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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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

JULY Bargains all over the store.—SWIFFS'.

ALL accounts due Miss Williams must be paid not later than July 1st. You must keep your lamps burning or the upkeep of your car will increase.

SPEAKING of meat, the Port Hope Guide says even the barbers have abandoned cheap cuts.

CLEARING SALE of Millinery, half-price.—A. BROWN & CO.

THE Daylight saving bill had to make way for the conscription bill so will not be put in force this year.

A **SEVERE** wind and rainstorm visited this section Monday night but little, if any, damage was done.

THE crops will be coming into their own after all if the weather man will only remain on good behavior.

JULY Bargains in men's overalls \$1.25 and \$1.50.—SWIFFS'.

"MAMMA, I want to ask you an important question. If a boy is a lad and has a stepfather, is the lad a stepladder?"

SOCIAL Friday evening on Wm. Doan's lawn. A good program and plentiful supply of strawberries and cream.

CALL at the postoffice next week for the Guide-Advocate. The papers will not be given out at the printing office.

THE farmers are taking to the motor cars more and more, and soon the old-time box wagon will be a thing of the past.

THERE is money in gardening. A St. Thomas man found a silver medal and gold chain while hoeing his potatoes last week.

IT looks as if the coal scare was about over. All restrictions will be removed at Washington regarding cargoes of coal for Canada.

NIFTY straw hats at SWIFFS' JULY BARGAINS.

AN outbreak of diphtheria in an English town was traced to the habit of school children wetting lead pencils in their mouth.

AN exchange says that the limit of meanness is found in the person who borrows a lawn mower and then grows about it being dull.

TWENTY Hydro linemen arrived this week and are now busy stringing the wires on the connecting line between here and the townline.

NOW here's a fact, though truly it seems quite old to say it. One has to lose one's temper before one can display it.

GROWERS of potatoes who a few weeks ago demanded \$5 a bag are now very glad to accept \$2.50 or under. The new crop promises to be large.

COL. KENWARD and Mr. A. G. Brown have been inspecting this week and report some very fine vegetable gardens in line for the Thrift Exhibit prizes.

3 PAIR men's black cotton sock, double heel and toe 50c.—SWIFFS' JULY BARGAINS.

PEARSON LODGE, No. 99, I.O.O.F., will install their officers for the ensuing term on Monday evening next. A full attendance of the members is requested.

WATFORD ORANGEMEN went to Forest Thursday to take part in the celebration of the Battle of the Boyne. They report a good time and a grand celebration.

NOW that railway excursions are untenable it has been suggested that the annual civic holiday be dispensed with, the weekly half holiday supplying all needs in that respect.

A **WRITER** in a Toronto paper reports that generally speaking, women's fashions are most beautiful and more sensible now than at any time within living memory, also more expensive.

SPORT shirts and bathing suits, all sizes.—A. BROWN & CO.

THE Masonic grand lodge meets in Belleville on July 18. Mr. G. Sutherland will represent the Watford lodge, Mr. R. Dowling, Arkona lodge, and Mr. Benjamin, Forest lodge.

AS the Watford postoffice will be closed Wednesday afternoons during the summer months, correspondents are requested to send in their favors on Tuesday's mail.

P. J. DODDS, T. A. Adams, R. McIntosh, K. Brock and C. Butler attended Oddfellow lodge meetings at Stratroy and Kerwood last week, where Mr. Dodds, who is Deputy Grand Master for the district, installed the officers.

"FOOD conservation is essential to win the war," advises Controller W. J. Hanna, but the market gardeners of Sarnia have plowed under hundreds of dollars worth of spring vegetables rather than take a low price for them.

THE coal operators of the United States have agreed to a reduction of \$1 to \$1.50 a ton in the price of coal at the mine. They will also appoint committees to confer with the national authorities, and it is possible that as a result the price will go still lower.

IN stock this week—75 pieces fast color gingham, more satisfactory than prints.—A. BROWN & CO.

THE lure of vacation Sounds timely and nice; But, gee, what's the price. If you haven't the price.

AT the business meeting of Tecumseh Chapter, I.O.O.F., held at the home of Mrs. Fitzgerald the treasurer reported that since the beginning of March the sum of \$203.00 had been raised by members of the Chapter for patriotic work.

THE strawberry social advertised to take place on Tuesday night last at the residence of Wm. Doan under the auspices of the ladies of the Methodist Church, was postponed until this (Friday) evening on account of unfavorable weather. See notice elsewhere.

LADIES—A coat, a suit or odd skirts.—SWIFFS' JULY BARGAINS.

PETROLEA ADVERTISER—"Mr. Wm. Lambert, of Watford, formerly foreman of the Lansey property, renewed acquaintance in town on Monday. As Mr. Lambert has not visited Petrolia in twenty years, he naturally found many changes both in people and the appearance of the town."

TORONTO is discommoded by a street car strike. Any bunch of men who would strike while the war is on should be transferred to a criminal detention camp. But again, the strike may be a blessing in disguise to teach the people the healthful and desirable art of walking.

POSTMASTER LUCKHAM has received permission from the Department to close the Watford postoffice every Wednesday afternoon during the summer so that the staff may enjoy the mid-week half holiday. The office will be open from 7 to 7.30 Wednesday evenings.

BUY your straw hats now.—SWIFFS' JULY BARGAINS.

THE wearing of many and varied regimental badges by members of the infantry units in training for overseas service must be discontinued, and the plain "maple leaf" badges must be displayed instead, according to instructions issued in Camp orders.

THERE is a profusion of wild flowers in the woods this year and many of them are exceedingly beautiful. Postmaster Luckham brought home from the Port Frank district last week some exquisite specimens, among them being some Lady's Slipper Orchids of marvellous beauty.

SINCE the Q. P. Club made their plans to tag for the Red Cross on the coming Fair day, they learned from the Regent of the Tecumseh Chapter, I.O.O.F., that that society had previously made similar arrangements so they hereby notify the public that they have withdrawn their claim in favor of the older society.

34 to 36 in. Red Cross flannelettes in today.—SWIFFS'.

A **NEW** decision of the Canadian Patriotic Fund and it will be in effect that in future allowance will be made for girls up to the age of seventeen and boys to the age of 16, providing they are going to school and not "earning wages." Up to the present the fund has been paying allowances to boys and girls only up to 15 years.

SERGEANT MAJOR GLEN NICHOL writing home last month says:—"It is nice to hear from the folks at home and also to learn that one is not forgotten. I certainly have had a long spell out here and a letter has a tendency to cheer a fellow up when he begins to get downhearted. Have been through this big spring offensive and so far my luck holds good as I have escaped unscathed. Believe me, life is very uncertain out here."

A **BUSY** afternoon was spent on Tuesday, July 3rd, at the home of Mrs. T. Newell, sewing and knitting for the Red Cross. The work was finished. The parcel to Hyman Hall, London, contained 5 suits pyjamas and a quantity of odd lines—\$10.00. To Mrs. McPhedran, Toronto, 12 pairs socks. The contribution amounted to \$3.00. All interested are invited to attend the meeting, Sunday, July 17th, at Mrs. T. Newell's, Huron street, Watford.

JULY Bargains—10c piles of straw hats.—SWIFFS'.

THE regular meeting of Lambton's 149 I.O.O.F. was held Tuesday afternoon, July 10th, at the home of Mrs. T. A. Adams, with the Regent, Mrs. Kelly, in the chair. 20 members and 2 visitors were present. It was decided to celebrate "French Day" by selling small French flags on July 14th, the proceeds to be sent to the Red Cross, London, and forwarded by them to the most destitute hospitals in Northern France. \$50 was donated to the committee in charge of the sewing for Belgian children, which the Chapter has undertaken for the summer. A letter of thanks was read from Mr. Steer, thanking the Chapter for their donation toward the piano fund. After refreshments the meeting dispersed with the singing of the national anthem.

THE management of the Western Fair, London, Ontario, have this year added \$2000 in cash to what was already a very liberal Prize List in the Poultry Department. This is the fiftieth year for this popular exhibition and the Board are making every effort to eclipse all previous Exhibitions, good as they have been. In order to do this, one of the first things decided was to add \$2000 to the live stock prize list. The poultry committee were able to secure \$200.00 of the amount for their department, and have

placed it all on the list without adding anything to the entry fee. This will make a very attractive list, in fact one of the very best. Prize Lists, entry forms and all information may be obtained from the Secretary A. M. Hunt, London, Ont.

GET busy—buy your shirts now—79c.—SWIFFS' July Bargains.

PERSONAL

Miss Harriet Cooke, Detroit, is visiting at her home here.

Mrs. R. E. Prentiss and children are visiting relatives in Toronto and neighborhood.

Mr. R. R. Phillips, St. Catharines, is spending the week with his friend W. G. Conolly.

Master Vernon White, London, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nash.

Miss Isabel Harris, Welland, is spending part of her vacation at her home here.

Cadet Mansell James of the Aviation Corps, Toronto, spent Sunday with Watford relatives.

Mrs. W. G. Conolly and daughter Mary, returned this week from a ten days holiday at Bronte.

Miss Anne M. Tanner has been engaged on the St. Thomas Collegiate staff at a salary of \$1400.

Mrs. J. A. Tanner and Miss Alice M. Tanner are in Brantford a few days visiting Mrs. T. White, who is seriously ill.

Miss Maze McManus, graduate of the Canada Business College, has accepted a position with the Sugar Beet Company, of Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Howden, Mrs. Eckert and Miss Essie Howard, motored from London Sunday and spent the day with relatives here.

WARWICK

Service in Knox Church afternoon and evening next Sunday.

Miss Vera Richardson is confined to her home with a severe attack of whooping cough.

Miss Sarah Vance, of Toronto, spent the week end with Mr. L. H. and Miss Jennie Vance.

Miss Alice Miller, 4th line, is spending a week with her friends on the 2nd line north and Forest.

Divine service will be held at Bethel Sunday, the 15th inst., at 2.30 p.m. All will be made welcome.

Miss Adele Mellor and Miss Lena Oakes, of Arkona, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Vance.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Watson and daughters, Mooretown, spent Sunday at Mrs. G. R. Rivers, 18 Sideroad.

The Wright Piano Co., of Stratroy, sold one of their best pianos to R. E. McGillicuddy, Main Road, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Welsh have returned from New Ontario, and will take moving here had lived on the 2nd line of Plympton for many years. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church and was president of the Ladies' Aid for a number of years, and also president of the W. C. U. Interment was made in the Young Cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

Her husband and one daughter, Mrs. A. McKay, of Wyoming, survive.

Carlton Robinson, a young farmer of Kincardine township, has entered an action in the High Court, in which he is asking damages from Dr. Ferguson, of the town of Kincardine, who performed an operation on him for appendicitis. Shortly after the operation, it is alleged, Robinson's mother was handed what was claimed to be her son's appendix in a bottle. As the son, it seems, didn't feel after a considerable length of time, that he had been greatly benefited by the operation, he went to Dr. Groves, of Ferguson, and the latter, it is alleged, also took an appendix from him. At the examination for discovery at the courthouse on Monday, the two appendices, both of which are claimed to have been taken from the interior of the one man, were on exhibition.

In a letter home Capt. Newton, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Newton, of Sarnia, says: "I have talked to quite a number of German prisoners of varied types, sizes and ages. They are odd looking persons for the most part, with their round, pill-box caps and their serious sullen manner, and altogether lacking in the driving force of enthusiasm. They seem to lack interest in everything. They are different men from the hustling Huns who marched over the cities and villages of France and Belgium in 1914, crying 'on to Paris.'" Now their greatest concern is to get back to Berlin or Munich or their native town and to get there with a whole hide. The Hun in captivity is the most domesticated, have looking transition from a ferocious brute that one might imagine. His morale has been crumpled and it was the allied battery work of the French and British on the Somme which did it.

Honey, fruit jellies and plain cookies are among the best sweets for children.

Sew a ring to each corner of a small rug and slip the ring over a track in the floor if you would have it lie smooth.

A perfect meal can be made from macaroni and cheese, with coarse brown bread and lettuce with French dressing.

Miss Elizabeth Russell, who has the distinction of being the oldest woman in Brookline, Mass., recently had to call on a doctor for the first time in 103 years.

Mrs. George R. Shepard, who has been appointed a member of the Niagara Falls board of education, is the first of her sex to serve in that capacity in that city.

BROOKE

The garden party and ice cream social under the auspices of the Invincible Red Cross Society, which was held on Wednesday, July 4th, was a decided success. The evening being ideal, a large crowd assembled to do justice to the dainty lunch and enjoy the splendid program which was presented. Miss Merle Holbrook and Mr. Robert McFarlane delighted the people with their patriotic and comic selections while Miss Hazel Lennon kept the attention of her hearers in the splendid rendition of "Edith Cavell" and "We stopped our Foolin'." Short addresses were given by Revs. S. P. Irwin and G. W. Connors and the Petrolia orchestra supplied an abundance of music. Much of the success of the program was due to the chairman, Mr. John Farrell. Net profits \$188.

CHOP STUFF

The Eureka street school in Petrolia has been closed.

Thamesville Red Cross workers used up \$1,450 worth of yarn from Dec. 8th to July 1st.

Strathroy has purchased a carload of oil for the side streets and a one-horse sprinkler to put it on.

A South Yarmouth farmer was fined \$4 and \$8.20 costs for allowing his cattle to graze on the highway.

Mr. and Mrs. John Herrington, of Kingsville, celebrated the 80th anniversary of their marriage last week.

Miss Maude Carson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Carson, Sarnia, left Detroit last week for overseas duty in connection with Harper Hospital Unit of that city.

Miss Idah Moore, Sarnia, has been accepted by the Militia and Defence Department at Ottawa as a Red Cross nurse and will leave for training shortly, preparatory to going overseas.

Theford will shortly organize a Girl Guide Corps. This movement is to train and exercise girls to grow up strong and capable women. Every Girl Guide has the same chance of earning the different badges.

Mr. Clayton Sims suffered a painful accident at a barn raising at Sam Scott's, near Brinsley, McGillicuddy. A large sledge hammer fell from the top of the framework on his head, tearing the scalp from his skull for several inches.

The excessive rains this season are beginning to have a serious effect on the crops. Corn and beans, either late in planting or having to be replanted, will require the most favorable conditions from now on to mature an average crop. Fall wheat, oats and hay promise a large yield, except where drowned out in low land, if weather conditions are good for ripening.

Potatoes planted on high ground are showing up well.

Mrs. Margaret Y. Anderson, wife of G. G. Hartley, of Wyoming, died Sunday last in her 71st year. Mrs. Hartley had been a resident of the village for almost a quarter of a century and prior to moving here had lived on the 2nd line of Plympton for many years. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church and was president of the Ladies' Aid for a number of years, and also president of the W. C. U. Interment was made in the Young Cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

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NOTICE TO TOWN SUBSCRIBERS

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STRAWBERRY SOCIAL

FRIDAY NIGHT

The Strawberry Social which the ladies of the Methodist Church purposed holding Tuesday night will be held on Friday night instead, on the lawn of Mr. Wm. Doan. An excellent program will be provided and ice cream and other extras will be procurable. Everyone cordially invited. Come and bring the children. Admission 5c. Children 25c.

For French Red Cross

"Supplies in France after nearly three years of war are almost exhausted. In little Poteries alone 15 hospitals are trying to support their wounded on 35c a day per man. In peace this would be inadequate, with war prices it is pitiable. Coal is \$50 a ton and food brings famine prices."

So runs a letter from the London, Eng., Committee of the French Red Cross to the Executive of the Canadian Red Cross. The letter has set aside July 14, as France's Day. Buy a French flag Saturday and help the brave sick and wounded soldiers of the French nation. "He gives twice who gives quickly." A Lambton's 149 I. O. O. F., will forward all donations. No collections made after the 14th.

McWhirter—King

[From Edmonton Journal]

A very quiet but pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McWhirter, 1029 83rd avenue, when Mr. McWhirter's sister Etta, was united in marriage with Albert E. King, of Regina. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. McGougan, M. A., of Knox church, in the presence of immediate friends only. After congratulations were extended, and the signing of the registry, the guests sat down to a dainty luncheon. The young couple left via C. P. R. from Edmonton, for Calgary and other points. They will reside in Regina.

Williams—Ross

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. Allan McDonald, 10th concession, West Williams, on Wednesday, June 27th, when his niece, Miss Lola J. Ross, of London, eldest daughter of the late William Ross and Mrs. Ross, of Warwick, was married to Eugene H. Williams, a prosperous young farmer of Warwick, son of Mr. J. Y. Williams.

The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. W. L. Nichol, of St. Paul's Church, Parkhill, in the presence of immediate relatives. The bride attended in a gown of white silk crepe de chene and carrying a bridal bouquet of white roses, entered the drawing room on the arm of her uncle. The bridal couple were unattended.

After a sumptuous wedding breakfast the happy young couple motored to their home on the groom's farm in Warwick, followed by the congratulations and best wishes of their many friends. The bride travelled in a navy blue silk suit with a most becoming white hat. The numerous beautiful gifts indicate the high esteem in which the young people are held.

Double Wedding

An event of unusual interest took place in St. Paul's Presbyterian church on Wednesday, June 27th, when a crowded church witnessed the marriage ceremony of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Webster's two daughters, Charlotte A. to H. John Biley, and Mary I. to Ernest B. Cutler.

The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion with teras and June roses, a labor of love of the Mission band girls, under the direction of Mr. Walker, Mrs. Russel and Mrs. W. J. Scott.

The brides were given away by their father and promptly at two o'clock entered the church to the strain of the wedding march, played by Miss M. Matthews. During the signing of the register Mrs. A. T. Webster sang "I Love You Truly."

Both brides were prettily gowned in ivory silk crepe de chene and wore their veils mob cap style with a circlet of orange blossoms. At the conclusion of the ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. D. D. Scott, a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Webster where a dainty buffet luncheon was served.

Many beautiful gifts of cut glass, silver and fine linen testified to the high esteem in which the young couples are held by their large circle of friends.

Both brides wore navy serge suits going away—motoring to Moosomin to take the westbound train—Kocanville Record.

Ernest B. Cutler was farming one mile east of Birnam Out on the 4th line; went west to Rouleau Sask. nine years ago and as farmed there ever since.

asked that \$1200 be for telephone service. nedly, that amount asked.—Carried. that he had bought one of the improvement of the township from D. sum of \$1,000, located follows: commencing limit of N 1/4 15, con. 9, the line between cons. ds, west 8 rods. that Council conent made by Reeve rel, and that an order be rrer for \$1000 for pay-Carried. that Council do Sutton, in Code's Hall, o meet in Code's Hall, aturday, the 4th day of Carried.—

US BREAKDOWN

erted by Feeding the Nerves With Rich, Red Blood

ur nerves—that is the can overcome life's worst as exhaustion. The fits of irritation, the prostrating weakness and trembling e unsteady hand and the ation that marks the vic-weakness, must end in n-erw if neglected. ur nerves by the natural ing your veins with rich, iving blood. Your nerves t for pure blood and the Williams' Pink Pills is to rich blood. This explain-ills have proved successful ases of nervous disease. ld to ordinary treatmen- Mr. Wilfrid Donald, West Ont., says:—"Before I be- Dr. Williams' Pink Pills of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills ran down, but my nerves be completely shattered. I was at night, and when I got up I seemed to be when I the nervous breakdown. At this in the use of Dr. Williams' I in course of a few weeks I elief, and continued the use I can now sleep soundly, an enjoying com plete of the old nervous troubles." get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, y dealer in medicine, or by cents a box or six boxes for the Dr. Williams' Medicine ville, Ont.

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Dr. Hess Dip and Disinfectant is death to Practically all sites that infest live stock.

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Use it as a disinfectant in barn, the cow stable and the pen and hen house to keep it pure and healthful, and to cholera and roup germs.

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Pour it in the sink, in closets where there is filth or a l odor.

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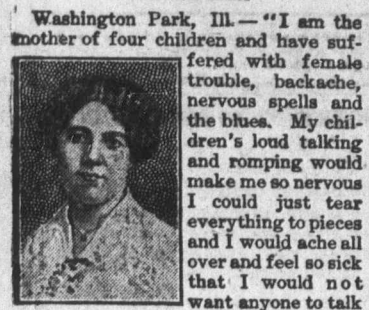
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I OWE MY HEALTH

To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Washington Park, Ill.—"I am the mother of four children and have suffered with female trouble, backache, nervous spells and the blues. My children's loud talking and romping would make me so nervous I could just tear everything to pieces and I would ache all over and feel so sick that I would not want anyone to talk to me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills restored me to health and I want to thank you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my youthful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it all to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies."

—Mrs. ROBT. STOPIEL, Moore Avenue, Washington Park, Illinois.

We wish every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, backache or the blues could see the letters written by women made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you have any symptom about which you would like to know write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free of charge.

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NOTE AND COMMENT

Last year in Ontario alone over 600 barns were destroyed, involving loss of more than one million dollars, of which six hundred thousand dollars was in produce, implements and live stock.

An inquiry is being made at Ottawa regarding the waste attendant on the present way of grinding flour, whereby the starchy or finest of the flour is given us for bread, but the most nutritive and healthy portions of the grain is fed to our hogs and cattle.

There's a vast difference in where a "returned soldier" really returns from. The men returning from Borden want the earth. If, by reason of strength, they have got as far as Valcartier and been returned they want the earth with a fence around it. The men returning from England want all there is in it; but the men returning from France, only want their rights, and are not half as loud about demanding them as some of the people who have done their whole fighting from their back yard fence.—The Kinsman.

A person to be of any use should have enough initiative to do something. A fellow you have to tell how, watch him do it, see him do it, and then do it yourself, is a mighty poor article on any kind of job. Rather than have him around, you would be money ahead to roll up your sleeves, spit on your hand, wade in and do the job from the start. There are people who can never see past the end of their own nose, unless it be the clock at quitting time. If such people expect to rise in the world, they'll have to get up and shake themselves. There are lots of them.

Cheaper in England

A strange feature of the high cost of living in Canada is that bread is selling in England at less cost than in this country, although Canadian wheat is shipped about three thousand miles across the ocean, at a big cost, the British getting the finished product, which is bread, at a lower rate than the people in the country where the wheat is grown. Even with the submarine campaign in full blast, and Germany sure she can starve England, the English people are paying 24 cents for a three pound loaf. Much the same condition exists with bacon, eggs and cheese. The hogs are born, fed and raised in Canada, but the Britisher is able to get the finished product, bacon, cheaper than prices in Canada. Cheese has sold two or three cents lower per pound in the old country than in Ingersoll where it is made.—Ex.

THE LAUNDRY OF LIFE

LIFE is a laundry in which we are ironed out or soon or late. Who has not known the irony of fate?
We enter it when we are born. Our colors bright. Full soon they fade. We exit "done up," old and worn and frayed—
Frayed round the edges, worn and thin. Life is a rough old linen slinger. Who has not lost a button in Life's wringer?
With other linen we are tubbed. With other linen often tangled. In open court we then are scrubbed and mangled.
Some take a gloss of happiness. The hardest wear cannot diminish; Others, alas, get a "dome" to finish.
—Bert Leston Taylor in "The House Beautiful."

Useless.

"It will be useless," she sadly said, "for you ever to tell me again that I am beautiful."
"Why do you say that?" the young man pleaded.
"I went to four theatrical managers today to get them to hear me read passages from 'Romeo and Juliet,' and not one of them would let me do it!"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Do You Know?

What is a more lonesome sight than the last hair on a bald man's head?—St. Louis Star.
A claim that has accidentally got into a bowl of restaurant clam chowder possibly.—Philadelphia Telegraph.
Dunno unless it's a girl without a rear piazza near hair extension to her head.—Los Angeles Express.

Where She Caught It.

"What's the matter with you this morning, Della?" asked Mrs. Wise.
"Oh, ma'am," replied the servant girl, "it's the terrible earache I have this mornin'!"
"Ah, you should be careful, Della! All the keyholes in this house are very drafty."—Catholic Standard and Times.

Unexpected Success.

Young Architect—This is a deuce of a profession. Here I drew up plans for a conservatory of music, and they used it for a cheese factory.

Old Architect—Don't let that fret you, my boy. You simply builded stronger than you knew.—Pittsburg Press.

Force of Habit.

"Why did you break your engagement with that schoolteacher?" asked the friend.
"If I failed to show up at her home every evening she expected me to bring a written excuse signed by my mother."—Woman's Home Companion.

Hospitality.

"I say, Jones, dine with me at the house tonight, will you?"
"Certainly, with pleasure. Will your wife expect me?"
"No; that's the beauty of it. We had a quarrel this morning, and I want to make her mad."—Peekskill Palladium.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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FEMININE FASHIONS.

Men Are Always Helpless in Their Efforts to Control Them.

It is interesting to note that while men have always railed, and railed in vain, against the excesses of fashion, they take swift alarm when women show any disposition to appropriate a portion of their own sensible and sanitary clothing.

The spreading hoops of our sainted grandmothers were to our unregenerate grandfathers a source of measureless annoyance. The general effect produced by a corset was an absence of space for anything but itself and an absence of concern for anybody but its wearer.

Engulfed by their wives' tempestuous petticoats, men lost their last vestige of supereminence. They remonstrated in fear and wrath. They exhausted themselves in ridicule, not understanding that women can never be laughed out of a folly. They appealed to art, they appealed to economics, they appealed to reason. They would gladly have appealed to religion had it been of any use.

The hoopskirt, having reached the greatest possible magnitude compatible with human intercourse, went slowly out of fashion. It died literally by inches, growing smaller and smaller every season and refusing to be hurried in its decline by the importunities of men.

But the bloomer, the comfortable, economical, symbolic bloomer, lived its brief life in vain, blighted—not by the uneasy prejudices of men, but by the contemptuous disregard of women, who in the supreme matter of dress have never permitted any appeal from their own court. The failure of sumptuary laws in all countries and in all ages proves the perpetual impotence of men.—Agnes Repplier in Harper's Magazine.

FIERY DRAGONS.

They Spat Out Fury From Tongues Barbed With Flame.

Dragons were important animals in ancient and medieval natural history. Until comparatively recent time no scientist ever thought of questioning the existence of this most formidable of beasts. The annals of Winchester for 1177 gravely state that "in this year dragons were seen of many in England." Gesner, professor of natural history at Zurich, gave a detailed description of the dragon, while Aldrovandus in his "History of Serpents and Dragons," published in 1640, devoted fifty pages to the monster.

A good specimen of a dragon would seem to have been a beast about the size of a sheep, incased in a coat of scales which shone like silver. Its back was serrated like a saw. It possessed a long tail, a pair of batlike wings, four heavily clawed feet and a wolfish head, the jaws of which were armed with very formidable teeth. The tongue was barbed with fire, and fury issued from the monster's mouth, and the head bore a crest. Dragons were the most wicked and vindictive of creatures. They seem always to have been in a towering rage and spent the greater portion of their time in rushing up and down the earth destroying everything that came in their path.

The origin of dragons was a disputed point among medieval naturalists. Some maintained that these animals were generated by the heat of India. Others were of opinion that the volcanoes of Ethiopia used to belch forth the monsters. One scientist, John Leo by name, declared the dragon to be a hybrid, a cross between an eagle and a wolf.

Curious Forms of Tea.

There are some score or more different forms of compressed teas available, from button sized tablets in vest pocket containers to bars of delectable fragrance and from granite-like slabs of two or five kilograms (still in use as money in the interior of China) to the more lightly compressed disks and oblongs in split rattan baskets. The method of preparation of these last is curious. The leaves, in a state of wilt, are compacted by the bare feet of Chinese girls. These teas are esteemed by the orientals for their earthy flavors.—L. Lodian in Scientific American.

Critical Ignorance.

Alfred Noyes, the English poet, complained rather bitterly at a bohemian luncheon about certain adverse criticisms of his poetry.

"I attribute these criticisms to ignorance," he said. "These critics are like the chap who was asked by his little son what hexameters were.

"Why," the man said reproachfully, "surely you're old enough, Willie, to know that a hexameter is a public automobile."

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ROMANCE IN SLAV NAMES.

Meanings Connected With Joy, Victory, and Fame.

Few Canadians know there is romance in the strange-sounding Russian names brought to our notice by the war.

It is interesting, in the first place, to note how largely names signifying "hope," "victory," "fame," and "joy" figure in Russian, Polish, and Slavonic nomenclature, while "glory" is capable of forming an entire class by itself. All of which evidences that spirit of fiery patriotism which burns in every Slav breast, and has caused this conflict to be regarded as a "holy war."

The Czar's name, Nicholas (which appears in his own country as Nikolaj, or Nikalo), bears the auspicious meaning of "victory of the people," being derived from the old Greek word nikon (victory).

Another beautiful Russian name is Anikta, which means, literally, "without victory"; hence, "unconquered."

Few would recognize our familiar John under the poetic Ivan, with the feminine Ivanna and Ivaneika, all of which means "grace of the Lord." Our Elizabeth appears as Elisavetta (oath of God), and Kate is transformed into Katarina of the musical Katinka.

Jepronissa (mirth), Jelica (light) and Jevva (life) are surely a happy trio from which to christen a baby girl.

Here are just a few of the countless "glory" names: Stanislav (camp glory), Mitrofan (fire glory), Mistislav (avenging glory), Lavoslav (lion glory), Vatroslav (fiery glory), Wenclaus or Vencoslav, as the true spelling is (crown glory); Slavomir (glorious friend), Slavomir (glorious peace), and Slavojc (glorious love), or the three beautiful feminines, Eudoxia (happy glory), Miseslav (peace glory), and Valeska (ruling glory).

In all of these (except Eudoxia, which is used in its Greek form) we shall see that "Slav" signifies "Glory"; hence the pride of the Slavonic race in their title.

"Fame" belongs to Valdemar (powerful fame), Valdimir (ruling the world), Eurik (famed ruler), and Ulrika (noble ruler).

One of the prettiest groups of Russian names is that which corresponds to our "Dorothy" set, and comprises Fedor, Feodor, Ferodora, and Feodosia, all meaning "God's gift"; while Pheodora and Pheodosia denote "Divine gift." "Joy" is the meaning of the following: Radak, Radan, Radko, and Radman, and form ideal names for little Russian boys; Dadmil (joyful love) and Radivoj (joyful war) supply two others, while the pretty Radinka (joyful peace) will surely be used greatly when that glad day comes!

Paul, meaning "little," has a whole host of variations, of which the best known are Pavia, Pavola, and Pava.

"Peter" denotes "a stone" or "rock" and supplies the basis of the name Petrograd (stone city, or more nearly, rock fortress), which the Czar has substituted for the former St. Petersburg, a title that was really incorrect, inasmuch as Russia's

capital has no connection with St. Peter, but was called after Peter the Great, the Russian Emperor.

Golf.

The game of golf, according to the new Encyclopaedia Britannica, goes back at least five centuries, having been portrayed by early Dutch painters. One of the pictures in a Dutch illuminated Book of Hours, now in the British Museum, is a painting of three men putting at a hole in the turf as in modern golf. Although the Dutchmen did play and paint golf, they did not write about it, so there are no records describing the game.

Just when Scotland took up golf is unknown, but by 1457 it was already so popular, says the Britannica, that it interfered with the more important pursuit of archery. In May, 1471, an Act of the Scottish Parliament was passed, forbidding this sport: "Futeball and golfe forbidden. Item, it is stait and ordainit that in na place of the realm there be usit futeball, golfe, or other sik unprofitable sports."

It is rather curious that this is an edict of King James IV., who later became much attached to the practice of the "unprofitable sport"—not only he but his daughter, Mary Stuart.

England's Importance.

At the moment Germany suggests peace we see the control of the policy and purposes of her three great opponents passing into hands determined to carry on the war and with all three of her great foes reorganizing their ministries and replacing their generals with the plain purpose to push the campaign and with not the smallest suggestion that peace is expected or desired on any but terms that only a victor can dictate. To men these rises in Britain, France, and Russia are the strongest reasons why the German proposals will fail to end the war, rather, I think they will accelerate the pace of the fighting, when spring comes, and it is possible to move in France and Belgium again. And henceforth the part that Britain will play in the coalition against Germany will increase steadily. In my judgment, it may become commanding, if, as many Englishmen believe, Great Britain has found in Lloyd George another Pitt.—From "Peace, Politics, and War—a Marvelous Mouth," by Frank H. Simonds.

"Moreover" and "Perchance."

Someone has revived the old story of the farmer who called his dog Moreover; and being questioned on the subject, referred the scoffer to the line: "Moreover the dog came and licked the sores." This is better than the equally true tale of the maiden lady whose canine companion was named Perchance—"After Lord Byron's dog," she would explain. The reference was to the quotation, "Perchance, my dog will howl."

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SEND INTERNED HUNS HOME.

6,000 Germans Will be Traded for 700 British.

About 700 British subjects will be exchanged for more than 6,000 Germans, according to authoritative information given to a Daily Mail representative in reference to the final agreement as to the exchange of interned civilians over forty-five years old.

The British civilians will come mostly from Rubleben, the Germans from Knockaloe, Alexandra Palace, and other large internment camps. The exchange is to begin at once, but practical questions of ship facilities will cause unavoidable delays. The civilians (both British and German) will be sent home in batches, according to transport arrangements, and the expense will be borne by each Government, "debits" and "credits" to be made when peace is declared.

No man will be repatriated from either country against his wish. If he does not wish to return to his own country (as will, it is believed, be the case with many Germans now in custody in England, particularly those with British wives) he will remain in internment. In addition to the 6,000 Germans whom we are to release, there will probably be a good many who are interned in the dominions, notably Canada. The exchange arrangement applies to them as well.

"People should not draw rash conclusions," an official said, "from the great discrepancy between the number of Germans we are to release in exchange for our own men. The proportion corresponds fairly accurately to the much larger number of German civilians of all ages in our hands than Britons interned in Germany. We shall, of course, have a correspondingly larger number left on our hands. Besides the purely humanitarian aspect of the release of men just emerging from middle life, there is the doubly practical advantage to us of having to feed 6,000 fewer Germans and of having the enemy at a moment least desirable to him, the burden of nourishing that extra number."

Artists in Wartime.

One of the most talented and best-known women portrait artists in Great Britain—Mrs. Florence Humphrey—in spite of the many tempting commissions that are constantly being offered her, is letting her art practically go hang at present. She has converted her studio into a supply store for soldiers imprisoned in German camps.

To the prison camp at Geissen, where her nephew is confined, Mrs. Humphrey sends at regular intervals, besides food and comforts, an ample supply of art and sketching materials, oil paints, crayons, brushes, and other essentials, as well as frequent consignments of English and other art journals. This because, at Geissen, an unusual number of artists and designers, some of them men of exceptional gifts, are prisoners. Before Mrs. Humphrey's enterprise came into being they were practically without any materials whatever to enable them to beguile the tedium of their captivity by practicing their craft.

These artists number twenty in all, of various talents and qualities, from theatrical scene painters to Beaux Arts masters of color and line. Four of them are British. One of these, A. Nantel, was formerly on the Montreal Standard; another, Alan Beddoe, formerly an art student, comes from Ottawa; the third is Mrs. Humphrey's nephew, Lewis Fenateau, and the fourth, by profession a decorator, belongs to an English regiment. The rest are Frenchmen and Belgians, one of the former, Raphael Drouart, being well known in the Parisian art world.

Now that they do not lack for materials the whole lot devote practically all their spare time to their art and never lack commissions, albeit the fees that their fellow prisoners are able to pay are not exactly princely.

Cleopatra's Feasts.

We read a great deal about the luxury and extravagance of Cleopatra, the Queen of the Nile, and of the gorgeous feasts she and Mark Antony had together, says Pearson's Weekly, yet these little dinners and suppers for two only cost Cleopatra about 4c., with wine and attendance. If Cleopatra had lived in these times she could not possibly get a supper at 2s. a head, with waiter and wine included. In those days a large jar of wine cost only 4s., and this probably lasted a good time. A pigeon was dear at 2½d., and a great quantity of vegetables which lasted for months could be bought for about 8s. Slaves were easy enough to get, and their dress was so scanty that liveries could not have been expensive.

Cleopatra once went in for a very costly drink. She melted a priceless pearl in a glass of wine, and presented it to Mark Antony; but the Queen of Egypt did not go in for such extravagance every night.

Nero, the tyrannical Emperor of the Romans, famed for his extravagant, luxurious living, who gave twenty-two course dinners, where the guests reclined on ivory and silver couches, and dipped their fingers into finger-bowls which contained costly wines, did not spend nearly so much on feasting as many modern millionaires.

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Food Control

Hon. W. J. Hanna, Canada's food controller, addressed the Toronto Women's Press Club last Friday and made clear a point that has probably not come home to all Canadians. The object of food control is not so much to benefit those in Canada as to make sure that sufficient supplies will be available and will be delivered to the allied countries in Europe and the troops in the trenches. It makes an altogether different case of the matter if it is to be considered from this point of view, rather than that of supplying ourselves. If any morals or ethics are to be introduced, this point of view elevates the issue materially.

The necessity for thrift and the elimination of all waste is borne home at once to anyone arriving from Europe and observing the wasteful and uneconomic habits of the people of this continent. In restaurants in Montreal a hundred different articles might be ordered. A few of the plainest, suggested Mr. Hanna, were sufficient. Breakfast and luncheon should have no more than two courses, and dinner no more than three.

Getting down to details, Mr. Hanna suggested that as far as possible perishable articles of diet should be used for food, in order to save those that can be stored and shipped abroad. There should be the utmost effort made to can all food that cannot be saved otherwise or used immediately.

Lambton Farms Wanted

The eighth list of farms for sale in Lambton County will be published by the Lambton County Publicity Association on the 4th of August, 1917. Farms that appeared in the last list will reappear in the forthcoming list if request be sent to the Secretary before above date and present price of farm stated. These lists will have wide circulation at the Canadian National Exposition, Toronto, and other places of concourse.

Those who have farms for sale will please send a full description, the price, and post office address of owner, to the undersigned, in order that the parties enquiring may be brought into personal touch with those who have land to sell.

There will be no charge or commission of any kind, and the parties furnishing descriptions are not bound in any way. Give details as to situation, lot numbers and concession, acreage, roads, improvements, soil, distance from churches and schools, towns, railways, telephone service, etc., etc., that would be of interest to prospective purchasers at a distance. When sale of farm takes place please notify the Secretary so that it may be struck off the list. Parties offering large farms, suitable for fruit growing, would do well to offer them in lots of 15 to 50 acres. The Publicity Association exists for the purpose of advertising Lambton County and for no other purpose. It consists largely of the members of the County Council and the expense of the advertising is paid by the County.

The information is wanted for the purpose of placing a list of farms in the hands of those who wish to buy and who have written to the Secretary in answer to general advertisements and descriptions of Lambton which have been published in various newspapers in Canada, the United States and Britain.

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An electric headlight to be mounted on a horse's bridle, supplied with current by dry batteries attached to the harness, is the invention of an Arkansas man.

A French company will exploit a lake in Venezuela, the waters of which are so strongly impregnated with potash salts that they are used locally as a fertilizer.

An Ohio inventor is the patentee of a stepladder with two additional legs at the sides, adjustable for length, so that it will stand securely on uneven surfaces.

Last year for the first time there was a considerable production of lithographic stone in the United States, practically all of it coming from quarries in Kentucky.

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In Watford, on Saturday, June 30th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Caughlin, a son.

In Bosanquet, on Tuesday, July 3rd, 1917 to Mr. and Mrs. John Spearman, a daughter.

In Adelaide, on July 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Loftus Muxlow, a son, (Edwin Lloyd George.)

MARRIED

In West Williams, on Wednesday, June 27th, 1917, by Rev. W. L. Nichol, Miss Lola J. Ross, of London, to Mr. Eugene H. Williams, of Warwick.

DIED

In Arkona, on Tuesday, July 3, Mrs. Susanna Sweet Jackson, aged 76 years, 2 months and 18 days.

In Enniskillen, on Monday, July 2nd, 1917, John Russell Bailey, only child of Russell and Annie Bailey, aged 4 months and 6 days.

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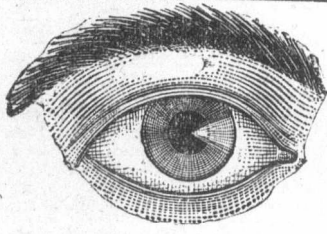
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KERWOOD

Miss Hattie Rogers is home for the holidays.
Mr. and Mrs. John McMahon, and son, LeRoy, spent Sunday in Sarnia.
Mrs. W. R. Smith has returned from visiting her daughters in Detroit.
Miss Waltham from the West is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Johnson.
Miss Margaret Rogers is visiting friends in St. Catharines and Toronto.
Miss Mary Harrison, of Brooke, spent the week end with friends in the village.
Miss Nellie Byce, (Deaconess) of Villa Nova, spent the week end the guest of Mrs. L. Cook.
Mr. R. Wilkinson and Miss Ella McMahon and Fred Woods called on Sarnia friends recently.
The W. M. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. John Morgan next Thursday, July 12th. All the ladies are invited.
The Women's Institute annual garden party was held on Mr. Richard Inch's spacious lawn. The grounds were beautifully decorated with flags, maple leaves and bunting. Although the fear of rain may have kept some home a goodly crowd assembled and listened to a splendid program. Mr. Emery, of Toronto, was very much enjoyed. Little Grace Jones, of London, delighted the audience with her fancy dances and costumes were extremely quaint and pretty. Miss McIntosh, of Wyoming, gave a number of delightful selections on the violin, and the Kerwood Brass Band gave a number of fine selections. Mr. Farrell, as chairman, was the right man in the right place. He is always ready to help along on patriotic lines. Miss Callaghan and Mrs. Lambert, who acted as accompanists, rendered their services free to aid the good cause. The Red Cross booth did a rushing business until they run out of supplies. The proceeds amounted to over \$250.00.

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Mrs. George Brown and children, of Toronto, are visiting at Mr. J. G. Brown's.
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Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Showler who attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Jackson have returned to their home in Capac.
Miss Shirley Pressey is attending Summer School at St. Thomas this week.
Mrs. Gray of Chicago is visiting at Mr. J. G. Brown's.
Mr. J. H. Marshall and Mr. Shipman of Goderich and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eastman of Clinton motored to town last Friday.
Mrs. Joseph Wilcocks and daughter Rhea are visiting in Detroit and Mt. Pleasant, Mich.
Mrs. Coppelberger of Badaxe Mich., is visiting at Mr. F. Jackson's.
Mr. Averil Baldwin of Sarnia is spending a few weeks at his home here.
The Misses Maud and Margaret Fuller are attending Summer School in Whitby this week.
Miss Lena Oakes is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. W. Hare of Jarvis, this week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dickison and daughter, Irene, motored to Petrolia on Monday, and spent the day there.
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Mr. Moses Moore of Avoca, Mich. is visiting friends in town.
Miss Ila Huntley, who has been visiting friends in London and Strathroy, returned home last week.
Mr. Carl Little of London spent the week end in town.
Mrs. Peter Blackburn, of Sarnia, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas.
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Mrs. W. Williams and Miss Lida Lucas returned home last week after spending a few weeks in London.
Mrs. Wm. Jackson of Denver, Colorado, and Mr. Lou Jackson of Portland, Oregon have returned to their homes after spending the past two weeks with their brother, Mr. Fred Jackson.
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SALE REGISTER

Saturday, July 28th, house and household effects of Harry Williamson. See ad.
In beef and cattle Lambton is one of the four counties having over \$2,500,000 worth on hand July 1st, 1916, and stands fourth in the province in the value of cattle of all kinds.

PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS

Watford Public School

The following is the result of the recent promotion examinations, the required mark being 40 per cent. in each subject with 60 per cent. of the total for pass, and 75 per cent. of the total for honors. Names are in order of merit:—
Jr. IV to Sr. IV—passed on year's work—Beatrice Cooke and Romaine Thorne.

Passed on written examinations—Honors—Louise Dodds 491.
Pass—Aileen Wrinkle 397, Evelyn Williamson 388, Frank Roberts 371, Robert McLeay 367, Frank McGillicuddy 362, Gertrude Fulcher 361, Arthur Wrinkle 346.
Recommended—Rebe Bruce, Grace Connors, Fred Edwards.

Sr. III to Jr. IV—Passed on year's work—Stanley Trenouth, Dorothy Fowler, Margaret Irwin, Douglas Weight Elgin Kersey, Stanley Mitchell.
Passed on written examinations—Wesley Shepherd 555, Clinton Snell 501, Philena Rapson 499, Earl Roberts 494, Gwendolyn Cook 492, Clarence Letherland 475, Harry Cooke 462.

Jr. III to Sr. III—Honors—Franklin Potter, Reginald Logan, Florence Lovell, Keith Spackman.
Pass—Frank McCormick, George Willoughby, Beatrice McNally, Donald Vail, Daisy McNally, Jean Rapson, James D. Kinnell, Iva Woods, William Fitzgerald.

Sr. II to Jr. III—Passed on year's work—George McCormick, Ella Pearce, Elsie Goodman, Dorothy McLeay, Pearl Chapman, Marjory Prentis, Burton Roberts, Eric Craig, Teresa McManus, Donald McKercher, Roy Cooke, Wilson Howden Frances Lovell.
Passed on written examinations—Kenneth Fulcher 404, Keith Dodds 358, Gladys Kersey 355, Durward Butler 351.
Recommended—Willie Spalding.

Jr. II to Sr. II—Rita Dodds 675, Jack Kennell 615, Geraldine Durston 608, Thelma Spackman 575, Beverly Dodds 568.

Sr. I to Jr. II—Passed on year's work—Maxine Rogers, Sadie Harper, Doris Kelly, Mary Connolly, Eleanor McIntosh.

Passed on written examination—Marjorie Logan 399, Doreen Miller 295, Margaret McLeay 284, Mildred Fulcher 280, Olive Lovell 270, Reta Stephenson 269, Gordon Kelly 262, Donald Prentis 261, Edwin McNally 259, Edith Styles 258, Alex Rapson 257.

Jr. I to Sr. I—Alice Pearce, Vance Kersey, Billie Vail, Helen Irwin, Melvin Hastings, Ora Kersey.

PRIMARY ROOM—Promotions on year's standing.
Class I to First Book—Honors—Dorothy Smith, Harold Williamson, Marjory Stephenson, Richard Rogers, Julie Osborne, Jean Sharp, Harold Caughlin, Dennis Goodman, Fern Roberts.

Pass—Robert Chambers, Bertha Durston, Gordon Sargent, Eric Potter.
Class II to Class I—Honors—(Gwendolyn Craig, Muriel Lowden) equal, Mary McGillicuddy, Alberts Lovell, Edward Logan, Constance Kelly, Marjory Callahan, Marguerite Kersey, Dorothy Edwards, Violet Smith, Regina Stapleford Beth Letherland, Franklin Taylor, Carl Class, Lizzie Spalding.

Class III to Class II—Honors—Claude Cook, Josie Restorick, Leslie MacIntosh, Bobbie Bruce, Carmen Spalding, Ross Kersey.
Pass—Llewellyn Macnally, Avery Dodds, Willie Durston, Edith Weight, Isaac Zimmirman, Willie McClelland, Elaine Irwin, Dorothy Kersey.

Petrolia raised \$1,000 for patriotic purposes at the Dominion Day celebration.
A memorial service was held in the Presbyterian church, Oil Springs, in honor of Capt. A. P. Chalmers, M. D., for years a medical practitioner there, who died in Bermuda while on military duty, and for Sergt. Harold Willoughby, who gave his life for the empire in France. Both dead soldiers were members of the church.

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Malcolm McAlpine, who recently purchased the A. S. McMillan farm, Crinan, erected the frame for the barn 76x40 feet in size on a 9-foot cement wall, last week. The main portion of the frame was out of the old barn erected on the farm 63 years ago, and torn down a short time ago by Mr. McAlpine. The shingles on the old barn were hand made, the timber having been secured in the township of Dunwich.
David Stuart, who is in his 92nd year, helped make the shingles for the old barn. Mr. Stuart was present at the raising 63 years ago, and was also there when the frame was again raised Friday.

The original shingles were taken off the old barn by Mr. McAlpine. Mr. Stuart says that at the first raising twelve gallons of whiskey were used to keep up the spirits of the men, while Friday only water was supplied, and the quantity consumed was considerably under twelve gallons.
Kent County Council passed the good roads bylaw, providing for the construction of about 250 miles of roads in the county.
If the weather is favorable Ontario's potato crop this year will be larger than in an average year and considerably larger than that of last year, according to a statement authorized by Sir William Hearst, Premier and Minister of Agriculture.

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Strathroy.....	Sept	17-18
Petrolia.....	"	20-21
Bosquet.....	"	20-21
Sarnia.....	"	24-25-26
Forest.....	"	26-27
Glencoe.....	"	27-28
Bridgen.....	Oct	2
WATFORD.....	"	2-3
Wyoming.....	"	4-5
Florence.....	"	4-5
Alvinston.....	"	-10

There is a saying that a man who squeezes a dollar never squeezes his wife. After glancing over our subscription lists it is plain that there are a number of good married women in this country who are not getting the attention they deserve.—Durham Review.

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The HOWLAND ESTATE

How the Owner Acquired a Piece of Property Needed to Complete It

By F. A. MITCHEL

The shortest day in the year had been passed, and the sun started on her northward journey. Winslow Howland had come into the enormous fortune that had been accumulating for him for years, and he was laying his plans for his future. He took no thought as to a career. His mind was bent upon how he should enjoy life. His city residence was an accomplished fact. His father had made it as elaborate and beautiful and luxurious as could be desired. But no country place had been prepared for him, and this was the problem that occupied his mind when the sun started back to warm the earth and bring forth a new season.

For two months Howland devoted himself to the house he would build in the country. Then in the early spring he started on a tour to find a location. He preferred his country place should be within a short distance of his city home. There was one district and one alone to the northwest where a succession of hills formed beautiful views. Howland looked over this region and selected an eminence on which he decided to build his house.

He did not own this site nor any of the surrounding acres which he intended should form his estate. He was so rich that he believed he could buy any property he wished. But he had enough business sense to realize that it would be unwise to let the owners know of his intention. While he was ready to pay any price he did not care to pay three or four times the intrinsic value of the property purchased.

Howland determined to buy up the land he wanted himself, not that he wished to save the expense of having it done by an agent, but he thought the diplomacy required would interest him. He would not enter the field as the multimillionaire Howland, but as an unknown person of limited means. He managed the matter very well. He first bought a few acres at the base of the eminence on which he would build, through which ran a brook, and gave out that he intended to dam the stream for water power to run a glue factory. This enabled him to purchase the site above at a fair price, for a glue factory has not an agreeable odor and the value of the hill would be greatly reduced.

Having made this beginning, Howland, who by this time had come to be known as Mr. Jernegan and wore the plain clothes of a small manufacturer, met with excellent success in picking up all the different properties that he wished, except a few acres which would lie within the very heart of his estate. He was irritated to learn that since he began to make his purchases, the owner, a small farmer, had sold his land for double its value to some one living in the city. An examination of the county records revealed the fact that the purchaser was one Samuel Jones. Howland at once started an employee on a hunt for Mr. Jones and for information as to what he intended to do with the land, if he would sell and, if so, at what price.

The person employed to obtain this information reported that he had been unable to find Mr. Jones, and he had heard that the actual owner of the property was a woman, who intended to use it for some kind of agricultural purposes. Howland directed his emissary to learn the name and residence of this person, but after a long search he had not succeeded.

Howland, not doubting that in time he would be able to buy the only property he needed to complete his estate, was on his hilltop one morning directing the marking out of the lines of foundation for his residence when he saw wagons carrying building material on to the tract he did not own. This troubled him. Any building put up on the property he would eventually have to pay for. He went to where the unloading was going on and asked questions, but no one there seemed to know what was intended.

During the next three or four months Howland was obliged to look upon a line of glass and iron buildings erected on the property he desired. Every effort to learn who was the owner of the land and was erecting the buildings failed. When the glass houses neared completion the erection of a very pretty bungalow was begun on a site near them, a site which Howland had intended for a purpose of his own. There was also every evidence that the grounds would be laid out in landscape gardening fashion, and the



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whole, instead of being an eyesore, would be a thing of beauty.

This fact instead of satisfying Howland only irritated him. When the plant was completed he was informed that a woman had moved into the bungalow.

Howland at once sent a person to have a look at the newcomer, find out what he could about her and report. The spy on his return said that the owner of the plant was a graduate of an agricultural college and was preparing to enter upon the cultivation of roses. The lady was about twenty-two years old.

Howland, still deeming it unwise to treat with the party direct, sent for a friend, George Winslow, who had made agriculture a profession, and commissioned him to buy the rose plant ostensibly for himself. Winslow was told to endeavor to persuade the owner to put a price on the property, which he was to agree to pay, no matter how much the amount.

Winslow visited the bungalow and was told that Miss Edgerton, the rose cultivator, was in the office of the conservatory. He went there and found a very different person from what he had expected. He supposed he would see a young woman of plain exterior, serious, businesslike, and whose costume would be suitable for her work. Miss Edgerton was a very pretty woman, dressed in excellent taste and in fashion. Her assistants, who were all of her own sex, were the only indication that the owner was the new woman order. She received Mr. Winslow with an engaging smile and listened to an introduction to his subject, which was an account of his preparation for the agricultural profession and his having settled upon the branch of rose culture. From this he explained that he desired to purchase a plant ready for production and ended by suggesting that he would like to buy hers.

Miss Edgerton listened to what he had to say, then told him of her own ambition, adding that her property was not for sale. An effort to get her to put a price on it was not successful. There was nothing left for Howland to do but tackle the lioness in her den himself. Upon Winslow's report of her personality he resolved first to attempt to win her favor, then adopt such a plan as might seem best to buy her property. As to concealing his identity as a multimillionaire, this was now beyond hope.

Howland had by this time got into his country home. He sent her some strawberries from his garden—great, luscious fellows—with a note of welcome to his new neighbor. He received a note of thanks in return and an invitation to call. The call was made in due time, and the visitor devoted himself to pleasing the hostess. He said not a word about buying her plant. On the contrary, he expressed his satisfaction at having so attractive a property near him. He left with the belief that he had made a very agreeable impression.

It was not in Mr. Howland's plan to lead Miss Edgerton to believe that she had made a conquest of him. This would rather hinder than facilitate his purchase of her property. He wished merely to secure her good will, hoping that she would accept two or three

times its value, or that he might place her in a position of standing in the way of a friend. While he lavished upon her every favor she would accept, he neither looked, spoke nor hinted love. His aim was merely to play, the good neighbor.

When he had fully established a kindly entente he one day told her that he wondered that she had not selected a site for her rose plant where she would have had better facilities for transporting her goods to market. To this she expressed herself well satisfied where she was. Later he informed her that he owned a splendid site for her plant nearer the city and on a railroad by which she could ship her goods. If she wanted it he would exchange it for her property, build new conservatories for her and give her triple the value of her present property to boot.

She appeared to take the matter into consideration. But she never came to a decision—at any rate, no decision that she revealed to the would be purchaser of her property.

Disappointed in this move, Howland resolved to try what virtue there would be in lovemaking. He would try to win the property through the heart. If he must wound the heart he would heal the wound with gold, for he had no doubt that if there was enough gold bestowed any such breach would be stopped by it. But Howland had been so beset by women to marry him for his fortune that his ideas on this point had been somewhat warped.

So he began by first looking a little love, then acting a little love and finally speaking a little love. A beginning having been made, he doubled the quantities. Miss Edgerton received his attentions coolly. She was always a trifle behind him in this lovemaking. Nevertheless the affair developed.

Then one day Miss Edgerton told Howland that she was thinking of taking a partner in her business. Howland took fright at once, and when a swell from the city came to the rose factory and hobnobbed with the owner Howland discovered that the factory had become of small importance to him in comparison with the owner. The moment the swell departed Howland went to Miss Edgerton and told her that if she would not marry him he would commit suicide.

That's the end of my story. The two were married, the conservatories were taken down, and the land on which they stood was made a part of Howland park. But there is an explanation as to how all this came about. Miss Edgerton was one of those brilliant women who from modest beginnings climb to the top of the social ladder. Getting wind of Howland's plan for a large country estate, she bought in the name of another a bit of property he must have. She had never studied agriculture and knew nothing about it. Her object from the first was to marry the immense fortune owned by Howland. How she succeeded has been told in the body of the story. She is now one of the principal leaders of the fashionable world.

Howland was satisfied with the way the matter turned out. Having no fortune to make, he lived for comfort and social prominence. For this his wife was well fitted.

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Radical Move Will Have Important Economic Results.

News that Premier Lloyd George has made plans for the compulsory use of parks and other wild property in Great Britain for the growing of foodstuffs marks a step in the British food campaign that is of greater importance than the brevity of the announcement would indicate. The first move, according to London newspapers, has been the seizure of 13,000 acres, privately owned, with the command that it shall be open to any applicant, on payment of a nominal fee, for purpose of cultivation. The applicant presumably is required to show good faith and ability to make good on the farm. The land is to be divided into tracts of about ten rods, or two and one-half acres, each.

This has been followed, according to the cable news, by a more sweeping order, judging from the fact that Richmond and Bushy parks, near the Thames, and in the fashionable south-west district of London, have been included in a new order of seizure. Richmond Park contains 2,255 acres and is a favorite summer resort, with a history. Charles I. ordered in 1637 that it be enclosed and used as a hunting park. Bushy Park is only 1,000 acres in extent, but it contains numerous horse chestnut trees said to have been planted by William III. It is not likely that these trees will be destroyed, but the significance of the later news lies in the proximity of the properties to the heart of London. It has long been a point upon which Britain's critics reproached her that almost within halting distance of the notorious slums there existed great open areas given up to the sports of the privileged classes.

All this is to be changed under the pressure of war, and some predict that the old order, for various reasons, never will return. For one thing, it will be difficult, if not impossible, to restore a semblance of the former wildness to the land, and for another it is thought that the economic value of the new system will be so clearly manifest that few will care to abandon it.

The high respect for property which is a characteristic of the Anglo-Saxon people is exhibited even in the temporary confiscation of this land, under the grave necessity of war. The land does not become the property of the user, but it is provided that he shall have title to the improvements which he makes. At the close of the war the original owner may redeem his property by paying for these improvements at a fair valuation. It is easily conceivable, also, that he will find it to his advantage to continue the land in its productive capacity, the improvements in themselves offering some incentive for taking that direction.

It would seem that the game preserve, together with the idea, ingrained in some Britishers, that game preservation is a higher duty than the raising of food for the people, is doomed to modification, if not to extinction. The idea must not be confused, however, with any vandal plan to tear up the beauty spots of the country for purely materialistic purposes. London's great parks and the breathing places of the people are to be preserved as they are now. The new order is aimed chiefly at the hunting preserves and the unused areas which are put to no utilitarian use. The addition to the arable area of the British Isles will be very great, and it will serve in large measure not only to meet the pressing food situation while the war is going on, but to furnish needed homes for the men of the returning armies after peace is declared.

Why They Are Called "Poilus."

A French officer writing for the Atlantic Monthly declares that there is any basis of truth for the common belief of foreigners as to the meaning of the name "poilu," so often applied to the soldiers of France in this war. Of course the word does carry the significance of "hairy." That much everybody who is even a little familiar with the French language knows, but the leap taken by the French soldiers are called "poilus" because, unlike the British Tommies, they do not shave, is declared by this presumably good authority to be one made in an amusingly wrong direction.

"Poilu," he says, as applied to soldiers, is an old word, dating back to the days of Napoleon, when certain regiments of guards wore huge hats of heavy fur. It was the hats, not the men, that were hairy, and, as these guards were picked troops, notably well trained and courageous, the name in those times came to mean a good soldier. And that, the writer of the Atlantic Monthly article says, is what it means now, with no reference to whether the soldiers let their beards grow or do not.

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33RD BATTALION
Percy Mitchell, died from wounds Oct. 14th, 1916; Lloyd Howden, Geo. Fountain, killed in action Sept. 16, 1916, Gordon H. Patterson, died in Victoria Hospital, London.

34TH BATTALION
E. C. Crohn, S. Newell, Stanley Rogers, Macklin Hagle, missing since Oct. 8, 1916; Henry Holmes, killed in action Sept. 27, 1916, Wm. Manning, Leonard Lees, C. Jamieson.

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Archibald McLean, one of the oldest residents of Elgin county, died last week at his home near Port Burwell, aged 96 years. He came to Canada when a lad of 13 years.

of sugar, is only 1 1/2 cents a pound. This is why a jar of homemade Strawberries, Raspberries, Cherries, Plums, Peaches or Pears, is about the most inexpensive sweet or dessert that can be put on the table.

Besides the economy of putting up a goodly supply of homemade Preserves, there is another reason. We must conserve our food supply. We must save our fruit crops. Last year, because of the mistaken idea of economy, hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of berries and fruit were wasted. Now that the women realize that the cost of preserving was greatly exaggerated last year, they are determined to do more preserving, and also to enjoy an abundance of delicious homemade Jams, Jellies and Preserves this winter.

Lambton Pure Bred Livestock Breeders Meet in Petrolia

The first Annual Meeting of the County Pure Bred Livestock Breeders Association was held in the Agricultural Office, Petrolia, on June 28th. Thirty-nine members were present.

Like all other farmers' associations in the county of Lambton the co-operative spirit was foremost for the furthering of the interests of the breeders in the county. In union there is strength, the interests of one breeder being directly the same as the interest of all others, breeding the same breed of stock. Therefore the concerted efforts of all in one particular direction cannot fail but benefit the community.

The first attempt of this Association in its object of promoting the breeding of high-grade pure bred livestock; and the aiding of its members in buying, using and selling first class animals through the efforts of the Dispersion Sale held in Petrolia, on February 28, 1917, was highly satisfactory. All breeders contributing stock, as well as all buyers, were highly satisfied with the first attempt and a motion to hold a Dispersion Sale again in Petrolia during the month of March 1918 was the unanimous vote of all those present. The Secretary was also directed to ascertain through the members the possibility of holding a sale this coming fall if sufficient stock warrants such.

The publicity given the county breeders from different districts in Ontario, and also Michigan, enquiring as to the possibility of securing choice breeding stock from members of the Association. A tabulated list of all stock for sale by the members of the Association is to be kept by the Secretary, to comply with such requests. The 1916-17 officers were again elected for 1917-18 with a few changes in the breeders' directors.

Hon. Pres.—J. L. Englehart.
 President—W. S. Steadman, Petrolia.
 Vice Pres.—W. K. James, Watford.
 Secretary—W. P. Macdonald, Petrolia;
 Treasurer—George Hay, Petrolia.
 DIRECTORS
 Clydesdale—J. Brandon, Forest.
 —W. B. Annett, Alvinston.
 Hackney—A. Watson, Forest.

Shire—John F. Burr, Bridgen.
 Shorthorn—W. C. Fuller, Watford.
 —Mr. Sinclair, Croton.
 —E. E. Shephers, Watford.
 Holstein—Byron Stephens, Bridgen.
 —Chas. Hutchinson, Co. runna.
 —Dr. Hubbard, Forest.
 Jersey—Anthony Hughes, Sarnia.
 Aryshire—Albert Saunders, Petrolia.
 Herefords—Wm. McKenzie, Watford.
 —Robert Leach, Watford.
 Sheep—S. Edwards, Watford.
 —Sam Bailey, Wanstead.
 Swine—Henry Capes, Wyoming.
 —Peter McIwen, Wyoming.

HOW IS YOUR APPETITE

Loss of appetite during the summer months is a common trouble, and indicates that the digestive system is out of order. Lacking a healthy appetite many people—especially women—go too long without food, or eat sparingly because food seems to distress them and it is no wonder that they complain that they are constantly tired and unable to stand the hot weather. This simply means that the digestive system is not doing its proper work, and that the nutriment that should come from the food is not being distributed to the various organs of the body. In other words the blood is growing thin and watery.

You need a spring tonic, and in all the realm of medicine there is no tonic that can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Take a short treatment with these pills now and notice how promptly your appetite returns and your power to digest food improves. Your food will then do you good, your strength will return and you will no longer complain that the hot weather tires you out. The best time to begin taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the moment you feel the least bit out of sorts. The sooner you do so the sooner you will regain your old time energy. You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The residential streets in Strathroy will be laid out with a road allowance of 26 feet, allowing twenty feet on either side for boulevard.

AUCTION SALE

HOUSE and HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS by auction, SATURDAY, JULY 28th, 1917, at two o'clock, on the premises. That nicely situated 10 room cottage on Simcoe Street, Watford, belonging to the undersigned. It is nearly new. On the lot is a large hen house, which can easily be converted into a stable. Also good coal house. Plenty of hard and soft water. Also the following household effects: 1 large-sized baseburner with oven, 1 parlor stove, 1 Morris oak rocker, 1 oak buffet, 1 parlor lamp, 1 hanging lamp, 1 baby carriage, about 4 cords hard maple wood, split; a quantity of pine shingles and other articles too numerous to mention. No reserve as proprietor is moving to Sarnia. The above house and lot can be purchased any time before day of sale. Intending purchasers should take a look at this property. Apply to the undersigned auctioneer or on the premises. Possession given any time. HARRY WILLIAMSON, Proprietor; J. P. ELLIOT, Auctioneer. Jul 13-3t

PUT UP PLENTY OF PRESERVES

Increased Cost of Sugar is Surprisingly Low. Women Now Realize What a Foolish Extravagance it was to do Without Homemade Preserves.

There is nothing quite so effective as facts and figures to demolish a fallacy.

Last year, when sugar went up a few cents in price, some people decided that they would not put up their regular supply of homemade preserves. They could only see the 2 cent or 3 cent increase in the price of sugar. They could not see how much more it would cost them to replace preserves with anything else. They did not stop to figure how this increase in the cost of sugar, was going to affect the cost of preserving.

Others did, however, and proved that the cost of preserving, due to the increased cost of sugar, had been greatly exaggerated.

Here is the way these clever women proved it. Before the war, we know that sugar was 5 1/2 cents a pound. Because of war conditions, the price of sugar fluctuates, but the retail price for the best granulated sugar averages 8 1/2 cents a pound. This is an average increase of only 3 cents a pound.

Every good housekeeper knows that a quart jar of preserved berries or fruit requires only half a pound of sugar, so that the increased cost of preserving, due to the increased cost

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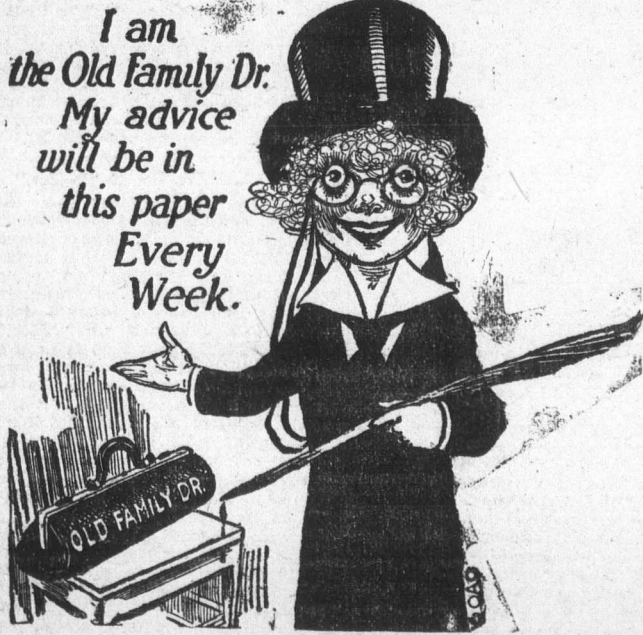
FARM FOR SALE

100 acres, being E 1/2 lot 20, con. 2, N. E. R., the property of Dr. James Baird. Pasture farm with about 20 acres hardwood timber. Good brick house, bank barn and drive shed, wind mill, good well, small orchard. Situated about 6 miles from Watford and 4 from Arkona. Possession given in the fall. For further particulars apply to Mrs. H. G. VANCE, corner 18 siderside and 2nd line, R. R. No. 8, Watford. Je15-4t

Voters' List--1917.

Municipality of the Village of Watford County of Lambton.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in section 9 of "The Ontario Voters' List Act," the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised assessment roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections, and that said list was first posted up at my office, at Watford, on the 3rd day of July, 1917, and remains there for inspection, and I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions, corrected according to law. Dated at Watford this 3rd day of July, A. D., 1917.
 W. S. FULLER,
 Clerk of Watford.



I am the Old Family Dr. My advice will be in this paper Every Week.

FAMILY DOCTOR RECOMMENDS YOU TO BUY YOUR MEDICINES FROM US BECAUSE HE HAS ALWAYS FOUND THEM TO BE "PURE" AND TO POSSESS THE PROPER "STRENGTH."

HE RECOMMENDS OUR "TOILET" PREPARATIONS BECAUSE HE KNOWS THEM TO BE FREE FROM HARMFUL INGREDIENTS.

HE RECOMMENDS "OUR DRUG STORE THINGS" OF EVERY KIND BECAUSE THEY HAVE BEEN PROVEN FIRST CLASS.

ARE NOT THESE RECOMMENDATIONS GOOD ENOUGH FOR YOU? COME IN.

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DRUGGIST *The Rexall Store* STATIONER
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LOCAL

THIS IS EXAM RE JULY bargains I SARNIA raised 1 CROSS on flag day. CHERRIES are price is almost P PRETTY hard w the garden parties Do not seal le Copy" or it will office.

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THE members D.E. wish to than generous support French flag day. SEND in the na visitors, or if you will be pleased to y for the benefit of y NEW shipment SWIFTS'.

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