the county. "We admit that," said several ladies.

Mr. Mitchell said the committee had considered the building; and the grounds not suitable and they did not think the children were properly clothed or fed. The committee did not think it advisable, perhaps, to spend any more