

**ALL LIQUOR SPOTTERS TO BE DISMISSED.**

Two hundred and fifty spotters, who had been employed by Attorney General Raney throughout the Province, are now or soon will be, in receipt of their dismissal, according to information at the Parliament Buildings today. The Government, it is understood, takes the view that the employment of spotters is an entirely irregular and unjust method of O.T.A. enforcement.

### BISHOP'S MILLS

Bishop's Mills, July 31.—Mrs. N. Greer, Mrs. Henry Gowers and son, are visiting relatives at Montreal.

Mrs. S. Jones and Miss Pearl Jones, of Athens, are visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Claire, of Kemptonville, were recent visitors here.

Miss Myrtle Smith, of Merrickville, was the guest of Mrs. F. Sherrard recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reddick and son, Evan Reddick, motored here on Sunday and were guests of Mrs. A. Powell, on Sunday last.

Miss Isabella, Eldridge, of Smith's Falls, was a visitor at J. Thompson's recently.

Several loads of tile of all sizes have been placed in Atkinson's tile yard this week.

Miss Grace Hunter, of Spencerville, is the guest of Miss Alice Cochrane.

Rev. Mr. McDonald, of Kingston, conducted the service in the Presbyterian church here on Sunday evening.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Tompkins and A. Menish motored to Ottawa recently.

The social under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will be held on Thursday evening, August 2.

### ANNUAL ALL-DAY SPORTS DAY

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Miss Vera Stinson is visiting her aunt, Mrs. P. Burns, Frankville.

Rev. Walter Whelan, of Belleville, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. M. A. Whelan.

### DRAMA PRESENTED ON THE WESTPORT ATHLETIC FIELD

"The Prairie Rose" is Given by Local Talent.

### NEWS OF THE DISTRICT

#### Results of Events at the Annual Picnic of Bethel Sunday School.

Westport, Aug. 3.—One of the very best plays presented to a Westport audience was the four-act drama, "The Prairie Rose," which was given on the athletic field under the auspices of the Women's Institute on last Friday and Saturday evenings. The drama, which is of the usual western type, deals with the love affairs of Rose Wilder, the Prairie Rose, niece and adopted daughter of Silas Wilder, a bachelor ranchman. Near the ranch is the hunting camp of Dr. Raymond and his two Chicago friends. A strong attachment springs up between the Prairie Rose and the Chicago doctor, but trouble follows the disclosure of the fact that the doctor has a divorced wife living in the east. However, events finally work out to the usual happy ending.

Miss Annie McDonald in the difficult title role gave a very clever interpretation of the uneducated but warm-hearted ranch girl, who later becomes a wealthy society lady. She was ably supported by Eddie Mulville, who took the part of Doctor Raymond, Everett Hamilton, as Philip Bryant, a close friend of the doctor, and James Kane as Silas Wilder, the deaf, big-hearted rancher, were very convincing in their respective roles. The minor characters in the play were well represented by Miss Julia Scanlon, Norma McGuire and Jean Kilpatrick, and Messrs. Norbert McNally and Harold McGuire. The comedy features were supplied by Kelly Ryan and J. Plomondon, who as the sophisticated "coon," and the impressionable English "Johnnie," gave representations that would do credit to professional actors. The play was under the direction of Jack Flynn, who spared neither time nor energy to make it a success. The management was fortunate in securing the assistance of Miss Lila Summerville, of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, who delighted the audience with solos between the acts. On Saturday evening the Misses Mitchell, of Ottawa, assisted with musical numbers on the piano and violin. The help given by these summer visitors is much appreciated. The proceeds amounted to about \$130.

Mr. and Mrs. Delorme Deacon, of South Porcupine, were in town for a few days last week.

Mrs. F. D. Baylay is spending this week in Toronto.

George Coburn, who was injured during a recent fire here, is still confined to his home, but is improving nicely.

Mrs. Benjamin Doole, of Toronto, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wing.

Mrs. E. W. McDonald has been called to Lanark owing to the serious illness of Mrs. McDonald's son.

D. A. Curtis, of Kingston, was renewing acquaintances in town last week.

Miss Laura Myers has returned home after a pleasant visit with Havelock and Oshawa friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forester have returned home after a visit of several weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Patrick, of Windsor.

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### SHOCKING.

Print the grandest sermon that ever fell from inspired lips, and not ten per cent even of the professionally pious, will read it; print a detailed account of some female bunco game or a sensational divorce suit in high life and ninety-nine per cent of the very elect will make a dive for the paper before breakfast, swoop down upon it like a hungry carp on a nasty worm, devour every word, then roll their eyes heavenward like a calf with the colic, and wonder what this wicked old world is coming to.

### AYRSHIRE BREEDERS OF DISTRICT HELD ANNUAL FIELD DAY

Alex. Hume, Campbellford, Acted as Demonstrator.

J. L. STANSELL SPEAKER

Various Socials and Entertainments Planned for District in Near Future.

Washburn's Corners, Aug. 1.—The Brockville District Ayrshire Breeders Club held its field day and annual picnic which was a decided success. The demonstration was very ably put on by Alex. Hume, of Campbellford, while J. L. Stansell, M.P., and president gave a lecture that was second to none ever delivered at an Ayrshire field day. Many new members joined the Club from a distance and the Club is one of the oldest in two provinces of upper and lower Canada. The ladies of this county should have ample thanks for the sumptuous repast they set before the public.

### South Augusta

South Augusta, Aug. 4.—Mrs. G. Read and daughter, Miss Dorothy Read, and Miss Virginia Page are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. John Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hemingway and son, Willie, and Mrs. H. Bourne, Mount Vernon, and Mr. and Mrs. F. Hemingway, Gloversville, N.Y., were recent visitors of the former's sister, Mrs. George Landon.

Mrs. J. Simpson spent a few days this week with Mrs. N. C. Read.

The social which was held recently by the South Augusta Athletic Club proved a great success and they are extending their hearty thanks to all who helped make it a success.

Miss Gladys Jenkinson, Toronto, spent a few days recently at D. Bovaird's.

Mrs. Bennett and little daughter, Nell, and little Miss Marion Towlesley, of Montreal, are visiting at the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Murray.

Mrs. May Nash and Miss Rena Nash, Winnipeg, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Alex. Landon.

Mrs. H. Orr and son, Jack, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Throop.

The many friends of Miss Effie Kelly will be pleased to learn that she is improving from her recent illness.

On Thursday Bethel Sunday school held its picnic in W. Kyle's grove and a very pleasant time was spent by all. During the afternoon a number of races were held which resulted as follows:

M. Field's class, girls—Muriel Yates, Marion Watson; boys, Martin Watson, Leonard Forke.

Miss L. Dudley's class, clothes pin race—Marcia Morey, Dorothy Chase, George Read.

Mrs. Robert Wood's class, thread and needle race—Blanche Chase, Georgina Landon, Edith Read.

F. Read's class—Lloyd Chase, Arthur Wood, Harold Wood.

### BUILDING OF VAULT AT READ'S CEMETERY INSTITUTE'S OBJECT

South Augusta Women Planning This Development.

### NEWS NOTES OF DISTRICT

Death of John R. Foley, Retired Farmer, at Lansdowne is Regretted.

South Augusta, Aug. 6.—The South Augusta Institute met at the home of Mrs. J. W. Fox on the 1st inst., with 20 members present and ten visitors. The visitors were as follows: Mrs. Nash, Winnipeg; Mrs. F. Bellamy, Brockville; Mrs. A. L. Fisher, matron of the Brockville rest room; Mrs. E. M. Sutherland, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Eyre and daughter, North Augusta. The meeting opened with the roll call "My Favorite Recipe," which was demonstrated by real salads made by Mrs. Fox, the hostess, and other nice things such as cakes, cookies, biscuits and pies. A cup of tea was served and a fee of ten cents charged.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. D. M. Ross the last Tuesday in this month instead of the first Wednesday of every month.

Mrs. E. M. Sutherland and Mrs. Warren, of North Augusta, sang very nicely one of their old community songs, which was much enjoyed by all. The Institute is planning now to build a vault at Read's cemetery.

The programme for the next meeting at Mrs. Ross' will be as follows: Roll call, "Suggestions for Community Hall"; paper, "Vegetable Cooking," by Mrs. W. Collier; demonstration, "Table Setting and Serving," by Miss Elsie Ross. The meeting closed with God Save the King.

Miss Gladys Jenkinson, of Toronto, is spending her holidays with her friend, Mrs. D. Bovaird.

Miss Hay, of Rock Spring, is the guest of Miss Laura Dudley.

Miss Pearl Wood, of Hamilton, is spending her holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sunderland, of Hammond, N.Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan Sunderland, of Detroit, Mich., were visitors of their uncle, Harry Caldwell.

Hilda and Eric Osborne are visiting friends in Almonte.

### BIG SURPLUS.

Petrolia Advertiser-Topic: Quebec has a bigger surplus from liquor sales this year than last. And the bulk of the money will go into more good roads. And more good roads will mean more U.S. tourists with big thirsts.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Foley, of Toronto, are taking possession of the Sheppard cottage to-day, and are having as their guest the former's mother, Mrs. W. H. Foley.

Miss Gertrude Moore, Gananoque, a former resident of this place, is here visiting her many friends for a few days.

Mrs. Robert Donevan and granddaughter, Hattie Boucher, are at present in Toronto visiting the former's daughter.

Mrs. Will Foley, of Lyn, who came here on Saturday to attend the funeral of her brother, John R. Foley, was taken very ill Saturday night. Dr. J. M. Mackie was called and today she was sufficiently improved to return to her home.

The funeral of John R. Foley was held on Sunday afternoon in the Methodist church, Rev. George W. Dustin conducting the service. Interment was made at Union cemetery. The late Mr. Foley came here some years ago from Greenfield, where he farmed for many years. He had reached his 80th year. For the last year he had not enjoyed very good health. His wife and two children predeceased him some years ago, and one daughter, Miss Olive, is left to mourn a kind father, also three sisters and two brothers.

Miss Hagerman, who has been ill, is improving nicely.

Dr. J. deL. Campbell is also recovering from his illness.

### HONOR PRESIDENT AT RECENT PICNIC NEAR NEW DUBLIN

Cake and Life Membership for Miss Margaret Donohoe.

### NEWS NOTES OF DISTRICT

Miss Elva Whitmore, Sheldon's Corners, Enters Hospital Here as Nurse-in-Training.

New Dublin, July 30.—The Methodist Sunday school and Mission Circle picnic, in honor of Miss Margaret Donohoe's birthday, was held on the Orange hall grounds on Wednesday. At dinner, the girls presented Miss Donohoe their president, with a beautiful birthday cake, after which an address was read to her by Miss Ethel Horton and she was given a life membership certificate from the girls by Miss Geraldine Orr.

During the afternoon a number of races were run under the management of the sports committee. Two special prizes were donated by S. C. Hawkins.

Mrs. Robert Meade, Mrs. Carry, Mrs. Highland and Elmer Sierris, of Windsor, who are camping at Newboro, spent Sunday with Mrs. Mead's mother, Mrs. B. J. Horton.

Sadie Twa, of Greenbush, spent a few days last week with Beatrice Healey.

Miss Florence Barriger returned to the Ontario hospital at Whitty on Monday to resume her duties as nurse-in-training at that institution.

Mrs. G. Lafaver continues very ill at her home here. Her daughters, Misses Olive and Myrtle, of Brockville, are spending a few weeks with her.

Mrs. L. Harte and Gertrude, Rockport, spent Sunday with friends here.

Ivan Justus and staff are drilling a well for W. R. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bowen are spending this week with their daughter, Mrs. J. Weldon, Brockville.

Miss Geraldine Scott, of Kingston, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Horton.

The Busy Bee Mission Circle met at the home of Mrs. A. Manhard on Saturday.

Leona Horton is spending a few days with Emily Horton of Brockville.

Miss K. I. Bushfield, of Lyn, has been engaged to teach this school for the ensuing year.

Charles Mott, of Milwaukee, Wis., and Mrs. S. McBratney, North Augusta, visited their sister, Mrs. W. W. Davis, last week.

Ena Acheson, of Fairfield East, visited Irene Moore last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Horton and children motored from Toronto to spend a few days with friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Elmer F. Grube, of Smiths Falls, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Grube.

Frank Parks, of Gouverneur, N.Y., visited his sister, Mrs. G. Lafaver, recently.

### FIVE TRAGEDIES.

A man struck a match to see if the gasoline tank in his automobile was empty. It wasn't.

A man patted a strange bulldog on the head to see if the critter was affectionate. It wasn't.

A man speeded up to see if he could beat the train to the crossing. He couldn't.

A man touched a trolley wire to see if it was charged. It was.

A man cut out his advertising "he didn't."

He didn't.

### Sheldon's Corners

Sheldon's Corners, July 31.—Nearly all the farmers in this section have completed their haying and some have started to harvest the grain.

Miss Mae Stewart, of Watertown, is spending her holidays here with her grandmother, Mrs. George Cowles, and is this week entertaining her friend, Miss Goldie Parish, Athens.

Master Bun Foley is spending his holidays with his uncle, James Judge, Toledo.

Miss Vera Coon is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Wright Berney.

Mrs. Mal Hamblin and daughter, Jennie, are visiting the former's son, Raymond Hamblin, at Watertown this week.

Miss Elva Whitmore left on Saturday to enter the Brockville General hospital to train as a nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Taylor, Elgin, spent Sunday at Mrs. G. Cowles.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hayes, of Athens, were recent visitors here.

Mrs. Harold Moulton, Seely's Bay, spent last week a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mavety.

Miss Irene Young is spending her holidays near Brockville, on the river.

### THE NEXT WAR.

The next war will be fought, not by armies nor by battleships, but by flying torpedoes, by gas bombs and bacilli bombs. In the next war poison gases will be used which will penetrate wool and leather. One drop of this gas on the bare skin of the foot will destroy that member. It will snuff out the lives of all that breathe it. The contents of one shell will kill everything living, animal or vegetable, within an area of five acres, and will then spread over other areas and do serious damage. Thus a few airships with these gas bombs can easily destroy a city of one hundred thousand inhabitants.

### PLUM HOLLOW

Plum Hollow, Aug. 4.—At the home of her son, Lester Kilbourn, of Eltoia, on Monday, July 30, there entered into rest one of Plum Hollow's highly respected residents in the person of Mrs. Newton Kilbourn, whose maiden name was Susanna Dunham, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Dunham. Mrs. Kilbourn was born 78th year of her age and was always resided in this vicinity. She was predeceased by her husband some 20 years ago, and to mourn the loss of a kind and loving mother there survive six sons and one daughter. They are Frank, of Federal, Alberta; Harmonius, of Delta; Coleman and Alfred of Plum Hollow; Lester of Eltoia; Harvey, of Niagara Falls, and Mrs. Hiram Bates, of Marion, Ohio. Also there are three brothers, G. W. Dunham, Daniel Dunham and Ham Dunham, all of Toledo. The funeral, which was largely attended, was held at the home of her son, Lester Kilbourn, on Wednesday, August 1, at 2 p.m., and was conducted by Rev. E. E. Hooper, pastor of the Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. Mr. Collins of Eltoia. The pallbearers were four of her sons. Interment took place in the Kilbourn cemetery, Plum Hollow.

### North Augusta

North Augusta, July 31.—Mrs. L. Patton, of Hamilton, is visiting at John Warren's.

Rev. Canon J. W. Jones, of Kingston, occupied the pulpit in St. Peter's church on Sunday night. No permanent rector has been stationed here yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Manhard and daughter, of Fairfield, and Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Earl motored to Smiths Falls on Sunday.

Thad McVagh is preparing to move to the village and will occupy the Burke house recently purchased by the telephone company.

### MODERN MISSIONARIES.

Of 275 missionaries appointed and sent into foreign fields by one denomination in a recent year, only part were evangelistic preachers. A large number were trained agriculturists, horticulturists, nurses, architects, printers, mechanical engineers, construction engineers, physicians and teachers. All of them were masters of their particular trade or profession.



# EFFICIENT FARMING

**SOFT PORK A MENACE—WANT BACON, NOT LARD.**

Somewhat of a new difficulty in bacon manufacture—or rather, a very old difficulty in accentuated form—is pressing upon Canadian packers. This is the growing proportion of hogs which, when slaughtered, yield what is known as "soft pork." This consists of softness in the fat and a general flabbiness which makes it impossible to prepare a "best" Wiltshire side from these hogs. Such sides can only be classed as seconds or thirds in the trade, while in the worst cases they are almost valueless. As stated, an undue number of Canadian hogs this year are cutting out soft.

This is all the more remarkable in Canada because it is the one aspect of scientific bacon production which is generally considered to have been most thoroughly studied. "Aside from soft pork investigations very little experimental work has been carried on with the definite aim of ascertaining the effect of feeds and feeding on the quality of the ultimate product," Mr. G. B. Rothwell, Dominion Husbandman, wrote in a recent report. The Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, and the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, many years ago did extensive experimental work on this subject but apparently its practical application has been lost.

"One of the greatest defects in quality with which Canadian packers have to contend is a tendency of some of the sides to turn soft during the process of curing," to quote Professor Geo. E. Day, who wrote about 1906. "Softness has nothing to do with fatness; in fact, a thin side is more apt to develop softness than a fat one. In a soft side the fat is soft and spongy and sometimes even the lean is affected. . . . The percentage of soft sides is sometimes very high, even as high as 15 per cent. It will be readily understood that such a condition represents an enormous shrinkage in value; and this loss is bound to be reflected in the prices paid the farmer for his hogs. This is not a matter, therefore, which affects merely the packer. It affects the bacon industry as a whole and the farmer, sooner or later, must shoulder the loss."

Professor Day enumerates as chief causes of softness in bacon: Exclusive meal feeding, corn, beans, lack of exercise, unthriftiness, lack of finish, holding back and lack of maturity.

For the comfort of our producers and packers alike it may be added that this is a problem in other countries also. In the current issue of "The Journal of the Minister of Agriculture" in Great Britain there are the results of a special investigation into soft bacon. The writer states: "The lack of uniformity in bacon pigs is one of the chief handicaps of the curer. Soft fat is detrimental to bacon and hams not only on account of wastage when cooking but also because such fat develops rancidity more rapidly than firm fat. Moreover the appearance of the bacon leaves much to be desired. Unfortunately there is no certain test by which the curer can forecast the nature of the bacon-fat from an inspection of the freshly killed carcass. Consequently it is not possible to pick out the defective sides and hams until curing has been completed. The curer's aim is to trace

the cause of soft bacon in order to abolish it."

Perhaps a misunderstanding of the bacon hog campaign is partly responsible for the present situation. Underfeeding resulting in lack of finish and holding back hogs tending to run to fat are both prolific causes of soft pork. The attempt of many farmers to turn thick hog conformation into the "select bacon" grade may have this effect. This emphasizes the fact that what must first be obtained is bacon conformation, by adopting the right breeds which then will carry the right breeds which then will carry the right breeds without excessive fat. Breeding and feeding go together and the principle of feeding should now receive special attention.

Pork and lard are two of the largest items in the food supply of the American people, according to a recent statement from Washington. The average annual per capita consumption for the last five years was 67.3 pounds of pork and 12.5 pounds of lard, as compared with 60.9 pounds of beef. In several recent years the consumption of pork alone has exceeded that of all other meats combined. Those who fail to understand why Canadian farmers should raise bacon hogs when United States farmers have had such good success with the lard type will find a partial answer to their problem in the above quotation from the Washington report, says the "Family Herald," Montreal. The American farmer has a home market at his door for his lard and pork. The Canadian farmer has not and his hogs, if produced in any large number, must be exported, as the home market will only consume a limited quantity.

"We cannot export hogs to the United States market as it is already supplied with hogs grown in that country. Last year the United States exported many millions of pounds of pork and pork products. Our only alternative outlet is the British market, and that calls for bacon. Not just 'any old bacon' but bacon of the quality, put up as 'Wiltshire sides,' bacon up to the standard the British consumer has been accustomed to from Denmark and Ireland. Unless our bacon is up to that standard it will not command the top price. Whether our American cousins will continue to prefer pork and lard to bacon cannot be foretold nor does it matter to the Canadian hog raiser, since the producer there can be trusted to shape his product to the demands of his home market. What we need to do, is to shape our product for the market to which we have to cater—in this instance the British bacon market."

Learn the amount of lubrication needed. Too little means friction and worn parts. Too much means a gumming and a clogging of parts, and the fouling of spark plugs. Enough is enough. Know how much that is.

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## Assisting Nature.

By F. H. Present, Department of Horticulture, Ontario Agricultural College

What has been responsible for the remarkable interest which has developed in the past few years in landscape gardening and its attendant features? Is it a deferred awakening amongst our Ontario people of a love for the beautiful in Nature? We can hardly attribute it wholly to this because such an appreciation of Nature has always been apparent even though not openly expressed. From some unknown source a stimulus has arisen or it may be just the natural development, on a wide scale, of the expression of such sentiments.

To-day, in all of our cities, practically all of our towns and many of the smaller communities, local organizations have been formed for the purpose of furthering the idea of the beautification of public and private grounds. These are usually branches of the Ontario Horticultural Society but in many cases the local branch of the Women's Institute has taken up this work. In the larger cities, or many of them, the Parks Commissions are doing much to beautify civic property. However, with all of this development of interest, the rural communities are most backward in taking it up. It is true that many community parks have been and are being established but these are comparatively few. The movement cannot be said to be effective in the country until it brings about such an interest that every farm owner is going to do something to his own home grounds and surroundings that will make him proud of them rather than ashamed of their ugliness. For it is a regrettable fact that our farm homes throughout too many communities are the most unattractive and uninteresting parts of the landscape.

For this condition of affairs there is no real excuse as the hundreds of attractive and splendid farm home grounds found scattered all over the

province go to show. The trouble is that we, as farmers, have not yet accepted the idea of the value of a real home rather than just a place to live. Attractive homes—the surroundings are a vital feature—play a very important part in the rural problem and its solution.

The average farm home can be made attractive and often beautiful with very little expense in money or labor. The farmer can be his own architect and engineer; he may even, under some conditions, supply most or all of his own material.

Since the farm home is set in the midst of natural surroundings any attempt to do landscape work should be along the lines tending to bring about a naturalistic effect, one that will blend in with the surroundings and be an added attraction to them. To accomplish this end and in order to gain a natural effect, the following general rules should be applied:

1. Allow for open spaces of lawns and for vistas showing attractive views beyond. To accomplish this the planting of trees and shrubs in groups at the boundaries, at the junction of paths and roads and the planting of shade trees along the walks and drives is practised.
2. Avoid straight lines; make use of natural curved lines.
3. Do not use anything of a stiff or formal nature such as formal flower beds, vases, etc., and if board or iron fences are used allow vines to climb over them.
4. Clipped hedges, trees and shrubs should not be used nor should masonry of any sort.
5. If privacy is desired use clumps of close-growing shrubbery.
6. Avoid the use of all plant curiosities and try to obtain in the color scheme a gradation rather than a contrast of colors.
7. Rustic work well arranged is helpful in producing a natural effect.

## The Dairy

"The milk in this can is from contented cows"—so runs the legend to be seen on a certain brand of evaporated milk. Finding ourselves in close proximity to one of the large farms, where such cows are kept, we went out of our way a bit to make the personal acquaintance of these much advertised contented cows.

The first thing to greet us upon entering the big dairy stable were two conspicuous signs which gave us an understanding that the advertising slogan was backed up by practical methods of dairy work. One of them read: "No Swearing Allowed. These Are Contented Cows." The other advised us that "Kindly Treated Cows Give More and Better Milk." We hunted up the barn boss and asked him to tell more about the phase of the work suggested by the placards.

"Well, you see, it's something like this," he replied. "Those signs mean just what they say. You can understand that in a big place like this we get all sorts of help. The average helper around dairy stables is more or less of a drifter unless he happens to be some young agricultural student who comes here for a bit of experience."

"Among the men who come and go there is a certain percentage always that is accustomed to cuffing cows around, speaking harshly to them, and all that. If they do not learn anything else while they are here, there at least learn that a cow is one of the most sensitively strung of farm animals. She can tell a cross word every time from a kind one."

"And we know that a large portion of the milk drawn at any milking is manufactured, so to speak, while the cow is at the pail. If a cow stands in fear of a cuff or a kick the production is curtailed. This is an important factor with us for we have at all times a number of high-producing cows on test and the 'holding back' even of a small quantity of milk at each milking makes quite a difference in the final total."

"When a new man comes into the barn we advise him as to our rules in regard to the kind treatment of our animals. We show him these signs. We impress it upon him that they are not intended for the amusement of visitors, but as a rule of conduct for the men who handle the animals. As a rule, our men fall into the spirit of the thing quite readily. Now and then we have to let a man go because he has become too set in his way."

As we drove on, the phrase, "Kindly treated cows give more and better milk," kept recurring to us. Then we remembered that the Swiss peasant usually croons to his cows while he is milking her. We recalled, also, of having read of someone who operated a phonograph in his milking stable at milking time.

Here, it evidently appears, is a bit of cow psychology that has been overlooked by the average dairyman. The harsh word, the whack over the back with the milk stool, the cuff and the kick should go into the discard in stables where it is desired to secure "more and better milk" without a single extra cent of expense for additional overhead.

If angleworms persist in damaging special plants they can be controlled by adding lime-water to the soil.

## Why Hens Become Broody and How To Break Them

A rest period follows after a hen has laid a series of eggs and is usually accompanied by broodiness. This means that the succeeding egg series must remain dormant for two or three months until the hen has hatched a brood, reared it and gained the vigor for further development. This will probably bring her into the molting season, in which case there will be little chance of egg production for 100 days. If the hen is interrupted in the beginning of broodiness, however, the whole dormant period is changed to one of activity.

The broody hen, if allowed to remain on the nest, soon becomes thin and emaciated. She eats and drinks very little and thus draws heavily on her internal storehouse for sustenance. Egg production results from a secondary circulation—a circulation that can progress no faster than it can be supplied from the ordinary daily wear and grind on the body tissue. If the circulation is insufficient to meet the daily need, or just equal to it, there is no surplus for egg development.

Hence, it is a matter of dollars and cents that this self-imposed starvation, as a result of the broodiness, should be intercepted at the earliest possible moment. It is much easier to discourage a hen from broodiness the first or second day than it is to break her after she has been so for several days; her appetite is still active and the habit of sitting is not so confirmed. During the spring and early summer months the nests should be examined every evening for hens that show a tendency toward broodiness; those that show signs by clucking, ruffling of feathers and general defensive attitude should be removed.

There are many ways of breaking up broodiness, but subjecting the hen to some form of cruelty or privation, as was the old idea, may result in further loss in egg production. A sitting hen should be induced to eat and drink freely as well as to exercise. This will revive her appetite, and if this is accomplished in the first few days of broodiness, the egg organs will resume activity.

One of the most efficient ways of breaking up broodiness, where large flocks are kept in long laying houses, is to partition off the end which has plenty of sunshine and remove all nests and other fixtures that might offer secluded spots. Put the hens in this pen, remembering to keep plenty of feed and water before them and, where possible, to encourage exercise. If they still show tendency to construct nests, put a couple of lively cockerels in the pen. In a warm climate, or when weather is mild the same results can be obtained in an outdoor yard constructed at the side of a building to afford protection in case of storm.

If there are only a few fowls, a coop with a slatted bottom raised about six inches from the ground will serve. The hens are not able to squat comfortably and the air currents passing under them is not just what they like; they soon become disgusted and are glad to join the flock when released. Water and food should be kept before the hens in the slatted coop.

Plan your kitchen and home arrangement so that you do not do your housework in a workhouse.

## The Sunday School Lesson

AUGUST 5.

Lesson VI: Luke 8: 1-3; Matthew 27: 55, 56; John 19: 25; 20: 1-18. Golden Text—Our soul waiteth for the Lord; He is our help and our shield.—Psalm 33: 20.

LESSON SETTING—Our lesson to-day emphasizes the part that women played in the life and ministry of Jesus.

I. HELPING THE WORK OF JESUS, LUKE 8: 1-3.

V. 1. It came to pass afterward. The preceding event in the Gospel of Luke is the story of the penitent woman who came into the house of Simon the Pharisee. Jesus pardoned her and sent her away in peace, while he rebuked Simon. We are not to identify this woman with the Mary of our lesson. Went throughout every city and village; covering completely a certain region. Showing the glad tidings. The word "gospel" means good news. Jesus spoke words of hope and love to those hearts where hope was absent and love was needed. The twelve were with him; sharing the burden of Christ's work and partaking in its joy.

V. 2. Certain women. There was a band of women helpers as well as the disciple band. The religious teachers of the day treated women with contempt in their teaching. "No woman was allowed to come closer to a man than four cubits' distance." Which had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities. Jesus had blessed them in soul and body. Mary . . . Magdalene; from the town of Magdala. Out of whom went seven devils. Whether the state of Mary had been that of spiritual malady or moral degradation, it was extreme in its nature, as indicated by the word "seven," which is the word of completeness, whether good or evil.

V. 3. Joanna. She was with Mary at the sepulchre. Chusa; Herod's steward or chamberlain. Some suppose him to be the nobleman whose son Jesus healed at Cana. Susanna. Nothing more is known of her. Ministered unto him. In their deep gratitude they sought to make some return. They helped Jesus in the way they were able, by using their possessions to procure necessities of life for Jesus and his company.

II. WATCHING THE CROSS OF JESUS, JOHN 19: 25.

John 19: 25. There stood by the cross . . . Mary Magdalene. Mark tells us that there were many women near the cross—those who had followed Jesus in his ministry in Galilee and had ministered unto him. It was, therefore, no passing enthusiasm that made them follow Jesus through Galilee in his days of popularity. When the dark days came they still clung to him and watched him in deep, though hopeless, love, as he hung on the cross.

III. WITNESSING THE RESURRECTION OF JESUS, JOHN 20: 1-18.

V. 11. But Mary stood without. After the Sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene came very early in the morning, bringing spices to complete the work of love begun by Joseph and Nicodemus. She finds the tomb empty, but an angel is there who declared that Jesus is risen, Matt. 28: 5. In amazement and sorrow, she runs to Peter and John and tells of the empty tomb and follows the two disciples as they run to the tomb and find it empty, as she had said. Weep. She had not comprehended the message of the angel. The one thought that fills her mind is that she cannot find the body of Jesus to pay the last rites of love. Looked into; one more look of sorrowing love.

Vs. 12-14. Seeth two angels . . . why weepeth thou? In John's account it is now for the first time that the angels are seen. In the other Gospels the angels are seen at the first visit to the tomb. They have taken away my Lord. Her grief makes her blind to the significance of the presence of the angels. She turned herself back, and saw Jesus. Thus it was to a woman that Jesus actually revealed himself first of all in his resurrection life.

Vs. 14-18. She supposing him to be the gardener. Mary's eyes were filled with tears that dimmed her vision. Her mind was distracted with grief. Jesus was doubtless altered in appearance. Moreover, there was in her mind no hope of Jesus' resurrection. All these facts made her slow to realize the whole truth of it all. When she mistook Jesus for the gardener or keeper of the garden, it was because the gardener was the only person likely to be there at that time of the day. Jesus saith . . . Mary. Jesus said it in the same loving way in which he had been accustomed to say it in the days of his flesh. It was the love in the word that opened the eyes and heart of Mary. Rabboni; said in wonder and love. Touch me not; rather, do not cling to me. Mary seemed to think that all the old relationships of his earthly life were restored. Jesus reminds her that he must ascend to the Father. The love remains, but new relationships exist. Go . . . and say . . . I ascend. Jesus is not a Master restored to earth, but a Master entered into heaven, that they must think of.

APPLICATION.

When we are misunderstood, it gives us a sad, stinging feeling of pain. Sometimes it stirs us to resentment and anger. In some cases the wrong understanding is never corrected, but perhaps in most instances sooner or later justice is done. Many, if not most, competent scholars believe that Mary Magdalene has been misunderstood, doubly so, and for many centuries. Whether in that sacred presence of her beloved Lord in Paradise, any shade of unhappiness or annoyance troubles her, we cannot know. Perhaps the spirit of Bonar's hymn is sufficient comfort. "The Master praises; what are men?" Mary has been doubly misunderstood. She has been identified without sufficient warrant with the woman who was a sinner, who anointed Christ's feet with the precious oint-

ment. Prominence in the narrative may have led to that inference. The artists in their paintings have given a pathetic touch of beauty to this thought of Mary. And yet some of the great scholars of the early church, like Origen, denied it, while Ambrose, Augustine, and Jerome were doubtful of it. Again, the Gospel record that out of her our Lord cast seven devils, has been misunderstood. Dr. Adeney says, very clearly and emphatically, "There is no reason to suppose that the brain and nerve symptoms associated with the idea of possession were accompanied with a corrupt moral character." The popular idea of the "Magdalene" is a baseless libel on Mary of the Watch-tower."

If there has been misunderstanding, there have been magnificent compensations. Some of the most notable churches of Christendom have been named after her—the Russian Church of St. Mary the Magdalene on the Mount of Olives, and the Magdalene, one of the well known churches in Paris, while Oxford has its Magdalene College. Moreover, in the name of St. Mary Magdalene the church work in the redemption of sinning sisters.

Even though there may have been a mistake as to identity, and she was not necessarily a specially sinful woman, she was an afflicted woman, and whatever her deliverance, she was grateful for it, and showed it in practical ways. She was one of the people, men and women, who were responsive to the "good-tidings of the kingdom of God," and with a glad, grateful heart, she found ways of helping the Lord in the founding of the Church; that there are so many women in its membership and service; their sensitive souls have responded intuitively to the high calls of Christ. He has done much for womanhood, and they know it.

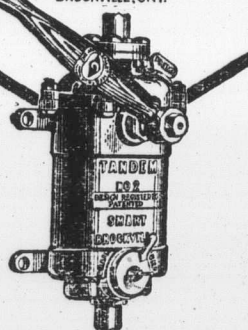
## Variegated Alfalfa

Common alfalfa has a violet flower which differs in degree of density from a very pale to a comparatively deep color. The flowers of the Variegated Alfalfa, however, include shades of blue, green and yellow as well as violet and also blends of these colors with each other. The July blossoms, in a series of thirty-four plots of different varieties and strains of alfalfa being tested in the Field Husbandry Department at the Ontario Agricultural College, show a variegation of from one to eighty-five per cent. In past experiments at the College, the common alfalfa of Ontario has proven tender and the variegated hardy. This variegated alfalfa is being grown successfully in a number of counties in Ontario, such as Welland, Lincoln, Peel and Haldimand. In Peel County an Alfalfa Club has been organized and this season over one hundred field of variegated alfalfa have been entered and inspected for seed production. Several carloads of hardy alfalfa seed was shipped from Peel County in 1922 in addition to a considerable amount which was sown locally.—Ontario Agricultural College.

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## HEALTH EDUCATION

BY DR. J. J. MIDDLETON  
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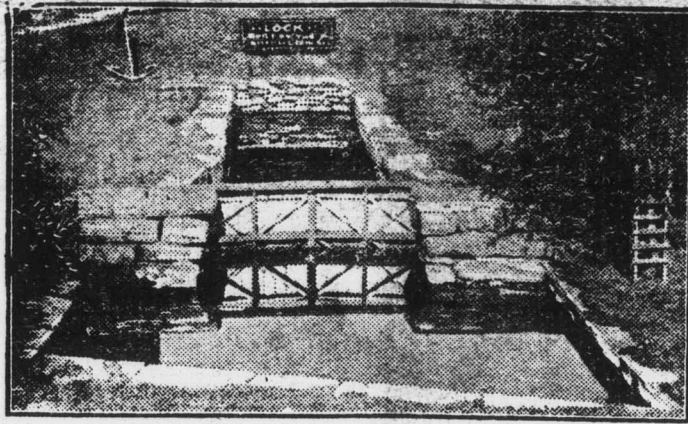
"When a child dies from diphtheria someone is always to blame, either the parents or the physician." This statement was made by one of the Medical Officers of Health during a discussion on diphtheria at the recent meeting of the Ontario Health Officers' Association.

Several reasons were given for the high mortality from diphtheria, one of which was the lack of knowledge on the part of the public to diagnose the disease. The public must be educated so that they will realize the danger of a "sore throat" which might be a mild case of diphtheria, and also the means of spreading the disease throughout the community. An example of this kind was given by one of the M.O.H.'s. He was called to a house as the mother thought that one of the children had croup, but on examination the boy was found to be suffering from a severe attack of diphtheria. The boy died the next day. There were two other children in the family, and on examination it was found that the older boy was suffering from a mild attack of diphtheria, without the family knowing he had even had it, while the little girl aged two years who looked very pale and ill was also suffering from diphtheria. This case, however, was taken in time

and with the use of antitoxin the child's life was saved.

Education of the public in this matter is of vital importance. It cannot be longer delayed if child mortality from diphtheria is to be reduced. Every sore throat is possibly dangerous—it may be diphtheria and it may not. Only the physician can decide which is serious and which is not, for the physician has scientific training and means at his personal disposal to make an early diagnosis where other people would not be certain what the ailment was.

A remarkable graphic summary of the number of deaths occurring per 100 cases, according to each successive day's delay in giving antitoxin, has been prepared in Philadelphia, and practically the same ratio prevails in Ontario. The number of deaths per 100 when the antitoxin was given the first day of the disease is 1.1; given the second day 5.6; third day 6.8; fourth day 7.7; fifth day 9.2; sixth day 9.5; seventh and later days 11.4. It can thus be seen at a glance that every hour is precious in the administration of antitoxin, so when little children develop sore throat nothing should be allowed to prevent the parent or guardian from calling in a doctor at the earliest possible moment.



18th Century Canoe Lock

VISITORS to Sault Ste. Marie during Discovery Week, August 4th to 11th, will no doubt find time to visit the first lock built in North America. Built by the North West Fur Company in 1797, this interesting relic of the pioneer days was restored by F. H. Clergue in 1896. The original was used by the fur traders to step down their canoes and bateaux at the rapids where the fall is 20 feet.

Discovery week is to commemorate the 300th anniversary of the Sault by Etienne Brule and Grenolle. Ojibway Indians will play Hiawatha on two afternoons, General Sir Arthur Currie, will unveil a memorial cairn to the discoverers and a program of gaiety for the whole week has been arranged which will attract visitors to this old part of Canada from all over the continent.

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## French Court Gives Ruling After 50 Years.

After considering the question for fifty years, the French courts have finally ruled that wife-beating is not legalized in France.

A domestic quarrel in May, 1872, resulted in a beating for a Parisian woman who immediately lodged a complaint with the authorities at Chantilly. If the husband who did the beating were now alive he might in principle face a jail term. Both litigants are dead, however, but the Supreme Court of France ground out the decision just the same.

A man's producing years are only twenty-five or thirty at most on the average, and so no time can be wasted, lost, or spent to poor purpose.

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## Costly Sugars Due to Excessive Care.

There are, incredible as it may seem, sugars that cost from \$75 to \$375 a pound. There are sugars for which such prices are asked, and which people buy. The most expensive of them is called dulcitol, and brings \$375 a pound. By comparison the other sugars seem cheap. Mannose, for example, costs only \$140 a pound. Mannose is made from the scraps that are left over in the making of vegetable ivory buttons.

Another sugar, mannite, is made from manna, the nutritive gum with which the children of Israel were fed in the wilderness. Manna forms in little flakelike scales which the wind blows into the air and carries to the ground some distance away. It has the delicate taste of a sweet water. Still another of the sugars, called xylose, is made from corn-cobs, and is priced at \$120 a pound.

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When my head is bowed to press of foemen  
Lord, give me laughter for a shield.

Grant me will to fight if not to conquer,  
Strength to keep my spirit from eclipse  
And let me hold at midnight and at noonday  
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More flags will rally round to laughter  
Than ever owned the sovereignty of tears.

Though I have no armor that is trusty  
And nothing but a wooden sword to wield,  
I shall go down fighting and not craven  
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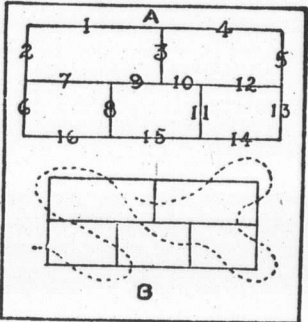
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The diagram A is composed of 16 lines. For your guidance they are numbered in the diagram but you need not number them in the diagram you draw for your friend.

The idea is to draw one continuous line which will cross each of the sixteen lines once and once only. It doesn't seem to be a difficult problem. B shows a solution that seems at first glance to be correct. A closer examination will show that the line fails to cross line number 10.

You may try as long as you like, but you will be unable to cross all of the 16 lines. Until you have tried several times, however, you will not realize how fascinating is this puzzle "which cannot be solved."

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### Peculiar Policies.

The \$67,500,000 life insurance policy just issued to cover the entire Philadelphia police department is surely the largest group policy ever taken out. In that respect it is remarkable. Other and more remarkable insurance policies, however, have been issued within recent months. A surprise was occasioned in London when it became known that a prominent company had granted a policy to one man insuring against the suicide of another who owed him money.

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They had occasion recently, however, to decline a proposal which was submitted only twelve days prior to the expected event!

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The American Appeal of Memphis, Tenn., says: "Compared to the next war, the struggle which has just ended will be as a fight between children is to a struggle between giants."

"The world do move!" The Methodist Episcopal Church in the United States is lifting the legal ban against dancing, theatre going, card playing and attendance at the circus.

After one of the most crushing defeats in history, Turkey has risen as a strong homogeneous republic. Eastern Thrace and Constantinople are restored to her, making her once more a European power. Instead of paying reparations, the Turks are the only ones to receive them. The "Great Powers" were beaten by the Turks because of their own moral and intellectual shortcomings. They were beaten, but the Greeks and Armenians pay the bill.

**NEWBORO**

Newboro, Aug. 6.—The social in aid of St. Mary's church held on the church grounds on August 1st was a decided success, the proceeds amounting to about \$185.

Mrs. Gerald Williams is spending a few weeks in Montreal.

Mrs. L. Leggett is improving in health.

Miss Lillian Landon, who has been visiting her sisters in Syracuse, and Utica, has returned home.

Mrs. Pomatier, of Syracuse, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Eli Wiltse.

Eli Wiltse has closed his harness shop for a time owing to ill-health.

Mrs. Baker and children, of Winnipeg, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Teit.

Miss Harriett Gardiner, of Kingston, who was the guest of Miss Honor Tett, has returned home.

Mrs. M. A. Bolton, who spent the past few weeks at her home, has returned to Brockville.

**JUNETOWN**

Junetown, July 31.—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Warren, Rochester, N.Y., were visitors at Arden Warren's for a couple of days last week.

Miss Beatrice Avery has returned home after a few days' visit with Miss Helen Purvis, Lyn.

Mrs. William Purvis and children, Margaret and Grant, have returned home from a two weeks' visit at Apple Hill with her sister, Mrs. Duncan McDonald.

Miss Aileen Avery was at Lillie's last week visiting Miss Margaret Booth.

Floyd Sheffield has returned home to Athens after spending the past two weeks with his uncle, Arden Warren.

Mrs. Maurice Kenny, Watertown, N.Y., and Mrs. A. E. Summers, Mallorytown, were guests of Mrs. J. A. Herbison for a few days last week.

J. Grant McDonald, Kingston, is spending his holidays at James S. Purvis'.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Modler and family, Morristown, were week-end visitors at H. Ferguson's.

Clifford Tennant, of Syracuse, N.Y., was here recently for a day's visit with his aunt, Mrs. Alvin Avery.

Miss Dorothy M. Tennant, Caintown, and Miss Jean M. Purvis, Purvis Street, were visitors at James S. Purvis' for a couple of days the past week.

Miss Kathleen Earl, Warburton, has returned home after a week's visit at the home of her grandfather, Walter Purvis.

Mrs. L. Leggett, Caintown, spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Whelan.

**Heron's Corners**

Heron's Corners, Aug. 4.—Miss Gladys Landon, of Ottawa, is visiting at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Stokes, of Jasper, spent Sunday at D. W. Faulkner's.

Mrs. Seymour Wright, of Brandon, Man., with her children, are visiting at Anson Wright's for a couple of months.

The funeral of Mrs. W. Salmon was held from her home to Gosford Church, where interment took place. The great sympathy of all the neighbors and friends is extended to Mr. Salmon and Stanley.



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**ADDISON**

Addison, July 31.—Mrs. A. Blanchard returned home from Carleton Place on Saturday.

Miss Edna Hewitt, Toronto, is at present spending her vacation at her home here.

Miss Beulah Brown has returned home from a vacation spent with friends at Mallorytown.

Mrs. Niblock, Athens, is at present a guest at the home of her brother, R. Kelley.

Mr. Nevin, Kingston, spent Monday a guest at the home of Almeron Blanchard.

Jessie Earl, Caintown, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Empey.

Dr. and Mrs. Kelly, Delta, were guests in Addison on Sunday.

Miss Fern Wiltse, Brockville, spent a few days last week at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. King and family spent Sunday with friends at Merrickville.

E. Wiltse, Brockville, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. E. O. Howe spent the weekend in Brockville with her daughter, Mildred, who is still a patient in the General Hospital.

Mrs. Rowsome, sr., is spending some time at the home of her son, J. Rowsome.

Mrs. Hammill, Riverhurst, Sask., is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Blanchard.

The Methodist Sunday school purposes holding a picnic in Mr. Taplin's grove on Friday, August 3rd.

Mrs. Herb. Brown is at present with her parents in Mallorytown.

**GOSFORD**

Gosford, July 31.—Mrs. Tresidder, New York, Mr. and Mrs. St. Terre and son, of Montreal, Mrs. Wing and her daughter, Mrs. Roy Campenny, of Havelock, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hale Eyre.

Mrs. J. Snowdon is spending a couple of weeks with her daughter, Mrs. W. Dillabough, at Merrickville.

Israel Throop is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Robert Perrin.

Miss Vera Dawson is in Brockville visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips and daughter, of London, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hunter.

Miss Grace Wylie called at J. J. Checkley's on Sunday last.

Miss Blanche Hough, of Maynard, visited Miss Pearl Dawson last week.

Harold Durham spent the week-end in Brockville.

Master Douglas Banker, of Belleville, is spending his holidays with his aunt, Mrs. A. Metcalfe.

Miss Rae Thompson is camping at Sharbot Lake with her aunt, Mrs. Buell.

Dwight Bennett, of Brockville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Bennett and children at Mrs. W. Metcalfe's.

**Notice of Registration  
of By-Law**

NOTICE is hereby given that a By-Law was passed by the Municipal Council of the Township of the Rear of Yonge and Escott on the 30th day of July, 1923, providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$15,000 for the purpose of the erection of a High School in the Village of Athens, and that such By-law was registered in the registry office of the Registry Division of the County of Leeds on the Seventh day of August, 1923. Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated the seventh day of August, 1923.

R. E. CORNELL, Clerk

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REAR YONGE AND ESCOTT COUNCIL.

The Council met on Saturday, July 28th, at one o'clock, with the members all present. Minutes of the last meeting read and adopted.

Accounts Ordered Paid.

Herbert Watts, bonus on 55 rods wire fence, \$8.80; D. Heffernan, refund statute labor tax, 1922, \$12.50; H. A. Stewart, for legal services, \$9; L. Tackaberry, for 300 bushels gravel, \$3; Geo. Cheatham, bonus on 17 rods stone fence, \$34; H. Burnham, on stone contract, \$85; O. A. Brundige, crushing 146 cords stone for township and colonization roads, \$766.50.

Resolution to pay for statute labor stone in Div. 20 was lost.

Application of the Athens High School Board for \$40,000 from the district was laid over until next meeting and Reeve Sheffield was instructed to request the village council to meet with the township council and arrange for acting upon the application.

Moved by F. G. Howorth, seconded by W. J. Taber, that this council do now adjourn to meet again on Monday, 30th, at 7.30.—Carried.

A joint meeting of the councils of the municipalities forming the Athens High School District was held on Monday evening, July 30th, and after thorough discussion the application of the High School Board for funds to assist in rebuilding the school, by-laws were passed by the respective councils whereby Athens is to provide \$25,000 and Rear of Yonge and Escott \$15,000 for the said purpose, subject to the township being given separation from the district by the counties council.

The township council passed a by-law authorizing the borrowing of \$5,000 from the Bank of Montreal for current expenses and adjourned until August 18th, or at the call of the receve.

R. E. CORNELL, Clerk.

WESTERN CANADA IN NEED OF 50,000 HARVESTERS.

Western Canada is in need of 50,000 harvesters to help in the grain fields. Canadian National Railways are making special arrangements to handle the large volume of travel expected by operating special trains through to Winnipeg without change. In addition, colonist cars will also be operated on some of the regular trains and same will run through to Winnipeg. The going dates are August 13 and 22.

The special trains will carry colonist cars of the latest design and lunch counter cars serving food and meals at

reasonable prices. Special colonist cars will also be provided for women and families.

The fare from any station in the Province of Quebec or Ontario will be \$15 to Winnipeg, plus one-half cent per mile beyond to points in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, Edmonton, Tannis, Calgary, MacLeod and East. For the return journey one-half cent per mile to Winnipeg, plus \$20 to original starting point in the East.

For tickets and further particulars apply to any agent of the Canadian National Railways, or to John W. Ridgeway, 4 Court House Avenue, Brockville, Ont.

ALGONQUIN

Algonquin, Aug. 6.—Miss Gertrude Lee, Kemptville, spent the past week, the guest of Miss Hazel Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hornbrook spent Sunday with Major Hancock and Mrs. Hancock, Prescott.

W. Reynolds, Watertown, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Reynolds.

Miss Ina Hess, Heckston, is visiting at the home of W. H. Latimer.

Stanley Darling, Brockville, spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Darling last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Bissell, Swift Current, Sask., former residents, are renewing old acquaintances here.

Quite a number of the young people went to Kingston last Friday and had a most enjoyable trip.

Under the auspices of the Women's Institute of Algonquin, a most enjoyable and successful lawn social was held in W. H. Latimer's lawn on Wednesday evening. Ideal weather conditions prevailed and a large number from the surrounding district were present. The booths in charge of energetic workers, were well patronized and a good programme of speeches and singing also music was furnished by the Prescott Citizens Band. The social was a decided success in every way.

The Methodist Sunday School picnic is to be held on Thursday at St. Lawrence Park, Brockville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowe and Miss Lowe, Ottawa, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Connell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Johnston and baby and Miss Summers motored from Lansdowne Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Far Cooper.

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Many Visitors Reported at Country Homes.

LEEDS - GRENVILLE NEWS

Rev. Mr. McDonald Conducts Service in Presbyterian Church at Bishop's Mills.

Van Allan's Corners, July 31.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Cook and Dean and Doris, of Spencerville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Brown on Sunday.

J. S. Gemmill and Miss Morine, of Brockville, were guests of A. C. MacNillage on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Hanna, of Toronto, were guests of Mrs. Joseph Portu on Wednesday.

Mrs. Adam Torrance and daughter, Miss Minnie, of North Bay, also Mrs. Frank Alkerton, of Donville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown last week.

Miss Ruby Selleck, of Ottawa, is the guest of her parents here.

Rob Torrance entertained a number of friends on Tuesday evening in honor of her sister, Mrs. C. Hogan and son, Addison, of Moose Jaw. A delightful time was spent in music, cards and dancing, after which refreshments were served.

Mrs. Theodore Gates, of Westport, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. George Rappie, of Brockville, motored here on Tuesday to visit friends.

John Beggs, of Heckston, was a recent guest of his brother here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spero and children, of Ottawa, spent Sunday with P. Spero.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. MacNillage for the week-end were: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pelton, Donald and Dorothy and Miss Gwen Pelton, of Ottawa; Mrs. J. Hyndman, of Hymdman; Kenneth Thorpe, of Hurlburt; Miss Mildred Brown, of Groveton, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cook, of Ogdensburg. Miss Jennie MacNillage accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Cook home to Ogdensburg and will spend several weeks there.

TOLEDO

Toledo, Aug. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. John White are entertaining the former's mother, Mrs. George White, of Delta, and sister, Miss Elsie White, of Montreal.

M. Rape, of Elgin, was a recent visitor at his old home here.

Miss Annie Moore, of Ottawa, is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Walsh.

A good many from here patronized the social held under the auspices of the Methodist church in Frankville, on Tuesday night 31st ult., and the Roman Catholic social held at Oliver's Ferry on Wednesday night, the 1st inst.

C. A. Wood took the boat at Brockville, Wednesday morning, for Montreal, where he will spend a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Hartley and Mr. Hartley.

The ladies of the Union Church are planning an extra good time for the evening of the 15th inst., when a chicken social will be held in Toledo.

Miss Irene Gray intends leaving on Monday to spend a couple of weeks visiting relatives in Alexandria Bay, N.Y.

Dr. Joseph Boulger, and party of Chicago, motored through this district recently en route to a camp on Delta Lake, and stopped en route to visit friends, including Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McNamee and family.

Orville Brundige on the members of his stone-crushing outfit are doing excellent work in the vicinity of Bellamy's Mills, grading and putting stone on the county road leading from Bastard township northeast toward Toledo.

The Union Bank branch at Toledo was open, as usual, Thursday afternoon business being fairly brisk. The Kitley township council also met on that day and in the evening the Organemen held their monthly meeting in their hall here.

Haying in this section is practically finished, with a surplus above the average, but the grain crop will be almost nil, unless the drought is broken very soon.

Lloyd DeWolfe, of Toledo and his uncle, W. DeWolfe, of Ottawa, were camping recently at Otter Lake for a short time.

Clifford Gray has purchased the Huton property in this village and has disposed of his present residence to Mrs. A. Riley.

George Aley is slowly but steadily improving in health.

FAIRFIELD

Fairfield, July 31.—Miss Gladys Flood has returned home from a visit with friends at Sheatoun and Gananoque.

Mrs. S. Sheets, Brockville, spent a couple of days last week visiting Mrs. German Glazier at J. D. Smith's.

Miss Florence Stacey, Jellyby, is the guest of Miss Inga Acheson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Charlton and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blanchard of Junetown, were Sunday visitors at T. Charlton's.

The social at D. A. Johnston's in aid of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church on Monday evening was a decided success. The proceeds amounted to over \$100.

Borden Kavanagh, Watertown, who spent the past three weeks with his brother, Robbie Kavanagh, left on Saturday to visit at Athens.

Here and There

The total elevator capacity of Port Arthur and Fort William will reach 65,000,000 bushels by September of this year. By the end of 1924 the elevator capacity is expected to reach seventy millions.

Immigration returns of the Canadian Government for the first five months of the present year show a one hundred per cent increase in immigration from the British Isles over the figures for the same period of last year.

The 1923 apple crop of the Okanagan Valley will amount to 4,620 cars according to the estimate of W. T. Hunter, district horticulturist. This is an increase of 29 per cent over last year and a record for the district. The apple crop for Keatenay and boundary districts will approximate 380,000 boxes.

A new high record of production was established by Canadian newspaper mills during May with 110,252 tons an increase of nearly 10,000 tons over the month of April and 15,750 over May of last year. The daily production in May was 4,084 tons, the highest in the history of the Canadian industry.

Following the opening of the Banff-Windermere Motor Highway, Lieutenant Governor Nichol of British Columbia and Randolph Bruce were honored by the Kootenay Indians who made them an honorary chief and full chieftain of their tribe respectively. The Indian celebrations were held at Invermere in the beautiful Windermere Valley.

Several new air stations are to be opened in Ontario and Quebec in the near future for the purpose of extending the forest area to be patrolled by airplanes. A base is to be established at Ramsay Lake near Sudbury, and from this point all Ontario work will radiate; operations being carried on at Orient Bay, Remi Lake and at least two other substations not yet announced.

If the Canadian pre-war exports of flour are considered as 100, the Dominion's average export total between 1921 and 1923 can be considered as 207. Comparatively, pre-war exports of the United States being rated at 100, its present export is at the rate of 147. This indicates that Canada has more than doubled her export trade in flour while the United States has increased its trade by 47 per cent. Before the war Canada exported 3,832,000 barrels, while at present her exports average 7,885,000 barrels a year.—"Journal of Commerce."

Mr. Georges Delrue, one of the most important personages of France arrived in Montreal by the S.S. "Minnedosa" to take up residence at St. Johns, Que. Georges is two and a half years old and has spent most of his life with his grand parents in Tourcoin, a small town on the border line of Belgium and France. The journey from the old homestead, via Antwerp, Georges made alone but never out of sight of the watchful eyes of the officials and servants of the company.

Major General Lord Lovett, a passenger on the Canadian Pacific liner "Montcalm," and delegate to the British Empire Forestry Conference, Ottawa, said in connection with his investigations into Canadian forestry methods and applied science, "England has but a small forest area in comparison to Canada, nevertheless, her forests were depleted two-thirds to meet the emergencies of the War, and now we are determined to recover this loss by practical reforestation. We have been working at this for the last three years and expect to make a completion of our work in another year."

MAYNARD

Maynard, Aug. 7.—Mrs. Howard Quartus and little daughter are visiting friends at Merrickville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cranston and children of Kingston, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Robinson, on Sunday.

The Methodist Sunday school enjoyed its annual picnic at St. Lawrence Park, Brockville, on the 2nd.

Mrs. David Bovaird, Row's Corners, and her friend, Miss Gladys Robinson, of Toronto, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson last week. The Women's Institute will hold its August meeting on the 15th with a demonstration of pickles and salads, and the roll call is "Household Hints."

Miss Reta Murray has returned home from Kemptville, where she has been taking an agricultural course.

Miss A. Campbell, of Ottawa, spent her holidays with her friend, Miss M. Row.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ogilvie and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barton, of Merrickville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Quartus on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Greer and two daughters, of New York, are spending a pleasant holiday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Hough and Mr. and Mrs. Carman Hough this week.

The Ladies' Aid met at the parsonage on the 6th and held its business meeting.

The annual harvest supper of the Methodist church will be held on the 28th and the anniversary services will be on Sunday, the 26th, both morning and evening.

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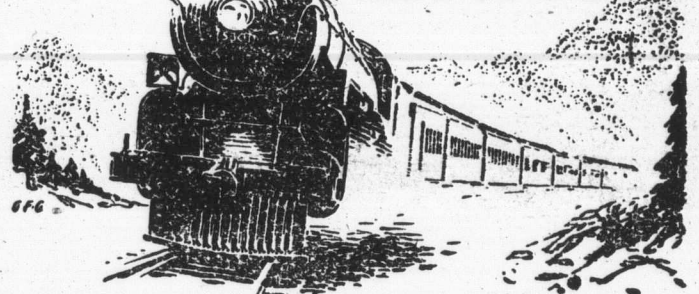


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## His Name Was Preserved Fish

—BY RICHARD CONNELL.

### PART I.

A new baby lay in the old cradle. It was very red, very small, and very noisy, and in no way strikingly different from most two-day-old babies. Its mother, from the bright brass bed its father had given her as a silver wedding present, regarded it with interest, but without excitement. New babies were no treat to her; this was her ninth.

Her name was Mrs. Fish, and her husband's name was Mr. Walter Fish, and so, by the custom of the country, the new infant in the old cradle was also named Fish.

Mr. Walter Fish, who blew glass for a living, came home presently. He bestowed an affectionate smile, nod, and grunt on his wife, as was his wont, and poked his newest son meditatively with his forefinger.

"What'll we call 'im, Lulu?" he asked of his wife.

She smiled to herself, for she knew the question to be purely a rhetorical one, requiring no answer from her. Mr. Walter Fish knew perfectly well what he wanted to call the child. She remembered the brisk debates that had attended the choice of names for the other eight. However, with every appearance of finality, she said, "We'll call him 'Douglas'."

Mr. Walter Fish sneezed. "Douglas!" he ejaculated. "After an actor? And a picture actor at that? My son? Never!"

His rejection of "Douglas," as he drew himself up to his full height, five feet four inches, was dramatic if not even superb.

"We will call the child," he said in the tones he employed as past grand inside guard of his lodge, "Nathaniel. After my great-grandfather," he explained.

After Grandfather Nathaniel Beamish, who was arrested for stealing geese from Boston Common?" asked Mrs. Fish, with well-simulated innocence.

"No!" was Mr. Walter Fish's instant and indignant reply. "After Grandfather Nathaniel Babbitt, the undertaker and—"

"Never!" broke in Mrs. Fish. "Embalmers," finished Mr. Fish sternly. "Besides," he added, with a touch of persuasion, "Nathaniel is a good old Scripture name."

"But 'Douglas' is so pretty," insisted Mrs. Fish.

She was of the Romantic School, he of the Biblical. To avoid family strife, they had compromised by taking turns naming the successive Fishes. To Mrs. Fish's credit were Gwendolyn, Millicent, Dewey, and Galahad Fish. Mr. Fish was proudly responsible for Zacharias, Elihu, Dorcas, and Joshua Fish. The score was even. And now here was the ninth and, quite certainly, the last Fish. Both parents realized that the question of

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## About the House

### LABOR-SAVERS WHEN FEEDING HUNGRY MEN.

The telephone bell rang out its imperative jingle as Mrs. Stanley was in the midst of her usual Wednesday morning bread-mixing act. As she began to hastily rid her fingers of the dough, Julia came in from the garden with a pail of big red strawberries.

"I'll answer it, mother. I think it is Jane calling about the picnic," she sang as she hurried to the telephone. But this is what Mrs. Stanley heard:

"Hello!"

"No, this is Julia."

A minute's pause.

"Yes, Mrs. Gray, I would be very glad to help you. When do you want me to come over?"

"Yes, I have the berries all picked and will be right over."

As Julia turned away from the telephone, there was a determined look in her expression.

"Mother, if Jane calls, tell her I can't go to the picnic," she said. "I am going over to help Mrs. Gray with the barn-raising."

The Stanleys had recently moved from the city and were new at the farming game. With plans to marry a young farmer of their community in the fall, Julia was anxious to grasp the opportunity to get some first-hand experience in feeding farm help on the farm. With this in view, the picnic did not enter into consideration.

And so, armed with an apron and a Ford, she was very soon in Mrs. Gray's kitchen assisting her in preparing the dinner for fifteen or more hungry men. It was all a wonderful revelation to Julia. She had lived the greater part of her nineteen summers in the city and small town, and to her the haying time, threshing time, and silo-filling time on a large farm was an enormous task, one greatly to be dreaded. But that afternoon as she returned home, it was with a much changed viewpoint, and she was eager to tell her mother of the new things she had learned.

She found her mother on the porch doing the mending and in answer

Mr. and Mrs. Fish exchanged quick, meaningful glances.

"What is your name?" asked Mrs. Fish genially. "I never did know for sure."

"P." said the uncle solemnly, "stands for 'Preserved.'"

"What?"

"Preserved," repeated the uncle. "It's a fine old name, too. Comes down from the Pilgrim Fathers of Plymouth Rock, that name does."

"It's sort of odd," mused the mother, "and sort of romantic like."

"It's a Scripture name, ain't it?" asked the father.

"You're both right," the uncle replied amiably. "It's sort of romantic and it's sort of Scripture. Why, a child with a name like that is practically sure to go straight to the Promised Land. The Lord will preserve us, you know."

"We'll think about it," said the father, eyeing the walrus bag. "Can I help you upstairs with that grip?"

"Oh, no," said the uncle hastily. "Don't bother. I guess this old craft can carry a cargo yet a while."

He rolled out of the room on his caster legs, puffing and wheezing beneath the weight of the bag.

When the visitors had gone, Mr. Fish turned to his wife.

"Praps it's gold," he said.

"Or precious jewels and gems," murmured the romantic Mrs. Fish. "He was to India once."

Mr. Fish poked his head out of the room and called, "Galley! Galley! You come here to poppa."

Galahad Fish, a tow-headed little demon of seven, came.

"Galley," said his father, "you go sneak up to Uncle P. Robinson's room and peek through the keyhole and see what he's got in that big black bag. Sneak like you was an Indian, Galley."

Galahad sneaked from the room with elaborate caution.

"His eye just reaches the keyhole," remarked the father with a touch of pride.

Galahad returned shortly, visibly excited.

"What's in the bag?" his father queried in a low voice.

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"Nope, Poppa, paper moneys. Heaps an' heaps an' heaps—"

"What color?" his father interrupted, gripping his arm.

"Green an' yaller. Mostly yaller. There was heaps an' heaps an' heaps—"

"Are you sure it was yaller?" The father's grip on his offspring's arm tightened.

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to her mother's question as to what she had learned that afternoon, she sat out beside her to tell her all about it.

"Mrs. Gray is certainly a wonderful little housekeeper. With the three children on the farm, she gets along splendidly. She had planned a very simple but ample meal, and it seemed to appeal to every one of the hungry men. She served:

- Roast Beef
- Browned Potatoes
- Bread and Butter
- String Beans
- Cucumber Pickles
- Radishes
- Fresh Cherry Pie
- Lemonade

"The meat she had roasted yesterday, so it had only to be re-heated. I peeled the potatoes and got them ready while she prepared the string beans. I helped to make the cherry pie, too, and now I know how to keep them from running over. Just add about one and a half or two teaspoonfuls of flour mixed with sugar, and they will never run over a bit. Mrs. Gray also added about one-quarter teaspoon of soda to the sugar for each pie, and it didn't take only about three-quarters as much sugar, and the flavor was just as good.

SWEETEN LEMONADE WITH SUGAR.

"In making the lemonade, we used half oranges and half lemons, and sweetened it with syrup instead of the dry sugar, and this helped to beat Mr. Sugar Profiteer, too. Several of the men complimented her on how good it was, and said that in warm weather they preferred it to coffee.

"It was no trouble at all for us to arrange the dinner on the table, as Mrs. Gray has one of those handy little wheel trays, or tea carts. We could put so many things on it at once and wheel it right in beside the diningroom table. It was just made of one of those old-fashioned washstands like we have up in the back bedroom, painted in white, trimmed in buff and blue. But it saves a good many steps and the drawer is used for silverware."

"I am so glad you went," interposed Mrs. Stanley. "You have gained some good experience that will help you when you and Jerry start housekeeping on the farm."

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SAVE ON WASHING DAY.

"I don't see how she could eliminate that," said Julia's mother, "there must at least have been a few towels."

"No, not even any towels," declared Julia. "She had purchased a roll of paper toweling and the men never

complained about using them at all. She had also purchased a large paper tablecloth and napkins. When the table was cleared, all were chucked into the stove and there was no thought of extra washing on Monday."

"I have missed you to-day, daughter, with the canning," said her mother, "but I am so glad you went, for you certainly have come home with a pocket full of experience."

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Vancouver en Fete to Receive Chief Executive of the Republic — Dominion's Distinguished Guest Delivers Eloquent Address.

A despatch from Vancouver says:—More than 40,000 persons heard President Warren G. Harding deliver a message of warm friendship and admiration for Canada. Realizing the significance of the occasion—the first time a holder of his high office has visited Canada—the reception accorded him along the line of march and at Stanley Park, where the address was delivered, was most impressive in its enthusiasm.

The President himself frankly admitted that the welcome far exceeded expectations of himself or his party and declared that he regarded it as a new assurance that the Dominion of Canada and the United States will go along hand-in-hand, side-by-side, toward fulfillment of the destinies of the two great democracies.

The manifestations of welcome were continuous, beginning Thursday morning when the naval transport Henderson, bearing the president and his party from Alaska, steamed into Burrard Inlet and received from the British light cruiser Curley a salute of 21 guns, and continuing until 9.30 o'clock at night when, after attending a state dinner given by the Governments of the Dominion and of the Province of British Columbia, Mr. Harding returned to the Henderson for the overnight voyage to Seattle. It was a welcome bespeaking friendship and cordiality not alone for the man himself, but for the great nation he represented.

Declaring that the traditional friendship existing between Canada

and the United States presents an excellent example to other parts of the world, the President said a significant symptom of the growing mutuality of the two countries appeared in the fact that a voluntary exchange of residents, wholly free from restrictions, has been going on. "Our natural and industrial exigencies have made it necessary for us, greatly to our regret to limit immigration. But there is no quota for Canada. We gladly welcome all your sturdy, steady stock who care to come, as a strengthening ingredient and influence."

On the historic moment when the President set foot on Canadian soil the first gun of the 21-gun artillery salute sounded. Escorted by General Victor Odlum, the naval officers and members of the United States Cabinet, the President inspected the guard of honor, which on his arrival presented arms, while the band struck up "The Star Spangled Banner."

Some time was taken up with the inspection. The President showed keen interest in the officers and men, many of whom wore numerous medals, indicating long and splendid service in the battlefields overseas.

Then the President was escorted back to where Dominion, Provincial and civic authorities presented official addresses of welcome, expressing keen appreciation of the more than a century of peace between the two nations, a keen desire of promoting still more friendly trade relations and admiration for the nation itself and genuine cordiality for the men representing that nation.



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## U. S. COAL MINERS SET FORTH TERMS

Check-off and Cased Shop Included in Demands — Operators Refuse.

A despatch from Atlantic City, N. J., says:—Full recognition of the union, the check-off and the closed shop, were demanded of the anthracite operators by John L. Lewis on Thursday, as the price for further discussion of a wage contract that will keep the hard coal mines open after August 31, when the present contract expires. The operators declined to submit and a hasty adjournment was taken in the hope that overnight one side or the other will recede from its position.

That either side will recede appears most doubtful. Mr. Lewis in a formal statement, insisting it must be full recognition, the check-off and the closed shop, or nothing, while an equally formal statement by Samuel D. Warriner, spokesman for the operators, left no doubt they will be as adamant when the gavel drops on Friday.

This crisis in the negotiations coming at least ten days ahead of time, does not necessarily mean that the mines will close August 31. Nearly five weeks remain in which negotiations may be resumed and the contract completed, ample time for the intervention by the Harding Administration.

A later despatch says:—Anthracite scale negotiations were broken off indefinitely at the Hotel Ambassador on Friday afternoon. Both sides seemingly await the effect at Washington.

Operators and miners met in joint subcommittees only to find the overnight truce had failed to soften the sudden deadlock on the demand for union recognition and the "check-off." Operators stood on unequivocal rejection. Miners reiterated the ultimatum that any renewal of the contract for 155,000 men in the hard coal fields September 1 was contingent upon acceptance.

Adjournment was taken "subject to the call of the Secretary at request of either side." Miners, in fighting mood, at first urged adjournment "sine die," but did not press it.

Samuel D. Warriner, the operators' leader, proposed submitting "all matters at issue to arbitration, work at the mines to continue pending the results of such arbitration." He also offered to renew the present wage scale to April 1, 1925, and to write into a new contract abolition of the 12-hour day where it was in effect, and speeding up of the Board of Conciliation, and to "endeavor to embody in the contract clauses covering those minor matters which we have expressed a willingness to consider during the present negotiations."

The offer to renew the present wage scale for 18 months was based by Warriner on belief that wages to-day "are far above the increase in the cost of living as compared with the pre-war period," and upon testimony of the U. S. Coal Commission's recent report that these earnings were adequate to "permit the essentials of a reasonable standard of living."

## King Gets Letter Sent to Sailor's Sweetheart.

A despatch from London says:—In Stockholm a few days ago King Gustav of Sweden received the following letter through the post: "Darling, on Monday at 6 p.m. I'll expect you at Odinsplace. I'll wait until 7, but you must be sure to come. ESTER."

The King examined the letter closely and found the postmark had obliterated the name of a sailor aboard the training ship King Gustav, with the result that the letter was forwarded to the royal palace.

Later that day officers in the training ship received the message that by order of the King, Ester's sweetheart was to be given a holiday the following Monday.



**HON. MARY E. SMITH**  
Former member of the government of British Columbia and at present member for Vancouver city, is en route to Britain on an immigration commission. Mrs. Smith has the honor to be the first woman of the British Empire to be a member of a government.

## Alberta Needs 10,000 Harvesters from Ontario.

A despatch from Edmonton says:—About 13,000 men will be required to harvest Alberta's bumper grain crop. At least 3,000, it is anticipated, will be available from Alberta itself, leaving about 10,000 to be brought in from outside points. A campaign to obtain the harvesters is beginning locally, and will be prosecuted outside also; and, in fact, is already under way on a fairly large scale.

## Fire Loss at Wynyard Estimated at \$110,800

A despatch from Saskatoon says:—Wynyard, on Thursday morning, following the disastrous fire which wiped out the business section of the town Wednesday night, resembled a shell-wrecked town of the war areas in France. The total loss has been estimated at \$110,800, covered by insurance to a little over \$39,900.

# PREMIER AND CABINET GO DOWN TO DEFEAT IN P. E. I. ELECTIONS

A despatch from Charlottetown, P. E. I., says:—The Conservatives made almost a clean sweep in the Provincial elections on Friday, the Bell Government coming out of the debacle with only four seats out of thirty, according to what are practically complete returns.

The Opposition carried the whole ten seats in King's County, where the leader, J. D. Stewart, K.C., was running.

In Queen's County the result was nine Conservatives and one Liberal. In Prince County three Liberals and seven Conservatives were elected.

Every member of the Bell Government was defeated in almost every case by large majorities.

The new Opposition leader will probably be A. C. Saunders, K.C., of

Summerside, who has, as his followers, his colleagues W. H. Dennis, in the second district of Prince; Creelman McArthur, of Summerside, and J. C. Irving, of Cherry Valley.

The Government members defeated in addition to the Premier were: Hon. Walter M. Lea, Com. of Agriculture and Provincial Secretary; Hon. Cyrus W. Crosby, Com. of Public Works, and the following members of the Government without portfolio: Hon. G. E. Hughes, Hon. Robert H. Cox, Hon. David Macdonald, Hon. Frederick J. Nash and Hon. Jeremiah Blanchard. Hon. James-J. Johnston, Attorney-General, was not nominated for the present elections.

The weather was fine and a large vote was polled. Women voted for the first time in an island Provincial election.

## The Week's Markets

**TORONTO.**  
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Rye—No. 2, nominal.  
Peas—No. 2, \$1.40 to \$1.45.  
Millfeed—Del., Montreal freights, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$25 to \$26; shorts, per ton, \$27 to \$29; middlings, \$33 to \$35; good feed flour, \$2.15 to \$2.25.  
Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, nominal.  
Ontario No. 2 white oats—46 to 48c.  
Ontario corn—Nominal.  
Ontario flour—Ninety per cent. pat., in jute bags, Montreal, prompt shipment, \$5.10 to \$5.20; Toronto basis, \$5.05 to \$5.15; bulk seaboard, \$4.95 to \$5.



**HON. JOHN S. BELL**  
The defeated Premier of Prince Edward Island. He went down along with all his Cabinet Ministers.

## DEBATES QUESTION OF JOINING LEAGUE

**Ireland Declared "Free Country Taking Its Place With Other Nations of World.**

A despatch from Dublin says:—Ireland's new position in the world, created by the rebellion and the treaty, was brought out in bold relief by proceedings in the Irish Senate on Friday afternoon in connection with the League of Nations Guarantee Bill and the Land Bill.

The former is a bill to authorize the Executive Council of the Free State to give certain guarantees to the League and to accept the regulations prescribed by it.

In the course of the debate, Desmond Fitzgerald, Foreign Minister, said the bill was introduced in the Dail and Senate to register an opinion on the advisability or otherwise of joining the League. If they joined it, he proceeded, it would be because they thought it beneficial to the country and because they believed Ireland was a country of the world, not alone of Europe—a free country taking its place with the other countries of the world in considering the interests of all. They also believed association with other countries would establish Ireland as a beneficent power.

Leave was granted to introduce the bill, and the Senate proceeded with the second stage of the land bill, which gave the Earl of Mayo an opportunity of calling up bygone times to pay a tribute to the present. He congratulated Minister of Agriculture Hogan on the carriage of the intricate and difficult bill through the Dail, and hoped that finally a settlement of the land question was approaching. He, too, struck an international note, warning the Irish farmers that they would have to compete with farmers of other countries where farming was carried on on a large scale.



**SIR RICHARD SQUIRES**  
Who has resigned the Premiership of Newfoundland following disclosures of corruption in certain branches of his administration. Sir Richard, who was only 39 when elected Premier, was then the youngest Premier in the British Empire.

A fast life soon means a full stop. If you want to keep cool, don't use hot words.



**Our Guest.**  
His Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales, who is coming to Canada in the early autumn, on a private visit, it is officially announced. He will not accept any public engagements.

## LEVIATHAN OUTDISTANCED TORPEDOES

Speed as Transport Enabled Big Ship to Outrace 8 U-Boats.

A despatch from Paris says:—The recent speed record of the Leviathan has reminded Admiral Degouty that even when the liner was a transport she had enough speed to outrace eight German torpedoes.

One morning in 1918, he relates, the Leviathan was bringing in 13,000 American troops to Brest. Four submarines were sighted, set in position to fire a broadside as the vessel steamed past. The Leviathan opened fire with four-inch guns and the submarines submerged in order to approach nearer and launch their torpedoes.

As soon as their periscopes disappeared the Leviathan's engines began racing and when the U-boats came up again, each with two torpedoes ready, they were far astern, having sadly misjudged the liner's speed. They fired their torpedoes anyway, but the Leviathan was going so fast they never overhauled her.

## Cathedral of Liverpool Now Half Built.

A despatch from London says:—The Cathedral of Liverpool has reached the halfway stage in its construction this week, nineteen years after the laying of the foundation stone in the largest church ever built in England.

The size of the cathedral when finished will be exceeded only by St. Peter's of Rome, being approximately equal in size to the Cathedral of Seville and larger than that of Milan. Only three churches of cathedral rank have been built in this country since the dissolution of State and Church.

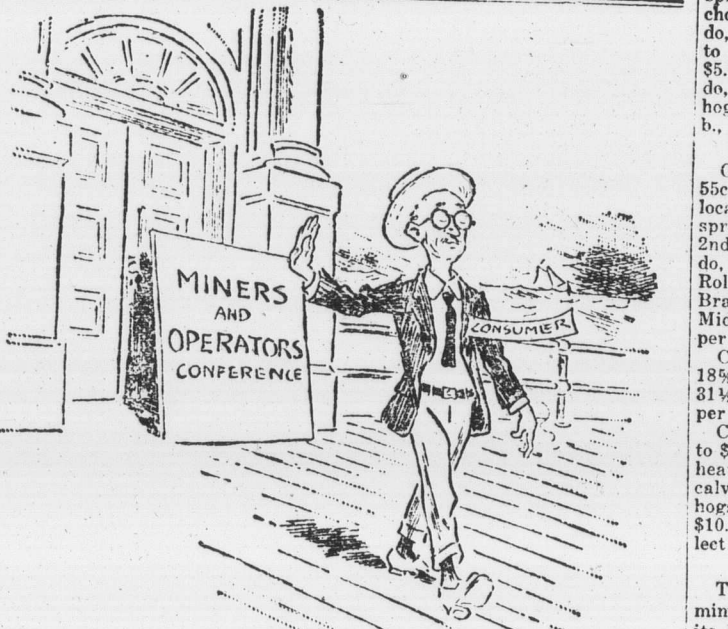
The Liverpool cathedral will be half as large again as St. Paul's in London, three times as large as the Roman Catholic cathedral in Westminster and five times the area of ruro. It will dwarf all the medieval churches in the country, exceeding by more than half the area of York Minster, at present the largest church in England.

Designed by Giles Gilbert Scott, a grandson of the famous ecclesiastical architect, Sir Gilbert Scott, when he was only twenty-one years of age, the cathedral is a free interpretation of fourteenth century Gothic, challenging comparison with the work of the master masons in the Middle Ages. It is situated on the rocky mass of St. James Mount, in the centre of the city, more than 100 feet above the Mersey, and will be the dominating feature of the city, seen by vessels entering port.

The King is expected to be present at the consecration of the choir in July of next year, but it is impossible to forecast when the great cathedral will be finally completed, as it is being built in sections, according to the amount of money available.

A brick chimney 83 feet high in Maine was recently moved 8 feet without injury.

Vancouver will have shipped about 19,000,000 bushels of grain when the crop year 1922-23 draws to a close this summer, according to statistics issued by the Vancouver Merchants' Exchange. During the previous crop year about 6,750,000 bushels of grain had been shipped. Up to the end of June, 18,376,587 bushels of the 1922 prairie crop had passed through Vancouver.



"WHY WORRY; I'LL HAVE TO PAY FOR IT."  
—De Mar, in the Philadelphia Record.

## Drop in Cattle Prices on English Market.

A despatch from London says:—Due to considerable numbers of Canadian store cattle shipped to England in the Spring being placed on the market, as well as English cattle, there has been a steady weakening in prices during the last month. This was accentuated by the hot weather of the last two or three weeks, so that Canadian store and fat cattle which a month ago were selling at sixty-five shillings per 112 pounds or slightly over, sold on Thursday at fifty-five shillings per 112 pounds or even lower.

## Oldest Colonial College to Move to Halifax.

A despatch from Halifax, says:—The Board of Governors of King's College, Windsor, voted sixteen to seven to-night in favor of federation of their college with Dalhousie University at Halifax. This is announced as the final decision of King's and it is anticipated that the college will open in Halifax this fall instead of in Windsor. King's was founded in Windsor in the latter part of the eighteenth century and is the oldest college in the British Dominions overseas. It is an Anglican institution.



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# LOCAL NEWS

## ATHENS AND VICINITY

Ice Cream, Confectionery and fruits at Maud Addison's.

NOTICE—No copy for "The Reporter" will be accepted later than Wednesday (noon)

Rev. T. Mott, an attendant of our High School and Methodist Church when a boy, had charge of the Methodist Church service last Sunday a.m.

Mrs. S. Pearce is spending most of the summer at the Outlet with her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) W. E. Steacy, of New York City.

Mrs. Charles Hillis and children, of Gouverneur, N.Y., spent part of last week here guests of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Alex. Eaton.

Mr. W. Morris and Mrs. Morris, of Ottawa, were in town on Friday for a few hours, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sheffield.

Mr. Alex. Campbell, formerly principal of the Athens High School, was an unsuccessful aspirant for the office of Public School Inspector for the inspectorate of No. 1, Lanark.

Miss Muriel Fair and brother, Steacy Fair, left on Monday for Vancouver to visit their sister (Edna), Mrs. Thompson and may remain there for a time.

Mrs. A. E. Thornhill and Master Reggie Purcell have returned home after spending a few weeks at Plessis, N.Y., visiting at the home of Mrs. Thornhill's son, Allie Thornhill, and when coming home called at the following places, Thressa, N.Y., Lafargeville, N.Y., Alexandria Bay, N.Y., and Brockville, Ont.

Little Miss Helen Sheffield and Master Donald Day spent a day this week with their grandmother, Mrs. William Cross, at Athens.—Gananogue Journal.

Postmaster Johnston is making every effort to give the very limit in service to the patrons of the post office here. It is certainly a credit the way in which the office (involving as it does so much detail) is handled.

If you are interested in a good story be sure and read "A Lover in Chains," by Elizabeth York Miller, appearing in the Detroit Free Press. On sale at R. J. Campo's store—"The Bazaar."

Messrs. Gordon Lawson and A. Parish have excelled this week in bill posting for Sports Day. Their good work should bear fruit on August 15. Over 200 large bills were printed and carefully distributed.

The sons of indulgent parents, the lads who ride bare-headed in yellow sport cars and talk boastfully about "my bootlegger," the jazzy lounge-lizards who fatten on dad's indulgences, are the greatest menace in this country to-day.

Several memorial windows are being placed in St. James' Anglican Church, Kemptonville. Among them is one by the Hon. and Mrs. G. H. Ferguson, in memory of their infant child, and two by Mr. Ferguson in memory of his father and mother, the late Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Ferguson.

Annual All-day Sports Day under the direction of the Athens Amateur Athletic Association will be held on the race track grounds on Wednesday, August 15th. The program will consist of baseball tournament, field sports, concert, dance, etc. Athens Brass Band in attendance. Be sure and see the grand parade at 1 o'clock. For particulars see posters.

Athens will be without a Chautauqua this year because of lack of a sufficient number of guarantors. We note in our reading of the press at different other points that a return engagement is not being booked, the reason given being the same as complained of here—the Chautauqua people want the towns to assume an altogether unreasonably amount of risk. If these entertainments are to hold their own in the future there will necessarily have to be a modification of the contract whereby the local guarantors will receive a little more compensation.

Mr. Dick Lawson and family are moving into Dr. Paul's house this week.

Master Clifton Williams, of Chicago, is spending part of his holidays with his grandmother, Mrs. McMonagle.

Jack Kilborn, of the Standard Bank at Unionville, Ont., (near Toronto) is home for his two weeks' holidays.

Mr. D. L. King has disposed of several of his choice western horses since the auction sale.

Old Mrs. Curvan, who used to reside near here, spent part of last week here with friends. Her home is at Toledo, Ont., now.

Miss Georgia Berry, Portage la Prairie, Man., has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Leadbeater, Reid street.

Mrs. Emmett Covey, of Alton, Ont., with her two children are visiting at the home of Mrs. Covey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hawkins.

Mrs. James Hawkins, of Brewer's Mills, spent part of last week here, a guest of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hawkins.

Mrs. Wm. Spicer, of Newboro, has returned home, having recently spent a few days at the home of her brother, Mr. Lewis Stevens.

The Misses Bessie Ferguson and Myrtle Clow, of Lyn, were guests of Mrs. H. R. Knowlton on Saturday last.

Mrs. L. W. Griffing, Mr. Willard Spicer, wife and little girl recently motored from Syracuse, N.Y., to spend a couple of weeks with their sister, Mrs. A. Parish.

Mrs. Frank Hutton (nee Miss Gertrude Cook), of Guelph, spent a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cross, and on Sunday a.m. sang a pleasing solo in the Methodist Church. She went home by Rideau Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon A. Stewart and family, of Cohoes, N.Y., also Mr. Ross Stewart, of Montreal, spent two weeks visiting their mother, Mrs. Margaret Stewart, and brother Clinton. While here they motored to several places to see friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Loveland and children, of Watertown, N.Y., accompanied by Mrs. David Wilson and Miss Kate Wilson, spent the weekend at the home of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Eaton and Miss Edna Eaton.

Miss Marguerite Morris, Delta, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, Brockville, on Sunday evening is making the necessary progress and will soon be able to return home.

The staff for the session of 1923-24 of the Athens High School, which will be reopened on Sept. 4, will be as follows: A. D. Campbell, B. A., principal and mathematics; B. D. Murwick, science; Miss Viola Warren, B. A., moderns; and Miss Helen de Renzey, B. A., classics. Mr. Campbell acted as assistant on the staff of the school at the time of its destruction by fire.

In last week's "Reporter" in connection with the Rear of Yonge and Escott council report re the High School, the word "representation" appears instead of "separation," which altogether changes the meaning of this important motion. Since the advent of the typesetting machine, it is amazing how many errors occur. The Clerk, Mr. R. E. Cornell, always furnishes good legible copy and he is in no way to blame for the mistake. The report in corrected form appears again in this issue.

**FISH AND GAME VIOLATIONS.**  
On complaint of Fish and Game Overseer J. H. Phillips, of Smiths Falls, Addison Halliday, of Delta, was last Thursday fined \$10 and costs of \$4.50 in police court by Magistrate Page on a charge of fishing in Delta Lake with a seine net. Manford Case, also of Delta, was fined \$5 and costs of \$2.50 for acting as guide on Delta Lake without the required license.

Monday was the hottest day this season, the mercury touching 93 degrees.

Mr. A. E. Donovan and family of Toronto, are registered at Cedar Park Inn, Charleston Lake.

Miss Ethel Ferguson, of Moose Jaw, Sask., is the guest of her friend, Miss Marjorie Moore.

Mrs. M. Landon, of Lyndhurst, recently spent a few days at the home of her sister, Mrs. James Hanna.

Dr. Spankie and Mrs. Spankie and little daughter Jean of Calgary; Mrs. Mills of Winnipeg; Mrs. Barlow of Delta and Miss Sexton of Walkerton, were guests of Mrs. D. D. Davidson, this week.

The fire on the Delta road, about two miles west of Athens on Wednesday afternoon, which caused the residents of this vicinity serious concern, was started by an occupant of a passing automobile, carelessly throwing out a cigarette stub. The alarm call brought hundreds to the scene but before the fire was subdued, the following property was destroyed—Sam Barnes'—barn and contents; Elizabeth Jane Barnes'—house and barn. By heroic efforts of the crowd, other properties within the fire zone were saved. Mr. Sam Barnes house, caught fire Thursday afternoon, and was with difficulty brought under control. Much sympathy is felt for the unfortunate victims.

**FARMERS STILL LEAD.**

While the U.F.O. was badly beaten in the Provincial election, the farmers are by far the best represented occupation in the new Legislature, there being 36 agricultural members. Merchants come next with 16 and lawyers third with 15. From this the numbers drop to six doctors and six manufacturers. As far as the records available go, there is not a publisher or editor in the new house, which is rather remarkable in view of the prominent part they have taken in the political life of the past.

Canadian Pacific Harvesters Excursions August 13th and 27th

ON Aug. 13th and 22nd, the Canadian Pacific Railway has arranged for the annual Harvesters Excursion to the wheat fields of Canada, and this year offer to harvesters an improved service over other years. Through trains will be run through to Winnipeg, containing convertible (berth) colonist cars, with special cars reserved for women and families. The rates this year will be \$15.00 to Winnipeg, plus half cent per mile beyond to points in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, but not west Edmonton, Calgary and MacLeod. Returning the fare will be one half cent per mile, plus \$20 to the starting point. Booklets giving complete information can be secured from Mr. J. A. Potvin, city ticket agent or Mr. G. E. McGlade, city passenger agent, C.P.R., 46 King St. west, Brockville.

**DELTA**

Delta, Aug. 4.—Delta Junior Institute intend holding a motion picture concert on Friday night, August 10, and Saturday night, August 11, in Mr. Malladay's Hall.

The August meeting of the Junior Institute was held at the home of Miss Laura Howard with 21 present. The minutes were read and approved, followed by the roll call, which was answered with a salad recipe. Mrs. Coleman and Miss Luella Baker were appointed to canvass the village and try to sell the baskets that are left. A report was given regarding picture concert and it has been booked for August 10 and 11. Each member was to take ten tickets and try to sell them. A card of thanks, from Mrs. Snider was read for the flowers sent her while in the hospital. Five dollars was voted to be given as a special prize on the best collection of water colors at the fall fair. The roll call is to be answered at the next meeting, which is to be at the home of Miss Lura Greene, with a sandwich recipe. Miss Heward served a delightful lunch at the close of the meeting.

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