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Spring seems to have arrived at last.  
A man may be largely in the minority  
and still be right.

Waste ground and spare time may be  
jointly used for the increased production  
of food.

Mrs. Chas. Finlayson, an aged resi-  
dent of Ramsay, died yesterday, aged  
78 years.

Mr. J. R. Booth, the veteran lum-  
berman of Ottawa, celebrated his 90th  
birthday last Thursday.

Misses Edith McNab and Erma  
Stewart left Sunday to take positions as  
stenographers in the Capital.

Mr. Alex. Evey and Miss Nellie,  
formerly of New Liskeard, now of Tor-  
onto, are visiting friends in town.

Old Lines of Men's and Boy's Caps clearing at  
25c.

Major Gillispie was due here to inspect  
the public school cadets to-day, but  
illness prevented his coming. He will  
come later.

Mr. Chas. Hollinger shipped 100 hogs  
to Matthews, Blackwell Co., Hull, and  
a load of cattle and calves to Montreal  
on Saturday.

In the published list of subscriptions  
to the Canadian Patriotic Fund, the  
name of Mr. Alex. Stewart appeared for  
\$2. It should have been in the \$30  
class.

Mr. G. A. Burgess received a most  
cordial reception at Perth last week with  
his power proposition, which has been  
recommended to the consideration of  
Council.

Miss Louise Young has been spend-  
ing a week at Kingston, with her niece,  
Nursing Sister M. Klemm, who is in the  
Convalescing Hospital in the Limestone  
City at present.

Miss Chamney and Miss Margaret  
Dowdall, two former Carleton Place  
High School students, have been success-  
ful at the Ottawa Normal School, and  
have been chosen as teachers on the city  
school staff.

Pte. Herbert Bennett, son of Mr. John  
Bennett, in hospital at Freshman Hill,  
Eng., with pleurisy, is progressing  
favorably toward recovery. A letter  
from himself a day or two ago states  
that he can now walk a little.

The Oddfellows will attend service in  
Zion church next Sunday morning, in  
commemoration of the 98th anniver-  
sary of the founding of the Order. Rev.  
Mr. Dobson, himself a member of the  
Order, will preach an appropriate  
sermon.

The many friends of Mr. James  
Cavers, who went to Montreal a week  
ago for specialist treatment in the Royal  
Victoria Hospital, will be pleased to  
learn that he is progressing most favor-  
ably, and his physician has hopes of his  
early and complete recovery.

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**THE PATRIOTIC FUND.**  
Additional subscriptions:—  
W. C. Cram, Raleigh, N. C., \$10.  
Previously acknowledged \$13,714.28.

**Lanark County's Gifts.**  
The annual report of the British Red  
Cross Society for the year ending in  
October, 1916, has been issued. It  
shows that in Lanark county \$6,100.48  
was contributed either by municipal  
grants, schools, women's organizations  
and general contributions. Lanark  
county is credited with \$44,603.24, of  
which Ottawa gave \$36,933.55; Nepean,  
\$2,598.46; Goulbourn, \$1,143.76; and  
North Gower, \$1,000. Renfrew county  
has \$13,986.17 to its credit, of which  
Renfrew gave \$6,096.75; Pembroke,  
\$3,811.18. Following are the details of  
Lanark county's contribution: Bathurst,  
\$504.10; Beckwith, \$101.07; N. Burgess  
\$4.12; Dalhousie & Sherbrooke, \$102.25;  
Darling, \$3; Drummond, \$7.25; Elmsley  
N., \$237.24; Lanark: Twp., \$200;  
Lavant, \$125; Montague, \$200; Paken-  
ham, \$455.55; Ramsay, \$757.23; Sher-  
brooke S., \$263.40; Almonte, \$1,339.07;  
Carleton Place, \$1,300; Lanark village,  
\$306.50; Perth, \$1,111.25; Smiths  
Falls, \$1,172.70.

Waste of rice at weddings has come  
under the ban of the new Food Con-  
troller of England, and emphatic pro-  
hibition of any such use of food stuffs is  
expected shortly.

The planting of the backyard garden  
is a "home defence" against the high  
cost of living.

In the Red Cross receipts published  
last week the name "McLean" appeared  
twice instead of "McCuan."

Use more time and lower heat in  
cooking to develop flavours and to  
secure all the value in the food.

We have some odd sizes in an extra good  
quality Men's Black Balbriggan Underswear to  
clear at 50c garment.

Miss Thelma Sparham, of Hamilton,  
has come here to make her home with  
her brother, Mr. W. E. Sparham, for the  
present.

With the exception of the war with  
Great Britain in 1812 every big war in  
which the United States has been in-  
volved started in April.

The annual concert of the Choral  
Society is fixed for next Monday even-  
ing, the 23rd instant. The proceeds as  
formerly will be donated to the Red  
Cross Society.

**Died in the West.**

Mr. Robert McNaughton, a native of  
this section, died at Lacombe, Alta.,  
on the 5th instant, aged 71 years. The  
deceased had resided in the west for  
many years. Mrs. W. Hawkins, of  
Ramsay, is a daughter, and Mr. John  
McNaughton and Mrs. Thos. McDonald,  
town, are a brother and sister.

**Public School Cadet Officers**

Ten Cadets left school for farm work  
from Corps No. 591 Public School,  
leaving the Corps without the necessary  
officers, hence the following new officers  
have been elected: Commander, Arnold  
Muirhead, half commander, Eddie Box,  
half commander, Desmond Smythe, Sec-  
tion commanders, Allan Bain, Jack Mc-  
Laren, Howard Brown, Elmer Barber.

**The Good Roads Congress.**

The Good Roads Congress held in  
Ottawa last week promises to be fruit-  
ful of good results for the people of  
Canada. At the opening session  
addresses were given by the Governor  
General, Acting Premier Foster, Sir  
Wilfrid Laurier Bishop Roper and  
Mayor Fisher, each expressing a  
keen interest in the subject. It was  
shown that while steam and electric  
railways are necessary to the progress of  
any country, yet the method of hauling  
the various products of the farm, the  
forest and the mine from their native  
abodes to the railway centre was equally  
important. It was also shown that the  
motor car, which up to the present was  
considered by the farmer as an enemy,  
is proving to be his best friend, in that  
it is forcing good roads throughout the  
country. The benefit in the life and  
morals of the community was ably  
demonstrated by Bishop Roper, who  
stated that he was proud to be known  
as a farmer's son. The lessons in neat-  
ness, tidiness, etc., were dwelt upon by  
all speakers.

**The Late Mrs. A. B. Mains.**

The following account of the death of  
Mrs. Mains was delayed in transit. On  
March 13th, 1916, there passed away  
Mrs. Mains, beloved wife of Mr. A. B.  
Mains of Ottawa. The deceased lady  
(nee Elsie Anderson) was born at Dwyer  
Hill in 1886. In 1910 she was united  
in marriage to Mr. A. B. Mains, and for  
seven short years they lived in Ottawa  
and vicinity. During her lengthy illness  
which was attended by much suffering,  
she evinced great patience and resig-  
nation, never being heard to utter a word  
of complaint, having a desire to depart  
and be with Christ, yet submissive to  
His will. She possessed a beautiful  
spirit of christian patience, courage, and  
cheerfulness, which impressed all who  
were privileged to visit and talk with  
her during her illness. Her life and ex-  
ample will not soon be forgotten by  
her many friends. During her residence  
in Ottawa she was an active worker in  
the Sunday School and the different  
societies of the Methodist church. An  
impressive service was held at the home  
on the evening of the 14th of March,  
conducted by her pastor, Rev. E. Law-  
son, assisted by Rev. Mr. Jamieson. The  
following morning the funeral took place  
to Broad Street Station, and the body  
was taken to Ashton, and thence to  
Munster church and cemetery for inter-  
ment. A service conducted by her pas-  
tor, assisted by Rev. G. Mossop, was  
held in the church at Munster. Besides  
her sorrowing husband, she leaves to  
nurture her loss, her father and mother,  
two brothers—Willie and Earl—at  
home; Mrs. F. Paul, of Appleton; also  
two sisters, Bella and Mabel, at home.  
Many and beautiful were the floral  
tributes from her large circle of friends,  
including a wreath from the husband's  
pillow, family wreath, Methodist  
church, Westboro; sprays—Mr. and Mrs.  
H. Mains; Mrs. J. and Edna Mains;  
Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Morton; Mr. and  
Mrs. Ross; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morton;  
Miss Minnie Ross; Miss Ida Paul; Mr.  
Whitehorn; Mr. W. J. Rielly; Messrs.  
D. and B. Box; Misses Maggie and  
Amanda Mains. Six cousins of the de-  
ceased acted as pallbearers—H. Fee, H.  
McArton, C. Morton, R. Fee, P. Ander-  
son and Ebert Craig.

British troops by clever tactics inflicted  
a severe defeat on the Turks beyond  
Bagdad.  
In the California Odd Fellows Home  
they have, as a resident, Bro. J. R.  
Young, who is over 90 years of age, and  
has been an Odd Fellow for sixty-seven  
years.

## THE HOME GARDEN.

Yes, in the poor man's garden grow  
Far more than herbs or flowers,  
Kind thoughts, contentment, peace of mind  
And joy for weary hours.

—The Poor Man's Garden.

From the cares of business and the  
nervous strain of the office, the backyard  
garden offers a relief which is not suf-  
ficiently enjoyed. Open air exercise is  
essential to good health. To what better  
end could this effort be devoted than  
the cultivation of the back-yard garden.

It requires but a small area of land to  
supply a table with green vegetables.  
These may be had crisp and fresh and,  
on this account, much more of such food  
will be used, to the great advantage of  
health.

The product of the home garden re-  
lieves to that extent the demand upon  
the general supply. "Self-preservation  
is the first law of nature." Do not abuse  
that law by expecting others to provide  
your food supply when you are capable  
and have the facilities for growing at  
least part of your needs.

**Married at Montreal**

On Thursday evening, April 12th, at  
7 o'clock, in Fairmount Presbyterian  
church, Montreal, the marriage took  
place of Miss Lena Eloise France, daugh-  
ter of the late Robert France of Carle-  
ton Place, and Melville J. Sproul,  
M.D. son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sproul,  
of Martintown, Ont. The ceremony  
was performed by Rev. H. S. Lee, in  
the presence of a large company. The  
bride, who was given away by Mr. David  
Ward, of Hull, Que., was gownned in  
Ivory Satin Duchesse and Georgette  
crepe, with tulle veil arranged in cap  
effect with orange blossoms and carried  
a shower bouquet of roses, and lily of  
the valley, her only ornament being the  
groom's gift—a diamond and emerald  
ring. She was attended by her cousin  
Miss Maury Miller, wearing a dainty  
gown of shell pink linon de soie with  
pink tulle hat with touches of black  
velvet ribbon and carrying pink carna-  
tions. Little Lena Splane, niece of the  
bride, made a pretty flower girl in a  
frock of pale pink crepe de chene with  
hat similar to the bridesmaid, and carry-  
ing a basket of pink and white sweet  
peas. The groom was supported by Mr.  
Dan McMartin, and the wedding music  
was played by Mrs. E. Gittus. At con-  
clusion of the ceremony the party re-  
paired to the home of the bride's aunt,  
Mrs. D. J. Miller, Cartier St., where a  
buffet luncheon was served, Dr. and  
Mrs. Sproul leaving later for Toronto  
and other places for a short trip before  
taking up their residence in Apple Hill,  
Ont. The bride travelled in a mustard  
colored Gabardine suit with wide black  
sailor hat. The groom's gift to the best  
man was a pearl tie pin and to the  
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flower girl, a ring in buckle design.

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Gossip. By gossip we do not mean friendly words with a neighbor about our friends, but unkind remarks, innuendoes, the telling of some cruel thing that Mrs. E. said to Mrs. A. If you have nothing kind to say about a neighbor acquaintance, say nothing at all. A story grows with each ripple on until at last "behold, how great a matter a little fire kindleth." Let not our tongues defile our souls by distilling deadly poison, but let the words of our mouth be worthy, kindly, helpful, noble.

Is it not highly amusing, if not provocative of wrath, to hear a man complain of his home being cheerless when he adds nothing to its happiness? A man is greatly responsible for the ozone of his home. The day to his wife may have been one of unusual care and hard work, but if the husband comes in cheerful from the field or his work outside, the weariness and care-worn look will disappear from his wife's face. A few sharp words we can always excuse, for we always attribute them to the over-taxed nerves, but we can find no plausible excuse for silliness on the part of the husband.

A's lack of kindness in this busy rush.  
A proffered hand to help us fight the rush.  
A cheerful word that smooths a heavy heart—  
Have you these small things assumed your part?

God bless the children! They are a world of care and trouble; they bring pain and weariness and sorrow, but are worth it all. Do you remember after that weary day when you were harsh and irritable and they went to sleep with a sob, what bright, fresh faces they brought to you in the morning? How full of tenderness and forgiveness children are! How quick to forget unkindness! How fine is the intelligence with which they look beneath the surface and know that the irritable, nervous creature of the night before is not the real mother, but the serene, gentle woman of the morning whom they love with deep devotion. They are the beautiful examples of the truth that sorrow may endure for the night, but joy cometh in the morning. By their love and brightness they repay us hourly for every struggle we may endure for them.

### PASS ON THE PRAISE.

"You're a great little wife and I don't know what I would do without you." And as he spoke he put his arms about her, and she forgot all the care in that moment. And forgetting all, she sang as she washed the dishes and sang on as she made the beds, and the song was heard next door, and a woman there caught the refrain and sang also, and two houses were happier because he had told her that sweet old story of the love of a husband for a wife. As she sang the butcher boy who had called for the order, heard it, and went out whistling on his journey, and the world heard the

### Fatality at Smiths Falls.

A sad accident happened at the C.P.R. yard at Smiths Falls a week ago Saturday morning whereby Mr. Cecil Love, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Love, lost his life. He was working under a car in the yard, when the engine backed it up, knocking Love down and breaking his left arm and three ribs and causing internal injuries. He was picked up and hurried to the Public Hospital where he lingered until the evening, when he passed away. He was in the prime of manhood, only 23 years old, and his untimely death has brought great sadness to his home. To mourn his loss besides his parents he leaves three brothers Allan, who is at the Front, Howard in Brockville, and Homer and one sister Mary at home. He was a member of the Chosen Friends and also L.O.L. No. 85. An inquest was held with Crown Attorney Shaw and Coroner Dr. McCallum in attendance. The evidence produced showed that the young man undertook to do work which he was not called on to do and the men were all warned only that morning not to go under the cars, therefore it was not apparently a case of negligence on the part of the C.P.R.

### Useful Inventions.

Canadian and American patents recently secured through the agency of Messrs. Marion & Marion, Patent Attorneys, Montreal, and Washington: Canada—J. C. M. van Diggelen, Amsterdam, Holland. The production from straw and other vegetable matters of material capable of being spun or woven; Marcel Perreut Lloyd, Paris, France. Apparatus for the production of zinc, copper or other metals by electrolysis; Pierre Delaquis & Xavier Delaquis, Notre Dame de Lourdes, Manitoba. Portable fences; Arthur E. Dube, Ste. Anne de la Pocatiere, Que.; Ash sifters; Napoleon Girard, Rougemont, Que.; Extension tables, Napoleon Herveux, Lanoraie, Que.; Combination tables and desks; N. G. Sorensen, Stockholm, Sweden. Posts carrying threads for the supporting of crops or plants. United States—Joseph Lemieux, 9 Bonsecours St., Montreal. Boots or shoes.

Engineer James Collins, who was seriously injured in the wreck on the K. & P. near Lavant Station, on March 27th, died in Kingston Hospital. His leg was so severely crushed that it was found necessary to amputate it, and this was done. Gangrene, however, set in and caused his death.

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

whistle, and one man hearing it thought here is a lad who loves his work, a lad happy and contented.

And because she sang her heart was mellowed, and as she swept around the back door the cool air kissed her cheeks, and she thought of a poor old woman she knew, and a little basket went over to that home with a quarter for a crate or two of wood.

So because he kissed and praised her the song came, and the influence went out and on.

Pass on the praise.

A word and you may make a rift in the cloud, a smile and you create a new resolve, a grasp of the hand and you may repress a soul from hell.

If your Christianity will not fast all the week and stand the wear and tear of every day things of life, you may be sure you do not possess the real article.

Everyone feels at home in the presence of a joyous, cheerful, genial spirited person.

### WHY PEOPLE DIE.

One of the large life insurance companies that does a world-wide business has just completed a list of its death claims for the second quarter of 1916.

Of the 2,510 policy holders who died during this period the causes of death were as follows:

Heart disease	315
Consumption	252
Bright's disease	248
Cancers and tumors	206
Pneumonia	186
Apoplexy	180
Disease of the arteries	120
Accidents	110
Disease of digestive organs	98
War	72
Diabetes	61
Appendicitis	59
Liver diseases	53
Paralysis	43
Bronchitis, pleurisy, etc.	42
Blood poisoning, anemia, etc.	41
Typhoid fever	27
Old age	10
Nervous prostration, congestion of brain, etc.	10
All other causes	413
Rheumatism	9
Spinal diseases	5

Of those who died 183 were under 30 years of age; 403 were between 30 and 40; 653 were between 40 and 50; 664 were between 50 and 60 and 607 were over 60 years of age.

That all of the money paid out by life insurance companies does not go to beneficiaries of the dead is shown by the fact that this same company during the second quarter of 1916 paid out \$8,000,071.88 in death claims and \$12,290,950.70 to living policy holders in the form of dividends, cash surrender values and annuities.

## BABY'S OWN TABLETS USED FOR TEN YEARS.

Mrs. W. J. Wilson, Carp Ont., writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for the last ten years and can highly recommend them for babyhood and childhood ailments. My baby boy was very delicate; in fact we never thought he would live but thanks to the Tablets he is now a fine healthy boy." Baby's Own Tablets should be kept in every home where there are small children. They regulate the bowels and stomach and never fail to cure the minor ills of little ones. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville Ont.

Rod and Gun for April is on the news-stands and its table of contents reveals much of interest to the devotee of rod and gun. Bonycastle Dale writes in this issue of "Ladies the Boy Trapper." A. H. Haines contributes a story "The Big Buck of Bald Knolls," descriptive of a deer hunt under unusual circumstances in B.C.; and there are other tales of hunting, fishing and canoeing equally interesting to the lover of the out of doors. "Fishing Notes," edited by Robert Page Lincoln, is replete with up-to-date articles for the disciple of the immortal Isaac while such well known writers as Lieut. Townsend Whelen and Chas. Askins contribute splendid articles to the Guns and Ammunition department of this issue. W. J. Taylor Ltd., Woodstock, Ont., is the publisher.

### New York's Milk Supply.

James J. Clark, chief of New York City's milk inspectors, says of the milk supply of the city: "It amounts to approximately 2,500,000 quarts daily, produced in six different states and two provinces of the Dominion of Canada, and from an area of 55,000 square miles. It is produced by 400,000 cows, handled at 400 creameries and 750 pasteurizing plants, transported over 11 different railroads, the longest haul being 450 miles, and on reaching New York City is received at 16 different terminals, transported and delivered on 6,000 wagons and dispensed at 14,500 stores.

Merrickville has organized a Board of Trade with C. B. Taylor, manager of the Union Bank, as president.

Mrs. Alex. McMordie of Toronto, died from injuries received while alighting from a car in Riverdale.

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## STITCHES THAT TRIM.

Suggestions About Using Needlework on Small Gowns.

In the days of grandmother, when cheap trimmings—braids, laces and edgings—were not so cheap as they are nowadays, there was real economy in finishing off the little girl's dresses by means of neat lines of herringbone stitch, or tating. In fact, almost never did children's frocks show any sort of trimming that cost anything but the time taken to make the stitches and the trifling cost of thread.

It is usually more convenient to finish the child's garment entirely before adding the stitches. Sometimes it is more convenient to buy inexpensive, absolutely untrimmed frocks and rompers for the children and bring them home to double their value by a half hour or so spent in finishing them with handwork.

To begin with, if you do not know how to make the herringbone or feather stitch practice with a piece of heavy embroidery twist and a piece of gingham or kindergarten cloth, such as you use in making the children's clothes. Practice until you have acquired a uniform stitch. There is an infinite variety in the length and the angle of the stitch, and it doesn't much matter which you adopt so long as it is always uniform. This stitch is useful for trimming the neck and wrist lines of the frocks. If the dress is made at home simply baste the skirt hem and use this stitch by way of hemming and trimming the skirt at the same time. A simple chain stitch made with coarse cotton is another good way of finishing hem, cuffs and collars.

Even woolen dresses can be trimmed in this way. Our grandmothers made herringbone stitches in colored wool on the brown holland everyday frocks their little girls wore, and, though we do not have to give our children brown holland frocks these days, this sort of colored woolen trimming is very pretty. Besides that, it is very smart just now, and for that reason, as well as because it is inexpensive, deserves attention. It is not difficult to learn the sort of wool embroidery that trims the new frocks, and a little practice with bright wool threads will make anybody an adept at doing it.

## WHAT "HONEY" WEARS.

Cozy Best Coat For the Small Member of the Family.

Dark green velvet cut with a plaited skirt, a wide belt, front closed on one side and warmly lined makes daughter



QUITE CORRECT.

a fetching coat. Please don't fail to notice the gown's muff tipped with white fur to match her collar and tam.

## YOUR FURS.

How to Care For Them So They Will Look New and Wear Long.

Many women have an idea that it is not necessary to take special care of good furs. They think that because the latter are a good quality they will stand more or less rough treatment and that they can be subjected to all sorts of variable conditions of weather.

Never hang wet furs near the fire to dry. In the natural state the animal, whose pelt has been converted into a coat or muff or scarf, dries itself in the open, and this fact should be borne in mind.

The bright sun is also harmful to good furs. In winter little harm is done in this direction, but furs carried to warm climates and worn even occasionally in a garish light are likely to lose the luster which comes to them, not only from natural causes, but also from the scientific dressing and dyeing to which many of the fashionable peltries are subjected.

## For Dessert.

Orange Cream.—Take the well beaten yolk of one egg, one-fourth cupful orange juice, one tablespoonful sugar; cook in double boiler until it thickens, stirring all the time to keep the mixture smooth. Remove from the fire, strain and pour into the white of the egg, which has been beaten dry; beat until creamy. This quantity fills two custard cups.

## 300 Bushels of Corn and a Buggy.

Port Hope Guide:—A farmer drove into town the other day to purchase a buggy and Mr. T. B. Clarke showed him one at \$90. "Talk about the high cost of living," the farmer grumbled, "I can remember that my father bought a buggy exactly like that for \$60, twenty years ago." Mr. Clark remembered the sale too, and he responded quickly: "Your father turned 300 bushels of corn to pay for it. Now I'll do better by you than I did with your father. You bring in your 300 bushels of corn and I'll let you pick out this list," and Mr. Clarke wrote down: One \$90 buggy. One \$75 wagon. One \$20 suit of clothes. One \$20 dress. One \$5 baby dress. One \$5 coat. \$10 worth of sugar. \$10 worth of coffee. \$10 worth of gasoline. \$17 worth of lubricating oil. The total figured \$365, the value of the 300 bushels of corn it had taken to buy a \$90 buggy twenty years before. The farmer climbed back into his motor car. "I guess I haven't any kick coming on the high cost of living," he said. "Send out that \$90 buggy."

## What a Barrage Fire is Like.

Have you ever seen a barrage fire? You can walk up to it and draw a line with a surveyor's chain on the ground, marking exactly the limit where the shells fall, and all beyond that line will be a mass of boiling earth, like waves in a storm dashing on a rocky coast. There is no interval between explosions. They are constant, unremitting, one following so closely on another that their detonations mingle in a steady roar.—Interview with French soldier.

## Noval Kind of Sea Raider.

The French bark Cambronne has arrived at Rio Janeiro with 200 men of the crews of the various steamers and sailing ships sunk by a German raider off the island of Trinidad. They reported that many sailors from the sunken vessels were drowned. The rescued sailors, who are French, British and Italian, report that the raider is an armed sailing ship with a gasoline motor.

## For an Army of 3,000,000.

It is expected that the first American expedition to the seat of war will number 500,000, made up of regulars and men with previous military training. Meantime, fresh troops will be steadily enrolled and trained, until a total of 3,000,000 is reached. The maximum and minimum age limits of soldiers for the first increment is expected to be 18 to 23.

Six Queen's University professors have made application to take positions on farms during the summer months.

The fourth Canadian and International Good Roads Congress was opened at Ottawa by the Duke of Devonshire.

## Relieve Your Liver

When your liver is out of order, your head, stomach, bile and bowels suffer with it. That is why a bilious attack is often serious. Ward it off with a few doses of

## BEECHAM'S PILLS

which gently arouse a sluggish liver, and renew the activities so necessary to good health. They never produce any disagreeable after-effects. Their prompt use is beneficial to the system, and will

## Prevent Bilious Attacks

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We cannot tell how scarce it may be or how high the price may be before another season.

## IF SUNLIGHT FLOUR

does not already brighten your home, give it a trial. Quality guaranteed.

## H. BROWN & SONS

Robert Wright, Brockville's veteran merchant, completed sixty years in mercantile life last week.

A new and sweeping clothing ordinance, which is going into effect on April 3rd throughout the German Empire, has just been promulgated "for the purpose of limiting the consumption of outer and under clothing, linen and shoes."

Britain has commandeered the coal oil output of Newfoundland.

"Who wrote that article on how to support a family of six on ten dollars a week?" a friend asked Woggles, the editor of the Ladies' Household Friend.

"Bingham, one of our best men," said Woggles, without a smile; "we pay him five thousand a year."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## Clean Up— Paint Up

Make your home speak the pride that is within you. Plant grass and flowers. Trim up the vines and shrubbery. Paint your house with

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LIQUID PAINT

—the investment paint. It will make your home a better place to live in. The value of your property will be increased. You will need fewer gallons of HIGH STANDARD than of ordinary paint—HIGH STANDARD goes so much farther. It will give your buildings complete weather protection. Let us show you color samples.

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## EXPERIMENTS WITH FLAX.

(Experimental Farm Note.)

During the year 1915 a number of plots of flax were grown at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, the seed having been obtained from Holland. The samples were pulled at various stages of ripeness, retted under water, and afterwards scutched by the Ontario Flax Co., Ltd. They were valued by an expert of the York St. Flax Spinning Co., Belfast, Ireland, but in no case could any of the samples be pronounced first class. This was partly due to their being insufficiently retted, but might also have been caused partly by the time of sowing, by the character of the season, and by the stage of ripeness when pulled. Accordingly, a number of experiments were planned for the ensuing year, 1916, to clear up some of the doubtful points and to determine—in so far as this was possible in a single year—whether the highest of fibre-flax could be successfully grown in Canada.

The seed used in 1916 was harvested from some of the plots sown with Dutch seed in 1915. The rate of sowing per acre varied between 1½ bushels and 2½ bushels of seed germinating 100 per cent. This means that where it was decided to sow 2 bushels per acre of seed with a germination of 100 per cent, and the sample of seed available gave, when tested, a germination of 96 per cent, it was necessary to sow a somewhat larger quantity than 2 bushels of the latter—as a matter of fact, 2 1/12 bushels.

As very early sowing is an important factor in achieving success should the summer turn out to be unusually dry (as actually happened in 1916), seven plots were sown on the 12th of April, on the 26th of April and seven on the 12th of May.

The soil was a heavy loam, and the first date of sowing was rather wet, consequently it was decided to make several shallow trenches about six inches deep between some of the plots. For several weeks after sowing wet weather continued with very little interruption, and the system of surface trenches undoubtedly saved the situation.

The crop was pulled on various dates between the 14th of July and the 27th of July, the capsules being fully grown. In some cases the seeds were pale in color and unripe; in others the plot was pulled when the first seeds on each plant were ripe; in those pulled last about half the seeds were ripe.

The average height of the seven plots first sown was 30½ in. and the average of the last seven was 29 in.

The flax was put into water on the same day on which it was pulled, and was allowed to remain submerged from 3 to 3½ days. It was then taken out and spread on the grass for a period of 1 to 2 days. The scutching was done by the same firm as 1915; and the final report, made by the same gentleman who examined the previous year's crop, was as follows:—

"The flax is a good length, well retted and strong. It is the best flax I have seen in Canada yet. According to flax values here it should be worth 40c a pound or more."

## The Deciding Factor.

The thing that turned the tide overwhelmingly for war in the United States was the revelation of the extent of the plotting by German agents in America against the Republic. The first exposure of this kind was the Bernstorff letter outlining a plan for bringing Mexico into action against the United States on the side of Germany. Coincident with this it was found that German agents had secured places in the United States civil service, some of these having even got into the State Department, which deals with foreign affairs. The final touch was given when, in the debate on the war resolution in the House of Representatives, Representative Miller read the text of one paragraph from the German Foreign Minister's instructions to the German Minister in Mexico, as follows:

"Agreeably to the Mexican Government, submarine bases will be established at Mexican ports; from which will be supplied arms, ammunition and supplies. All German reservists in the United States are ordered into Mexico. Arrange to attack all along the border."

United States citizens living in St. Catharines celebrated the entrance of their country into the war by a torch-light and automobile parade Saturday night.

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## CARLETON PLACE COUNCIL.

The regular meeting of Council was held in the Council Chamber Wednesday evening with Mayor Smythe in the chair and Messrs. Pattle, Cameron, McNeely and Donald present.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Communications were read as follows:

A petition from Robert Janoe and several others asking that Council continue the sidewalk and lighting system on Napoleon street to the town limits. From the National Sanitarium Association asking Council to make a grant. From the Dominion Prohibition Committee of the Dominion Alliance asking Council to join in petitioning the Dominion Government for Dominion-wide prohibition.

From the Camp Engineer at Petawawa asking to get terms to rent the steam roller for the corporation for use at Petawawa.

A number of accounts were read by the clerk:

The petition for a pavement and lights on Napoleon street was then considered. Mr. Walter Hammond appeared in support of it. He said the people would be quite satisfied to have the lights and walk continued as far as Mr. Janoe's residence. A cinder path would serve the purpose as well as a board walk or a cement one, provided the walk was laid in such a manner as to keep reasonably dry.

The Mayor suggested that the matter be left in the hands of the Fire and Light Committee and the Street Committee to report.

The clerk was instructed to write the Petawawa camp engineer that the town could not rent its road roller to use the machine here.

Moved by Mr. Pattle, seconded by Mr. Cameron, that the following accounts be paid and that the Mayor sign the necessary orders on the Treasurer:

A. T. Hudson, insurance, \$26.20  
C. McIntosh, insurance, 10.00  
C. McIntosh, premium on Treasurer's bond, 40.00  
Peter Moffatt, hay, 25.00  
Bel. Tel. Co., exchange service, 25.00  
John Baird, repairs to snow plow, 4.50  
G. A. Burgess, wood, 44.50  
Taylor Bros., coal, etc., 58.00  
Pay Sheet ending March 24th, 44.70  
Pay Sheet ending April 1st, 18.60  
Wm. Pattle, repairs to hall, 20.00  
W. M. Cameron, wood, 5.00  
A. F. Stewart, insurance, \$1.25  
—Carried.

Mayor Smythe reported that Mr. James Watt had offered to him a number of vacant lots to be used by anyone who desired to cultivate them. The use of these lots will be given free to anyone who applies to the Mayor for same.

Mr. Donald wanted to know if the Mayor had heard anything further from Mr. Michel regarding the plans of the town he was preparing. Mayor Smythe said he had received no further word.

The Council then adjourned.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION

Minutes of special meeting held in the town clerk's office, Wednesday, April 11th, at 8 p.m.

Present—Mr. N. M. Riddell, chairman; Messrs. Fulton, McIntosh, J. S. L. McNeely, J. Patterson, G. Warren, G. Cornell.

The chairman read a letter received from Miss Walker, one of the teachers in the High School, stating that owing to the very serious illness of her mother it was impossible for her to return to her duties in the High School after the Easter holidays and requested the Board to accept her resignation.

Moved by Mr. McIntosh, seconded by Mr. G. Warren, that Miss Walker's resignation be accepted with regret and that we advertise for a teacher to take her work until the end of the term.

Carried.

The chairman said he would arrange about the advertisement without delay and ask for replies at once.

The meeting then adjourned.

## Y. M. C. A. WAR WORK

A number of men assembled in the town hall Wednesday evening to meet Mr. F. S. Sheppard, of Toronto, one of the organizers of the National Council of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Sheppard addressed the meeting explaining that the Y. M. C. A. was in need of financial assistance in order to enable them to continue their work among the men in the trenches and in different training camps there was no question as to the value of the work this organization was doing among the soldiers.

Last year the war branch of their work cost some \$400,000 and this year it is estimated that about \$700,000 will be needed to continue the work. The Y. M. C. A. is doing a great amount of work right up to the front trenches. They already have some 85 gramophones and 13 pianos in France in order to provide amusement and entertainment for the soldiers when off duty. Already a great amount of good has been accomplished. This plan costs money but it greatly assists in making the men more efficient.

The speaker suggested a public meeting to be held at some future date the same to be addressed by one of the Y. M. C. A. men who had returned from the front in order that the general public might have a more intelligent conception of what is going on at the front.

It was then decided by a meeting that a public meeting be held at a date mutually satisfactory to the Y. M. C. A. and the local committee, and the following committee will have charge of the work of local arrangements: Mr. Wm. Baird, chairman; Messrs. D. Findlay, D. B. Oliver, Mayor Smythe, J. W. Patterson, G. A. Burgess, Wm. Findlay, F. C. Donald, Wm. Pattle, C. McIntosh, R. Patterson, N. M. Riddell, J. S. L. McNeely, A. R. G. Foden, G. W. Bates, the local clergymen and F. A. J. Davis, secretary.

Further particulars will be announced as soon as word is received from the Y. M. C. A. headquarters at Toronto.

## REAL TRAVEL COMFORT

—Spring is here, and Patrons of the Canadian Northern Railway will find renewed pleasure in the Compartment Library—Observation cars on all its Transcontinental trains, which not only allow the passengers to gain full benefit of the wonderful scenery along the route, but also to take advantage of the many new comfort features which have created so much favorable comment among cross country travellers.

A magazine and Library bureau which contains the latest and most popular literature; writing desks with attractive stationery; a "Travellers' Shop" with a stock of articles the traveller is likely to forget or overlook in packing up for the trip such as collar buttons, shoe laces, etc., are a few instances while tasty teas, and light refreshments may be obtained at very small cost.

## GET READY FOR GARDEN

How to Plan Your Work and Work to a Plan.

## EVERYBODY GROW EATABLES

First of Series of Timely Hints—Get Your Ground Ready Now, but Don't Be in Too Much of a Hurry to Put in the Seed.

(By S. C. JOHNSTON, Vegetable Specialist, Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

At no time in many years has the necessity and importance of the home vegetable garden been so clearly shown as for this coming summer. France, our wonderful ally, has since the French Revolution been a nation of small farmers, her people of small means cultivating some available land to produce a portion of their own household foodstuffs and to increase the wealth of the nation; Great Britain, threatened with a shortage of foodstuffs, determined to cultivate all available land possible to offset this shortage and we in Canada bending every energy toward facilitating these great nations should do all in our individual power to do something in the hope of helping ourselves and assisting the commercial vegetable growers who are seriously handicapped by the shortage of labor in the production of vegetable foodstuffs.

Every city, town, and village dweller has an opportunity to help this great work, in that there are hundreds of available plots now practically unproductive which could be made grow vegetables and thus add to the wealth of the country.

Vegetables an Important Food.

Vegetables should form an important portion of the daily food of the average man, for they possess qualities which we are told are essential in the proper digestion of the heavy foods, such as meats. To help you do your part in your backyard this column will discuss some of the practical problems in connection with vegetable growing during the next few weeks.

All backyards cannot be prepared in one year to grow vegetables of an excellent quality. Some portion of the yard, however, may be devoted to this purpose, or, if it is convenient, there are usually many vacant lots which are not too far from one's place of abode which possibly could be devoted to the growing of vegetables.

Some Essentials.

First of all it is essential that the vegetable garden, no matter how small, be planted according to some plan or rule. No one attempts to build a house or to set out a perennial flower border without using some drawing or chart to go by. Why should the vegetable garden be treated differently? Haphazard planting will prove a failure, and in order to overcome this it should be remembered in laying out the garden that:

(1) Tall plants will be most effective if placed behind low ones, not intermingled with them.

(2) All plants closely allied should be grown together, not in the same row, but in rows adjoining one another.

(3) The fences may be decorated with vine crops which may be supported on the fences by means of strings or lattice work.

(4) All quickly maturing vegetables should be planted in a portion of the garden by themselves so that they may be harvested and the ground used for other crops later on.

The work of planning the garden to determine what vegetables and how much of each is to be grown will be influenced by one's individual tastes. One should grow an abundance of such crops as one consumes the most.

## Secure Seed Now—But Plant Only When Soil is Ready.

The backyard gardener should decide very early which crops are to be grown and should purchase his seed as soon as possible. It must be remembered, however, that much of this seed may be wasted if it is planted too early in the season. The soil must be warm to receive the seeds, and amateur gardeners must have patience until it is certain that good growing weather is really here. It is possible in ordinary seasons to plant some vegetables in April, and yet many backyard vegetable enthusiasts will be well advised to wait until the middle of May before doing very much in the garden.

## Suitable Varieties.

A list of varieties suitable for gardens made by city, town, and village dwellers follows:—  
Asparagus — Palmetto, Conovers Colossal.

Beans — Davis White Wax, Golden Wax, Refugee.

Beets — Crosby's Egyptian, Detroit Dark Red.

Brussels Sprouts — Dalkith.

Carrots — Chantenay.

Cauliflower — Erfurt, Snowball.

Cabbage — Copenhagen Market, Danish Ball Head.

Celery — Paris Golden, Winter Queen.

Corn — Golden Bantam, Stowell's Evergreen.

Cucumber — White Spine, Chicago Pickling.

Citron — Colorado Preserving.

Lettuce — Grand Rapids, Nonpareil.

Melon, Musk — Paul Rose.

Melon, Water — Cole's Early.

Onions — Southport Yellow Globe.

Parsnip — Hollow Crown.

Parsley — Champion Moss Curled.

Peas — Gradus, Little Marvel.

Potatoes — Irish Cobbler, Delaware.

Pumpkin — Quaker Pie.

Radish — Scarlet White Tip Turnip, Ne Plus Ultra, (winter) China Rose.

Spinach — Victoria, Viroday.

Squash — Bush Marrow.

Salsify — Sandwich Island.

Tomatoes — Chalks Jewel.

Turnip — Early Six Weeks.

Rhubarb — Victoria, Linneans.

## London Times Overseas Tobacco Fund

The Union Bank of Canada begs to acknowledge with thanks, the following contributions to the London Times Overseas Tobacco Fund: N. M. Cram, James Donnelly, \$1.00 each; Fred M. Cram, Mrs. Andrew Houston, 50 cents each; Mrs. Robt. Cavanagh, Dr. D. H. McIntosh, Mrs. D. H. McIntosh, D. B. Oliver, Miss P. Bowland, Wm. A. Nichols, W. R. Simpson, H. W. Dummer, Fred Morris, Walter McIlquham, Oswald McIlquham, 25 cents each. Total \$5.75. Previously acknowledged \$189.25.

## When a Man is Wealthy.

The sum of nearly \$300 is lying in one of the local banks here to the credit of one Alex. McDonald, a former employee of the corporation about fourteen years ago. Anyone knowing of the man's whereabouts would undoubtedly confer a favor by informing him to the fact. — North Bay Despatch.

## Commanders Named.

These officers will command the Canadian defence force regiments in the 3rd Military District: Fourteenth, Kingston, Lt. Col. William Y. Mills; 15th, Belleville, Mayor D. E. O'Flynn; 41st, Brockville, Major J. Powers; 43rd, Ottawa, Lieut.-Col. R. J. Birdwhistle; 57th, Peterboro', Lieut.-Col. D. Walker. There is to be no delay in recruiting.

The American liner New York struck a mine but reached Liverpool safely.

The spring assizes will be held in Perth on May 22nd, which is later than usual.

It was stated that the British were destroying on the average one submarine a day.

Sir Charles Davidson, in his report on W. F. Garland, ex-M.P. for Carleton, scathingly deals with his conduct as with trafficking as a profiteer in public contracts, and flagrantly violating the requirements of duty, conscience and patriotism.

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APPLICATION FOR FARM HELP		
(To be carefully filled in, clipped out and mailed to your District Representative as per address below.)		
SIGNATURE OF FARMER _____	POST OFFICE _____	COUNTY _____
What is your nearest railway station? _____	Acres in farm _____	What kind of farming practice? _____
		Mixed _____
		Fruit _____
		Dairy _____
Mark (X) after help required		
SINGLE MEN (two to six months)		SHORT PERIOD MEN (three to six weeks)
Experienced (Plough, Milk, etc.) _____	Experienced _____	
Partly experienced (handle Horses) _____	Partly experienced _____	
Inexperienced _____	Inexperienced _____	
High School boys _____	High School boys _____	
Wages—including Board, Lodging and Washing. \$ _____	Wages—including Board, Lodging and Washing. \$ _____	
Age Limit _____	Length of time help is required _____ months, from _____	
All engagements subject to two weeks' trial with wages, and railway fare—if advanced.		
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By a system, I report on both the available supply of labour and the local demand. If the demand exceeds the local supply I have the whole Province to draw on, through the Ontario Government Public Employment Bureaux which I represent in this District, and I will do my utmost to see that my District is supplied.

I am satisfied that if the farmers in my District who are anxious to fill a patriotic duty and take advantage of the strong demand there is and will be for every pound of food stuff that can be produced want or will use the available labour, they can get good help by filling in, clipping out and mailing the above Coupon. But you should do it today.

The Mother-land sorely needs food.

Where is the Labour coming from? Everywhere.

It is streaming in to us from all quarters. Thanks to the deep interest shown by the Department of Agriculture, the Public Employment Bureaux, the Organization of Resources Committee, Boards of Trade, etc., a sweeping campaign has been carried on in the Cities, Towns, etc., to arouse the people to a sense of the duty they owe to the Farmer and to themselves to place hand and mind in readiness for a call to work on the land this season.

High School boys, retired farmers, teamsters, warehousemen and business men in thousands, preferably those who were raised on farms, are being lined up.

We are taking great care to impress on them that this means work—not a holiday—and they will all understand this thoroughly. In most cases the workers will be actuated by fine patriotic motives, ready to work and work hard.

This is a sincere endeavor to cooperate with the farmers to increase food production. We know you Farmers will do your part.

Our boys at the Front must not go hungry.

District Representative  
Department of Agriculture  
F. FORSYTHE  
Perth, Ont.



# THE HERALD.

TUESDAY, APRIL 17TH, 1917.

The United States House passed the \$7,000,000,000 bond bill without a dissenting vote.

The Canadians took over 4,000 prisoners in their advance on Vimy, and over 250 guns in all—a grand scoop.

Following the great success of the British in France, the French have achieved a great victory and have bagged 10,000 German prisoners.

The British and American papers laud the work of the Canadian at Vimy Ridge. Our soldier boys will not lose their heads in consequence. It is because they have preserved their coolness that they have been able to perform heroic service at the front.—Kingston Whig.

This government has placed wheat, wheat flour and wheat products on the free list, thus enacting one of the most important changes for years in the fiscal policy of the country. The operative effect of this departure, which was decided on at yesterday afternoon's cabinet council is to open the markets of the United States to the wheat products of Canada and, reciprocally, the markets of Canada to similar products from the United States.

## THE LEGISLATURE PROROGUED.

Toronto, April 14.—At the first big conference held by the Liberals in Ontario since the granting of woman franchise, in Hamilton recently, women played an important part. They added not only a touch of color, but they brought with them also a keen interest, sane judgment and good advice.

The main topics of the conference dealt with various problems arising from the war, the question of returned soldiers and the inevitable difficulties coming in the reconstruction period.

Mr. Jas. Harrison, of Hamilton, was Vice-Chairman of the conference, and Mrs. G. G. S. Lindsay of Toronto was one of the chief speakers following the dinner. In addition to taking part in the joint conferences the women also had a separate meeting to discuss their own problems of organizing and meeting the responsibilities of their new privileges. The delegates including both men and women, came from fifteen constituencies, extending from the Niagara border to the County of Oxford. The Hon. George P. Graham and Newton Rowell were the chief speakers at the banquet; both of them discussed the war, Mr. Graham dealing with the inadequate measures taken by the Borden government and Mr. Rowell emphasizing the seriousness of the need of re-enforcements for the Canadian Army at the front and also the essential importance of increased food production. Hartley Dewart, C. M. Bowman, F. F. Pardee, J. A. MacDonnell, of Ottawa, and George Gibbons were among the other speakers.

### HISTORY AND MATHEMATICS.

Chas. Bowman, Chief Liberal Whip, and his friend Nelson Parliament, member for Prince Edward County, have evidently been reading some history recently and doing some mathematics. At the Hamilton dinner Mr. Parliament, brought forth a brand new story on Government House, and one which probably aroused more interest than any other individual incident at the banquet. Its outlines were as follows:—

1. Total cost of Government House, \$1,098,894.52.
2. At what time would a man have had to begin setting aside the sum of \$500 yearly, without interest, to reach this total?
3. (a) Would it have been at the time of the Battle of Waterloo? Before that?
- (b) When Columbus discovered America? Before that?
- (c) Then King Alfred burnt the cakes? Before that?
- (d) The beginning of the Christian era? Before that?
4. It would have been 250 B.C.
5. At this period in Roman history it was twenty years before the opening of the Carthaginian Wars. In Greek history it was shortly after the death of Alexander the Great. In Egyptian history it was the age of Ptolemy II—230 years before Cleopatra.

### REVIEW OF SESSION.

Not for years has so much work been done by the legislature in a seven weeks' period as was accomplished in the session recently brought to a close. There were also more night sessions than usual and, taken generally, the members stuck closely to business. Both the government and Opposition seem well pleased with the results. The former says they are glad to see Woman Suffrage on the statute books, and they point to the greatly increased taxation of the nickel companies and the generally buoyant condition of the province's finances. The Opposition, on the other hand, claims that the principal measures of the year were Liberal policies and that the province more and more is being governed by the Opposition. The laws passed this session which they claim are theirs include Women's Franchise, increased nickel taxation, First Aid in Women's Compensation, Loans for agricultural purposes and control by municipalities of the production as well as the distribution of electrical power under the Hydro System.

Agricultural re-organization was effected by a government act, which the gov-

ernment claims will increase the efficiency of work. The Opposition strenuously opposed the government plan, contending that the multiplication of offices would lead to ineffectiveness and claiming that what should be done was the appointment of one outstanding man as Minister of Agriculture and another as deputy, without the complicated system as at present of a Minister, two or more Deputy Ministers, a Commissioner and an Assistant Commissioner, hardly any of whom are able to give their whole time to the work.

## SPEED THE PLOW.

For weeks past there have been reports of the aid which the cities and towns are willing to give to the farmer in helping him to respond to the call of the Empire for increased food production. Through a shortage in last year's harvest, the failure of Russia to reach the outside world with her surplus grain, and the shortage of shipping owing to the submarine campaign and the diversion of mercantile vessels from trading to war purposes, there is imposed upon Canada the obligation to aid the mother country in the last critical stages of the European campaign by increasing the crops. But the farmer cannot do impossibilities. He is still without the labor promised by the cities and the towns. What are the difficulties in the way?

Last year many high school lads went on the farms and returned without serious interference with their educational progress. Indeed, it may be asserted without fear of contradiction that the men who to-day in Canada are successful in various walks of life are men who in their youth combined education with manual labor. But an attempt has been made to prevent the high school boys who went on the farms last year from volunteering for service now, when their experience and the necessities of a great war mark them out as specially valuable to the farmer and to the Empire. What matters if school education is neglected for a term? Nothing matters if Germany wins this war. Nothing counts in the life of a country if liberty perish from the earth. But there is real education for the city boy or girl in the work of a farm, education that will stunt their intellectual growth or narrow their outlook on life. Boys and girls alike are anxious to help win this war. No regulations imposed by arm-chair pedagogues should be allowed to stand in the way when the Empire and civilization itself calls for help.

Time is passing quickly. The farmer can make good use of any help sent to him, but he should not be left any longer in doubt as to the amount of help at his disposal. He must make his plans for seeding according to the labor available. No time should be lost by the Organization of Resources Committee and the Department of Education co-ordinating their efforts to place labor on the farms. High school boys and girls are keen to lend their aid, provided the regulations that affect their standing in the school are reasonably modified. It is unthinkable that any difficulties should be placed in the way of those desiring to serve their country in its hour of need. But all the agencies for the organization and direction of farm labor must be set in motion at once. If farm labor is not mobilized speedily, there can be no bumper harvest to cheer the British people and to dishearten the foe. For those who cannot fight, there is a place waiting on some farm. To the high school boys, especially, the call is clear. Who lives if Freedom die?

## TRUST VON HINDENBURG.

Germans Whistle to Keep Their Courage Up.

BERNE, April 16.—The combination of the Battle of Arras and the interview granted by Field Marshal von Hindenburg to a Spanish correspondent have furnished the Swiss press with food for seemingly unlimited editorial comment which it utilizes quite as variously as the differences in the languages of publications or temperament of the editors. Papers published in the French language not only give the utmost prominence to the British victory, but pour ridicule upon von Hindenburg for declaring, in the very hour that the Entente forces were capturing Germans by the thousand, that the western front was secure. These papers also make sport of the German official communications. Thus, the Journal De Geneve says the dictionary must be revised if "resisting strenuous onslaughts" is synonymous with the capture of thousands of men, cannon, and machine guns.

German papers now arriving here are filled with editorial comment upon the von Hindenburg interview, which may be summarized about as follows: Field Marshal von Hindenburg is the greatest man almost that Germany has ever known. He says that America amounts to nothing. Therefore, it must be true. The situation must be all right because he says so, even though our opponents report great successes. Hence the German people should have every confidence, and above all, subscribe to the sixth war loan even though von Hindenburg, himself, in belittling America, says that its help can be only along financial lines.

Billings: "The price of paper seems to have gone up enormously." Jones: "It has." Billings: "I thought so. No less than three people tried to read my newspaper over my shoulder in the trolley car this morning."

In England the boarding of foods is prevented by the use of the family book in which is written down the purchase of each day. This book is subject to regular inspection. The wealthy can't not, therefore, store away foods in large quantities, and in advance of requirements.

## REV. KENNETH W. BARTON



### A Great Violinist and Speaker.

Those who have heard the world's greatest and most popular violinists, and have heard the Rev. Kenneth W. Barton recently are most enthusiastic in declaring his playing on the violin equal to the best they have heard, with the added charm of being interesting to all kinds of listeners. His mastery of the violin is more like that of Paganini and Ole Bull, who commanded the attention of every one who heard them. Those who have heard Mr. Barton lecture recently, and have heard our great public speakers, declare that his public speaking is on a par with the best on the continent. His entertainment, consisting of a program of violin selections, followed by a humorous, serious, patriotic inspirational, and instructive lecture, "The Message of the Violin," is arousing extraordinary interest. In this message there is information of the most interesting kind about the violin and human life, and a glowing tribute to the heroism, gallantry, and splendid qualities of Canadian manhood and womanhood, and the never-dying traits of the highest British spirit.

A new commercial convention between Spain and Great Britain has been concluded. Among its stipulations is an agreement that Great Britain shall supply 150,000 tons of coal monthly to Spain. In return Spain will export to Britain as much ore as is required. The Spanish Government agrees to permit the chartering of Spanish ships by the British Government.

## How's This?

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

## OPERA HOUSE, — CARLETON PLACE

Tuesday Evening. April 24th.

THE WHIRLIEST OF ALL THE MUTT AND GIRLIEST OF JEFF PLAYS

## MUTT and JEFF'S WEDDING DON'T MISS IT

A Raging Torrent of LAUGHTER

All the Way.

Company of Fifty Girls? Yes. GIRLS! MANY GIRLS!

BRING THE KIDDIES. Plan at Moore's Drug Store

## Milkless CALVES

Can be raised just as well on

## RYDE'S CREAM SUBSTITUTE

The Milk is worth 15c to 20c per gallon.

The Substitute costs 3½ to 5c.

## CALDWELL'S CALF MEAL

also kept in stock.

## W. J. Muirhead

HARDWARE.

Sir Lyman Melvin Jones, Senator and President of the Massey Harris Company, died in his 74th year.

Hydro rates were reduced in Brantford so as to cause a net saving to consumers of \$9,000 for the year.

## BIRTHS.

COOKE—In Beckwith, April 9th, the wife of Mr. Frank Cooke, of a daughter.  
SAUTIER—In Carleton Place, April 10th, the wife of Mr. Henry Sautier, of a daughter.  
CAMPBELL—In Beckwith, April 14th, the wife of Mr. Frank Campbell, of a son.  
DONALDSON—In Carleton Place, April 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Donaldson, a son.

## DEATHS.

McNAUGHTON—At Lacombe, Alta., April 5th, 1917, Robert McNaughton, aged 71 years.  
FINLAYSON—In Ramsay, April 16th, Mary Smith, beloved wife of Mr. Charles Finlayson, sen., aged 75 years.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### FOR SALE.

MOTOR BOAT—2855. Completely equipped with St. Lawrence 3 Cy Engine, Detroit reverse Gear and Dynamo, Electric Search Light and Running Lights, Cork Billed Cushions, 3 Life Belts, one Life Ring, Carpet, Boat Hook, Anchor and Rope, 2 Maple Paddles, Canvas cover for Cockpit, two good Wicker Chairs. This outfit is practically as good as new and will be sold very reasonable. Apply to C. McDIARMID, Box 34 Carleton Place, Ont.

### FOR SALE.

TEN Room Brick House on Moffatt Street, near the river, with garden, stable, cistern, furnace and lights.  
BY PRIVATE SALE—Household Effects, 1 bedroom Set, Sideboard, Hall Rack, Chairs, Solid Walnut Parlor Suite, Couches, Chairs, Stands, Tables, Carpets, Stove, etc. Apply after April 16th to MRS. PETER EWING, on the premises.

## FOURTH ANNUAL

## Choral Society Concert

Town Hall, Carleton Place

Monday Ev'g, April 23, 1917

Proceeds for Red Cross Work. Silver Collection.

Solos, Duets, Quartettes and Choruses

Miss Ritchie, one of the leading soloists of the Ottawa Valley will assist.

Red Cross Funds are getting low. Demands on the Society are increasing.

Everybody come and make your contributions as large as possible and so do your part in helping on this splendid work.

G. A. BURGESS, President of Red Cross Society Chairman.

We Make Men Look Well Dressed

Clothes bought in this store fit because they are properly tailored.

Only Clothes with the best reputation are offered you here.



Clothes that make you feel properly dressed for any company.

Stylish Young Men's Models at irresistible values.

## YOUR BOY

Has not been forgotten. A Suit of "Sanford's" will make him feel well dressed too.

A big stock to choose from. Bring the boy; we do the rest.

Everything Boys and Men wear except Boots.

Sanford Juvenile Clothes

## BAIRD & RIDDELL

## NEW GARAGE AND REPAIR SHOP

THE CARLETON PLACE MOTOR SUPPLY COY., having leased the Machine Shop on Bell Street, from Messrs. H. Brown & Sons, are converting the same into an Up-to-date Garage and Motor Repair Shop.

The former Moulding department has been covered with a concrete floor, and accommodation provided for at least 20 Cars, whilst the Machine Shop is being equipped with the best machinery for repairing large or small Cars.

Experienced Mechanics only have been secured, and satisfaction is guaranteed on all work.

A full line of Tires, Accessories and Supplies will be carried in stock. Patronage is invited.

We are also selling agents for the celebrated Grey Dorr, Studebaker and McLaughlin Cars.

## CARLETON PLACE MOTOR SUPPLY CO.

H. McFADDEN, A. D. McDIARMID, R. W. CARTER

## ADVERTISE IN THE HERALD!

MCGREGOR BROS. Blacksmithing and Machine Repairing CARLETON PLACE

Welding of all kinds of Castings by the Oxy-Acetylene Process. Repairing and overhauling of Automobiles and all kinds of Gas Engines.

We store Storage Batteries for the season and re-charge them monthly by Generator. Leave them with us. Patronage solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

For Your Wants in WRIST WATCHES

J. A. DACK. Jeweller and Optician. Carleton Place.



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# SOCIETY REGISTER

**STELLA LODGE No. 125, I.O.O.F.**  
meets every TUESDAY Night  
in the Hall, in Taylor's Block.  
Visiting brethren always welcome.  
R. McLEARN, N. D. McALLISTER,  
Noble Grand, Rec-Sec'y.

**COURT MISSISSIPPI No. 75, I.O.O.F.**  
meets every 2nd and 4th Monday  
in each month, at 7:30 p.m., in the  
Chosen Friends Hall. Punctual attend-  
ance of members is requested.  
Visiting brethren invited.  
J. BENNETT, R.S.  
N. B.—All dues must be paid in advance on or  
before the 1st of the month.  
W. HAMMOND, F.S.

**CARLETON COUNCIL No. 57, C.O.F.E.**  
meets in the Chosen Friends Hall, second and fourth  
Thursdays in each month, at 8 o'clock.  
Visiting Friends welcome.  
J. McFARLANE, C.C. W. H. ALLEN, Rec.

**COURT ORION No. 634, C.O.F.E.**  
meets in the Chosen Friends Hall, first and third Monday  
in each month, at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren  
always welcome.  
J. R. ROBERTSON, C.R. W. J. HUGHES, F.S.

**I.O.L. No. 48** meets first Thursday in  
each month in the Orange Hall,  
two doors from post office. Third Thurs-  
day for Degrees. Visiting brethren  
always welcome.  
ROBERT WEIR, W.M. ELI CORR, R.S.

## DISTRICT NEWS.

### APPLETON.

Special to THE HERALD.  
Mrs. Garvin has gone to Boston to  
spend a month with her daughter, Nurse  
Garvin.

Mrs. Kirkwood has gone to Joliet to  
spend some time with her daughter,  
Mrs. Low.

Mrs. O'Brien and Miss O'Brien, who  
was to have gone home last Wednesday,  
did not get away as Miss O'Brien was  
indisposed, but left yesterday for their  
home in New Brunswick.

Miss Ann Paul has returned after  
spending a month with her parents at  
Poland.

Mr. and Mrs. Syme and Miss Laura  
Paul went to Renfrew Friday evening  
to attend a social meeting held by the  
Daughters of Rebecca and report having a  
good time.

Our teachers, Miss Paul and Miss  
Metcalf, have returned to their duties  
after spending the Easter holidays at  
their homes.

The sugar making has turned out  
much better than at first expected.  
Some of the people are still making  
syrup which is of a very good quality.

Mrs. P. McDougall is visiting Mrs.  
Struthers at present.

Mrs. R. M. Baird has gone to Middle-  
ville to visit her mother and sister who  
are both in poor health at present.

### BOYD'S

Special to THE HERALD.  
Making syrup is the order of the day,  
the past few days being the best.

The "Country Orchestra" is in full  
swing giving open air concerts every  
evening and matinees in the afternoon.

Our teacher, Miss Clegg, has returned  
to her duties after the Easter holidays.

During the holidays some of the  
interested women gave the school a  
thorough cleaning and are giving the  
proceeds of their labors to the Red Cross.

The Ireton Bros., of Innisville, car-  
penters, also the Petlock Bros., tinmiths of  
Carleton Place were making extensive  
improvements at our factory last week.

Miss Lilla Hammond of Carleton  
Place visited at the home of Mr. W.  
Willows during the holidays.

We were very sorry to hear of the  
very severe accident which befell Mr.  
John Bolton, whilst working in the bush  
at Mr. Alf. Hammonds, while in the  
act of felling a tree which with several  
others were being felled in falling one  
caught him by the back of the head and  
jammed his head against a stump, break-  
ing the jaw in three places, besides  
causing some very nasty cuts. Dr.  
Downing was soon in attendance and  
administered first aid. He was after-  
wards taken to the Hospital at Ottawa.  
We hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. Lorne Prentice and Mr. Bolton,  
Watson's Corners, called on acquaint-  
ances here recently.

Mr. Jos. Thompson, of Eyebrow,  
Sask., was home here last week to  
attend the funeral of his little daughter  
who died at her grandmother's here,  
Mrs. Jas. Arthur.

### ALMONTE.

From the Gazette.  
Master Howard Sadler is visiting  
friends in Carleton Place.

Miss Jennie Beach is spending this  
week at her home in Carleton Place.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McRostie, of  
Ottawa, spent a few days with Dr. T.  
R. and Mrs. Patterson.

Mr. Geo. Gibbons from Dakota is  
here on a visit to his brother, Mr. Alex.  
Gibbons, who has been quite ill.

Mrs. L. Naimith expects to leave in  
about a week for Rosetown, Sask., to  
join her husband and make her home  
there.

Mrs. R. Whitford and Master Abe  
Whitford are visiting Carleton Place  
friends.

Minnie Robertson, of Carleton Place,  
spent a few days this week with Mr.  
and Mrs. T. Lees.

Ex-Mayor Pattie, of Carleton Place,  
was in town on Wednesday in connec-  
tion with some county business—as hale  
and hearty as though he was not bear-  
ing upon his shoulders the weight of  
74 years. Mr. Patterson has spent  
thirty four years in the county council,  
and had to contest his election on two  
occasions in all that time.

Mrs. E. P. Tierney passed away very  
suddenly from heart trouble on Monday  
evening, at the home of her sister, Mrs.  
John Fitzgerald. She had been in her  
usual good health, but shortly after  
retiring was taken with a weak turn  
and died a few hours later. She was a  
daughter of the late William Metcalfe  
and was born in Ramsay in 1854, on the  
farm owned by Mr. Fitzgerald and on  
which she passed away. After her

marriage to Mr. Edward Tierney, the  
young couple lived on the Tierney farm  
for some years. Mrs. Tierney has lived  
with Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald ever since  
their marriage and will be much missed  
in their home. Besides her sister, Mrs.  
J. Fitzgerald, there is a brother, Mr.  
Sam. Metcalfe, in California, who is left  
to mourn.

From the Times.  
Rev. W. H. Stevens, of the Methodist  
Church, who received a pressing call  
some time ago to Coaticook, Quebec, has  
decided to accept the invitation, and it  
now rests with conference, which meets  
about the middle of June, whether that  
will be his next charge.

Mr. Wm. Black, principal of the Ar-  
prior Public school, spent Easter in town.

Mr. Dan Dutrizac, who has been  
employed during the past six months in a  
woolen mill at Campbellford, moved his  
family there from town on Tuesday.

His aged father accompanied him.

A. B. Monk, for the past seventeen  
years manager of the Cornwall branch of  
the Bank of Montreal, has retired from  
active service on account of ill health.

Mr. Monk has been in the employ of the  
Bank of Montreal for 41 years. Mr.  
and Mrs. Monk have decided to remain  
in Cornwall for the present. Mr. Monk  
was manager of the branch here before  
his removal to Cornwall.

Mr. Alex. Snedden's sale was a great  
success. One cow sold for \$142.50, and  
several two-year-olds for \$86 each,  
while horses ranged from \$125 to \$300.  
Machinery and other farm outfit sold at  
exactly good prices. Mr. Chas. Hol-  
linger wielded the hammer, and in his  
usually good-natured way got after the  
shelks of those who were present.

### PERTH.

From the K.C. postor.  
Earnie Rogers had his arm broken  
while putting down hay for his horses  
the other day.

A telegram from the Records Office  
this morning announced that Lieut.  
Herbert J. Wilson of Perth was wounded  
on April 9th. Apparently he was in the  
thick of the fight with the Canadians at  
Vimy Ridge.

Mrs. Margaret McCormick, widow of  
the late Joseph McCormick, who died at  
Perth on Saturday evening last at the  
age of 70 years. She was a daughter of  
the late John Ferrier, and is survived by two  
brothers and a sister.

After a general breaking up of the  
system, Margaret Ann Booth passed  
away at the age of 87 years, on Thurs-  
day afternoon, April 5th, at the House  
of Industry. Deceased who was a  
Methodist, was born at Louisiana, New  
York, and was the widow of the late  
James Avison. Two of a family survive:  
Eugene in the state of Oregon and Miss  
Ida, who has been at Perth for the last  
month.

Mr. Henry Chaplin died at his home  
on the third line of Bathurst on Tuesday,  
from heart trouble. He was born in  
Montreal eighty-one years ago, but had  
lived the most of his life on the third  
line. He was the son of John Chaplin  
and Martha McKay. His wife died  
some years ago.

The sudden death of Mrs. W. T.  
Patterson last Saturday was received  
with deep emotions here. Seldom has  
the town been more startled and stirred  
than when the announcement of the  
death became public. A woman in the  
prime of life, always active and healthy,  
it was hard indeed to realize that  
the last summons had come and that  
for her the active labors of the world  
were forever laid aside and yet so it was.

Mrs. Patterson was born in Fallbrook,  
her maiden name being Mary Helen  
Merlees, daughter of Mr. John Merlees.  
To mourn her loss besides her husband  
are three small boys.

From the Courier.  
The best lot of waste paper collected  
by the local Red Cross Society was sold  
on the 5th inst. to Mr. L. Karakowsky.  
The lot weighed eleven and one-half  
tons, and brought \$14.50 per ton. Total  
amount realized \$162.40. The paper is  
still coming in freely.

Messrs. Dan Hogan and A. R. Hossie,  
directors of the South Lanark Agricul-  
tural Society, have been making a can-  
vass of the townspeople for the past few  
days for assistance to the Perth Horse  
Show to be held here on the second of  
June, and they have met with splendid  
success.

George E. Wilson, M.A., of Harvard  
University, and son of Mr. and Mrs.  
George Wilson, Scotch Line, has been  
successful in winning the Thayer  
Scholarship. Its intrinsic value is three  
hundred and fifty dollars.

Mr. Peter J. Kehoe, for the past fifteen  
years clerk at the Revere House, has pur-  
chased the hostelry from the proprietor,  
Mr. Wm. J. Flett, and will take possession  
on April 23rd. The Revere House has  
for twenty-six years been conducted by  
Mr. Flett as one of the best hotels in  
this district, and in the hands of the  
new proprietor will undoubtedly be con-  
ducted in the usual first-class manner.

Rev. Dr. J. H. Jowett of New York  
city has accepted the call of a London,  
Eng., church.

In Berlin, in 1916, 80,000 children  
died of starvation. What a shock to the  
lovers of humanity.

German prisoners were aboard the  
British hospital ship Gloucester Castle,  
torpedoed by a submarine.

Owing to Chinese prejudice against  
everything of German origin, Rev. A. P.  
Quimby, a Methodist missionary for  
fifteen years, has changed his name to  
Quentin.

The fraternal organizations constitute  
greater charitable societies that go by  
the direct route to the right place. They  
follow death across the threshold into  
the home and with willing hands per-  
form the most noble service. In the  
ordinary sense of the word, the work is  
not charity—it is an exemplification of  
the injunction: "Bear ye one another's  
burdens."

## REPLENISH YOUR BLOOD IN THE SPRING

Just now you are feeling "out of  
sorts"—not your usual self. Quite ex-  
hausted at times and cannot devote real  
energy to your work. Sleep does not  
rest you and you wake up feeling "all  
tired out." Perhaps rheumatism is fly-  
ing through your muscles and joints, or  
may be your skin is disfigured by rashes,  
bells or pimples. Headaches, twinges  
of neuralgia, fits of nervousness, irrita-  
bility of temper and a disordered  
stomach often increase your discomfort  
in the spring.

The cause—winter has left its mark  
on you. These troubles are signs that  
your blood is poor and watery, that  
your nerves are exhausted. You must  
renew and enrich your blood at once  
and restore tone to your tired nerves,  
or there may be a complete breakdown.  
The most powerful remedy for these  
spring ailments in men, women and  
children is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for  
Pale People, because these Pills cleanse  
bad blood and strengthen weak nerves.

New, rich, red blood—your greatest  
need in spring—is plentifully created by  
Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and with this  
new, pure blood in your veins you  
quickly regain health and increase your  
strength. Then your skin becomes  
clear, your eyes bright, your nerves  
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Austrian and Bulgarian representa-  
tives are endeavoring to approach  
Entente diplomats in Switzerland on the  
subject of peace.

## CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Topics where given are for the following Sabbath

### Baptist Church

REV. E. T. NEWTON, Pastor.  
Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.  
A.M.—Our Motto.  
P.M.—Injuries.  
The Pastor will sing.

### St. Andrews Church

REV. J. J. MONDS, B.A., Pastor.  
Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.  
A.M.—The Works of the Lord Jesus.  
P.M.—The Bane and the Antidote.

### Methodist Church

REV. W. G. HENDERSON, Pastor.  
Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.  
A.M.—Three Young Heroes.  
P.M.—Anniversary of Ypres.  
"Our Heroes Dead."

### St. James Church

REV. CANON ELLIOTT, Rector.  
Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

### Zion Presbyterian Church

REV. W. A. DOBSON, B.A., D.D., Pastor.  
Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.  
A.M.—The Independent Order Odd Fellows  
will worship.  
Organ Prelude.  
Duett and Ghorus, "I Waited for the  
Lord." (Mendelssohn), Miss Jessie Simp-  
son, Miss Queen Allen.  
Anthem, "The Comrade Song of Hope."  
(Aldophe Adams).

Sermon Topic, "The Ministry of Odi-  
fellowship."  
Ps. Selection, 114; Hymns 218, 456, 226.  
Organ Postlude.  
Rev. Bro. W. A. Dobson will preach.  
P.M.—The Axe Restored.

George E. Wilson, M.A., of Harvard  
University, and son of Mr. and Mrs.  
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chased the hostelry from the proprietor,  
Mr. Wm. J. Flett, and will take possession  
on April 23rd. The Revere House has  
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this district, and in the hands of the  
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Rev. Dr. J. H. Jowett of New York  
city has accepted the call of a London,  
Eng., church.

In Berlin, in 1916, 80,000 children  
died of starvation. What a shock to the  
lovers of humanity.

German prisoners were aboard the  
British hospital ship Gloucester Castle,  
torpedoed by a submarine.

Owing to Chinese prejudice against  
everything of German origin, Rev. A. P.  
Quimby, a Methodist missionary for  
fifteen years, has changed his name to  
Quentin.

The fraternal organizations constitute  
greater charitable societies that go by  
the direct route to the right place. They  
follow death across the threshold into  
the home and with willing hands per-  
form the most noble service. In the  
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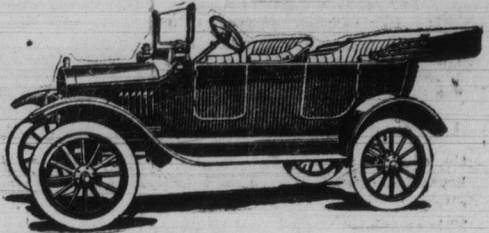
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## SLANDER NAILED BY BRITISH POET

Alfred Noyes Speaks of the Aims  
of the Allies.

### THE "KNOCK-OUT BLOW"

American Pacifist Makes Statement  
Regarding Meaning of Phrase  
Used by British Premier, and  
Is Now Told That He Owes  
an Apology to Men  
Now Fighting.

THE stirring idealism which the Allies carried into the war has given way, little by little, even in the highest quarters, to brute desire, as it is even more brutally put, for a "knock-out blow." This complaint was uttered by Evans Clark, pacifist, in a recent letter to the Princeton University paper, The Daily Princetonian. In a later issue Alfred Noyes has replied to Mr. Clark by terming his statement "a deliberate and malicious lie."

"I am not in the habit," the poet says, "of wasting ammunition by writing letters to the press, and I am only moved to write in this instance



ALFRED NOYES.

by the deliberate slander contained in one sentence of Mr. Clark's letter.

"I have the honor," Mr. Noyes writes, "to know many of the men in the new armies of Great Britain. I have also the honor to know some of those responsible for the conduct of the war. I have seen men going up into trenches under shell fire, and I have also seen, on all sides of the Allied war, more flaming devotion to the highest cause on earth—the cause of freedom, the cause of justice and public right—than I had ever seen in my life before. The spectacle of this spiritual grandeur was a soul-stirring one, that goes down to the deep font of tears as one remembers it."

"What Mr. Evans Clark," the poet continues, "knows about these things I cannot even guess. If he writes without knowledge, the slander is not excused by his ignorance. He seems to be greatly perturbed by the phrase of Mr. Lloyd George, 'a knockout blow.' The phrase was not, perhaps, a very dignified one. But what in Heaven's name does he think that war is?"

"It is certainly quite true, that with fist, with bayonet, with bullet, with shell, with all the legitimate weapons of war, the Allies are determined to put an end to the illegitimate murder of innocent men, women, and children. Presumably I, also, am a 'brute' for asserting this. Inasmuch as Mr. Evans Clark has slandered my own friends and my own brothers (who are in the new army) I am quite ready to meet his Christian violence of the tongue with my plain assertion that he owes all decent men an apology for his absurd logic and all literary men an apology for his bad grammar."

### A Curious Spring.

Within a few miles of salt water, at a point not far from Tampa Bay, Florida, there is an immense spring, which has formed a pool perhaps 100 feet wide and of great depth. At times the waters of this pool lie clear as the summer air, gradually deepening into the green shadows of its mysterious depths. Schools of great silver tarpon may then be seen, and they give the spring its name. At other seasons its waters rise bubbling and gurgling; not with heat, but from some sudden subterranean pressure. At such times the waters of Lake Butler, a mile away, are seen to fall. It is believed that there is some connection between the two bodies of water and that the spring is an outlet for the waters of the lake in the rainy season.—All Outdoors.

### Elephant Vacuum-Cleaned.

A New York show elephant that thoroughly enjoys the sensation of being cleaned has that part of her toilet attended to in a novel manner, says Popular Mechanics. Contrary to the popular notion, Lena, as she is named, does not care for rolling in dirt, but walls and annoys her keepers unless she is kept clean. An ordinary scrubbing fails to satisfy her, but when her vacuum cleaner appears she plainly manifests her delight and sinks to her knees that the work may be done conveniently. She is ready for the process at any time, and her deportment is especially good on days when the cleaner is regularly used.

### A POLISH GENIUS.

One of the Greatest Writers of Descriptive English.

Joseph Conrad, who has gained a place among the greatest of British authors, is British only by adoption, as he was born in Poland, of Polish parents. His real name is not Conrad, but Korzeniowski, but he wisely changed it to a nom de plume better suited to English-speaking tongues when he entered upon his literary career. His father, a Polish squire and landowner, was a man of culture and literary tastes, and translated into Polish many French, English, and Spanish works, including several of Shakespeare's dramas, Hugo's "Les Misérables," "Don Quixote," "Gil Blas," and other romances and books of travel and history. For political reasons the elder Korzeniowski was exiled to Volodga, and, when he died, Joseph was taken in charge by an uncle, studying in the public schools and under a private tutor. From the time he was ten years old he was an omnivorous reader, and the books of romance and travel he devoured inspired him with a longing for adventures by sea, and he made his way to Marseilles, where he was given a job on a French ship. His first voyage was to ports on the Gulf of Mexico. In 1877 he got a berth on an English ship bound for the Azov Sea. There a cargo of grain was taken on board, and it was from this ship that Korzeniowski—as he was still known—first stepped on English soil. He liked the country and decided to remain for a time, and soon mastered the English tongue. In 1884 he became a British subject and changed his name to Conrad. The lure of the sea still held him, and he worked his way up from cabin boy to captain of merchant ships which sailed the seven seas. It was on a voyage in a sailing ship between Australia and the Cape of Good Hope that Skipper Conrad was transformed into a writer. His love for the sea was only exceeded by his love for literature, and he had even tried to write, although this remained a secret until the voyage in question. He had as passengers two young college men, who talked much of books, and to them Captain Conrad showed in fear and trembling a manuscript on which he had been working at odd times for years. The passengers were loud in their praises of the captain's work, and when Conrad returned to England he submitted the manuscript to a London publisher, who accepted it. One of the young men, who encouraged Conrad was John Galsworthy. Since then Mr. Conrad has written many books, and has become famous as one of the greatest writers of descriptive English.

## Zutoo Tablets Do Three Things

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### Squid Ink Bag.

Ancient ink was made by a squeezing out of dead cuttlefish after the body was perfectly relaxed. Painters got their sepia from this same squid's bottle. This likewise is the true source of the genuine and original India ink, for which there has never been any satisfactory substitute found.

The ink bag of the cuttlefish is as big as a man's thumb and can squirt six feet, darkening more than a hoghead of water, so the squid can make unseen a dart and dash and get away when squid eating sea fish come round.

Diplomats get more profit by listening than by talking even when they talk well.—Hanotau.



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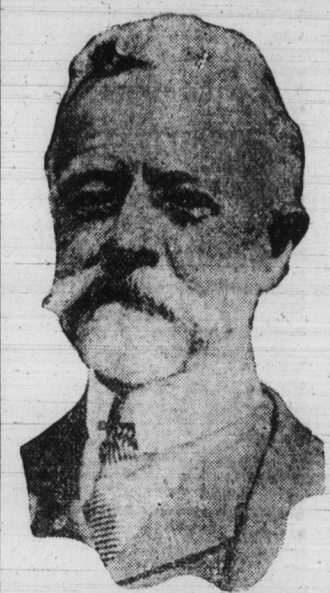
## PACIFIST BULLY WAS KNOCKED OUT

How Senator Lodge Made at  
Least One Convert.

### A PICTURESQUE EVENT

One of the Most Famous Men in U. S. Politics Had to Uphold the Cause of the Friends of Democracy and He Showed His Willingness to Do So in Militant Manner

A GREAT many historical incidents are carefully planned, but a few of them are spontaneous, or one might describe them as accidental. As long as the world hears the story of the entrance of the United States into the war, the picturesque incident of the encounter between Senator Henry Cabot Lodge and the pacifist Bannwart will be recorded as an interesting sidelight on the great days in Washington. Senator Lodge is one of the most distinguished men in the Senate. He comes of an old Massachusetts family, and has been connected with the better side of American public life for many years.



HENRY CABOT LODGE.

Sometimes he did a little twisting of the lion's tail, as in his book "The Hundred Years of Peace," which was not very kindly in its references to Canada and the British Empire, but he has been so strongly pro-ally since the war started that his little flings in the past can readily be forgotten. This was the man whom the unknown pacifist with the odd name tried to bully in the corridors of the Capitol at Washington.

The story need hardly be retold. Bannwart and several other men and women of pacifist delegations, called Senator Lodge to the door of his committee room and asked him to vote against a declaration of war with Germany. Senator Lodge replied that if President Wilson asked for such a declaration he certainly would support it.

"That is cowardice," retorted one of the group. "National degeneracy is worse than cowardice," replied the Massachusetts Senator.

"You are a coward," said Bannwart.

"You are a liar," retorted Senator Lodge. Bannwart advanced and struck the Senator, who then, despite his sixty odd years, launched a blow that sent Bannwart sprawling on the hard tiles of the corridor. Bannwart and several of his friends were taken in charge by the Capitol police.

Scores of Senators later went over to the Massachusetts Senator's desk and shook hands with him.

Next day Bannwart came up in court, but Senator Lodge refused to take action against him. It makes an appropriate finish to the tale that the pacifist should have confessed that the militant attitude of the aged champion of the cause of democracy had converted him from the cowardly and selfish attitude of the pacifists.

### Germany's Only Aim.

In the German Reichstag recently, Herr Ledebour, Socialist, made some pointed remarks in criticism of the Government's policy. Comparing the Government's treatment of the Belgians and Poles with that of Great Britain's treatment of the Boers, he said the latter to-day are fighting on the side of their conquerors because the British immediately gave them full autonomy. He protested against the deportation of Belgians and Poles. The proclamation of a Polish kingdom was the most flagrant contradiction of the people's right to decide for themselves. The intention was to set a German or Austrian king on the throne and thereby chain Poland to the Central Powers. "You do not want a free Poland at all," he said. "Indeed, you do not look as if you could free anyone. You need recruits. That is the sole aim. But you would have no success with the present legislation in regard to the Poles, even if a German prince were already sitting on the Polish throne as cock of the walk." Herr Ledebour was finally called to order on various counts, among others for having made insulting remarks toward the German reigning house. An uproar ensued when he sarcastically asked, "Is that all?"

### Potash Supply.

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The body of Mrs. Ellen Disher, seventy-five years old, was found in a cistern at her home at Ridgeway, Ont.

Workmen's compensation for the year amounted to almost \$2,500,000, largely in excess of the previous year's accidents numbered over 16,000.

Robert Bateman, while ill in bed, had some liquor carried into his hotel in Belleville by an employee to be used for a cold. Inspector Arnott in a search located the liquor and the proprietor has been fined \$200 and costs.

Miss Margaret Moag of Detroit, Mich., is acting as Superintendent at the Smiths Falls Public Hospital, pending the arrival of Miss Weldon, who was taken ill at her home in St. Thomas, just when she was ready to leave for Smiths Falls.

After being almost totally destroyed by fire on June 2nd last, the Fulford building at the corner of Court House avenue and King street, Brockville, has been entirely rebuilt and is now one of the finest office and store buildings in Eastern Ontario.

Andrew Broder, M.P. for Dundas, and one of the most prominent agriculturists in the Dominion, was stricken with apoplexy in the Commons Chamber at Ottawa, last Tuesday, and is in a critical condition.

The municipal committee of the Ontario Legislature has adopted an amendment to the Municipal Act, giving all municipalities the power to assess up to 25 mills on the dollar, irrespective of school and war taxes. The previous maximum was 20 mills.

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"When the war comes—the day the war starts—French artillerymen will be behind the guns at Namur. The English—"

The Hungarian orchestra of forty strings swept into a wild gypsy chant. Dissonances, fierce and barbaric, swept like angry tides over the brilliant floor of the cafe. Still Capper talked on, and the woman called Louisa bent her jewel starred head to listen. Her face, the face of a fine animal, was set in rapt attention.

"You mark my words," he finished, "when the German army enters Brussels proof of what I'm telling you will be there. Yes, in a pigeonhole of the foreign office safe those joint plans between England and Belgium for resisting invasion from the eastern frontier. If the Germans strike as swiftly as I think they will the foreign office Johnnies will be so flustered in moving out they'll forget these papers I'm telling you about. Then your Wilhelmstrasse will know they've paid for the truth when they paid Billy Capper."

Capper eagerly reached for his glass and, finding it empty, signaled the waiter.

"I'll buy this one, Louisa," he said grandiloquently. "Can't have a lady buying me wine all night." He gave the order. "You're going to slip me some banknotes tonight—right now, aren't you, Louisa, old pal?" Capper anxiously honed his cheeks with a hand that trembled. The woman's eyes were narrowed in thought.

"If I give you anything tonight, Billy Capper, you'll get drunker than you are now, and how do I know you won't run to the first English secret service man you meet and blab?"

"Louisa, Louisa, don't say that! Great fear and great yearning sat in Capper's lined eyes. "You know I'm honest, Louisa. You wouldn't milk me this way—take all the info I've got and then throw me over like a dog!" Cold scorn was in her glance.

"Maybe I might manage to get you a position—with the Wilhelmstrasse." She named the great secret service of France under her breath. "You can't go



"Maybe I might manage to get you a position."

back to England, to be sure, but you might be useful in the Balkans, where you're not known, or even in Egypt. You have your good points, Capper. You're a sly little weasel—when you're sober. Perhaps?"

"Yes, yes; get me a job with the Wilhelmstrasse, Louisa!" Capper was babbling in an agony of eagerness. "You know my work. You can vouch for me, and you needn't mention that business of the Lord Fisher letters; you were tarred pretty much with the same brush there, Louisa. But, come, be a good sport; pay me at least half of what you think my info's worth and I'll take the rest out in salary checks if you get me that job. I'm broke, Louisa!" His voice cracked in a sob. "Absolutely stony broke!"

She sat toying with the stem of her wineglass while Capper's clasped hands on the table opened and shut themselves without his volition. Finally she made a swift move of one hand to her bodice, withdrew it with a bundle of notes crinkling between the fingers.

"Three hundred marks now, Billy Capper," she said. The man echoed the words lovingly. "Three hundred now and my promise to try to get a number for you with—my people. That's fair?"

"Fair as can be, Louisa." He stretched out clawlike fingers to receive the thin sheaf of notes she counted from her roll. "Here comes the wine—the wine I'm buying. We'll drink to my success at landing a job with—your people."

"For me no more tonight," the woman answered. "My cape, please." She rose.

"But, I say!" Capper protested. "Just one more bottle—the bottle I'm buying. See, here it is all proper and cooled. Marks the end of my bad luck, so it does. You won't refuse to drink

with me to my good luck that's coming?"

"Your good luck is likely to stop short with that bottle, Billy Capper," she said, her lips parting in a smile half scornful. "You know how wine has played you before. Better stop now while luck's with you."

"Hanged if I do!" he answered stubbornly. "After these months of hand to mouth and begging for a nasty pint of ale in a common pub—leave good wine when it's right under my nose? Not me!" Still protesting against her refusal to drink with him the wine he would pay for himself—the man made that a point of injured honor—Capper grudgingly helped place the cape of web lace over his companion's white shoulders and accompanied her to her taxi.

"If you're here this time tomorrow night and sober," were her farewell words, "I may bring you your number in the—you understand; that and your commission to duty."

"God bless you, Louisa, girl!" Capper stammered thickly. "I'll not fall you."

The orchestra was booming a rag-time, and the chorus on the stage of the Winter Garden came plunging to the footlights, all in line, their black legs kicking out from the skirts like thrusting spindles in some marvelous engine of stagecraft. They screeched the final line of a Germanized song: the cymbals clanged "Zam-m-m-m" and folk about the clustered tables pattered, applause. Captain Woodhouse, at a table by himself, pulled a wafer of a watch from his waistcoat pocket, glanced at its face and looked back at the rocco entrance arches, through which the late comers were streaming.

"Henry Sherman, do you think Kitty ought to see this sort of thing? It's positively indecent!" The high pitched nasal complaint came from a table a little to the right of the one where Woodhouse was sitting.

"There, there, mother! Now, don't go taking all the joy outa life just because you're seeing something that would make the minister back in Kewanee roll his eyes in horror." Out of the tail of his eye Woodhouse could see the family group, wherein Mrs. Grundy had sat down to make a fourth. A blocky little man with a red face and a pinky bald head, whose clothes looked as if they had been whipsawed out of the bolt; a comfortably stout matron wearing a bonnet which even to the unforgotten masculine eye betrayed its provincialism; a slim slip of a girl of about nineteen with a face like a choir boy's—these were the American tourists whose voices had attracted Woodhouse's attention. He played an amused eavesdropper, all the more interested because they were Americans and since a certain day on the Calais-Paris express a week or so gone he'd had reason to be interested in all Americans.

"Henry, I tell you he does look like Albert Downs—the living image!" This from the woman, sotto voce. "Sh, mother! What would Albert Downs be doing in Berlin?" "Well, Kitty, they say curiosity once killed a cat, but I'm going to have a better look. I'd swear!" Woodhouse was slightly startled when he saw the woman from America utilize the clumsy subterfuge of a dropped handkerchief to step into a position whence she could look at his face squarely. Also he was annoyed. He did not care to be stared at under any circumstances, particularly at this time. The alert and curious lady saw his flush of annoyance, flushed herself and joined her husband and daughter.

"Well, if I didn't know Albert Downs had a lively business which he couldn't well leave," floated back the hoarse whisper, "I'd say that was him setting right there in that chair."

"Come, mother, bedtime and after—in Berlin," was the old gentleman's admonition. Woodhouse heard their retreating footsteps and laughed in spite of his temporary chagrin at the American woman's curiosity. He was just reaching for his watch a second time when a quick step sounded on the gravel behind him. He turned. A woman of ripe beauty had her hand outstretched in welcome. She was the one Billy Capper had called Louisa. Captain Woodhouse rose and grasped her hand warmly.

"Ah! So good of you! I've been expecting!"

"Yes, I'm late. I could not come earlier." Salutation and answer were in German, fluently spoken on the part of each.

"You will not be followed?" Woodhouse asked, assisting her to sit. She laughed shortly.

"Hardly, when a bottle of champagne is my rival. The man will be well entertained—too well."

"I have been thinking," Woodhouse continued gravely, "that a place hardly as public as this would have been better for our meeting. Perhaps?"

"You fear the English agents? Fahl

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They have ears for keyholes only; they do not expect to use them in a place where there is light and plenty of people. You know their clumsiness." Woodhouse nodded. His eyes traveled slowly over the bold beauty of the woman's face.

### CHAPTER III.

Billy Capper at Play.

THE man Capper will do for the stalking horse—a willing nag," went on the woman in a half whisper across the table. "You know the ways of the Wilhelmstrasse. Capper is what we call 'the target.' The English suspect him. They will catch him; you get his number and do the work in safety. We have one man to draw their fire, another to accomplish the deed. We'll let the English bag him at Malta—a word placed in the right direction will fix that—and you will go on to Alexandria to do the real work."

"Good, good!" Woodhouse agreed. "The Wilhelmstrasse will give him a number and send him on this mission on my recommendation. I had that assurance before ever I met the fellow tonight. They—the big people—know little Capper's reputation, and, as a matter of fact, I think they are convinced he's a little less dangerous working for the Wilhelmstrasse than against it. At Malta the arrest—the firing squad at dawn—and the English are convinced they've nipped something big in the bud, whereas they've only put out of the way a dangerous little weasel who's ready to bite any hand that feeds him."

Woodhouse's level glance never left the eyes of the woman called Louisa. He was alert, appraising.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson IV.—Second Quarter, For April 22, 1917.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, John xii, 1-11. Memory Verses, 2, 3—Golden Text, Mark xiv, 8—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The passover referred to in verse 1 was the last one ere He laid down His life as Christ our passover sacrificed for us and concerning which He said, "I have heartily desired to eat this passover with you before I suffer" (1 Cor. v, 7; Luke xxii, 15, margin). Only six days before that the events of this evening transpired. He is again in the home in Bethany to which He loved to come, and they made Him a supper at which Martha served, and Mary must surely have helped, too, as well as doing the other great thing recorded in our lesson. Lazarus, who had been three or four days in paradise, was there, too, but we have no record of any utterance from him after his return. It must have been with him, as with Paul, that it was not possible for him to utter what he had seen and heard (II Cor. xii, 4, margin). Mary, whose custom was to sit at His feet and hear His word whenever she could, find the opportunity, had evidently taken it into her heart that because of the cruel death He was to suffer no friends could be near Him at that time, and had therefore obtained some very costly ointment of spikenard with which to anoint Him beforehand if she should find opportunity. The occasion had now come and she was ready for it. He will never fail to provide the opportunity for those who desire to minister to Him.

Putting the accounts in Matthew, Mark and John together we learn that she poured the ointment on His head and on His feet and wiped His feet with her hair. Because Luke does not mention this anointing, but does speak of an anointing and feet washing with tears in the house of a certain Simon by a woman who was a sinner, some have thought that Luke described this anointing by Mary, but the incidents are wholly different, at a different time in His ministry and under altogether different circumstances. The name of the woman in the incident in Luke is not given, and we have no reason to give her a name. The Lord has left her unnamed. Let us also do so, while we thank God for her salvation. Returning to the incident of our lesson, we note that the house was filled with the odor of the ointment (verse 3). We think of the sweet perfume that filled the holy place where priests ministered to the Lord day by day, and we remember that the sacrifice of Christ Himself was unto God an odor of a sweet smell, and our service unto Him

is spoken of in the same words (Eph. v, ii, R. V.; Phil. iv, 18).

It should greatly cheer us to know that He looks upon our ministry in this way. He who reads the heart spoke of Mary's ministry as a good work wrought on Him and an anointing of His body beforehand for His burial, and added that wherever the gospel should be preached in all the world this would be her memorial (Mark xiv, 6-9). Judas and some of the others were indignant and said, "To what purpose is this waste? This ointment might have been sold for more than 300 pence and given to the poor." Judas cared not for the poor, but he was the treasurer and a thief (verses 4-6; Matt. xxvi, 8, 9; Mark xiv, 4, 5). We are not surprised at his finding fault, but it seems unlike true disciples to call anything done for the Lord a waste. Yet there are many professed followers today who seem to think it all right to spend all they wish on themselves, but to give to the Lord by giving to the poor or to missions is in their eyes at least unprofitable. How comforting it must have been to Mary to have Him say, "Let her alone; she hath done what she could" (Mark xiv, 6-8). In much service for Him we may not have the approval of the leaders in church work, but if He approves that is all we should desire, taking as our motto II Tim. ii, 15, with the stand taken by Paul in Gal. i, 10; Thess. ii, 4. It is most interesting to note that Mary of Bethany was the only woman who anointed His body for burial. Other women bought spices for that purpose when it was too late, but never used them, for He had risen when they reached the tomb (Luke xxiii, 55, 56; xxiv, 1-3). Nicodemus provided about a hundred pounds weight of myrrh and aloes, in which he and Joseph wrapped up the body when they lovingly laid it in the new sepulcher in the garden, wherein was never man yet laid (John xix, 38-42).

In Martha, Mary and Lazarus on this occasion may be seen by combining them what a well rounded Christian life ought to be. In Martha there is quiet ministry without being cumbered; in Mary the worship of true and believing devotion, which is always costly, for even David said, "I will not offer unto the Lord my God that which doth cost me nothing" (II Sam. xxiv, 24). In Lazarus there is the power of a resurrection life, because by reason of him many of the Jews went away and believed on Jesus, but the chief priests consulted to put Lazarus again to death (verses 10, 11). Many came together at this time simply to see a man alive who had been dead and not for Jesus' sake only (verse 9). It is well when our motto in all things is "For Jesus' sake only," willing to be always delivered to death for Jesus' sake that the life of Jesus may be made manifest in our mortal bodies.

### Tennyson's Vanity.

The intricacies of a great man's character are often simplicities to his wife. Once, when the late Alfred Austin had paid a visit to Tennyson, his immediate predecessor, Tennyson walked with him as far as the gate which led to the highway. There, says Alfred Austin in his autobiography, while the elder poet stood leaning on the gate, a party of wide eyed sightseers appeared.

"What a vulgar people the English are!" Tennyson exclaimed. "They come here to watch for me, and when they see me they say quite loudly, 'There's Tennyson!'"

Mr. Austin afterward repeated this to Lady Tennyson, who smiled tenderly, but archly.

"My husband would be much more annoyed if the people didn't come," she said.

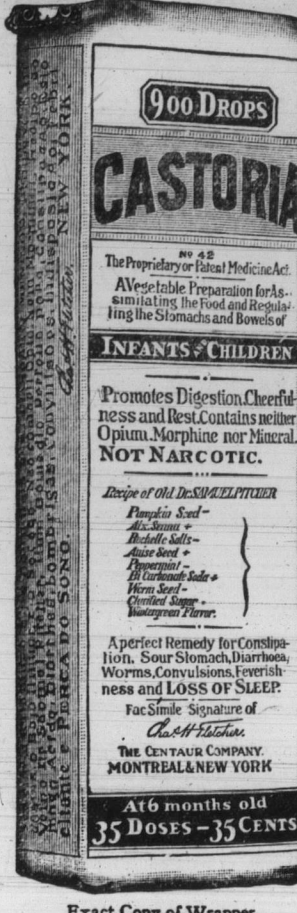
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## THE SPEAKER FAILED TO COME.

### To Speak on Gardening.

Mr. Griggs, who was announced to address the public meeting last night in the town hall, on the subject of "How to Grow Vegetables," failed to turn up, although a large audience assembled in the town hall to obtain the information promised. However, the officers of the Horticultural Society were equal to the occasion, and went on with the meeting. Mr. A. H. Edwards, the president, occupied the chair, and a very interesting hour was spent. Mr. Wm. Findlay read an article on the subject of gardening that was most appropriate and interesting. Mr. Robert Patterson spoke briefly. Revs. Henderson and Monds threw out some hints. Messrs. S. J. Berryman, David Findlay, W. J. Muirhead and others gave suggestions and the meeting proved most interesting.

The secretary, Mr. J. R. McDiarmid, explained how he had applied to the department for a number of circulars on the subject, but only obtained two. The following paragraphs are gleaned from this document.

### SOIL PREPARATION

City dwellers are not all born vegetable-growers and many of the failures in the backyard garden are due to a lack of knowledge as to how to prepare the soil for seeding. The first few bright days in spring usually drive most people into gardens and digging the soil is commenced. Oftentimes the digging is done too soon. If after the soil has been turned a handful crumbles readily digging time has arrived. If, however, the pressure of the hand leaves the soil in a compact sodden mass which will not crumble digging should be delayed.

When the soil is in good condition for digging a spade or a digging fork may be used. Push either into the soil to its full depth, usually 8 to 12 inches. Lift and turn the soil over so that the soil which comes from the bottom is placed on top. Dig one row about 8 inches wide the full width of the garden, then place the second 8 inches of undug soil on top of the first. This will leave quite a trench in which manure either well rotted or fresh should be placed. This should be cramped in tightly and two more rows of soil deposited on it. By following this method from 4 to 6 inches of manure may be placed ready for the plants to use. Manure may be secured from livery stables or from firms who deliver it for a small sum. The next operation will be that of raking. Considerable care must be taken in order that all lumps are broken up and that a level surface is left to be planted. It is never advisable to dig more of the garden than can be raked the same day. With an ordinary garden rake over the soil roughly, either breaking up the lumps or dragging them into a furrow or to one side of the garden. By following this with a further raking which should thoroughly fine the soil, fill in any hollow spots and remove any remaining lumps, the garden should be ready for seed planting.

### SOWING OF SEEDS

To sow a row of seed quickly, evenly and thinly requires care and practice. The top of the seed packet may be torn off, the packet held between the thumb and forefinger, by gently swaying the packet from one side to another the seeds will drop out. Another method of seeding is to place the seed in a tin dish and rather as many seeds as possible between the thumb and forefinger. A gentle rubbing motion of the thumb on the forefinger releases a few seeds at a time. Coarse seeds may be placed individually with the fingers. After the garden or the portion that is made ready by raking for planting, a piece of board or a line may be used to make straight even rows. A shallow trench the required depth may be made by using a sharpened piece of lath or even a lead pencil. This should be drawn back and forth close to the line or board until the trench is deep enough. This trench should not be too deep. A good general rule which applies in many cases is to cover the seeds with no more than a quarter of an inch of soil. After the seeds have been dropped they should be covered with soil of the required thickness and the soil over the row firmed with the feet, a piece of board or the back of the spade.

### THINNING

The backyard gardener must not attempt to grow immense quantities of vegetables from a small plot. Plants require a fair amount of breathing space just as human beings do. As it is almost impossible to plant all seeds thinly enough to secure a good crop more seeds are planted than plants are required, and when the tender seedlings come through the soil it is necessary to thin out some so that the remaining ones will have sufficient space to grow in. In every row of seedlings there are some plants which from the beginning show by their sturdy growth that they are healthier and more vigorous than others. Whenever possible leave these larger seedlings. When the seedlings are large enough to be handled nicely they should be thinned to the proper distance and this is accomplished by simply pulling the superfluous ones out and throwing them away. Thinning should not be left until the plants are becoming long and slender, but rather should be practised when the plants are about one-half to an inch in height.

### CULTIVATION

Cultivation should be carried on persistently to kill the weeds and to allow air into the soil, and to keep the surface of the soil in a somewhat rough condition rather than solid firm state, as the latter condition allows the ev-

aporation of water from the soil which is needed by the plant.

The most efficient and handy tool for cultivating is the common hoe. A wide and a narrow bladed hoe will be found best. The hoeing in the vegetable garden should commence before the vegetables are through the soil. If the rows have been carefully marked the hoe may be used between the rows and many weeds destroyed. After the seedlings are through the soil the hoe should be kept in use as much as possible. All the soil between the rows should be stirred at least twice a week and often if possible. Never allow a flat smooth surface to be found in the garden. Always stir the soil gently after each watering. The hoe should be held in a slanting position and the soil cultivated close to the young vegetables, and as the crop becomes more advanced the soil between the rows should be cultivated so that there will be no danger of destroying young roots. During the summer months the rake may be used for pulverizing the soil between the rows. Too much careful cultivation cannot be given, the tender vegetable crops in a backyard garden.

### WATERING

It is possible to water vegetable crops over abundantly. Some soils are some crops require more watering than others so great care must be used in applying water in the backyard garden. It is not good gardening when one has city water to deluge the garden each evening. If the plants do survive such treatment the resulting crop will be slender and stumpy, having very few excellent qualities. As a general rule the refreshing spring rains supply plenty of moisture in the soil. During the summer months, however, it will be found that an additional supply of moisture will be needed. This may be applied with a garden hose or a watering can and should be applied from 4 to 8 p.m. It is not good practice to water a city garden in the heat of the sun. Water in any case should be applied in as fine a spray as it is possible to obtain and it must be applied gently. Force will wash out the seeds, flatten the soil, expose the roots to the sun's rays and thus cause wilting or drying of the plant. By watering carefully twice a week sufficient moisture will be available to keep the plants growing vigorously. These waterings must, however, be followed with an immediate stirring of the soil and aided by cultivation between the waterings. In any case it is necessary to stir the soil after each rain or watering in order to conserve the moisture. As the season advances waterings may be partially or totally dispensed with.

### TRANSPLANTING

The city dweller will find it a good practice to buy plants of many sorts of vegetables and transplant them into his garden. The growing of ones own plants affords considerable pleasure, but is accompanied by the fact that considerable care and attention must be given. Strong, sturdy plants only should be purchased, not slender unhealthy-looking plants. The plants before being transplanted should be watered heavily so that the soil around the roots will be almost muddy. The garden hoe may be used for making the holes for setting these plants out or else a sharpened stick may be used. The hole should be made sufficiently deep to accommodate all the roots and part of the stem up to the first leaf. Do not set the plant too deep or too shallow. The plant should be set perfectly upright and the loose earth brought in around the roots and thoroughly firmed there. Care should always be taken that the hole made is not too deep so that when the roots are set there will be a hole in the earth just below them.

Cabbage, cauliflower, Brussels sprouts, celery and tomatoes should be purchased rather than grown from the start in an amateur garden. When buying plants always make sure that there is plenty of soil in the box and that there is a large root system.

### FOR MORE FOOD.

It is estimated that forty million men are bearing arms in the present titanic struggle, while twenty million men and women are producing munitions and clothing for soldiers. Many of these sixty millions were formerly producers of food. From that work they are withdrawn, leaving vast regions idle. Ten nations are on rations and six in distressing lack of food. Canada is one of the countries that is expected to produce a surplus of food to help to make up the deficit in lands that are more severely affected. It is our duty to feed our soldiers and our allies. Our country is exceptionally well situated, for a vessel can make four trips from Canada to England in the time occupied by one trip from Australia.

Our present production falls far short of what ought to be done. The acreage of wheat, oats, barley and potatoes was nearly 365,000 less in 1916 than in 1915, and the yield declined by more than 73 million bushels. Between 1914 and 1916 the yield of potatoes fell from 26,717,567 bushels to 7,408,429 bushels.

The Ontario Department of Agriculture is proud of the many patriotic acts of the Ontario farmers and realizes to the full the difficulties the farmer is working under. Through the Ontario Government Public Employment Bureau a determined effort is being made to secure a large amount of farm-trained labor and it is hoped that the farmer will make full use of same and produce large crops this season, for every pound of which large prices are likely to be paid.

## RAISED LARGE SUM.

Congress Authorized Seven-billion-dollar War Revenue.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Without a dissenting voice the House, amid the plaudits of members and the galleries, late Saturday night passed the seven-billion-dollar war revenue authorization measure. One member, Representative London, of New York, the only Socialist in Congress, voted "present."

Owing to general pairs and absences only 359 votes were recorded for the bill, but both Democratic Leader Kitchin and Republican Leader Mann announced that all of their members would have voted affirmatively if they had been present. The bill authorizes \$5,000,000,000 in bonds, of which \$3,000,000,000 will be loaned to Entente countries, and the issuance of Treasury certificates for \$2,000,000,000, ultimately to be met by increased taxation. Passage of the measure never was in doubt during the two days it was under consideration in the House, and favorable action by an overwhelming vote is assured in the Senate, where it will be taken up Monday. It probably will be signed by the President by the middle of this week.

## To Aid the Serbians.

HAMILTON, April 16.—The Serbian Relief Committee of this city realized \$7,770 as the result of its Tag Day effort held Saturday. The amounts in the collection box totaled \$6,346 and cheques to the value of \$1,424 were sent to the treasurer, C. W. Cartwright. The objective was \$10,000, and as the contributions of the factory employees will not be received until next week the committee is confident that the sum aimed at will be reached. The managers of the local theatres Saturday afternoon allowed the workers to go through the play-houses, thereby helping materially to swell the amount turned in by the collectors last evening.

## Lille is the Key.

LONDON, April 16.—Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig's principal object in his advance on Lens, is rather to turn La Bassée from the south, La Bassée and Lens forming the outworks of Lille, which is the key to the whole German position in Flanders, and once these two towns are in the hands of the British, Lille will be seriously threatened.

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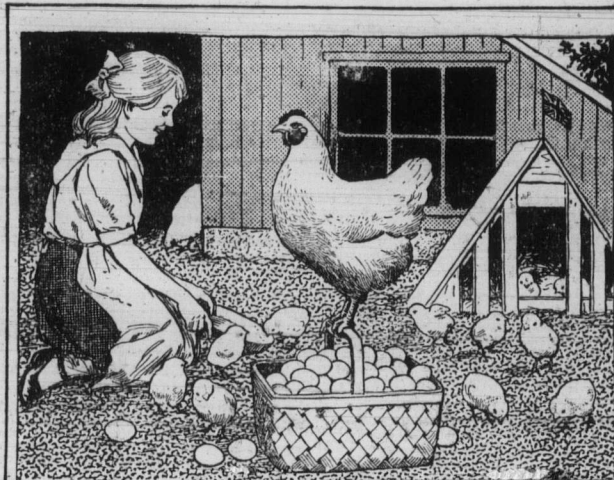
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