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-----LOCAL HAPPENINGS

THE Ontario government will meet on AT SWIFT'S-New Spring Prints and

NEXT Wednesday is Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent.

RAY MORNINGSTAR received a carload of ten Ford autos last week.

MR. RD. Ross, Port Arthur, is visiting relatives and friends in Watford and Warwick.

THE Valentine dance in the Armory has been called off as a safeguard against the spread of la grippe.

The soaring price of sug ar is agitating everybody who provides the edibles for a family table.

Some exceptionally good slightly used ford cars at exceptional prices.— R.

MISS GLADYS SHRAPNELL, Ingersoll, is home this week, her school being closed on account of the "flu."

Owing to mability to secure help the Ailsa Craig Banner has ceased publication for an indefinite period. A BIG BUNCH of hockey fans went over

to Alvinston Monday night to witness the Northern League game between Glencoe and Watford,

NEWSPRINT PAPER has gone up 300 PRINT PAPER has gone up super cent in four years. Subscription prices have gone up about 50 per cent. The 22 weekly is in sight.

DR. NICHOLLS, V.S., who has been practicing here for some months, left last week for Toronto, where he has obtained a covernment position.

obtained a government position. MR. N. B. HILL, Alvieston, has been transferred to the Merchants Bank here

to fill the vacancy caused by the transfer of Teller Greenlee to Toronto. THE fact that this province has 1000 public schools at which fewer than 10 pupils are taught is no credit to Ontario's

ch-boasted educational system. READ the opening chapters of the new serial story "Carolyn of the Corners," to be commenced in next week's issue. It is a charming narrative of thrilling interest, Ar Swirr's-New Silks and Dress

REV. S. P. IRWIN has been confined to the house during the past week with rheumatism. A student from Huron College took his services on Sunday. THE time is not far distant when no man will be considered to have the right

to wear evening clothes at night who has metaphorically at least, worn over-"How did Jones happen to fall down stairs?" 'Why, his wife said, 'Now, Henry, be careful,' and, as he is not the

an to be dictated to by any woman, Any failure upon the part of any re-

sponsible person to report the existence of a contagious disease in the house cannot be overlooked. It is a crime and must be punished. THE 1920 FORD is the biggest hit Ford

ever made. That demand will exceed the supply is correct this year. We are now taking orders for cars that we can not get for several months. Waiting may mean disappointment, so don't delay—order early.—R. MORNINGSTAR. That demand will exceed

"The Treasures of the Snow!" As Jobasks: "Hast thou entered into the treasures of the snow!" This seasonable question will be discussed by the Rev. T. D. Rayner in the Congregational Church, Watford, on Sunday at 7 p. m. You should hear this message. Morniug service at 11 a.m. If you have no church home you are cordially invited to find one in the Congregational Church.

Mr. LOHN MATHEWS merchant suff-

MR. JOHN MATHEWS, merchant, suffered a double loss within the past week when death took his aged mother and also his brother, both residents of Kerwood. Pneumonia was the cause of both deaths. The funeral of the brother, Mr. Henry Mathews, who was ill only three Henry Mathews, who was ill only three days, took place on Friday last and that of his mother on Wednesday. All sym-pathize with the surviving relatives in their severe affliction.

AT SWIET'S-New Tweeds and Suit-

Capt. Rev. A. Ketterson, "War, Liberty and Democracy," was given in the Ly-cenm on Monday night. The lecture was illustrated by 100 limelight views, spoke on the Ulster question, and Ulster's stand for Liberry. He spoke encouragingly of the heroic deeds of the Canadian boys in France and Belgium, especially at the battles of Vimy, Lens, Passchendele and Cambrail daele and Cambrai.

THE financial drive in the Forward Movement promises to eclipse in success the most sanguine hopes of those directly connected with it. Committees of canconnected with it. Committees of can-wassers are at work this week and already most of the local churches are nearing, or have exceeded their objective, and it is expected that they will all exceed the amounts aimed at before the end of the week. Many of the subscriptions are large, showing that some of the men with money realize their responsibility in the matter.

AT SWIFT'S-New Laces and Embroid-

Buy in Canada and you will escape the A ALMOST daily fall of snow keeps the sleighing fresh.

FORD size guaranteed tires at \$15.00 up.

RAY MORNINGSTAR. MISS MAUDE BOURNE, of Petrolia, spent the week end with relatives and friends in Watford.

SOME exceptionally good slightly used Ford cars at exceptional prices.— R. MORNINGSTAR. tf

TEN new subscribers added to the Guide-Advocate list during the past 14 days. Do you read your own paper or your neighbor's.

F. B. DOAN has sold his frame dwelling house and land used therewith in the north east corner of Eric and John streets here, to Sidney Welsh.

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LIEUT. R. D. SWIFT is home from St.
Joseph's Hospital, London, feeling much
bett r. He speaks highly of the staff of
that splendid institution.

THE Royal Scarlet Chapter of Warwick will meet in the hall of L. O. L.
505, Watford, on Saturday evening at
8 p.m. All members requested to be
present.—PAUL KINGSTON, Scribe.

An exchange says:—Don't get angry and burn your newspaper because it gives you a hard knock occasionally. If you read your Bible, you know you get a deal harder knocks there, and you don't burn

THE Rev. T. D. Rayner went to Til-bury, Ont., on Wednesday of this week to visit the Congregational Churches in that section in the interests of the For-

THE WEDDING was solemnized at Brompton Parish Church, Hindhead, England, on Tuesday, Jan. 18th, of Mr. Norman Lisle LeSueur of Sarnia, to Miss Janie Brenda Turle, of Hindhead. The newly married couple left England for Canada on January 30th. The groom is a nephew of Mrs. John Humphries of Watford.

AT SWIFT'S-New Hostery, Gloves and Underwear,

ALTHOUGH the plans for the financial campaign of the Forward Movement of the Congregational Church, Watford, were all shot to pieces by the "flu" epidemic which has hit the congregation hard, nevertheless the committee hurriedly re-arranged its plans on Sunday evening, with the result that by Tuesday evening the Congregational Church has already gone beyond its objective by more than \$150.00 and was still going strong.

LENT is a time for thinking and pre-

LENT is a time for thinking and pre-paration, a season of reflection and plan-ning, for getting a wise and wider out-look upon life—to lay down that we may more fitly take up; a serious time, things now growing small, the future loom-ing large; a re-adjusting of oneself to conditions new and principles that never can grow cld; a rest and a retrospect, out of the past to read the future and in the future to plan one's place, squaring oneself with what is to be; to fend off oneself with what is to be; to fend off hysteria, to get one's breath, to recover pose, to get to the mountain tops of God's great silences; and to be still. That is Lent.

There is no class of men doing better service for their country at the present time than the mail carriers, and in no section of the country is that work better done than in the district surrounding Watford. During the past six or eight weeks with frosty weather, stormy winds and drifted roads, few have any idea what hardships the carriers have had to endure, and through it all they have been faithful, patient and obliging, notwithstanding the fact that many farmers have failed to keep the roadside leading to the boxes shovelled or in any condition which would enable the mail matter to to be deposited without further inconvenience to the mail carrier. No doubt this has been a matter of negligence on the part of many farmers, but we trust THERE is no class of men doing better the part of many farmers, but we trust now that their attention has been drawn to it, that the way to the boxes will be kept clear for the balance of the winter.

Association on the Job

The Lambton Publicity Association shipped 3500 booklets on "Fruit Growing in Lambton County" to the Director of Colonization to be trans-shipped to General Sims for distribution in the British Isles.

A new pamphlet, setting forth the advantages of Ontario, is being prepared by the Colonization Department to be distributed in the British Isles. Lambton County will hold a permanent place in this puplication.

Carnival at the Rink

The fancy masquerade carnival was held at Fowler's rink on Wednesday evening, Feb. 1lth. There were many skaters in costume and the judges had much difficulty in making their decisions. The prizes were awarded to the follow-

Open race, 30 laps-R. Brown, L. Boy's race-F. McCormick, C. Lether-

Lady's Costume-4 Gypsies, Kewpie

Club.
Girl's Costume—Reta Dodds. Boy's Costume—J. Kinnell.
Barrel Race—D. Prentis, D. Butler.

HOCKEY

GLENCOE 6, WATFORD 1.

Glencoe defeated Watford in the return game of the N.H.L. in Alvinston on Monday evening by a score of 6 to 1.

However, the boys are not losing any sleep over the matter as they have won the series by 4 goals. Glencoe frantically tried to throw all kinds of dust in their eves and have showed in many ways their vague conceptions of fair play and true sport.

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The locals are now patiently waiting for notice as to when they meet Ailsa Craig. They have an opportunity to come out on top-of the district—do your part to assist them in every way.

BROOKE

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McLellan have returned to their home in Detroit after spending a month at his old home.

In Sarnis, January twenty-first, at St. Andrews' Church, with Rev. Patterson officiating, the marriage took place of Margaret McLeod, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. McLeod, to Earl Long, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long of Brooks

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WARWICK

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MORNINGSTAR.

Mrs. W. C. Walsh, London, is spending a few weeks at the home of her mother, Mrs. Coughlin, Second line.

Mr. D. R. Edwards, Main Road, who recently sold his farm, has purchased a dwelling house in Strathroy.

Miss Sarah Coughlin, R. N., went to London on Monday last to remove her brother, John, who has been in St. Joseph's hospital for the last two months to the home of his sister, Mrs. G. Cundick.

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There passed away on Mouday, Feb. 9th, at the home of her brother in Sarnia Miss Nellie Myers, in her 28th year.
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Miss Myers was taken down with influenza which developed into pneumonia
from which she died two weeks after
taking ill. She leaves two brothers and
one sister in Sarnia to mourn her untimely end. Miss Myers was well known in
Warwick Village having lived at Mr. Warwick Village having lived at Mr. N. Herbert's for some time.

Lambton's 149 I. O. D. E.

Eighteen members were present at the annual meeting of Lambton's 149, I. O. D. E. held on Tuesday last at the home of Mrs. Connolly. Very encouraging reports were read by the Secretary and Treasurer, outlining the year's work of the Chapter. The sox knitted during the year were distributed to the Navy League and London Military Hearits. League and London Military Hospital, also a barrel of fruit to Queen Alexandra Sanatorium. The total receipts for the year were \$512.00, which amount includes the 50% of the proceeds from the concert given in aid of the Armenians which was under the auspices of the two local chap-ters. The following officers were elected

for 1920: or 1920:

Regent – Mrs. F. Pritchett

1st Vice Regent – Mrs. T. A. Adams

2nd Vice Regent – Mrs. C. W. Sawers

Secretary – Miss Muriel Brown Treasurer-Miss K. C. Harris Standard-bearer—Mrs. Kelly Echo Secretary—Mrss Muriel Taylor. Refreshments and the National Anthem closed the yearly meeting. March meeting will meet at the hor Mrs. Adams, The

BORN

In Plympton, on Thursday, January 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. Percival J. Core, a daughter. (Mabel Florence.) Fo Mr. and Mrs. William Atkinson, of the P. & E. townline, on Wcdnesday, February 4th, a

In Sarnia, on Monday, February Nellie Myers, in her 28th year. In Walkerville, on Wednesday, January 28, Dr Walter Westlake Hoare, for many years resident of Strathroy, aged 83 years. In Strathroy, on Monday evening, February 2 Henry Anderson, in his 63rd year. In Forest, on Sunday, February 1st, Aunie Altchison, beloved wife of J. Rupp. In Forest, on Tuesday, February 3rd, Nathaniel Roy Dailey, 111 his 54th year.

IN MEMORIAM McKee.—In loving memory of our dear sis aura Bryce, beloved wife of G. I., McKee, dmonton, Alta., who died one year ago to-d

idmonton, Alta., who died one year ago to eb, gh, 1919.
One year has passed since that sad day, God called the one we loved away, As years roll on we love her still: Friends may think that we forget her, When at times they see us smile, But they little know the sorrow, That smile hides all the while. -BROTHER AND SISTER, JIM AND MAUD.

BRIEFLETS

Chatham stores close at 5 o'clock to Two Detroit men died in Sandwich from drinking wood alcohol.

Harry Pettman of Dereham township, accidentally shot and killed himself. \$1000 a foot frontage was paid for the site for the new theatre to be built in

The Stratford barbers have increased prices to 20c for a shave and 40c for a haircut.

Potato peelers in Chicago get \$6 a day for eight hours work, with three meals a

day.
Winnipeg had 14 robberies and 2 burglaries in one day for which six gangsters were arrested.

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Rev. Wm. Ivens must show why he shouldn't be punished for alleged contempt of Court. Among the victims of influenza is Rev. Edward Matthews, the Methodist minis-

ter at Sheddon. Thos. Gillean, a well-known London citizen, for years on the city council, died of pneumonia on Tuesday.

Two airplanes belonging to the South African government crossed the Mediter-ranean in 14 hours on a trip from London to Cairo. Toronto newspapers call for the banning of Hearst's publications from Canada. The papers are a menace to the peace of the world.

"Babe" Ruth will demand \$15,000 of the \$150,000 paid by the New York Americans to the Boston Americans for

his release. Sir Glenholm Falconer, Chief Justice of King's bench of Ontario, died Sunday of pneumonis after a few days' illness. He was in his 74th year.

Hon. Manning Doherty, minister of agriculture in the Drury government was on Monday elected by acclamation to represent East Kent. Toronto council voted \$15,000 for em

ergency expenses in fighting the "flu.". There were 55 deaths reported at the city hall Monday from this malady. There were 41 death notices published in Monday's Toronto Globe. There were eleven deaths from influenza in the Toronto hospitals on Sunday.

The Egerton street Baptist church, London, was almost completely destroyed by fire on Saturday morning. \$60,000 will be required to make good the Stanley Williams, the manager of the

defunct chain of cash and carry stores in Sarnia, who has been missing for the past two months, was arrested in the city of Washington, Sunday. Sixty car loads of coal are arriving in

London, Ont., daily, and it is expected that this will continue for some time. There is now euough in sight to warrant the running of all trains.

best-known physicians, died Monday night of influenza. The doctor was just recovering from a serious illuess when he took the "flu." He was a prominent When the second ice bridge broke at

Sarnia on Saturday huge pieces caught the terry Hiawatha and a number of passengers jumped overboard, and jumping from piece to piece of ice reached the shore in safety.

Dr. Service, of Tillsonburg, was fined \$700 under the O. T. A. He purchased 81 gallons of whisky within one month. Tillsonburg seems to be a "bummer roost," being notorious for infractions of the O. T. A. by its citizens. Sir James Grant the sole survivor the first parliament of Canada, died Fri-

day last at Ottawa. On the 20th of last month he fell and broke his hip and has since been confined to hospital. He was born in Scotland in 1831. "Dead-eye Dick" the hero of many dime novels, died in California last week He was a stage driver in the 70's and achieved such a reputation for bravery and sureness of aim with a gun that out-

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laws always permitted his coach to pass

Monday evening while at work at the Ontario Paper Company, Thorold. He was employed as an oiler and it is thought he became caught in a belt and was hurled to his death. No one saw the accident, but his body, terribly mangled, was discovered by a fellow-workman.

Seventeen carloads of silk passed through Prescott port Monday. The consignment is valued at seven millions. Ten carloads of eggs, to the number of 1,440,000, also were shipped at that port from China. Both consignments are being shipped to New York.

John Watkins, returned soldier of Ros-John Watkins, returned soldier of Roscoe, Sask., was sentenced to death for the murder of Archie Purcell and Harry Brand by Mr. Justice McKay at Prince Albert. April 26 was the day set for his execution. Watkins said he could not deny what witnesses of the shooting had testified: "My mind is a complete blank after I went into the house for my rifle."

CHOP STUFF

Smallpox is gradually dying out in

There were three deaths from "flu" in hamesville last week.

Miss J. Wiley has been appointed vil-age clerk at Allsa Craig.

The Wanstead Red Cross Society sent \$225.00 to the Armenian sufferers. Joseph Maw, townline, has sold his farm for \$4,000 and intends to remove to

Lambton heavy horses are being rapid-

ly picked up and shipped to Montreal.
They command a good price.
Two cases of "fu" are reported in
Alvinston. The house where the patients
live has been quarantined.

Strathrov municipality has an over-draft of \$21,000. This has been accumulating for a number of years.

Mrs. Mary Polley, widow of the late William Polley, died at her home in Petrolea last Thursday.

Tilbury West township council presented each of the township's 24 returned men with a \$100 Victory bond.

A Provincial chapter of the [O D E

A Provincial chapter of the f. O. D. E. was organized at Hamilton last week with Mrs. Harry Burkholder as regent.

James Robinson died last week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Bryson, Petrolia. He was a resident of Wyoming for many years.

Messrs. Mathews and Gamble were appointed assessors of the town of Petrolia at a recent meeting of council at a joint salary of \$550.00.

Some of the girl students of the University of Michigan have been made very nervous wrecks by practicing with onija boards and such things.

It was announced Monday that Sarnia has 481 cases of the "flu". Citizeus are protesting against American citizeus entering the city without being inoculated. Mr. and Mrs. George Streeter of Flor-ence observed the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage last week. Ten children

were born to them only two of whom are A crocodile, taken out of its egg, will find its way instantly toward a stream; a trog, put in a bag and taken from water, will go straight back to water on being

Young women of Sayre, Pa., in an effort to prevent the spread of the "flu" have organized a society, members of which are sworn to refrain from being kissed until danger of the epidemic his

The big hotel at St. Joseph's is being razed and the material teamed away, thus marking the end of the dream city of Narcisse Cantin, a French Canadian, who 25 years ago started to make the place a The death occurred at his

Newbury on Tuesday after a brief illness with pneumonia of Norman Hurdle, son of Councillor Edway Hurdle of in Mosa and opened a garage at Newbury. He leaves a widow and one child. Rev. and Mrs. Muxworthy of Forest,

Ontario announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, LaVera Hopkins, to Mr. Garnet Samuel Passmore, son of the late Samuel Passmore of Exeter, On-tario, and Mrs. Passmore. The marriage will take place the latter part of February at the Methodist Church, Forest. A strange malady which has resulted fatally, has been affecting a number of horses around Bothwell. Within a short time after noting the peculiar ailment two horses belonging to Charles McDonald

were dead. It is thought by some of the veterinaries that the horses are suffering from water pine poisoning. Seventy Sinn Fein prisoners, strongly guarded, were shipped for England Saturday aboard two naval vessels which sailed from this port. An airplane accompanied the vessels until they were well out of sight of land to guard against an attempt to escape.

an attempt to escape. A charge was laid at the Guelph Police Court against Miss Catharine McEachren, a nurse at the Homewood Sanitarium, for "unlawfully omitting care and attention to a patient at that institution, thereby causing bodily injury, which resulted in the death of the said patient."

Basil Guerard, aged ninety-four, Har-bor Master, died at Port Arthur Monday from pueumonia. Mr. Guerard came from Quebec in 1869. He was the father of sixteen children, and leaves about 200 descendants, there being five generations. On his 90th birthday a family banquet was attended by 170 descendants.

The death occurred at the residence of his daughter in Duart on Wednesday, January 28, of Hugh Downie, a well-known resident of Alvinston, in his 79th year. The remains were brought to Buns' church, Mosa, on Saturday, where the funeral service was held and inter-ment was made at Alvinston cemetery.

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Following a brutal assult on a twelveyear-old girl the citizens on the outskirts of Sarnia will ask for more police protection. The young girl Alice Allingham, returning from the rink, was asked by a man where Russell street was. On being informed, he said he would give her a quarter if she took him there. She consented and on a dark street was assaulted. Her cries attracted the residents. The girl was found in an unconscious condition. The police are hunting for the girl's assatlant. tion. The police are hunting for the girl's assailant.

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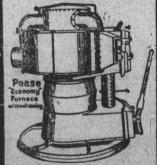
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AN ANCIENT DISPUTE.

Will Settle Boundaries of Peninsula of Labrador.

The long-standing dispute between Canada and Newfoundland, as to the boundaries of the peninsula of Later rador, which is part of the latter dominion, bids fair to be settled at

rador, which is part of the latter dominion, bids fair to be settled at a comparatively early date.

For years the two dominions have been disputing not only as to the boundaries of this desolate land, but as to the method by which the dispute should be settled. It was only however, after the extension of the boundaries of the Province of Quebec, some years ago, that the controversy became really acute. That province now claims jurisdiction over a much larger section to the north of the peninsula than Newfoundland is willing to concede, the latter claiming the country at the headwaters of the rivers which find their outlet on the Labrador coast.

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ed jurisdiction over the extended territory to the north, there have been numerous clashes between the been numerous clashes between the two Governments in the matters of grants of timber, limited mineral rights, and so forth. In spite of the fact that the country is generally recognized to be desolate in character, it is stated that it is rich in timber, minerals, fish, and fur.

Canada and Newfoundland have now decided to submit the dispute to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council in England. They have also decided upon the form of the

also decided upon the form of the reference, which is as follows: "What is the location and defini-

"What is the location and definition of the boundary as between Canada and Newfoundland, on the Labrador peninsula?" Under statute orders-in-council and proclamations. Newfoundland formerly opposed have a submitted. It is stated that certain of them favor the Canadian contention. Correspondence is now passing between the two Governments as to the method of procedure in the arbitration.

British Women Coming to Canada. Anywhere from 11,000 up of the British women who were organized for war work and are being demobi-lized, want to come to Canada, Mrs. Jean Robson, of Ottawa, told the convention of Federated Women's Institutes recently, and at present

Institutes recently, and at present there is only one opportunity open to them, that of housework.

The first party, who are all carefully selected and inspected in England, left England on November 18, accompanied by a Canadian woman officer. All these girls are physically and mentally fit, and should be met with a spirit of friendship and without undue criticism.

out undue criticism.

The chain of hostels, which are to be established across the Dominion, one in every province where these girls can go on their arrival and re-

girls can go on their arrival and receive a certain amount of training in Canadian methods, or can return to if in any difficulty, seem to meet one of the great needs. There is no doubt that the British girls will need safeguarding, and Mrs. Robson asked for the co-operation of all the Women's Institute members in the follow-up work of the British women who come to Canada.

Probably many of these girls have been working on the land during the war, and will naturally go into country districts where the Women's Institutes can do so much to help them settle down in the land of their adoption. It is the first year or so that is the most difficult for the newcomer and for her employers, but so much can be done with a little sympathy and kind neighborliness. The tremendous problem of Canadianization is one of the biggest works for the Western Women's Institutes to do, as Mrs. Robson pointed out, and she asked the women of the east to encourage their daughters to give at least five years—which is equal in length of time to what their brothers gave up—to the great work of nation-building, by going out and teaching in foreign schools. There is a great call and a great opportunity for real service for Canada.

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Treasure Trove of Outlaws

F the many thrilling stories that have been told of the life and marauding exploits of the James boys and the Younger brothers, none has made known the hiding-place of the large amount of treasure these bandits succeeded in gathering together. A great part of the loot of this gang is said to be hidden in the Arbuckle mountains, a short distance from Oklahoma City. Buried beneath the Oklahoma City. Buried beneath the shifting surface of the mountain-side are said to be many thousands of dollars, the fruits of the alleged bank raids by the gang in the days following the American Civil War. The intrepid Missouri bandits led their bands of border "long-raiders" through five states, robbing banks their bands of border "long-raiders" through five states, robbing banks and holding up trains at will, returning after each raid to the hiding-place offered in the hills and mountains of the eastern and southern sections of the old Indian territory. In time the ceaseless trailing of the James boys resulted in the allegal assassination of Jesse James by

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Bob Ford, renegade member of the
gang, and the ultimate surrender of
Frank James to Governor Thomas T.
Crittenden, of Missouri. Accompanied by Major John N. Edwards, at
that time the greatest editorial writer
in the central west, Frank surrendered to Governor Crittenden and was
let go on parole with Major Edwards,
the governor accepting his personal let go on parole with Major Edwards, the governor accepting his personal word that he would appear before the Cooper County Circuit Court at its next convocation. He was there to stand trial for the Otterville and other train robberies, or, in the event of a continuance, to furnish such a bond as the court might order.

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When court was convened and the first case was called against the noted defendant, the state announced "Not ready," and the bond was fixed. At this point in the trial many men in the district showed their friendship in an unstinted manner. Not one, nor two, nor a dozen, but almost a hundred wealthy Missourians, each a survivor of the "Lost Cause," each either a member of the Marmaduke Brigade, one of Donavan's men, or a wild rider with Quantrell, vied with each other to affix their names, each name representing tens of thousands of dollars, to the bond of the man who had worn the tens of thousands of dollars, to the bond of the man who had worn the uniform of Confederate gray during the troubtesome period of the Civil War, when Missouri had been a "border state," the scene of four years of bitter partisan warfare, Frank James returned to peaceful pursuits and avocations during the days which followed his surrender and while he was out upon what may be styled a "Perennial" bond, while cases of the "States of Missouri vs. Frank James," cases which never came to trial but were continued from "term trial but were continued to term" in the Cooper County and other Missouri courts, pended against

The Brookfield bank robbery caus ed a great stir in that locality. A large posse was formed and a vigor-ous hunt was started for Bob and Cole Younger and the man wh rode the "Buckskin Horse." Whil the rider of the "Buckskin Horse While the rider of the "Buckskin Horse" got away, the Younger Brothers were finally captured and were sentenced to long years of confinement in the Minnesota penitentiary. The two Youngers were kept for years behind the bars of the penitentiary before a pardon was at last secured, when they returned to their native state, Missouri, and settled upon farms near Lee's Summit and there spent the remainder of their lives as quiet, lawabiding citizens. It is unwritten history which tells of their many trips made to the old Indian territory and made to the old Indian territory and of the days and weeks and months spent in futile searching for the lost hiding place of the gold and silver buried years before in a case in the

hiding place of the gold and silver buried years before in a case in the Arbuckles.

Following the Blue Cut robbery, Jesse and Frank James drifted back to the Indian territory to a rendezvous in the hills of the beautiful Turner's Falls, one of the most fascinating scenic spots in all that section. While they were in temporary retirement they buried the fruits of their raids in a natural cave, near the base of one of the mountains composing the Arbuckle chain. The mouth of the cave was walled up with masonry and dirt and bluff debris, avalanched systematically over the masonry in such a way as to conceal it from the eye of casual observation. Information gleaned from personal friends of the Missouri outlaws, says that the passing years, which had brought additional wrinkles to the faces and sprinkled with silver the heads of the former "long riders," had changed the landscape of the mountain side within which was the cave wherein the stolen gold was hidden. Avalanches of nature had carried tons and tons of earth and rock over and across the artificial avalanche of loose rock and debris with which the wall of masonry that guarded the entrance to the treasure chamber was hidden. Many expeditions were made to the locality of Turner's Falls in an endeavor to find the "lost cave," all of which proved futile and the search was at last abandoned.

Have Railways Fight Swindlers

ISCUSSING the recent arrests of sleeping car conductors charged with accepting money from passengers for fares and not turning this n western railway official made the following statement:

"Frequent arrests of sleeping car and train conductors by railway companies in which fraud against company is exposed always brings a certain amount of adverse criticism, the generally expressed opinion being that 'it is not fair to the employes to expose them to the temptation of detectives,' generally known as spotters, who are popularly supposed to board the trains and offer the conductor an amount smaller than the regular fare to be carried between certain points.

"Recently telegraphic despatches appeared in Milwaukee and Chicago appeared in Milwaukee and Chicago papers to the effect that 'further arrests and disclosures were promised for to-day in an alleged \$75,000 swindle whereby the Chicago, North Shore and Milwaukee electric road was the victim.'

"One of the men arrested is the manager of a film agreey another."

"One of the men arrested is the manager of a film agency, another a film salesman and the third a conductor. The mode by which this swindle was conducted is an old one; the conductor simply neglected to punch the tickets collected by him and turned them over to a syndicate of his friends who in turn resold them of the conductor at reduced retails.

them to friends at reduced rates.

'Only a short time ago a conductor on a Canadian railway was dismissed from the service for a swindle of the same kind. It took no spotters nor experienced detectives to catch this man. A clerk in one of the departments of the company applied to his principal for a reduced rate to a point about one hundred miles distant. As the clerk had been in the employ of the company only four months he was not entitled, under the rules to a reduced rate and was months he was not entitled, under the rules, to a reduced rate and was told this by the head of the depart-ment. He (the clerk) remarked, 'Oh, that's all right; I can get it through my aunt.' Naturally the head of the department began to think. He won-dered who was this aunt that she could break down the rules of the company and with apparent ease. He reported the circumstances to his superior officer who in turn made a report to the ticket auditing department. It was easily found out that the clerk boarded with his aunt as did also the train conductor on the train boarded with his aunt as did also the train conductor on the train boarded. run between those two points. The aunt was asked to come to the office of the auditor and at once confessed that she had been the broker between the conductor and friends of hers whom she could trust. It took no spotters nor detectives for that no spotters nor detectives for that

job.
"The fare between stations A and B is five dollars. A man who frequently travelled between those two stations one day said to the con-ductor, 'Why not make a split on this fare. I go over the road every, week and you might as well have it

as the company."
"Half fare was agreed on and the traveller paid the conductor two-fifty. This went for two weeks and fifty. This went for two weeks and one day the man said, 'I don't intend to pay you two-fifty any more. Here is one-fifty.' The conductor demurred but the man told him he could either take that or nothing. He took it. That price was paid for two trips, then one dollar, then fifty cents and then the crowning of it all came when a cigar was tendered. The conductor said, 'This has gone too far now. You can pay full fare or get off.'

"'Get off, will I. You put me off and see what will happen to you.'

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"The result. The man rode for nothing. Not only that, he would send his card to this conductor with 'Jim, this man is all right.' Finally Jim got to the breaking point, went to the auditor and confessed and asked to have the man prosecuted for offering bribes. for offering bribes.

"A short time ago a hotel in
Montreal was raided under a search

"A short time ago a hotel in Montreal was raided under a search warrant on suspicion of being the headquarters of illegal ticket selling. Officers found a curtained-off place in one of the rooms where the ticket buyer was accosted on entry. If he produced a card which said 'All right,' and signed 'X.Y.' he was given a ticket. These tickets were furnished by conductors who neglected to punch them and were resold.

"Stories of the scheming of the travelling public to beat railway fares might be carried into columns, but they all lead to one end—the conductor being caught and the briber going free. Many a story could be told of the heart-broken wife who has pleaded with her husband to stop the practice of taking fares, knowing that most of the pickings are going into illegitimate channels. Nearly all the cases of such stealings can be traced to bad habits, either drink, gambling or dissolute women and the consequent attempt to live beyond his means.

"Railway companies are gigantic organizations and even the most humble clerk is bound to be detected if he is spending more money than

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"The conductor answered, 'It won's

"The conductor answered, 'It won's be me that is losing; it will be the railroad company.'
"This was said in a joke, but the friend repeated it to an officer of the company and the man was soon in the tangle all such end in."

Every child should have nearly a quart of milk each day.

Want Settlers' Tales In order that the Department of Immigration and Colonization may have at its command authentic ac-

ful settlers in various parts of Can-ada, it has been decided to offer cash prizes for letters or articles not exceeding 2,000 words, written by set-tlers in each of the nine Canadian provinces. The articles will be judged by a committee to be appointed by Hon. J. A. Calder, Minister of Immigration and Colonization, and should be mailed not later than February 14. 1920, to the Director of Publicity for the Department. Three cash prizes will be given, one of \$75, one of \$56 and one of \$25, in each of the nine

provinces.

It is explained that the competition is not a literary contest, the official announcement stating that "literary style, correct spelling, etc., will not be considered essential. Tell your story in your words." It is believed that the procuring of a number of graphic and truthful stories of how success has been won from the soil in all parts of the Dominion will do much to contribute to a future movement to Canada of the right class of settlers.

Ice Pack Moves South.

Ice conditions in the Arctic this year have been the most unusual in years. The ice pack was found to extend further south than at any time since the Bear began its patrol

time since the Bear began its patrol of far northern waters. The solid pack extends to about one hundred miles north of Point Lay, or eighty miles south of Wainwright.

Along the lower edge of the pack thousands of walrus were encountered by the cutter, the ice being literally black with the mammals. This, officers of the vessel said, was another evidence that the ice was solid. er evidence that the ice was solid for a great distance to the north, as the walrus stay close to open

The Bear, because of the ice condi-tions, was unable to reach Point Bar-row and Wainwright, and its officers expressed the belief that passage to the Mackenzie river section this year may be prevented.

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ECURING suitable soil or compost for all features of floriculture or horticulture is a very important matter if the best results are to be obtained.

The best basis for all ordinary potting soils is well-rotted, tough, fibrous sod, taken from loamy or light clay loam soils. Sod from an old pasture field, or from the roadside, from where the grass has been kept fed or cut down constantly, will give the closest growing sod, with lots of fibrous roots attached. These fibrous roots are one of the very necessary essentials in potting soils to keep the soil open and friable. The sod should not be cut from heavy clay soils, or where noxious weeds, especially "couch," "spear" or "twitch" grass is growing. The sod should not be cut from near pine or cedar not be cut from near pine of cetar trees as the turpentine in the leaves or pinnae of these trees is very de-trimental to plant life. It is also best not to cut the sod from very swamp soil. Well-rotted barnyard manure such as from an old hot bed, or cow manure, are both good ferti-liers to use for a soil compost. Horse manure alone is not a good fertilizer for a compost. About one-third horse manure and the balance cow manure will be suitable. Late in autumn or

early spring is the best time to pre-pare the soil compost, autumn pre-ferred.

How to Prepare.—The sod should be cut about four inches thick, and about eight to ten inches square. It should be stacked out of doors in an out-of-the-way part of the garden or grounds. A space six or eight feet long by five or six feet wide would be a good supply for a small green-house, or for a few hot beds for a year or two. Start by placing one layer of sod packed close together with the grass side downward over the space selected. Then add a second and third layer on top of the first layer. About four or five inches in depth of either of the fertilizers mentioned should now be spread evenly over the third layer of sod. Another three layers of sod should then be placed on top of the ferti-lizer as before. Then another layer of the fertilizer as before, and so on until the pile is four or five feet in until the pile is four or five feet in height. About two inches in depth of soil should be placed on top of the pile to finish off with. Place some wire netting or brushwood (not pine or cedar) all over the top of the pile to keep off chickens or animals. Keep the pile quite level while building, and draw it in slightly narrower toard the top. It should be flat on the top when finished. It may be necessary to give the pile one or two good soakings with water after it is finished, or during dry weather in summer, to hasten decomposition. In six to eight months it should be ready for use and will keep in good condi-

for about two years.

Preparing for Use.—When ready for use, trim or slice down, with a sharp spade, the quantity required from top to bottom of the pile so as to secure the proper proportions of soil and fertilizer. For potting pur-poses this should be put through a coarse sieve having a %-inch mesh. All the decayed fibrous part and the fertilizer, should be worked through the sieve. The partly decayed fibrous or organic matter that will not pass through the sieve readily should be chopped or pulled finely to pieces and put into the soil, if at all decom-

Tempering or Mixing Soils .- If the soil is of a heavy clay loamy nature about one part sand should be mixed at the time of using, with eight or nine parts of the sod compost for repotting purposes, for plants such as geraniums, roses, chrysanthemums and similar plants. If the soil the sod is taken from is of a light

sod is taken from is of a light loamy nature, a very little sand, if any, will be required.

For Begonias, Coleus, Callas (Arum Lilies), Gloxinia, Salvia, Ferns and similar plants one part of leaf soil, (rotted leaves) or black soil leaf soil, (rotted leaves) or black soil from the bush (decayed leaves), may be added to the compost and sand before mentioned. Black leaf soil from the bush alone does not make a good potting soil for but very few plants, it should be mixed with other

soil as stated. Substitute Potting Soil.—A good substitute potting soil or compost may be made by mixing about seven or eight parts of good, light, loamy garden soil, or loamy sub-soil taken from underneath sod, with one part sand and one part leaf soil as before mentioned, mixed well together. One part of dry cow manure, which can be secured from the fields where cows have pastured, or one part of pulverized sheep manure should be added as a fertilizer for this substi-tute potting soil. The pulverized prepared sheep manure can be pur-

at the rate of about \$2 per 100 pounds. Or about one pound of fine bone meal or bone flour to each bushel of soil may be used as a substitute fertilizer to those named. Sheep and cow manure are two of the best fertilizers to use in connection with all horticultural work, whether incorporated in potting composis as stated, or used out of doors as liquid solutions for flower borders or the vegetable garden during summer, if the ground is not rich enough in fertilizers. Seepage from the barnyard diluted one-half with water makes a good liquid fertilizer for outdoor use where the soil is poor.—Wm. Hunt, O. A. College, Guelph.

TEMPERATURES OF AIR

The Atmosphere and Its Relation to Agriculture.

times Beneficial and Sometimes Hurtful - Old Sol the Primary Source of Heat and Light - An Interesting Study of Air - Live

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TMOSPHERIC temperature has ever been a matter of much concern to agriculturalists. A high temperature, although necessary and beneficial in some cases, is detrimental in others, but in each case requires a liberal amount of precipitation. On the other hand the destructive frost of late spring and early autumn is an unpleasant but frequent visitor to the agriculturalist. Man has harnessed much of nature and made it his servant, but as yet no one can say that man can control the atmospheric temperature, although he may modify it in a few instances or overcome some

of its disastrous effects.

The primary source of all heat is the sun. Old Sol shines and heat and light travels the intervening 92,900,000 miles of space with a velocity of 186,000 miles per second. Some of this heat is absorbed in its transit by dust particles, water-vapor and the temperature of the air in con-tact with it. The latter has the great-

er effect on air temperature.

Local conditions have a great effect on temperature. Water requires about five times the quantity of heat to raise it's temperature one degree as does soil, thus large water areas tend to prevent high temperatures. Also, as there is always slow evaporation and it requires about 300 times as much heat to evaporate one gallon of water as to raise its tem-perature one degree, the temperature is kept more moderate. Large swamp and bush areas free large quantities of water to the atmosphere as well as retaining the spring water longer in the country and consequently has a moderating effect.

Frosts are also prevented by water. swamp and bush areas, because they e a high hum so readily cooled as large land areas Air of high humidity acts as a better blanket as it were, than the dry air Also the temperature at which dew is formed is higher and the lowering of the temperature may be sufficiently arrested to eliminate any danger of frosts.

The type of agriculture in any secon is decided by its air temperature. Any new crops which are imported must first become acclimatiz-ed to that section before they are a success. Winter cereal crops of Ontario and hay crops are not affected by extremely low temperatures un-less growth is started by warm wealess growth is started by warm weather followed by low temperature or by heaving of the soil about the roots. Late spring and early fall frosts cause much damage. If the temperature does not drop below 28 deg. F. only the tenderest vegetation suffers, but if below it wholesale destruction results. High temperatures cause strong evaporation from the leaves of plants and thus the need of a large amount of precipitation to prevent stunting or death itself. In a pamphlet by A. J. Connor, of

the Meteorological Office, Toronto, an interesting relation between the growth and yield of wheat and the temperature is set forth. Both yield and growth are increased by a low temperature and a low range in temperature. A critical period appears to exist in the latter part of the 90 days following sowing, and if the weather in this period be warm, dry, with great temperature range, the wheat plants will head quickly and the harvest be light; but if the cool moist conditions exist heading will be postponed and the yield increased. Thus it remains a matter of seeding at the proper time to insure the cool moist weather in the critical period. In the Western Provinces the sowning is early named, the last of April. ing is early, namely, the last of April, throwing the critical period about the middle of July, the variability of the temperature of which is the critical factor. However, the rule there is the earlier the better, while in Ontario we are unable to sow spring wheat sufficiently early to procure that desired cool, moist weather, nor can it be obtained by late sowing. All cereals are best adapted to the emperate regions and especially

temperature range. Consequently the above temperature effect is applicable to all. Fruits as a rule require a higher temperature region, but not a high-temperature range. Many fruits, however, have a wide distribution and is the result of variety.—R. C. Moffatt, O. A. College, Gueinh.

Live Stock Notes.

This is the time of year when horses are in danger of getting too much hay and too little exercise. Idle horses will keep in much better condition if given regular exercise, and if their supply of hay is wisely restricted.

restricted.
Stables that are well ventilated and lighted, even though on the cold side, are more comfortable and more healthful than dark, steamy, warm

Young cattle and breeding stock of beef breeds enjoy a short outdoor run every day during winter, and treatment of this kind promotes health.

Breeding ewes must have abundant exercise if vigorous, healthy lambs are looked for. Good alfalfa or clover hay, with about four pounds roots, or two or

three pounds of silage, per ewe, per day, makes a good ration. Roots fed to horses not at hard work will cut down the cost, as well as add variety, to the ration.

ILL-FITTING COLLARS

The Cause of Sore Shoulders in Farm Horses.

The Skin Scalds and the Hair Falls Out -- Abscesses or Tumors May Form - Treatment Suggested -Planting Field Beans.

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THEN a horse has been properly fitted for hard work, the collar fits properly and the driver observes reasonable precautions to avoid trouble, it is seldom that shoulder trouble occurs, but where the horse has not been prepared for work, or the collar does not fit properly, or the driver is careless, trouble is very liable to occur. When the horse has a long coat of hair in the spring it is good practice to clip the parts with which the collar comes in contact, as a preventive measure. In fact, in many cases it is wise to clip the whole horse.

Shoulder troubles are usually caused by ill-fitting collars, but in horses not accustomed to work, may occur

even when the collar fits properly.

The most common shoulder trouble is practically a form of scalding. The skin becomes inflamed and tender. continued the parts become raw. This is often due to neglect in cleaning the face of the collar regularly, also ughly cleaning the should regularly, and failure to remove the collar at meal times to allow the shoulders and collar face to become dry, and then clean them before putting the collar on again. For treat-ment, a lotion made of one ounce each of acetate of lead and sulphate of zinc in a pint of cold water, is probably the best application. This should be applied three or four times daily, and, if possible, the animal should be given rest or worked in a

breast collar. Abscesses or tumors may form on the shoulder as a result of pressure of the collar. One form of this trouble appears suddenly. A swelling of considerable size is noticed. It is not very tender or sore to pressure, and is found to be soft and fluctuating when handled. This is called a "serous" abscess. It contains a thin fluid, about the consistency of water called "serum" which is situated just beneath the skin.

Another form appears more slowly. The horse evinces pain when pressure is put upon the shoulder, and examination reveals a swelling. The animal can work and evinces little pain, except for a short time after he is put to work, until after he is allowed to stand for a few minutes. The soreness and enlargement gradually increase, and while the swelling may not appeal to the touch, as solid and hard as at first, it has not the fluc-tuating condition of the serous ab-The walls are thicker. contains pus or matter, and is called a purulent abscess. Treatment in either case consists in making a free incision through the walls of the abscess at the lowest part, to allow free escape of the contents, and then flushing out well three or four times daily until healed, with a five percent, solution in water, of one of the coal far antisentics or earbeits acid. coal tar antiseptics or carbolic acid. In this case the patient must have rest, or be worked in a breast collar.

Another condition from like causes is a fibrous tumor. This forms slowly, is more or less sore, in fact acts much the same as a purulent abscess. In some cases it is not pos-sible to diagnose definitely between a tumor and a purulent abscess with very thick walls, without exploring. A small incision is made right into the centre of the enlargement. If even a very little pus be present it

abscess, but if no pus be present the only treatment is dissection. The whole fibrous growth must be carefully dissected out, the wound stitched, except a portion at the bottom to allow escape of pus which forms during the healing process, and treated as an abscess.—Dr. J. H. Reed, O. A. College, Guelph.

Planting Field Beans.

Of the various kinds of field beans the greatest demand is for the Common White, of which there are several named varieties such as Early Wender, Scholfield, Elliott, etc. It is important to secure an early strain, to test the germination, and to plant early in the month of June.

Field beans are grown successfully on a great variety of soils. They do particularly well on fertile land which may be classed as loam, sandy loam, gravelly loam, or gravelly clay. All soils for bean production should be well underdrained either naturally or artificially. With proper drainage even clay soils have produced beans satisfactorily in regard to both yield and quality. Beans do particularly well after clover or grass sod and are frequently followed by sod and are frequently followed by winter wheat in some localities and by spring grains in other sections. It is of great importance to have the land thoroughly cultivated and a seed bed which is both moist and

mellow. In those sections where field beans are grown extensively, bean planters are sometimes employed. On the ma-

ever, the quantity might be reduced slightly. When the tops of the grow-ing crop are dry the beans should be cultivated occasionally throughout the season to destroy the weeds and to form a fine surface mulch.—Dr. C. A. Zavitz, O. A. College, Guelph

Roots, cabbage, fine alfalfa hay, or even a little silage, will be relished very much by sows, and will keep them in good health.

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have exercise every day.
Good alfalfa hay and soft cormake a splendid roughage feed, alfalfa being rich in protein and the corn in carbonhydrates, the one bal-ancing the other.

Even with special effort devoted

to sheep breeding and lamb raising it will be several years before the increase in flocks will be sufficient to catch up with the demand for wool and mutton.

Leaf Mold for Garden

Autumn leaves collected in piles in out of the way places will decay and furnish some excellent leaf mold for green house or garden work. Oak leaves are better than soft wood trees like box elder and soft

To Protect Ontario's Eyes.

After its defeat at the polls on tober 20, the Hearst Government October 20, the Hearst Government devoted itself almost entirely to routine business until relieved by the new administration on November 14. The former Government, however, had fathered the Optometry Act in the Legislature last session and one of its last official acts was to bring that measure into effect. The act was made effective from November 1 and made effective from November 1, and the Board of Examiners provided for, has been appointed. The board, which serves without salary, is made

up as follows: W. J. Maybee, of Toronto, for five years; Dr. A. C. Mackay, of Toronto, and E. Culverhouse, of Stamford, for four years; J. S. Collinson, of Dun-das, and Thern T. Barnes, of Sault Ste. Marie, for two years. The or-der-in-council makes Mr. Maybee chairman and Mr. Collinson, secre-tary. The former is a leading mem-ber of the Optometrists' Association

Dr. Mackay is principal of the Cen-tral Technical School. The important feature of the Op-The important reature of the Optometry Act is that it places a ban upon the peddling of eye glasses by men who have no technical knowledge of the goods they are selling and who often give eye sufferers glasses that aggravate their trouble, when the goods are not worthless. The act prohibits the "selling, fitting or supplying of everlasses from The act pronions the "selling, fitting or supplying of eyeglasses from house to house or in any other manner than from a permanent place of business. Penalties of \$10 to \$100 are provided for those who violate the act and similar fines for persons who call themselves "optometrist" or eptician" unless entitled to do so.

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TWO CRITICISMS

ODE TO THE GIRLS

BY ONE OF THE BOYS Little girl, you look so small, Don't you wear no clothes at all? Don't you wear no shimmy shirt' Don't you wear no shimmy shirt
Don't you wear no petty skirt?
Just your corsets and your hose,
Are those all your underclothes?
Little girl, you look so slight,
When I see you in the light,
With your skirts cut rather high,
Won't you catch a cold and die?
Ain't you 'fraid to show your calf?
It must make the fellows laugh,
Little girl what is the cause
Why your clothes are made of ganze,
Don't you wear no undervest
When you go out fully dressed?
Do you like those peek-a-boos,
'Stead of normal underclothes?
Little girl, your spenders show,
When the sunlight plays on you;
I can see your tinte'l fiesh,
Through your thinnest gown of mesh
Is it modest, do you s'pose,
Not to wear no underclothes?
Little girl, I see your chest
Yes, I see way past your throat,
To a region most remote;
'Taint my fault now, don't suppose,
Why not wear some underclothes?
Little girl your sox has shoals,
Of those tiny little holes;
Why you want to show your limb,
I don't know—is it a whim?
Do you want to catch the eye
Of each fellow passing by?
Little girl where is the charm
(In your long, uncovered arm?
In the V behind your neck? Don't you wear no petty skirt? In your long, uncovered arm?
In the \(\sigma \) behind your neck?
Is it for the birds to peck?
Little girl, I tell you those
Ain't so nice as underclothes.
Little girl, now listen here,
You would be just twice as dear
If you'd cover up your charms. You would be just twice as dear If you'd cover up your charms Neck, back, legs and both your arms, I would take you to some shows If you'd wear some underclothes. Little girl, your mystery, Luring charms and modesty Is what makes us fellows keen To possess a little Queen; But no lover—goodness knows—Wants a girl "sans" underclothes S'pose I wore some harem pants, Or no shirt like all my aunts, Or a ringlet through my nose,

ODE TO THE MEN

BY'ONE OF THE GIRLS

Let me pull your panties down,
Let me pull your panties down,
I should think your legs would freeze
Wi h them half-way to your knees;
When you started in to dress,
Hitched 'em up too tight I guess.
And you have such skinny legs
They sure look like wooden pegs.
Say, your legs are awful small,
They don't look like legs at all.
I guess you want to show your socks,
With their pretty colored clocks.
But you surely are a sight
With your pants so short and tight.
Don't you s'pose the girls will laugh
When they see your skinny calf?
If I had a calf like that
I would try and make it fat.
But, perhaps you like it so,
Looks so genteel, don't you know!
Put some spats on. Sonny, please,
And try to cover up your knees.
I don't like to see them so
For they are so thin you know!
I'm afraid that you will fall,
'Cause your leggies are so small.
You are not to blame poor lad,
'Cause your panties fit so bad.
Then your harr is shaved so high
Mister Man, you are a guy.
You've a figure, I declare!
Someone's corsets you must wear.
Throw away those corsets, dear,
For they make you look so queer.
Don't you think with that moustache
With the girls you'll make a mash?
Yes, I think its safe to say
You'll be corralled some sweet day.
Some poor girl, its safe to bet
Will get fooled by mamma's pet.
Then, she'll put a string on you
Lead you round for folks to view.
Now, I'm going to tell you,
What I think you ought to do.
Turn that cuff down on your pants
Have them long enough for "wance".
Put on good, old, homemade socks,
Unadorned by fancy clocks.
Cover up your skinny shanks,
Take from me this little tip.
Shave that down from off your lip.
Grow some hair behind your ears,
Say farewell to barbers' shears.
Banish too, that monocle,
It makes you look so comical.
Throw away your cigarette
Lest it run you into debt.
Stand up straightly, if you can,
Do not be a "cissy man".
So long, "Mannie", do not cry,
See you sometime soon,
Bye-Bye!

Guide-Advocate

WATFORD, FEBRUARY 13, 1920.

Or a ringlet through my nose, They'd arrest me, don't you s'pose I wear a coat of mail, Clothed from head to big toe nail;

I must cover up my form, Even when the weather's warm

Which Township

What township in Bruce or Grey will be the first to submit a by-law to the electors to exempt in part the assessment on buildings used for farm purposes? This is local option in assessment. At present the Assessment Act militates against the property owner who has good buildings. In other words he is taxed for his enterprise and the farmer who uses enterprise and the farmer who uses rate to the advantage of the owner his lands for pasturing purposes gets of the farm with buildings. What off with a lighter taxation. If a bylaw progressive reeve or councillor will were submitted by a township council to exempt buildings up to 50 per cent their value and the by-law carries, here is how it would work out to the advantage of the farmer out to the advantage of the farmer One of the measures recently fa-who spent considerable money in thered by the Saskatchewan Governerecting buildings. Supposing there ment, is a bill to create a class of

are two farms side by side, both assessed for \$6,000, and the one has buildings on it assessed value of \$2,000. If the combined rate of school, township and county taxes be twenty five mills the farm with improvements would, under the have to help each other as best they present law, pay \$200 in taxes and the other \$150. This is manifestly away. In such a time as this, when unfair. If there was partial exemption on improvements, say 50 per cent., the assessment of the farm with buildings would be reduced \$25. This would reduce the general taxation of the township and increase the take this up?-Chesley Enterprise.

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mense territory, and hospitals are located only in the principal towns

and cities, the problem of medical attendance and nursing is a vexed

one. Trained nurses may be obtain-

ed in the cities, but in the country and small settlements the sufferings

of sick persons often are quite un-

relieved. The same set of conditions that Saskatchewan has are to be

found in Northern Ontario. Hund-

reds of small communities are with-

out a nursing service. The women

can. Even doctors may be miles away. In such a time as this, when

sickness seems everywhere, the supply of nurses is entirely inade-

quate even in the cities. One of the

chief troubles of the average worker,

when his wife is ill, is to obtain some

help in housekeeping. If there are

house, the difficulty is intensified. Usually a mother or sister is called

in. But hundreds of cases occur every month in which relatives are

not available. The workingman has

to pay the expense of a nurse, and

then get a housekeeper also. What

a relief it would be, in the less serious

cases, if there were available a class

of graduate nursing housekeepers. This would be a profession in which

thousands of fine women could find a refuge when cast upon their own resources. The Drury Government

would do Ontario a great service by

following the Saskatchewan example

A SAFE GUIDE IN WINTER

The Health Commissioner of New York City gives a warning for private care which should be generally ob-

served at this time and which is a

safe guide for our winter months in

any year. That is, that all persons with bad colds should stay indoors for a few days and should live so far

as possible in sunny and well-ventilated rooms. The infectious nature

of all the inflammations of the nose

and throat has been well established, and the way to avoid receiving or communicating infections is to keep

out of crowds. The general excellent

health and well-fed condition of the people provide the best condition for

resisting an epidemic of any kind. Low vitality, induced by underfeeding or by living in unheated rooms

and using up nervous force in keep-

ing warm, provides the condition in which disease germs work most rapidly. It remains for individuals to maintain conditions of personal

hygiene, not to risk careless and un-

frain from worrying about an epi-

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sary exposure and then to re-

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Report of S. S. No. 13, Brooke, Janury, 1920.
Sr. IV—Sadie Fisher, John Lucas.
Jr. IV—Edna Griffith, Isobel Williams,

ames Burns. Sr. III—Margaret Lucas, Kathleen Burns.
Jr. III—John Griffith, Mary Lucas.
Class I—Hazel Griffith, Fisher Burns,
Clarence Johnston.
Primer—Gerald Swan.

A. M. COWAN, Teacher.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

In the matter of the Estate of MICHAEL MAHER, late of the Township of Adelaide, in the County of Middlesex, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario (1914). Chapter 121, Section 56, and amending Acts, that all persons having claims against the Estate of the saud MICHAEL, MAHER, late of the Township of Adelaide, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, who died on or about the tenth day of January, A. D. 1920, are required to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver on or before the twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1920, to the undersigned Solicitors for Daniel Maher, Executor of the Will of the said deceased, their names, addresses, and descriptions, and a full statement of particulars of their claims and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And notice is hereby further given that one and a full statement of the securities, if any, held by them.

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School Reports

Report of S. S. No. 5, Brooke, for the onth of January. Names in order of

merit.

Class IV Jr.—Alice Sutton, Allan Higgins, Harold Sutton.

Class II—Bert Oakes, Alleen Sutton.

Primer—Alice Coristine,

N. KELLY, Tescher.

Report of S. S. No. 2 and 7, Brooke and Warwick for January. Names in order

Warwick for January. Names in order of merit.

Class IV—George King, Allen Heaton.
Class III Sr.—Pearl Acton.
Class III Jr.—Winnifred Hume, Mary Jarron, Mary Mitchell.

Class II—Leah Heaton.
Class I Sr.—Frederick Maude.
Class I Jr.—Rosalie Mitchell.

Prim.—Nelena Higgins, Daniel Maude.
Prim. Jr.—Helen Hartman.

Average attendance 9.

JANET LEACH, Teacher.

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Report of S. S. No. H, Warwick, for January. Names in order of merit.
Class IV.—Carrie Jarriott, absent.
Class III. Jr.—Margaret McKenzie, Clara Parker, Stanley Riwards.
Class II.—Donald Edwards, Gordon

Class II.—Donald Edwards, Gordon Reycraft. Class I.—Cecil Parker, Beatrice Gault, Muriel Reycraft, Cacil Reycraft. Primer—Helen McKenzie, Velma Par-ker, Jean Spaulding, Margaret Edwards, John Reycraft, George Wynne. FLORENCE E. EDWARDS, Teacher.

Report of Kelvin Grove School for Class IV. Sr.—LeVerne Kenzie, George

Janes, Howard Smith.

Jr. — Annie McElroy, Annie Main,
Eric Thompson, Illabell Corney, Charlie
Janes, Mason Leggatt.

Class III. Sr.—Clare Thompson, Mel-

vin Bartley. Ir.—Mary McLeay, Edna Cooper, Jack Main. Class II.—Isabel Tanner, Helen Ross, Maxena Auld, Dougall Janes, Ruby Bartley, Marjory Cooper, Johnny Dolan, Beatrice Williams, Ross Kenzie, Charles

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Forron, Mary Smith, Alfred Smith.
Part II.—Reta McLeay, Donald Ross,
Edith Kenzie, Charlie Smith.
Primer—Mary Hay and Marjory Tanner (equal) Ronald Sewell, Chester Bartiey, Eddie Dolan, Robert McLeay.
ANNIE ROSS, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 10, Warwick for the month of January. Names in order

Class IV Sr.-Gordon Adams, Leons Class IV F.—Gordon Adams, Leona Rogers, Keith Howden, Mac Wiley. Class IV Jr.—Ina McIntosh. Class III Sr.—Gordon Miniely, Elsie Miniely, Harold Howden, Sarah Wil-liams, Fred McIntosh, Ivan Parker. Class III Jr.—Martha Williams. Class II—Annie Watson, Adeline

Rvans.

Class I—Marion Isles, Marjorie Howden, Alvin Cundick, Willie Williams,
Vera Aitken, Bessie Bourne, Johnne
Aitken, George McIntosh.
Primer—Alma Williams, Myrta Watson, Frances Iles, Madaline Cundick.

Verna E. Acton, Teacher.

Inwood School Report

Class IV—Fraser McDougall 82, Pearl Brown 74, Marie Dudley 72, Keith Thompson 70, Mary Elliott 62, John Armstrong 61, Hilda Barrett 55.

Class III—Franklin Morrison 90, Denysa Deans 66, Charles Merritt 65, Bennett Tate 64, Gordon Deans 55, Gertrude McVicar 46, Carl Campbell 44.

Class II—Lily Armstrong 80, Clifford Dudley 80, Harry Richardson 73, Edward Barrett 67, Anna Anderson 63, Edward Merritt 63, Milton Tate 45, Mervyn Campbell 40, Effic McVicar 35.

Class I—Alice Levitt 100, Richard Barrett 77, Russell Dolbear 75, Edna Aylesworth 67, Helen Richardson 30.

Sr. Pr.—Gordon Aylesworth.

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Jr. Pr.—Freddie Cutabertson, Billie
McDougall, Hugh Littleproud, Lloyd
Dudley, Edward Wilks. EFFIE E. ANDERSON, Teacher.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Minutes of the re-organization meeting of the Board of Education held in the Library Board room on Wednesday, Feb. 4, 1920, at 8.30 p.m.

Present—Dr. Howden, Wm. Harper, J. D. Brown, E. D. Swift, Dr. McGillicuddy, J. W. McLaren and W. E. Fitzgerald.

The Secretary took the chair and called for nominations for chairman.

Fitzgerald—Howden, and carried, that Wm. Harper be chairman for the ensuing year.

ing year.
McLaren—McKercher, and carried,

McLaren—McKercher, and carried, that D. Watt be Secretary at salary of \$25 00 for High School, and \$15.00 for Public School.

Fitzgerald—Brown, and Carried, that Wm. McLeay be Treasurer at same salary and satisfactory bonds be given.

Brown—McLaren, and carried, that the following committees be appointed. following committees be appointed.

Repairs and Supplies Committee—John
McKercher, J. W. McLaren, W. E. Pitz-

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Finances Committee—Dr. Newell, Dr. McGillicuddy, Dr. Howden.

School Management Committee—Dr. Siddall, E. D. Swift, J. D. Brown.

Swift—McGillicuddy, and carried, that High School supplies be bought from Taylor & Son, and Public School supplies from J. W McLaren.

Fitzgerald—Howden, and carried, that we meet the last Monday in each month in the Library Board room at 7.30 p. m.

Swift—Brown, and Carried, that Rev. S. P. Irwin be re-appointed our representative on Public Library Board.

McLaren—McGillicuddy, and carried, that we increase the salaries of the lady teachers of the Public School \$50 each, per annum commencing 1st January, 1920.

Howden—McKercher, and carried, that we appoint Wm. Kelly, Principal of Petrolia Public School, to be our representative on the Junior High School Entrance Examination Board on condition that Principal Shrappell be appointed to the same position in the Petrolia Public School.

Principal Shrappell's report of Public

School.

Principal Shrapnell's report of Public School for January 1920 was read.

Howden—Swift, and carried, that the Principal's report be received and filed.

The Public School Inspector's report for 1919 was read.

Swift—Brown, and carried, that the Inspector's report be received and filed.

McLaren—Pitzgerald, and carried, that we ask the Municipal Council to Gro, Sutherland, Clerk.

Mr. T. A. Lampman was appointed school attendance officer for school steedlance officer to school attendance officer to school attendance officer for school attendance officer to school attendance of scho

provide four hundred dollars for Public School requirments. Howden—McKercher, and carried,

D. WATT, Secretary.

Minutes of a special meeting of the Watford Board of Education, called for general business, held in the Library Board room at 8 p. m. on the 6th inst.

Present—B. D Swift, John McKercher, Dr. McGillicuddy, J. W. McLaren, J. D. Brown, Wm. Harper and Dr. Howden.

Harper—Howden, and carried, that John McKercher be chairman pro tem.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Howden—Harper, and carried, that the following accounts be accepted and paid.

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E. Mackness, repairs 4 10
J. W. McLaren, supplies 9 95
Wm. Williamson, coal 333 42

Howden—Harper, and carried, that the minutes as read be confirmed.

Board dismiss nissed. D. WATT, Secretary.

KERWOOD

Quite a number in the village are ili at

Miss Grace Dowding has taken a posiin a store at Port Huron.

Mr. Wilfred Richardson of Sarnia is home for a few days.

Miss Winnie Rogers of Toronto is spending a few days at her home here. The Valentine tea to be held at the Methodist Parsonage on Thursday has been been posponed indefinitely.

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MORNINGSTAR. tf
The people of this vicinity were shocked to hear of the sudden death of Mr.
Henry Mathews who had been ill only three days with pneumona. The funeral which was private was held on Friday from his home here. His mother, Mrs. Jane Mathews contracted the same disease and passed away on Monday, Feb. 9th.

Fall Fair Dates—1920

At the meeting of the Western District Fairs Association, held in Petrolea, offi-cers for 1920 were re-elected as follows:— President, R. Brock; of Enniskillen; Vice President, H. A. Gilroy, of Alvinston; Sec.-Treas., D. Evans, of Strathroy. The dates for the fall fairs were arranged as follows:-

Strathroy Sarnia Glencoe Wilkesport "
WATFORD "
Forest Oct. " 30, Oct.

BOSANQUET COUNCIL

Council met on the 2nd inst. All the members present. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

The following orders were given:—
Treasurer of Warwick \$395.52 refund on South Boundary drain acct.; The Municipal World \$31.35 for supplies and 6 subscriptions; G. Coultis & Son \$28.72 for plank; Wm. Trick & James Hamilton \$15 each for auditing the accounts of 1919 and Wm. Blake \$26.20 for making a scraper in 1919.

The clerk was instructed to notify the clerk of Warwick that the Brooks-Niddery drain account is overdrawn \$103.00 of which Warwick's proportion is \$42.04. Mr. T. A. Lampman was appointed school attendance officer for school sections 2, 3, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13 and 17 and Duncan Whyte for sections 4, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 15.

A. Jamieson and Wm. Faust were allowed five years to remove the timber

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Still Waters

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By ARCHEY CAMERON NEW

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As usual at the opening of the golf season the spacious, luxurious quarters of the Maryville Country club buzzed with the bass tones of the men and shrilled with the laughter and chatter of the women, many in the "flapper" age. A bright spring sun shone into the big library, fairly screaming, "come out and play" to the group of men reading there.

Jasper Hunt, looking vexedly out of the French window opening on the veranda, suddenly smiled and wheeled pround to the others

"Here comes Bill Hawley now!" he

announced happily.
"Darn!" snapped "Case" Summers, who didn't mean it. "That bedlam-maker! And I was just getting to the point where she will—" he flung the magazine aside, stretched himself with a yawn, and stood up.

"Please," requested little Andrew Farber coldly, "less noise." Cassius Summers regarded him with amusement, muttered something about the morgue being better suited to his (Farber's) tastes, and sauntered toward Hunt. At that moment the

windows were flung wide and Bill Hawley, who enjoyed the reputation of being the club's loudest member (yes, he fairly enjoyed it), burst into the room, attired in golf togs, his big chest gleaming white from an open shirt front.

"Hi, everybody!" shouted Bill; then he stood and surveyed them all with a mocking grin. "Hello, old folks! Why the indoor sports? Never get the old calves hard that way." And he slapped his big legs appreciatively. "Come out, Andy," he shouted; "I'll give you fouk and beat you." Andrew didn't even look up. "Gee, it's frosty in here. I'm going back to my good old sun." Then he turned to Hunt old sun." Then he can: and whispered in his ear: meeting." explained

"Governors' meeting," explained Hunt, answering him. "You knew that, didn't you?"
"Guess I did," admitted Hawley, un-

concerned. "Same old stuff. You vote for me. Here's my proxy." He tore a leaf off a near-by magazine and scrib bled hastily on the edge. "Here, vote McFarian same old salary, resolve regrets for the dear departed, you know-I'm busy. Got a game on."

Jasper laid a restraining arm on his sleeve.
"Wait, Billy; just a minute. We've

got a surplus in the treasury-collected some matured notes. The money's "Put it in the Victory loan," snapped

Hawley, trying to get away; but Jasper held him. "Darn it, Bill, can't you be reason-

able? I tried to talk it over with Andy and he only slipped me a circu-He's a regular tight-mouthed sphinx.' "Tight-fisted old sinner, you mean."

muttered Bill, in an undertone. "Only reason he don't open his mouth is cause he's got a gold tooth and he's afraid somebody'll touch him for a What's he here for, anyhowmeetin' ain't till six."

Hunt looked at his chum fixedly before replying.

"He's waiting for Ethel!" "Huh!" grunted Bill, astonished.
"How d'ye know?"

"Took the message to him," answered Hunt. "Ethel's out there now.

playing a foursome. She said she wanted to see him—badly, that's the way she put it." "Damnation!" yelped Billy, starting

toward the green; then he stopped. When Hunt caught up to him he was very solemn. "Jazz, tell me-what's "I dunno. Have a scrap with her?"

"No-o," answered Bill reflectively.
"Came near, though. Mary May told me Ethel said I was too noisy—had too much to say—I wasn't dignified like Andy. I told Mary if Ethel want-ed to swim in still waters she'd miss

a lot of waves."
"Bill!" / Jasper Hunt regarded him with amazement. Why was it these big fellows were such yaps with the women? Anybody with half an eye could see through Mary May—she just hung around Bill Hawley waiting for half a chance to say yes. And Bill had bitten on her jealous story. Of course she'd lost no time in relaying it to Ethel. He laid his hand on his friend's shoulder. "Bill, will you do

me a favor?" "Sure. How much and how soon?"
"Not that. But I want to ask you to run along home."

"What! And miss this—"
"I mean it," insisted Jasper, persistently. "Why, Bill, you've nearly ruined yourself. Leave it to me, will you? I'll postpone the governors'

me time to snoop around and find how things are going. Ethel's after me now. She's on some sort of women's committee for this Victory loan. But Andy thinks we'd better get more turns and make some improvemen Says this other scheme is O. K., thou he doesn't know the people in it. They're just neighbors of his in his office building. I'll sound Ethel out and see how she stands. Will you

Billy, for the first time in years, looked at Jasper long and silently, then without a word turned toward

Two members of the board of gov-

ernors sat in the quiet little board room the following Friday and paid no attention to the buzz of the voices around them. One of them, huddled in a big chair, stared moodily out of the window. The other, Jasper Hunt, sitting with his face toward the library, suddenly rose from his chair and the room, as a finger beckoned to him from the library. There he joined Case Summers and Ethel Mordaunt, who, still urging secrecy, led him out

on the porch to a quiet corner.

"Jazz," Ethel opened the conversation, "how do you stand on voting the club's money?" Jasper looked at Summers falter-

ingly before replying.
"Of course, Ethel," he began apologetically, "we'd like to oblige you by supporting your cause, but the club improvements. Now Andy needs

"How does Andy know so much about the copper scheme?" Ethel put in quickly.

"He says he don't," admitted Jasper, "but he says it has been recommended to him."

"He's a mean liar!" snapped Ethel indignantly, while Jasper and Sum-mers jumped, astounded at her vehemence. "He not only knows them, but he knows how rotten they are. Relast Friday. Well, I made a date with him to have a little talk. I talked Victory loan to him until my gills were blue, and all he said was 'I'm not sure' and 'I'll think it over.' That didn't satisfy me. Then I heard about this mining scheme. So I called to see him at his office yesterday. I opened the subject again, and while I was talking to him the phone rang. He excused himself for a minute, left the office. and I started to snoop."

"Ethel!" "Oh, not in his desk. Crooks never lay evidence around. But I noticed the door between his and this copper company's office had been used. tried the door and it opened. I found myself in the inner office of the company—while in the outer office Andy was talking to a man. They said something about the club's money.

Then I lit out." "And he's in with them?" Jasper looked at Summers horrifled. "Still

waters run deep, don't they?" "But of course if you've made curtly. up your mind-"

"We all haven't," interrupted Jasper with an almost imperceptible wink at Summers. "One of the board's in there now. He's been shouting for your Victory loan ever since I first put it up to him. Of course he's the noisiest member of the club, and the fellows don't pay much attention to

him, but Billy's—"
"Got good sense anyhow," she retorted hotly. "And I'll tell him so this

minute." "You'll find him in there now," ad-

vised Jasper dryly. The lone member in the board room, staring moodily out of the window, started as a step sounded on the floor near him, and, without turning, growled, "Jazz, tell me, do you actually think Ethel hates me because she

thinks I'm a blatter?" "Of course if you'd rather ask Jazz-" he heard someone say, and then he jumped to his feet and caught her, smiling, into his arms.

"Not at all!" he yelled delightedly, "no proxy voting in this board room. You've heard the question. All in favor please say aye.'

But he cheated. For how could she frame her trembling lips to answer with his own pressed tightly to them?

X-Ray to Detect Age. X-ray photographs which can be sed to detect defects in airplane wood also have been accepted in a law court as proof of a man's age. The case in question was heard before the subordinate judge at Allahabad, who had to decide whether one of the contesting parties was under or over 21 years of age. Diagrams of the elbow joints and knee joints were produced, and two X-ray experts gave evidence tion of the inner and outer cartilages had taken place and that they had joined the shafts of the bones. This. it was stated, took place between the ages of 14 and 18, and the experts placed the age of the person concerned as more than 18 and less than 194

is that by exposing to their light a good modern violin it will acquire the characteristic tone of a genuine Stradivarius, the action of the rays in a few hours aging the wood by about 69 years.

Slim and Specs. Slim was talking about a young lady of his acquaintance, and concluded

"And, oh, how that girl can tickle the ivories!" "Some planiste, is she?" queried

Specs, innocently.
"No," chuckled Slim, "she gives scalp massage treatments."

Meeting of Extremes.

"Another thing prohibition has done," said Uncle Bill Bottletop, "is to make the bartenders and temperance lecturers a little more sympathetic."

"For what reason? "They have been deprived of employment all at the same time and by the same cause.'

He Escaped.

"An' there was me, wit' me rifle an' bay'net an' bombs—all alone y'unner-stan'—when all of a sudden I walks plumb into a whole regiment o' big Well-I'm here, ain't I?"-Judge.

GREEKS WANT KORYTZA.

sons Why Albania's Claim Is Opposed.

Although the claim, put forward Greece, that, in the final settlement of the northern Epirus question, the town and saniak of Korytza shall be ceded to Greece, has support from many sources, perhaps the one that makes most immediate appeal is the geographical one. The Greek claim to Korytza on the basis Greek claim to Korytza on the basis of race is, of course, quite irrefragable. There is no question with those who know anything about the Christian Epirote that he is a Greek of Greeks; whilst it is a matter of simple record that of the two races inhabiting the sanjak, namely, the Orthodox Greeks and the Mohammedan Albanians, the Orthodox Greeks are in a decided majority. From a cultural point of view, the ethnological question being settled in favor of Greece, the claims of the Greek are overwhelming. All the culture in the sanjak is Greek culture. Of the aveenty-three schools in Korytza, no less than seventy-two are rytta, no less than seventy-two are Greek; whilst the one which is Albanian owes its existence and main-tenance mainly to the efforts of

American missionaries.

It is, however, the "geographic claim" which, other things being equal, is the most striking. From time immemorial, the only road connecting the towns and villages of Epirus with the towns and villages of Serbian Macedonia, as it is to-day has run through Korytza. Winding in and out amidst the valleys of one of the most mountainous countries Adriatic at Prevesa to the Ægean at Salonika. In passing through Korytza, which lies at the apex of the great triangle formed by the Tomaros and the Pindus mountains, this road makes straight for the only gap between the two ranges, namely, that lying between Lake Orchida and Lake Presba. Korytza has no ontlet either to the Ægean or to the Adriatic, except along this road. With Albania, to which the United States delegates to the Peace Conference, alone amongst the representatives of the powers, are desirous of uniting the sanjak, it has no communication of any value at all, from a commercial point of view. The only com-munication of any kind is through the Acroceraunear and Tomaros mountains, by a narrow road running along the banks of the Voiussa river as it forces its way through the pass of Tepeleni. No trade of any importance has ever been carried on over this road, and the people of Korytza have never been accustomed to have much dealing with the peo-ple at the other side of the great

An Albanian Korytza, therefore, must mean the economic deteriora-tion of northern Epirus, artificially cut-off from its natural trade outlet eastward. Whilst for Korytza itself, practically isolated as it would be, it could only nearly deterioration. it could only mean deterioration also.

The whole proposal to hand over
Korytza to Albania is based on a cur-Korytza to Albania is based on a curious misconception, for which the American missionaries in the sanjak are largely responsible. The contention is that the northern Epirote, inasmuch as he speaks Albanian, is really an Albanian and not a Greek. Now the great mass of the people in northern Epirus are bilingual. They speak an Albanian patois in their homes, but they read and write in Greek, and until the inauguration, some years ago, of a carefully orsome years ago, of a carefully or-ganized propaganda, subsidized by some years ago, of a caretury or ganized propaganda, subsidized by both Austria and Italy, the northern Epirote never thought of himself as anything else but Greek. Such, at any rate, is the Greek claim, and, whatever the rights of the matter may be, the seventy-two Greek schools in Korytza to the one Albanian is alone significant evidence in support of it. in support of it.

RECOMING VEILS AND STYCE

Pase Coverings Sought by Yand a
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For the sort of veil that is bong
by the yard and worn with a small hat, the geometric patterns have so perseded the seroll designs which have new entworn their popularity. Some excellent designs are composed of heragence figures in heavy and this threads combined. Shades of brown are very much liked, for the day in which women thought that a veil m be either white or black is long at

A very practical veil for a weman who is past her first youth is the sort in which the pattern is concentrate on the lower edge to the depth of abo three inches. When the veil is well adjusted the accommodating patterns hides either an incipient double chim or a neck which is too thin and he ginning to grow wrinkled. If a vell in which a figure is scattered over a plain surface is chosen, care must be taken in adjusting it so that the figure is advantageously placed.

The New Silk.

"Jeanne C'Arc" is the name of the new and levely silk, so called because of its resemblance to chain armor. The fabric is threaded with gold or silver and is particularly smart, when metal and is particularly smart, when made into a vestee for the tailorest cuit. This material comes in passes shades, in navy blue, and in black along

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In Old Japan.

Inscriptions on a workman's cap-or back, stating the occupation and name of employer, are said to be-

eustomary in many part of Japan.
The Japanese are very much alike-physically. Recent measurements-taken of an infantry regiment showed no variation, except a couple of inches in height, or twenty pounds in weight.

The Japanese are expert garden res. The give such individual atten-tion to each blossom that wonderful results are obtained. Native garden-ers have been known to help the budn-of delicate and choice flowers to open by gently fanning them.

Seven pounds a year is said to be sufficient to enable a man to live im Japan—that is, pay for board and lodging-and many have been known

to manage on three pounds a year.

A Japanese auction is a most solem affair. The purchasers do not call out their bids or nod, but they write their names, together with the amounts they are willing to pay, or slips of no. slips of pa ... Then the slips, have ing been p... d in a box, are looked through, a... a earticles awarded to the persons ... o had made the highest offer

The Japanese festivals number five each year. They are easily remembered: 1st of first month, New Year-3rd of third month, Feast of Dollar for girls; 5th of fifth month, the Dollar for the God and Goddess of Love: 9th of ninth month, Feast of Chrysonthemus anthemums.

Nature's Mirror



When a wo man is wand healthy there's a sparkle in her eyes; rose tint in her blood. Afte taking nature tonic which D Pierce called scription: there's els city in ev a spring in

an who has bounding health—but when she is pallid, dull eyed, languid, she has no magnetism nor does she appeal any man.

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Military Foot Work.

Many of us feel that feet won the war, says Dr. John B. Huber in Legile's Weekly. Anyway, "they went a long way" toward winning it. Painful feet are often incorrectly attributed to rheumatism or to fallen arches. And in the former does in many cases lie the reason. And the rheumatism may have for its source some infection focus in the nose or throat, or in a tooth casity or elsewhere in the body. Also in some cases the fallen arch is to blame 2. there are other causes. A millow surgeon examined 500 enlisted and found hardly 30 per cent. It them with really normal feet. Above 70 per cent. were wearing ill-fitting shoes and presented a choice assortment of corns, fissures, bunions, ingrowing nails, hammer toes, overriding toes, crowded, jammed, and shapeless toes. There are those having pes equinus (horse foot); and in 60 per cent, of the men the first toe was crowded out of its natural alignment — hallux valgus (in the high brow), most torturing on the march. Before a march all men with any foot soreness should report for examination, and they should be any foot soreness should report for examination, and they should be regularly inspected.

TAR TORE "CAMOUFLAGE." Origin of a Recent Addition to Our

Language.

The word "camoufiage," employed impartially as substantive and as verb, has become as much a part of colloquial English as words such as "strafe" and the homely but expressive "Blighty." Also, its significance is in general better comprehended. No one person in ten has the vaguest idea why "Blighty" is employed as an afternative to home; and "strafe," as colloquially employed in Britain to-day, has a number of meanings, all manifestly applied at hazard. But nearly everybody who makes use of the word "camoufiage" has a tolerably definite impression of its signification. It is fairly generally understood that it is synonymous with "disguise"—a disguise of ships, fortified positions, guns, gun positions, wagons, motor lorries, even individual soldiers, in order to deceive the enemy. It is deliberately intended to produce confusion.

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The evolution of the term is not altogether clear, but there are suggestive indications. In recent French dictionaries the verb "camoufier," to disguise or bedizen, takes its regular place; but in older works it is not to be found. In its place we find a substantive, "camoufiet." In Napoleonic times this word implied a small mine—not the huge affairs, charged with many tons of gunpowder, with which breaches were made in hostile ramparts, but a small contrivance intended to blow sappers out of an underground cutting.— a "puffer" rather than a violent detonator. Feeling backwards, we find that in the seventeenth century "camoufiet" had a perfectly definite meaning. It signified a puff of smoke blown into the face of someone with the malicious intent of blinding and confusing. It was employed in this

the malicious intent of blinding and confusing. It was employed in this sense by the poet Scarron, the first husband of Madame de Maintenon.

The word as it exists seems to have first been coined in Geneva; but Littre traces it to two Walloon words, "ca" and "foumer," to smoke. From these a substantive, "cafouma," was formed, equivalent to a "puff of smoke." Anyone who has experienced the feeling of dissiness and mental confusion occasioned by and mental confusion occasioned by a sudden puff of acrid smoke in the face will perfectly comprehend how "camounter" came to imply a decep-tive disguise intended to produce

confusion and bewilderment.
In modern Italian there are two
werbs and a substantive similar to
"camouflet" and "camouflage," all "camoufiet" and "camoufiage," all connected with a primary signification of deception or cheating. A secondary meaning, clearly derived directly from the annoying smoke puff in the face, was that sort of unpleasant surprise which is colloquially termed a "facer" or a "rap over the knuckles." In this sense it was employed in early eighteenth-century prose.

On the whole it would seem that "camouflage" is a perfectly logical development from the seventeenth century "camouflet." The earliest ideas of "camouflage" were undoubt-edly to mask and confuse with a smoke screen. At Flodden the Scots "camouflaged" their advance down Brauxton Hill by firing the rubbish in their camps, so that the English were confused and blinded by a dense were confused and binded by a dense rolling bank of evil-smelling smoke. Another "camouflage" was the set-ting up of dark-colored cloth screens to mask unfinished gaps in entrench-ments. The concealment of troops or guns by leafy screens is very ancient. The motive was always the same— not to protect the troops guns or not to protect the troops, guns, or what not by actual defences, but the bewilderment of the enemy by de-vices which would deceive the eye.

Servants in China speak "pidgin" or business English to their employers; and servants from different parts of China will use their weird lan-guage in speaking to each other. The formation of the sentence is the same formation of the sentence is the same as in Chinese; the language itself is an extraordinary mixture of English, Fortuguese, French, and Chinese. Some of the phrases, says Mrs. De Burgh Daly in "An Irishwoman in China," are very quaint and amusing. A bishop is called "No. 1, top side joss pidgin man." "Top side" means heaven, "joss" a god, "pidgin" business.

There is a story of two men who

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There is a story of two men who came to call upon the King of Siam when he was staying in Shanghal. They entered the hotel and asked the proprietor, a courteous American, if his Majesty was at home.

"Boy," called the proprietor, "one piece king have got?"

"Have got, sir," replied the boy cheerfully.

"His Majesty is at home, gentlemen," translated the proprietor.
One day, says Mrs. Daly, a large party assembled on a steamer to bid farewell to home-ward bound friends. Wishing to make certain that the steamer should not carry us off, we informed the steward in excellent Mandarin, that he was to come and warn us of her departure. He stared blankly. Some one tried Ningpo dialect—no use; Shanghai—still a blank stare. At length my husband called out—

"Rov!" "Yessir"

snipe she would not eat one. Presently Boy nudged her and remarked in a loud whisper—
"Missee can have snipe; one piecee man no chow!"

Leather from Fish.

The Government fisheries bureau says the skin of the codfish provides an excellent leather, tough as parchment and very durable. The same is true of salmon skin.

On With the Strikes! It is evident that people will never be satisfied in this country until everybody has more pay than every-body else.

SEND STUDENTS TO PARIS.

Hon. Dr. Roy Has Plan to Perpetuate Racial Good Feeling.

Cecil Rhodes and Dr. G. R. Parkin will presently have a rival scholarship scheme to divide with their own the attraction of undergraduates from Canada. Hon. Dr. Phillipe Roy, the Canadian commissioner in Paris is proposing such a scheme, with view to encouraging Canadian stu-dents to take finishing-off courses in the great universities of France, at the expense of the several Provincial Governments. His plan is closely similar to that of the Rhodes' Foundation, but instead of taking the stu-dents to Oxford and Cambridge in will take them to Paris.

Dr. Roy is now re-visiting this country after several years' absence. He is an old-timer of Edmonton, where he was one of the pioncer medical practitioners, but of late years he has been a Parisian. What he has seen and heard in France, particularly during the way years. he has seen and heard in France, he has seen and heard in France, particularly during the war years, has led him to the belief that a good deal could be done to bring about a better understanding between the English and French races, and to perpetuate the good feeling already in existence, by giving a number of qualified Canadian students the operation of the control of the cont

qualified Canadian students the op-portunity to study in France and so to get a widening of their outlook that would be of international value. Involved in the scheme is the es-tablishment of a colony home in Paris in which the students from this country will live while prosecut-ing their studies. The home is pro-jected as a war memorial to Can-ada's dead soldiers in France, and Canadian Clubs and other public Canadian Clubs and other public bodies will be asked to contribute toward it after the funds for the scholarships have been provided. These are being asked of the pro-

Five scholarships from each of the nine Provincial Governments is the request that Dr. Roy is making, and it is a part of his errand in request that Dr. Roy is making, and it is a part of his errand in Canada at the present time to interview the several Governments, with this particular thing to ask. As he explains it himself, the project takes at once a national or international significance. The idea behind it is that college men from Canada should go be broke from Canada work and on to France for advanced work and on coming back home should devote part or all of their time to lecturing and teaching, thus assisting in drawing the two countries closer to-

ing the two countries closer together.

"I firmly believe," says Dr. Roy,
"that if we could get forty young
Canadians to live in France, to learn
the language, and mutually to get
better acquainted, it would have a
powerful effect in creating unity in
Canada when these young men finally returned to their various provinces, Previous to the war it was
the custom for our students, who
had the means to do so, to go abroad
to perfect their studies and most of
them went to German universities.
We will not want this to continue.

"If the provinces create these
scholarships—and I am pleased to
say that Ontario and Quebec have

scholarships—and I am pleased to say that Ontario and Quebec have already agreed to give five scholar-ships each—I will then establish a central home in Paris for the Cana-dian students, where they can live together under the guidance and friendly advice of one of the best edu-cated French families. In such cated French families. In such a central residence I would then see that our students received the full benefit of all the educational advanbenefit of all the educational advan-tages which a city such as Paris can offer. They would come in contact with the French elite of science, literature, art, and technical educa-tion of all kinds. In such a home we should be able to promote better understanding and knowledge be-tween races, thus making it a factor in the greater unification of Canad."

Will Return Again.

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"I can never forget it, nor can I express the whole of my deep gratitude for the open-hearted welcome which my Canadian comrades in arms and all my Canadian fellow-countrymen and women have given me." The foregoing is from a farewell message from his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, which was sent to the Governor-General.

The message follows:

H.M.S. Renown, Barrington Passage.

"The Renown is weighing anchor, and I feel that my first visit to Canada is really at an end. I can never forget it, nor can I express the whole of my deep gratitude for the openhearted welcome which my Canadian comrades in arms and all my Canadian fellow-countrymen and women have given me.

"Will wou please convex this message."

"Boy!" "Yessir."

"Wantchee walkee can come talkee! Savyee?"

"All right, sir; me savyee!"

Servants quickly find out our likes and dislikes in food and act accordingly. A friend of mine was fond of snipe, and often ordered them for dinner. One evening, when an upartnered guest arrived, she told Boy at the same of the whole Dominion Government, whose care and hospitality throughout my visit have been so

Atlantic.
"My best wishes to all the people of Canada till we meet again.
(Signed) "Edward P."

What the Bride Got.

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An M.P., while visiting is a rural district, dropped in on a boyhood friend, now a justice of the peace. While chatting over old times a couple came in to get married. The justice married the pair and after accepting a moderate fee, handed the bride an umbrella. The M.P. observed the proceedings in solemn silence, but after the couple had gone he asked, "Do you always do that, Arthur?" "Marry them? Oh, yes, if they have the license." "No, I mean give the bride a present?" "A present? Why, wasn't that her ambrella?" "No," said the M.P. peevishly, "it was mine."

'Immortelle-A Child of Destiny." Ethel Huestis Butler, wife of A. K. Butler, supervisor of Public Schools in Nove Scotis, and sister of Annie In Nove Scotts, and Pister of Annie Campbell Huestis, will shortly publish an allegorical poetic play—"Immortelle—"A Child of Desting."
Those who have read the manuscript pronounce it a poem of very delicate

Capt. Ian Hay, the English writer, has summed up the points about England that strike visiting Cana-dians as peculiar in the following

list,— There is no ice water, no ice crea no soda fountains, no pie. It is hard to get the old familiar eats in our

our cities are planned in such a way that it is impossible to get to any place without a map and compass.

Our traffic all keeps to the wrong side of the street.

Our public buildings are too low.

There are hardly any street car

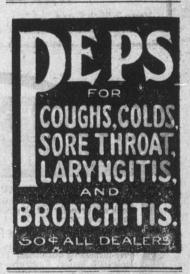
lines in London. Our railroad cars are like boxe and our locomotives are the smaller

things on earth.
Our weather is composed of samples.
Our coinage system is a practical

joke.
Nobody, whether in street, train, or tube, ever enters in conversation with you. If by any chance they do, they grouch all the time about the Government and the general manage-

The Bore and the Prince. I like the firm way the Prince of Wales is said to have dealt with a bore about whom he had been warn-ed during his Canadian tour. "I know your father," began the bore, "Yes," said the prince, "so do I"; and he hurriedly engaged himself with the next party awaiting presen-

The thicker the letter a woman writes the less there is in it.



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That the automobile will shortly give place to the airplane as a popular mode of travel is indicated in the fact that the Curtits Airplane Company recently sold 447 airplanes to an Oklahoma firm of dealers.

The County of Lambton expended from January 1st, 1919, to De 1st, 1919, \$116,292.41 on the CountyGood Roads System, sixty-two per cent of which was spent in replacing bridges and culverts which were considered a menace to the public traffic, according to the second annual report or Superintendent John McCallum presented at the third days session of the County Council.

In commenting on his report, Supt. McCallum stated that the work of replacing the bridges and culverts had cleared the way for more work on the roads. Considerable improve-ment is needed on the St. Clair river road, which in places will have to be widened, necessitating the purchase of certain lands. The superintendent also stated that the work had been handicapped by material and labor troubles. "We can only secure one class of labor and that is the farmers in their spare time." said Mr. Mc-Callum. You have a 400 mile system, the second largest in the province and a good supply of gravel in the centre of the county but I think you would do better by maintenance than by construction work, and I would suggest that this scheme be carried on for several years. Some roads require construction work or there will be a heavy cost for maintenance within the surburban area, concluded the Superintendent.

Wm. J. Davis introduced the subject of representation pointing out that the Act affecting this as well as other municipalities demanded that the municipality should have a certain number of electors before they could have a deputy reeve. He believed that this should be abolished and that representation should be based on the assessment. J. Sproule opposed any such action, stating that large committees of large councils did not work well together likewise the work of the municipality could be carried on as well by one representative as by two.

A by-law to provide for a monthly audit was given the first reading also are collected. A resolution appointing Councillors Smith, Lindsay and Davis as an advisory committee to assist the County Roads Superintend-Councillor Morris of Petrolea for fin-

COUNTY COUNCIL NOTES County who was present at the see was invited within the bar, in a brief address expressed the opinion the council had designated many roads as County Roads. The Supervisor has a big task, said Mr. Annett, and I think it would have worked out better if they had been designated gradually. County Roads should be designated to accommodate the greatest number of people. The speaker culogized the work of Veter an Clerk, John Dalziel.

W. P. McDonald, District Agricult

tural Representative, read a comport hensive report on the work accomplished by the department in the county during the year, in which he pointed out that the farm labor probability lem was a distinct problem from all other problems. Fifteen loans were made during the year for establishin returned soldiers on farms in the county, under the Soldier's Settle ment Board. The report was adopt

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Chief Engineer Gaby, of the Ontario Power Commission, states that ent was adopted. A request from substantial relief from the shortage of power will be forthcoming in ancial assistance from the council March. An additional 11,000 horsefor the erection of a rest room in that | power will soon be available, he said town was referred to the Finance but even with this extra amount policy of conservation will have to be W. A. Annett, an ex-Warden of followed till the spring.

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