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NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my son, Wilfred Haggith, or for his conduct in any way.—Thomas Haggith.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank my many friends who so nobly stuck by me to the last during my three years and two months as road foreman. It was great encouragement to me, and I can assure you it has been appreciated and will not be forgotten.—Roy Henderson.

FARM FOR SALE
Immediately—30 acres sand loam, with comfortable house, small barn, chicken house, pig pen, small bush, woodshed, plenty of water, good orchard; south half lot 11, north of Longwoods Road, Mosa. Apply to J. Giles, R. R. No. 1, Walkers.

HOUSE FOR SALE
Nice home for sale in the village of Newbury. For particulars apply to Dr. Gordon, Newbury.

FOR SALE
Royal blue baby stroller, in good condition.—Mrs. H. M. Cornell, phone 96.

NOTICE
Having taken over the business of the C. E. Nourse Company, all those having outstanding accounts will please settle.—J. D. McKELLAR.

CAR FOR SALE
New Chevrolet car, 1924 model, won in Advertiser contest. Will sell below regular price. Apply to Mrs. Gilbert McLean, R. R. 1, Melbourne.

PIGS FOR SALE
Twenty young pigs. Apply to Lorne Goff, Woodgreen.

COWS FOR SALE
Five fresh milch cows with calves by side; bags all sound.—Hubert Grover, Route 2, Appin.

PLANTS FOR SALE
Tomato, 2 varieties; cabbage, 3 varieties; cauliflower, 2 varieties.—W. E. McDonald, phone 74.

NOTICE
Person who left neck scarf at Ross McEachern's on evening of party may have same on paying for this ad. Phone 618 r 24.

PIGS FOR SALE
Young pigs, 7 weeks old, at \$5 per pair.—Earl Webster, Appin.

PLANTS FOR SALE
Plants for sale—tomatoes, early and late cabbage, cauliflower and peppers; flowers—asters, salvia and verbena.—W. R. Sutherland, phone 81.

FARM FOR SALE
200 acres; first-class farm and buildings. Will divide to suit purchaser—100 acres with buildings. Possession till October.—E. V. Thornecroft, Route 4, Appin.

PUBLIC NOTICE
The pure bred black imported Percheron stallion JAVELOT (3834) (87106), enrolled form 1, will stand for service at his own stable, south half lot 15, second range south of the Longwoods Road, Ekfrid, for the season 1924. Terms, \$10 to insure.—Duncan McTavish, proprietor and manager.

PAINTER AND PAPER-HANGER
For prompt service and satisfaction get J. A. Blackmore, Route 1, Walkers; phone Melbourne.

FARM FOR SALE
Fifty acres at Woodgreen, on Longwoods Road, Mosa; well improved, with all necessary buildings. Apply to S. Whitfield, Route 1, Glencoe.

MOSA FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION
will meet at Glencoe Wednesday, May 14; Monday, June 9; Monday, September 15; Monday, October 6. For information, long and short term loans, apply to President, Joseph Walker; Vice-President, R. Walker; Secretary-Treasurer, C. C. McNaughton; Directors—Charles Webster, F. J. James, D. A. Mitchell, A. Gardiner and R. H. Murray.

FARM LOANS
Apply to V. T. FOLEY, 83 King Street, West, Chatham. Phone 186.

GLENCOE LODGE, No. 133,
meets every Tuesday evening at eight o'clock sharp in the lodge room, opposite Royal Bank building, Main street. All brethren of the Order cordially invited to attend.—Russell Quick, N. G.; A. B. Sinclair, R. S.

Many mothers can testify to the virtue of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, because they know from experience how useful it is.

EKFRID FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION
will meet at Appin March 4, April 15, June 10, August 5, October 7 and November 11. For information, long and short term loans, apply to President R. D. Coad, Vice-president D. F. Eddie, Secretary-treasurer Duncan McAlpine, Directors A. T. Irwin, Dan McDonald, Martin Johnston, James McRae, R. A. Finn.

WANTED
Cattle for grass, by the head.—Joe Reath, north half lot 15, con. 2, Ekfrid. Apply to Duncan Johnson, Appin.

RANGE FOR SALE
McClary's Pandora range, with six holes, water front, reservoir, warming closet and back; all in first-class shape; burns coal or wood; wonderful baker. Apply J. Weaver.

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The Thamesville Dramatic Club will present their Comedy Drama "WIGGINS OF POP-OVER FARM"

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Tickets, 50c and 35c. Plan at Johnson's Drug Store.

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A. HOYT

Having sold out my Garage Business to Mr. A. Hoyt, all persons owing me accounts will kindly settle with Well. J. Walton, at the Garage before June 1st, 1924.

GEO. HANCOCK

WEAVING
Better get your Rag Rugs, Carpets etc., before the spring rush. Rugs for sale.—Mrs. M. M. Bulman, R. R. 5, Bothwell.

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Call us at the McAlpine garage or McKellar House, Glencoe, and state name and phone number if you want our truck to call. We also buy all kinds of junk. Good prices.

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All eggs set for these are from my pure-bred heavy laying hens, mated to vigorous Delamere, Oldham and Barron males, sons of 240-256 egg hens. Inspection invited.
Custom hatching eggs, \$4 first 100; each additional 100 at \$3.
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AUCTION SALE

— of —
VALUABLE FARM

Being north half lot 19, concession 14, Metcalfe Township, County of Middlesex, within a mile and a half of Walkers Station, M. C. R. This farm contains 100 acres, more or less, and has on it a comfortable dwelling-house, a good frame barn, and a good rock well. There are 10 acres of fall wheat, 18 acres of oats, about 15 acres of hay, 12 acres summer fallow; balance under pasture, including 25 acres of bush. This farm will be offered at the McKellar House, GLENCOE, on SATURDAY, JUNE 7th, 1924, at 3 o'clock p. m.

As Mr. McNeill is in poor health, no reasonable offer will be refused, but will be subject to his approval. Terms and conditions will be made known at time of offering.

Peter McNeill, L. L. McTaggart, Prop., Auct.

Mortgage Sale

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction on SATURDAY, JUNE 7th, 1924, at the hour of 4 o'clock in the afternoon, at the McKellar House, in the Village of Glencoe, by L. L. McTaggart, Auctioneer, the following property, namely:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Ekfrid, in the County of Middlesex, Province of Ontario, and being composed of the west half of lot sixteen, in the first range north of the Longwoods Road, in the Township of Ekfrid aforesaid, containing one hundred acres, more or less, except railway lands, as described in the mortgage made by John W. McAlpine and Carrie Ellen McAlpine, and registered in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of West Middlesex as number 12392 for the Township of Ekfrid.

On the said farm there are said to be erected one dwelling house and two barns. The land will be sold subject to a reserve bid.

Terms of sale: Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale and the balance within 30 days. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Harry W. Page, Esq., 15 Queen's Park, Toronto, Solicitor for the Mortgage.

Dated at Toronto this 20th day of May, 1924.
HARRY W. PAGE, Solicitor.

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DISTRICT AND GENERAL

Two Chatham boys convicted of stealing eggs were sentenced to submit to a bath and a haircut.

Bothwell and West Lorne will observe Victoria Day on Monday. There will be races at West Lorne.

Samuel B. Morris, one of the most prominent business men of Rodney passed away on Thursday morning.

A series of political picnics will be held by the Conservatives of Western Ontario during the summer.

A couple of children in Brantford had their mouths lacerated by falling while having the candy sticks of all-day suckers in their mouths.

Reports from surrounding counties indicate considerable damage from frost Monday morning to early tomatos, strawberry blossoms and fruit buds.

A farmer near Milton discovered a deer grazing with his young cattle in one of the back fields on his farm, and was apparently quite at home in its new company.

Mrs. Esther Anne Rapley, widow of the late James W. Parker, of Strathroy, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Sexsmith, at Edmonton, on May 14.

Intending visitors to England during the Empire Exhibition will be interested to learn that London's population in 1921 was 7,476,188, and the old town has grown some since then.

Rev. W. M. Pomeroy, superannuated member of the London Conference of the Methodist Church, died a few days ago at his home in Maidstone. He had been in the ministry actively for about fifty years.

Hugh C. McKillop, M. P. for West Elgin, in his address on the budget in the House of Commons, advocated recompensing the depositors of the Home Bank for their losses. He also urged greater protection for the bean growers of Western Ontario.

A move has been made to see that a reward is given to George Hill, of the Chatham fire department, who saved the life of J. S. Braeken, of Montreal, when the latter jumped out of a three-story window, by standing on the sidewalk and allowing the falling man to strike him.

Hon. Duncan Marshall, Dominion organizer for the Liberal party and former Minister of Agriculture for Alberta, and J. C. Elliott, K.C., former representative in the Legislature for West Middlesex, were the leading speakers at a big Liberal rally held at Dutton on Monday evening.

Two masked men entered the home of Dave Walters, East Wilfrid, and said they were there to take Mr. Walters to London, but they would accept \$35 to let him off. Mr. Walters took out his purse containing \$250 to pay the men and they relieved him of the purse and entire contents.

The Province of Alberta, after remaining in a dry state for nearly eight years, joined the "wet" ranks last week under government control. Permits are issued for general purchase of beer and spirits at \$2, and for beer alone at \$1. Prohibition was voted down on November 5 of last year.

Something new in school fair work is being tried this year by the Middlesex branch of the department of agriculture. R. A. Finn, district representative, was busy a few days ago delivering chicks to boys and girls of three rural schools, the chickens to be shown at the school fairs this fall.

Lieut.-Col. W. E. Ulens, M.C., Park Hill, has been gazetted in district orders as commanding officer of the Middlesex Light Infantry, one of Canada's most distinguished county battalions. Col. Ulens succeeds Lieut.-Col. Berdan, whose tour of duty expired the first of this month.

McALPINE CLAN PICNIC

In August of last year the descendants of the late Janet Morrison McAlpine held their first family reunion and picnic in the beautiful grove of Hugh McAlpine on the Sydenham river in Mosa township, one of the most picturesque spots in the county of Middlesex. This year they purpose holding it on the 6th of June in the same grove. The committee in charge extend a cordial invitation to all the descendants of the McAlpine clan in Western Ontario to come and enjoy a day with them. They are endeavoring to make this picnic a success in every way. As they are having dinner on grounds they request each family to bring a basket. The small fee of fifty cents is asked of each family to defray current expenses. There will be a program of music and songs, also sports for young and old. A refreshment booth will be on the grounds. Alex. McAlpine, of Alvinston, is chairman of the committee.

GLENCOE H. S. ATHLETES

Make Creditable Showing in W. O. S. S. A. Meet at London

On Saturday a quintet of our local high school boys hied themselves to London to compete in the annual field and track competition of the Western Ontario Secondary Schools Association, at which the following schools were represented: London Central, East and South Collegiates, Windsor, Sarnia, St. Thomas, Listowel, Watford, Melbourne, Mount Brydges, Alvinston, Walkerville, Tilsonburg, Ingersoll, Kitchener, Clinton and Glencoe.

With such a number from which to draw, the boys who were able to even win a place was deserving of the highest credit. Glencoe's only senior entry was Wm. Frostain, who was successful in securing third in his heat of the 100-yard dash, with six competitors. Although not qualifying for the finals he showed that he was by no means outclassed.

The intermediate boys made a creditable showing indeed. Kenneth Webster earned third place in the preliminary heats of both the 100-yard and the 220-yard dashes. John Allan very easily secured third in the half-mile, while Graham McDonald won second place and thereby gained a bronze medal for the eight-pound shot. The relay team, composed of K. Webster, J. Allan, H. McKellar and G. McDonald easily won third in the half-mile relay.

On the whole our boys brought credit to both the school and locality and we will look for even better results next year.

STORES OPEN SATURDAY; HOLIDAY ON MONDAY

Victoria Day will be observed in Glencoe on Monday, May 26, and all business places will be open for business as usual on Saturday, May 24. On account of the holiday on Monday, the Wednesday half-holiday will not be observed next week.

TO FIGHT TEXAS OIL CO.

The London Advertiser says:—A strenuous legal fight has been launched by J. C. Elliott, K.C., of the firm of Ivey, Elliott & Gillanders, of this city, on behalf of twenty shareholders to recover \$200,000 paid by rural residents of Middlesex, Lambton and Huron, for stock in the Drury Petroleum Company, with head offices in Detroit, and whose oil wells are situated in the State of Texas.

Questioned as to particulars, Mr. Elliott stated that the Drury Company stock has been sold since 1921, and prospects which were more or less glittering to stockholders at that time were not so highly thought of just now.

"There has been a little oil, but returns have been bad," stated Mr. Elliott. "We are trying to get the money back, and defend notes outstanding. We had a couple of fights in Sarnia before Mr. Justice Rose, who decided that the holders of the notes were not entitled to recover."

The shareholders some time ago had a meeting at which it was decided to put their claims in the hands of Mr. Elliott. The latter has gathered considerable information about the company and its method of operations, and judging from the two court actions in Sarnia, where favorable verdicts were secured, investors may yet save considerable cash.

BRIDE-TO-BE SHOWERED

Miss Olive Watts was hostess last Wednesday evening of a miscellaneous shower held at her home in honor of a popular bride-elect of this month, Miss Ada Moore. Over twenty guests were present. The room and the table on which the gifts were arranged were charmingly decorated in white, with red and white tulips. A pretty white silk parasol hung over the table carried out the idea of a shower. The evening was a very jolly one, with music, and lunch was served by Miss Watts and Miss Muriel Weekes. Many good wishes for the bride-to-be from everyone present completed a delightful evening.

REDUCES IMPLEMENT PRICES

The International Harvester Company of Canada, Ltd., makes the following announcement:—"We are pleased to announce a substantial reduction in prices of our line of farm implements. This reduction is made possible by the removal or decrease of the sales tax on such machines and on raw materials, and further by the removal or reduction of the duty on materials entering into such machines, as set forth in the Government Budget Resolutions of April 11th, and in subsequent amendments.

Send in your news items every week. This is your newspaper.

DROPS DEAD AT WHEEL.

Thomas Hardy, North Ekfrid Merchant, Expires Suddenly

Thomas Hardy, a merchant of North Ekfrid and lifelong resident of the community, expired suddenly Thursday while making the rounds of an egg route. Deceased was but a mile from home and was just leaving a customer's house when the fatality occurred. He had cranked his car and got in the machine, when he fell over the wheel. A child who was watching the departure went to the house to inform his mother that Mr. Hardy had fainted. Life was, however, extinct when assistance arrived.

He is survived by his widow, Ella May Hardy; his mother, Sarah Hardy, North Ekfrid; one son, Howard Ernest, and one daughter, Florence Isobel, both at home. Two brothers, Arthur, of Windsor, and Harry, of North Ekfrid, and one sister, Mrs. John Davis, of North Ekfrid, also survive.

The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon from his late residence, lot 4, concession 4, North Ekfrid. Service was conducted in the Presbyterian church at North Ekfrid by Rev. N. J. Stevenson, of Appin, and interment was made in Appin cemetery. The pallbearers were: Will Down, Bert Pierce, George Pierce, Uri Pierce, Ben Patterson and Arthur Irwin, and the floral bearers Charles and Gordon Mills, David Down, Archie Campbell, Russell Roemmelie and David Howe.

BOWLING ACTIVITIES

A new lighting system is now being installed at the bowling green. The size of the green has been enlarged so as to accommodate ten rinks, enabling eighty players to participate at one time, and is considered equal to any of the best greens in Western Ontario.

Local tournaments will be played each Wednesday, when suitable prizes will be awarded to the winners. A number have already joined and a large membership is looked for. Any wishing to bowl will please give their name to the secretary, R. M. MacPherson, or to the membership committee, P. E. Lumley and W. J. Ford.

The ladies intend holding a meeting at an early date to organize a ladies' bowling club.

CONFIRMATION SERVICE

A confirmation service was held in St. John's church on Monday, May 19th, when three candidates were presented to the Bishop of Huron, the Right Rev. Dr. Williams. His address was on "Love the brethren and love the brotherhood," and he stressed the importance of the Church as the only organized society for promoting the true knowledge of God as revealed through Jesus Christ, and the duty of upholding and participating in the work of the Church.

GLENCOE BOY'S MARRIAGE

The marriage is announced at London of William J. Dobbie, a former Glencoe boy, son of Mrs. D. G. Dobbie, of that city, to Evelyn Gertrude, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brownlee, also of London.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES

Anniversary services of the Glencoe Presbyterian church will be held on Sunday, June 1st. Rev. Dr. R. W. Ross, of Fort Massey church, Halifax, will conduct the services.

On the following Monday evening a musical entertainment will be given by a mixed quartette from the First Presbyterian church, London, under the leadership of George Lethbridge. Admission, 25 cents. 31-1

SCHOOL REPORTS

S. S. No. 13, Ekfrid

Following is the report of the junior room:

II.—Douglas Sinclair 359, Annabel Macfie 349, Beryl Payne 323, Edith Philpot 304, Claire Perry 296, Emma Gough 290, Jack Howe 236, Harold Howe 225, Eveline Cushman 175, James Black 127.

I.—Ruby Stephenson 421, Dorothy McDonald 374, Esther Webster 369, Marjorie Galbraith 364, John Watson 335, Katie Gough 296, John Hughes 277, Stuart Bardwell 271, Helen Rankin 152, Donna McCallum 150, Georgina Jeffery 146, Floyd Watson 135.

Primer B.—Eliza McDonald 200, Mary Gough 170, Ulea Hathaway 160, Betty Stroud 152, Donna McCallum 150, Georgina Jeffery 146, Floyd Watson 135.

A. Farrell, Teacher.

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THE CRITICAL PERIOD IN FEEDING YOUNG PIGS.

"Ten litters at six months," is the boasted achievement of a number of Western States hog raisers. One litter of eleven pigs is recorded as weighing 2,435 pounds when 180 days old. This is not a very difficult achievement even with "selects," but it is not regarded as profitable practice to aim at finishing so early, because it is better to promote the development of frame for a few weeks after weaning. Pasture or other green foods and milk, with a light grain feed, make a suitable ration during the growing period, that is until the hogs reach 125 pounds or more. After that the finishing process requires an increased proportion of grain.

The all important thing is to avoid a check in the growth at the time of weaning and during the ensuing few weeks. The old practice of weaning at four or five weeks is never followed by skillful hog raisers at the present time. Unless one is very anxious to secure two litters in the year, weaning should not take place until the pigs are eight weeks old, and some hog raisers allow the litters to wean themselves by continuing the family together and feeding them well until the pigs neglect to nurse.

Experiments covering a period of years at the Dominion Experimental Farm at Ottawa have shown it to be profitable to supplement the mother's milk of nursing pigs by easily digested meals mixed with skim milk, from the time the pigs are three weeks old. If care is taken in the preparation and handling of this ration, very little check results from weaning. Middlings and ground oats with the hulls sifted out, with skim milk, has become the standard weaning ration at the Central Farm. In this ration milk is perhaps the most important constituent, as at that tender age pigs are unable to digest and assimilate much crude fibre.

If the pigs are allowed to be checked at the weaning period by improper feeding, it will be found difficult to bring them back to a thrifty state, and without thrift it is impossible to make any money out of hogs, even though they sell as selects. That is to say, the investment of expensive food in an unthrifty hog cannot return a profit to the owner. Fuller instructions on the feeding of weanlings and pigs of other ages are contained in Exhibition Circular No. 60, available from the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

HAVE YOUR HORSE'S HARNESS FIT.

The horse is our most useful dumb friend. There is nothing more unprofitable as well as cruel than working him in a bad-fitting harness. It produces almost intolerable pain, causes him to fret and waste time, and consequently he loses flesh. In most cases one will lose the service of the horse while sore shoulders, backs and chafes are being healed. It is impossible to heal collar and saddle galls without roasting the horse.

A harness should be neither too small nor too large. If too small it pinches, chokes the circulation of blood to and from the parts, which usually results in congestion, followed by more or less inflammation of the bruised part; if too large, the harness shifts from place, causing more or less friction.

Every one of us wears shoes, but

Varieties of Fall Turnips.

There is a limited acreage of fall turnips grown in Ontario each year. Roots of this class usually yield more per acre than the Swede turnips but they do not keep so late into the winter. Other names for fall turnips are Soft Turnips or White Flesh Turnips.

Two varieties of fall turnips have been grown under test at the College in each of the past seventeen years, and the following gives the average annual results in tons per acre of top and roots for each of the varieties: Red Top White Globe, 4.9 and 26.3, and Cow Horn, 5.8 and 19.7. In 1918, the Red Top White Globe gave 21.2 and the Cow Horn 16.5 tons of roots per acre. In comparison with these in the test of the past year the Sutton's Purple Top Mammoth gave 20.8, the Sutton's Imperial Green Globe, 18.8, and Kelway's Green Globe, 16 tons per acre.

The most infallible mark of ignorance is superstition.

THE CHILDREN'S HOUR

THE STOLEN NEST.

(A Story Founded on Fact.)

Mr. and Mrs. Song Sparrow flew into the woods one bright May morning and began to look around to find just the right place to build a nest. Mr. Sparrow said:

"What do you think of this thick green grass right here under the trees?" Mrs. Sparrow cocked her pretty head on one side and looked at it from a low tangle of a tree.

"I'm a little afraid to build there," she said. "Once I had a beautiful nest in the grass and a great creature—I think it was called a boy—ran through the field and stepped on it. Fortunately I had no eggs in it, but I think I will put it in a safer place this time. You know it is a great deal of work to build a nest."

Mr. Sparrow sang a sweet song and then picked a few insects off the leaves of the tree he was on, but he was thinking, and pretty soon he said:

"That is a very nice bush you are sitting on. We could hide a nest in there under the leaves and it would be safe. Nothing could tread on it there."

Mrs. Sparrow hopped around in the bush and looked it over carefully. She flew in and out of it again, and she chirped over it like a busy little housewife. At last she said, "Very well, we will take this bush for our home. I will go right off now and look for something to build it with."

"It is not such easy work as any one might think picking up nice bits to build a nest with," said Mrs. Sparrow, as she searched through the grass and pulled out long, thin roots, very slender, like bits of yarn, but strong.

She wove these pieces together in a crotch of the bush, the green leaves below and the green leaves above covering it so that she thought no one could find the dear little home that she was making for her mate and herself and the little ones she expected by and by.

She found some moss that she picked to pieces with her sharp bill, and over in a field where a horse was grazing she got a few long black hairs that had come out of the tail of this fortunate horse whose tail had not been cut off.

She worked so hard that she hardly stopped to eat anything. Her mate sat on the tree close by the bush singing such a happy, sweet song to cheer her, that a young girl who was ill and could not sit and look out the window of a house near the woods, was cheered and happy just from listening to the sweet song.

At last the nest was finished, and a beautiful piece of work it was. Mr. and Mrs. Sparrow were both so proud and pleased that they could hardly stop singing all day.

"Oh, mother," said Alice, the little sick girl, "You don't know how lovely the birds sang this morning in that little piece of woodland over the way. I woke up early with the old pain, and was going to call you, then I began to listen to the birds, and they sounded so happy that while I was listening the pain went away and I fell asleep again."

"I must have been a song sparrow that I saw flying into the woods yesterday," said Alice's mother. "The birds are building their nests this month, and if nothing disturbs them we shall have a good many dear little birds flying around our garden in the summer and eating the worms and bugs that hurt our trees and flowers."

"The English sparrow isn't good for anything, is he, mama?"

"I think that every bird is of some use, dearie. I have seen the English sparrows eating the canker worms that are so troublesome," answered Alice's mama.

"What are canker worms?" asked Alice.

"They are little green worms that come down out of the trees on a fine thread, like silk—we call it stringing down. They eat the leaves of the trees and then swing down through the air into the ground, lighting on our heads if we are under the trees. They do so much harm that we ought to be very grateful to the English sparrow for eating them."

"Are there many kinds of sparrows?" asked Alice.

"Yes, there are a good many birds that belong to the sparrow family, as we call it, but the sparrows about here are mostly the song sparrows that you heard singing so sweetly this morning. The clipping sparrow, sometimes called the chippie, which is a dear, tame little sparrow, with a red head. He chirps very prettily but has no real song. Then there is the tree sparrow, the field sparrow, the whitethroated sparrow, and the fox sparrow. These sparrows look enough alike to make it hard for any one who has not studied birds to tell them apart. Some people who dislike the English sparrow very much want boys to kill him, but I am sure that they would be just as likely to kill some of these other dear, useful little sparrows, for even grown people cannot always tell them apart."

"I don't see how any one can enjoy killing anything," said Alice thoughtfully. "It seems dreadful to me to think of taking the life of a happy little bird, or frightening or disturbing the birds in any way."

While Alice and her mother were

talking about sparrows, Mr. Sparrow was very busy searching for insects to carry to Mrs. Sparrow, who was sitting on the pretty nest under the green trees. When he flew to her side and carried her a very nice morsel for her breakfast, she told him she had got one pretty little blue speckled egg hidden away under her soft breast. Mr. Sparrow was so pleased that he flew up on a high branch of a tree near by and sang a song that he meant all the birds in the woods to hear. "We've got one pretty egg, we've got one pretty egg!" and all the birds heard him and began to sing with him until the woods were filled with beautiful songs, and Alice and her mother stopped talking to listen.

A few days passed by. The sun shone brightly. The spring flowers were beginning to blossom in the woods. Mr. and Mrs. Sparrow were, for in the nest, were four of the prettiest eggs a bird could wish to have.

Mr. Sparrow brought Mrs. Sparrow food every day, and she did not often leave the nest; but one day she wanted to dip her bill in a spring of cool water not far away, so she flew away just for a minute. She got her drink of water and flew back to the bush where she had left her nest and her pretty eggs that would soon turn into sweet little birds if she could keep them safe.

As she lighted on the tree close by she stopped on a branch and her little heart beat so fast she almost dropped off the tree, for something dreadful was happening. Two girls were standing by her bush. They were reaching out their hands and touching her precious nest.

It could not be that they were going to steal it—her home that she had taken such pains to build, and her pretty eggs! Could there be in the world such cruel children?

Mrs. Sparrow screamed with pain and anger. Mr. Sparrow, who was just hurrying back with a green worm for his mate's supper, heard her, and knew something dreadful had happened. He dropped the worm and chirped loudly to the girls: "Come back, come back. Oh, bring back our nest and our pretty eggs! You will break our hearts!" But the girls thoughtless girls kept on and went out of the woods carrying with them the nest with the eggs still warm from the little sparrow's breast, while all the birds in the woods were mourning with the sparrows and crying "Shame! Shame! to steal the nest and the eggs of an innocent bird that had done so much good to your trees and plants and flowers."

The sun went down and all the long twilight the poor little sparrows sat in the tree looking down at the bush where a few hours before they had had such a happy home, and chirping to the lamens. Now they were homeless, and it would take them a long time to build another nest. First they would fly far away to some more lonely place and try to get away from children who would rob the birds.

"Mother," said Alice, "It seems to me the birds are crying and worrying about something. Now they've heard them sing one happy song this afternoon, and once they almost made me cry, their voices sounded so sad. I'm afraid something has happened to them."

Just then Alice's nurse came in the room and said, "I saw some girls, about ten years old, going out of the woods and they had a bird's nest in their hands. I tried to make them carry it back, and they wouldn't."

"Oh, mama! They have stolen our sparrow's nest—and girls, too! I never thought girls would be so cruel."

Poor Alice began to cry. "I'm sorry you told her," said Alice's mama. "I'm afraid she won't sleep to-night, she loves the birds so much and their singing has made her so happy."

The little girls who stole the nest carried it home and played with it a few hours, then threw it away, never thinking or caring how much pain and sorrow they had caused, or how they had not only robbed the neighborhood of their sweet songs, and robbed the world of four little songsters that would have come out of the eggs and added much to the happiness and good of human beings.—Anna Harris Smith.

How to Reduce the Meat Bill.

The Canadian people are relatively heavy consumers of meat, the quantity per head of population, according to official figures, exceeding that of any other country. As pointed out in Pamphlet No. 43 of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, entitled "How to Reduce the Meat Bill," beef is an expensive food because it is so much the subject of extraordinary wastefulness. The pamphlet in question, which is procurable at the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, points out that a five animal weighing 1,300 pounds, well finished, will yield a dressed carcass of 700 pounds, but only 200 pounds of really prime beef, namely, sirloin, porterhouse and chuck steaks, and the prime ribs of the fore quarter. These are the cuts that are most in demand and sell at the highest prices. The preparation and use of the lower priced cuts is dealt with in this pamphlet, which divides the carcass into eleven portions. By the use of a carcass chart, the location of each of these cuts is shown, enabling the housewife to select the most suitable pieces for the purpose required. A number of recipes for cooking are given.



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Home Education

"The Child's First School is the Family"—Froebel.

Helping Generosity to Grow—By Martina Gardner Owen

"I'm so worried about Paul," confided Mrs. Miller to her sister, a trained kindergarten.

"What is the matter with Paul?" "He's selfish," agonized the mother. "He clutches his toys. He grabs his candy in greedy little fits. He snatches the reddest apple and refuses baby sister a bite."

"Splendid little egotist!" laughed the kindergarten. Then she sobered before her sister's grievous eyes.

"Paul is neither wicked nor depraved," she stated. "Selfishness is normal for a small child. It is merely a manifestation of one of the great basic instincts, the ego instinct, or the instinct for self-preservation. If he is to live he must have many, many things. Instinct tells him to seize and to hold. Rightly trained, the ego instinct is a fine thing. It gives us the self-reliant man, who is a community asset. Miriam Finn Scott in her book 'How to Know Your Child' tells us: 'When we try to analyze the faults of our children we discover that, in the majority of cases, the faults are only an unpleasant and deplorable expression of forces that, in themselves, were originally admirable. Selfishness is a valuable instinct, perverted.'

"Now for methods," continued the kindergarten. "Don't expect some magic to eradicate selfishness overnight. You must grow the flower of generosity, and that is a long, slow, gradual process."

"But Cousin Kate told me that she cured Clara in an hour," protested the mother. "Clara refused to let a playmate take her doll and Kate flung it into the open grate. Clara cried and screamed, but she was cured. Now she shares her possessions at a word."

"Kate hasn't cured selfishness," pronounced the kindergarten. "She has instilled fear and etched a bitter

memory. That is like curing a wart on the finger by the major operation of cutting off the arm; like destroying weeds by a powerful chemical which poisons the soil against all growth. True generosity can never grow in a flame-seared mind."

"The correct way is to emphasize the joys of generosity," Miss Phyllis pointed out. "Don't nag about sister's tears when Paul is selfish. Smile about her happiness when brother is generous. Give him the privilege of passing candy to all your guests at table. Tell stories which emphasize the desirability of generosity, as Ruskin's 'King of the Golden River.' Select others from books and current literature. If he persistently refuses to share a toy, tell him, 'The fire engine can't stay with a selfish boy, and put it away for a week. Plan games which involve the sharing of toys. Do something daily to strengthen the generosity habit. The young child is incapable of genuine altruism. Above all, be honest.'"

"Meaning?" queried the mother.

"I was thinking of dangerous devices, descended from antiquity," explained her sister. "Probably prehistoric woman, sitting before her cave, observing her offspring clutching an unshared bone, covered her face with her hands and shrieked: 'Mother! cry!' 'Probably the child gave his playmate a gnaw from the bone then, but the 'steenth time she tried the plan it didn't work. He had discovered that she was shamming and trading on his love to the point of hypocrisy. Be honorable.'"

"One more suggestion. Cultivate sensible selfishness yourself. The most ungenerous children I've known have belonged to sweetly sacrificing mothers. Don't give up your own desires and preferences when it is really not best for Paul that you should do so."

"The next time you want to sell me something state your price when you

WILD GESE AND MEN

Last week a widely known naturalist reminded us of the difference between men and wild geese. According to this man, when the leader of a flock of wild geese tells his followers to "look out," every member of the flock looks in the direction of the danger. But, if such a warning is given to a crowd of humans they will look in every direction. This possibly indicates that these birds are well organized and men are not.

At least, a high percentage of human institutions are short-lived. The majority of organizations for social improvement soon lose their attraction and die. Over ninety per cent. of business enterprises fail. We have seen many programs, built around some "ism," flatten out in a very short while.

But the few that survive seem to have a common characteristic. They live because they have an objective that the members consider worthwhile. There is something to rally around. A volunteer army can be raised promptly when there is an enemy to fight. Farmers, like other people, can be made to stick if their organization programs have something in them that the member can see. In other words, if leadership can so crystallize the objective of an organization that every member will instinctively face the common danger, problem, or aspiration when the "look out" sign is displayed, the chances of that organization carrying on are promising. Then the members will likely show that same evas front line as do the wild geese on their migration journeys.

Raspberry Diseases.

The disease Mosaic, otherwise termed "yellows," is in some parts of the country taking heavy toll of the cultivated raspberry plantations. Another disease, equally destructive, called Leaf Curl, is also known as "yellows," and is distinguishable from Mosaic only to the scientist or to the experienced observer. Both diseases spread rapidly, and sooner or later will destroy the plantation unless eradicated.

Mosaic is noticeable even from a considerable distance. It shows itself in the dwarfing of the canes, sparse yellow foliage, and weak growth. Each succeeding year the plants in an infected plantation grow more dwarfed, the leaves smaller, and the fruit produced less and less. Before the middle of June the leaves show large irregular green blisters which arch upward. Later in the summer the leaves near the tips of the new growths show a yellow speckled mottling. When a plantation becomes thoroughly infected, it might as well be abandoned. The leaves are completely cleaned out of any fruit that it produces is small in quantity, seedy, and almost tasteless.

Leaf Curl is even more rapid or more pronounced in its destructive tendencies. The grower recognizes the diseased plants as being worthless even before berry picking time. The leaves on the affected canes are much darker green than normal, and the midrib bends downward throughout its length. The tissue between the veins arch upward and is crimped along the veins. After the bush has been diseased for a year or two the suckers or new growths are dwarfed and end in a yellowish stunted tip. The fruit produced by leaf curl diseased plants is quite as useless as that affected with mosaic.

Effective control measures have not yet been worked out. Only stock that is known to be disease free should be planted. This disease often spreads from garden to garden by the supplying of new suckers for spring planting. Unless the neighbor's garden is known to be free of the disease, new stock should not be accepted from it, as even a small percentage of either of these diseases scattered through a new plantation is the beginning of increasing trouble.

According to Circular No. 1 of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, "Mosaic and Leaf Curl of the Cultivated Red Raspberry," obtainable from the Publications Branch, it is recommended that as soon as the symptoms of leaf curl are clearly distinguishable in the spring, all plants affected should be carefully dug, carried to a distance and burned. It is recommended that this be done as early as possible and before plant lice have commenced to infect the plants, as these are carriers of the disease. For the control of mosaic, the treatment is similar, although a different time of the year must be chosen, just when it is not definitely settled, but it appears to be the period following the first two weeks of hot weather. It is important that the plants taken out be lifted and carefully handled, particularly if there are any signs of plant lice upon them, as those that fall off will crawl to healthy plants and start new infection.

The largest single factors in the cost of the production of wheat is man and horse labor.

Spring is the season of promise. If we will but fulfill our promises to our farm, it will fulfill its promise to us.

The annual spring fever usually awakens from the stomach which rebels against a long-continued diet lacking mineral salts and vitamins.

One of the best times to cultivate some crops are before they are in the ground; in other words, well begun is half done.

All seed potatoes should be treated in a corrosive sublimate bath to kill potato scab and blackscurf. Use four ounces of the corrosive sublimate in thirty gallons of water. Soak the potatoes in the solution for one hour. If there are many potatoes to be treated in the solution, enough water should be added after each bath to make the solution its original volume and two-thirds of an ounce of corrosive sublimate should also be added. Use no metal containers with this solution. Wooden vessels are best. This material is also very poisonous and should not be left where animals may consume it.

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Would life be quite as exciting if there were no corners to turn? Certainly it would not, whether speaking literally or metaphorically. The thrill of wondering what is around the next corner keeps hope alive and urges on weary footsteps. Perhaps around this next bend we will only be confronted with another, more difficult to negotiate; perhaps on the other hand we will find a panorama more beautiful than any seen before. If we knew just what was coming, however thrilling, life would lose half its charm and most of the incentive to "keep pegging on."

The Dresden Times is not satisfied with the settlement made with a case tried in Chatham in which three young bank clerks were allowed to go on suspended sentence although guilty of misappropriating \$20,000 of the bank's funds. The Times thinks it will set a precedent that most criminals will respect by continuing in the paths of the wayward. In this case there is no doubt the parents of the boys have made restitution to the bank—only bank directors can get away with bank funds these days. The bank loses nothing and therefore it calls quits. The young men have probably learned their lesson and society would gain nothing by revenging itself on them. But it is interesting to guess what would have happened had they been poor men's sons.

If we are to believe half of what appears in print these days about some of the men who have held places of trust and responsibility, we may well ask the question, "Is honesty a lost trait?" Is it because this is a young country with a comparatively small history and little tradition to follow that such conditions appear to exist, or is it because weak men have been chosen to fill high offices? There must be honest men for these positions. The people would honor and respect them. Robert Burns says: "The honest man, though e'er so poor, is king of men for a' that." Effort should be made to place men of high calibre in public position if for no other reason than the effect that scandal has on the young mind.

Statesmen, scholars and warriors have had monuments erected to their memory, but the early settlers of the country who performed heroic deeds in pioneer days and have handed down a magnificent heritage to succeeding generations have been ignored up to the present. Now they are to be given the recognition they deserve. At the annual con-

vention of the Ontario Historical Society, which will be held at Kitchener on June 24 and 25, it is planned to have the first sod turned for the erection of a monument to be erected near Doon in memory of the early settlers of the country. It is expected that a fund of \$15,000 to \$20,000 will be raised for the monument and for a sinking fund for its maintenance. The monument will be erected on a hill and will be visible for miles around.

Every person resident in Ontario for the past nine months, and resident in the municipality at the time the assessor makes the assessment, is entitled to be on the voters' list this year, providing he or she is 21 years of age and a British subject. It is not necessary for a man or woman to own property, to be a tenant, or have an income, or pay taxes, in order to have his or her name entered on the voters' list as a Parliamentary voter. If you expect to vote when the election comes, see that your name is on the assessor's lists, as the basis of all parliamentary lists is the assessor's roll.

Premier King is appealing to the people to co-operate in "saving the forests." How would it do to prevent any Canadian pulp going over the border to create the monster Sunday editions that come back as nothing else but comic supplements? The joke seems to be on the Canadian Government, which it ought to hand back by an export tax on pulp.

BACK TO THE FARM

Says the London Advertiser:—Unfavorable industrial conditions in the United States, particularly Detroit, is having a beneficial effect on the Western Ontario farm labor problem it became known today.

A prominent agriculturist, whose work takes him all over Western Ontario, reports that a number of young men who left their homes and farm jobs near Glencoe have come back from Detroit and were glad to get back their old positions.

"I talked to some of these boys and they all said work was mighty scarce on the other side, and they thought the best thing they could do was to hustle back to Canada and farm work while the going was good," declared the farm expert.

"I found similar conditions in Bruce county. The young men are leaving the cities and flocking back to the land. I also find that farmers are not so anxious to hire help at wages beyond \$35 a month and board. In fact, a number won't pay more than \$25 or \$30. They explain that they can't tell what they are going to get for their crops and if they take a chance on hiring several men at high wages they will be out of pocket in the fall.

"They will hire men, they want them, but they simply won't pay them, but they can't tell what they are going to get for their crops and if they take a chance on hiring several men at high wages they will be out of pocket in the fall.

The indications of worms are restlessness, grinding of teeth, picking of the nose, extreme peevishness, often convulsions. Under these conditions one of the best remedies that can be got is Miller's Worm Powders. They will attack the worms as soon as administered and they pass away in the evacuations. The little sufferer will be immediately eased and a return of the attack will not be likely.

HINTS FOR HAYMAKING

When to Cut, Teed, Rake, Coil and Haul In.

Curing Sweet Clover—Harvesting Alfalfa—Handling Red Clover—Timothy Easiest to Cut—Rheumatic Hogs and Their Treatment.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

There is an old saying, "Make hay while the sun shines," with which Prof. Wade Toole of the O. A. College agrees; and fortunate is the farmer who gets sunshine for the job. However, with hay to harvest, one cannot always wait for the weather. One of the essentials in the production of good hay is that it be cut at the proper time. It must have sufficient maturity to ensure grain quality, but over maturity means coarse, fibrous, low quality feed. Sweet clover should be cut in the late bud stage. Alfalfa is ready just as it begins to blossom, and the new shoots are starting at the base of the plants. Red clover is ready to be cut when approximately one-third of the blossoms have turned brown, and timothy just after the second blossom falls.

Curing Sweet Clover.
In curing sweet clover two methods are followed. Perhaps cutting with the binder and stacking to make grain until the crop is dry saves leaves better and gives as good results as can be obtained. Or the crop may be cut and allowed to lie in the swath for about two days' sun, and then raked into small windrows. If the weather is dry, about three days' windrow with an occasional turning makes it ready to harvest. If the weather is wet, it is advisable to coil the crop as soon as it is raked up.

Harvesting Alfalfa.
Alfalfa is more easily cured than sweet clover. If the weather is hot it may be cut in the morning and raked the afternoon of the following day. It must not be allowed to lie in the swath for more than two nights or deteriorating results. After raking, if the sun shines, one more day in the windrow generally makes good hay. If rain threatens coil it up immediately and let it make in the coil. In any event be sure it is dry when harvested, and be careful of the leaves in handling as they constitute the most valuable portion of the feed.

Handling Red Clover Hay.
Red clover is the common clover hay crop. Much of it is allowed to get over-ripe because it then cures most readily. It may be handled in the same manner as alfalfa, but unless the crop is heavy it does not usually take quite as long to cure. The hayloft has changed methods to make drying. It is good practice to cut one way, ted the following morning, and rake the next afternoon. If the crop is very heavy it may have to be cut twice by the day. It is surprising how much faster hay will make after it has gone so far, when piled or rolled into windrows. If it is to be coiled the work should be done soon after raking, and the hay should remain in the coils for a few days to sweat out. However, most of it is drawn out of the windrows and if dry makes good feed.

Timothy is Easiest to Cut.
Timothy is the easiest to cure. If crop and weather are right it may be cut one morning and hauled the next afternoon, and in fair weather, is always ready by the third day. It is not necessary to coil timothy to cure. No matter what the hay crop, cut in time, rake as soon as possible to hasten drying. Exposed to weather or sun and coil in clean weather. No doubt alfalfa and red clover may be made into the best hay by coiling, but in good weather this extra work is not necessary, and the loader hastens the harvest.—Dept. of Extension, O. A. College, Guelph.

Rheumatic Hogs.
Rheumatism or awing may affect either the muscular tissue or the joints the muscular form being most common. Most authorities agree that several causes at least predispose to the disease. Exposure to weather is largely responsible for much of it, attention also pays an important part. The formation within the body of uric acid substances may be a cause. A combination of all these conditions brings the disease.

The first evidence is pain shown by the animal when it moves. A shivering reaction is present. An out-crook is refused and the hog lies down most of the time. Aside from the pain and stiffness, the animal with a mild case, may show no other signs. If the joints are affected, there usually is a slight fever. Attacks last from several days to two weeks.

Good quarters should be provided, dry with good ventilation in winter. Care, laxatives should be given, and sodium bicarbonate in bread sop in doses of from half to one teaspoonful per six three times daily. If the animal recovers entirely from the attack, it might be best to market it.

If Udder Leaks Milk.
Leakage of milk from the udder is due to a relaxation of the sphincter muscles of the teats. This is not an infrequent occurrence among heavy milkers. Milking three times a day instead of twice a day relieves the strain on the muscles and will help a great deal. Immerse the teat twice daily in a cold saturated solution of blue. A rubber thimble is often used satisfactorily in severe cases. Application of caustic to the tip of the teat when the cow is dry may prevent leakage after subsequent calving.

It is far better for co-operative societies to be "safe" by seeking and accepting advice and information than to be "sorry" by neglecting to secure it, or ignoring it after it is obtained.

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And take notice that after the 14th day of June, A. D. 1924, the said Edgar Quick will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice, and that the said Edgar Quick will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any persons of whose claim he shall not then have received notice.

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GLENCOE POST OFFICE

Mails closed—C. N. R. East, 9.30 a.m.; C. N. R. West, 5.45 p.m.; London and East, 5.45 p.m.; Glencoe Rural Routes, 7.45 a.m.

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KILMARTIN

Rev. D. and Mrs. Robertson attended the anniversary tea meeting at Mr. Robertson's former charge, North Caradoc, on Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Dewar attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Chas. Morrison at Wardsville on Monday.

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Gould, of Pormosa, will be the speaker. Members will be present from Kilmartin, Newbury, Wardsville, Glencoe, Appin, Melbourne and Tait's Corners.

Checker enthusiasts will be interested to know that Samuel Govotsky 22 years old, played the final game with Alfred Jordan for the checker championship of America and won in the sixth American checker tournament, held in New York and finishing on May 14.

A delightful surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Clarke on Monday evening, when their daughter, Helen, was greeted by fourteen girls, in honor of her birthday. Helen was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. A jolly time was spent and lunch was served.

The Presbyterian W. M. S. held their regular meeting at the manse on Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. A. B. McDonald in charge. Readings on the Indians and the life of G. L. McKay, of Pormosa, were given by Mrs. Robert McKellar and Mrs. Suttler. Mrs. Grant rendered a solo, which was appreciated.

Glencoe high school will observe Victoria Day by closing at two o'clock on Monday, at which hour the baseball team of the school will leave for Wardsville to try conclusions with the high school team of that town. An inspection of the local cadets will be a feature of the afternoon at Wardsville.

Anniversary services will be held in the Wardsville Methodist church on Sunday, May 25, at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m., conducted by Rev. George Henderson, D.D., of Chatham. There will be special music. On Saturday, May 24th, the Ladies' Aid of this church will have a sale of fancywork and homemade baking at the town hall.

The annual meeting of the Ridge-town District of the Methodist Church was held at Ridgetown on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Rev. A. S. Whitehall, chairman of the district, and W. H. Reycraft were representatives from the Glencoe church, and Rev. S. J. Bridgette and Joseph Simpson from the Wardsville church.

The Presbyterian Guild closed a successful year's work on Monday evening, when a social committee had charge of the meeting. An attractive musical program consisted of a piano solo by Miriam Oxley, vocal solo by Irene Reith and violin duets by Eleanor Sutherland and George Grant. Numerous games caused much merriment and enjoyment. Lunch was served at the close.

Members of the choir, the Polyanna Mission Circle and the League of the Glencoe Methodist church were present at the regular League meeting on Monday evening to compliment Miss Ada Moore, bride-elect of this month. After an interesting program Chester Bechall read an address and Miss Lila Traver presented Miss Moore with cut glass sherry and plates. The remainder of the evening was spent in games and music.

The new tennis courts, which have been under way for several months, are about completed, and add a great attraction to the town. Tennis players wishing to enter the first tournament of the season to be played on the new courts Monday, May 26, will please hand their membership fee to Betty Grant, treasurer. Gentlemen, \$5; ladies, \$3. The club would like all the young people to take an interest in tennis and help make it a success. A large membership is looked for.

Dutton dramatic club attracted a capacity house in Glencoe on Tuesday night, when they presented their three-act comedy "Her Gloves," under the auspices of the Junior I. O. O. F. The company has several real live artists, and appreciation of the performance was attested in hearty applause by the audience. "Music by the Dutton orchestra was a pleasing feature. Readings by Miss Anna Coates and comic numbers by Mr. Kendall were given between the acts. After the play a dance was given in the Memorial Hall, under the same auspices.

WHAT TO READ

(Stratford Beacon-Herald)
 It is worse than a waste of time to read much of the diatribe that is today printed for the dollars a gullible public will pay for it. It not only serves no worthy purpose but incites a perverted viewpoint of the fundamental facts of life itself. The number of things which it is desirable to read is so large and the average person's leisure so limited that much discrimination should be exercised in the selection of reading matter.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

—Mrs. Mary Small has returned home after spending the winter with her son, George Small, St. Thomas.
 —Mrs. Luckham and daughter Lorna, who have been spending the winter in Florida, are leaving there for home in a few days.
 —R. M. MacPherson, manager of the Bank of Montreal here, is leaving for Toronto tomorrow to attend the annual banquet given by the general manager to the executive and branch managers.

Sweeping clearance of all shoes bought at 20c on the dollar. See Mayhew's ad.

Here and There

Shipments of grain from Vancouver for the 1923-24 season have now passed the 41,000,000 bushel mark. Officials estimate that the 50,000,000 bushel mark set for the season will be surpassed in the near future.

Reports from England state that it has been universally conceded that the Canadian engineering was in the best condition when the King opened the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley on April 23rd. "It was the Canadian building," the reports said, "spick and span and complete to the last nail that led all others in the race to the finish in time for to-day's official opening."

Over 3,000 settlers left Liverpool for Canada on April 24th. Thirteen hundred of these sailed on the Canadian Pacific liner "Montcalm," including a party of 200 skilled workers from Manchester, 38 belonging to engineering trades, 40 to building trades and 42 farm hands. Eighty skilled workers from Leeds and a party of engineers from Barrow-in-Furness were also on board.

A total of 40,000,000 salmon trout eggs has been collected during the season by the Department of Marine and Fisheries in Lake Huron, Georgian Bay and Lake Superior. The total number obtained compares favorably with the average collection of recent years and is sufficient to fill all the hatcheries on the Great Lakes engaged in the propagation of salmon trout.

Graphic and interesting educational motion pictures will bring before the eyes of those who attend the British Empire Exhibition this year. In addition to pictures illustrating the various resources of the provinces, on the ranches and in the mining districts, charts will be used to bring out interesting compilations of statistics illustrative of the provincial agricultural and industrial output.

Carrying an invitation to the President of the United States to attend the celebrations of the 140th anniversary of the settlement of Upper Canada by the United Empire Loyalists, which will be held in June, Miss G. Lazier, herself a descendant of the Loyalists, left Belleville recently on horseback to ride to Washington along a distance of 600 miles. Elaborate arrangements for the celebrations are being made and it is expected that thousands of visitors will attend.

An attractive booklet entitled, "A Week in Quebec in the Spring," by Betty Thornley, internationally known, has just been added to the series of artistic pamphlets published by the Canadian Pacific Railway. It describes the Ancient Capital and its environs, is illustrated by many striking photographs and bound in a cover which reproduces in natural colors the pattern of cloth called catalogue, woven by Quebec habitation women.

That the Indian village of Hochelega, which stood on the site of the present city of Montreal, was a place of about fifty wooden houses having a population of some 4,000 souls when Jacques Cartier sailed up the St. Lawrence, was the assertion made by Dr. W. D. Lighthall before the Antiquarian and Numismatic Society of Montreal recently. Dr. Lighthall was able to give the boundaries of the village and described it as resting at the home of Cedric the Saxon, in "Ivanhoe."

Appropos of the recent "Save the Forest Week," E. W. Beatty, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, stated: "A week's concentration on saving the forests of Canada is well worth while—much better to make it a 'Forest Saving Year' and, if the forest resources of this country are to be conserved adequately avail the greater Canada of a few years hence it must be a 'Forest Saving Generation.' Forest wastage is to-day tragically too great and we Canadians must pay and are paying for the loss."

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A quantity of fertilizer for sale—J. D. McKellar, Glencoe.
 Spend the holiday at West Lorne races—Monday, May 26.

Highest price for eggs in cash or trade, at W. A. Currie's.
 Phenomenal shoe sale commencing Saturday morning at Mayhew's.

You can save money by buying at Lamont's Big Benefit Sale this week. Community paint and varnish day at Wright's Hardware Saturday, May 24th.

A good set of team harness, value \$60, for \$49.50, at Lamont's Benefit Sale this week. Single harness at very low prices.

Traver's Saturday special will be extra special this week for Victoria Day.

Call at Scott's Shoe Store before buying elsewhere, and see our prices for cash.

Flour, oatmeal and different cereals offering at popular low prices, at W. A. Currie's.

I will offer special prices in meats end of week. Store for quality and price.—W. T. Jolly.

Attractive balloons will be distributed to the kiddies at Wright's Hardware May 24th, Saturday.

Ford cars now on display.—M. J. McAlpine, Ford service and sales, Glencoe; Galbraith Bros., Ford dealers, Appin.

Special value offered in bulk black tea, and sugars cheaper; also fruit week, at W. A. Currie's.

A useful article given free with every purchase to the amount of \$2 and over at Lamont's Benefit Sale this week.

Community paint and varnish day at Wright's Hardware Saturday, May 24th.

Upholstering, fine cabinet work, carpenter work, furniture finishing.—J. D. Brown, first door north of Transcript office; phone 63.

Fletcher's saw mill is now in operation. Customers wishing sawing done please have logs in before June 9th.—Fletcher Mfg. Company.

Shopping bags are very popular with the women-folk. Get one at Wright's Hardware Saturday, May 24th.

Some of the articles to be given free at Lamont's Benefit Sale—Shopping bags, boys' and girls' stockings, men's garters, arm bands and suspenders, men's socks, boys' jerseys, handkerchiefs, jersey gloves, harvest hats, etc.

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The famous Martha Washington Dress on display now, sizes up to 52
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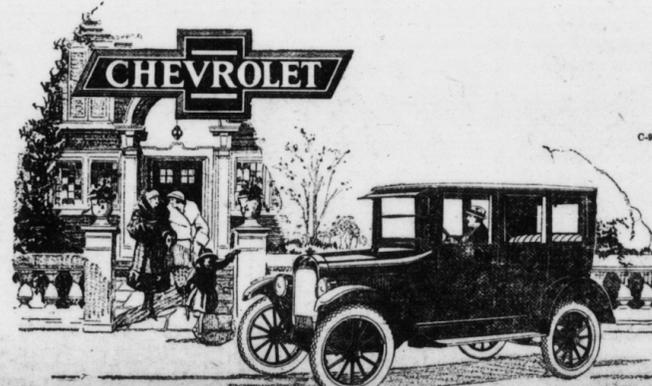
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Dominion News in Brief

Sydney, N.S.—An order for 1,000,000 gallons of creosote for the Canada Creosoting Co., at Trenton, Ont., has been received by the Dominion Tar and Chemical Co. The product is being shipped in tank cars at the rate of 10,000 gallons a day. The local chemical plant takes about 20,000 gallons of tar a day from the Besco works, and the percentage recovery of creosote is quite large.

Fredericton, N.B.—New Brunswick's highway program for 1924 provides for an expenditure of approximately \$860,000. Under the new permanent roads policy embodied in a bill passed at the recent session of the Legislature, it is provided that \$250,000 be spent annually for three years on construction and reconstruction. For construction \$200,000 is also available this year from the fund provided by the capitalization of motor vehicle licenses receipts. For maintenance of trunk and some of the secondary trunk roads, the patrol fund provides \$100,000 this year, while for maintenance of ordinary roads the amount available is \$100,000.

Quebec, Que.—It is reported by the Secretary of the French-Canadian Cattle Breeders' Association that there are 182 breeders of French-Canadian cattle in Quebec and about two thousand head registered in the stock books of the association.

Windsor, Ont.—Providing that early spring weather conditions are favorable, the tobacco crop for 1924 in Essex County will in all probability total 10,000,000 pounds, according to an estimate prepared by the Provincial Department of Agriculture. Last year the crop was ruined by frosts, but this year the growers are

seedling a larger acreage than ever and a renewed effort will be made to bring back the tobacco industry to its former position of importance in this country.

Winnipeg, Man.—Preparations for the establishment of a central steam heating plant for Winnipeg are going ahead rapidly and to date contracts guaranteeing a revenue of \$50,000 annually have been signed. Tenders since 1910. The combined outputs in 1923 amounted to 37,015,230 pounds. At the present time a large export business is being built up by the prairie provinces, Saskatchewan's exports alone amounting to over 7,000,000 pounds for the past year. Part of this was sold in Chicago and New York.

Regina, Sask.—Production of creamery butter in the three provinces of Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Alberta has increased by 1,000 per cent. since 1910. The combined outputs in 1923 amounted to 37,015,230 pounds. At the present time a large export business is being built up by the prairie provinces, Saskatchewan's exports alone amounting to over 7,000,000 pounds for the past year. Part of this was sold in Chicago and New York.

Lethbridge, Alta.—Smashing records for gas wells drilled in Canada, the Robers-Imperial well at Coulters, which came in at 2,528 feet recently, was tested, measuring 62,480,000 feet open flow in 24 hours. The rock pressure was 840 pounds. The output is about 30,000,000 feet of dry gas.

Vancouver, B.C.—Granville Island, Vancouver, is to have another addition to its already many and varied industries, work having been started on the erection of a lumber mill there for K. M. McNeil. Approximately \$200,000 of foreign capital has been invested and with the installation of the mill, it is intended to handle both hard and soft woods.

U. E. L. COURIER ARRIVES IN NEW YORK

Miss Gwendolen Lazier Travelling on Horseback from Belleville to Washington.

A despatch from New York says: Miss Gwendolen Lazier, who is riding on horseback from Belleville, Ont., to Washington to present President Coolidge with an invitation to attend the celebration in honor of the 140th anniversary of the settlement of Upper Canada, visited Mayor Hylan at the City Hall on Friday. She invited him to be present at the exercises, which will be held in Belleville on June 16th and 17th.

A despatch from Belleville says: The news that Miss Gwen Lazier, Belleville's premier horsewoman and U. E. L. courier to Washington, had reached New York five days ahead of schedule came as a distinct surprise to members of the Celebration Executive Committee here Friday night. Leaving Belleville on April 26, a daily run of 25 miles was considered the maximum mileage, and it is a tribute to both girl and horse that this schedule was surpassed.

On receipt of the news that the courier had reached New York City, Mayor W. C. Mikel sent a telegram of congratulation to Miss Lazier on behalf of the U. E. L. Executive. Plans for the monster celebration here in June have been completed, ex-Mayor Charles Hanna, Chairman of the Executive Committee, announced, and a director is being sent to Belleville to arrange settings for a four-day pageant in which over 500 people will take part during the four days of the celebration. Scenes to be depicted will be taken from the pioneer days of Prince Edward County and the coming of the Loyalist settlers to Canada.

Medal Conferred for Benefit of Humanity Awarded to Ban

A despatch from Chicago says: Dr. E. D. Burton, president of the University of Chicago, announced on Thursday that the committee on award of the Rosenberg Medal, to be conferred for benefit to humanity, has recommended the name of Dr. F. C. Banting of the University of Toronto, for the discovery of insulin. The award will be made next month.

MANY FOREST FIRES IN NORTHERN ALBERTA

Peace River Country Cut Off—Saskatchewan Districts Suffer.

A despatch from Edmonton says: Bush fires are raging over wide areas in Northern Alberta. The most serious outbreaks are west of Edmonton, northwest of Athabasca, and in the Peace River country. Six hundred thousand feet of logs, the property of H. Roberts, were burned near Whitecourt, northwest of Edmonton. Telegraphic communication with the Peace River country has been interrupted by the fires burning the poles bringing the wires down with them. So far no loss of life has been reported.

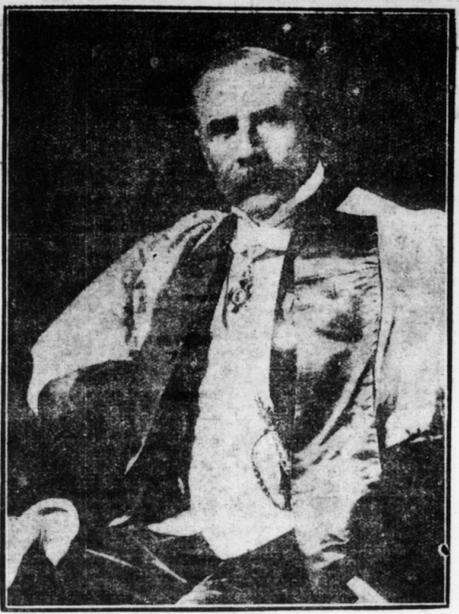
A despatch from Prince Albert says: Word reached the city on Thursday that disastrous fire swept large areas in Ainslie, North Saskatchewan and Paddock Wood districts, about 25 miles north of Prince Albert, burning out two homesteads without loss of life to humans or stock. Numerous bush fires were raging early Thursday morning in the district named, but are now petering out. It is rumored another fire is still active on an Indian reserve north of Ainslie.

British Women Oppose Child Emigration to Dominions

A despatch from London says: Protests against the emigration of children, apart from their relatives, to the Dominions were made by delegates to the National Conference of Labor Women now being held in London. A resolution was passed urging that such emigration should be stopped until completely satisfactory plans were established for ascertaining the children's own inclinations in the matter and for supervising the children after their arrival in the Dominions.

Mrs. Harrison Bell, president of the National Conference of Labor Women, said the Overseas Settlement Committee, on the invitation of the Canadian authorities, was sending a deputation to Canada to investigate the conditions under which immigrant children were maintained there.

An elephant works from the age of 12 to the age of 80. It can haul 15 tons, lift half a ton, and carry 3 tons on its back.



Considered the greatest living English composer, Sir Edward Elgar has been appointed by King George as Master of King's Music, to succeed the late Sir Walter Parratt. He was knighted in 1904 and received the Order of Merit in 1911.

MINER TO REPRESENT MONARCH OF BRITAIN

James Brown Will Leave Two-Roomed Cottage for Palace of Holyrood

London, May 18.—From a two-roomed cottage in the little mining village of Ann Bank, in the Scottish County of Ayrshire, James Brown, the miner M.P., accompanied by his wife, will on Monday journey to Edinburgh to take up his quarters in Holyrood Palace for ten days as the representative of King George at the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

James Brown was recommended by Premier Ramsay MacDonald for the post of Lord High Commissioner at the General Assembly. In other words, he is to represent the King and receive quasi-royal honors. His wife will be addressed as your Grace, and for attending ladies of honor she will have a Duchess and a Marchioness.

Yesterday and to-day she was busy with her household duties in her tiny cottage, among other things, frying sausages for her husband's dinner. To one of the newspaper correspondents to-day she said that the black velvet dress which she is to wear for the journey to Edinburgh on Monday had not yet arrived.

"It is a nice enough dress," she said, "but if it does not turn up I shall just go in my ordinary clothes. All my other dresses will be waiting for me at Holyrood Palace. At the great reception on Friday night I shall wear black chiffon velvet, and have a heliotrope and silver dress for afternoon and also one in black maroon and grey."

Mrs. Brown spent a day during the week with the Marchioness of Ales, her lady-in-waiting, whose castle home is about 18 miles from Ann Bank. Such is the natural staidness of the Lord High Commissioner that it never strikes him as wonderful that the woman who has lived 35 years in a two-roomed cottage in a mining village should spend ten splendid days in the King's Palace with a Marchioness to wait upon her.

ROUND-WORLD AIR TRIP IN 17 DAYS

British Company Has Not Yet Announced When Regular Service Will Begin.

London, May 18.—The press agent of the Imperial Airways, a new £1,000,000 British company, has issued a time table for a round-the-world air trip which, he says, it is possible to complete in seventeen days.

The date when this service will begin is not given, but it will be made by a combination of airplanes and airships. Flying via Paris, travellers will reach Constantinople the morning after they leave London. Then a long distance airship liner will take them to Australia, which they will reach on the ninth day. Another such cloud clipper will take them to San Francisco.

Express airplanes will make the next stage of the journey to New York, which will be reached on the fifteenth day. Two more days will land the travellers back home in London on board a new airship about to be delivered in the United States by the Zeppelins.

The man who can not fill his heart with love for his fellow-mortals may fill his pay envelope or his bank account to overflowing, but he still remains a pitiable bankrupt, a lamentable failure.—B. C. Forbes.

HERO OF MESOPOTAMIA PASSED AWAY IN PARIS

Major-General Sir Charles B. F. Townshend Served in Egypt, India and S. Africa.

Paris, May 18.—Major-General Sir Charles B. F. Townshend, famous as the defender of Kut-el-Amara when he was commander of the British forces in Mesopotamia during the World War, died here to-day after six months' illness. He was on a visit to his mother-in-law, Countess Cahen d'Anvers, at the time of his death. Major-General Townshend was born in 1861. He entered the Royal Marines in 1881 and saw extensive military service in Egypt, India and South Africa.

At the outbreak of the World War he was given command of the British forces in the attempt to take Bagdad from the Turks. After a few initial successes the Turks, who greatly outnumbered the British, drove back Gen. Townshend's forces to Kut-el-Amara, the British suffering heavy losses in their retreat. From December, 1915, to April, 1916, the British gallantly held Kut-el-Amara, but finally were compelled to surrender.

During the siege British aviators several times flew over Kut-el-Amara and dropped food to the starving troops inside. General Townshend declared afterwards that Kut-el-Amara never was captured by the Turks; that the town fell after 148 days of siege from starvation and mental and physical hardships which were indescribable. The Turkish commander permitted Gen. Townshend to retain his sword when the town fell. The British official report at the time of the capitulation announced that the British force numbered 8,970 men. Gen. Townshend was released by the Turks when Turkey signed the armistice on October 30, 1918.

APRIL WHEAT EXPORTS INCREASE IN VOLUME

Monetary Value is Lower Than That of April, 1923, Exports.

A despatch from Ottawa says: A steady increase in the volume of wheat exports from Canada is noted in the monthly statement issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. In April, 1924, 6,985,465 bushels in all were exported, as against 5,143,304 in April, 1923.

The monetary value this year, however, was lower by about \$300,000, totalling \$5,998,870. Included in these figures are 32,805 bushels sent to the United States, 2,972,469 to the United Kingdom, and 3,080,191 to other countries.

There is also a slight increase in the quantity of wheat flour exported, including 8,984 barrels to the United States, 241,222 to the United Kingdom, and 636,448 barrels to other countries, or a total of 889,654 barrels. Oats exported last month jumped to 1,347,565 bushels, compared with 453,173 in April, 1923. There was also a big increase in the exports of barley and rye.

Prince of Wales to Visit Rhodesia Next Year

A despatch from Salisbury, Rhodesia, says: Sir John Chancellor, Governor of Southern Rhodesia, announces that the Prince of Wales will visit Rhodesia early in the summer of 1925, or towards the end of the year.

He that takes too great a leap falls into the ditch.

POLAND AND ROUMANIA MENACED BY MASSING OF SOVIET TROOPS

King and Queen of Roumania on State Visit to London, But True Object of Pilgrimage is Search for Both Military Security and Financial Aid.

London, May 18.—Alarm again is felt by both Roumania and Poland at military measures recently taken by the Bolsheviks on the frontiers of those countries. The concentration of Russian troops and artillery on the borders includes 20,000 cyclists.

The most interesting development arising out of this scare is the sudden turn of Roumania and Poland to Turkey for aid in the event of trouble. Turkish missions have arrived both at Warsaw and Bucharest where they are concerting plans for defence with the Polish and Roumanian general staffs.

Turkey's grievance against Russia at the moment is the expulsion of all Turks from the Caucasus which is said now to be taking place. The causes of anxiety on the part of Russia's neighbors are the Russian desire to recover Bessarabia from Roumania and the Russian determination not to allow Poland to keep the extensive non-Polish areas which lie within the present military frontier.

With the state visit to this country of King Ferdinand and Queen Marie of Roumania, accompanied by the Foreign Minister, Duca, following close on the downfall of Premier Poincare and immediately preceding the plenary session of the Anglo-Soviet conference, several loose ends of European diplomacy have been linked up here during the past week.

Officially, the visit of the Roumanian

crowns has been merely one of courtesy, but the political fiction that a King and Queen travel from one end of the continent to the other merely for a change of air has not served to slur over the political significance of the visit. The royal pilgrimage was undertaken in search of both military security and financial aid.

It is an open secret that the visitors' failure to obtain either one in Paris has increased the importance attached by them to their visit here. The Roumanian Government is known to be taking the closest interest in the Anglo-Soviet conference now sitting here, although the questions in which the Balkan state is primarily concerned really come outside the immediate scope of the conference.

Roumania's foreign policy is dominated by three questions—the first being the future of Bessarabia, the frontier province, 100,000 square miles in area, with rich corn lands and a population of 2,000,000. Jurisdiction over this province is in dispute between Roumania and Soviet Russia. The second question is the recovery of the Roumanian national treasure, consisting of a gold reserve and state jewels valued jointly at \$200,000,000. This was deposited in Petrograd during the war and was seized by the Soviet Government.

The third question is the settlement of free access from the Black Sea, through the Dardanelles to the Medi-

CANADA'S EXHIBIT HUGE SUCCESS

Proving of Great Value to Dominion in Attracting Attention of Visitors.

A despatch from London says:—A recent debate in the House of Commons registered some anxiety concerning the success of the British Empire Exhibition. To make it a financial success the attendance must average 175,000 daily, and so far the average has only been 30,000. As far as the Canadian section is concerned, however, it is already evident that the Government's million dollar investment is going to bring substantial returns. In the way of advertising it is apparent that the exhibition will be of incalculable value, and early as it is, can show a fair total of actual sales. A Canadian show case manufacturer who sent over an unattended exhibit was called an order for 150 lots, placed with the Canadian Exhibition authorities by a merchant from Argentina. The firm immediately rushed a representative over to take charge of its stand.

The presence of exhibition visitors has led big London stores to make special displays of Dominion products in their shops. There have been many comments on the high quality of the Canadian cheese, butter, etc., and this is understood to be partly due to the foresight of the Canadian provision trade and the Department of Trade and Commerce last winter in making available in London cold stores a carefully selected supply of these products of the highest quality. It is noteworthy that Canadian butter and cheese also bulk very largely in the supplies used by the exhibition restaurants, while those of New Zealand, despite their a-mitted quality, have not been stocked at all.

The Week's Markets

TORONTO.
Man. wheat—No. 1 North, \$1.09 1/4; No. 3 North, \$1.02 1/2.
Man. oats—No. 3 CW, 41¢; No. 1, 40¢.
Man. barley—Nominal.
All the above c.i.f. bay ports.
Ont. barley—65 to 70¢.
Ayr.—No. 2 yellow, 95¢.
Ont. Rye—74 to 78¢.
Peas—No. 2, \$1.40 to \$1.45.
Milled—Del. Montreal freights, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$24; shorts, per ton, \$22; middlings, \$22; good feed flour, \$18.
Ont. wheat—No. 2 white, \$1 to \$1.10, outside.
Ontario No. 2 white oats—39 to 41¢.
Ont. corn—Nominal.
Ont. flour—Ninety per cent. pat., in jute bags, Montreal, prompt shipment, \$4.75; Toronto basis, \$4.75; bulk, seaboard, \$4.40.
Man. flour—1st pats., in jute sacks, \$6.10 per bbl.; 2nd pats., \$5.60.
Hay—Extra No. 2 timothy, per ton, track, Toronto, \$16; No. 2, \$16; No. 3, \$13 to \$14; mixed, \$11 to \$11.50; lower grades, \$10 to \$12.
Straw—Carlots, per ton \$8.50 to \$10.
Screening—Standard, re-cleaned, f.o.b., Bay ports, per ton, \$17.
Hops—New, large, 1 1/2 to 1 3/4; twins, 17 to 18¢; triplets, 18 to 19¢; Stiltons, 20¢. Old, large, 22 to 23¢; twins, 23 to 24¢; triplets, 24 to 25¢.
Butter—Finest creamery, 24 to 26¢; No. 1 creamery, 22 to 23¢; No. 2, 22 to 23¢; dairy, 28 to 30¢.
Eggs—Extras, fresh, in cartons, 30 to 31¢; extra loose, 28¢; firsts, 25 to 26¢; seconds, 22 to 23¢.
Live poultry—Chickens, 3 to 4 lbs., 25¢; hens, over 5 lbs., 20¢; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 24¢; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 15¢; spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over, 25¢; roosters, 18¢; ducklings, over 5 lbs., 26¢; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 24¢.
Dressed poultry—Chickens, 3 to 4 lbs., 30¢; hens, over 5 lbs., 28¢; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 18¢; spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over, 22¢; roosters, 22¢.
Beans—Can., hand-picked, lb., 6 1/2¢; primes, 6¢.
Maple products—Syrup, per imp. gal., \$2.50; per gal. tin, \$2.40 per gal.; maple sugar, lb., 25 to 26¢.
Honey—60 lb. tins, 11 to 11 1/2¢ per lb.; 10-lb. tins, 11 to 12¢; 5-lb. tins, 11 1/2 to 12¢; 2 1/2-lb. tins, 12 1/2 to 13¢; comb honey, per doz., No. 1, \$9.75 to \$4; No. 2, \$2.50 to \$3.50.
Smoked meats—Hams, med., 28 to 24¢; cooked hams, 34 to 38¢; smoked rolls, 17 to 18¢; cottage rolls, 18 to 20¢; breakfast bacon, 21 to 25¢; special brand breakfast bacon, 28 to 30¢; backs, boneless, 28 to 30¢.
Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 50 to 70 lbs., \$18.50; 70 to 90 lbs., \$18; 90 lbs. and up, \$17; lightweight rolls, in barrels, \$37; heavyweight rolls, \$32.

New Zealand Shows \$1,812,000 Surplus

A despatch from Wellington says:—The New Zealand accounts for the year show a surplus of \$1,812,000. The revenue was \$27,960,000 and the expenditure declined. Premier Massey states the figures show the remarkable prosperity of the country. Though reductions were made in land and income taxes, the prosperity was such that the revenue increased. The State Advances Department lent \$5,500,000 for housing and land settlement. It is anticipated that a further \$3,000,000 will be available this year.

Repopulation of London Business Area Foreseen

Repopulation of the City of London proper—a square mile in the centre of the English capital, which hitherto has been deserted for many years, but is completely deserted after night-fall—may result from the abolition of the "inhabited house duty" by Chancellor Philip Snowden, the city's Lord Mayor claims.

In future business men may again live over their offices without the house duty being required. Many office dwellings will now be reconverted into dwellings, so as to save the owners the expense of keeping up two establishments, and this probably will lead to the return of the good old days when the City families lived in the City.

Minister Asks Airplane to Cover Large Parish

"Sky pilot" as a nickname for a clergyman will soon have more definite significance if the example of the Rev. L. Daniels, formerly a London curate, now in charge of a parish in New South Wales, Australia, is widely followed, says a London despatch. The minister is here to make an appeal for a single-seat airplane to enable him effectively to travel among the members of his congregation, scattered over a parish as large as all of England.

His district, Wilcannia, in the far west corner of the Australian state, has an area of 40,000 square miles. It consists of a number of small townships, many of which are about 200 miles away from his home station. Then, too, there are scattered sheep farms and isolated homesteads.

The Rev. Mr. Daniels will be able to manage his own plane if he gets it, for he was trained as a pilot during the war.

King Will Allow Order of St. Patrick to Lapse

Now that Ireland is no longer a part of his majesty's first domain, the illustrious Order of St. Patrick—the proud motto of which is "Quis Separabit?"—is to be allowed to lapse.

This noble order, which was founded in 1783 by George III as the Irish sister to the Order of the Garter, has been the highest honor the sovereign could confer on an Irishman. During its existence it has numbered the noblest Irish peers among its knights.

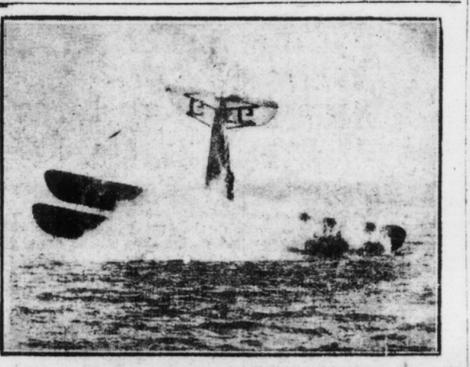
Until the present generation all the male members of the royal family have been Knights of St. Patrick, but the sovereign as grand master and the Duke of Connaught at present are the only royal members. Although the Prince of Wales commonly appears in public wearing the Order's insignia on his breast along with the Garter and the Thistle, he is not technically entitled to do so, as he has never been appointed and enrolled.

Three Million Russians Now in Exile

Grand Duke Nicholas of Russia, who is now residing in Paris, estimates that there are 3,000,000 Russians in exile, about 500,000 of whom are living in France. More Russians of distinguished rank under the old regime are residents of Paris and suburbs than any other part of Europe. Most of them are at work of some kind or another or are living on the fragments of their former fortunes.



After commanding the Estonian fleet during the war, Admiral Sir John Fitzka has decided to take up fruit farming in British Columbia. He is shown leaving Liverpool with his daughter.



When the British air ministry wanted to find out how long a plane would float after falling into the sea, they didn't waste any time on theoretical computations. The G-12 was ordered to take the header, and this is the result.

A Rousing Shoe Sale

May 24
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QUESTIONS and Bible Answers

What weapon did Jesus use to defeat Satan in the Temptation?—Matt. 4: 7, 10.

NEWBURY

Frank Wood and Mr. Kane, of Windsor, spent the week-end with the former's parents here.

Mrs. (Dr.) Taylor, of Forest, called on friends in town Monday.

Mrs. Sandford Little and son Gordon, of Welland, visited last week with her daughter, Mrs. Will Woods.

R. Adair Bayne arrived home on Wednesday last from Toronto where he is attending University.

Raymond McComb, wife and daughter and his mother, of London, have been visiting at Wm. Glennie's while on a motor trip to Detroit.

Wm. Blackhall has moved into rooms in Mrs. McCully's building.

Miss Emma Martin, of Lambeth, is visiting her brother, George Martin.

Nomination for a trustee to fill the place of James Whittington, who moved to Northwood, was held on Friday evening. Will Woods was elected by acclamation.

Noble Hurdle met with a serious accident on Friday, while working at his mill. He fell, breaking his leg above the ankle.

The Newbury-Mosa Women's Institute met in their rooms on Thursday when election of officers was held. The new officers are:—Mrs. R. H. Winters, president; Mrs. Frank Robinson, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Ed Haggitt, 2nd vice-president; Miss Ida Haggitt, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Watson, district director; Mrs. Galbraith and Miss Mary Armstrong, auditors; Mrs. Matt. Armstrong, Mrs. David Logan, Mrs. Duncan Stalker and Mrs. H. Owens, directors.

Born—17th, to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fischer, a son—Bruce Dolson.

Baking Sale.—Anglican Guild will hold a sale of homemade baking tomorrow, Friday, at Mrs. Crim's.

Mt. Zion Lodge, No. 46, I.O.O.F., with visiting brethren from Glencoe, Rodney and Windsor, about seventy strong, marched from the lodge room to Knox church on Sunday afternoon. Rev. H. Bollingbroke preached a fine sermon. The choir sang special music, Mrs. P. T. Galbraith taking the solo part most acceptably.

An Oil of Merit.—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is not a jumble of medicinal substances thrown together and pushed by advertising, but the result of the careful investigation of the healing qualities of certain oils as applied to the human body. It is a rare combination and it won and kept public favor from the first. A trial of it will carry conviction to any who doubt its power to repair and heal.

"Triplets," announced the nurse to the proud father.

"Really," he said, "I can hardly believe my own census."

WARDSVILLE

Miss Rhea McRae spent the week-end in London with her sister, Miss Jean McRae.

Mrs. Reynolds and daughter and Wm. McIntosh, of Detroit, spent some time with Mrs. Morrison previous to her death.

Mrs. Steele, of Windsor, is visiting Mrs. C. Nichols.

Misses Janet Elliott and Marion Reid spent the week-end in London, where they attended the W.O.S.S.A. track meet on Saturday.

Frank Murphy spent Sunday with his parents here.

F. Radcliffe left on Monday by boat from Sarnia to spend the summer at Fort William and nearby points.

The Rt. Rev. Dr. Williams, Bishop of Huron, held a confirmation class on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in St. James' Anglican church. There were seven candidates for confirmation—Miss Edna Shred, Mr. and Mrs. C. Clements and Percy Shred, all of Newbury, and Miss Nora Henderson, Miss Norma Willis and Mrs. Wm. Randles, of Wardsville. Dr. Williams gave a pleasing and interesting sermon centred around the fact that "Although earthly things will pass away, the Word of our Lord, which has stood the test of 2,000 years, will never pass away."

Rev. R. J. Murphy represented St. James' church at the Synod in London last week.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church met in the church on Wednesday, May 14th, to bid farewell to Mrs. Daum, of Woodgreen. Mrs. Bridgette, on behalf of the society, presented Mrs. Daum with a life membership certificate and pin. Mrs. Daum will be greatly missed from the society. All join in wishing her prosperity in her new home.

At a meeting of the Women's Institute held Thursday afternoon in the town hall the following officers were elected for the coming year:—President, Mrs. (Rev.) Murphy; vice-president, Mrs. H. Watterworth; secretary, Miss E. Campbell; treasurer, Mrs. W. Mitchell; district director, Mrs. H. Harvey; directors—Mrs. O'Malley, Mrs. O. Glenn, Mrs. Creagan; auditors—Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. H. Watterworth. In the copper contest which the ladies have been holding, the side captained by Mrs. Mitchell won. The total amount of coppers brought in was \$36.33. The treasurer then gave her report, which showed the receipts for the year to be \$112 while the expenses were \$50.

Notice.—Monuments, in Scotch and Canadian granite; inscriptions engraved at your cemetery a specialty.—Wardsville Granite & Marble Works; Chas. Minna, proprietor.

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WALKERS

A pleasant time was spent on Thursday evening, May 15th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hetherington, when about sixty friends and neighbors surprised their daughter, Edna, bride-elect of this month, with a miscellaneous shower. There were many beautiful and useful gifts. A musical program was given consisting of violin and piano selections, recitations and solos. Lunch was served, after which a few hours of dancing was enjoyed. After singing "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow" the party expressed their best wishes for her future happiness.

Miss Hetherington's marriage to James L. Watterworth, of Highland Park, Detroit, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Watterworth, Wardsville, takes place the latter part of May.

Mr. Musgrave has bought the flour and feed stores at North Ekfrid and Appin.

Miss Elsie Mills is home from London making preparations for a trip to California. She expects to start on the 23rd of this month.

Bert Pierce has purchased a new piano.

Mr. Musgrave has purchased a carload of Northwest oats.

The Progressive Girls' Mission Band met at Miss Lizzie Down's on Wednesday afternoon of last week, with a good attendance. The afternoon was spent in quilting, and lunch was served.

Miss Adeline Pierce returned home from Fingal on Sunday, accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Hagerty.

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MODEL CENTRE

Dan Campbell has purchased the farm of J. D. McKellar.

Sunday School opened in No. 7 school on May 18th and will continue through the summer months. A good attendance is requested for next Sunday as the classes will be organized.

The Heartbreakers met last Friday and organized soft-ball teams of both girls and boys.

Steve Eddie underwent an operation on the antrums last Friday and is reported to be doing nicely.

Miss Christina Thornicroft spent the week at Chester Thornicroft's.

APPIN

The Appin Women's Institute will hold their summer meeting at the home of Mrs. Strobe on Wednesday, May 28, at 2.30 p.m. Mrs. Woelard, of Toronto, will be the speaker. All ladies who are interested in Institute work are welcome.

The Young People's Society of the Presbyterian church met last Friday evening in the town hall. A social time was spent, with a musical program. The young folks decided to organize a soft-ball team for both girls and boys. A dainty lunch was served at the close of the meeting.

Miss Fraser, of Toronto, is visiting at Dr. Macdonald's.

The Presbyterian choir is busy practicing for Bethel anniversary next Sunday.

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SOUTH EKFRID

Miss Ada Tanner spent Sunday at her home near Appin.

James McRae spent Thursday and Friday of last week at Lambeth and London.

John L. Tait, Russell Coad and Fred Burgess spent Sunday in Newbury.

Wm. Trestain and John Allan spent Saturday in London.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Hyndman, Mrs. George Coad, Mrs. James McRae and R. D. Coad attended a meeting of the U.F.O. executive in Strathroy on Wednesday of last week.

The regular monthly meeting of the U.F.W.O. will be held at the home of Mrs. D. A. Dobbie on Wednesday, May 28th. All members please attend.

Neil Hyndman spent the week-end in Detroit.

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WOODGREEN

Woodgreen, May 15.—Elliott Whitlock, of Detroit, spent the week-end at his home here.

The Swastika Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Daum on Wednesday evening. Preparations were made for a soft-ball team. This was the last business meeting of the winter months. Throughout the summer soft-ball will be enjoyed.

Lunch was served at the close of the meeting. Mother's Day was observed by the Union Sunday School on May 11th. Rev. Mr. Murphy, of Wardsville, addressed the crowded schoolroom, and Mr. Ashdown gave a talk, both speeches being enjoyed by all. A special collection was taken. We wish that our Sunday School could be as well attended every Sunday. Visitors are cordially invited to come at any time.

Sam and Frank Schellenberg, of Sebringville, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. A. Daum.

Miss Muriel Weekes, of Glencoe, spent the week-end at H. Harvey's.

Ralph Perrin has purchased a Ford car.

Miss Mary Scrimshaw has returned home after a three weeks' visit at Windsor and other points.

Mrs. F. Underhill, of Bothwell, who has been spending the last couple of weeks with her mother, Mrs. G. Scrimshaw, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Daum moved this week to Sebringville.

CAIRO

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bessinger, Newman Hayward, Mrs. Cecil Hayward and son James, all of Detroit, called on Mrs. Agnes Smith on Tuesday.

Mrs. M. D. Smith left for Windsor on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Forman, of Alvinston, visited his mother on Sunday.

Gordon Smith, of Windsor, spent the week-end with his mother.

The many friends of Mrs. Fred Burdon, who has been ill for some time, will be sorry to know that she is not improving.

Miss Velma Young is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Albert Rush, of Bothwell.

Fred Thompson has purchased Mr. Gerrard's store in Bothwell and intends moving shortly.

Rev. R. G. McKay, of Dresden, will preach in the Cairo Presbyterian church on Sunday, May 25th.

Born—May 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Downie, a daughter; May 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Longley, a son.

CASHMERE

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Charles Morrison. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Stiller and sons spent Sunday in Newbury with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Jeffery.

Mrs. Earl Tunks and two sons were Chatham visitors on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dark entertained the choir on Friday evening.

MELBOURNE

Melbourne, May 16.—Rev. W. W. Shoup and daughters left on the 13th for their home in Florida, where Mrs. Shoup and three of the children spent the winter. Prior to their departure Misses Constance and Helen were presented with a box of gifts valued at \$12.

The official board of the Methodist church have closed their business for the year. A most successful year is shown in every department. The Ladies' Aid raised almost \$700. There are only seventy-two families, yet they raised over \$3,600. The Ladies' Aid are now busy preparing the parsonage for the new minister, to be in charge on July 1st.

An interesting game of ball was played here this evening between Fernhill and Melbourne. The score was 12-11, in favor of Melbourne. This was a league game. People came from far and near to see it.

Melbourne young people motored to Dutton on the 16th and gave their play, entitled "My Wild Irish Rose." This is six times the play has been given by our young people.

The members of the U.F.W.O. will meet at the home of Mrs. James Sutherland on the 15th.

Melbourne, May 20.—The members of the I.O.O.F. Lodge of this place held their annual service in the Methodist church on Sunday. Rev. A. S. Whitehall, of Glencoe, conducted the service. Members of the Order were present from Mount Brydges, Glencoe, Strathroy and Kerwood. Special music was given by the choir under the leadership of Mrs. Sparling Clarke. Mr. Lewis, Mr. Root and Mr. Lindsay gave a selection that was much appreciated by the large gathering.

Rev. A. Boa will conduct anniversary service at the Sutherland appointment next Sunday.

Miss Stella Long, of London, and Garnet Long, of Cleveland, spent the week-end at their home here.

Archie McDougald, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Archie McDougald, of Ekfrid township, passed away at his home here on Monday after a few months' illness, in his 77th year. He is survived by his widow, formerly Miss Florence McKee; four sons—Allan, at home; Dan, Wallace and A. D., in the Canadian West; and three brothers—Dan and Lachlin, of Ekfrid, and A. P., of Melbourne. The funeral service will be held Wednesday afternoon from his late residence, with interment in Mayfair cemetery.

SHETLAND

Walter Lewis spent the week-end with his parents.

Charles Bolton spent Sunday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stinson and children spent the week-end at Fred Jeffery's.

Miss Ila Bolton spent last Wednesday with Mrs. John Shortt.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bolton spent Saturday with Croton friends.

MIDDLEMISS

The recent rains have made the ground so wet that very little planting has been done.

Mrs. J. McDonald and Miss Lewellyn were in London on Saturday.

A tribute came to Middlemiss when on Saturday, 17th, at London Graham McDonald won a bronze medal in the 3-lb. shot put in competition in the junior high school athletic sports for Western Ontario.

J. B. Hooper was in St. Thomas on business on Friday.

L.O.L. 2532, Middlemiss, held their regular meeting in the Baptist chapel on May 14 and put on one initiation, one Blue degree and three Royal Arch degrees. About forty visiting brethren were present from St. Thomas, Dutton, West Lorne, Melbourne and Mount Brydges. After enjoying a pleasant and instructive evening lunch was served.

Harry Chappell, who was on the sick-list for a few days, is at work again.

Jack has procured another puddle-jumper. It goes much better than the old one.

We are wondering when the Ekfrid council intend putting the river road bridge in repair, so it will be safe to cross. Perhaps they would rather wait until they have a chance to spend another few hundred dollars in a damage suit.

BETHEL—MACKSVILLE

Mrs. Ernest Caverhill, of Iderton, is spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boyd.

John C. McAlpine, of Detroit, paid a visit to his old home over the week-end.

We are glad to know that Mrs. Angus Galbraith is doing nicely after her recent operation in St. Joseph's Hospital, also her daughter, Velda, who underwent an operation for appendicitis.

A number from here attended the funeral on Sunday of Thos. Hardy, North Ekfrid.

Sunday School anniversary will be held in Bethel on Sunday, May 25, when Mr. Hopper, of Delaware, will have charge of services at 3 o'clock and 7.30. Special music will be rendered by the Presbyterian choir of Appin.

EKFRID STATION

The Sunday School will be held at 11 o'clock next Sunday morning. Hugh Brodie, of Deserware, will have charge. Everybody welcome.



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