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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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

GOOD FRIDAY.
HOT CROSS BUNS.
LAMBTON has forty farmers' clubs.
THE new Easter blouses.—SWIFTS.
SEND in the names of your Easter visitors.

WHERE ignorance is bliss, surely it is folly to put anybody wise.
THERE will be special Easter music in the local churches next Sunday.

If you use butter wrappers call at the Guide-Advocate and get prices.
THERE is little of interest in the war news this week. The armies are anxiously waiting for spring.

SATURDAY specials in graniteware. The values for 38c.—N. B. HOWDEN EST.
THERE is considerable sickness in this neighborhood and the doctors have been kept very busy lately.

ACCORDING to the last census there are 2,759,032 Germans and 3,363,795 British in the United States.

ALTHOUGH the Germans have little scooper in their country, there is much brass in their official announcements.

TAYLOR'S Throat and Lung Balm along with Penslar cold breakers is the surest way to break up a gripe.

THE annual meeting of the officers of the 27th Regt. will be held at the Armory, Sarnia, on Good Friday at 4 p.m.

IT is up to the authorities to see that bicycle riding on the sidewalk is put a stop to. A fine or two might abate the nuisance.

THE big B. brand overall for \$1.00.—A. BROWN & CO.
REV. J. C. McCracken, rector of Wyoming, preached very acceptably to a fair-sized congregation in Trinity Church on Wednesday evening.

APPROPRIATE services for Easter will be held in the Methodist church next Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The choir will provide a special program of music.

THERE is some question as to whether the emblem of the Welsh Guards should be the leek or the daffodil. The daffodil, undoubtedly; it brightens the dreariest March.

LADIES, the newest in neckwear open today.—SWIFTS.
MR. AND MRS. R. K. SCARLETT, Regina, Sask., are receiving the congratulations of their friends on the arrival of a son at their home on March 23rd. Mrs. Scarlett was formerly Miss Caroline B. Barnes of this place.

THE express companies give notice of an immediate change in the rates on money orders payable in the United States. To the regular money order charges is added a charge to cover the premium on U.S. funds.

BEFORE you send to the mail order house for that cheap bicycle, have a look at the "National" at Taylors'. It has Dunlop tires, Hercules coaster brake, roller chain, mud guards and spring saddle, all for \$30.00.

HON. JAMES DUFF, Minister of Agriculture, stated in the House last week that it was his intention to introduce a bill whereby farmers would be paid the full value of sheep destroyed by dogs, instead of two thirds as at present.

In the Congregational church on Sunday evening next, April 4th, Rev. R. Stevenson will preach on the following subject:—"The Downfall of Turkey and Subsequent Events, as predicted in the Holy Scriptures." All interested in this important theme are earnestly invited. Please bring your bibles.

MEN and young men will be interested in the Easter display of King hats. A hat for every face.—A. BROWN & CO.

THE Lambton County branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund paid, out this month to families of soldiers the sum of \$770.00. This does not include the City of Sarnia or Watford district. The Lambton County Council contributes \$600.00 monthly to this fund.

DR. FLETT, of Detroit, formerly of Petrolia, and previously a teacher in Lambton, is offering a gold medal to the pupil of Lambton County who obtains the highest standing at the Junior high school entrance examination, which will be held at the usual centres on June 21st, 22nd and 23rd.

THE members of L.O.L. 505 are busy making arrangements for the big celebration of the anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne, when the lodges of East and West Lambton will observe the day in Watford. No expense will be spared to make this celebration one of the best ever held in the county.

We are asked to notify the societies working for the Canadian contingents that most kinds of extra woollen comforts will not be required much longer as supplies in hand are likely to meet the demand. Socks, however, are always required, also colored handkerchiefs, tobacco, pipes, games, newspapers.

THE Krantz vacuum cleaner at \$6.50 is exactly the same as agents ask you \$15.00 for even to the name. Try one at our risk, if you like it pay for it, if not return it.—THE N. B. HOWDEN EST.

SCHOOLS will reopen April 12th.
MONDAY next is a bank holiday.
MAPLE SYRUP is retailing at \$1.40 per gallon.

TAYLOR sells 3 cakes Palmolive soap for 25c.
DELIVER a tirade against wasting time and the average man will knock off what he is doing and listen.

SOME men imagine that they are the powerhouse of the universe and that the whole town would be dark if they'd quit.
THE Young People's Society of the Petrolia Presbyterian church presented the Rev. J. M. Macgillivray with a silk gown.

THE best value in floor rugs west of London.—SWIFTS.
THE sale of cows by auction on Saturday at the Roche House yard was well attended and good prices obtained. The farm offered for sale at same time was not disposed of.

THE insect we now call the "house fly" should in future be termed the "typhoid fly" in order to call direct attention to the danger of allowing it to breed unchecked.

THE much dreaded San Jose Scale has appeared in several parts of the country. Readers are requested to read the large ad on fifth page regarding the way to combat this terrible pest. An article on the subject also appears elsewhere.

"THE finest we have ever seen," was the comment heard on every side in reference to our housefurnishing display.—A. BROWN & CO.

THERE'S a dandy story going the rounds of a woman who hurled a poker at her spouse. It missed him and went through the glass that protected that grand old motto that should be in every home—"What is Home Without a Mother?"

THE sacred festival of Easter has been appropriately termed "the queen of festivals." It has been observed from the foundation of the Christian religion and is celebrated in every part of the Christian world with great solemnity and devotion.

If you want to get something for nothing, see the Chi-Namel advertisement on page 3. The Free coupon will not appear again, and is only good during the demonstration. On account of Good Friday falling on the 2nd of April we will have only one demonstration day, so don't fail to attend.—T. DODDS & SON.

LITTLE Carl A., the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Class while walking on the sidewalk near his home on Saturday, was knocked down by a bicycle ridden by a boy, and severely cut on the forehead. It is supposed that the pedal of the bicycle struck him on the head. The gash was an ugly one and required several stitches to close.

If you intend papering this spring and want something out of the ordinary, do not miss seeing Taylors' wall papers. They'll lose, but you'll lose more.

G.T.R. Easter rates:—One way first-class fare, for return trip, good only on Good Friday, April 2nd; fare and one-third, good going Thursday, April 1st, to Sunday, April 4th, valid to return until Tuesday, April 6th. School teachers and scholars get one and one-third fare, good going three days prior to the close of school, and returning up to Monday, April 19th.

WATFORD millinery openings were held on Friday and Saturday. The weather was bright but somewhat cold but a fair-sized crowd of fair visitors witnessed the displays in the three stores. Many sales were made and a large number of orders taken. Trimness, jauntiness, beauty and utility are features of the new styles and there is variety enough to suit all tastes. Military designs predominate.

JUST opened Fownes' silk and kid gloves for Easter.—A. BROWN & CO.

THE Jura Dramatic Club played to a fair-sized audience in the Lyceum on Friday evening, when the four-act drama "The Finger of Scorn" was placed on boards in a manner that did credit to the club and gave satisfaction to its patrons. The characters were all well taken, especially those taken by the ladies. Should the club favor Watford with another visit they will undoubtedly be greeted with a crowded house.

A DEPUTATION from Lambton waited on the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa on Thursday last in regard to securing gravel for the county and district roads at better prices. A proposition was placed before the Minister for delivery of gravel at certain points. After the interview J. E. Armstrong, M.P., said he felt satisfied that a great reduction would be obtained in the prices of gravel during the coming season.

MR. S. STAPLEFORD, whose son, Lieut. R. H. Stapleford, is with the first contingent, received word this week from his nurse, Miss M. Potts, stating that "Dick" was in hospital at Tidworth Barracks, having undergone an operation for appendicitis, and though he had just come out of the operation, it was thought that his recovery was reasonably certain. Miss Potts assured Mr. Stapleford that his son would receive the very best of care and attention. This speaks well for the treatment our boys are getting, and should be comforting to all those who have friends and relatives fighting the Empire's battles in a distant land.

THE Easter hat at SWIFTS', hard and soft, nifty styles.

HOGS \$8 this week.
SUNDAY is Easter Day.
No change in Watford markets.
GET your Hot Cross Buns at Lovell's Thursday night.

THERE will be service in Trinity Church Good Friday evening.
IT'S a great thing to live in a country where you don't need a passport.

A GOOD rain coat for \$5.00, better ones for \$7.50, \$10 and \$15.—A. BROWN & CO.
THE first thing the Russians should do is to change the name of Przemysl to something easier to pronounce.

GEORGE A. AND JOHN R. JAMIESON, formerly of Watford, have purchased the Red store and grocery business in Sarnia.

MRS. C. S. KERTON shipped her household effects to Copetown this week and will join her husband there in a few days.

THE second lot of gold fish went like hot cakes on Saturday. Judicious advertising of an article in demand always brings results.

ANOTHER lot of bath towels 2 for 25c.—SWIFTS.

PTE. ARCHIBALD McLENNAN, of Orunna, a member of the 27th Regt., is reported among the casualties at the front this week.

A GREAT many people in town are suffering from colds and grip. There is, scarcely a house where there is not someone indisposed.

THOSE who watch and answer ads. may not believe in "luck," but they are the sort of people that are usually referred to as "lucky."

THE War Summary and several other interesting items are unavoidable crowded out this week through the press on our advertising columns.

TOWER'S brand waterproof clothing, slickers, labrets, horse covers, etc.—A. BROWN & CO.

THE rainfall at Toronto for 1914 was under 20 inches. The average for twenty years was over 25 inches. The snowfall was 74 inches, the average being 61.

THE Gazette tells of a farmer near Barrie who refused \$1.60 for his wheat, and borrowed \$1,000 to enable him to hold it till the price reached \$2. He is still holding it!

THE regular monthly meeting of the I. O. D. E. will be held at the home of Mrs. Newell on Tuesday afternoon, April 6th, at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Val assisting hostess. Quotations on "Spring."

SNAPPY suits and coats open to-day.—SWIFTS.

A DISPATCH from Winnipeg Tuesday states that W. W. Buchanan, the well-known temperance worker, is at the point of death. Mr. Buchanan was editor of the Watford Advocate-Advertiser in the early eighties.

OWING to the illness of Rev. Mr. Forster, the Rev. Gustavus Munroe, D. D., of London, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church last Sabbath and preached two very excellent sermons that were enjoyed by all.

THE Rev. A. E. Armstrong M. A., of Toronto, will conduct services in the Presbyterian church in Watford, both morning and evening next Sabbath, Easter. Also in the Main Road Church at 2.30. Mr. Armstrong's message is always interesting and forceful.

EASTER millinery is right in style and price.—A. BROWN & CO.

ALFRED CUNDICK, of Buffalo, aged 31 years, a lake sailor, died at the Marine hospital in that city on Monday last of tuberculosis. He was a son of the late Albert Cundick, of Sombra, for many years a resident of Watford. The remains were brought to Watford on Monday evening and the funeral took place on Wednesday morning from Harper Bros.' undertaking rooms to the Wisbeach cemetery, the Rev. W. M. Shore officiating. The pall bearers were George, Bert, Harry, Fred and George Cundick, brothers and cousins, and John Sharp.

THE appointment of the Legislative grant to rural schools will be made this year on a different basis from that of former years, which will be the assessed value of the several school sections. The portion payable on teachers' salaries will be a smaller percentage than formerly and the margin on which it is payable has also been reduced. That payable on the qualification of teachers applies only where the teacher has a permanent certificate, first or second class. Interim certificates and third class certificates are not recognized for this grant, owing to the present financial conditions. The amount at the disposal of the Educational Department is less than that of former years, and grants will be necessarily reduced in production.

MR. AND MRS. H. Eastbrook and Mrs. A. Woods have returned after spending a week in Toronto, attending grand lodge.

MISS M. Patterson has been visiting friends in Port Huron.

MR. J. Bainard, of Glanworth, spent a few days with his nephew, Mr. H. Eastbrook.

Capt. "Pat" Jay, of the signaller section of the 33rd battalion, was presented with a wrist watch by the Progred club of Strathroy.

Geo. Petch, Main road Adelaide, was severely injured by being thrown from his rig. Two boys who were with him escaped injury.

KILLED BY FAST EXPRESS

Instant Death of Henry Bears, of Watford, Last Saturday

Another fatality, the result of walking on the railway track, occurred on Saturday, when Henry Bears, of this place, was struck by G. T. R. Chicago express, No. 13, and instantly killed. The accident occurred just east of the town. The deceased and Thomas Glenn had been working for Chas. Kelly, 6th line, Watford, and were walking home into Watford on the track when the accident happened. A freight train was approaching from the west at the time, and in moving off the track deceased failed to notice the approach of the express, which struck him, hurling him over 150 feet. He was dead when picked up, his body badly mangled, almost every bone being broken. Glenn was ahead of him at the time of the accident and did not see him struck. There was a stiff breeze blowing from the northwest at the time and it is supposed Mr. Bears did not hear the train until it was too late to get out of the way. It is supposed that he was in the act of getting off the track when the running board of the engine caught him. Dr. Kelly, coroner, ordered the remains to be removed to Harper Bros.' undertaking rooms, and a jury composed of E. McCillicuddy (foreman), D. Roche, W. McKercher, A. McDonnell, J. S. Williams, J. Glass, J. H. Hume and J. Bruce, was impanelled. After reviewing the remains an adjournment was made until Tuesday evening, the coroner giving an order for the burial of the remains. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon from deceased's residence, Huron St., to the Meannonite cemetery, 4th line, N.E.R., Watford, the Rev. F. G. Robinson officiating. The pallbearers were J. E. Fowler, D. Roberts, H. Pearce, J. Roche, J. Bruce and J. Stanger. Deceased leaves a widow but no family. He has two brothers living in the Niaga district and three sisters in this district. The adjourned inquiry was held on Tuesday evening when several witnesses were examined, including the crew of train 13. Co. Crown Attorney Buncke conducted the proceedings and a verdict of accidental death was recorded.

Death of Mr. Henry Waugh

After an illness of about a year's duration, caused by a stroke of apoplexy, Mr. Thomas Henry Waugh passed peacefully away at the family residence, John Street, on Friday last March 28th, at the advanced age of 80 years. Mr. Waugh was born in Niagara and came to the township of Warwick 57 years ago, residing there continuously until about four years ago when he moved into Watford. He was married in 1869 to Miss Christina McLeay who predeceased him twelve years ago. Eight children, two boys and six girls, were the result of the union, all of whom are now living, namely, T. F. Waugh, M. D., and John of Imperial, Sask.; Mrs. J. Temple, Watford; Mrs. D. Fallon, Warwick; Mrs. Marshall Pegg, Turperville; Misses Mary, Lena and Tena at home. Mr. Waugh was a Liberal in politics and a member of long standing in the Methodist church. He was a man of quiet and unassuming disposition, devoting his energy to perfecting himself in his chosen business of farming, and took deep interest in his family and home life, consequently was held in much affection by his children in his declining years. The funeral took place on Monday and was well attended, considering the stormy weather. The Rev. F. G. Robinson conducted the ceremony assisted by Rev. H. F. Kennedy and Rev. S. V. Pentland, during the service Miss Pentland and her brother Cully sang a duet and Mr. P. Reynolds a solo. Interment was made in the Methodist cemetery, Warwick Village. The pallbearers were W. Beacon, P. Anderson, W. McRorie, M. Barrett, J. Humphries and T. Brush.

PERSONAL

Mr. G. Simpson, Wainstead, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nash.

Miss E. Isabel Harris, Welland, is home for the Easter holidays.

Miss Anderson, Wyoming, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Tanager, Ontario St.

Mr. H. G. Taylor left on Thursday last for Alsack, Sask., for the summer.

Miss Helen Fuller, Welland, is spending the Easter holidays at Tythothetae Lodge.

Mrs. T. A. Adams was called to Orangeville last week by the illness of her father.

Mrs. Wykesmith and daughter Margaret, left for their new home in Sarnia, Wednesday.

Col. Kenward attended the funeral of the late Canon Downie at Port Stanley, on Tuesday.

Mr. John Hockin, of the London Free Press circulation staff, is at present looking after the interests of that journal in Watford and vicinity.

Mrs. Summers, Mrs. Graham and Mr. Wm. Dougherty, of Hagersville, are at Mrs. S. B. Howden's, visiting their mother, who is still very ill.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral of the late Mr. Waugh were:—Dr. and Mrs. Waugh and Mr. John Waugh, Imperial, Sask.; Mrs. Jas. Laurie and Miss B. McKenzie, of Hamilton.

WARWICK.

Mr. Andrew Logan has purchased the farm of Mr. John Lowry, con. 6.

Mr. Ratz, New Hamburg, chessmaker, moved his family and household goods here last week.

Mr. Wm. McPherson, Sr., and daughter, Margaret, moved to Arkona last week, where they will reside in future.

Mrs. J. B. Hobbs, formerly of Warwick, died at her home in Alpena, Mich., on Saturday, March 13th in her 78th year.

Mr. Robt. McPherson, 6th line, raised his house last Saturday and is preparing to enlarge and remodel it this summer.

Rev. W. M. Shore was one of the pallbearers at the funeral of the late Rev. Canon Downie, at Port Stanley, on Tuesday.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held in the Forester's Hall on Thursday afternoon, April 8th.—SEC.-TRIAS.

Mr. Doan, who has been in charge of Maple Grove cheese and butter factory, Birmam, shipped his household effects on Monday of this week to Bridgen.

Mrs. Brown and Henry Cundick, Sombra, and George Cundick, Toledo, O., attended the funeral of their brother the late Alfred Cundick, at Wisbeach on Wednesday morning.

THE unlimited free Chi-Namel offer made on page 3 by T. Dodds & Son during the special demonstration shows the extent of their confidence in the make-good quality of that brand of varnish.

Mrs. James Thompson, who is in her 82nd year, has been very ill for the past month at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robt. Campbell, where she has made her home for the past three years.

A Hawkins and C. Barnes, who attended the Orange Grand Lodge meeting at North Bay, report a very large and enthusiastic gathering. The trip was very much enjoyed by both brethren of 516.

Mrs. Ed. Ross and daughters, Jean and Helen, are spending a couple of weeks with her daughter Kate, in St. Thomas, where she is a student at Alma College, prior to leaving for their home in Port Arthur.

Mr. Wm. Richardson, who returned safely from a visit to his daughter in Michigan, was accompanied by his granddaughter, Miss Mary Detwiler, Chessaming, Mich., who will spend a month with relatives here.

Mr. Walter Hobbs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hobbs, 4th line, who has taught very successfully for the past few years in Toronto, is at his home, having suffered a severe attack of pneumonia some time ago from which he has not yet recovered sufficiently to resume his duties.

Messrs. Ratz and O'Donnell have charge of the Maple Grove cheese and butter factory for the coming season. These gentlemen come well recommended, and are now busy interviewing the old patrons of the factory and canvassing for new ones. Mr. Rat comes from New Hamburg and Mr. O'Donnell from Orillia. They are both hustlers and will no doubt build up a good business.

On Tuesday evening of last week a number of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Smith to bid farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Doan, prior to their departure for Bridgen, where they will make their home in future. Mr. Doan having taken charge of a cheese factory there. After an hour or two spent in music and social ways, Rev. Mr. Fair, pastor of Bethel church, asked Mr. and Mrs. Doan to come forward, when the following address was read by Mr. C. N. Richardson and the presentation made by Mr. Mack Luckham of a handsome large fumed oak leather covered rocker, after which the company joined in singing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." Mr. Doan, although taken by complete surprise, replied in very warm, appreciative terms, thanking the friends for their kind words and beautiful gift, and expressed his and Mrs. Doan's regret at leaving the neighborhood. The company then sang two verses of "Blessed be the Tie that Binds," following which Rev. Mr. Fair made a very appropriate speech, emphasizing the tribute paid to Mr. and Mrs. Doan in the words of the address. After all had enjoyed a tasty lunch prepared by the ladies a pleasant evening was brought to a close by singing a verse of "God be With You Till We Meet Again." The address:—

Warwick, March 23rd, 1915.
To Mr. and Mrs. Doan:—

It is with mingled feelings of pleasure and regret that we have met here this evening. We are glad to have this opportunity of spending an hour or two in social intercourse, and to give expression of our esteem for you. Our associations have always been of the most pleasing character. In the church we have admired your consistent Christian example, a business we have found you upright and honest in all your dealings, and in the social circles you have ever shown a kind, courteous and obliging spirit. Our feelings of regret this evening are due to the fact that our connections as friends and neighbors in this locality are now about to be severed, and though we may meet from time to time, we know we cannot associate as we have in the past. We hope that we may always cherish that desire for each other's welfare that has characterized our intercourse in days gone by. We ask you to accept this chair as a memento of our good wishes, and, as you sit in it to rest, may it often remind you of this evening and of old friends at Birmam. Our parting wish is that God may bless and prosper you and your little family in your new home, and may we all meet at last in the heavenly home, where there is no parting.

Signed on behalf of your friends and neighbors by Mrs. W. H. Luckham, Mrs. Will Vance, C. N. Richardson and J. F. Smith.

The net debt of Glencoe was reduced \$3,858 last year and is now only \$17,900.

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died at his home in y, 18th, in his 91st was a bridge contract- rat bridge across the ylan, also the first y's across the Sauble bridge at Bartlett's. rmers have organized operative Association officers:—President— first Vice-President— ond Vice-President— Secretary—Nicholas Dennis Kerrigan, Fred Helps.

Merlin, is bringing an Coatsworth, a farmer ip for \$2,000 damages d in an accident near in, on January 13 of eam of horses driven an away. It is alleged was due to the neglig- and a breach of the riving an automobile.

y a fall through a Canadian Government ype Richardson, of lot ympton has arrived at as in command of the of the cruiser, and October 6th, fell about mshed his arm and it he is unable to move wrist up, and doctors ally never regain the Richardson is a British d answered the call as Before that he was ton. Since joining the t in all her cruises up- erican coast. Richard- ing for a pension from

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has used Baby's Own the ones she will use e. She quickly real- an absolutely safe hat will give sure re- ng them Mrs. R. L. . Sask. writes: "I have Tablets for my three so much of them that I a in the house." The medicine dealers or a box from The Dr. ne Co., Brockville, Ont.

FREE DAY

Store

27, '15

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16 Ounce Fish Plant

ing Rexall Prepara- od. Total 35 cts.

a Powder.....25c.
Bark Cough Syrup.....25 and 50c.
Tablets.....25c.
Pine and Tar.....25 and 50c.
Cough Syrup.....25c.

Aquarium

the above list or one pod.

parilla Tonic...\$1.00
able Compound...\$1.00
y Remedy.....\$1.00
Iron and Wine...\$1.00

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DAY, MARCH 27

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THIS WOMAN'S SICKNESS

Quickly Yielded To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Baltimore, Md. - "I am more than glad to tell what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me. I suffered dreadful pains and was very irregular. I became alarmed and sent for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it regularly until I was without a cramp or pain and felt like another person, and it has now been six months since I took any medicine at all. I hope my little note will assist you in helping other women. I now feel perfectly well and in the best of health." - Mrs. AUGUST W. KONDNER, 1632 Hollins Street, Baltimore, Md.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record of being the most successful remedy for female ills we know of, and thousands of voluntary testimonials on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., seem to prove this fact.

For thirty years it has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has restored the health of thousands of women who have been troubled with such ailments as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, etc.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

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NOTE AND COMMENT If short men make the best fighters, as an English professor of physiology is quoted as saying, the Japanese must be the coming race in military conquest.

German newspapers criticize wealthy Germans for eating too much. It now remains to be seen whether the stomachs of wealthy Germans are patriotic enough to make the sacrifice that the stomachs of the poor are compelled to make.

Belgium has again denied that she conspired with Great Britain for an attack on Germany. But nobody believed she did, expect a number of Germans who will not be permitted to hear of the denial until after the war.

What will be the status of India in the British Empire after the war? Even in the press of instant needs, that question must cross the minds of thoughtful British statesmen, but it is doubtful if the most far-seeing among them can give it anything like a full or certain answer.

During the month which has elapsed since the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Convention, 500 farmers have agreed to give one acre of crop to the empire, in answer to the call made at the convention.

School teachers in Milwaukee and Los Angeles are limited to one year's absence for motherhood.

Miss Beatrice Wisner has been appointed a member of the board of education in Newark, N. J.

"Rough on Rats" clears out Rats, Mice, etc. Don't Die in the House. 13c and 25c. at Drug and Country Stores.

MUZZLED THE PRESS. Sir Roger L'Estrange Was the Worst Censor in History.

The severest press censor of which English history bears record was Sir Roger L'Estrange. This worthy was appointed to the post in 1663 and he threw himself wholeheartedly into his duties. According to the Postmaster-General, "he suggested that the printer of master printers in London should be fined from sixty to twenty pounds for printing offices the subject of any petition and have no back doors and the addition to the ordinary presswork and seditious publications, printed, printed of small infractions of the law, be condemned to wear some visible badge or mark of ignominy as a halber in stead of a hatband one stocking blue and another red, a blue bonnet with a red letter T or S upon it."

But L'Estrange went further. He was opposed to newspapers altogether, because the reading of them "makes the multitude too familiar with the actions and counsels of their superiors, too pragmatical and censorious and gives them not only an itch, but a kind of right and license to be meddling with the government." All newspaper criticisms on the government were rigorously suppressed during his censorship. Indeed, he succeeded so effectively in muzzling the press that "his majesty said several times he wondered how it could be done."

Legislation of far-reaching importance was introduced in the Legislature last week by W. D. McPherson, member for North-west Toronto, to limit the borrowing power of municipalities, which will apply to all towns and cities of size in Ontario. It is proposed to limit the borrowing power of municipalities on a per capita basis, so that in places with a population of not less than 10,000 the aggregate debt should not exceed \$200 per head, and in those when less than 2,000 the debt will not exceed \$100.

In places with 2,000 people or less the debt will not involve more than \$100 per head, and in each case the same total is to be exclusive of sinking funds on hand. Provisions are included to make the Ontario Railway Board the arbitrator where exceptions are desired, and every municipal assessor must take an annual census for the local clerk. Payment of principal on debentures in annual installments is also advocated.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

In New York a woman is not forced to take her husband's name if she doesn't care to.

It is said that a woman is at the head of the German secret service in the eastern war zone.

Most infants are infested by worms, which cause great suffering, and if not promptly dealt with may cause constitutional weaknesses difficult to remedy. Miller's Worm Powders will clear the stomach and bowels of worms and will so act upon the system that there will be no recurrence of the trouble. And not only this, but they will repair the injuries to the organs that worms cause and restore them to soundness.

School teachers in Milwaukee and Los Angeles are limited to one year's absence for motherhood.

Miss Beatrice Wisner has been appointed a member of the board of education in Newark, N. J.

"Rough on Rats" clears out Rats, Mice, etc. Don't Die in the House. 13c and 25c. at Drug and Country Stores.

THE CROWD GOES WEST TO THE WATFORD PLANING MILLS ESTABLISHED 1870. G. CHAMBERS.

BOUNTIES FOR SOLDIERS. Prices England Had to Pay in the Past For Army Recruits.

At one time the system of offering huge money bounties was quite a feature of army recruiting in Great Britain. Prior to the peninsula war, however, the amount of the bounty had been reduced considerably, but the wastage in human material caused by that war raised the bounty again, and from £18 to £16 was a common price right up to "Waterloo year," when it dropped to 7 guineas.

The stress of the Crimean campaign also caused the war office authorities to open wide their purses, and so we find that in 1856 the price of a cavalryman was £10, while an infantryman received £2 less. All manner of ruses were tried to tempt men to remain in the service, and they were even offered money for every spent shell (sixpence for a large one and fourpence for a small one) that they brought to the commanding officer of artillery.

Even in recent years war has forced us to offer ample money prizes to keep military units up to strength, certain reservists receiving £20 each for rejoining the colors in 1898, while soon after the South African war the short service men were tempted to remain serving by the offer of from £10 to £15 each—Dundee Advertiser.

Pulling Out Posts. The trick of lifting oneself by one's boot straps may appear somewhat difficult, but a machine has been built which does that. It is intended to pull out piles which have been driven in so firmly by a pile driver that they cannot be pulled up by ordinary means. The machine is clamped to the top of the pile, which it grips firmly and automatically. Steam is supplied through a hose. The steam lifts a heavy weight in the machine and lets it drop suddenly. By an arrangement of levers the force of the blow, instead of being downward on the top of the pile, is upward.

The main difficulty in pulling up a pile is to get it started, but a quick series of these blows soon starts the pile. The machine keeps knocking it up until it moves easily, when no more progress can be made, and the pile must be lifted out with ropes—Saturday Evening Post.

No Need to Climb. It was a very wet night, and the last omnibus was full inside when the conductor asked, "Will any gentleman ride upon the top to oblige a lady?" There was no response, so the inquiry was repeated. But again there was no reply.

At last one of the male passengers remarked, "Are you sure she is a lady and not a poor woman?" "Oh, yes, she is a lady," said the conductor without hesitation.

"A well dressed lady?" again asked the passenger.

"Yes, a thorough, well dressed, fashionable lady," said the conductor.

"Then I should think she can afford to take a cab home," said the passenger—London Mail.

First Thanksgiving. The first Thanksgiving was conducted by an English minister named Wolbe in 1578, on the shores of Newfoundland. The first celebration in the present territory of the United States was held in the Poplum colony at Sagadahoc, on the coast of Maine, in 1607. The first regular appointment of a Thanksgiving day was by Governor Bradford, the first governor of Massachusetts bay.

"No more headache for you—take these" Don't just "smother" the headache without removing the cause. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They not only cure the headache but give you a buoyant, healthful feeling because they tone the liver, sweeten the stomach and cleanse the bowels. Try them. AD Dispense, 25c., or by mail CHAMBERLAIN'S MEDICINE CO., Lowell, Mass.

A Message of Importance

WE are bound to make 1915 our best year. To do this we must make greater sales. As a Great Inducement We Offer to Fill Contracts at Ridiculously Low Prices. Get our prices on Lumber, Shingles, Cedar Posts, and all building materials. They will surprise you. It is a generally known fact that there is no town in the West can compete with our prices.

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Sugar-Making Supplies

- IX Buckets... \$15.00 per 100 Grimm Spouts... \$ 2.75 " Eureka Spouts... \$.85 " Tapping Braces... \$.50 each Tapping Bits... \$.20 each 22 Gauge Seamless Pans, 5 ft... \$5.00 STORAGE AND GATHERING TANKS MADE TO ORDER

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YOU can ask the Demonstrator to show you any Chi-Namel product you may be interested in, actually applied. For instance—White Enamel, Porch Furniture Enamel, Gold and Aluminum Paint, Floor Wax, Furniture Polish, Metal Polish, Colored Varnishes, Automobile and Carriage Color Finish, Etc.

She will not merely show you the package containing these materials, but show it IN THE BRUSH.—in fact, you can take the brush and apply it yourself.

You can see the actual color—see how easy it is to apply—how all the brush marks disappear before it hardens.

This will be a demonstration worth while for any one who is responsible for the care and good appearance of the interior woodwork and furniture of a home.

By asking for a demonstration of any particular Chi-Namel product you will not place yourself under obligation to buy; this demonstration is to acquaint the public with the use and economy of Chi-Namel in the home.

REMEMBER THE DATE

at our store on

Saturday, April 3rd, 1915

YOU NEED NOT SPEND ANY MONEY—but if you care to make a test of Chi-Namel Varnish on your floor or furniture, the Demonstrator will give you free a 20c size can, any color, if you bring this advertisement and buy a new brush (which will cost only 10c) to apply the sample with.

This free varnish will cover 25 square feet of surface.

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BE SURE AND SEE THE HIGH OVEN RANGE ON DISPLAY

Tricks of Number Nine

There are some curious facts and fancies connected with numbers. The number 9 is, perhaps, the first as regards such experiments, although number 7 is more prominent in literature and history. When you once use it you can't get rid of it. It will turn up again, no matter what you do to put it "down and out."

All through the multiplication table the product of 9 comes to 9. No matter how many times you multiply with or how many times you repeat or change the figures, the result is always the same.

For instance, twice 9 equals 18; add 8 and 1, and you have nine. Three times 9 equals 27; 2 and 7 make 9 again. Go on until you try eleven times 9 equals 99. This seems to bring an exception. But add the digits—9 and 9 make 18; and again, 1 and 8 make 9. Go on to an indeterminate extent and the thing continues. Take any number at random. For example, 450 times 9 equal 4,050, and the digits, added, make 9 once more. Take 6,000 times 9, equals 54,000, and again you have 5 and 4.

Take any row of figures, reverse the order, and subtract the less from the greater—the difference will certainly always be 9 or a multiple of 9. For example, 5,071 minus 1,705 equals 3,366. Add these digits and you have 18, and 1 and 8 make the familiar 9.

You have the same result, no matter how you raise the numbers by squares and cubes.

One more way is given by which number 9 shows its strange powers. Write down any number you please, add its digits and then subtract the sum of said digits from the original number. No matter what number you start with, the sum of the digits in the answer will be 9.

Try these experiments, and you will be delighted with the exact number in which they prove the statement. Some quaint puzzles have been made based on these fixed principles.

Protect the child from the ravages of worms by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator. It is a standard remedy, and years of use have enhanced its reputation.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

When washing windows add a small quantity of bluing to the water. This makes them clearer.

Scatter grated white potato over the carpets if you wish to freshen their colors.

When packing away rugs or carpets for any length of time fold in powdered alum and a few moth balls when rolling up.

To remove stains from the tops of zinc kitchen tables use a cloth dipped in vinegar.

In laundering the sheer white collars so much worn use borax instead of starch (a tablespoonful to a quart of water). It leaves them more transparent.

Furniture polish may be made at home after this recipe: Take equal portions of linseed oil, turpentine, vinegar and spirits of wine. Shake well and apply with a linen cloth for cleansing. For polishing use a dry flannel cloth.

When using a double boiler the food will cook more quickly if the water in the outer vessel is salted in the proportion of a fourth of a cupful of salt to a quart of water.

HOUSE SLIPPERS.

A Great Variety of Comfortable Shoes Suitable For Hours of Ease.

The kid house slipper is really little different from many evening slippers and street shoes. It is a pointed shoe with a high French heel. Sometimes it is decorated with a chiffon pompon, sometimes with a satin bow, sometimes with a buckle of metal, enamel or stones. Again it is tied about the instep and ankle with ribbons. Little satin slippers in black and colors also are worn with house frocks, and, like other shoes, they are usually worn with white or colored stockings.

Mules, with and without heels, are perhaps the most comfortable of all boudoir slippers. They are made of cretonne or ribbon, of quilted satin and of kid. Some of them, too, are made of the lovely embroidered Japanese and Chinese fabrics that are used in various sorts of slippers.

Almost as easy to adjust as the mules are the straw sandals usually made

with two cross straps or red cotton that come from China. In spite of the fact that they are as troublesome to get into as mules are easy to get into, all sorts of ribbon slippers persist. They are pretty, that is granted, and that assures them permanence. Sometimes they are shirred at the top on a piece of elastic, and sometimes they are straight at the heel and sides, stiffened with canvas and fitted over the toes. This kind is perhaps the most comfortable, and the addition of ribbons to tie about the ankle makes them more comfortable still.

Then, of course, there is the smart little Turkish slipper embroidered with tinsel and with a silk pompon at the end of its pointed, upturning little toe.

DEBUTANTE'S GOWN FOR PARTY WEAR.



BLUE EVENING GOWN.

For the social activities that crowd into the period preceding Lent the debutante frequently needs to replenish her stock of party frocks. A model that is both attractive and up to the minute in style is pictured here. It is fashioned of pastel blue satin, with a three tiered overskirt of plaited blue net. The short sleeves and vest are of ecru net.

CORNSTALKS AND SNOW.

It is sometimes a good plan to leave some of the cornstalks standing. Every fourth row left standing will hold a lot of snow on the land. At the North Dakota experiment station it was found that one-fourth of the cornstalks left standing stopped about as much snow as when all were left. This will in many cases mean a good deal to the next crop. The added moisture will make the soil less liable to blow, and the standing stalks will check the wind a good deal, near the surface, and this also reduces the drifting. Better try leaving a few rows and see if it does not pay.

SOIL EROSION, IN THE SOUTH.

Large Areas Are Lost to Agriculture Through This Cause.

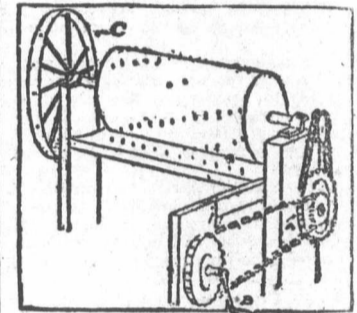
The following statement regarding soil erosion in the south is taken from the last annual report of the bureau of soils of the United States department of agriculture:

In a study of soil erosion in the south it has been found that large areas are lost to agriculture annually through erosion. In some states vast areas, amounting to as much as 50 per cent of the arable land of these sections, have been abandoned. The character of the erosion varies with the type of soil. Usually on the heavy clay soils "sheet" or surface erosion is found. With increasing proportion of sand in the soil the erosion changes to the "shoestring" type, then to the gully type, with rounded edges, and finally to the gullies with caving edges. All methods for prevention and control are based either on increasing the

capacity for absorbing the water as it falls or on decreasing the velocity of the run-off. A new method in use in one locality is the construction of what are known as "christophers," the distinctive feature of this plan lying in the manner of disposing of storm waters. Across an incipient gully is built a dam, through which is passed a sewer pipe connected with an upright pipe on the upper side of the dam. Water fills the valley until it reaches the top of the upright pipe and then flows down this pipe into the next field. The water left standing below the mouth of the upright pipe is gradually removed by a tile drain.

Huller For Peas and Beans.

We are using a homemade machine to thrash beans and cowpeas that does good work without cracking the bean and peas. They can be separated from the straw very easily by using a pitch fork and are clean enough to sell after being dropped twice through a steady breeze. The only material we had to buy in making this machine was the nails, writes C. L. Brown of Colorado in Farmers' Mail and Breeze. The cylinder may be a piece of hard wood log. Ours is ten inches in diameter and fourteen inches long. The concave is made of a piece of oak. For teeth we used No. 16 nails with the heads cut off. The nails were driven in far enough to leave about one and one-half



THE HULLER.

inches protruding. In putting in the cylinder teeth we stretched a string diagonally across to mark the row of teeth. This makes the machine run steadier, as a whole row of teeth will not strike the concave all at once. The teeth are set about an inch apart and spaced so those of the cylinder will pass between the teeth in the concave without striking. The machine is mounted on two posts set firmly in the ground. Gearing was obtained from an old binder. The double sprocket A is from the reel gear, B is the crank and C the flywheel. Our cylinder makes five revolutions to one of the crank.

LIVE STOCK AND DAIRY.

Be sure you are not keeping too head of stock where you have grain and roughage to winter only one. It is better to keep one animal well than to half keep two.

Would it not add to the health of yourself and family if you would select some of the choicest, smoothest and healthiest hogs from your herd and feed them those rations which are clean, pure and wholesome, then kill these animals for your winter's meat supply?

The business farmer likes the type of stock that brings the quickest and most sure returns. That's the reason the dairy cow is so popular with men of this kind.

The cow that is allowed to fall off in her milk flow is seldom made to regain it at a profit.

The abused cow is always the ugly cow. Likewise the ugly cow has nearly always been made that way by abuse.

Wise Willie.

Teacher—Willie, why don't you keep your hair combed? Willie—Cause I ain't got no comb. Teacher—Why don't you ask your mother to buy one? Willie—Cause then I'd have to keep my hair combed.—Dallas News.

Perhaps He Would.

"I led my class in Greek three successive years."

"That's fine. But wouldn't you much rather have carried the ball sixty-five yards for a touchdown just once?"—Exchange.

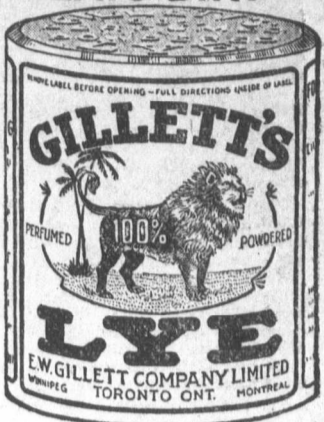
His Mean Comment.

Wife (reading)—Here's the advertisement of a matrimonial agency offering to supply any man with a wife for a dollar. Husband—Oh, of course! It costs less to get into trouble than it does to get out again.

ENTHUSIASM.

Enthusiasm gives life to what is invisible and interest to what has no immediate action on our comfort in this world.—Mme. de Stael.

GILLETT'S LYE EATS DIRT



The Small Man in War

It is no new discovery which an English physician has made in announcing that the short man makes a better fighter than the tall man.

The short or small man is not braver or more skillful and aggressive as a rule than the tall or large man. He is simply apt to be taught and more enduring, just as a small and closely knit horse is usually hardier than the large boned and bodied horse. He can resist disease better and he can better endure the trials and hardships of the march or the trench or the battle.

The small man has another advantage in war which was greater, perhaps, in the days when shooting was more individualistic than it is now through the use of machine guns and appliances for wholesale destruction. He offers a smaller mark. Galton figured out that Admiral Nelson might have been struck down some time before he was if he had been of large stature instead of a mere feather-weight.

If anybody is disposed to deny to small men intellectual credit for having in fact contributed to military history a considerable majority of its great captains, he can say very plausibly that the small man possessed of commanding genius, simply by the fact of his physical smallness has a better chance of living to prove his ability and achieve fame through war than the large-bodied man with equal genius.

But in any case a height limit which rules out short men in recruiting for real war, seems as ridiculous as the action of the father of Frederick the Great in combing the world for seven-footers to create a regiment against which no other in Europe would be able to stand.

A Pill That Lightens Life.—To the man who is a victim of indigestion the transaction of business becomes an added misery. He cannot concentrate his mind upon his tasks and loss and vexation attend him. To such a man Parmelee's Vegetable Pills offer relief. A course of treatment, according to directions, will convince him of their great excellence. They are confidently recommended because they will do all that is claimed for them.

Disposition of Canadian Forces

The 95,000 men now under arms are distributed as follows:

First Contingent now at the front, with reserves in England—33,000 men.

Princess Patricia Light Infantry, and reinforcements—1,600 men.

Royal Canadian Regiment at Bermuda—1,200 men.

Regiment at St. Lucia, British West Indies—500 men.

Thirteen regiments of mounted men—7,400.

Second Contingent, including 4,000 men already in England—20,000 men.

Twenty-six regiments of Third and Fourth Contingent—20,000 men.

Men on home defence duty and guarding alien camps—10,000 men.

In addition to the foregoing, there has been sent forward various hospital, veterinary and other detachments, which would make something like fifteen hundred or two thousand men.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Eggs at Toronto

Last week's low prices resulted in heavier consumption and this week a rise of 1c per dozen has been recorded. A week ago heavy stocks of eggs were shipped into Canada, and prices tumbled, as Ontario eggs accumulated at the same time. Result: Toronto dealers report very heavy buying of eggs all week. Since then a scarcity of demand has been created, and the price advanced a cent, putting the quotation for new laid at 19c, according to Guuns. These conditions are general throughout Canada.

If one be troubled with corns and warts, he will find in Holloway's Corn Cure an application that will entirely relieve suffering.

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BROOKE

There will be service in St. James' Church, Brooke, on good Friday morning at 10.30.

R. J. Lucas and W. J. Moffatt went to Port Stanley on Tuesday, to attend the funeral of the late Canon Downie.

The festival of Easter will be fittingly observed in St. James church on Easter morning at 11 o'clock. There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion. Easter service will be held in Christ Church, Sutorville, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Special music will be given by the choir. There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion.

The April meeting of the Brooke Women's Institute will be held on Thursday afternoon April 8th, at "Sunnyhill" the home of Mrs. M. J. Campbell. Subjects:—"Besay on Easter" by Mrs. Geo. McDonald; "Planning for winter flowers" by Mrs. W. S. Shugg; "Cake demonstration" by Mrs. Searson and Mrs. McNeil. Roll-call—household conveniences. All ladies interested are invited to attend this meeting.

The following statistics concerning the Brooke Municipal Telephone System were taken from the Annual Report of the Controller of Statistics in relation to the telephone interests of the Dominion of Canada. Funded debt \$28,612.15 cost property and equipment \$28,612.15, revenue \$4,726.91, operating expenses \$1,955.00. Number of telephones (magneto) 377, and one employee with remuneration of \$800.00. This report is for the year ended June 30, 1914.

Chi-Namel—the flexible varnish, bends with the wood or linoleum on which it is applied, and does not flake, peel, crack or powder. T. Dodds & Son, Watford, carry it in colors, and uncolored. You can get a can of it free during the demonstration by using the coupon on page 3.

The War Tax on Letters

Post Office Department, Ottawa, Canada.

Re one cent war tax on letters and post cards mailed in Canada for delivery in Canada, United States or Mexico, and on letters mailed in Canada for delivery in the United Kingdom and British possessions generally and wherever the two cent rate applies.

A war tax of one cent has been imposed on each letter and postcard mailed in Canada for delivery in Canada, the United States or Mexico, and on each letter mailed in Canada for delivery in the United Kingdom and British possessions generally, and wherever the two cent rate applies, to become effective on and from the 15th April, 1915.

This War Tax is to be prepaid by the senders by means of a War Stamp for sale by Postmasters and other postage stamp vendors.

Wherever possible, stamps on which the words "War Tax" have been printed should be used for prepayment of the War Tax, but should ordinary postage

How to Care for Your Complexion

There is no truer saying than that "beauty is only skin deep." Good features lose their charm under a sallow or blotchy skin and poor features are glorified by a beautiful complexion.

A very useful toilet booklet entitled "Your Complexion" has just been issued by Nyal's and contains many helpful health and beauty hints, including proper methods of massage. It can be had for the asking at the Nyal Agency Drug Store and you should call or telephone for it. Among other things it points out that diet, sleep, ventilation, and a thousand other things we cannot escape are continually warring against our complexions. Get a 25c or 50c jar of Nyal's Face Cream and convince yourself of its cleansing and refreshing and beautifying qualities. It is greaseless, oxygenated and quickly absorbed by the skin, leaves no shine, and gives a pleasant, smooth, cool sensation, quickly removing the irritation produced by wind and weather.

All Nyal preparations are justly famous and none more so than Nyal's Face Cream which we unhesitatingly recommend. Call or telephone us for your copy of this book which contains most valuable information.

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stamps be used for this purpose, they will be accepted.

This War Stamp or additional stamp for war purposes should be affixed to the upper right hand portion of the address side of the envelope or post card, close to the regular postage so that it may be readily cancelled at the same time as the postage.

In the event of failure on the part of the sender through oversight or negligence to prepay the war tax on each letter or postcard as above specified, such a letter or postcard will be sent immediately to the nearest Branch Dead Letter Office.

It is essential that postage on all classes of mail matter should be prepaid by means of ordinary postage stamps. The War Tax stamp will not be accepted in any case for the prepayment of postage.

James Jackson, who about five years ago purchased a Plympton towline farm for \$5,400, has sold it to a Kerwood man for the sum of \$7,500.

A gum shoe artist stole twelve laying hens from the coop of Mrs. Haskett, Amherstburg, picking out the best layers and leaving the poor ones.

"Jakey" Blake, a well-known G. T. R. employee at Sarnia, is dead. He distinguished himself by saving several lives at the time of the tunnel disaster in 1904.

Capt. Hugh McKinnon, one of the best known captains on the lakes, died at Kincardine last week.

Butterick Patterns Give Satisfaction

Swift, Sons & Co.

Grompton Corsets All Styles

EASTER is at our doors, and at this particular season much care is given over to shopping and the purchasing of those many things that the season demands. We have our store ready. Every department has had its proper attention, and the values are really worth looking into.

Easter Gloves for Ladies

Fine French Kid, two domes. These come in white, black and tan. All sizes.

\$1.25

Long silk, extra quality double tips, shades white and black only. all sizes.

\$1.00

Easter Veils

A range of Novelty Veils, including the popular "Trellis," taken into stock recently. "Trellis" Veils, in black only.

55c. and 75c.

Easter Whitewear

Corset Covers and Skirts, made from a fine quality Crepe. Cluny Lace trimmed Corset Covers.

45c.

Skirts \$1.25

Special 9 inch Embroidery Flounce Petticoat at

\$1.15

Cotton Corset Covers and Drawers, lace and insertion trimmed, a big special at

25c per garment

Easter Neckwear for Ladies

The latest novelty. Rainbow Middy Ties, all shades,

50c.

Pussy Willow Ties

25c.

A big range of the popular White Organdie Collars in the new Easter Lily Shape. These range from

25c to \$1.25 each

Easter Hosiery Specials

Penman's Lisle Tread, in Hello, Tipperary, Rose, Black and White. This is a wonder at

35c. per pair

A big range of Puritan Silk Hose, Black and White Lisle heel and toe. A good wearing silk, at

50c.

Easter Specials in our Men's Wear Dept.

W. G. & R. Collars, in white and fancy stripes, both in the Elk Brand that sell at

2 for 25c.

and Castle Brand, that are

3 for 50c.

Some nobby Soft Collars in Soisette and Silk, at

3 for 50c.

Hats Hats Hats

We have a big range of new Soft Felt Hats, Greys, Blues and Greens, by the best English makers.

\$2.00 up

Six new shapes in Hard Hats, all fitted with new Elastic Featherweight Band inside.

\$2.50 each

Easter Neckwear

A big range in new Silks at

50c.

Some new Pin's Poplins at

\$1.00

Spring Tweeds and Worsteds

A Belated Shipment has just arrived and our stock of Men's Suitings is one of the finest obtainable. We have been fortunate in securing some values that will interest you, in Blues and Blacks. They are Vickerman's, and will stand the wear.

Garharrt Overalls All Sizes, \$1.25

Swift, Sons & Co.

Sandow Shirts for Working Men, 75c.

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CHARLEY GAY, HAND LAUNDRY, next to McLaren's store. Best work. Everything cheap. 322-ms

GIRL WANTED, accustomed to general house work. Good wages paid. Apply at ROCHE HOUSE, Watford.

TWO LOTS for sale, cheap, situated on John St., Watford. Apply to MRS. HULL, 116 Queen St., Sarnia. a24

LADIES, try a cake of "Magic Cleanser" for carpets, rugs, lace curtains, soiled clothing, etc.—MRS. JOHN BRVSON, Agent.

FOUR SHORTHORN BULLS, 12 to 14 months old, good milking strain, for sale cheap. Apply to ARCH WILBY, lot 12, con. 14, Brooke; Watford R. R. 3. 20-3

CARD OF THANKS—Mrs. H. Bears and family wish to sincerely thank all the friends and neighbors for kindness and sympathy shown during their sad bereavement.

CARD OF THANKS—Mrs. John Clark and family, townline, wish to thank all who showed kindness and sympathy during the illness and at the time of the death of the late Mrs. Clark.

FOR SALE—Double corner lot with good frame house, stable, fruit trees, situated corner McGregor and Simcoe streets, Watford. Also good frame house and stable on St. Clair St. Apply to J. F. ELLIOT, Watford. a24

A 1 1/2 storey frame dwelling on Front street, Watford, and several other dwellings in Watford and also some farms in this vicinity for sale cheap. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, barrister, etc., Watford.

TENDERS FOR NIGHT SOIL—Tenders will be received by the Corporation of Watford up to April 5th, at 6 p.m., for the job of removing night soil throughout the municipality. Tenders to fur-

nish grounds for disposal of same. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.—W. S. FULLER, Clerk. m5-5

BORN.

In Port Stanley, Wash., on Friday, March 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. George Gallenger, a daughter.

In Plympton, on Friday, March 19th, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Steadman, a daughter.

In Wyoming, on Saturday, March 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Westland, a son.

In Plympton, on Monday, March 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. James Connor, a daughter.

In Plympton, on Sunday, March 21st, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Donnell, a son.

MARRIED.

On Wednesday, March 17, at Trinity Church, Port Burwell, by the rector, Rev. Edgar H. Croly, Laura Theresa, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Walker, to Herbert A. Fenner, of Fenner, Alberta.

DIED.

In Watford, on Friday, March 26th, 1915, Thomas Henry Waugh, aged 80 years.

At Port Stanley, on Saturday morning, March 27th, Rev. Canon Downie, aged 76 years.

In Forest, on Saturday, March 20th, 1915, Mr. Robert Munro, in his 60th year.

In Parkhill, on Monday, March 22nd, 1915, Jas. Barrach, aged 82 years, 4 months.

At Port Frank, on March 16, Georgina, wife of Joseph Martelle, aged 45 years.

In Theford, on March 22, Joseph G. Braddon, aged 81 years, 8 months and 22 days.

In Alpen, Mich., Saturday, March 13th, 1915, Mrs. J. B. Hobbs, in the 76 year of her age. Killed on G.T.R. track, near Watford, on Saturday, March 27th, Henry Beas, aged 55 yrs.

A Southwold township farmer was sentenced at St. Thomas to three years imprisonment for stealing chickens.

Wilbur L. Filkey, 12th line, Moore, a sick boy, died of shock on hearing that his father had been gored by a bull.

John Smith, a former resident of Plympton, died at his home, at Lake Mills, Iowa, on March 1st, aged 84 years.

SCHOOL REPORTS.

Report of S. S. No. 12, Warwick, for March. Class IV.—Victor Westgate 33, Valeria Routly 46. Class III.—Vera Kersey 77, Willie Hollingsworth 70, Morgan Cameron 65, Maizie Pyke 53, Albert McLean 52, Gordon Westgate 39, Ola Routly 47. Class II.—Milton Williamson 61, Sybil Routly 52, Percy Ward 51, Irene Westgate 42, Chester Fifield 37, Vera Pyke 35. Class I.—Nelson McLean 73, Amelia Pyke 64, Hilda Fifield 50, Melvin Williamson 48, Melvin Routley 28. Primary—Archie Cameron 91, Gilbert Kersey 86, Lorenzo McLean 75, Fred O'Neil 72, Oscar Westgate 34, Harold Westgate 19.—MARTHA BARRITT, Teacher.

Report of S. S. No. 5, Warwick, for the month of March. Those marked * were absent for part of examination. Names in order of merit, Class III.—Sr.—Dora Richardson, Artell Poore, Marjorie Hall, Inne Baird. Class II.—Fr.—Edith Tanton. Class II.—Frank Hall*, Ila Richardson*, Mary Hall, Christina Hall. Primer—(a)—Lloyd Poore. (b)—Leatha Richardson.—F. H. THOMPSON, Teacher.

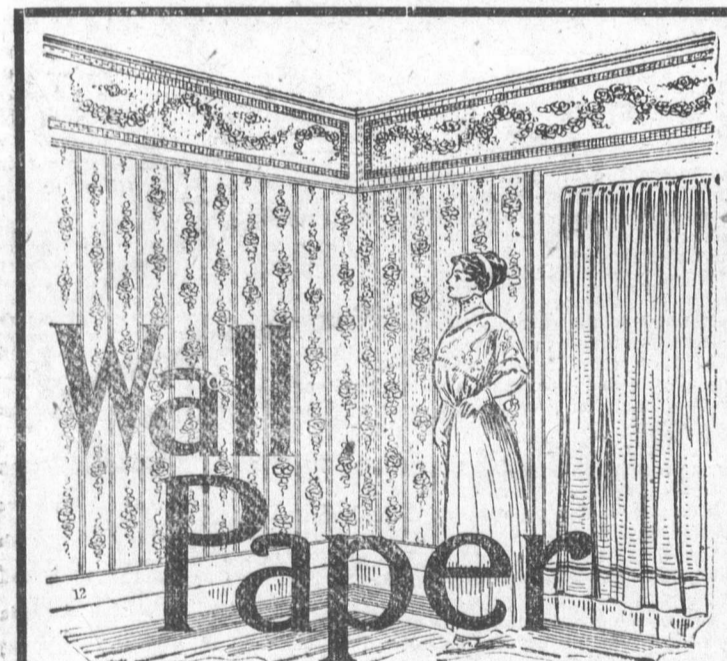
A man named Cole was convicted at Leamington last week of selling poison without a license and fined \$20 and costs.

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SAN JOSE SCALE THREATENS TO WIPE OUT ORCHARDS IN LAMBTON COUNTY

In the Southerly Portion of the County, especially, unless Prompt Action is taken to control this pest, whole areas of orchards will be devastated.

The Insect has obtained a strong foothold in the townships of Sombra, Dawn and Euphemia, is common in Moore, Enniskillen and Brooke, and has been discovered in isolated cases in the four northerly townships.

San Jose Scale attacks all fruit trees except the Sour Cherry. Small trees may be killed in a couple of years; larger trees usually take longer, but ultimately will perish if not treated.

Examine your trees carefully, and if you find on the twigs and branches round, tiny, black specks, which under a lens show a little nipple in the centre, surrounded by a depressed ring or groove, you can be certain it is San Jose Scale. One of these little black specks may mean a million next fall.

San Jose Scale can be controlled, as we have proven in our Demonstration Orchards at Florence, Rutherford and Port Lambton.

Steps necessary in the control of this insect are :-

1. Thorough pruning to thin out unnecessary branches and to remove dead and dying limbs.
2. Removing the rough bark from the large branches and trunks of the trees with a hoe.
3. Thorough spraying with Lime Sulphur of a specific gravity of 1.035, before the buds burst.

Once the Scale is brought under control it is not difficult to keep it there and does not require special treatment other than that followed by all good orchardists to insure clean fruit.

DOES IT PAY TO SAVE THE ORCHARD?

Last year one Fruit Growers' Association in Lambton County sold 7000 barrels of apples, netting the farmers \$1.04 per barrel for their fruit, picked. This, in one of the lowest-priced years in the history of the apple business.

Join a Fruit Growers' Association, and if there is not one in your locality let us tell you how to organize one.

If in doubt about your orchard, send us a sample twig and we will let you know if Scale is present.

We have for distribution bulletins giving detailed information on all phases of apple orcharding, also spray calendar, showing when and how to spray.

Personal help will be given as far as possible.

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ARKONA

Messrs. Jno. F. Dickison and J. Geo. Brown attended the Hydro Radial Convention held in Toronto last week.

Mr. Carl Little, of Standard Bank staff, has been transferred to the branch at Markham.

Sapper Fred R. Brown of Ottawa, spent the week end at his home here. Reliable seeds—clover, red and alsike. Home grown lucerne, timothy. Gov't standard.—Brown Bros.

Mr. Orville Augustine left on Monday for Nipegon, where he has secured a position with Hudson Bay Trading Co.

Private Will H. Tofrington, 33rd batt. London, spent the week end with friends in town.

Messrs. Ed. Crawford and Len Irwin are spending a few weeks with friends in Leamington.

Messrs. Ethan Bates and Verne Huntley, who were taking a short course in Stanley Barracks, have returned home.

Wall papers—Let us help you solve the problem, a large assortment to select from.—Brown Bros.

Mr. F. H. Grindley, of the Fruit Dept. Ottawa, called on D. Johnson last week.

Mr. G. Hicks, Wanstead, spent Sunday with D. Johnson.

Mr. George Turner of Vancouver B. C., is visiting his brother Mr. Henry Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cornell, of Vancouver, and infant daughter are visiting Mr. Cornell's mother, Mrs. Chas. Cornell.

Mr. Walter Barge, of Sarnia, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Our special showing of approval rugs "A decided success." We finish this special showing on Saturday, April 3rd.—Fuller Bros.

Mrs. Jos. Stephenson and daughter of Plympton, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ott.

Messrs. Don. Sutherland and Fred Brown, of Ottawa, spent Sunday with friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. Jas. Stephenson is visiting her niece, Mrs. Fraser, in Port Huron this week.

Mrs. Geo. Smith, Sen. is visiting friends in Chatham this week.

Just received a new shipment of fine dutch sets.—Fuller Bros.

The regular meeting of the W. I. will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Oakes, Sat. April 3rd at 3 p.m. A debate "Resolved that the press is mightier than the platform" will be given. The affirmative will be taken by Miss W. Eastman, Mrs. Wm. Bartram and Miss E. Patterson, the negative by Mrs. H. Davidson, Mrs. O. Kevers and Mrs. G. Shrier. Miss Alta Rook and Miss Lila Dowling will give an instrumental duet, and Mrs. E. George a solo. Everybody welcome.

The cheapest floor covering, as well as the most durable, is produced by the Clin-Named Graining System, only 2c per square foot. Demonstration by lady demonstrator at T. Dodds & Son's, Watford, on Saturday, April 3rd.

The Men's Baraca Class of the Arkona Baptist church held their annual sugar social on Wednesday evening, March 24. The whole congregation were invited and as the clock ticked off the minutes past eight we began to see visions of a large gathering, and we were by no means disappointed. The first part of the evening was spent in games and conversation. Soon after nine o'clock the main feature of the evening took place, when the men served the taffy. The quality was excellent and the spirits of the eaters seemed to rise with every mouthful. After the taffy was no longer an expectancy, but a mere remembrance of sweetness, an extra was given in the form of a program. It was not lengthy, but lively, and mostly musical, seasoned with a number of impromptu speeches from members of the class and others. Then followed an initiation of the officers and the gathering was suitably dismissed by the singing of the National Anthem.

MARKETS

Toronto

Toronto, March 30.—Receipts at the Union stockyards to-day were 60 cars, with 838 cattle, 250 calves, 1,426 hogs and 120 sheep.

The market was strong and active for all grades of cattle to-day with prices steady. Four fancy quality baby beef yearlings topped the Easter market at \$9. Several extra choice picked steers sold at \$8 to \$8.25. Outside of these prices were steady to firm for good to choice butcher cattle at \$7 to \$7.50 and fair to good butcher at \$6.75 to \$6.85.

Lambs scarce and high at \$10 to \$11.50. Sheep, choice, up to \$8.50.

Hogs 10c higher at \$8.85 to \$9.90, weighed off cars with one lot selling at \$9. To-day's quotations:

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| Butchers' steers, good.. | 7 00 to 7 25 |
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| do., common..... | 4 75 to 5 50 |
| Butcher cows, choice... | 5 50 to 6 50 |
| do., good..... | 5 00 to 5 25 |
| do., common..... | 4 50 to 4 75 |
| Butcher bulls, choice... | 6 00 to 6 50 |
| do., good..... | 6 25 to 6 50 |
| do., medium..... | 6 75 to 8 00 |
| Feeders 900 to 1,000 lbs. | 6 40 to 6 85 |
| do., bulls..... | 5 00 to 5 50 |
| Stockers..... | 6 00 to 6 65 |
| do., medium..... | 5 75 to 5 85 |
| do., light..... | 5 25 to 5 50 |
| Canners..... | 3 75 to 4 25 |
| Mitters..... | 4 25 to 4 75 |
| Milkers, choice, each... | 60 00 to 80 00 |
| Springers, each..... | 50 00 to 90 00 |
| Calves, veal..... | 9 00 to 10 50 |
| do., medium..... | 9 00 to 9 50 |
| do., common..... | 2 00 to 5 00 |
| Spring lambs..... | 7 00 to 10 00 |
| Bucks..... | 5 75 to 6 25 |
| Ewes, light..... | 6 50 to 8 00 |
| Sheep, heavy and bucks. | 3 50 to 4 50 |
| Culls..... | 2 00 to 2 50 |
| Hogs, weighed off cars. | 8 85 to 9 90 |
| do., fed and watered... | 8 55 to 8 85 |
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East Buffalo

East Buffalo, N. Y., March 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 250; steady. Veals—Receipts, 200 head; active; \$5.00 to \$11.00. Hogs—Receipts, 4,100; active; heavy, mixed, yorkers and pigs, \$7.00; roughs, \$6.35 to \$6.50; stags \$4.50 to \$5.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,400; active; lambs, \$7.50 to \$11.00.

MOTHERS PRAISE BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Mrs. S. E. Laurie, Grafton, Ont., writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets ever since my baby was two weeks old and would not be without them as I consider them the best medicine in the world for little ones." What Mrs. Laurie says thousands of other mothers say. Simply because they have found the Tablets safe and sure and pleasant for the little ones to take. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The New East Lambton

Since the last general Dominion election the Riding of East Kent has been wiped out, and the townships of Camden and Zone, town of Dresden and villages of Bothwell and Thamsville have been added to East Lambton. The population of the territory added is 6,604, making the population of the new Riding 28,827. The number of parliamentary voters in the added territory is 1,998, making a total in the new Riding of 8,451. At the general election in 1911, vote in the added territory was 764 Conservative and 679 Liberal. In the Riding as now constituted the vote was 348 Conservative and 2905 Liberal, a Conservative majority of 579.

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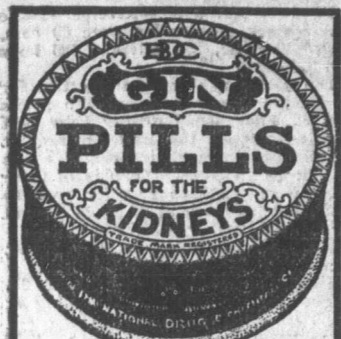
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TRAPPING A FLIRT
The Trap Didn't Spring the Right Way
By JOHN Y. LARNED

"Hello, Duncan! You look as radiant as a morning glory! Had a fortune left you?"

"Better than that!"

"What could be better than the sudden coming into a lot of money?"

"Sit down and I'll tell you."

This brief dialogue took place in the cafe of the B. club in New York. William Duncan led his friend, Edward Archibald, to a table, pushed the button for refreshments and said:

"Ten years ago I met a girl of sixteen—I was then twenty-six—who attracted me more than any one else I ever met. She was far beyond her age in some ways, most especially in flirting. I knew she was playing with me, but it didn't make any difference. I became infatuated all the same. Of course she was too young to be married, and we drifted apart, but I've never forgotten her, and it has been my intention never to marry unless I married my little sweetheart."

"But I have never since that time found it practicable to renew my suit. I have spent some years in South America, as you know, and more time in Australia. Besides, I have only recently come into a financial condition to enable me to marry. A few months ago I met an aunt of my sweetheart, who chided me for having won her niece's affections for pastime. I assured her that I would never marry any one else. Through the aunt we have been placed in correspondence, and I have just received her culminating letter agreeing to marry me on her return from Europe, which will be next month."

"Well, now, that's a romance and no mistake. I congratulate you heartily, old man; very heartily." And Archibald grasped his friend's hand in his viselike grip. "May I ask the lady's name?"

"Ellison—Edith Ellison."

Archibald gave a slight start.

"Ever met her?" asked Duncan.

"No, but I've heard of her. She threw a friend of mine over her shoulder."

"You don't mean it?"

"I do, and, to make a confession, I've always had a desire to see her caught in one of her own traps."

Duncan looked grave.

"Oh, don't worry," said the other. "You should feel flattered. Doubtless the reason she has declined others is because she wanted you."

"That's comforting. I assure you. You say you would like to see her caught in one of her own traps. A plan occurs to me. Edith and I have not met for ten years. Did I say ten? It will be twelve next month. I'm not sure she will know me when she sees me. Suppose we go abroad, meet her, you as Duncan, I as Archibald—we're not unlike—can see if you can win her away from me."

"Now it is you who are flattering me."

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Corinth, Miss.—"I am a city tax collector and seventy-four years of age. I was in a weak, run-down condition so that I became exhausted by every little exertion. My druggist told me about Vinol, and I decided to take it. In a week I noticed considerable improvement; I continued its use and now I have gained twenty pounds in weight, and feel much stronger. I consider Vinol a fine tonic to create strength for old people."—J. A. PRICE, Corinth, Miss.

As one grows old their organs act more slowly and less effectively than in youth, circulation is poor, the blood gets thin, the appetite poor and digestion weak. Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, is the ideal strengthener and body builder for old folks because it creates a good healthy appetite, strengthens digestion, enriches the blood, improves circulation and in this natural manner builds up, strengthens and invigorates feeble, run-down, nervous and aged people, and if it does not do all we say, we will pay back your money.

T. B. Taylor & Sons, Druggists, Watford.

"Nothing of the kind. If my personality won her originally it should hold her against all comers."

"I'm not so sure about that. Few girls of twenty-six would marry the man they admired at sixteen."

There were more talks between the two friends on the subject, and Archibald finally consented to go abroad with Duncan, and he was much heavier than formerly. He took with him a photograph of himself taken about the time he first met Miss Ellison, thinking he might have occasion to use it. He tried it on several friends, none of whom recognized it as a likeness of himself.

Archibald insisted that a letter be written to the lady in Duncan's name that he would claim her as his betrothed on any privilege of a fiancé until while after they had met. Time had changed him, and he thought it best that she should have an opportunity of seeing what manner of man he had become before feeling bound to him. This suited Duncan, and the letter was written.

One morning a card bearing the name of William Duncan was carried to Miss Ellison, who was staying with friends at a hotel in Rome, and Mr. Archibald followed the card. The lady advanced with outstretched hand, but stopped short.

"I am charmed," said Archibald. "I knew you would be disappointed in me."

"Yes; you are changed, very much changed. I would not have supposed that a dozen years could make such a difference. But of course I am changed too."

"Very little, and whatever change there is in you has been an improvement."

"Permit me to return the compliment."

Mr. Archibald was ill at ease. He did not like the part he was playing and felt that the meeting lacked that warmth there should be between two persons who were intending to be married. But it was not long before Miss Ellison began to appear more used to the change she found in him and seemed especially desirous for a return to the former feeling that had existed between them years ago.

But she gave no hint that she expected the caresses to which lovers are privileged. This was a comfort to Archibald.

The day after this meeting Archibald informed Miss Ellison that he had brought a friend with him from America who knew no one in Rome. When about to start out with her to see the sights he asked permission to introduce him. This was granted, and Mr. Duncan was introduced as Mr. Archibald.

"I am pleased to meet you, Mr. Archibald," said the lady. "Indeed, any friend of Mr. Duncan's is a friend of mine if he cares to be such."

Duncan winced. There was not the slightest sign that she recognized her fiancé. A party, the two men and the lady being among the number, was driven to the coliseum, then to the forum and other objects of interest, and during these visits Miss Ellison devoted herself to the real Archibald, leaving the real Duncan severely in the cold. She seemed inclined to get her pretended fiancé away from the others and was not at all careful of her speech in referring to Duncan, who was much disgruntled at the success of the ruse and his position with reference to his fiancée.

"Your fat friend doesn't seem to be in a very good humor," she said loud enough for Duncan to hear. "What's the matter with him?"

This put a quietus on the "fat friend's" sightseeing with the others for that day. He disappeared while the party was exploring the forum and did not return.

Archibald mildly remonstrated with the lady, saying that his friend was a fine fellow, very sensitive, and his overhearing her remark had doubtless wounded him to the quick. Miss Ellison professed regret and promised if Archibald would bring the gentleman back she wouldn't do so any more.

That evening when the two men were together at their hotel Archibald had great difficulty in keeping Duncan from returning at once to America. "What's the use of my hanging about here?" the latter exclaimed. "The romance of a dozen years ago has gone up in smoke. Great Scott, man, I'm your 'fat friend!'"

Archibald finally secured a promise from Duncan that he would see Miss Ellison once more before returning to America, and when he did so she received him so graciously that he was sufficiently mollified to join a party for a visit to the ruins of the baths

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Envy.
"Oh, dear, I wish I was a turtle!"
"What an absurd idea! Why?"
"A turtle has a snap."—Exchange.

Retort Courteous.
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of Caracalla. On this occasion Miss Ellison shifted her favors from the spurious to the real Duncan. This was not to the former's satisfaction, and when the two men met for dinner it was Archibald who would return to America.

"She's as much of a flirt," remarked Duncan, "as she ever was. It was born in her."

"What a fool I have been," replied Archibald, "to permit myself to be used in such a matter. I'm out of it from this time forward."

"I heard you promise to go with the party to St. Peter and the castle of St. Angelo tomorrow morning."

"Well, that shall be the last of it. I'm off the next day for Genoa and thence home."

At St. Peter's and St. Angelo the wind shifted again, and the spurious Mr. Duncan came in for all the favoritism. And so it was that Miss Ellison kept the two men on the eve of going home, first one, then the other, till it looked as if their friendship would not only be broken, but they would have each other's heart's blood.

One day a little note came, addressed to Mr. Archibald (for the real Mr. Duncan from Miss Ellison, asking him if he could find it convenient to call upon her that evening. He accepted the invitation with alacrity and found the lady alone in her private parlor.

"I have sent for you, Mr. Archibald," she said, "to tell you that my engagement with Mr. Duncan, of which you are aware, must be broken. I should be obliged if you, as his bosom friend, would break it to him as gently as possible."

"I—you—you don't mean it?"

"I am dreadfully sorry, but I can't help it."

"Am I to tell him that there is another attachment?"

The lady cast her eyes on the floor. Then she suddenly threw her arms around her companion's neck.

"Will," she said, "what did you mean by foisting your friend upon me as yourself?"

"You knew me?"

"Yes; at once."

"But I've changed. I'm bald, and I've grown fat."

"You haven't lost the smile that made me love you from the first moment I saw you when I was young. That smile, which denoted your inner self, is the same today as it was then, and I love it and you as I did then."

That was the end of the ruse that was played, or, rather, attempted to be played, on Edith Ellison. She returned to America as Mrs. Duncan.

But for some time the friendship between the two men was not the same as before. Duncan bore no ill will whatever against his friend, but Archibald naturally felt very sore.

However, in time the lady accomplished what she could not do. She won over Archibald, and before the trio returned to America there was the best of feeling among all of them.

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JONES WROTE POETRY.

And Laid a Layer of Bricks For Every Line He Composed.

Several years ago I wrote an essay for the Atlantic Monthly on "The Hundred Worst Books." For a place in the list I selected a book in my library entitled "Poems on Several Occasions," published in 1749 by one Jones, a poet whose name was unknown to me till I perused his verse. The pages were so fresh that I cherished the belief that I was the only reader in a century and a half. I had the pride of possession in Jones.

It was some time after that I came across, in Walpole's letters, an allusion to my esteemed poet. It seems that Colley Cibber, when he thought he was dying, wrote to the prime minister "recommending the bearer, Mr. Henry Jones, for the vacant laurel. Lord Chesterfield will tell you more of him."

I was never more astonished in my life than when I visualized the situation and saw my friend Jones "the bearer" of a demand for the reversion of the laureateship. It seemed that Walpole was equally surprised, and when he next met Lord Chesterfield the eager question was, who is Jones, and why should he be recommended for the position of poet laureate? Lord Chesterfield answered, "A better poet would not take the post, and a worse ought not to have it." It appears that Jones was an Irish bricklayer and had made it his custom to work a certain number of hours according to an undeviating rule. He would lay a layer of brick and then compose a line of poetry, and so on until his day's task was over. This accounts for the marvelous evenness of his verse.

This was but a small discovery, but it gave a real pleasure, for should I meet my Lord Chesterfield he and I would at once have a common interest. We both had discovered Jones, and quite independently.—Atlantic Monthly.

ONE VIEW OF BISMARCK.

His Love of Music and His Dislike of Wagner as a Man.

Talking of the arts Bismarck said: "Of music I am very fond, but now I have to abstain from hearing it because tears come only too readily into my eyes. My heart is stronger than my head. Indeed, what self control I have been brought by experience." Many instances occurred during our conversations which gave the truth to this assertion.

The extreme mobility of his countenance and the various shades of expression which passed over it told of a sensitive, emotional temperament. "But I have a fire within me still which burns at times with fury." Upon that I asked, "Are you in reality the iron chancellor?" "No," he said, "not naturally; the iron I have created to use when necessary." And that I believe to be true.

I asked him if he knew Wagner personally. "Yes," he answered, "but it was quite impossible for me to care for him or to encourage his society. I had not time to submit to his insatiable vanity. Before breakfast, at breakfast, before and after dinner, Wagner demanded sympathy and admiration. His egotism was wearisome and intolerable, and his demand for a listener was so incessant that I was obliged to avoid his company. I was too busy with my affairs to be able to give him all or even a portion of the demands he would have claimed upon my time. But I admire his music greatly, though I have been compelled to give up going to the opera because the beautiful and touching melodies I cannot get out of my head; they cling to me, and I find it difficult to release myself from them, and now it tires me to be so much moved."—From "Conversations With Prince Bismarck," by W. B. Richmond, the English painter, in North American Review.

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A Lapse of Memory.

The minister, who was a reformed policeman, said to the bridegroom, who stood trembling, with his pallbearer gloves on: "Do you, Algernon Smith, take this young woman to be your lawful wedded wife in sickness and in health, for better or for worse, till death do you part? Remember, anything you say will be used against you."—Chicago Post.



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Optimist and Pessimist

They were returning from the trenches—two regiments. As they came together on the high road there was a quick exchange of caustic wit. "When's this bloomin' war goin' to finish?" asked a Wigshire private. "I don't know," said the man of the Manchesters despairingly. "We've planted daffodils in front of our trench." The other spat contemptuously. "Plurry optimist," he said, scornfully, "we're plantin' acorns!"

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pulled him off the table, just as the big sawteeth were a few inches from his body. A few seconds more and he would have been cut in two.

Edward David Howell died in Bothwell at the age of 61 years, from a second stroke. He lived in Euphemia for a number of years. He leaves a widow and daughter and three sons.

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WHAT IS SAN JOSE SCALE?—San Jose Scale is an insect which slowly kills the tree by sucking the life from it. It also damages the tree to some extent by injecting a poison into it. At the present time the insect is in the winter stage. To the naked eye it looks like a tiny black speck. If it is examined more closely with a hand lens you will notice a distinct nipple in the centre surrounded by a depressed ring or groove. About the middle of May the living insect beneath the scale cover becomes winged and backs out from beneath the cover. The little insects are orange colored and move around short distances on the tree. The insects give birth to living young and so prolific are they that the progeny from a single scale for one season may amount to well over a million. It is this rapid rate of multiplication which makes the insect so deadly.

MEANS OF CONTROL.—It is when the insect is in the dormant state that it can be controlled and from now until the buds begin to burst is the time to do it. In neglected orchards the first year's work is far more difficult than any succeeding year and when once the scale is brought under control it is not very difficult to keep it there. Prof. Caesar, of O. A. C., says it is easier to combat successfully than the ordinary Codling Moth.

Every orchard before it is sprayed should be carefully pruned to thin out any unnecessary branches and to remove dead and dying ones. This lets in the sunlight, allows the spray to reach every part more easily, causes less waste of spray material and the trees are healthier and bear better fruit. After the trees are pruned the rough bark should be scraped off the larger branches and the

trunk with a hoe. This will expose all the scale to the spray. Once the loose bark is removed it will not need to be done again for several years.

Unless a tree is badly infested one thorough, actual application of the right spray mixture of the proper strength applied in the spring just before the buds burst will satisfactorily control the scale. Badly infested trees should receive two applications the first year to make a thorough job but if careful work is done it is even possible to control the scale in the worst orchards with one thorough spraying.

Lime Sulphur is to-day recommended all over North America as much the safest, best and cheapest spray mixture to use against San Jose Scale. It is very important to use sufficiently strong mixture. Every person using this spray should procure a hydrometer with which to test the strength of their spray. These may be purchased for 90c. Experience has proven the proper strength to be 1.035 specific gravity. A full account of how to use a hydrometer is given in a bulletin on Lime Sulphur and also in the Spray Calendar, either of which may be had free on application. Wherever an orchard is some distance, say 10 rods or more, from an infested orchard it can be kept almost free from scale whether the infested orchard remains neglected or not.

APPOINTMENT OF SAN JOSE INSPECTOR.—The Ontario Fruit Pests Act reads: "The Council of any local Municipality may and upon the petition of 25 or more fruit growers who are ratepayers shall, by by-law, appoint at least one inspector to enforce the provisions of this Act." The Fruit Pests Act provides that farmers having scale in their orchards must spray same or have them cut down. In my opinion it would be a good plan for every municipality to appoint such an inspector. I would not advise the Inspector enforcing the law to the limit but rather to act in co-operation with this Department in locating infested orchards and instructing those who have infested orchards in the proper methods to be employed to control this pest. One-half the salary of the Inspector is paid by the municipality and one-half by the Department of Agriculture. It would not be necessary for an Inspector to put in more than a month of his time each year on this work.

G. G. BRAMHILL.

Death of Rev. Canon Downie

Rev. Canon John Downie, B.D., rector of Christ Church, Port Stanley, and for thirteen years rector of Watford and Brooke died at his home at Port Stanley on Saturday after a long illness from pneumonia. He was in his 76th year, a native of Ireland, and came to Canada in 1862 as Assistant Chaplain to the Imperial forces at Kingston. He graduated from Huron College in 1869. His first parish was that of Kingsville, and later he was rector successively of Morpeth, Lunan, Berlin, Watford and Port Stanley, and was instrumental in having built five new churches.

Canon Downie was prominent in Sunday School work, being for years Chairman of the Sunday School Committee of Huron Diocese and inspector of Sunday schools in the county of Elgin. He was at one time Rural Dean of Kent. He was the founder of "Our Empire," a Sunday school magazine published in London, England, and used throughout the Empire.

Deceased was married in 1865 to Miss Josephine Rodgers, of Kingston, who predeceased him on April 30th, 1914. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. R. A. Williams, Toronto; Mrs. G. H. Cowan, Vancouver, B.C.; and Miss Reta, at home; two sons, John W., of San Francisco, and David H., of Paris, Ont; two sisters, Mrs. J. L. Miller and Miss Martha Downie, of Toronto, and one brother, William Downie, of Toronto.

After a funeral service at Port Stanley the remains were sent to Toronto on Tuesday evening, and on Wednesday the funeral was held from the residence of the deceased's son-in-law, R. A. Williams, 26 Kendall avenue, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery for interment.

WANSTEAD

The Quilt Contest under the auspices of the "Ladies Guild" of St. James Church, Wanstead, was brought to a close on the evening of Mar. 24th. After a short program consisting of recitations, readings and selections on the phonograph, the Chairman, Mr. John McNeill, assisted by Mr. John McDougall drew a ticket from a package similar to those held by the contestants. Mrs. James MacIntosh (nee Miss Alice Hicks) formerly of Wanstead, but now of Inwood, proved to be the winner of the contest. Sandwiches, cake and hot coffee were then served by the "Guild." The singing of the "National Anthem" brought to a close one of the most successful gatherings ever held in Wanstead. Proceeds \$29.40, which go to swell the Patriotic Fund. The "Guild" is a newly organized society in Wanstead. May success crown its efforts in its good work.

Learn Dressmaking

We teach everything from measure to finish, from the plainest shirtwaist to the most elaborate toilet, also skirts and coats in all the latest styles. We have taught over 1,000 in the past year and never found one that cannot cut, fit and put together any article in dressmaking after taking a course with us. In order to introduce this wonderful method in your town we have decided to give our \$10 course for Half Price, including an up-to-date scale. We will be at the hotel in Kerwood April 7th to April 10th, and will be in Wyoming from April 12th till April 16th, and in Alvinston from April 16th till April 20th. Any lady wishing to take a course can meet us then and arrange for class.

MISSES VALLANCE, Teachers.

REPLENISH YOUR BLOOD IN THE SPRING

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

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

New, rich, red blood—your greatest need in spring—is plentifully created by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and with this new, pure blood in your veins you quickly regain health and increase your strength. Then your skin becomes clear, your eyes bright, your nerves strong, and you feel better, eat better, sleep better, and are able to do your work.

Begin your spring tonic treatment today for the blood and nerves with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—the Pills that strengthen.

These Pills are sold by most dealers, but do not be persuaded to take "something just the same." If you can't get the genuine Pills from your dealer they will be sent you by mail, postpaid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Easter at Trinity Church

On Easter morning Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 a.m. and 9.15 a.m. At the 9.15 service the following music will be given by the choir:

Processional Hymn, 171.
Anthem—"Why Seek Ye"..... Mendelssohn
Gloria in Excelsis..... Paganini
Kyrie.....
Processional Hymn, 157.
Anthem—"Why Seek Ye the Living"..... Cooke
Magnificat.....
Newly Sung Dimittis.....
Gloria—Gregorian.
Offertory Anthem—"I Will Praise the Name of God"
Recessional Hymn, 77.

The Easter vestry meeting will be held in the school room on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

THE GUIDE-ADVOCATE welcomes items of interest for this column. Call Phone 11, send by mail or item in GUIDE-ADVOCATE LETTER.

SPRING.
TORONTO now has a flying scissor tailoring always right at Swif's.

The man who wants to borrow garden spade is due to arrive now.

The only way some people can promise is to place it in a safe vault.

Up to March 1st, 30,000 have been purchased in Canada for uniforms and slates armies.

The only time some people are when they meddle with their don't concern them.

THE hobby hat at Swif's.

MAJOR-GENERAL HUGHES wishes "dry canteens" for every unit militia in Canada.

Mrs. T. O. MITCHELL will receive honor of Mrs. Lawrence, on Friday, from 3.30 to 5.30.

By destroying a Netherlands without cause the Kaiser sees getting himself "in Dutch."

Few people pay attention to about counterfeit \$10 bills, but a bogus quarters puts us all on edge.

Up to March 31st, \$250 of the Patriotic Fund has been paid to families of Watford boys at the front.

The fine weather is coming your clothing order.—SWIF'S Dept.

EASTER was a beautiful day church attendance was large were not as many visitors in usual.

JAMES J. HILL says wheat will be 70c a bushel next year, if the war and James J. is not given to talk's sake.

The man who advertised last does not this year will be all gotten next year, so short is the of the buying public.

INCIDENTALLY it may be that when it comes to paying for this war the British lion will have to shoulder the lion's share.

If you need a floor rug, large call at SWIF'S.

WISACREKS who have not yet how the war started need not mind if little credence is given predictions as to the time the end.

ATTEND the anniversary of Trinity church school room on evening. A good tasty meal for Orchestra in attendance. Supper from 5 to 7.30.

There will be no war tax squander on letters going to the sc France. This was made clear Minister of Finance before the bill was given a third reading.

THE 45 round fight for the heavyweight championship at on Monday resulted in Jack being knocked out in the 26th his opponent Jess Willard.

ROSSLAND, B. C., now has newspaper, the Rossland Miner been changed from a semi-weekly to daily on March 28th. We are to Mr. T. L. Swift for a copy.

FARMERS having animals, see thing to sell find the Guide-Want Column invaluable in buyer and seller together. A who have tried it.

ANOTHER lot of large bath for 25c.—SWIF'S?

A NUMBER of Sarnia ladies go April fool scare when some phoned that their presence was at the custom's office, present answer for smuggling.

The License Commissioners Lambton will meet at the Rock Watford, on Friday, April 2 o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of ing applications for the license 1915-16.

The bigger a town grows, valuable do the adjacent farms Farmers should patronize the towns, and thus increase the population and the market for products.

A MEETING of the Watford Club will be held in the A. Friday evening, April 9th, at 8 to arrange matters for ensuing All members of executive are requested to be present and all are welcome.

600 yds. of good pattern 3 1/2 cents, regular 12 1/2c. goods.—

A big fur house writes a firm that furs have dropped 20 percent, and the big London gone all to pieces. They suggest local dealers advise against imitating trapping.

THE Rev. A. E. Armstrong, Toronto, preached two forthright in the Presbyterian church on His message was of Easter joys duty regarding missionary work Armstrong is Secretary of the Missionary Scheme of the church.