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DISTRICT AND GENERAL

Mrs. John Bedford died on Friday of pneumonia at her home in Tyroneville.

Blenheim school teachers have all resigned, following the refusal of the board to grant them increases in salary.

Four crews have been laid off by the G. T. R. in the London division and the staff of the car shops reduced 70 men.

The Ontario Deputy Minister of Highways is contemplating planting nut-bearing trees along the provincial highways.

Mrs. John McTaggart, a former resident of Alvinston, died at the home of her daughter in Detroit after a year's illness.

London city council is planning constructing sewers and other work this winter to give employment to some of those out of work.

The ratepayers of Dutton will be called on early in the new year to sanction an expenditure of \$18,000 for a community hall.

Some Alvinston citizen is accused by the local paper of electric power stealing. Traps have been laid to catch the wire-tappers.

The Methodist church board in Brussels are charging \$5 per year to all who wish to stand horses in their sheds while in town on business.

I. C. Kumble's butcher shop at Blenheim was burglarized the other night. The thief was not content with the \$75 in the till, but carried off the till also.

Passenger and freight rates on all Canadian railways will be reduced on January 15, and a reduction of 10 per cent. will be made in passenger rates, while the freight rates will drop five per cent.

The funeral of John Downey, whose death occurred at Duart, was held at Wardsville and was conducted by Rev. Dr. Husser. He was 59 years old, and besides his aged mother is survived by three brothers.

The Columbia Journal records a strange but reasonable fatality. A patient, suffering from diphtheria, called on a doctor. The doctor rubbed his back with alcohol, and the patient broke his neck trying to lick it off.

Warton council has purchased 230 cords of lumber which will be sold to the citizens at \$3.75 a cord. A council of this kind would be welcome in some other small towns where the farmers are asking \$6 and over a cord.

The Ontario Government intends introducing legislation at the next session of the Legislature requiring all persons intending to be married in the province to give public notice one week in advance of the proposed nuptials.

Essex county tobacco growers, alleging the loss of some thousands of tobacco through the failure of the Dominion Tobacco Co., Montreal, and the Foster Co., Leamington, to carry out their contract, are suing for \$8,000 damages.

Tilbury fax mill, owned and operated by the Ontario Flax Company, was destroyed Thursday afternoon by fire supposed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion. The loss, estimated at \$7,000, is partly covered by insurance.

Windsor police commission and the pool room proprietors had a conference following complaints of citizens, at which the proprietors pledged their best efforts to have profanity and other offensive talk and misconduct barred from their establishments.

A teamster at Mimico was fined by the magistrate for fixing the roof of his house on Sunday. He appealed the case and the judge quashed the conviction. He said it was not a violation of the Lord's Day Act because the man was not pursuing his usual vocation.

The butchers of Milton have reduced the price of meats ten cents a pound. They will do no delivering nor take orders by phone and give no credit. They are pleading their case in that town and the butchers have taken the steps to save themselves from bad debts.

Any excuse goes these days for keeping up prices. In New York Christmas shoppers are told that Christmas trees cut in Canada in October are now buried under 15 feet of snow, hence the doubling of prices. Evidently the meteorological department of Canada has failed to report this heavy snow fall.

Abraham Kittle, 114 years old, believed to be one of the oldest men in the United States, died at his home in Detroit on Sunday. Kittle was also the oldest Free Mason in the world, having been made a Master Mason in New York State in 1827. He was an inveterate smoker up to the age of 106. His longevity he ascribed to the fact that he invariably retired not later than 8 p. m. and rose at 5.

It is stated that the Dominion Government will place a rigid embargo against shipment of corn out of the township of a number of Western Ontario counties in which the European corn borer appeared the past summer. The whole of Middlesex, four townships of Kent, one township of Huron and parts of Welland, Haldimand and Oxford will be under the regulations. This will cover all classes of corn, and in any form not subjected to some process of manufacture that will destroy the pest.

It is a matter of great convenience to Glencoe people that Templeton's Rheumatic Capsules and RAZ-MAH for Asthma can now be secured at H. I. Johnston's.

COUNTY-PROVINCIAL ROAD

Board of Trade Discusses This and Other Matters

The regular monthly meeting of the Glencoe Board of Trade was held on Monday evening and took the form of a smoker. A good representation of the citizens was present. Among other business it was decided to continue affiliation with the Ontario Board of Trade Association.

Good roads and bad roads were discussed at some length, and the meeting favored the proposition to have the Mosa and Eldrid townline designated as a county-provincial highway to link up the provincial highways London to Windsor and London to Sarnia, passing through Glencoe, Alvinston, Petrolia and on to Sarnia, or Dutton to Kerwood. A committee was appointed to take the matter up with the boards of trade of the other municipalities and otherwise look into the feasibility of the scheme and report at next meeting.

Reeve McPherson addressed the meeting, giving an outline of what action had been taken in the county council at its recent meeting in regard to highway improvement. Besides a grant of \$3,000 towards improving our main street the county had been induced to designate this highway as a county road from Strathburn northward to the Grand Trunk railroad, and from Symes street to the Mosa-Brooke townline. This left the

length of but two business blocks to be looked after by the town council, and the matter of paving this section was now a live issue.

CALLED TO VANCOUVER

Rev. E. McGougan, M.A., B.D., who has been unanimously invited by the session of Chalmers Presbyterian church, Vancouver, to become their minister in succession to Rev. Dr. Henry, is a graduate of McGill University and Montreal Presbyterian Theological College. He took honors in philosophy and theology and was one of the most popular students of his day. He won a medal for public speaking, and was a member of the inter-university debating team.

During college days Mr. McGougan was assistant to Dr. Mowat in Erskine Presbyterian church, Montreal, and upon graduation went to Alberta, where he took charge of the church at Wetaskwin. After one year there he was called to Knox church, Edmonton, of which he has been pastor for nine years.

Knox church is one of the largest in Edmonton, having a communicant roll of 891; during 1919 the congregation raised for all purposes \$11,417.

Mr. McGougan is a former Glencoe boy and received his high school training here.

The Merchants Bank of Canada has voted a bonus of ten per cent. to its employees throughout the Dominion.

WANTS BETTER LIQUOR LAW

The grand jury at the Middlesex Sessions of the Peace in its presentment to Judge Macbeth blamed the present abnormal amount of crime in Canada on liquor and to unemployment and recommended that the importation of strong drink be stopped and that the Legislature be petitioned to place the sale of all liquors under Government control and strictly enforce the law. Steps should be taken, said the presentment, to provide for men out of work.

Stricter censoring of motion picture films was also suggested.

REFUSES TO HELP COLLEGIATE

The Middlesex county council adopted a resolution unanimously, refusing to contribute at this time towards the cost of a new Collegiate Institute in London. The council, however, named a special committee to secure an adjustment of relations with the city in regard to educational matters.

The fee system and its evils in regard to the county constabulary were discussed at length and finally laid over pending the announcement of the results of the inquiry now being conducted by the Government Commission. Reeve Grieve said the whole county constabulary system should be torn down and rebuilt.

In Glencoe the municipal pot is not yet as much as simmering.

Christmas Suggestions

ONLY 7 SHOPPING DAYS BEFORE CHRISTMAS

To help you decide the question "What to Give," we offer a list of suggestions for every member of the family. The list may contain just the very thing you want to give, but if not, come into our store and we will cheerfully aid you in selecting something appropriate. Mark this list and bring it with you.

WHAT TO BUY - WHERE TO BUY IT

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| <p>FOR BABY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Feeding Spoon.....50c to \$2 Knife, Fork & Spoon.....\$1 to 2.75 Napkin Ring.....75c to \$2.50 Silver Mug.....90c to \$3 Set of Pins.....25c to \$2.50 Single Pin.....15c to \$1.50 Bib Holder.....75c to \$1.75 Ring, 10k gold.....75c to \$2.50 Locket and Chain.....50c to \$5 Bracelet.....75c to \$1.50 Ivory Brush & Comb.....\$1 to 2.50 | <p>FOR SISTER AND MOTHER</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bracelet Watch.....\$10.50 to \$45 Bracelet Watch (Waltham).....\$2.50 up Pyrex Ovenware.....35c to \$5 Umbrella.....\$4 to \$12 Purse or Hand Bag.....75c up Electric Boudoir Lamps.....\$14 to \$25 | <p>FOR THE FAMILY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Silver Spoons.....\$3.50 up Community Silver Pieces.....\$3.50 up Silver Knives.....\$1.25 to \$4.25 Silver Pie Dish.....\$2.50 to \$9 Silver Casserole, pyrex lined.....\$5 to \$18 Silver Tea Set.....\$14 to \$45 Silver Casserole, brown lining.....\$3.50 up Silver Bake Dish.....\$7 up Silver Knives and Forks, dozen.....\$5 up China Fern Dish.....\$1.50 to 7.50 China Vase.....65c to \$7 China Nut Bowls.....\$1.50 to \$5.50 China Chocolate Sets.....\$4.50 to \$8.50 China Cream & Sugars.....75c to \$5 China Berry Sets.....\$2.25 to 5.50 China Cake Plates.....50c to 5.50 China Salt and Peppers, pair.....25c to \$1.25 Oak Trays.....\$1.85 to \$5 Umbrellas.....\$3.50 to \$12 Pyrex Ovenware Pieces.....35c to \$5 1847 Silver, Old Colony Pattern Community Silver, Adam Pattern |
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FOR LOVE OF HIS LITTLE CHILD, THIS FATHER GAVE ALL AND GAINED ALL.

By MAY ELLIS NICHOLLS.



"It's awful to get a puncture, especially after dark!" said Bobby and gazed ruefully at the broken rubber band in his hand.

On the floor at his side was a disabled auto-truck, loaded down with Christmas packages—at least that was what Bobby saw. Of course if one had only grown-up eyes, it might have looked to him like a cigar box mounted on four little wheels, three of them bound round with rubber bands and the fourth, as Bobby had mournfully declared, minus its "rubber tire."

"Mother!" he called, scrambling to his feet. Receiving no reply, he ran to the door through whose crack a ray of light shone. "Mother, please light the gas, I've got a blowout!"

With the opening of the kitchen door a flood of light, an appetizing odor and Comfort all entered together. Comfort had flushed cheeks and tender eyes. She wore a white apron over a blue muslin dress exactly the shade of her eyes; her sleeves, rolled above her elbows, displayed her shapely white arms.

"Why you blessed-darling! All in the dark, are you?" She lighted the gas and with the light the room sprang into delicate lines, like a developing negative. It was the ordinary dining room of the ordinary city flat: a cheap, ornate, built-in sideboard, a yellow-oak dining table, four chairs and a divan that could be used for a bed, made up the furniture.

"See my puncture, mother?" Bobby held up the rubber band and pointed to the little handle wheel.

"The mother of gods, eyes suddenly widened. "Cars, cars, always cars! Put up your play, Bobby, and do some examples."

There was a cadence in the mother's tone that the child felt though he did not understand. He reluctantly obeyed. His mind was not on the question of how many toys make four. After his mother had returned to her dinner getting he tied the broken rubber band and stretched it over the fourth wheel; it broke shorter than before. Once more he tried but with the same result.

"If I had only a big rubber!" he murmured.

He tried to fasten it with a string but the rubber was rotten and he threw it down in tears in his big gray eyes. "The mean old thing!" he cried.

Suddenly he sprang to his feet, a look of determination on his face.

"I've a great mind—" he said and put his hand on the knob of the hall door. For a full minute he stood there, then he turned the knob, walked slowly the length of the dark hall and paused outside another door.

For weeks Bobby had been forbidden to enter that room. "Father is at work and must not be bothered," was the law laid down to him every morning and never repeated. Each morning after breakfast that room swallowed Father. Sometimes he came out for lunch, sometimes Bobby did not see him again till the next day. When he did come out, he seemed to be looking at something far away and hardly spoke to Mother or Bobby. Yet he was not angry with them. Oh, no! When he did see them, he cuddled and kissed them as if he had been away for a long time and only the other day, when the auto-truck was out of order, he got right down on his hands and knees and fixed it quicker—quicker—why, quicker than Bobby could think about it. Mother could cure bad cuts and black-and-blue spots by kissing them and could make wonderful things to eat but she did not seem to know one wee bit about automobiles, and sometimes Bobby thought she acted as if she did not want to know. Why, Bobby himself knew more about autos than Mother did!

For five long minutes he listened outside the forbidden door. Well might he pause: it was the first time in the six years of his short life that he had ever deliberately disobeyed those who had authority over him. But his mind was made up. He was going to face Father as man to man, and, no matter what resulted from it, ask him to fix the truck.

He opened the door noiselessly and entered the room. For a moment the glare of light almost dazzled him, for it was as light as six glaring gas jets could make it. Blinking, he advanced on tip-toe. At a table in the middle of the room sat Father—tall, slim, his mop of black hair thrown back, his dark eyes fixed on something he held in his hand and was adjusting with a tiny tool. At last he put the thing

down on the table and for a moment longer Bobby stood motionless in sheer amazement. Then he jumped and capered and fairly squealed with delight. The thing was a tiny automobile, only a few inches high but perfect in every part and it ran like mad, first this way and then that over the polished surface of the table.

"Oh, gee, Father! Gee whizz, can't she go!" Bobby's little body fairly quivered with excitement. "It's from Santa Claus, isn't it, and it's for me?" The eager little hands were outstretched, but before they reached the coveted treasure they were struck aside—and a voice that Bobby would never have known for Father's, shouted at him:

"Don't you dare touch that, Child! Why did your mother let you come here anyway?"

"Mother didn't let me; I came."

Bobby protested, ready to defend Mother even in his extremity.

The surprise and suspense in the pitiful little face brought Robert Norton to a realization of himself. With one hand he swept the marvelous little car from the table and with the other turned Bobby gently but firmly toward the door.

"Father cannot talk with you now, Son, he's busy. One of these days you shall have all the cars you want, I hope. Run along now, that's a man!"

Bobby stopped in the passage, his small frame shaking with the sobs of a very small boy. He felt stunted and humiliated and desolate. He crept into the kitchen.

"Father wouldn't mend my tire," he sobbed.

For once his gentle mother turned on him almost fiercely as his father had done. "Bobby! You don't mean you bothered Father?"

"He isn't working, Mother-dear. That's what—" choking back the ache that seemed to fill his throat, "hurts my feelings so. He isn't working! He's just playing. He's playing with the cunningest little touring car you ever saw in your life and he wouldn't let me touch it."

Mother held out her arms and secure in the privacy of the kitchen, Bobby ran into them. It was all such a puzzle. Father playing with toys in the parlor, Mother getting their dinner in the kitchen, when Father used to go to business every day, Nora used to get dinner, and Mother used to sew and read and play with him. And the worst of it was Father did not seem to enjoy his play and sometimes he thought Mother did not use to get the dinner—anyway she had looked sorry enough when a man came with a paper and she had counted money out of an old pocketbook and given it to him. And another time a man came and there didn't seem to be enough money in the pocketbook, and he said something cross and went away. It was a comfort to be still, cuddled against her soft shoulder, for all at once he felt tired and sleepy and knew that his head was aching dreadfully.

"How hot your head is, dear," Mother said, raising his chin to look into the tear-stained little face. "Do you feel sick in any way?"

"Only when I swallow."

Mother carried him to the light. "I will give you your supper right away, dear, and put you to bed. You have played too hard to-day."

"I've got to hang up my stockings, Mother," Bobby reminded her reproachfully.

"Of course, you may hang them before you go to bed."

"I don't want any supper, Mumsie; and you may hang up my stockings. I only want one thing anyway and I wrote Santa Claus about that."

"And what was that, Dearest?"

"A touring car—a real one like the one we saw in the window of the big toy store. It has an engine and gears, and a differential. You remember?"

Yes, she remembered. Two weeks ago she had taken Bobby to see the wonderful display at the largest toy shop in the city and he had had eyes for only one thing, this little car, a marvelously intricate miniature of a grown-up's expensive plaything—the kind of toy this extravagant age provides for its pampered darlings.

"Mother! You think Santa Claus will bring me a little car like that, don't you?" he questioned wistfully. "That was all I asked—no candy, no guns, nor anything. Some way if he doesn't bring me the car I shall think Richie Davis knows."

"Knows what, Darling?"

"Nothing; only Richie is nine and he says there isn't any Santa Claus."

The mother slipped off his clothes, gave some simple home remedies, tucked her son into bed and turned out the light. Then she hastily put the fragrant dinner on the table and called her husband.

He sat down with the far-away look that Bobby had so resented. He was pale and the purple shadows under his eyes made them look larger and darker than they really were. He seemed hardly to know where he was till a hoarse cough sent the mother hurrying to Bobby's room.

"Anything the matter with Bobby?"

he questioned anxiously when she returned.

"Yes, he is feverish, but I hope it is only a cold," she replied absently. Then she burst out:

"Robert, do you know that to-morrow is Christmas? Christmas! and we have nothing for Bobby?"

"Have we really nothing for the little chap?"

"Not a thing and no money! No turkey, no greens, no tree. Nothing to make a real Christmas. Oh, Robert, give up the invention. Many men have tried just as hard as you and failed."

"But someone has to do it," he protested. "It is the inventors who make the world move."

"And their wives and children who have to suffer!" she flashed.

This was the first time she had spoken so and he flushed and gave her a look of pained surprise.

"Have you no faith in me, Dear?" She left her chair and slipped one arm about his neck.

"I have faith in you, Dearest, and I hope, oh, how I do hope for your sake, you will succeed. If I had not had faith, do you think I should have consented to give up our home? Would I have used up our snug little nest-egg? But it is used up, Robert, every penny of it. There isn't enough left to pay the rent."

"Never mind, Little Wife, we'll pull through some way and another Christmas, God willing, there will be enough money to gratify your every wish."

"It isn't for myself I mind. You know that, Robert. I have you and Bobby, what more could I want? But

upon it and its guard was gone. The man looked still more puzzled for an instant, then started to his feet.

"Your ring—Dear?"

"It has turned into red and green and yellow balls and a turkey, and a Christmas tree." Then, as he still looked dazed, she gave him a hysterical little hug. "Goose!" she laughed, "don't you understand yet? I pawned it!"

"Like a burst of sunshine in a dark day was the smile that lighted the father's sombre eyes.

"He said he should not believe there was any Santa Claus, if he did not get a little touring car with an engine and gears and a differential. What is a differential, Robert?"

The father laughed aloud.

"Wants a car with a differential, does he? The young rascal knows more about cars now than half the chauffeurs do. Well, I must get back to my work. But he still sat, looking into space, his brows knit, his teeth set on his under lip.

"I know it is absolutely simple," he said at last; "just a trick that a child could do. I am always on the verge of getting it, and to-night, Ann, just before Bobby interrupted me, I was sure I had it at last. I seemed to see it slowly coming out before me just as mountain peaks rise out of a fog, and I held my breath—one moment more—one single step—and—then Bobby spoke and it was gone. That was the reason I was so hard on the poor little beggar. For a moment I could have knocked him down, I was so furious. But I'll make it up to him and to you, too, Annie."

She smiled and kissed him in silence. After he had gone back to his work she still sat listlessly, her elbow on the table, her chin cupped in her palms.

Ann Norton was the kind of woman the Old Masters visioned when they painted the Virgin Mother. Her large shapely hands were vibrant with service, her deep bosom was a haven of rest, her clear steady eyes were beacon lights. She was not an imaginative woman. As a little girl she had not been a lover of fairy tales and now she was not able to enter into her husband's dreams. Had she been able to do so she might have had more sympathy with him, but might not have been as patient as she had been. She coveted his heart's desire for her "big boy" as she playfully called her husband, just as she desired the expensive little car for Bobby, because she loved him and it hurt her to have him disappointed.

Again a hoarse cough sent her hurrying to Bobby's room, and as she looked fearfully at the delicate flushed face, her motherhood revolted.

Bobby should have a Christmas! He should not be robbed of his rightful inheritance of childhood for some intangible future prosperity. What would it all be worth when dear old Santa Claus had been offered up to the god, Mammon! She hastily slipped on her coat and hat and ran down the long flights of stairs to the street.

She returned an hour later, loaded with bundles and followed by a boy who carried a market basket and a small tree. Piling all the things on the dining room table, she knocked softly at her husband's door, and, after waiting in vain for an answer, turned the knob softly and went in. Once across the threshold, she was attempted to retreat without making her presence known. Robert Norton sat at the table, but he was no longer playing with the little car. His head was resting on his arm and his whole attitude told of utter weariness and discouragement.

"I have the Christmas things, Robert, come and help me trim the tree."

"I thought you said you had no money."

"For answer she held her left hand before his eyes. The finger nails were trimmed close and, though the hand was carefully kept, it bore the unmistakable marks of rough work. Her plain gold wedding ring hung loose

The Lad's Gift to His Lord.

Two shepherds and a shepherd lad Came running from afar To greet the little new-born One Whose herald was a star.

But empty were their toil-worn hands, And on the stable floor The Wise Men knelt with precious gifts The Saviour to adore. "Oh, take my cloak," one shepherd cried, "I'll keep the Babe from cold." "And take my staff," the other said, "I'll guide Him o'er the world."

The shepherd lad looked sadly down; No gift at all had he, But only on his breast a lamb He cherished tenderly. So young it was, so dear it was— The dearest of the flock— For days he had been guarding it, Close wrapped within his smock.

He took the little, clinging thing And laid it by the Child, And all the world with glory shone— For lo! Lord Jesus smiled.

come high, didn't it? But Bobby might have had it and welcome," he added more to himself than to her, "if I had only got that last step in my process."

"If," his wife repeated. "But, Robert, she hurried now, realizing more and more the absurdity of the request she was about to make, "you have a little car more perfect than any that was ever in any toy shop, one with gears and a rubber tire and a differential." Bobby had set his whole childish heart on this as much as you have set your man's heart on your great invention, and he is—oh, Robert, it frightens me to think how ill he might be! What would success or wealth or life itself be without our darling boy? Robert, will you not give Bobby your little car?"

He stared at her, honestly ignorant of her meaning. "My little car? I have no little car."

"The one you were playing with when Bobby found you."

Then he understood. His wife was asking him, seriously asking him, to give his working model—the model on which he was trying to perfect his wonderful invention—to his child as a Christmas plaything. The blood surged purple to the roots of his hair. This then was the measure of her faith in his power. He looked as a man might look who has just been told he has a mortal disease.

"You want me to give Bobby my model?"

She did not reply at once. She saw she had wounded him beyond belief. The mother-love and the wife-love struggled within her. "Never mind, Dearest," she said at last. "Believe me, I did not dream you cared like that." Then she reached out her hand to him. "Come, let's have a look at him."

As they leaned above his bed, Bobby opened his eyes and gazed at him with a startled look.

"How are you, my man?" Father asked gently.

The wide dark eyes stared at him with no sign of recognition. "Don't you know Father, dear?" his mother questioned with mingled love and terror in her crooning voice.

"Father is playing with the little car," drowsily answered Bobby. Then starting up, "Santa! Please, Santa! bring me a little car. Father won't let me play with his."

"Yes, he will," broke in his father and hastened from the room to get the cherished model, but before he could return the boy had dropped into a restless sleep.

Bobby's stocking had been hung beside the tree and now Father stuffed the model into the top of it. "I want him to see it the first thing in the morning," he said.

The mother watched him with brimming eyes. Usually the most self-controlled of women, she could not trust herself to speak.

"After all, it is best that way," he added hoarsely. "I could not have given it up for anything but love. Tomorrow I will enjoy Christmas with you and Bobby; the day after I will start out to hunt a job."

"Oh, Robert, you don't mean you have given up?"

"I must. Bobby will break the model the first day— you have no idea how delicate it is, Annie. Well, it will be the breaking of my idol and here never was a dearer little lad than Bobby."

Ann Norton had intended to keep vigil by her son's bed during the entire night, but as the hours wore on his troubled-mutterings ceased, his sleep became quiet and peaceful and the weary mother slumbered too. She was awakened by his soft cool cheek pressed to hers and his eager, "Oh, Mumsie, do you think Santa Claus has brought me the car?" The first rays of the sun glittered on the fleecy snow heaped on the window ledge, the crisp air was full of the sound of bells, and in a neighboring church sweet boyish voices were caroling:

Sing, oh, sing this blessed morn' Jew's Christ to-day is born. Father rolled Bobby up in his blanket and carried him, blanket and all, into the adjoining room. The boy gave one hurried glance in the direction of his stocking, wriggled from the entangling folds and rushed to seize his treasure. In the silence that followed, Father and Mother looked at each

PREPARING FOR THE DAY

Only a short time yet remains to prepare our homes and ourselves to receive the Great Gift that comes to us on Christmas Day.

And to make ready, let us first read again the story of His life; how He came to earth, how He lived here and how He left. The story is one of the simplest ever written; of one who was a poor man, who never had any money to give to any one, who never bought gifts of any kind. What he gave was Himself, and of that He gave freely and gladly. It is His birth that we are to celebrate on Thursday. We are to give thanks that He came to us, and for that great and lasting Gift we give to others. Everything that we give on Christmas Day is in memory of Him. Do we think of this enough? Do we tell our children as much about this most precious of all Gifts as we do about Santa Claus?

The whole story of Christ's coming to earth, as told in the four gospels, is summed up by the late Dr. George Hodges in his beautiful book, "When the King Came," in these words: "This tells how once the King of Glory came from heaven to visit us here on earth and live among us; how He was born in Bethlehem and brought to Nazareth; how He went about telling people of the heavenly kingdom and doing good, ministering to the sick and the poor; how He was misunderstood and disliked and hated, till at last they took Him to Jerusalem and nailed Him to a cross, so that He died; and how, after that, He came to life again and went back into heaven, promising to return."

And in memory of the little child who was born in a stable at Bethlehem on a Christmas Day, centuries ago, we are to keep Christmas again this year. Christmas always will be kept as long as the world endures, but the way of keeping it rests with each one of us. Let us make our gifts, but with each one let us give something of ourselves. Let us tie them up with love, and dispatch them with thoughtfulness; let us make no gifts that cannot take with them the spirit of Christ; and, with Tiny Tim, let us say with hearts that mean it, "GOD BLESS US, EVERY ONE."

Christmas at Jerusalem.

"I have spent not a few romantic and picturesque Christmas Days," said a well-known clergyman to the writer, "but none that remains so vividly in my memory as the one I passed a few years ago at Bethlehem."

"It was a cold but very beautiful morning on which I joined the thousands of pilgrims who streamed out of the Jaffa Gate on the way to Bethlehem. And a motley, picturesque crowd it was!

"A two hours' walk brought me to the quaint, old world little town, in its setting of olive-groves and fig-trees, nestling among the Judean hills, and looking so old and hoary that one might well believe it is unchanged since Christ first opened his eyes on it.

"But that day the narrow streets—so narrow that one could almost shake hands across any of them, were already full of life and color. Passing through the market-place, where as the world-famous Church of the Nativity, I followed the stream of people until I found myself one of the crowd in the Field of the Shepherds—the very field in which, so tradition says, the shepherds were watching their flocks that memorable night more than nineteen centuries ago.

"In the field were priests engaged in blessing the pilgrims, and after receiving my benediction I hurried back to Bethlehem in time to witness the procession of priests and people to the Church of the Nativity.

"At the head of the procession walked the Patriarch of Jerusalem, a stately, impressive figure, in rich- even gorgeous—vestments, with a bodyguard of almost equally splendid priests bearing aloft towering candles and magnificent banners; while behind came a most picturesque medley of priests and people.

"One by one these hundreds of worshippers filed through the low, narrow doorway leading into the church, until the building was full almost to suffocation.

"Here services are held all through Christmas Day and night until dawn breaks, the Patriarch himself celebrating mass at midnight.

"From the church and its dignified and solemn service I found my way into the famous 'Grotto of the Nativity.'"

"It is but a tiny room, this 'Grotto of the Chamber,' as it is called, and it contains but a small altar, said to occupy the very ground on which the Wise Men from the East prostrated themselves before the infant Jesus."

The first festival of Christmas held in Britain was in the year 621. Previous to that the 25th of December used to be dedicated to Satan.

It is Christmas in the mansion— Yule-log fires and silken frocks;

It is Christmas in the cottage— Mothers filling little socks;

It is Christmas on the highway, In the thronging busy mart; But the dearest, truest Christmas Is the Christmas in the heart.

It's a New Year, dears, And a good year, Still better years shall be, For the heart of man goes forward To wider victory— To meet the days, the holy days Of stalwart Brotherhood, When each for all and all as one Shall forge the whole world's good.



Birdland Eviction.

The squirrel is pretty, thrifty and industrious—but he has his faults. He likes to use the nests which woodpeckers hollow out of the tree trunks, and he is not always willing to wait until the bird deserts her nest. Wait is a story of the way in which an impatient squirrel actually turned a family of woodpeckers out of their home.

The squirrel, descending a tree trunk, suddenly found a note, into which two of his legs slipped. Probably he felt something sharp pecking at them, for he drew them out quickly and rapidly climbed to a branch immediately above. A moment later a woodpecker flew out of the hole.

The squirrel watched her out of sight and then returned to the nest and helped himself to an egg or two, which he carried to his perch and ate. When these were disposed of, he descended once more to the woodpecker's nest and waited for the return of the bird.

The moment she appeared at the entrance to her nest the squirrel flew at her like an angry cat. The startled woodpecker fled in fear, and the squirrel came forth triumphantly and went away for a short time.

While he was away the woodpecker came again and looked into her nest. Something, however, "probably" a broken egg, displeased her, and she flew away again. Shortly afterward her mate looked into the nest, but he, too, was dissatisfied and flew away.

The squirrel promptly took possession of the deserted nest, and when autumn came he turned it into a storehouse for nuts.

Some Queer Mispronunciations.

Examples of "topsy-turvy" pronunciation:

"What was the Sunday school lesson about, Owen?"

"It was about Adam and Eve in the Garden of Sweden."

A little girl was studying in Sunday school about the Acts of the Apostles. "Mother, did all the Apostles get along with one axe?" she asked.

Another little girl sang the line "This is heaven's borderland" as "Mrs. Evans for the land." She said she had a friend by the name of Evans and she thought she was using the right words.

A small boy when asked how he liked school replied that he liked the teacher all right, but didn't like to have so many "supervisors" (supervisors) coming into his grade.

Another boy said they all sat up straight when the teacher said "cigarette" (sit erect).

A visitor to San Diego was impressed with the number of stores bearing the sign "Ship Chandler." Returning to his inland home, he said he "never knew that ships used so many chandeliers. I saw ever so many places where they sold nothing but ship chandeliers."

"Give me some Georgia almonds, please," said the young girl at the candy counter.

"I presume you mean Jordan almonds," said the clerk.

"Yes, that's right; I knew it was something which began with a G."

Queer Kinds of Tea.

The shrub known as "mate," or Paraguay tea, seems to have been originally native and peculiar to that South American country. It is a kind of holly, a large and handsome bush, but with leaves devoid of prickles.

At the present time vast areas in Brazil are planted with this shrub, which is also cultivated on a large scale in Uruguay and Argentina. In South America its leaves largely take the place of tea and coffee.

There is no question that "mate" affords a very excellent tea, which is agreeably stimulating. But, though many attempts have been made to introduce it into the United States, it has never found much favor with us. Nor is this very surprising, inasmuch as the introduction of anything new to eat or drink is always attended with great difficulty.

If we were deprived of our accustomed tea, we would quickly find substitutes. When the Boston folks threw the East India Company's tea into the harbor, as a protest against the tax on it, they declared very palatable what they called Hyperion tea, which was an infusion of raspberry leaves. Other substitutes they used were sage, balm, marjoram, strawberry leaves and black currant leaves.

In Sumatra, when tea is scarce, coffee leaves are mixed with it in the teapot. On the island of Mauritius tea is made from the dried leaves of a kind of orchid. In Venezuela our tea is considered good medicine but a disagreeable drink, and it is rarely served at hotels and restaurants in that country.

When Edison Nearly Fainted.

Fifty years ago Mr. Thomas Edison was so stranded financially in New York that he hadn't a coin with which to buy food. He was almost starving, and begged his breakfast in the city.

Three days later he was watching the tape machine in a certain telegraph office during a big Stock Exchange rush, when the machine broke down. Edison calmly told the "boss" that he thought he could fix it, and proceeded to do so.

The grateful and astonished "boss" asked the stranger his name and next day put him in charge of the repair business at a salary of \$300 a month.

When the hungry, penniless, out-of-work operator heard the amount he nearly fainted.

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9703—Camisole Skirt, sizes 16 to 20. Price, 25 cents.

This pattern may be obtained from your local McCall dealer, or from the McCall Co., 70 Bond Street, Toronto, Ont.

Welcome to the Prince.

A visit of King Edward and Queen Alexandra (when Prince and Princess of Wales) to Birmingham by road from Packington Hall, the seat of the Earls of Aylesford. On the outskirts of the town they had to pass a small local police station.

As decorations were the order of the day, the officer in charge was not going to be behind his neighbors, so he had fastened right across the road the one word in the dictionary that did not properly fit the occasion. The Prince was consequently much amused when he saw "welcome" staring at him from a building not accustomed to receive honorable visitors.

Seville is the only Spanish city in which begging is forbidden in the streets.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Distempers.

Surnames and Their Origin

PLUNKETT. Variations—Blanchet, Whittle, Whittlesey.

Racial Origin—Norman-French; also Anglo-Saxon.

Source—A nickname.

The family names of this group have wandered far, very far, from their original forms, with the exception of Whittle, which is not recognizable to the average person because it comes from a word now obsolete.

Whittlesey comes from the name of a town, which in turn took its name from this word.

The word in modern English is "blanket." But it did not have the same meaning in medieval times as it has to-day. "Blanket" was the Norman word, derived from the French "blanche," meaning white.

"Whittle" was the Anglo-Saxon word, derived from the same root as our modern word "white." In the speech of medieval England either "blanket" or "whittle" meant white cloth, that is to say, colorless cloth. In reality it was not white, but merely not dyed. It was the garb of the poorer people, and like nearly everything associated with the daily life of people in the days when the need for surnames was developing, it was called into use in connection with men's names as a mark of differentiation. Those who bore the names in this group when they were still surnames or nicknames did so because they were customarily garbed in this kind of cloth, or perhaps because they traded in it.

"Plunkett" is an early corrupted spelling of the word. One law of Richard III, relating to this cloth, calls it "plonket."

Our modern use of the word "blanket" to denote a woollen bed covering is of comparatively recent development, and from it we have derived a number of similes with the general meaning of "cover all," which have no relation to the original meaning.

Finicky Digestions

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A TONIC FOR THE NERVES

The Only Real Nerve Tonic is a Good Supply of Rich, Red Blood.

"If people would only attend to their blood, instead of worrying themselves ill," said an eminent nerve specialist, "we doctors would not see our consulting rooms crowded with nervous wrecks. More people suffer from worry than anything else."

The sort of thing which the specialist spoke of is the nervous run-down condition caused by overwork and the many anxieties of today. Sufferers find themselves tired, low-spirited and unable to keep their minds on anything. Any sudden noise hurts like a blow. They are full of groundless fears, and do not sleep well at night. Headaches and other nerve pains are part of the misery, and it all comes from starved nerves.

Decorating the nerves with poisonous sedatives is a terrible mistake. The only real nerve tonic is a good supply of rich, red blood. Therefore, to relieve nervousness and run-down health, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills should be taken. These pills make new, rich blood, which strengthens the nerves, improves the appetite, gives new strength and spirits and makes hitherto despondent people bright and cheerful. If you are at all "out of sorts" you should begin taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at \$5.00 a box or six boxes for \$25.00 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Character Told by X-Rays.

Modern marriage is not the sentimental thing it once was; it will be less romantic still if the startling suggestion of a French specialist is adopted.

Before you wed, he says, submit yourself to a thorough X-ray examination. Character is clearly revealed under X-rays, and many unhappy unions might be avoided if care in this direction were only exercised.

There are, apparently, certain peculiarities of anatomical construction, which, under the rays, are sure indications of meanness and fickleness, ob-

stinacy, bad temper, and other qualities which cause unhappy marriages. Such photographs, too, reveal whether or not a woman is of jealous disposition, merely by studying her breathing apparatus. Shallow breathers are usually jealous and mean; deep breathers are more generous in disposition. The nagging wife who henpecks her husband is shown by a highly-tilted diaphragm and short, sharp ribs.

In the same way, a selfish husband or a glutton can be detected by examining his shoulder-blades. Whether or not future marriage will be based on X-ray conjectures remains to be seen. We human beings have a strange knack of preferring to rush to our fate blindfold.

Enthusiastic accounts given by the Prince of Wales in the Royal family circle of his experiences during his recent Empire trip are said to have raised a keen desire on the part of his brothers, Prince Albert, Henry and George, to go on similar voyages.

The Prince of Wales is reported to be writing a preface to a book of photographs taken during his trip, which will be sold for the benefit of a blind soldiers' hospital.

Since his return to London the Prince has been giving a series of small dinner parties to his intimate friends at St. James' Palace, which is now pretty well stocked with souvenirs of his tour. He makes an excellent host, and he has a fund of amusing anecdotes about his experiences abroad.

He is fond of playing rackets and swimming at the fashionable Bath Club, of Piccadilly. A keen follower of the chase, he has recently bought several new hunters, and he is keeping up family traditions by accepting the chairmanship of the West Norfolk Hounds, a position which his grandfather, King Edward, held for many years. He is also coming to the fore as a cattle breeder. At the recent Birmingham Cattle Show he took three prizes with three heads of Aberdeen Angus cattle from his Dartmoor farm, near Princetown.

A MOTHER'S ADVICE

Once a mother has used Baby's Own Tablets for her little ones she is always happy to recommend them to others. Her advice given after a careful trial, can be readily followed with assured good results. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which never fails to regulate the bowels and sweeten the stomach. They always do good—they cannot possibly do harm even to the youngest babe. Concerning them Mrs. P. Laforest, St. Nazaire, Que., writes:—"For three months my little child was constipated and cried continually. On the advice of a friend I gave him Baby's Own Tablets and now at the age of five months he is perfectly well and weighs twenty pounds. I am delighted to be able to advise other mothers to use them."

The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Random Remarks.

Never fear defeat or its consequences.—Lord Altonby.

One often lightens troubles by telling them.—M. Millerand.

The only way to get a thing to work for it.—Mr. Robert Clough, M.P.

It is always the failures in marriage who make the most noise.—Mrs. Walter Runciman.

The greatest genius of all is the practical, hard-headed, common-sense man.—Lord Leverhulme.

Monster!

For 15 days in the month of January I was tormented with a pain in the foot. I tried all kinds of remedies but nothing did me any good. One person told me about MINARD'S LINIMENT, so soon as I tried it the Saturday morning the next morning I was feeling very good; I tell you this remedy is very good. I could give you a good certificate any time you would like to have one. If any time I come to hear about it please let me know. I could tell them about this remedy.

Yours truly,
EUNEST LEVEILLE
216 Rue Ontario East, Montreal,
Feb. 14, 1908.

Artificial Raisins.

The production of grapes in California for the present year is estimated at more than 300,000 tons. Of these a large part are wine grapes, grown in the central and northern parts of the state.

The producers are not permitted to make wine from these grapes, and they cannot ship them elsewhere for wine-making purposes. Obviously, the only thing to be done with them is to convert them into raisins.

In southern California this might be done by the ordinary process of sun-drying; but in the central and northern sections the weather is not sufficiently reliable. Accordingly, the growers are resorting to artificial dehydration.

It takes four to five weeks to produce raisins by sun-drying, but the dehydration process occupies only twelve hours, and the results obtained are described as conspicuously satisfactory.

Considering all expenses, it costs an undergraduate at Oxford at least \$1,500 a year to carry on his studies. A hen cackles after laying an egg to denote pleasure; this noise is said by some scientists to be akin to human laughter.

BANK OF MONTREAL

Annual General Meeting, Held 6th December, 1920.

The 103rd Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bank of Montreal was held on Monday, December 6th, at the Bank's Headquarters. The President, Sir Vincent Meredith, Bart., occupied the chair, and presented the annual report of the Directors.

Before moving the adoption of the report, Sir Vincent Meredith gave a comprehensive review of the economic situation. During the year, he said, an overwhelming demand for credit had taxed resources to the utmost. It had been difficult to make men who had grown accustomed to high prices recognizing the fact that economic conditions, which no artificial means can alter, alone are the cause of price decline. "The demand for intervention through Government control is still insistent in some quarters," he said. "Canada alone cannot control world-wide conditions, and it is idle to turn to the Government for relief from falling prices. This applies to wheat as well as other commodities."

Summing up, he said: "The situation in Canada at present, as I view it, is that while there does not yet appear to be any cause for apprehension, there is every reason for the exercise of the utmost measure of caution. Canada cannot disassociate herself from world conditions, and world conditions are not satisfactory. On this continent the two years supervening upon the Armistice have been marked by unexampled trade activity and prosperity, a circumstance common to the conclusion of all great wars, but the reaction has set in and may not yet be in full play. Happily, Canada is well buttressed on many sides, and the exercise of prudence and sagacity should enable her to meet the shock of falling prices, restricted credits and deflated currency, without serious impairment of her commercial and financial vitality."

The General Manager, Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor, in reviewing the operations of the Bank during the year, said the payment of a bonus of 2% to the shareholders was not the outcome of higher rates of interest on current loans in Canada but a reflection of the increase in current loans and of high interest rates on call loans in New York, the volume of which was governed by the Bank's requirements in liquid reserves. One anomaly which attracted attention was that, with credit restriction as acute here as it was across the line, the price of money was materially lower in the Dominion. "This condition," he said, "was regarded as a tribute to Canada's good banking system."

Dealing with the growth of the Bank's operations, he said: "It is noteworthy that the greatest expansion of the Bank during the past few years has been in our own country. This is revealed in our greatly increased loans and deposits in Canada and in the number of branches opened during the period."

Loans Deposits in Canada in 1920
1914 \$123,147,000 \$168,557,000 173
1920 240,725,000 358,878,000 302

The annual report was unanimously adopted and the retiring directors were re-elected. The shareholders gave approval to the motion by Lord Shaughnessy to increase the number of directors from 16 to 18 and the two new positions on the Board were elected Sir Lomer Gouin and General Sir Arthur Currie.

At a subsequent meeting of Directors, Sir Vincent Meredith, Bart., was re-elected president, and Sir Charles Gordon, G.B.E., was re-elected vice-president.

Fairy Gold.

In the lore that is known to our childhood.

The beautiful story is told That under the foot of the rainbow The fairest have hidden their gold. Forever eluding but tempting, The sunshine is bright on the rain, And over the hills and the valleys We follow the glory—in vain.

Though we stand where we thought it had rested, Y't distant it ever appears; For what seems the rainbow to others To those at its foot may be tears. The strongest of charms is upon it, This treasure, which never is gained.

And bright, with a glory celestial, Is the goal that is never attained.

A searchlight of 7,000,000 candlepower has recently been exhibited in New York.

Sitting with the legs crossed is conducive to obesity.

"Pain's enemy" —I'll say it is!

When you want quick comforting relief from any "aches" use Sloan's Liniment. It does the job without staining, rubbing, harshness, or irritation. Use it for rheumatism, neuralgia, aches and pains, sprains and strains, backaches, sore muscles.

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BITS OF HUMOR

FROM HERE & THERE

The Latest Excuse.
Farmer—Hey, there, how come you to be up in my apple tree?
Boy—Please, mister, I just fell out of an aeroplane!

Admires Lloyd George.
An old English woman was holding forth on the benefits of the old-age pension.
"Perhaps," said a sarcastic listener, "Lloyd George will soon send you a first-class ticket to Heaven."

Too Smart.
She was a shop assistant. She had a slow mind and a quick tongue. She thought herself awfully smart.

A timid looking man came in the shop. "Do you keep hair brushes?" he asked.
"No," she snapped. "We sell them."

"Well," he said quietly as he strolled towards the door, "you'll keep the one you might have sold to me. Good morning."

A Big Model.
Once a very youthful chicken fancier had in his possession a couple of bantam hens that laid very small eggs. He finally hit upon a plan to remedy this.

When the lad's father went the next morning to the chicken-house he was surprised to find an ostrich egg tied to one of the beams and above it a card with this notice:

"Keep your eye on this and do your best."

Time!
Attorneys for the prosecution and defence had been allowed, by mutual consent, fifteen minutes each to argue a certain case.

Counsel for the defense began his argument with an allusion to the old swimming pool of his boyhood days. He told in flowery oratory of the balmy air, the singing birds, the joy of youth, the delights of the cool water—and in the midst of it he was interrupted by the drawing voice of the judge:

"Come out, sir," he said, "and put on your clothes. Your fifteen minutes are up!"

MONEY ORDERS.
A Dominion Express Money Order for five dollars costs three cents.

Nearly three and a half million beneficiaries, a number almost equal to the population of Scotland, are drawing war pensions in Britain.

A water-cycle, which was invented in 1868, was successfully used by the late King Edward, while Prince of Wales, at a Royal garden party.

The stuff we call plaster-of-paris is gypsum ground to powder. When water is added to the powder it becomes a stone.

WEEKS' BREAK-UP-A-COLD TABLETS TRY THEM PRICE 25¢

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1920

"Appalling conditions" is how Judge Talbot Macbeth refers to the growing prevalence of juvenile crime in London, and blames the educational system for a large share of it. He might have added that the movie shows represent a great part of our educational system, though not recognized in that light to the extent they should be. Some of the cheaper shows in London as elsewhere are "appalling" in the extreme and should be cleaned up.

A committee is now at work in Toronto considering changes in the high school curriculum. It is claimed that only a small percentage of pupils entering high school go through the full course. It is thought that the course may be so altered as to make it seem more worth while to pupils who do not intend going on to university.

Speaking on behalf of the U. F. O. candidate in the recent East Elgin election, Mr. Sanders said:—The policy of the present Government is ruinous to the small towns and villages. They were being absorbed by the big towns and cities and it would be unfortunate, virtually disastrous, for the rural districts to have this occur. The farmers needed the small towns and villages just as much as the small towns and villages needed the farmers. That was one of the first things that Farmer representatives in the House should give consideration.

An exchange says:—Ratepayers have a right to know the business transacted by such public bodies as the Board of Education, the Council, Library Board or any institution spending public money, and minutes of same should be published as soon as possible after the meeting. Nothing is gained by suppressing the publication of the business done, and often a wrong impression is formed by garbled reports that are sure to be circulated. It is also due to the members of such boards that full information should be disseminated of their transactions and thus avoid the circulation of hearsay reports which invariably gain a coloring as they pass from mouth to mouth.

The steady building up of the Western University at London is a development in education in this province that is of particular interest to all the people of Western Ontario since it will give all the advantages of higher education without the necessity of young people going a considerable distance from home.

TRUE STORY OF MOTHER HUBBARD'S CUPBOARD

Old Mother Hubbard went to the cupboard, To get her children some bread; There was plenty to eat, both sour and sweet, And the children went happy to bed. Old Mother Hubbard sat down by the cupboard, And smilingly said, "I declare, Since the country went dry there is plenty of pie, And the cupboard has never been bare."

Old Father Hubbard went to the cupboard, To get him a bottle of rye. But when he got there the cupboard was bare, Because the country was dry.

Old Father Hubbard sat down by the cupboard, Wondering what he would do; Then started a wheezing and coughing and sneezing— "Such a terrible case of the flu. Nor powders nor pills could lessen his ills. For indeed he seemed terribly sick; They prescribed him a bottle which he poured down his throat, And soon he was full as a tick." —Betsy Bobbet.

TOO MANY FADS

Toronto Telegram: This is the age of faddists. Every section of the community has a recipe for curing the ills of the whole world. One would regulate a man's habits, another his appetite and a third his amusements. The thirst for fads is created in the schools where elementary education has been smothered beneath a mass of frills. It no longer matters whether a child can read, write or spell, so long as he or she can sing, draw or box. It appears to be about time to get back to fundamentals. Teach a boy or girl the three R's. If they have the artistic temperament, which is a doubtful blessing, they'll find an outlet for it. If they want to box, times and boys must have changed greatly if there is lack of material to practice on. This young country already has more singers, artists and boxers than it can support. One of its crying needs is more plowmen. Why spool the raw material from which plowmen might be made?

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WEST MIDDLESEX FARMERS

Annual Meeting of the U. F. O. Discusses Matters of Keen Interest

The annual meeting of the West Middlesex (Provincial Riding) U. F. O. was held at Melbourne on Wednesday, Dec. 8, and was well attended. Officers were elected for the coming year as follows:—President, Donald A. Graham, Strathroy; vice-president, Isaac Watterworth, Glencoe; secretary-treasurer, Herbert M. Weekes, Glencoe.

This is our first meeting since organizing," said President Donald A. Graham of Strathroy in his opening address, "but we did the trick when it came to electing our representative, J. G. Lethbridge. Before organizing the farmers had no one in Parliament to uphold their interests. Now there is a minister of agriculture who really works for the interests of agriculture."

He commended Premier Drury for appointing the hydro radial commission. Motor vehicles, he said, have not radiated out of business in the States, and conditions are similar here. With regard to highways, Mr. Biggs would see that things were done right. The Dominion Government collected over \$8,000,000 in customs and excise duties on automobiles in Ontario. The province gets back \$5,000,000 for roads.

Speaking of the tariff, Mr. Graham said: "I am not a free trader, but favor a moderate tariff, and with it an excise tax on home manufactures equal to possibly 50 per cent. of such tariff, instead of luxury taxes, sales taxes and such things requiring an army of civil servants to look after."

J. G. Lethbridge, M. P. P., spoke briefly of some of the common criticisms of the Drury Government, also of the report of the hydro committee. He told the farmers not to expect a supply of power very soon, as extra power would not be available for some time.

Mrs. Gray of Lobo spoke on community work. In Lobo there are four community clubs for literary, musical and social uplift. The department of education has organized educational associations and ask that various matters be discussed, including school lunches, township school boards, compulsory military training in schools, options in subjects taken in high schools. She recommended an option in agriculture, instead of Latin, for matriculation.

Mrs. Currie of Strathroy, county director of the U. F. O., spoke of the work of that organization, their principal aim being the improvement of rural conditions.

Harold Currie, county director, urged the members to maintain and extend the organization, also that a resolution be passed by the meeting censuring the public press for misquoting speeches and misrepresenting U. F. O. matters.

WALKERS

On the occasion of Miss Margaret Munroe leaving here for Arizona her many friends met at J. D. McIntyre's to bid her farewell. A most enjoyable evening was spent and Margaret was made the recipient of a handsome sum of money as a mark of their respect and affection.

Archie B. Munroe took a carload of cattle to Toronto on Friday.

Miss Olivia Gillett of Newbury spent a few days with Mrs. S. McIntyre's. Dan W. Munroe is attending the U. F. O. Convention in Toronto as a delegate from here.

Improvement of highways under the scheme of Federal and Provincial co-operation has been handicapped very considerably this year because of the shortage of labor, so it is stated at Ottawa. Next season it is believed this will not be the case, and with the preliminary work done this year the operations in all the provinces will be in full swing. According to the price of \$2 a year The Family Herald is regarded as the best value on the continent. It is acknowledged to be absolutely without a rival, hence its enormous circulation.

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Sr. III.—James Nevin 77, Stewart Allan 72, Harold Cushman 71, Earl Edwards 70, Vervyle Gast 69, Lorne Thornecroft 61, Dorothy Dean 60, Melvin Gough 57; absent, Mabel Black.

Jr. III.—Harold Lotan 68, Ivan Cushman 61.

Sr. II.—Cameron McTaggart 84, Hazel Perry 80, Barbara Sinclair 80, Jessie Jeffery 78, Stella Cushman 74, Howard McIntyre 61, Hugh Rankin 64.

Jr. II.—John Jeffery 81, Evelyn Stephenson 81, J. D. McGill 85, Norris Cushman 84, Alice Black 79, Albert Nevin 76, Duncan McTaggart 69, Man-

etta Tanner 59.

Sr. I.—Alice Galbraith 93, Howard Pole 90, Elinor McCall 90, Emery Hathaway 85, Gladys McIntyre 84, Ardel Gough 82, Kathleen Nevin 78, Kenneth Congdon 78, Alfred Rankin 77, Howard Cushman 73.

Jr. I.—Thelma Leith 88, Morley Payne 78, Kathleen McCall 70, Leo Cushman 64, Luke Jeffery 62, Hazel Congdon absent.

Primer A.—Alice Bardwell 92, Marie Huston 91, Olive Hughes 90, Eva Bardwell 89, Lorne Gast 85, Kenneth Johnson 84, Stewart Pole 83, Martha Bassett 73.

Primer B.—Alex. McTaggart, Edith Philpot, James Black, Evelyn Cushman, James Bassett.

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Normal (nee Mary Anne Lamont) of Aldborough.

Special services in connection with the funeral of the late Mrs. J. L. Tomlinson are being held in the Presbyterian church this week, with good speakers and attractive music. At the same time Evangelist Greene of Chicago is holding forth at the town hall. So far the religious enthusiasm of the community has not overflown the meeting houses.

A number of young girls and ladies met at the home of Mrs. Archie Sinclair on Tuesday evening to do honor to one of the season's popular brides, Mrs. George Harvey (nee Miss Sarah Mitchell). During the evening Mrs. Harvey was called forward, when Mrs. J. L. Tomlinson gave an excellent address, and Miss Edna McRae presented her with a quantity of community silver. Mrs. Harvey gave a suitable reply. Light refreshments were then served.

About twenty young men gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McCracken last Thursday evening to do honor to Harold Bechill on his approaching marriage. During the evening Mr. Bechill was called forward, when Arnold Aldred gave an address and Ernest Smith presented him with a handsome chair. Mr. Bechill made a suitable reply. The remainder of the evening was spent in games and music, after which a dainty lunch was served.

A pleasant evening was spent last Wednesday, when over one hundred friends gathered at the home of Pearl and Russell Parish to do honor to their sister, Lida, prior to her marriage. During the evening Miss Parish was called forward, when Mrs. J. A. McLachlan gave an excellent address, and Mrs. John McCracken and Mrs. J. W. Smith presented her with a quantity of flat silver. Miss Ella Sanson also presented her with a beautiful casserole on behalf of the young girls. Light refreshments were served.

An educative and entertaining talk on Japan by Miss Susan Blackburn of London, featured a meeting of the Glencoe Book Club held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Luckham. Miss Blackburn returned recently from the land of the Mikado where she spent a couple of years, which afforded a splendid opportunity of studying the character and habits of the natives and enjoying the floral abundance and scenic beauty of the country which is noted, and she told her story with an ease and grace that was charming in itself. A piano duet by Miss Fern Graham and Miss Jean Sutherland added to the pleasure of the afternoon. Miss Blackburn is spending a few days the guest of her aunt and cousins here and will address the Women's Institute at Appin town hall this evening.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

—Mrs. J. A. McLachlan spent the week-end in London.
 —Mrs. C. E. Davidson and son Kenneth spent Monday in Chatham.
 —George Grant of Thamesford spent the week-end at his home here.
 —Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Weir of Ridgeway spent a day last week with Glencoe friends.
 —W. J. Webster of St. Thomas is renewing old acquaintances in Glencoe and vicinity.
 —Mrs. Anderson and Miss Martyn of Alvinston spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. Luckham.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Money to loan on farm property.—Box 34, Wardsville.
 Buy your Christmas candies, fruit and nuts at George's.
 House and lot for sale. Apply to Thomas Howe, Appin.
 Small square cook stove for sale. Enquire at Transcript office.
 Renew your daily paper subscriptions at the Transcript office.
 Chopping mill running daily. Corn shed.—R. E. Laughton, Glencoe.
 For sale—young Durham calf.—T. C. Reycraft, Glencoe; phone 51r12.
 Shoes, rubbers and overshoes are acceptable Christmas gifts.—George's.
 For sale—quiet driving horse; one top buggy. Apply to Mrs. Geo. Innes, Glencoe.
 Choice Barred Rock cockerels for sale, for breeding purposes.—Walter Hallstone.
 A special meeting of the South Ekfrid Farmers' Club will be held on Friday evening, Dec. 17.
 Grapes, oranges, lemons and candies now offering at moderately low prices, at W. A. Currie's.
 Davidson, the jeweler, has a selection of ladies' bracelet watches. Every watch guaranteed.
 Highest prices paid for all kinds of poultry. Call Bruce McAlpine or W. Muirhead, phone 16r3, or 73.
 The annual Christmas entertainment of the Tait's Corners Sunday School will be held on Dec. 23.
 For sale—rectory barn and lot on Victoria street. Separately or together. Apply at Wright's store.
 For sale—green oak wood 16 inches long, \$5 per cord, delivered. Leave orders at Wm. Newport's, Glencoe.
 The Woodgreen Union Sunday School will hold their annual Christmas tree entertainment on Dec. 22.

A Christmas entertainment will be held by the school of S. S. No. 3, Ekfrid, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 22.
 For sale—baseburner, in first-class condition; good as new; cheap for quick sale.—Chas. F. Bardwell, Appin.
 A large assortment of slippers, suitable for Christmas presents, at George's.
 All \$45 and \$50 men's overcoats selling this week at Mayhew's for \$25.50. Do not miss seeing these coats.
 For sale—one choice roan 18 mos. old registered Shorthorn bull in good condition.—William Fletcher, Route 2, Appin.
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 Currants and raisins at 25c per lb.; shelled walnuts, almonds and peel, dates, etc., for Christmas cooking, at W. A. Currie's.

A Christmas tree and entertainment will be held in S. No. 17, Mosa, on Friday, Dec. 24. Good program. Admission, 25c and 15c.

For sale—one 6 h.p. kerosene engine, in good running condition. Come in and make us an offer. Apply Chevrolet garage or phone 49.

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For the convenience of those that cannot do their shopping during the day, Davidson's jewelry store will be open every evening until Christmas.

New currants, raisins, peels, shelled nuts, mince-meats, and everything suitable for Christmas cooking, a little lower in price than elsewhere, at W. A. Currie's.

What shall I give? This ever-present question at Christmas time is answered by Mayhew's complete stock of gifts of all descriptions. See ad. on back page.

Having purchased and refitted the large McAlpine House stables, I have them open for public accommodation for single or double teams, at moderate charges.—Smith & Son.

Everyone is invited to come to the Christmas tree on Dec. 23rd, evening, at S. S. No. 5, Mosa. (Cashmere school), and hear a good program. Admission: adults, 25c; children, 15c.
 French ivory toilet ware, manicure sets and rollers make a fine Christmas gift for mother or sister. Buy it at Davidson's jewelry store and save money.

REYCRRAFT-HOWE

A quiet wedding took place at the Presbyterian manse, Appin, on Thursday afternoon, December 9th, at two o'clock, when Ada Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Howe, Appin, became the bride of Calvert Reycraft, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Reycraft, Mosa. Rev. Mr. Currie officiated. The bride looked charming in a blue travelling suit with hat to match and carried a bouquet of carnations and arbutus. The groom wore a handsome cheque. They will reside on the groom's farm, Mosa, and will be at home to their many friends after January 10th.

FORESTERS ELECT OFFICERS

Court Glencoe No. 656, C. O. F., met on Friday evening, Dec. 10th, and elected the following officers for 1921:
 P. C. R. W. D. Moss; C. R. Joseph Grant; V. C. R., Herbert M. Weekes; fin. secretary, Dr. J. Y. McLachlan; rec. secretary, Don H. Lewis; treasurer, Dr. J. Y. McLachlan, chaplain, Rev. C. H. P. Owen; S. W., George A. Parrott; J. W., J. N. Currie; S. B., Edwin Stinson; J. B. Wm. Kerr; court physicians, Dr. McIntyre and Dr. McLachlan; auditors, J. N. Currie and W. D. Mosa.

HOWE-LEITCH

The marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Leitch, Glencoe, on Tuesday, Dec. 14, of their eldest daughter, Mary, to George, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Howe of Appin. Rev. H. D. McCulloch officiating. Miss Elinor McIntyre played the wedding march. After the ceremony those present sat down to a dainty dinner, among the guests being the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Leitch, aged 84. The happy couple left on the noon train for Chatham, Windsor and Amherstburg, the bride's travelling suit being of navy blue velour with hat to match. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome cheque. The gifts were numerous and beautiful. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Howe will reside on the groom's farm at Appin.

NURSE PROPOSAL SHELVED

The proposal to establish a school nurse service in Middlesex at a cost of \$12,000 was shelved by the county council on Friday, the matter being referred to the January session. The Women's Institutes strongly pressed the matter, and Dr. McKenzie Smith asked that a sum be appropriated by the council to provide for the employment of four nurses.

APPIN

Do not forget Miss Blackburn's address at the W. I. meeting this (Thursday) evening. Silver collection.

Miller's Worm Powders will clear the stomach and bowels of worms, so that the child will no more be troubled by their ravages. The powders are sweet to the taste and no child will object to taking them. They are non-injurious in their composition, and while in some cases they may cause vomiting, that must not be taken as a sign that they are nauseating, but as an indication of their effective work.

DAVISVILLE

The U. F. O. of No. 7 is having a concert on Dec. 22nd.
 Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McRae and family of Glencoe spent Sunday with her father, Joseph Armstrong.
 Ralph Longley is here visiting his mother, Mrs. R. B. Smith.
 Ward Leitch is not improving very fast.
 Mrs. Jane Armstrong of Newbury is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Dan McNaught.

No More Asthma. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy sounds the death knell of this trying trouble. It stops the awful choking and painful breathing. It guards against night attacks and gives renewed ability to sleep and rest the whole night long. Much is claimed for this remedy, but nothing but what can be demonstrated by a trial. If you suffer from asthma try it and convince yourself of its great value.

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For Mother

Anything in Ivory or Ebony such as Combs, Brushes, Trays, Mirrors, Candlesticks, Talcum Holders, Manicure Pieces and Trays, Hat Brushes, Photo Frames, Perfume Bottles, Jewel Boxes, and Clocks. Also solid silver Nut Bowls, Card Trays, etc. Bottles of Perfume, Note Paper, Hot Water Bottles, Toilet Sets in Mavis, Djerkiss, Zaza, Dreams and Mahalia, and boxes of Chocolates, and a good book.

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The Revolt From Four Walls

By C. COURTENAY SAVAGE.

CHAPTER VI. (Continued.)
They went across the grassy field towards the house. To Guy's surprise, the front door was wide open and a lamp still burned on the table. He ran upstairs to the bedroom. The bed was unmade. He ran to the other rooms but Madeline was not in any of them. He went down stairs again. A paper lay on the floor beside her favorite chair, as if it had fallen from her lap when she jumped to her feet. He looked about for a note. There was none. He thought of the small gun that he had given her and which she always kept in one corner of the old-fashioned mantel. It was missing. Madeline had left the house in a hurry, not even waiting to turn down the lamp and had gone—where?

CHAPTER VII.
Guy Wardell had the happy faculty of not giving away to excitement. When he realized that Madeline was capable of taking care of herself, he made a pot of coffee, snuffed away the fire and turned the lights out and changed to dry clothes.

"I guess we better take a further look around the grounds," said Guy when John Baker came around the corner of the house. Madeline was with him.

"Guy can down the stairs toward her," Madeline said. "What happened?"

"Oh, I can have my little adventures—just as you can have yours. I'll trade you first—what happened to you?"

"Briefly he told his night's adventures; then it was Madeline's turn. "It was about ten o'clock," Madeline explained, "and I was alone in the house instead of spending the night here when I decided that I would go in and see a little of the place. Naturally, you didn't come home, and I was left to my own devices."

"So I lit the lamp and tried to read but fell asleep in the arm-chair. I woke with a start and found that it was almost two o'clock. I had a feeling that there had been a noise or that someone was near me so I picked up the gun and went quietly out on the verandah and listened and then from off near the sap house, I heard a faint clang and then silence."

"I was too much for my curiosity. I simply had to do a little scouting on my own hook. I heard a strange sound. I went closer, and while I could not actually see anything, I knew by the sounds and the bits of whispered conversation that there were two men digging. One of them kept saying, 'Careful—careful!'"

"Soon they finished digging and started off through the woods. From what they said I guessed that they were carrying something valuable. They went to the house and lit a small lamp. They were very careful to shut out the light but they did not stop talking and I knew by what they were saying that they were fixing line clocks, perhaps."

"No?" shouted Wardell.

"Yes—and in about ten minutes they came out and hurried away. I was right after them, keeping close. "The first place they went was John's—and they put a bomb under the old toolhouse back of the barn. Then they went over to Eb Moran's place and put a bomb in his corn crib. The next place was Hamilton's—inside the door of their old carriage house. I got quite close to them when they were at Hamilton's, and I heard one of them say, 'Thank God this job's done!'"

"The next thing I did," she hurried on with her narrative, "was to run all the way to John's place and wake him up. We got a couple of pails of water, and took a chance of being blown up by dousing the barn bomb with water. We could hear the clock they had with it ticking just as plain. John poured on three pails of water—the clock stopped—and I had a look at the bomb. He said that it wasn't very big, or didn't look very dangerous. Then we hurried to the other places and spoiled both of those bombs."

"Any man could be proud of her!" John Baker said quietly, "I certainly am. What do you make out of this business?"

CHAPTER VIII.
One thing was certain to the group of ten men and two women that met at the Wardell place later than morning, and that was that the results of the night before, the escape of Smith and the failure of the bombs to explode, would surely precipitate matters and the agitators would make a radical move at once.

They talked for an hour and arrived at a few decisions of importance. One was that it would be better to tell the sheriff, and have a lot of Joe Deo warrants filled out. Wardell and Gregory Smith, because of their actions of the night before, were to remain at Wardell's house, under cover, and keep their guns handy. The Wardell house was to be the headquarters, and as far as possible, all the telephone lines were to be kept free for instantaneous communication. A code signal was to name the place of meeting.

The group of men dispersed watchfully. Baker was to notify the sheriff, and get the warrants, half a dozen men were to tell the neighbors chosen to take part in the raid on the meeting.

To the four that remained at Wardell's house, Rose Baker, Madeline Wardell, Gregory Smith and Wardell himself, the hours dragged miserably. But dusk turned to darkness and the night hours slipped by without anything happening. It was as if a call of inertia had fallen over the Point. Nothing moved. Finally, about eleven, the four who were waiting at the Wardell house, just as others waited in their homes, gave up their vigil in disgust and went to bed.

A hammering on the side of the house woke Guy with a start. "What was that?" Madeline cried. "Someone knocking," and Guy in hand, Wardell hurried downstairs. He was cautious enough to peer out through the glass door before exposing himself to anyone who might be lurking in the shadows. He saw none one but something white, paper it looked like, was on the floor of the verandah, held down by a stone. He hesitated just the fraction of a minute before he raced out to pick it up. It was a message, written in a scrawling hand:

"If you wish to help your country, come at once to the maple grove at the end of the Point. The meeting begins at sunrise. I need your help. Come armed, and bring other help you can trust."

"What do you suppose it is—a trap?" Smith asked. "Or possibly, there is a stool pigeon on the inside."

"Certainly—but imagine our having a friend in that crowd—one who would bother to write that note and leave it here."

Ten minutes later, heavily armed, they plunged off through the woods along the shore, headed north towards the end of the Point. From other directions men were starting in the same direction. It was an ideal location that the agitators had chosen for in the heart of a dense wood of cedar trees, was this open grove, surrounded by maple trees.

And, in the maple grove, the man with the face of a ferret climbed to a fallen log and started to address the farm hands who had assembled at his bidding, while the fat man who had lived in the sap-house watched the expressions on the men's faces, and scowled at what he found there.

CHAPTER IX.
The first rays of the sun were piercing the clouds as Guy and Gregory Smith skirted the heavily wooded shore of the Point at a pace that was almost a trot.

It occurred to them both, as so often occurs to men who make hasty plans, that their little band would lack organization. The sheriff, of course, would not get out from town on ten minutes' notice, though John Baker had the warrants for the arrest of the agitators.

(To be continued.)
Sugar From Sawdust.
One of the latest triumphs of science is the production of glucose, or grape sugar, from sawdust. The sawdust is treated with acid by a new process, and enormous supplies of sugar may be anticipated from the results obtained. Quantities of motor spirit are obtained from sawdust and wood, and the production of sugar is only another example of the way in which chemists to-day are obtaining useful products from almost every kind of waste material.

Woman's Interests

Choosing the Day's Food.

While it is essential that every one have foods from the five food groups in order to be kept in the best physical condition, it is not necessary that we have all five classes at every meal, or even every day. There can be occasional lapses of a few days when the family goes without some one class without any special harm resulting, but no one can eliminate one class for several weeks or months without suffering. For example, the quickness with which under-nourished children who never had milk add flesh when they drink two quarts of milk a day—or even one quart—shows the necessity of milk in the diet of growing children. However, while we do not require vegetables or fruit, meat, eggs or milk, cereals, fats and sweets at every meal, we should aim to have all five every day.

The typical Canadian breakfast is a good one for the best physical development. In the average home it consists of fruit, cereal with milk or cream, bacon and eggs, or one of these, toast or rolls and coffee or cocoa. If it is necessary for economy, the toast could be eliminated, as we have the grain in our cereal and are simply duplicating foods. If plenty of milk is taken, eggs are not necessary. If the supply of cream is lacking, and buttered toast is not served, bacon would furnish the fat. Fruit should be included if possible, either fresh or canned. Cooked fruits, the scientists tell us, lose their vitamins, but as generations staggered along on canned fruit before vitamins were discovered, it is an open question whether or not mother's canned fruit isn't as beneficial to the human race as the fresh fruit.

For dinner, if possible, give one of all five classes. Meat or eggs will have. Potatoes take care of the vegetable dish, though you always plan on a side vegetable; bread furnishes the cereal; your dessert, cake, pudding, pie or cookies provides the sweet, butter and the quantities of meat fat outside of those consumed in gravy, furnishes the fat.

Supper may be a light meal again. Warm potatoes, fried or creamed, perhaps cold meat, or eggs or tinned fish, plenty of whole wheat bread and butter, cake or cookies, and if you have it, a salad vegetable, such as lettuce, celery, radishes, endive, any vegetable that may be eaten raw. Raw vegetables are too often passed by because they do not seem to furnish the actual nourishment that heartier cooked vegetables do. But they are necessary to good health because of

the mineral salts which they contain. Furnishing a balanced ration is not a difficult thing. It is merely a question of keeping away from one sort of food to the exclusion of other sorts. Do not, as too many families who are far from supplies of fresh meats and vegetables, run to starches and give the family baked things, while abstaining from vegetables, fruit, meat and eggs. Plan during the summer to have a cellar full of root vegetables and canned fruit and vegetables.

Then in place of an over-supply of baked stuff, use generous quantities of vegetables and milk. If the family will not drink milk, see that they get it in cornstarch pudding, rice, tapioca and bread pudding, custard, and in creamed vegetable soup. Cook the vegetables until they will go through a strainer, and add to it the scalded milk. If you have nothing else, make cream potato soup and flavor with onion juice.

Small Economies.
A practical use can be made of old silk garments, petticoats, bloomers, waists and so forth, by making them into a baby Afghan.

Put in strips about one-half inch wide and crocheted or knitted, if preferred, small blocks, six or eight inches square; if you crochet them, use the double stitch, taking into back part of stitch, which gives a ridge. After you have crocheted the number of blocks necessary, arrange the blocks so the ridges run vertical in one row and horizontal or crocheted together.

Starting at one corner, place a block with ridges running horizontally; place a second block, ridges horizontal, above this, and one each side of second block, a block with vertical ridges. The next row consists of five blocks and they may be alternated, as directed, beginning and ending with vertical ridges. Add other rows the same, to the width of the shamboro, diagonally; then decrease the blocks, each row. This arrangement gives a pointed edge, which may be finished with a crocheted border. This is a pretty thing.

A broken window-pane can sometimes be repaired by placing a smaller pane of glass over the opening, cementing it in with Canada balsam, which is sticky, honey-colored liquid used by opticians for cementing big glass lenses. Be careful not to get the balsam on any part of the glass save where you want it, as it does not dissolve. When possible, place the window down flat and pour a few drops of the balsam around the broken edges. Pressing the smaller pane slowly and firmly in place is all that is needed to spread the cement.

A Test of Nerve.

While hunting in the Canadian Rockies one day a woman showed a rare presence of mind. With her guide and companion, she was spending the day on a high mountain waiting for a grizzly bear that they had sighted the day before. About five o'clock in the afternoon they saw the bear far down the mountain feeding on moss berries, and they immediately started on a wide detour to stalk him. After they had dropped down to a lower altitude they followed a little ledge round the steep mountain.

Meanwhile Bruin had changed his plans, and was climbing the mountain to the same shelf on which the hunters were waiting. As they made their way cautiously round a projecting point, with the woman in the lead, they met him face to face at a distance of less than thirty paces. The woman threw her rifle to her shoulder and took a quick shot. The bear crumpled up and rolled far down the mountain side, and when the hunters reached him he was stone-dead. What had happened if the shot had missed is hard to conjecture. No hunter would choose to shoot a grizzly at thirty paces. The guide was well armed, but if the woman's shot had failed, he would have been at too close quarters to have done anything effective. It all happened so quickly that there was no chance for comment or advice.

Increase in Fur Values.

Five years ago the wholesale price of a good muskrat skin was thirty-seven cents. To-day it is \$5.10. Other kinds of furs have gone up in an astonishing way.

The United States Biological Survey cites the case of a man who in 1913 bought a mink-lined coat for \$500. After wearing it four years he sold the lining for \$1,000 and replaced it with nutria at a cost of \$150. In 1917 he sold the nutria lining for \$250 and put in a muskrat lining at a cost of \$75. Last year he sold the muskrat lining for \$300 and he still has the coat with a clear profit of \$45.

Naturally, the high prices obtainable for furs have incited trappers and gunners to extra efforts in the pursuit of fur-bearing animals, which in consequence are decreasing in numbers at an accelerated rate. The draining of marshes has a tendency to wipe out the muskrats. The only hope for fur-bearing animals lies in their domestication—i.e., in establishing preserves for them where they will be safe from molestation.

Money Proverbs.

Time is money and one should save as well as the other. The time to save money is in the morning of life. Don't put off until afternoon what you can do in the morning. The way to make money is to take advantage of every opportunity to earn—the way to save money is to put it in a bank on interest.

Can you imagine the satisfaction of the man in an armchair in front of a fire in his home who knows he has a savings account in a bank every dollar of which is working for him night and day. The first dollar deposited in a bank may be the first brick in the new home you've dreamed of.

Money in one's pocket burns a hole and drops through; money in a bank earns interest every day in the year. The secret of making money is the saving of it. It is not what you earn, but what you save that makes you rich. Put your savings in a reliable bank and let it earn interest for you. By saving something every week, you begin each week richer. Spending all you earn now does not mean future prosperity. Live within your means, and put something away for the future.

Harnessing the Sun for Power.

Any physicist will tell you that this talk about converting the static electricity of the atmosphere into dynamic current is just silly nonsense. Pure bunk, in other words. But the question of transforming the energy of sunshine into electrical energy is wholly different, and the hope that this will eventually be accomplished economically to furnish power for running machinery, etc., is not without substantial basis.

Prof. A. A. Campbell-Swinton urges that, by methods analogous to those which have produced such fruitful results in wireless communication, it may be possible to convert the energy of sunshine directly into usable electrical energy.

The glowing surface which the sun presents to us (considering it as a flat disk) has the enormous area of 585,750,000 square miles, each square foot of which emits energy equivalent to 12,500 continuous horsepower. The average radiant energy delivered on the surface of the earth is about 1.5 calories per square inch per second, or about 5,000 horsepower per acre.

"Keep Sweet and Keep Movin'."

Hard to be sweet when the throat is sore; When e brows jostle and shoulders crowd; Easy to give and to take offence When the touch is rough and the voice is loud; "Keep to the right" in the crowd's throng; "Divide the road" on the broad highway; There's one way right when every-thing's wrong; "Easy and fair goes far in a day." Just "Keep sweet and keep movin'."

The quick taut answers the hasty word— The lifetime chance for a "help" is missed; The shallowest pool is a fountain still; A kind hand clinched makes an ugly fist. When the nerves are tense and the mind is vexed, The spark lies close to the magazine; Whisper a hope to the soul perplexed— Banish the fear with a smile serene.

Just "Keep sweet and keep movin'." —Robert J. Burdette.

France to Preserve Battle-fields.

Certain sections of the French battle fronts, including dugouts and trenches, are to be preserved as historic monuments if the proposal before the Senate of the devastated regions get Parliament's approval. Whether this will include any of the ruined cities is not yet known, but it is not considered likely, in view of the fact that the State would have to pay the owners of the land involved huge sums without having any definite assurance that it would be refunded by the Germans in indemnities.

There is a constant demand that future generations have something definite to see of the war's horrors besides a depleted treasury, and the Senators believe this is possible by buying several thousand acres and appointing caretakers to prevent the trenches, tunnels and mine craters from being worn away by the ravages of time or filled with weeds, as now is the case all along the battle fronts.

The cost of purchase and operation would be recovered by imposing a fee on all visitors to the reservation, this to be increased by a systematic organization of visits of school children from all parts of France. The tentative arrangements call for at least 500,000 francs from this year's budget allowances, which seems to be the only argument against Parliament's approval.

Big Medical Fees.

The \$50,000 fee said to have been paid to Dr. Debit, the famous French surgeon, for attending the late King of Greece, although a big sum as medical payments go, by no means establishes a record.

A famous British physician, Sir Morrell Mackenzie, received just about double this—\$100,000, with extras for travelling and hotel expenses—for attending the Emperor Frederick of Germany.

Dr. Lorenz, of Vienna, the "bloodless surgeon," was paid \$150,000 by Philip J. Armour, the Chicago "meat king," for curing his little daughter of hip disease. But then he was detained in America for four months over the job.

Another famous bloodless surgeon, Dr. James Gale, was offered \$250,000 by a wealthy patient suffering from lameness, on the principle of "no cure, no pay." Gale accepted the conditions, effected a complete and permanent cure, and received his fee—probably the biggest on record.

The first Baron Dimsdale, for a very brief attendance on the Empress Catherine of Russia, received his title, \$50,000 in cash, an annuity of \$2,500 a year for life, and \$5,000 for the expenses of his journey between London and St. Petersburg and back.

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The work-place is made for the tasks you must face; It is built for the toll you must do; You may sit there and sigh as your cares pile up high. And no one may criticize you; You may worry and fret as you think of your debt. You may grumble when plans go astray, But when it comes night, and you shut your desk tight, Don't carry your burdens away.

Keep daytime for toll and the nighttime for play, Work as hard as you choose in the town, But when the day ends and the darkness descends, Just forget that you're wearing a crown. Go home with a smile! Oh, you'll find it worth while! Go home light of heart and of mind; Go home and be glad that you're loved as a dad, A dad of the fun-loving kind.

A Desert Ice Pack.

With the thermometer registering at noon one hundred and thirty degrees Fahrenheit, says Popular Mechanics, a party of professional men made ice near an oasis in the Sahara Desert and saved the life of a comrade who suffered from malignant fever. At seven o'clock in the evening the men shoveled down through the hot sand to a cooler stratum and formed a pit about eighteen inches deep. On the level bottom of the depression they placed a blanket that measured about five by eight feet. Then, drawing on the supply of camel fodder, they covered the blanket with chopped straw. From the oasis they drew water and covered the blanket to a depth of half an inch. As the night advanced the temperature fell, and at midnight frost crystals formed on the floating straw. At three o'clock the straw was embedded in a sheet of ice.

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The Blacksmith's Furnace.

As the farmer rode his mower round and round the head of Timothy hay there was a sudden jar and a snap. The outer bar had broken and the machine would not work. Turning his team, he drove back to the barn.

With the broken cutter bar in the back of his spring wagon, he drove to the village. There were two or three other men in the blacksmith's shop when he drove up. One of them was having a tire tightened and the other a ploughshare sharpened.

As he waited and talked he saw the wagon tire heated in the furnace cut and heated again and welded together and then heated all the way round before the blacksmith put it back on the wheel. The ploughshare was also placed in the furnace before it was laid on the anvil to be hammered out to a sharp edge.

When his turn came the blacksmith took up the two pieces of the broken cutter bar and remarked, "You must have tried to cut an inch bolt in two from the way you have jammed it up. I'll put it into the fire and see what I can do with it."

When the two ends were red-hot he took them out and, laying them on the anvil, brought down his heavy hammer upon them, blow after blow. The work was soon finished, and as the farmer drove home he remembered the things that he had seen. He meditated upon the broken and dulled instruments that the blacksmith softened in the fire in order to mend them, and he meditated upon his own life, years ago he had broken his relationship with the church because of a misunderstanding and had at last drifted away from the teachings of the faith of his parents and even from the Book of God.

And as he thought about the last two years of his life he felt that the hand of God had rested heavily upon him; his lot had been full of sorrow and losses. Now he realized that as the furnace of the blacksmith had prepared the broken instruments for mending, so the furnace of affliction in which God had been trying him had been preparing his broken life for mending, in order that he might be a useful instrument in God's hand. Tears filled his eyes, which had been dry for many years, and his heart, which was already softened, bowed to the will of God. And joy such as he had not known in many a day filled his soul, for he realized that he, like the mended cutter bar, was ready to go out again into the field of service for the Master.

World's Biggest Waterfall.

Which is the world's biggest waterfall? Probably ninety-nine people out of every hundred, if asked this question, would promptly answer "Niagara." They would be wrong; that is, if we are to accept as correct the statement concerning the great Igazu Falls, in the Argentine Republic, made by Lord Frederic Hamilton in his book, "The Days Before Yesterday."

Until recently Lord Frederic points out the very existence of this gigantic cataract was questioned, depending as it did on the testimony of wandering Indians; and of one solitary white man, a Jesuit missionary. Now, however, since the railway to Paraguay has been completed they can be reached without any very great difficulty. The Igazu Falls are 210 feet high and nearly a mile wide, as against Niagara's 160 feet in height and approximately the same width, while the volume of water is about the same in both cases.

The Victoria Falls on the Zambesi River in South Africa, too, are 330 feet high, more than double that of Niagara, and their width is just over one mile. Except in March and April, however, the volume of water hurling itself over the Victoria Falls into the gorge below is smaller than at Niagara.

Louvain Receives Books.

Personal libraries of German savants are being purchased to restock the shelves of the Louvain Library looted by the Germans in the war, says a despatch. The German professors are hard hit by heavy taxation and the high cost of living and many rare and valuable volumes have thus come into the market.

M. Louis Stainer, director of the library restoration committee, told a correspondent of the London Daily News that Louvain was very grateful for the consignment of books from American well-wishers although, as he put it, "the American collection being an essentially modern one had more of a 'universal' than a 'university' character."

No building yet exists in Louvain adequate to receive the new library, and the books thus far obtained, including 35,000 volumes from England, are scattered wherever temporary accommodations can be found for them.

Wise Men Say—

That if we never had clouds we wouldn't appreciate sunshine. That staying power is more important than braying power. That the best education is that got by struggling to make a living. That work is what you make it, your best friend or your worst enemy. That the runs in the ladder of success are composed of difficulties. That persistence is half of achievement. It cuts its way through by the very constancy of its attack. It knows no failure because it admits no failure.

CENTRAL SECTION OF CORK DESTROYED BY THE TORCHES OF INCENDIARIES

City Hall, Carnegie Library, Corn Exchange Among the 139 Buildings Wiped Out—Damage Estimated at Over \$28,000,000—Fires Are Reprisals for Ambushing of Auxiliary Police on Saturday Night.

Cork, Dec. 12.—The central portion of the City of Cork has been burned to the ground and other parts of the city are ablaze. The Municipal Buildings, the Carnegie Library and the Corn Exchange, which cover a large area, have been consumed by the flames. In fact the whole business part of the city has been practically destroyed. Over 139 houses and large shops have gone up in flames.

The situation grew so bad that the Dublin firemen were called out especially to save what part of the city could be saved. The firemen of the entire City of Dublin were called and were told that unless they made haste the entire City of Cork would be wiped out.

The Dublin fire department left on a special train.

Shortly after six o'clock, however, the fires were gotten under control. The total damage will exceed \$28,000,000.

The fires extended to St. Patrick's Street from Cook Street to Maylor Street, and swept entire rows of buildings on both sides of Wainthrop Street, leading from St. Patrick's Street to Old George's Street.

The trouble began by the burning of a bomb at a police lorry which was on its way from Dillon's Cross Barracks to the city. When the terrific explosion wrecked the lorry the bodies of fourteen "Black and Tans" were strewn in the roadway. The torn and bleeding bodies were carried into neighboring shops and thence to the infirmary, where one died during the night. Eleven of the men are in a precarious condition. It was in the

district of the explosion where the fires first began.

Owing to repeated attacks that had been made upon the fire brigade when they had attempted to extinguish such outbreaks, firemen did not dare venture into the streets and the flames were allowed to consume building after building.

About eight o'clock Saturday night a party of "Black and Tans" in semi-armored automobiles were attacking within half a mile of the barracks by Sinn Feiners, who hurled bombs at the machine mounting twelve, three of them seriously, and themselves escaping without casualties.

Following the ambush many pedestrians were searched.

In the Summerhill district, the scene of the ambush, shortly after curfew, two brothers named Delaney are reported to have been taken from their homes and shot, one subsequently dying. During the hour before curfew terrorism held sway, and when the streets were emptied of civilians, loud explosions and rifle and revolver shots kept up until early morning.

The excitement and panic throughout the city all night and all day today are indescribable, newspaper men who witnessed many of the fires agreeing that the city has passed through one of the most terrible ordeals in history.

Three men were arrested, one of whom was shot and wounded while attempting to escape.

Dublin Castle's account of the Saturday's bomb plant raid describes the factory as extensively and completely equipped with furnaces and machinery of a modern character. No workers were there at the time, but the moulds were still warm as though bombs had been freshly cast. Two hundred bombs in various stages of manufacture were found.

There was evidence, says the Castle report, that the filling of the bombs was done in an extremely haphazard and dangerous manner, as detonators, loose powder mixed with all kinds of cartridges, and sacks full of gelignite and other explosives were found lying all about the place.

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PROVIDE WORK FOR VETERANS AND MARRIED MEN DURING WINTER

Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission Awarded Two Million Dollars' Worth of Contracts in Connection With the Chippawa Power Development.

A despatch from Toronto says:—Contracts amounting to nearly two million dollars were awarded by the Provincial Hydro-Electric Commission at the special meeting held on Friday prior to the departure of Sir Adam Beck for his home in London. Sir Adam and Lady Beck left on Saturday for England to spend Christmas with their daughter in the Old Land.

The contracts are for transformers, electrical equipment, cement and other materials needed in connection with the Chippawa power development, and the purpose in awarding them promptly at this time is to assist in increasing activity in the manufacturing industries affected, and to supply much additional work to those in need of employment during the present winter.

The contracts are awarded to the following firms: Westinghouse Company of Hamilton, Canadian General Electric Company of Peterboro, Al-

Chambers Company of Toronto, and the John Inglis Company, Toronto. In each case the lowest tender was accepted.

Notwithstanding the fact that the recent purchase of the Mackenzie electrical interests eases the concern over the completion of the Chippawa development by September 1 next, the commission decided to maintain the full force of 3,600 men on the work. The arrival of the large dredge on the scene also warranted increasing the number of men employed to provide for the disposal of the excavated material. It was decided to start immediately with a force of 3,800 men, and to assure them steady employment by maintaining the work through the winter and well on into the spring.

Sir Adam Beck left orders to give all workers possible employment, with the one stipulation that returned soldiers and married men with families should have first consideration in manning the staff.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT PROCLAIMS MARTIAL LAW IN IRELAND

Strict Military Regulations for Dublin and the South-West District of Ireland—Not a Hindrance to Proposed Settlement Now Under Way.

A despatch from London, Friday, says:—The British Government has decided upon martial law for Ireland. The proclamation issued by the Government Thursday night, and confirmed by Friday morning's editions of London newspapers, has prescribed strict military regulations for Dublin and the south-west districts of Ireland.

The first inkling of the startling news came when the Daily Express announced that the Government had decided to proclaim the military in

Foot and Mouth Disease is Curable

A despatch from Paris says:—Foot and mouth disease, the greatest dread of stock raisers throughout the world, is not only curable, but can be cured easily in four days, according to a sensational announcement made before the Paris Society of Biology by Dr. Andre Cepede.

Dr. Cepede reported that he had discovered a serum which had an almost instantaneous effect. Fourteen cows on one farm, already far gone with the disease, were cured easily in from four days to a week, while other cows on the same farm which had not yet caught the disease were inoculated with the serum and remained immune.

BOMB FACTORY FOUND IN DUBLIN

Completely Equipped With Modern Machinery.

Dublin, Dec. 12.—A plant for the manufacture of bombs was discovered during an early morning raid Saturday on a bicycle repair shop in Parnell Street, in the heart of Dublin.

Large quantities of arms, ammunition, bombs and gelignite were seized. Three men were arrested, one of whom was shot and wounded while attempting to escape.

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Pogroms Occur in Ukrainian Villages

Paris, Dec. 12.—Pogroms have occurred in a number of Ukrainian villages, and 400 Jews have been slain, according to word reaching Paris tonight from Warsaw.

The whole region of the Ukraine has been marked by anti-Semitic outbreaks.

Weekly Market Report

Toronto.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.92 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.94; No. 3 Northern, \$1.89 1/2; No. 4 wheat, \$1.76 1/2.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 CW, 52 1/2%; No. 3 CW 50 1/2%; extra No. 1 feed, 49 1/2%; No. 1 feed, 47 1/2%; No. 2 feed, 44 1/2%.

Manitoba barley—No. 3 CW, 93%; No. 4 CW, 76%.

All of the above in store at Fort William.

American corn—\$1.15, nominal, truck, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 50 to 52c; Ontario wheat—No. 2 Winter, \$1.95 to \$1.90 per car lot; No. 2 Spring, \$1.90 to \$1.85, shipping points, according to freight.

Peas—No. 2, nominal, \$1.75 to \$1.80; Barley—No. 2, 90c, according to freight outside.

Buckwheat—No. 3, \$1 to \$1.05, nominal.

Rye—No. 3, \$1.50 to \$1.55, nominal, according to freight outside.

Manitoba flour—\$11.10, top patents; \$10.50, Government standard.

Ontario flour—\$7.75, bulk, seaboard.

Milled—Car lots, delivered, Montreal freights, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$32 to \$40; shorts, per ton, \$42; good feed flour, \$2.75 to \$3.00.

Cheese—New, large, 27 to 28c; twins, 27 1/2 to 28 1/2c; triplets, 25 1/2 to 25 3/4c; old, large, 32 to 35c; do, twins, 32 1/2 to 33 1/2c.

Butter—Fresh dairy, choice, 49 to 50c; creamery, 2nds, 55 to 58c; finest, 58 to 61c.

Margarine—35 to 37c; selects, 74 to 76c; new laid, in cartons, 85 to 90c.

Beans—Canadian, hand-picked, bus., \$4 to \$4.50; primes, \$3 to \$3.50; Japanese, \$3; Lima, Madagascar, 10 1/2c; California Lima, 12 1/2c.

Honey—60-20-lb. tins, 25 to 26c per lb.; Ontario comb honey, at \$7.50 per 15-section case; 5 1/2-2 1/2-lb. tins, 25 to 27c per lb.

Smoked meats—Hams, med., 42 to 44c; heavy, 38 to 40c; cooked, 59 to 61c; rolls, 33 to 35c; cottage rolls, 39 to 40c; breakfast bacon, 45 to 50c; fancy breakfast bacon, 52 to 58c; backs, plain, bone in, 54 to 61c; boneless, 55 to 59c.

Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 27 to 28c; clear bellies, 26 to 27c.

Lard—Pure tins, 25 1/2 to 26c; tubs, 26 to 26 1/2c; pails, 26 1/2 to 26 3/4c; prints, 25 to 26c; Compound tins, choice, \$2.50 to \$3.50; do, 19 1/2 to 20c; prints, 22 to 24c.

Choice heavy steers, \$11.50 to \$12; good heavy steers, \$10.50 to \$11; butchers' choice, \$9.50 to \$10; do, good, \$8 to \$9; do, med., \$6 to \$7; do, com., \$5 to \$5.50; butchers' bulls, choice, \$8 to \$9.50; do, good, \$7 to \$8; do, com., \$5 to \$6; butchers' cows, \$5.25 to \$6.25; canners and cutters, \$3 to \$4.50; milkers, good to choice, \$100 to \$165; do, com. and med., \$65 to \$75; lambs, yearlings, \$9 to \$9.50; do, spring, \$11 to \$12.50; calves, good to choice, \$14 to \$15.50; sheep, \$5 to \$6; hogs, fed and watered, \$14.75 to \$15.25; do, weighed off cars, \$15 to \$15.50; do, L.O.B., \$13.75 to \$14.25; do, country points, \$12.50 to \$14.

Montreal.

Oats, Can. Western, No. 2, 77 1/2c; do, No. 3, 71 1/2c. Flour, Man. Spring wheat patents, firsts, \$11.10. Rolled oats, bag 99 lbs., \$3.90. Bran, \$40.25. Shorts, \$42.25. Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$21 to \$22.

Cheese, finest eastern, 17 to 18c. Butter, choicest creamery, 52 to 53c. Eggs, fresh, 72c. Potatoes, per bushel, car lot, \$1.60 to \$1.70. Lard, pure, wood pails, 20 lbs. net, 27 to 28c. Butchers' hammers, com., \$5 to \$7; butchers' cows med., \$5 to \$6.50; canners, \$2.75 to \$3; cutters, \$2.50 to \$4.50; butchers' bulls, good, \$8.50; do, com., \$4.50 to \$5.50. Good veal \$13 to \$14; med., \$8 to \$13; grass, \$4.50 to \$5.50. Eggs, \$4 to \$6; lambs, good, \$13; com., \$8 to \$11. Hogs, off-car weights, selects, 16 to \$16.25; sows, \$12 to \$12.25.



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Sir Adam Beck, whose successful negotiations for the taking over of the Ontario Hydro gives to the people of Ontario ownership of the greatest organic power system in the world.

FRANCE FIXES REPARATIONS BILL AT FORTY-SIX BILLION DOLLARS

Delegates Instructed to Notify Germany That Failure to Pay Will Mean the Invasion of the Ruhr Coal Mining District by France.

Paris, Dec. 12.—From highest sources it is learned that the French delegates to the financial conference left for Brussels tonight, instructed to inform Germany that the French reparations bill is forty-six billion dollars, as security for which France will demand practically a first mortgage on all the largest German industrial plants and all German Government monopolies that have, and with the steamer Glenlyon's departure this work was accomplished shortly after eleven o'clock. In the past twenty-four hours nineteen ships have left this port for Eastern destinations, carrying 4,500,000 bushels of wheat. Grain henceforward moves east by rail alone.

The shipments of grain for the week ending Dec. 10th, as given in an official statement of the Board of Grain Commissioners, considerably exceeded the receipts. Hitherto in 1920, arrivals from the West threatened to overstock the elevator capacity, and only two weeks ago half the storage was taken up. The wheat receipts were 5,494,739, and the shipments 8,082,257; oats receipts 713,886, shipments 973,732; barley, 453,574 and 427,595; fax, 164,089 and 128,158; rye, 123,469 and 170,417. Thus there is left in store: Wheat, 10,954,347, as against 3,179,556 one year ago; oats, 3,663,141, as against 1,776,461 one year ago; barley, 967,617, as compared with 664,245; fax, 609,687, in comparison with 181,377; rye, 800,442, against 277,922. Evidence of the high-grade crop this year is shown in the fact that of ten million bushels of wheat in store eight is divided between one, two and three Northern, four being number one.

Merchant Marine Flag Bears a Cross

A despatch from Ottawa says:—Ribald comment by sailors of the world has caused the Government to have the house flag of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine changed.

So far the house flag has displayed on it the Canadian beaver, but the likeness of this industrious animal to another rodent caused sailors the world over to refer to the Canadian Government service as "The Rat Line."

Hereafter the house flag will display in place of the beaver a cross encircled in a circle.

Range of Human Ear Increases

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 12.—By administering certain drugs in delicate measured quantity, Dr. David I. Macht, of Johns Hopkins Medical School, has succeeded in increasing the range of the human ear to a remarkable extent, it was learned here tonight.

The drugs used in the experiments were quinine, atypyrin pyramidon, acetanilid and salol.

Smoked Until He Was 106 Years of Age

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 12.—Abraham Kittle, 114 years old, believed to be one of the oldest men in the United States, died at his home here today. Kittle was also the oldest Free Mason in the world, having been made a Master Mason in New York State in 1827. He was an inveterate smoker up to the age of 106. His longevity he ascribed to the fact that he invariably retired not later than 8 p.m. and rose at 5.

GERMANY MUST PAY DEFINITE AMOUNT TO ENTENTE POWERS

London Conference Came to Agreement as to Program for Finally Fixing Amount of Germany's Indemnity to the Allies.

A despatch from London says:—A definite agreement and program for finally fixing the amount of Germany's indemnity to the Allies has been agreed to in the course of a conference held here. Allied financial experts will meet in a final conference in Brussels on Monday, Dec. 13, to examine the German proposals and will immediately report back to their own Governments. Secondly, there will be a conference of the Allied experts with the Germans. This conference probably will not be in Geneva, as was originally intended.

Then the Allied experts will confer with the Reparations Commission in the light of the results of the previous conferences and the evidence of Germany's ability to pay. Following this, the Supreme Council will hold what it is hoped will be the final meeting in this connection, to inform Germany of what has been decided upon as to the amount of reparations, time of payment of it, etc., and to settle the sanctions whereby the payments will be enforced, according to the Spa agreement.

China to Recover Shantung, Says Japan

A despatch from Geneva says:—Baron Hayashi, the Japanese Ambassador to Gt. Britain, and head of the Japanese delegation to the League Assembly, informed the correspondents on Thursday evening that Japan was getting ready to hand back the Province of Shantung to China, but was unable to get China to open negotiations. He added that the only condition Japan makes is that Kiaochau shall remain open to foreign trade.

Baron Hayashi thought that China's refusal to negotiate was due to the fact that public opinion had been falsified by the military party.

ARMENIA OBLIGED TO ACCEPT TERMS

Turk Agreement Reduces Country to Absurd Dimensions.

A despatch from Paris says:—A telegram from Constantinople to the French Foreign Ministry received on Thursday states that, according to information from Angora, a peace between Armenia and the Turkish Nationalists was signed at Alexandropol during the night of December 23.

All Armenian arms are to be handed over to the Turkish Nationalists, except 1,600 rifles, 20 machine-guns and three cannon. Armenian territory is to be reduced to the district, Erivan and Lake Golscha, and will not include the fortresses of Kars and Alexandropol.

A Bolshevik wireless message at the same time announces that a Soviet regime has been set up at Erivan and that accord will be made between the Soviet Republics of Armenia, Russia and Azerbaijan and the Komalists.

This news is taken as the text of a note in the semi-official Temps explaining away reported differences between the French Foreign Ministry and M. Viviani at Geneva. The Temps says:—

"The entry of the Turks into Armenia and the revolution in that country, which appears to have placed the Soviet in power, have completely changed the conditions under which the League of Nations had to consider the request for admission made by Armenia. Instructions given by the French Government to the members of the French delegation before their departure for Geneva were to support the Armenian request."

The explanation is then given that the request was made by the Armenian Government, which signed the Treaty of Sèvres, and that it was only natural that France should wish to give it support.

"But," continues the Temps, "since then political and military events have completely overturned the situation in Armenia. Deprived of an independent Government—for the Government at Erivan appears to be only the creation of the Bolsheviks—Armenia appears today to be reduced to absurd dimensions by the armistice which the Turks have imposed."

Dominion Parliament To Meet February 4th

A despatch from Ottawa says:—Thursday, February 4, is regarded as the earliest possible date for the meeting of Parliament, with the probability that it is more likely to be summoned on the Thursday following, February 11.

A master of twelve languages at twelve years of age is the record of the youngest student in Columbia University, U.S.A.

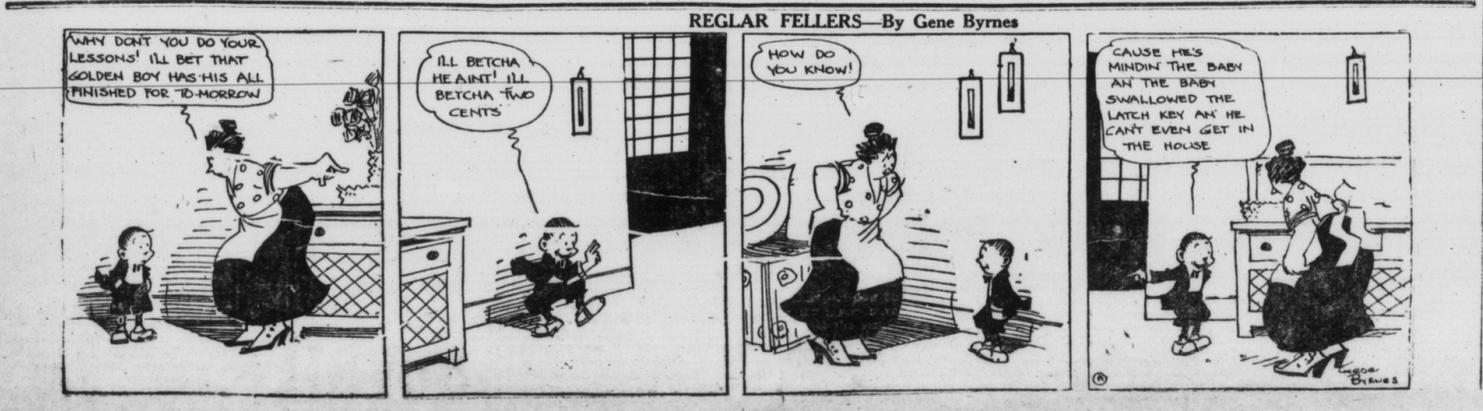
Canadian Scientists To Fly to Far North

A despatch from Ottawa says:—It plans now under consideration by the Dominion Air Board are military, Canadian geologists who every winter make arduous trips to far northern regions to carry on field work, will next summer be spared much effort and saved several weeks of valuable time by being carried in airplanes. The first attempt to utilize the flying machines for this practical purpose will be made in the Mackenzie River basin and the flight will probably be from Peace River landing, in Northern Alberta, to Fort Norman. The man to advocate the air route for geologists was Dr. Alfred Thompson, member for the Yukon, who discussed the time-saving possibilities of this plan in the House of Commons two years ago.

Doom of Submarine Predicted by Expert

A despatch from London says:—The doom of the submarine is predicted by Archibald Hurd, naval expert of the Daily Telegraph, in a special article published by that paper on Saturday. He points out that even in July, 1916, the hydrophone made it possible to detect the presence of submarines. With the further improvements which have been introduced as a means of locating submarines the terror of the sea craft to a navy has become practically nonexistent, he declares.

A special from Helsingfors states, according to Soviet newspapers, there are now 84 prison camps in Russia containing 80,000 former officials and officers from the Czar's time. A year ago the figures were 21 and 10,000, respectively.



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 - Ties.....75c to \$2.50
 - Nightgown or Pyjamas.....\$2 to \$3.50
 - Handkerchiefs.....15c to 50c
 - Mufflers.....\$1 to \$3
 - Salt or Overcoat.....\$18 to \$45
 - Mackinaw Rubbers.....\$2.75 to \$4.45
 - Comfortable Caps.....\$1 to \$4
 - "Easy" Shoes.....\$4 to \$7
 - Umbrella.....\$2 to \$3.50
 - Gauntlets.....\$3.50 to \$5
- FOR "MOTHER"**
- Blouse.....\$2.50 to \$10.50
 - Skirt.....\$6.50 to \$9.75
 - Scarf.....75c to \$3
 - Slippers.....\$1.50 to \$2.50
 - Bath Towels.....50c to \$2.50
 - Collars.....50c to \$1.25 each
 - Dress.....\$23 to \$35
 - Material for a Dress.....\$1 to \$5 per yd.
 - Coat.....Reg. \$45 Coat for \$26.50
 - Wool Blankets.....\$12
 - "Hex" Flannelite Blankets.....\$2.95 to \$5
 - Bed Comforters.....\$4.50 to \$7.25
 - Furs.....\$10 to \$95 set
 - Shoes.....\$2.50 to \$8.50
 - White Quilts.....\$4.75 to \$6
 - All-over Aprons.....\$1.15
 - Dollies.....20c to 75c

- FOR "HIM"**
- Ties.....75c to \$3.50
 - Slippers.....\$1 to \$4.50
 - New V-neck Sweater.....\$5 to \$9.50
 - Nifty Caps.....\$1 to \$3.50
 - Hats.....\$4.50 to \$6.50
 - Muffler, brushed wool.....\$2.50
 - Muffler, silk.....\$3 to \$5
 - Silk Soft Collars.....50c
 - Brace Sels.....\$1 to \$2
 - Silk Arm Bands.....15c to 65c
 - Silk Hosiery.....75c to \$2.25
 - De Luxe Shirts.....\$2 to \$5
 - Up-to-the-minute Overcoats.....\$19 to \$40
 - Heather Sox.....\$1 to \$1.75
 - Silk Shirt.....\$6 to \$8.50
 - Spats, all colors.....\$2.75
 - Belt.....75c to \$2.50
- FOR "HER"**
- Table Linens.....\$3.50 to \$5 per cover
 - Silk Hosiery.....\$1.50 to \$3

- FOR THE "GIRL"**
- Ribbons.....15c to 75c per yard
 - Handkerchiefs.....10c to 45c
 - Hockey Shoes.....\$3.50 to \$5
 - Dress Shoes.....\$2.75 and \$5.50
 - Scarf and Cap Set.....\$1.75 and \$2.50
 - Knitted Tams.....50c and 75c
 - Sweater Coats.....\$1.75 to \$5.85
 - Fur Sets.....\$1.25 to \$2
- FOR THE "BOY"**
- Sweater Coats.....\$1 to \$4.50
 - V-neck Sweaters.....\$2.85
 - Pullover Sweaters.....\$1.75 to \$3.75
 - Mitts.....50c to \$1
 - Suspenders.....25c to 75c
 - Caps.....35c to 75c
 - Nifty Suit.....\$7 to \$15
 - Bloomer Pants.....\$2 to \$3.75
 - Belts.....50c to 85c
 - Shoes.....\$2 to 75c
 - Shoes.....\$3.50 to \$5

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The Transcript.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1920

NEWBURY

E. V. Squires has returned from Wyoming. School re-opened on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. John G. Bayne were in Oakville on Sunday attending the funeral of their late brother-in-law, C. E. Gilleland.

The Young People's Society of Knox church entertained very pleasantly on Friday evening the A. Y. P. A. of Christ church. Games, an impromptu program and refreshments filled in the evening. There was a splendid crowd out and all enjoyed themselves.

Posters are out for the bazaar and hot supper to be held in the town hall Saturday, 18th, afternoon and evening, under the auspices of the Anglican Guild. We had the privilege of seeing some of the dainty and useful articles to be on sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hoxie and three children of Detroit are visiting her father, B. F. Jeffrey.

WOODGREEN

Mrs. I. Green of Windsor, a former resident here, underwent an operation at Hotel Dieu and is progressing nicely.

George Harvey and Miss Sarah Mitchell were married on Monday at First Presbyterian church, London, by Rev. Mr. Knox.

Sam Schellenberg and Bert Eckert of Sebringville are visiting at Mrs. Daum's.

Mrs. Hill has returned to her home in London.

Albert Smith is working on his house and hopes to be able to move into it in about three weeks.

The snow on Friday has made the roads rather muddy.

A reception was held on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Harvey in honor of their son George and bride. About fifty sat down to a sumptuous repast, dinner being served from 7 to 8.30. Then the floor was cleared and young and old alike danced until 2 a. m. when the party broke up and the guests departed to their homes after wishing the young couple a long and prosperous life.

F. Squires is progressing nicely after having had blood-poisoning.

George Weekes is able to be around again.

Owing to the scarcity of work in the cities a number of the boys have returned home and seem to find no difficulty in securing a position in the home section.

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WARDSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Love entertained the euchre club last Tuesday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. J. Mulligan and Jack Douglas, the consolation prizes going to Mrs. A. O'Hara and Mr. Love. A dainty supper brought to a close a very jolly evening. Mr. and Mrs. J. Mulligan have invited the club to their home for the next meeting.

Miss Flossie Palmer, who has been ill of pleurisy, is able to be around again.

Gerald Randles had the misfortune to fall from the hay mow onto a hay fork. The prongs of the fork entered just above his knee. He is able to be around.

A meeting of the A. Y. P. A. was held Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Frank Henderson. Over thirty were present. Wm. Tolmin, the president, had charge of the meeting. The topic, "Love and Kindness," was very well taken by Mrs. R. J. Murphy. Wm. Atkinson also spoke a few words on this subject. Games and a social time followed. Lunch was served by the hostess.

Earl Thomas, T. H. Weer and Thos. Weer, Jr., motored to London Saturday.

Miss M. Archer opened her home Wednesday evening to the members of the Presbyterian choir. After the regular choir practice a social time was held and lunch was served by the hostess.

Misses Jean and Minnie Randles, Maud Murphy and Jean McRae were home from Chatham over Sunday.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist church held a social evening at the home of Mrs. Douglas. A short program was rendered. Harold Wanaocot gave a reading, Garnet Husser a piano solo, Carlyle Husser a recitation and Mr. Douglas a short speech.

The corn husker owned by James Thomas and son Earl started work last week.

Dan McRae is gaining slowly in health.

Dr. Glenn, who is seriously ill with pneumonia, remains about the same.

CAIRO

Mr. and Mrs. John Wehlann visited friends in Florence on Saturday.

Mrs. Elizabeth McGugan is quite ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Gage.

Will Macaulay is under medical care at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Long were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sullivan on Sunday.

Melvin Sullivan is a Chatham visitor.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was observed in the Presbyterian church on Sunday last. Rev. J. M. Bell officiating in a very acceptable manner. A feature of the occasion was a solo which Mrs. (Rev.) Bell sang very beautifully.

A pleasant medicine for children is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, and it is excellent for driving worms from the system.

MELBOURNE

Two weeks ago Rev. J. D. Byrnes, Rev. N. Campbell, Rev. P. L. Brown and Rev. J. C. Reid addressed the Methodist and Presbyterian congregations here on the co-operative movement. The vote in the Presbyterian church was taken on that day, the result being 41 in favor of union and 6 opposed. On Sunday last the vote was taken in the Methodist church, the result being 82 in favor of union and only 6 opposing.

The regular and annual meeting of the W. M. S. of the Presbyterian church was held at the home of Mrs. M. McGugan. There were 20 members present. The Bible topic, "The Days of our Years," from the 90th Psalm, was given by Miss B. C. Buchanan. The officers for the new year were elected as follows:—President, Mrs. (Dr.) Howell; vice-president, Mrs. Wm. Laing; secretary, Mrs. McKay; treasurer, Mrs. (Dr.) Dewar; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Munce; Mission Band president, Miss J. Campbell. At the close Mrs. McGugan treated the gathering to home-made candy.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist church held their regular meeting in the Methodist parsonage, after which the Ladies' Aid held their regular meeting. At the close tea was served to the large gathering and a social evening spent.

Mrs. John Kain entertained the choir of the Methodist church on Friday evening.

CASHMERE

Mr. and Mrs. David Smith of Bothwell spent Monday with their nephew, Calvin Sittler.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Willick moved to Bothwell last week. We are sorry to lose them out of our neighborhood.

The mild weather is certainly helping the farmers out these days. Some are plowing yet and catching up with their fall work.

Basil Sittler is on the sick-list.

Miss Muriel Bobber of Bothwell spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Hugh Taylor, recently.

The auction sale at Allen Willick's, held on Tuesday, Dec. 7, was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Sittler and baby Franklin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Jeffrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sittler and sons Norval and Melvin spent Monday at Calvin Sittler's.

KILMARTIN

The Ladies' Aid of Burns' Presbyterian church, Moss, presented their pastor's wife, Mrs. Robertson, with an autograph quilt, which they had been working on for some time. Mrs. Robertson was greatly surprised, and thanked the ladies for their many kindnesses. She also stated that she had received their many kindnesses since coming amongst them.

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BETHEL

C. C. Henry has returned from London, where he was attending county council.

Rev. Mr. Miller of Mt. Brydges preached here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Galbraith and children are visiting in Detroit and Windsor.

George Galbraith is at Toronto this week, a delegate at a U. F. O. convention.

D. E. McAlpine has closed his general store for the winter.

NORTH EKFRID

Miss Ila Roemmele is spending her holidays in London.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sterling have moved to their new home which they rented on the John McLean farm.

Miss Beulah Roemmele is home from London and visiting her father, Henry Roemmele.

Don't forget the U. F. O. ball at Appleton on Dec. 27.

Dick Nichols and son Arley of Windsor are visiting at Chas. Roemmele's.

Harry Hardy and Charlie Mills are attending the fall assizes in London.

Glen Oak anniversary is next Sunday, Dec. 19.

Everyone is invited to come to the Christmas tree at North Ekfrid Dec. 22. A good program will be provided.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pettit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sifton.

The Ladies' Mission held their monthly meeting at the church last Thursday afternoon and elected officers for the coming year. Mrs. Wm. Down, sr., is president. Mrs. Bert Pierce secretary and Mrs. Geo. Chisholm treasurer.

Picking geese is the order of the day.

MOSA

Miss B. McIntyre, Mrs. Crawford and Mrs. McLean spent Monday in London.

A. B. McLachlin and Mrs. Stuart Nisbet visited at Hugh R. McAlpine's on Monday last.

The U. F. O. of No. 9 held a pie social in the school house on Dec. 7th. Everybody reported a real good time. Proceeds, \$18.

The many friends of Ward Leitch will be pleased to hear that his health is slightly improved.

R. W. McKellar went to Toronto with a load of cattle last week.

The No. 9 W. I. held a very successful bazaar in the I. O. D. E. hall, Glencoe. They served hot oysters and lunches. Proceeds, \$106.

Mrs. R. Clannahan and Mrs. Andrew Clannahan spent Sunday at R. W. McKellar's.

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