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## ST. LAWRENCE DEVELOPMENT WILL NOT COME UNDER DIRECT TAXATION

Power Does not "Cost", it "Pays" 500 People hear Mayor Maguire Explain Development Plan

About five hundred people assembled at the Music Hall on Wednesday evening to get first hand information, from Mayor C. A. Maguire, of Toronto, about the proposed St. Lawrence Power Development at Morrisburg, and the great Hydro System of Ontario

The construction of this great St. Lawrence Development, as proposed by the Ontario Hydro Municipal Association, of which Mayor Maguire is president,, will commence as soon as the Association is granted permission by the Dominion Government to proceed with the work.

The Municipal Association is composed of 631 municipalities in the Province of Ontario, including Morrisburg. Representatives from these municipalities are to meet Premier King at Ottawa today (Friday) when they will announce that they are prepared to spend $80,000,000 on the St. Lawrence Dam at Morrisburg, which, it is estimated, will produce from 300,000 to 400,000 Horse Power. This dam will also raise the level of Lake Ontario and thereby improve navigation.

In his opening remarks, Wednesday evening, Mr Maguire said he wished to thank the people of Morrisburg for the invitation sent to him in Toronto, to come and speak on a matter which was of vital import—ance to the people of this municipality and vicinity. It was significant too, that he should be asked to come and address the people in the constituency of the late Sir James Whitney, with whom he had been associated, and it was the great leadership of the late Prime Minister that had made it possible for him to speak on the question of the great water development at present.

The great Hydro Power Development of the Province of Ontario, had its beginning in Toronto in 1908, when transmission lines were erected to furnish 12 other municipalities. The first wheel was turned in 1911, when application were received from ten other municipalities to join the union. Today, the union comprised 631 municipalities, representing an outlay of $250,000,000 of which the Province was not asked to pay one five cent piece through direct taxation. The municipalities furnished their own bonds, and when a municipality applied for power, a survey of the municipality was made, and if the amount of service required did not warrant putting in a transmission line, the Commission did not approve its installation. A saving of $30,000,000 had been effected through the use of Hydro in this province since 1912.

In 1925, when expansion takes place, we would have to deny power to the industries seeking to locate in this province. Therefore, on Friday morning, representatives of the united municipalities were coming all the way from Windsor to Ottawa to ask the Prime Minister that the great development at Morrisburg take place at once. This great water power was the heritage of the people, and they should fight shoulder to shoulder with Sir Adam for their own rights

To bring home to the people of Morrisburg, the actual saving through the use of Hydro, the speaker said that prior to using Hydro in his own home, his bills amounted to from $10 to $12 per month. Today, with the use of Electric Irons, Washing Machine, Toaster, etc, his bills amounted to from $3.50 to $4.00 per month. The average domestic bill in Toronto was 93½c per month. Hydro was the friend of the poor man. It was up to us, he said, to get behind Sir Adam Beck in the harnessing of the millions and millions of Horse Power passing by our door. It did not require much discussion to prove that Hydro was a good investment, and without any liability to the province. No bank or loan company would refuse to guarantee the bonds of 361 Ontario municipalities. The credit of Toronto and 360 other municipalities would have to be exhausted before anyone was asked to pay one cent. No other private concern could present such a statement.

Mr. Maguire paid a warm tribute to Sir Adam by saying that he was the most wonderful citizen of his day; no man had rendered more valuable service to his country than he had. The speaker expressed pleasure at the Premier's statement as published in the newspapers on Wednesday—"I am glad to tell you, from my knowledge of what the contents of the Gregory Commission's report will be, that it is a complete vindication of the whole Chippawa development scheme, and an endorsation of the genius and ability of the man who originated the scheme, Sir Adam Beck." The foregoing statement was made by the Premier on the occasion of the turning on of the sixth unit which adds 55,000 H.P. to the Chippawa plant, making a total of 350,000 H P.

The speaker referred to the very important service rendered by Hydro during the war. He gave Sir Adam great credit for trying to get back for the people that which belonged to the people. Hydro was not beyond its experimental stage, and the future of Hydro, which was greater than any political game, was based on the same plan as that of the other 361 municipalities who are today enjoying its benefits. The greatest inducement to make a community grow was power.

Engineers' reports had been received from both countries, recommending two stage development, one at the Long Sault, and one at Morrisburg. Mayor Maguire read a statement specially prepared for this occasion from the engineers' report. The construction work, he thought, would employ about 3000 men. Can anyone tell me what this will mean to Morrisburg and vicinity, he said. Industries were waiting to come in, and it only required that the people get enthusiastic and press for their rights. It was a pleasure for him to come to Morrisburg to speak of the benefits which they derived from Hydro in the City of Toronto. He quoted Sir Adam as saying that it was too bad something could not be done to relieve the situation in Eastern Ontario, which the speaker termed "a mighty fine spirit."

In speaking of the Chicago diversion of water, which legally amounted to 4000 Sec. Cubic feet, but actually was 9000 Sec. cubic feet, the speaker said it would later amount to 15000 Sec. cubic feet if the people of this province did not lend their support and sympathy to Sir Adam Beck. This is your work, he said; it is in your immediate vicinity; exert your influence on your members and municipal authorities. Transmission lines would be built in order to get Hydro into every home, and on every farm in Ontario. There was nothing in this country that could compare with Hydro in producing profits. The united municipalities were in a legal position to undertake the work of development, but the people had to demand their rights. He urged the people to rise up and make their influence felt, reminding the ladies present that in matters of similar importance, women had been known to "put it all over the men.". He had stepped out of office in Toronto, that he might play his little part in completing the organization that would save millions of Horse Power going to waste at our doors. In this work he considered it an honor to be associated with one of the greatest men in public life today.

Mr. S. P. Ryan, in moving a vote of thanks to Mr. Maguire said that it was a foregone conclusion, that the man who had represented Toronto for two consecutive years, and the province, in official capacities, was a man of exceptional ability.

Mr. I. Hilliard, K.C., who seconded the motion, said it was a great privilege for him to hear Mayor Maguire, the first public man to come to our town to enthuse us on this subject. Mr. Maguire, he said, was chairman of the pioneers' provincial organization—not a politician, but a man working to secure the rights of the people.

He urged the municipalities of Eastern Ontario—Williamsburg, Winchester, Chesterville, Aultsville, Iroquois, Mountain, all the way up the line, as far as Kingston, to get linked up and assist our Western friends. Our Reeve, he said, had already made application, on behalf of the municipality, to become a member of the great organization, and we were going to Ottawa to ask for the same rights as had been granted to the people of the Niagara Peninsula. Mr. Hilliard expressed himself as being delighted with the speaker of the evening.

The audience unanimously endorsed the vote of thanks by a standing vote.

In his closing remarks, Mr. Maguire thanked Mr. Hilliard for the splendid support he gave the city of Toronto during the time he represented the people of this constituency in the Legislature at Toronto.

Mr. W. K. Farlinger, Reeve, acted as chairman, and on the platform were seated, Mr. A. Sweet, M.P.P. of Winchester; members of the town council, and a number of other prominent citizens.

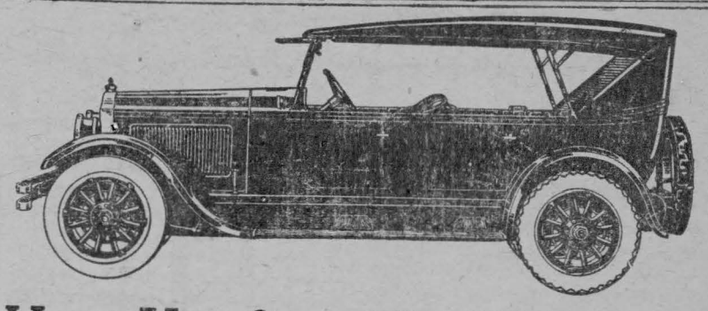
## LATE CHAS. WM. LAVIS

There passed away at Longueuil, Que., on Thursday, January 3rd, Mr Charles William Lavis, eldest son of the Late William I. Lavis and Mary A. Lavis of Morrisburg.

Mr. Lavis was born in Morrisburg on July 5th, 1877. He was educated at the Public Schools and Collegiate Institute of Morrisburg and at the Ontario College, Belleville. He commenced his business career at Minneapolis, later going to Montreal where he has resided for several years.

He leaves his wife and two young sons, Willis, aged nine and Douglas, aged six; his mother, a sister Mrs. Allan J. Murray of Brockville, and a brother, Mr. Fred E. Lavis of Montreal.

The funeral, which was held at his residence on Friday, January 4, was conducted by the Rev. H. Mount and the remains were brought to Morrisburg on Saturday for interment in Fairview cemetery. The committal service was read by Rev. E. Lawson.

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### PRUNING OF TREES.

It is generally conceded by both scientific investigators and commercial growers that fruit trees should be pruned during the first two or three years of their life. This pruning is designed to produce a well-balanced tree with a strong framework capable of carrying heavy crops as the tree grows older. Experiments have shown that as a rule unpruned trees come into bearing earlier than those which are pruned. Failure to prune trees when they are small, however, commonly results in serious trouble in later years. Such trees frequently develop to many main branches, bad crotches are formed, and the percentage of breakage is heavy.

When the tree has passed the formative period the necessity for pruning is not quite so obvious, but most authorities are agreed that even after the tree reaches bearing age it is still advisable to pay it an annual visit with the pruning shears. The object of this is to remove all interfering branches and to open out the tree so that the sunlight can penetrate to each fruit spur. The labor thus expended is fully paid for by the improvement in the grade of fruit produced.

The dormant season is the logical time for pruning although when the wood is frozen the work may not be very agreeable to the grower. Where young trees or stone fruits are concerned it is probably advisable to delay the pruning until late winter or early spring, but bearing apple trees can be pruned in zero weather without apparent injury. Pruning is the one major orchard operation which can be performed to advantage during the winter months. At this time there are no leaves to interfere with the vision of the pruner and consequently he is better able to judge which branches should be removed. Furthermore, it is only during the winter that the grower has the time to give to this work.

Consistent and systematic annual pruning aid in producing more extra fancy fruit.

### CLEANING HOME-GROWN SEEDS OF GRASS AND CLOVER.

The production of home-grown grass and clover seed on the average Canadian farm is confined for the most part to the seed of Timothy, Red Clover, Alfalfa, Sweet Clover, Alsike Clover and White Dutch Clover and naturally it is clean, vigorous seed that the grower wishes to secure.

To meet this requirement it is necessary that seed of strong vitality and free from weed seeds be planted each year, and because all our present methods of cleaning are somewhat inadequate, it is necessary that the soil be clean. Clean seed and clean ground are dependent one on the other. The vigorous growth of newly seeded grass or clover crop which is thick enough to occupy the available ground, will do much to smother out undesirable growth. If seed, free from the seeds of foreign plants, be sown year after year in a rotation, including a cleaning crop, clean farm land will be the result and from it will spring clean seed.

It is no small problem to secure clean seed from much of the grass and clover crop as harvested. Particularly is this true in connection with our clover. It is an easy matter to separate out light material and other foreign matter of a size different from the particular seed we are working with. A good fanning mill with proper adjustment of sieves and wind velocity will readily make such a separation. The grower with the ordinary fanning mill is limited, however, to this separation. Foreign seeds of a size and weight similar to the seed being cleaned are beyond the power of his machine to remove. Indeed the separation of some of our weeds, including both noxious and non-noxious weeds, seem to be beyond the capability of any of the cleaning machinery now operating commercially. This fact is reflected in the large amount of seed that has annually to be classified as rejected according to the Canadian Seed Control Act and also in the noxious and other weed seed allowance provided in one of the commercial grades under the same Act.

Out of the numerous experiments now being carried on in the separation of seeds by liquids will eventually come a method of separation that can be operated commercially at reasonable cost and that will perform the thorough cleaning necessary to good seed production.

In the meantime, the least that we can do is to plant on our farm only seed that is as clean and pure as can be obtained and only such land as is free from weeds.

## POULTRY

The frosting of the comb of either the male or female is one thing the poultryman must guard against. It can be accomplished by having a house that is well ventilated, a house in which the moisture given off by the birds in the process of respiration is quickly carried away and replaced by fresh oxygen-laden air; for it is a fact that birds will do better in an extremely cold temperature, provided the atmosphere is dry, than they will in a much warmer temperature where the atmosphere is heavily laden with moisture. The moisture conditions seem to be conducive to freezing the comb.

Ventilation then, with a cold temperature, but plenty of fresh air, is the first way to counteract the ravages of Jack Frost in the winter. That means we should not attempt to keep our birds in a house that is closely built, but rather in one whose front is largely open. Another precaution to take in avoiding frozen combs is to be sure that the droppings boards and perches are at the back of the house, which is the warmest and best protected, and that the perches themselves are a sufficient distance below the roof, so that the combs will not come in contact with the rafters or boards.

Another precaution is to strive in some way to keep the warm air given off from the birds' bodies around and adjacent to the perches—that is, have some arrangement in the house so that the warm air as it is breathed by the birds does not immediately escape from the house. We do not mean that this air must be confined rigidly to the house, but let us find some scheme where the change of warm air from the house will be gradual, thus avoiding drafts. This can be accomplished by dropping a board or a curtain down from the roof just over the front of the droppings boards. Have it drop ten or twelve inches.

Another mighty valuable way to defeat old Jack Frost in his winter rampage is to turn on the lights about half an hour before daylight, giving the birds a grain ration at this time. This will get them to work quickly. If you have ever observed your hens in the early morning and stand around on the floor of the house, waiting for it to get light so that they can get to eating. This seems o be the time when most combs are touched or frosted. If, about half an hour before dawn, the lights can be switched on and the birds fed they will come down quickly, become active immediately and their blood stream is set in rapid circulation, and the danger of frosted combs is lessened.

The milk in a cow's udder runs in pretty exact ratio with the milk of kindness in the bosom of the person who takes care of her.

## SHEEP

Many dairy farms can support a small flock of sheep to advantage where their usefulness will be found in helping to control or subdue weeds in the pasture fields or in utilizing small pasture lots or fields where the dairy cows cannot be put in handily. They can be made a source of income, too, both from wool and lambs or from well-bred registered stock.

No animal will do more than sheep to keep weeds in submission in the pasture field, if given a chance at the weeds while the leaves are still tender and succulent. Sheep are particularly fond of the leaves of plants which they strip off, leaving the plant to die.

The sheep are wintered easily, and with the addition of a little clover or alfalfa hay they will find a great part of their roughage in the stalk fields when these are not snowed under. They require very little grain until they approach the lambing period, when it will be found profitable to give them oats, which are usually not high-priced, with perhaps the addition of some corn, though we have not found it advisable to feed very liberally of corn, which has a tendency to cause them to fatten and lose their wool prematurely. It is not necessary to purchase a lot of high-priced feeds in order to keep sheep.

Nor does it take expensive or elaborate equipment to house sheep. They are a great outdoor animal, but they should be protected from rain, sleet and falling snow to prevent their catching cold. Low removable partitions or hurdles are very handy when the lambs begin to arrive, to keep the ewes with young lambs separated a few days. If ewes are bred to have the lambs come during the month of May most of the lambs may be dropped in the pasture field, as some farmers make a practice of doing when barn space is too limited to house all the ewes and early lambs comfortably.

### To Make White Lotion.

"White lotion" for treatment of barbed- wire wounds and other shallow wounds is composed of one ounce of acetate of lead, six drams of sulphate of zinc, and one pint of soft water. Label the bottle "poison," and shake well before using.

Other medicines useful for wounds are tincture of iodine, permanganate of potash, boric acid, calomel, and oxide of zinc ointment. Calomel is used for "thrush." Bluestone in solution is the most effective drug for root rot of sheep and cattle.—Dr. A. S. Alexander.

When leaving a lunch ready for a belated dinner, place a tin or granite pan over each plate or bowl of eatables, and they will keep moist and fresh many hours.

### Vegetable Vitamins—Their Functions in the Diet.

An especially interesting article on vegetable vitamins has been contributed by Mr. L. F. Burrows, Secretary of the Canadian Horticultural Council, to the November-December Agricultural Gazette. The value of vegetables as a diet, physicians say, lies largely in the vitamins they contain, and these vitamins are necessary to life. The writer of the article goes into particulars of the vegetables that contain this element to the greatest exent.

Three distinct kinds of vitamins have been identified; they have been designated "A," "B," and "C." Vitamin A, we are told, is a mysterious element in food without which children cannot grow but which grown folks also need. Leafy plants are valuable foods in this respect, spinach and chard ranking first, lettuce next, and cabbage third. Tomatoes are rich in this vitamin and Hubbard squash is said to be a valuable source. Vitamin B is guardian of good digestion and proper functioning of the liver and other glands. Potatoes, sweet and white, contain appreciable amounts of this vitamin, but turnips and onions are better off. Beets, tomatoes, sabbage, spinach, lettuce and parsley also contain it, so too does the lowly dandelion. Most fruit juices and even nuts are said to possess appreciable amounts of this vitamin. Vitamin C prevents disease and promotes the general health. Lack of it, we are informed, gives the skin a bad color and makes the heart weak. Lemons, limes, oranges, and fresh fruit seem to be beneficial in this respect. Again the tomato shows to advantage, its juice being regarded as equal to that of the orange. The Swedish turnip, or rutabaga, is valuable as a source of vitamin C, so also is the carrot, particularly young carrots. Potatoes, onions, parsnips, rhubarb, lettuce, cauliflower, and cabbage may be counted in. Raw cabbage is said to be especially strong in this vitamin.

### Satisfactory Results of Cow Testing.

The beneficial effect of cow-testing is abundantly shown by results achieved at the Oka, Que., Agricultural School. In 1920 the average production of 44 cows, Ayrshires and French-Canadians, was 6,733 lbs. milk, 257.7 lbs. fat, and 383 percentage. In 1922 the average production of 46 cows of the same breds was 8,901 lbs. milk, 346 lbs. fat and 3.88 percentage. The average increase per cow in milk in three years was 2,168 lbs. In 1920 only eleven cows in the herd produced over 300 lbs. fat; in 1922, thirty cows exceeded this amount, or over 66 per cent. of the animals in the herd. In Kent County, Ontario, by following the cow-testing method, conducted by the Dominion Dairy and Cold Storage Branch, an average of 7,488 lbs. milk and 246.5 lbs. fat was increased to an average for eleven cows in the same three years to 10,235 lbs. milk and 346.4 lbs. fat, an increase per cow of 2,747 lbs. milk and 99.9 per cent. fat.

Modern agriculture must be organized agriculture.

### "I Never Thought of That."

Neighbor Smith and his hired hand were busy sawing up a tree that blew down the night before, smashing up a number of his bee stands, when his friend Brown happened along.

"At last," said Brown, "the old tree you have braced with props and anchored with wire for years, to keep it from blowing down on your bee stands, has fallen. Why didn't you move the bee stands and let the old tree fall?"

"Well," replied Smith, as he slapped his hand on his leg, "I never thought of that."

The man who does so little thinking as to take but one view of his business is likely to blunder many times, just as Smith did with the old tree and his bee stands. Just such blunders turn profits into loss on the farm.

The successful farmer to-day is a thinking man. If he has a task before him he debates in his mind the many different ways of doing it until every detail has been thoroughly thrashed out and a profitable solution has been found.

Probably no other business requires the careful and continuous thinking that successful farming requires. What to do, how to do it and what to leave undone are three things that will make any farmer scratch his head and think for all he is worth, if he does them justice.

One of the most successful farmers I ever knew said he paid his hired men more willingly for thinking than for work. Doing farm work unplanned is merely playing a game of chance that is just as likely to lead to loss as to profit. Work preceded by serious thinking and planning is more than likely to be a paying proposition. —J. C. Conger.

### Keep the Dropping Boards Clean.

The "classical" poultryman, who is scrupulous about everything he does, may be able to hire his dropping boards cleaned every morning. It is the most sanitary method. But the one-man poultry plant can not always have it done that way.

I know a farmer who cleans his poultry house about once a year. Of course it is a sight, and of course he gets poor results. He ridicules the "book farmer" who is "always fooling with his chickens." He is a sample of the old-time farmers, who are growing less every year, thanks to the experiment stations and the agricultural press.

Between the two extremes, cleaning the dropping boards once a week seems to fit in with the one-man plant. In the summer I sprinkle ordinary dry dirt on the boards after I have cleaned them. In winter, sifted coal ashes. All the year I add phosphate (phosphoric acid) to help make the droppings a balanced ration for the garden.

He who would look with contempt upon the farmer's pursuit is not worthy of the name of a man.—Beecher.

It is those things which he is not compelled to do—the just treatment of the helpless—that test the fibre of man's character.

# Home Education

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

### Pink Oatmeal to Tempt Children—By Marion Brownfield.

What child does not prefer a nice, snowy, frosted cake, to a dish of gray oatmeal? As a child I could hardly eat salt fish hash. Because of its flavor? Oh no! But because it looked so dirty! (Cod fish and boiled potatoes in combination do make a rather unattractive color.) Also its fibrous texture made me complain, "Mama, it tastes like flannel!"

Thus a squeamish appetite may be prejudiced against wholesome food because of its unattractive appearance. This is more often the case with children than is generally realized. Of course, a finicky taste is not to be encouraged but many a time a little management will persuade youngsters to eat plain hearty food until it becomes a habit with them.

Attractive colors more than anything else appeal to children. It is true that candy is sweet, as well as bright-colored, but all fruit is not sweet, yet it is equally tempting to most children because of its cheerful enticing color. Breakfast food, therefore, is worth coloring.

There are several ways to do this. Fruit juice from a can of strawberries, peaches or apricots makes a tempting sauce for oatmeal. Fresh fruit juice is even nicer still. A little jam dotted here and there is effective, while a teaspoonful of red jelly can be whipped through the cereal to give it a delightful pink color. This last way prevents the child from merely eating the "color" and avoiding the cereal, for what child's heart does not go out to a pink mixture even if it happens to be an insipid gelatine? A bit of chopped fresh fruit makes cereal tempting as well as palatable. This also can be beaten through the food.

With still other items on the bill of fare one should aim for a pleasing color effect. Many simple desserts such as farina, junket, cornstarch pudding or custard can be "pinkened" with the coloring that comes in packages of gelatine. For the child who enjoys chocolate, cocoa will give both the color and flavoring so desired by him. It is both nourishing and novel mixed with sugar for breakfast foods. Chocolate sauce can also be indulged in once in a while to dress up plain desserts.

Even the dishes help make food attractive. Pink dishes are worth investing in if they persuade a child to eat the despised potato. Milk, which many parents pay a child to drink, will sometimes be cheerfully taken if it can be drunk from a certain alluring mug the child has fancied. Where this inducement is held forth, the coveted dish or mug must not be used for other items of diet, otherwise it loses its novelty and "special occasions" value.

### For Years I Didn't.

For many years I farmed and only jotted down what I paid out and received in a small notebook, and let it go at that. When on some cold winter day I would look over my book, I found that I really did not understand it myself, and could not see my financial condition.

Then I started systematic bookkeeping. I have one cattle account, including cream and steers sold, one wheat account, one oats, one flax, etc.

From my hog account I learned that I was losing money.

My poultry account shows a profit. Before I kept books I could not tell, really did not know, what the feed cost or how much they ate. Now when I bill a 10-bushel box I debit the poultry account and credit the feed account with the cost of it.

Whenever I take a trial balance—usually once a year—it shows me (1) gain or loss on any one of the accounts; (2) gain or loss during the year on the whole; and (3) it enables me to make a businesslike statement if my income is large enough that I have to pay income tax.—B. O.

### Two Misses at Once.

When two or more troubles come at the same time the car owner has a real puzzle, as one recently found out. He was running a truck along the road when the engine started to miss. In the course of a few minutes it became worse, and soon the engine stopped.

Cranking to start it brought one or two explosions, but it would not start. The truck was towed home and an examination made. The plugs were taken out and put on the cylinders and the engine turned over by the crank. The spark was very weak; in fact, it could hardly be seen at all.

The coil was taken off and tested at a near-by service station. It gave a very weak spark and another one was used. Still the spark was not good and the engine missed so much that it would hardly run idle.

Examination of the distributor showed the trouble. The contact screw had loosened until the contacts hardly met when closed, and when open had four times the ordinary gap. The contacts were adjusted and the engine ran smoothly.

### Dairy Products to Britain.

Denmark during the nine months ending September 30, shipped 1,399,470 cwts. of butter to Britain; Australia 444,571 cwts., New Zealand 940,120 cwts. and Canada 10,714 cwts. The Netherlannds, including Denmark, shipped in the same time to the same destination 149,007 cwts. of cheese, Australia 39,284 cwts. New Zealand 1,211,986 cwts., and Canada 558,030 cwts. A leading British firm reports that recent shipments of butter from Canada have been very satisfactory and that quotations are 188 to 190 shillings per long hundredweight, or a little over forty cents a pound.

### Feeds Cornmeal to Cows.

It has been my experience that during the summer months a too liberal feeding of cornmeal to the dairy cows is wasteful; yet, in the winter time, I believe it is very profitable to include it in fairly liberal quantities.

The quantity to mix in the ration depends upon the roughage ration. When I feed corn silage and clover or alfalfa hay, then I plan to feed from four to five pounds of cornmeal in the ration of each cow per day.—L. C. R.

Half-hearted effort will never bring success in poultry keeping or any other line of endeavor. In order to accomplish anything, you must be enthusiastic and get a hustle on.

More prisoners attribute their fall to betting than to any other cause.—Detective-Inspector Thompson.

# How Our Community Amuses the Young Folks

The Rutland Community Association, Inc., has proved that no rural community need be without recreation. In three short years it has revolutionized our social activities and provided us an inexhaustible store of enjoyment.

Three years ago our social centres were the rural schools and stores and church. These were very well in their way, but—Friday night found most of our young people journeying toward the nearest city.

Some of the older people were dissatisfied with this state of affairs. They thought there was a remedy, and so they formed a community association. They got the young people into it, made them officers, and stirred them up until they became enthusiastic.

Our first aim was a community building, the site of which was contributed by a man having two girls and a boy in his family. Money for the building we obtained partly by subscription, partly by loans, and partly by earning it. Plays were given, and a field day was held on Dominion Day. Donations in money exceeded two thousand dollars, while carpenters and other workers gave their time. Notes were issued for about one thousand dollars.

When the building was completed, the association, now incorporated, had almost doubled its membership. The officers of the association were the president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, and the council. This council is a body of six, headed by the president. Each of the other five members represents one of the following branches of work carried on by the association: social, athletic, dramatic, educational, and musical.

The whole countryside is interested in the work. People like to attend the doings. They like to know what things are going on. Best of all, they feel proud that their community is truly up to date.

Of course, there was opposition. Several well-intentioned people thought it would hurt the church. They called our new building the "Devil's Playhouse." Others contented themselves with disapproving of it.

We were fortunate in possessing a sensible minister. He realized that friendly relations between the two would be of benefit to the church. His efforts resulted in a larger attendance at church services and a good reputation for the association.—Marion Frink.

Our community organization is known as the Evergreen Sporting Association. The name was adopted more than twenty years ago, when the principal event was a hunt by the young men, and the side which killed the most game was banqueted by the losing side. From that small beginning our club has developed until now everyone is eligible to membership, from the smallest school child to the oldest grandparent.

During the year we have the hunt, a field meet, three ball games, three literary and musical programs, and a grain, livestock, and domestic science exhibit. Points are counted on each event, and competition is so keen between the two sides, the Reds and Greens, that out of a total of twenty thousand points there is often a difference of less than one hundred. At the end of the year a banquet is served by the losing side, and new officers chosen for the next year's work. New sides are chosen each year, and families that were rivals one year work together the next.

We have a neighborhood picnic each year at the time of the field meet. We also have a party once a month. At these parties the host and hostess furnish the house and provide for the seating and lighting so that a crowd of one hundred people may be accommodated. One committee furnishes and serves the refreshments, and another provides the entertainment.

Our neighborhood is near two towns, where the young folks attend high schools. The social committee often has trouble to find dates that will not interfere with school programs, but the E. S. A. parties are always first in importance, even with the school folks.

We are glad that our children are growing up with a love for the farm and an appreciation of their privilege of being a member of a neighborhood organization like the Evergreen Sporting Association. — Mrs. Raymond Paine.

## THE CHILDREN'S HOUR

### A LITTLE BOY SAVES BRUIN.

Bruin groaned in the tight grasp of the man's trap. How his foot ached and pained! Twist and squirm as he might, he could not get loose. No matter in what position he stood, the pain was no easier.

To Bruin it seemed a long time. Yes, a very long time, since the little stranger Squirrel had started with his message to Rolly.

He knew Rolly Rabbit would bring help as soon as possible. But he wished he would hurry, or—

No sooner had he thought this than he turned to see a man coming, winding his way among the trees.

His heart went thump. Forgetting the trap, he started to run. But he could not get away. The sharp teeth of the trap cut deeper into his flesh.

The man came running toward him. "Ah, Ha. At last I have you, you big rascal. What a nice fur coat you will make me, Mr. Bear," he said. "Now to get you home."

Bruin could not understand what the man meant by these strange noises, but his tone made him more afraid.

Taking some shells from his pocket, the man put them in his bang, bang gun. Bruin had never seen a gun like this before, but he remembered about what happened to Mrs. Rolly Rabbit. His knees trembled and he was weak.

Just as the man raised his bang, bang gun to shoot straight at Bruin, a little boy came running up behind him.

"Don't shoot him, father. He is so small and cute. Please, can't I take him home?" asked the little boy. "I have the muzzle and rope right here."

The man thought a few minutes, then answered, "Perhaps he is too small for a coat anyway. Yes, we will take him home, son, and you may have him for a pet."

"Just see how frightened he is, poor little fellow," said the boy.

He talked to Bruin in gentle soothing words, but it was with some difficulty that the man and the boy finally got the muzzle fastened on him.

Bruin was very doubtful as to just what they were going to do with him, and he cuffed on every side with his paw and tried hard to get away. The muzzle over his head was very uncomfortable, but try as hard as he might, he could not get it off.

At last he became too tired to resist any longer. And after weary miles of walking, Bruin found himself fastened to a tree. Nearby was a big house, bigger than Bruin had ever seen before in his life. The man and the boy left him alone and went into this big house.




**A Close Call**

Hubby (dropping 'phone receiver)—"That was a close call!"

Wife—"Gracious, did you get a shock?"

Hubby—"No; I was talking to Jones next door.

The most important nut on the tractor is the nut on the seat.

# RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

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## Surnames and Their Origin

**LEACHE**

Variations—Leeche, Leechman, Leach, Barbour.
Racial Origin—English.
Source—An occupation.

Had the words "doctor" or "physician" been in use about the eleventh twelfth and thirteenth centuries in England, as they are to-day, such family names as Leache, Leeche and Leachman would not exist. Instead we would have such names as John C. Doctor, or James J. Physician, or Harrison G. Chirurgeon.

But it was not until the time of Queen Elizabeth that the words "phisition" and "chirurgien" (surgeon) came into general use, and not until still later that the physician was called "doctor."

At the period when family names were being former there were no physicians except the barbers, and the principal method of treating nearly all diseases was to bleed the patient with a leech, a little blood-sucking worm. The barber was at once the physician and the "tonsorial artist." He was as frequently known by the medical branch of his trade as the other, as was called the "leachman" as aften as the "barbour." In the course of time the term "leachman" was often shortened into "leeche" or "leache."

A large factor in settling these old trade names into family names was the fact that children so often followed the same occupations as their parents, though in many cases the descriptive name would stick to a son even when he did not follow his father's calling, simply through the sheer necessity of his having more than one name at a time when populations were growing so fast that each man could not have a distinctive given name.

**KELLY.**

Variations—O'Kelly, Keely.
Racial Origin—Irish.
Source—A given name.

The author of the lyrics of that once popular ditty "Kelly from the Emerald Isle" never announced publicly whether he chose that name for the hero of his ballad because it fitted the rythm, or from a more subtle motive.

As a matter of fact, the name was singularly appropriate to the spirit of this humorous jingle of adventure, because the given name from which the Kelly group of family names is derived means nothing more or less than "strife."

These family names, however, are very ancient and honorable ones, coming in the majority of cases from the country about Wicklow, in Ireland.

But with them again we have another example of the wide difference between the ancient and modern spelling, with a difference in pronunciation which is much less marked. The given name from which Kelly, O'Kelly are derived is "Ceallach," which certainly does not look like "Kelly," but there is really little difference in the pronunciation of the two. A slight broadening of the final "y," with the restoration of the "ch," which is best described as a softened or aspirated "k" sound (somewhat similar, but not quite, to the German "ch") completes the transformation back to the ancient pronunciation. The Celtic "c" is always a "k" sound. There are modifications, of course, but never to our modern "s" sound. Keely is an Anglicized version of the name.



Wifey—"I've spent the five hundred you gave me for Christmas shopping and I haven't a penny left to buy a present for you, dear."

Hubby—"Humph! I'll give you a quarter more then."

**More Light.**

The average amount of light obtained for 1 cent from incandescent electric lamps at first was about five candle power hours, but it is now possible to obtain with the ordinary forty-watt lamp 170 candle power hours for one cent.


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**A Bit Misleading.**

When Mary Jeving married William Smythe and was able to have calling cards with "Mrs. William Symthe" engraved upon them, she felt that life had no higher pride in store for her. She preserved this attitude through all the years of her married life.

When Mr. Smythe died she was inconsolable, and even after several years of widowhood she hotly resented any indication that her friends had forgotten her lamented William for a moment.

"It makes me so angry," she said to one whom she suspected of carelessness in the matter, "to be spoken of or thought of as 'Mrs . Mary Smythe,' It is an insult to William's memory."

"Oh, I'm sure it's never meant for that,(" said the friend, hastily. "Only it's quite customary among certain people, you know, for a widow to take her Christian name—have letters addressed to her in that way—and so on."

"It will never be with me," said the widow, indignantly. "I prefer always to be known as 'the late Mrs. William Smythe.' "

**To Save Time.**

Pat was grumbling because he had no money to spend while on his summer holidays.

"I don't know what to do," he groused to his friend Jack.

"Now, Pat," he said, "you ought to take your wages to the post-office and put five or six shillings in every week. By the time your holidays are due you will have a comfortable sum in hand."

"Right!" replied Pat. "I'll try it."

Some weeks later Jack met him and asked him how much he had saved up in the postoffice.

"I have no idea," said Pat.

"No idea! Haven't you got a book like mine?"

"No; I never troubled about a book. I just dropped my money in the letter box as I was passing."

**The Climax.**

Some little girls were boasting of their respective families. The minister's little daughter said, "Every package that comes for my papa is marked 'D.D.' "

"And every package that comes for my papa is marked 'M.D.' " retorted the doctor's daughter.

Then followed a look of contempt from the youngest of the group. "That's nothing!" she exclaimed. "Every package that comes to our house has three letters on it—'C.O.D.' "

**Black Hen Eggs.**

An Irishman hailed at a dairy and asked the dairyman if he could supply him with a dozen eggs laid by a black hen.

The dairyman was amazed at the Irishman's strange order, but informed Pat that he could pick them out himself.

After Pat had picked out his eggs, the dairyman asked him how he could distinguish eggs laid by a black hen.

"Oh, shure, man," replied Pat, "they are always the biggest."





# IN THE SHADOW OF POOR HEALTH

**In This Condition Relief Comes Through Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.**

When the shadow of poor health falls upon you; when hope fades and life itself seems scarcely worth living, then is the time you should remember that thousands just as hopeless as you feel have been restored to the sunshine of health through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The rich red blood which these pills actually make strengthens the whole system. The nerves are strengthened, headaches vanish, the appetite improves, and once again there is joy in life. Among the thousands benefited by the use of this medicine is Mrs. Jos. Robinson, Oshawa, who says:—"Some time ago I was in an anaemic condition and so weak I would faint away at times. I had no appetite, could not do my housework; in fact life seemed scarcely worth living. I was exceedingly pale and tried doctor's medicine with no good result. Then one day I saw Dr. Williams' Pink Pills recommended for a similar condition and I got a supply. I continued taking the pills until I had used about a dozen boxes, and they have made me a well woman. I can now do a good day's work about the house, have no more fainting spells and can go about more actively than I did before. I believe these pills just the thing for pale, weak girls and women, and if given a fair trial will do for them what they have done for me."

You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.




**How He Killed Time.**

"How do you kill time before bed time these long winter evenings?"

"Get in front of the fire with a good book—and take a nice nap."

**This is a Deep One.**

Boss—"Sambo, what were you doing yesterday, that you didn't come to work?"

Sambo—"Well, sah, it's lak dis: You knows, Ah got a brudder dat farhms foh himsef. Dat boy done went to a sale and bought hisself an old well, an' yest'day he haihed me to chop it up into post holes."

**Use or Abuse?**

"Henry," said a mother to her ten-year-old, "haven't I always told you to use your napkin at the table?"

"Why, I am using it, Mother," protested Henry, with an air of injured innocence. "I've got the dog tied to the leg of the table with it."

**Why Teachers Go Mad.**

Teacher—"Define trickle."

Boy—"To run slowly."

Teacher—"Define anecdote."

Boy—"A short, funny tale."

Teacher—"Use both words in a sentence."

Boy—"A dog trickled down the street with a can tied to his anecdote."

Why is it that most people think that the glory of life does not belong to the ordinary vocations—that this belongs to the artist, to the musician, to the writer, or to some one of the more gentle and what they call "dignified" professions. There is as much dignity and grandeur and glory in agriculture as in statesmanship or authorship.

No man is the best judge of his own reputation.—Mr. Justice McCardie.

**Ask for Minard's and take no other.**

**Nature's Temperature Control.**

You put water into the radiator of your automobile or tractor to keep the motor from overheating and you put a bucket or two of water into your cellar to keep the potatoes from freezing.

Aside from the facts that water is made from two gases, hydrogen and oxygen, and that it is used to put out fire even though it is composed of one very inflammable gas and another that permits the fire to burn, water has some remarkable properties. In the first place, it takes more heat to raise a given quantity of water one degree in temperature than it does any other substance that we know of, or, to put the reverse, it takes more cold or negative heat to lower water one degree than it does any other substance. If the blasksmith should drop one pound of iron at a temperature of 212 degrees Fahrenheit into one pound of water at 32 degrees Fahrenheit, the temperature of the water would be raised but 18 degrees while the temperature of the iron was lowered 162 degrees!

It takes about five and a third times as much heat to convert a given quantity of water already at the boiling point into steam as it does to heat the water all the way from the freezing point to the boiling point—that is, if we had one pail of water already at the boiling point, 212 degrees Fahrenheit, it would take as much heat to convert it into steam as it would to heat five and a third buckets of water all the way from the freezing, 32 degrees Fahrenheit, to the boiling point! Thus the instructions for small cars say not to worry if the water in the radiator boils a bit.

The temperature of ice is normally 32 degrees Fahrenheit and the temperature of water just before it begins to form into ice is the same. But it takes as much negative heat to freeze a bucket of water as it does to bring that bucket of water from 176 degrees Fahrenheit all the way down to the freezing point. No wonder we put a tub of water into the cellar along with the potatoes.

Just think for a moment, now, that three-quarters of the earth's surface is covered with water and that plants and animals are composed largely of water. Surely nature has made good use of a marvelous temperature control.

**Mum's the Word.**

The teacher had been giving the class a lesson in history. The subject upon which she had hit was that of King Alfred and, at the end of the lesson, she directed the class to write an essay incorporating what she had told them. She impressed upon them the fact that she did not want them on any account to mention the episode of the cokes as it had no bearing on historical events, and its authenticity was very doubtful.

Twenty small heads were bent in thought for half an hour and then the essays were handed in.

Tommy's effort, though not brilliant, was certainly original:

"Alfred was King of England. He was a very good king and earned the title of 'Great.' One evening he visited a lady friend, but the less said about that the better."


## GIRLS! A GLEAMY MASS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR

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**The Unnoticed Spring.**

On Louis Anderson's farm there was a fifteen-foot well that had never contained more than two feet of water at the most, and that even during a short drought was often dry. Hoping to increase the supply of water Anderson at last decided to clean out the accumulated silt at the bottom. With the help of his twelve-year-old son he pumped the well dry and removed six inches or so of the mud.

The bottom five feet of the hole had been blasted out of soft, disintegrating shale. While scraping the rocky floor Anderson noticed a dark irregular spot three or four inches in diameter. Watching it closely, he saw a little water seeping up through it. With a crowbar he began to chip away at the spot, and in a few minutes water was coming through at a steadily increasing rate.

Anderson had penetrated perhaps three inches into the porous material when his bar suddenly broke through and dropped about two feet. Simultaneously an ice-cold column of water spurted up almost into his face. He had uncovered a deep, strong and pure spring, the presence of which the former owner of the farm had never suspected when he dug the well; with a little more digging he would surely have found it. By sundown Anderson's well was half full of excellent water.

How many people whom we pass on the street seem dull and unimpassioned, incapable of great thoughts or of fine deeds! And yet, who can tell what spring of strong, pure feeling may not lie deep beneath an unpromising and often unlovely human exterior? A little probing into the hearts and minds of ordinary-looking and even cold-appearing people will often bring us great rewards. The sympathy and understanding of an intimate talk soon penetrates to the depths of their better natures. A little encouragement of their kindlier impulses and finer aspirations may release a great fresh flow of good for the world.

**Both Were Old Fashioned.**

An old physician of the last generation was noted for his brusque manner and old fashioned methods, says the Edinburg Scotsman. On one accasion a woman called him in to treat her baby, who was slightly ailing. The doctor prescribed castor oil.

"But, doctor," protested the young mother, "castor oil is such an old fashioned remedy."

"Madame," replied the doctor, "babies are old fashioned things."

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The prosecuting attorney was examining a negro witness. "Now, Mose," he said, "tell us what you know about this fight."

"Well, boss," began Mose, "I thinks—"

"I don't want to know what you think. Tell us what you know," shouted the attorney.

"I thinks—" said Mose.

"I told you," shouted the attorney, "not to tell what you think."

"But boss," said Mose, "I ain't no lawyer; I can't talk without thinking."

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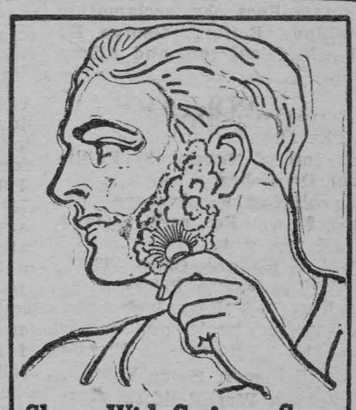
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## ELECTION RETURNS

MORRISBURG—

| | East | Centre | West | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Challies .... | 84 | 95 | 88 | 267 |
| Colquhour .. | 76 | 101 | 71 | 248 |
| Eamon .... .. | 77 | 74 | 47 | 198 |
| Flynn .... ... | 87 | 93 | 94 | 274 |
| McLatchie .... | 60 | 58 | 49 | 167 |
| Link ..... .. | 44 | 70 | 74 | 188 |
| Ryan .. .... | 102 | 94 | 80 | 276 |
| For meters ... | 37 | 54 | 47 | 138 |
| Against .. .. | 122 | 115 | 98 | 335 |

WILLIAMSBURG TP—

For Reeve—

| | Cunningham | Marcellus |
|---|---|---|
| East Williamsburg | 34 | 13 |
| Archer ..... | 60 | 11 |
| Dundela .. .. ... | 36 | 77 |
| Williamsburg.. .. | 100 | 25 |
| Glen Becker ..... | 29 | 23 |
| Boucks Hill ... .. | 45 | 50 |
| Grantley ... .... | 58 | 24 |
| Winchester Spgs.. | 23 | 9 |
| Mariatown .. .. .. | 38 | 38 |
| Froatburn ... ... | 28 | 24 |
| | 451 | 279 |

For Deputy Reeve—

| | Dain | Whitteker |
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| East Williamsburg | 20 | 25 |
| Archer ..... .... | 16 | 49 |
| Dundela .. .. .. | 52 | 58 |
| Williamsburg.. .. | 25 | 102 |
| Glen Becker ..... | 34 | 17 |
| Boucks Hill ..... | 44 | 51 |
| Grantley .. ..... | 4 | 74 |
| Winchester Tp.. . | 4 | 27 |
| Mariatown ... .. | 67 | 3 |
| Froatburn ... ... | 20 | 29 |
| | 286 | 435 |

Councillors by acclamation—

Howard Beckstead, Roy Schell, Stanley Saddlemire.

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| W. Hamilton .... ... | 81 | 115 |
| C. Hummel .... .... | 67 | 115 |
| Councillors— | | |
| C. W. Casselman. .. | 117 | 153 |
| A. H. Forbes .. ... | 98 | 127 |
| F. Dwyer .. .... .. | 85 | 145 |
| I. Pelletier .... ... | 76 | 134 |
| F. Dreppo ..... .. | 45 | 52 |
| [illegible] .. ... | 40 | 39 |

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For Reeve—

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N. W. Beach .... .....350

The Councillors, by acclamation were Mahlon Bailey, George E. Earle, F. M. Eagleson, and Albert Edgerton.

## PUBLIC SCHOOL

Honor Roll of Morrisburg Public School for December.

No. enrolled 215. Average attendance 198.82. Per cent. attendance 92.94 per cent.

Room A, Entrance Class—Thos. Robertson, Marguerite Priest, Nola Burrett, Rose O'Malley, Jack McMartin, Everson Cassleman, Homer Janack, Foster Bowman, Flossie Reid, Audrey Fisher, Helen Wood, Clinton Weegar, Wm. Reddick, Marguerite Munro, Max Crawley, Kenneth Stitt, Claude Wood, Pauline Rozon, Clayton Merkley, Gilbert Clark, Basil Fisher, Laura VanAllan

J. Clinton Fetterly, Principal.

Jr. IV, Room B— Henry [illegible], Rosie Stitt, Harold Cassel, Jack McLaren, Louis Lee, Thelma Clark, Phyllis Armstrong, Charles Stansfield, Donald Locke and Harold Campbell, equal; Evelyn Coligan, Maxwell Thom, Dora Casselman, Ruby Lynch, Ruth Reddick, Ralph Ashton, Sheridan Casselman, Irene Laurin, Ruth Pyper and George Baker, equal, Malcolm MacGillivray Hugh Shennette, Ruth Weston and Mae Williams, equal, Kathleen Gordon Lloyd Barkley, Mary Gogo Rita Laurin and Hubert Duvall, equal; Ernest Dawson, Howard Beckstead. Vera Myers, Harry Ulman, Andrew Hummell, Ruth Coir, Harold Killins, Sim Hutt, Glen Hummell, James Wereley.

G. A. Foulds.

Room C, Sr. 3rd Class—

Alga Wood, Dalton Merrill, Eileen Hutt and Edna Ulman, equal, Orlie VanAllen, Grace Casselman, John Hummell, Clarence Fentiman Wilmot Wood, Percy Reid, Eric Roy Cecil Hunter.

Jr. 3rd Class—

Helen Janack, Ross McLaren and Jean Vipond equal, Dwane Harriman, Marjorie Duprau, Aden O'Shaughnessy Malcolm Prunner, Ronald Ryan, John Millward, Murfel Weegar, Raymond Empey, Mary Hummell, George Aikman, Ora Casselman, Kathleen Clark, Marjory Hutt.. Craig Merkley, Lloyd VanAllen, Harry Locke, George Smith, Jean Meikle, Jiles Harper, Arlington Gamble.

E. M. Steed.

Room D, Second Class—

Vivian Stansfield and Dorothy Beckstead, equal, Donald Myers, Hugh O'Malley, Leona Hutt, Ruby Shennette, Wallace Guay and Genevieve McDonald, Audrey Myers, Carl Phillips, Gertrude Casselman, Lawrence Coligan, Darwin Stata and Joseph Burrette, equal; Isabel Wood Helen Gamble, Walter Taylor, Robert Merkley, George McGillivray, Spencer Clark, August Robrig, Gladys Smith, Gertrude VanAllen, Geo. Weegar, Bernadette Major, Clifford Gordon, Alphonse Major, Albert Fetterly.

Sr. First Class—

Harry Smith, Helen Gamble, Eddie McCoy, Teresa Empey, Ernest VanAllen, Gerald Hunter, Dorothy Lynch, Herman Smith, Edith Van Allen.

C. L. Hazel, Teacher.

Jr. I Class—

Marion Fetterly, Luella Harriman Wellington Hall, Della Coir, Bonnie Carson Burton Middagh, Gordon Arthur Coligan, Fletcher Armstrong Ralph Hummell, Sarah VanAllen, Lawrence Snyder, Gladys Aikman, Edith Beckstead, Leonard Laurin and Isabel Duval, equal, Willie Lock Herbert Mallen, Beaumont Hutt, Reginald McGillivray, Arthur Laurin Sybil Armstrong.

Sr. Primer—

Class II—

Lenetta Harper, Ross McIntyre, Charlie Weegar, David McDonald, Marjorie Ryan, Gordon McKoy, Dorothy Bradley.

Class I—

Eileen Lynch, Willie Gordon, Norman Clarke, Lulu Leaman, Ronald Hunter.

M. Smith.

Room F, Class A—

Marjory Bradley, Grace Casselman John Stitt, Clifford Reid, Dorothy Barclay, Dannie Locke, Pat. Myers.

Class B—

Gordon Foulds Willard Lynch, Dallas Adams, Helen Lawson, Lillian Janack, Marjorie Duval, Donald Duval, Donald Beckstead, Alfred Gamble, Billy Coir.

Class C—

George Tindal, Ruth Robertson, George Williams, Phyllis Hummell, Clara Street, Arvilla Heagle, George Nichols, Blanche Weston, Oliver Wood, Beatrice Weston, Allan Clark Stuart Hall, Joe Agulnik, Wilfrid Lee.

Class D—

Annie O'Malley, Stella Mallen, Vernie Duval, Winnie Duval, Harvey Agulnik, Oryal Millward, John Hummell, Lena Moyle, Gordon Reid John McKoy.

Gertrude Campbell.

## LATE JACOB SIMON GARLOUGH

As briefly mentioned in last week's Leader one of the oldest residents of Williamsburg, passed suddenly away at his home on New Year's morning at the ripe old age of 97 years, 3 months and 17 days. He was born and died on the same farm owned by his father and grand father. He was united in marriage to Lavina Marcellus in 1848 who predeceased him 17 years ago. There were born to them eight children, four girls and four boys: Hezekiah of Eagle Butte Sask.; Mrs. Hugh McPherson (deceased) Mrs. A. McPherson, Maple Creek, Sask., Thos. of East Williamsburg; Mrs. A. Merkley of Syracuse, New York, Mr. Isaiah Garlough of Casselman, Mrs R. Tupper of Williamsburg and Jacob at home. He also leaves to mourn thirty three grand children sixty-two great grand children and one great, great, grand child.

The funeral service was held at his late home Thursday afternoon, and was conducted by Rev. E. Smith. Interment was made in Boucks Hill.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all neighbors and friends who so kindly offered and assisted us during the death of our father, J. Simon Garlough.

—Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Garlough ap

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kind sympathy in our recent bereavement.

Mr. Alex. Laplerre and family

## NOTICE

**Wanted, the address of all Ex-Students of our Collegiate Institute or former High School, especially those living in the United States. Kindly hand in or mail same to Mr. J. Miles Whitteker, Secretary Proposed Memorial Scholarships Committee.**

### IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of George Audene Lavis, who died five years ago, January 8th We cannot see you dear but memory brings you near and may you rest in peace until again we meet. Mourned by wife, mother, father and brother. ac

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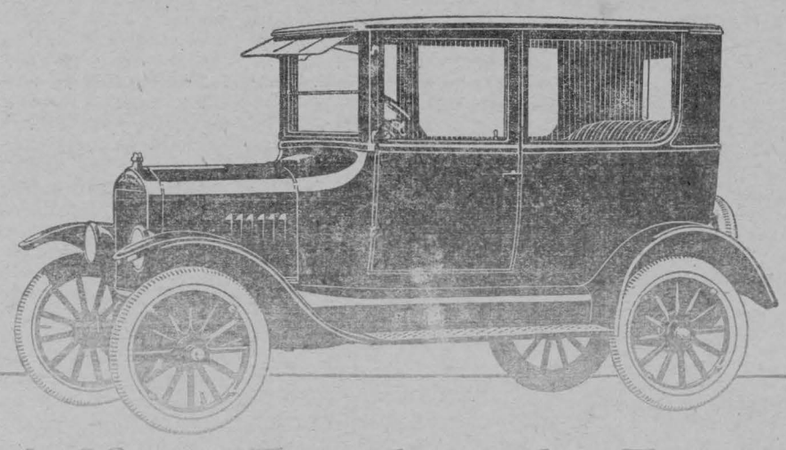
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The Ford Motor Company of Canada, Limited, is considerably behind in its manufacturing schedule on this type of body. Consequently we are not able to state definitely when this model will be on display in our showrooms. Watch for its appearance.

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# OUR CORRESPONDENTS

## WILLIAMSBURG

The annual banquet of the Lutheran Church, Williamsburg, will be held Thursday evening, January 24 Watch next week's Leader for further announcements.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beckstead and Miss Mary Beckstead and Mr. and Mrs. Anson G. Becker were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben C. Casselman.

Mrs. Ella Froats spent New Years Day with Mr. and Mrs. John Barkley of Boucks Hill.

Mrs. Irwin McIntosh and the Misses Dorothy Deeks and Alma Jaycox were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Strader last Sunday.

Mr. Archie Shannette left for Kingston on Monday of this week where he will resume his studies at Queens University.

Mr. Frank Strader, Mr. and Mrs. Ora McIntosh and Miss Muriel Smith and Mrs. J. A. McIntosh were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac J. McIntosh last week.

The Misses Dora and Lucy Merkley, Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Merkley, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Deeks, Miss Ethel Deeks and Mr. James Deeks spent New Years Day with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bell of Brinston.

Mrs. George Strader spent last week end at her parental home in Chesterville.

Mrs. W. B. Colles and little daughter Betty returned home this week after spending the past month with her mother.

Miss Ethel Whittaker spent Tuesday of this week with Mrs. Wilbert Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fetterly and family moved to Inkerman this week where they have purchased a farm. We all join in wishing them success in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Barkley and Mrs. Ivan Barkley of Dunbar, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Payne of Brinston and Mr. Matt Shannett were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McIntosh this week.

The Misses Dora and Lucy Merkley and Ethel Deeks were guests of Mrs. Donald on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Whyte of Farnham Que., were calling at Mr. John F. Casselmen's one day last week.

Mr. Philip Barker has severed his connection as baker, with Mr. Chas. [illegible] and has accepted a similar [illegible] in Morrisburg. His many [illegible] here wish him every success [illegible] union prayer meeting of the [illegible]byterian and Methodist churches are being well attended this week.

Guests at Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Merkley's last Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Merkley of Kingston, Mr. L. R. Merkley of Ottawa, Miss Elva and Gladys Bailey of Port Emsley, Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Merkley, Miss May and Sarah Merkley, Mrs. Jacob Garlough and son Wilburn of Williamsburg.

Miss Elva and Gladys Bailey spent the New Year with their grand mother, Mrs. W. I. Merkley.

Mr. Lennie R. Merkley has returned to Ottawa after spending his holidays with his mother

Mr and Mrs. Stanley Saddlemire and daughter spent Sunday with Mrs Frank S. Merkley.

## CHURCH ROAD

Mrs. J. Morrison and son Edwin and Miss Marion returned to their home at Morristown, New Jersey on Saturday after spending the holiday at Mr. E. J. Swerdfeger's.

Mr. James Clements, Chesterville was a business caller through here recently.

Mr. George Pruner and family of Madrid were recent guests at Mrs. Cassel's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman of Glen Becker passed through here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swerdfeger and children Mary and Roscoe were recent guests at Mr. J. Swerdfeger's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bowman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Crowder.

Mrs. J. M. Beckstead and daughter Ketha, Aultsville, spent the latter end of the week at Mr. James J. Styles'.

## MOREWOOD

Mr. Ernest Munharvey and sister Mary went to Cornwall Saturday to attend school there.

Mrs. Fanny McPherson and daughter, Mrs. Jacob Swerdfeger attended the funeral of the former's father, Mr. Simeon Garlough, at Williamsburg on Thursday.

The I. O. O. F. held their annual banquet on Tuesday night.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Robert McConnell had the misfortune to have his nose badly cut

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gordon spent Sunday at Mr. Ernest McConnell's.

Miss B. Hetherington spent the week-end with Miss Susie Elliott.

A number of young people had a very enjoyable dance at the home of Mr. Leslie McConnell on New Years Eve.

Mr. James McLaughlin of Hinton N.Y. spent a few days with friends here.

Miss Margaret Coulthart spent Saturday with Miss Mildred Dillabough.

The Hochelaga Bank opened a branch here on January 2nd.

Miss Dorothy Fraser of Hudson, N.Y. is returning to her work after spending her holidays at her home here.

Mr. Charles McConnell returned to his school at Calobogie on Friday.

Mr. Walter Coulthart is very sick with neuritis.

## HOASIC

Rev. Howe of Elma spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Durham Wells.

Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Bogart and Miss Thelma of Kingston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Durham Wells during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Herriman of Elma spent Sunday with their daughter Mrs. John O'Shaughnessy.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Durant and family spent New Years Day with Mr. and Mrs. Bodette of Archer.

Mr. James Clements of Chesterville took dinner at Mr. D. Well's on Friday.

Rev. Howe of Elma was calling at Mr. Willis Swerdfeger's recently.

Miss Dorothy Robertson and Mrs. D. Wells spent one evening last week at Mrs. Willis Swerdfeger's.

## CEDAR GROVE

Mrs. Meeker of Aultsville spent the past week at Mr. Selim Shaver's

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dafoe spent a couple of days last week in Finch. with Mrs. Dafoe's sister, Mrs. Alguire who is sick at the home of her niece Mrs. Roy Rupert.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Crites of Pleasant Valley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Crites Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. F. A. McConnell and Miss Muriel visited Mrs John Mc Connell, 2nd Con, on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wereley and Mr and Mrs. Fred Dafoe and Miss Greta were guests of Mr and Mrs. C. F. Dafoe on Wednesday.

Misses Bernice and Maggie Dillabough of Aultsville spent the week end at Mr. Robert Dafoe's.

Mr. Ed. Pier, 3rd Ave. spent Friday last at Mr. Fred Dafoe's.

Miss Barr of Aultsville spent a few days this week with her sister, Mrs Lloyd Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. I. McConnell and daughter Muriel, and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Gallinger and daughter Fern visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dafoe on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Beaupre and Miss Jean spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Swerdfeger, Gallingertown

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sweet and children of Bombay, N.Y., spent a few days with friends here.

Mr. Harold Buchanan visited his sisters, Mrs. Emmet Armstrong and Mrs. Leslie Porteon in the United States last week.

Mr. Milton Countryman of Bush Glen spent Wednesday at Mr. W. I Dafoe's.

Mrs. Jack McConnell of Gallingertown spent Wednesday with her aunt, Mrs Mary Gove.

## GALLINGERTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gallinger and children Beatrice, Claire and Clifford, also Mr. A. W. Weagant and Mr. D. Weegar and son Dwight took their New Years dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Geo Weagant, Archer.

Mr. and Mrs Chas. Smith and family of Morrisburg have returned home after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Southworth.

Miss Irene Gallinger spent Wednesday last with Miss Thelma Collins

Miss Beatrice Gallinger and Mr. Murray Myers of the M.C.I. have returned to Morrisburg after their holidays at their homes here.

Miss Ruth Alexander of Pleasant Valley spent part of last week with Miss Beatrice Gallinger

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heagle and Mr. Shaler Heagle of Archer spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. C. Froats

Mr. Archie Gallinger had the misfortune to have his barn with crop, implements, 17 head of cattle and two horses burned on Friday night at about 12 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs H. A. Gallinger and son Lloyd of Archer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs Wm Myers

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Gallinger spent Sunday wiht Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baker of Arche

## FROATBURN

Visitors at Mr. W. Becksteads on New Years Day were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Henophy and daughter, Wilda Mr and Mrs. Jacob Swerdfeger and sister Nona and Mr. and Mrs. Alva Henophy and children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Stillson were recent guests at Mr. Jacob Swerdfeger's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman spent Sunday at Mr. Henry Swerdfeger's.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Casselman and daughter Elizabeth spent Sunday at Mr. R. Swerdfeger's.

Mr. Roy Styles and Mr. Roy Schell spent Monday evening attending Lodge at Williamsburg.

Mrs. J. Swerdfeger and Mrs. R. Swerdfeger were recent callers at Mr. Ruben Mattice's and Mr. Willis Mattice's.

We are sorry to hear Mr. Blake Casselman is on the sick list. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman were recent callers at Mr. J. Swerdfeger's.

Mr. Bert Baker is a business caller through the burn on Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Swerdfeger and sister Nona were recent visitors at Mr. J. Swerdfeger's

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We wish to announce that on account of heavy fall of snow we have been compelled to discontinue our truck service.

We have arranged for a town delivery Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday each week till future notice.

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Class II—Lloyd Whitteker 62; Mabel Merkley 54.

Class I—Nena Whitteker 76; Mac Strader 70.

Sr. Pr.—Gwyneth Benton.

Jr. Pr.—Ray Merkley.

B. Roy Casselman, teacher.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Notice is hereby given that William Samuel Morrow of Cyprus River, in the Province of Manitoba, labourer, will apply to the Parliament of Canada, at the next Session thereof, for a bill of divorce from his wife, Mae Morrow of the Township of Williamsburg in the County of Dundas and Province of Ontario, on the grounds of adultery.

Dated at Morrisburg in the Province of Ontario, this seventh day of November A. D., 1923.

IRWIN HILLIARD,
Morrisburg, Ontario.
Solicitor for the Applicants

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### OTTAWA WINTER FAIR

January 14th to 18th, 1924

For particulars of reduced fares apply to Ticket Agent.

### NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Dundas Agricultural Society will be held in the Town Hall, Morrisburg, Monday, January 14th, at 1 p.m. for the purpose of electing officers; directors and transacting other routine business.

A full attendance of all members is requested.

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The nucleus of an endowment fund has been established by a legacy recently received, and parties remembering the Hospital in their wills may stipulate that bequests made by them shall go to this fund.

If you would like a copy of the last Annual Report, drop a card to the Secretary, who will be pleased to


# Price Changes of Dr. Chase's Medicines

**By increasing the contents of the boxes the cost to the user remains unchanged**

THIS revision of prices affects only three of Dr. Chase's Medicines—the Kidney-Liver Pills, Nerve Food and Catarrh Powder.

In spite of the constantly increasing cost of doing business ever since Dr. Chase's Medicines were placed on the market many years ago there has been no change in the prices of these three medicines to the consumer.

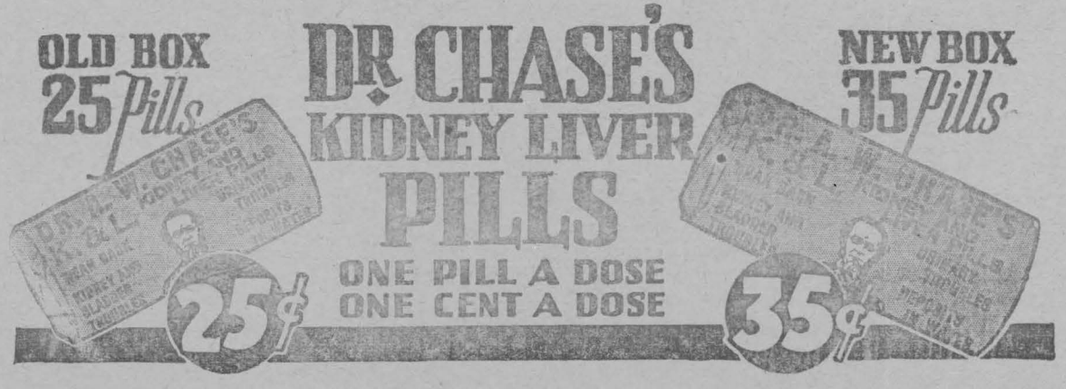
It has now become absolutely necessary to make some changes, but this has been worked out in such a way that the cost to the user remains the same.

The slogan for Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will therefore remain "One pill a dose—One cent a dose," for while the price will be 35 cents instead of 25, the contents of the box will be 35 instead of 25 pills as formerly.

The same applies to Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, which will sell at 60 cents a box instead of 50 cents, since the contents of the box is now 60 pills instead of 50.

With the exception of Dr. Chase's Catarrh Powder, which is now 35 cents a box, the prices of Dr. Chase's other medicines remain unchanged.

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## The Woman of To-Day

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It was just an ordinary farm home and one could see at a glance that the task of making both ends meet was far from an easy one. Mrs. Blakeslee did all her own work, helped in the garden and coaxed dozens of chicks into plump broilers. And to Cousin Belle, visiting there for the first time, it seemed as though the three little folks, Maisie and Mildred and baby Jim, must surely be allowed to run loose and that they would doubtless, after the first few hours of "company manners," prove annoying beyond the average.

It was quite to her amazement, then, that on the morning after her arrival, with the wind blowing the snow into drifts out of doors, she was greeted by three sunny little faces.

"Isn't it a lovely morning?" Maisie asked seriously.

"Why do you think it lovely?" Cousin Belle asked in surprise.

"Oh, there are so many nice things to do on a day like this," Mildred put in. "That's why we're hurrying so to get our dusting done. Mother's going to let us choose what we want from our surprise cupboard."

"I'll have to explain to cousin Belle," laughed Mrs. Blakeslee as she stepped about briskly putting the livingroom in order. "You see, I've quite a job on my hands, taking it all around. But I call these three the most important part of it. Much of the time they are happy out of doors or playing with their dolls. I've tried to teach them to amuse themselves. When days like this come and times when other amusements grow tiresome and I am too busy to give them much attention, their happiness must be considered. These are the times when our surprise cupboard is a big help."

"We're all ready, Mother," Mildred announced. "We've dusted every corner and taken care of everything, as neat! And we've all decided what we want to take first."

"I want the Nose ark," Jim shouted.

"I'd like the sewing cards," Mildred said.

"I made some new ones the other evening for a surprise," Mother returned, taking the box from the shelf.

"You see," she explained to cousin Belle, "the nice box of sewing-cards they had for Christmas were soon used up. So now I watch for suitable outline pictures, collect bits of cardboard, lay the two together and prick around the edge of the picture with a hat-pin or big needle. The children love them. We have needles with big eyes, and Maisie has learned to thread them. Mildred can, too, unless the yarn is too heavy. We use all sorts of odds and ends of colored thread and yarn. After the needle is threaded we pass the point through the two threads a few inches down, draw the needle through, and that fastens it so it can't slip out. A little wax helps in threading it and drawing the entire thread over the wax prevents knots and tangles.

"I'd like the old catalogs and scissors and paper doll things," Maisie announced.

Cousin Belle was interestedly looking over the remaining articles in the surprise cupboard. There were bubble pipes, home-made peg-boards, crayons and pencils, odds and ends of wrapping and waxed paper cut neatly in rather small sheets or made into little books, modelling clay, a small hammer, tacks and a soft-wood board into which little Jim loved to pound the tacks and pull them out again. A small washboard, flat iron, moulding board and rolling pin were there, also.

"What are these for?" cousin Belle inquired, opening a box of dried peas.

"We soak them over night," Mrs. Blakeslee explained, "and the children use them to fasten toothpicks together and make all sorts of things, tables and chairs and letters and stars, men and animals.

"Where do you get all your ideas!" he cousin exclaimed.

"I have attacked this problem as I would any other. A happily employed child is usually a good child. It takes less time to get this busy-work ready and show them how to use it than it does to be continually scolding and punishing, and is far better both for them and for me.

"See what I'm doing, cousin Belle," called Maisie from near the window.

"Why! I thought that was another cupboard," exclaimed cousin Belle.

"It looks like one until you pull back the curtain," laughed Maisie. "Then it's a doll-house. Father made it for us out of boxes and Mother helped us paper the rooms. We had some pasteboard furniture given us and we used that for patterns to make more. Sometimes we play with paper dolls in it and sometimes with our littlest china dolls."

"I must go out and attend to the chickens now," Mrs. Blakeslee announced.

"I'll write some letters while you are gone." Cousin Belle settled herself to write in peace and quietness so absorbed were they all in their occupations from the Surprise Cupboard.

A NEW DOLL SET.




4196. The little doll mother may not only make dolly's clothes but also the doll, from the models supplied herewith. The body may be of drill, unbleached muslin, oil cloth or sanitas, with a stuffing of bran, kopak, or cotton. Eyes of shoe buttons, nose and lips of yarn, or, the features may be embroidered or painted.

Dressed as a clown this doll will be very attractive. The suit may be of calico, cretonne or scraps of silk or satin. One or two colors of materials may be used. For the Rompers—cretonne or gingham is pleasing. Dolly will be so glad of the dear little pockets in her rompers, and "Pierrot" the clown will do all sorts of tricks in his comfortable costume, if his arms and legs are fastened so as to be movable.

The Pattern, comprising the Doll and the garments, is cut in 3 Sizes: Small—12 inches, Medium—16 inches, Large—20 inches in length. The Doll requires for a Medium size ½ yard. The Rompers ⅞ yard. The Suit and Hat, 1¼ yards of 27-inch material.

Pattern mailed to any address on receipt of 15c in silver or stamps, by the Wilson Publishing Co., 73 West Adelaide Street. Allow two weeks for receipt of pattern.

DECORATING CURTAINS.

I saw a thrifty little woman make new curtains out of some old scrim affairs with faded stencil border. The material was still good for considerable wear but the faded borders spoiled the curtains' looks and apparently made them useless.

But my friend gave the old curtains a careful laundering, boiling them to remove all stains and the remnant of tinting in the less sun-faded places.

They were next put through a thin starch to which a little strained ochre water had been added, to give the material a pretty cream color. Doubtless many other tinting colors would have done as well.

The resourceful housewife then bought a few yards of inexpensive light-weight flowered cretonne and cut it into strips of a width to cover the old borders. The cretonne was neatly stitched to the scrim.

When hung, the curtains were most attractive and gave a fresh, cheery look to the room.—Josephine E. Toal.

**Ten Greatest Inventors.**

In an article called "The Ten Greatest Inventors," the author, John S. Seymour, names the following:

Eli Whitney, Elias Howe, Charles Goodyear, Sir Henry Bessemer, Samuel F. B. Morse, Thomas A. Edison, Alexander Graham Bell, Nikola Tesla, Cyrus Hall McCormick, Wilbur Wright.


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# Tangled Trails

—BY WILLIAM MACLEOD RAINE

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CHAPTTR XXVIII.—(Cont'd.)

"Do you know when Mrs. Rankin and your daughter will be home?"

"By next Tuesday, at the latest. Perhaps you can call again. I trust there was nothing irregular about the marraige."

"Not so far as we know. We were anxious about the young lady. She is a friend of ours," Kirby said. "By the way, the certificate of the marriage is not on record at the court-house. Are you sure you returned it to the clerk?"

"Bless my soul, did I forget that again?" exclaimed the Reverend Nicodemus. "I'll have my daughter look for the paper as soon as she returns."

"You couldn't find it now, I suppose," Lane suggested.

The old gentleman searched rather helplessly among the papers overflowing his desk. He did not succeed in finding what he looked for. Kirby and Rose walked back to the court-house. They had omitted to arrange with the license clerk to forward a copy of the marriage certificate when it was filed.

The rough rider left the required fee with the clerk and a bank note to keep his memory jogged up.

"Soon as Mrs. Rankin comes home, will you call her up and remind her about lookin' for the certificate?" he asked.

"Sure I will. I've got to have it, anyhow, for the records. And say, what's the name of that fresh guy who came in here and cut the page from the register? I'm going after him right, believe you me."

Kirby gave his cousin's name and address. He had no animosity whatever toward him, but he thought it it just as well to keep Jack's mind occupied with troubles of his own during the next few days. Very likely then he would not get in his way so much.

They were no sooner clear of the court-house than Rose burst out with what was in her mind.

"It's just as I thought. Your uncle married Esther and got her to keep quiet about the marriage for some reason. Your cousins are trying to destroy the evidence so that the estate won't all go to her. I'll bet we get an offer or a compromise right away."

"Mebbe." Kirby's mind was not quite satisfied. Somehow, this affair did not seem to fit in with what he knew of his uncle. Cunningham had been always bold and audacious in his actions, a law to himself. Yet if he were going to marry the stenographer he had wronged, he might do it secretly to conceal the date on account of the unborn child.

The eyes of Rose gleamed with determination. Her jaw set. "I'm gonna get the whole story out of Esther soon as I get back to town," she said doggedly.

But she did not—nor for many days after.

CHAPTER XXV.

A CONFERENCE OF THREE.

Kirby heard his name being paged as he entered his hotel.

"Wanted at the telephone, sir," the bell-hop told him.

He stepped into a booth and the voice of Rose came excited and tremulous. It was less than ten minutes since he had left her at the door of her boarding house.

"Something's happened, Kirby. Can you come here—right away?" she begged. Then, unable to keep back any longer the cry of her heart, she broke out with her tidings. "Esther's gone."

"Gone where?" he asked.

"I don't know. She left a letter for me. If you'll come to the house—Or shall I meet you downtown?"

"I'll come. Be there in five minutes."

He more than kept his word. Catching a car on the run at the nearest corner, he dropped from it as it crossed Broadway and walked to Cherokee.

Rose opened the house door when he rang the bell and drew him into the parlor. With a catch of the breath she blurted out again the news.

"She was gone when I got home. I found—this letter." Her eyes sought his for comfort.

He read what Esther had written.

"I can't stand it any longer, dearest. I'm going away where I won't disgrace you. Don't look for me. I'll be taken care of till—afterward.

And, oh, Rose, don't hate me, darling. Even if I am wicked, love me. And try some time to forgive your little sister Esther.

"Did anybody see her go?" Lane asked.

"I don't know. I haven't talked with anybody but the landlady. She hasn't seen Esther this afternoon, she said. I didn't let on I was worried."

"What does she mean that she'll be taken care of till afterward? Who'll take care of her?"

"I don't know."

"Have you any idea where she would be likely to go—whether there is any friend who might have offered her a temporary home?"

"No." Rose considered. "She wouldn't go to any old friend. You see she's—awf'ly sensitive. And she'd have to explain. Besides, I'd find out she was there."

"That's true."

"I ought never to have left her last spring. I should have found work here and not gone gallumpin' all over the country." Her chin trembled. She was on the verge of tears.

"Nonsense. You can't blame yourself. We each have to live our own life. How could you tell what was comin'? Betcha we find her right away. Mebbe she let out somethin' to Cole. She doesn't look to me like a girl who could play out a stiff hand alone."

"She isn't. She's dependent—always has leaned on some one." Rose had regained control of herself quickly. She stood straight and lissom, mistress of her emotions, but her clear cheeks were colorless. "I'm worried, Kirby, dreadfully. Esther hasn't the pluck to go through alone. She—she might—"

No need to finish the sentence. Her friend understood.

His strong hand went out and closed on hers. "Don't you worry, pardner. It'll be all right. We'll find her an' take her somewhere into the country where folks don't know."

Faintly she smiled. "You're such a comfort."

"Sho! We'll get busy right away. Denver ain't such a big town that we can't find one li'l' girl *muy pronto*." His voice was steady and cheerful, almost light. "First off, we'll check up an' see if any one saw her go. What did she take with her?"

"One suitcase."

"How much money? Can you make a guess?"

"She had only a dollar or two in her purse. She had money in the bank. I'll find out if she drew any."

"Lemme do that. I'll find Cole, too. You make some inquiries round the house here, kinda easy-like. Meet you here at six o'clock. Or mebbe we'd better meet downtown. Say at the Boston Chop House."

Cole was with Kirby when he met Rose at the restaurant.

"We'll go in an' get somethin' to eat," Lane said. "We'll talk while we're waitin'. That way we'll not lose any time."

They found a booth and Kirby ordered the dinner. As soon as the waiter had gone he talked business.

"Find out anything, Rose?"

"Yes. A girl at the house who works for the telephone company saw Esther get into an automobile a block and a half away from the house. A man helped her in. I pretended to laugh and asked her what sort of a lookin' man he was. She said he was a live one, well dressed and handsome. The car was a limousine."

"Good. Fits in with what I found out," Kirby said. "The bank was closed, but I got in the back door by pounding at it. The teller at the K-R window was still there, working at his accounts. Esther did not draw any money to-day or yesterday."

"Why do you say good?" Cole wanted to know. "Is it good for our li'l' friend to be in the power of this good-lookin' guy with the big car, an' her without a bean of her own? I don't get it. Who is the man? Howcome she to go with him? She sure had no notion of goin' when we was eatin' together an hour before."

"I don't see who he could be. She never spoke of such a man to me," Rose murmured, greatly troubled.

"I don't reckon she was very well acquainted with him," Lane said, shaking out his napkin.

The talk was suspended while he ladled the soup into the plates and the waiter served them. Not till the man's back was turned did Rose fling out her hot challenge to Kirby.

"Why would she go with a man she didn't know very well? Where would she be going with him?" The flame in her cheeks, the stab of her eyes, dared him to think lightly of her sister. It was in her temperament to face all slights with high spirit.

His smile reassured. "Mebbe she didn't know where she was goin'. That was his business. Let's work this out from the beginnin'."

Kirby passed Rose the crackers. She rejected them with a little gesture of impatience.

"I don't want to eat. I'm not hungry."

Lane's kind eyes met hers steadily. "But you must eat. You'll be of no help if you don't keep up your strength."

Rather than fight it out, she gave up.

"We know right off the reel Esther didn't plan this," he continued. "Before we knew the man was in it you felt it wasn't like her to run away alone, Rose. Didn't you?"

"Yes."

"She hadn't drawn any money from her account. So she wasn't makin' any plans to go. The man worked it out an' then persuaded Esther. It's no surprise to me to find a Mr. Man in this thing. I'd begun to guess it before you told me. The question is, what man."

The girl's eyes jumped to his. She began to see what he was working toward. Cole, entirely in the dark, stirred uneasily. His mind was still busy with a possible love tangle.

"What man or men would benefit most if Esther disappeared for a time? We know of two it might help," the man from Twin Buttes went on.

"Your cousins," she cried, almost in a whisper.

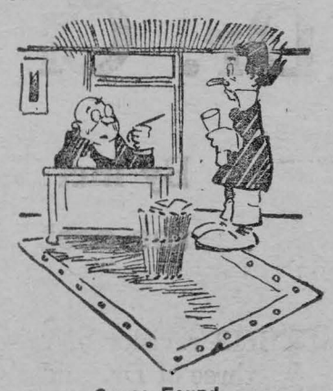
"Yes, if we've guessed rightly that Esther was married to Uncle James. That would make her his heir. With her in his hands and away from us, they would be in a position to drive a better bargain. They know that we're hot on the trail of the marriage. If they're kind to her—and no doubt they will be—they can get anything they want from her in the way of an agreement as to the property. Looks to me like the fine Italian hand of Cousin James. We know Jack wasn't the man. He was busy at Golden right then. Kinda leaves James in the spotlight, doesn't it?"

Rose drew a long breath. "I'm so glad I was afraid—thought maybe she would do something desperate. But if she's being looked after it's a lot better. We'll soon have her back. Until then they'll be good to her, won't they?"

"They'll treat her like a queen. Don't you see? That's their game. They don't want a lawsuit. They're playin' for a compromise."

Kirby leaned back and smiled expansively on his audience of two. He began to fancy himself tremendously as a detective.

(To be continued.)



**Cause Found.**

Poet—"My wife declares that last poem of mine you published almost stopped her heart."

Editor—"Ha! So that's why our circulation was **set back!"**

## Inventions Needed.

Further suggestions have been made to the list of things wanted. The latest contributor is Prof. A. M. Low, the inventor and man of science, who has made the following entries:

A process of instantaneous color photography.

A selective method of radio communication with really sharp tuning.

A light, efficient, slow-speed internal combustion engine.

An internal combustion turbine.

Greatly simplified clothing, not strange in appearance.

A loud speaker that can be controlled without distorting the sound.

Improved methods of electrical storage and power transmission.

A cheap house-warmer that can be installed by anyone.

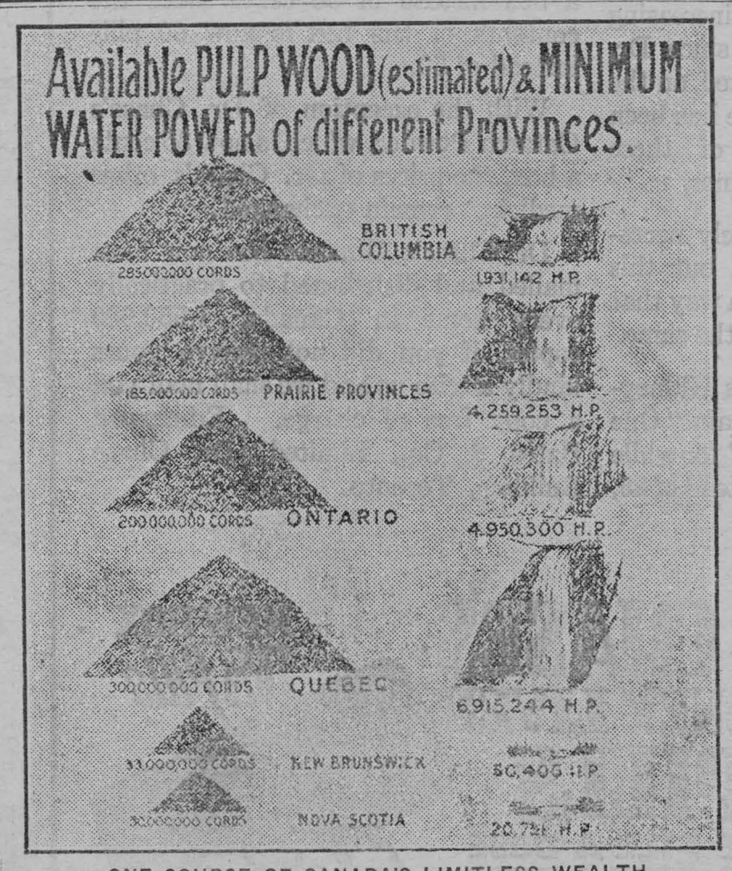
A new game of skill.

A new method of conveying speech direct and readably to paper.

But there are some things spiritual and not material that are needed more than anything in this list, and they are things that any man can find for himself if he will without the services of any inventive genius.

Kindness to animals is a theme that ought to be touched upon frequently by every preacher and every writer whose aim is to make this world better.

**Minard's Liniment for Dandruff.**




ONE SOURCE OF CANADA'S LIMITLESS WEALTH

The chart shows in a graphic way the wealth in Canada's undeveloped natural resources of timber and water-power.


## NURSES

The Toronto Hospital for Incurables, in affiliation with Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, New York City, offers a three years' Course of Training to young women, having the required education, and desirous of becoming nurses. This Hospital has adopted the eight-hour system. The pupils receive uniforms of the School, a monthly allowance and travelling expenses to and from New York. For further information apply to the Superintendent.


## Her Courage.

In a missionary school in the mountains of the Southern States there has been for several years a girl who when she came into the class had, as a patient teacher put it, "few peers for uncouthness of manner and density of mind." Year after year the place at the bottom of the class has remained hers. Yet she is the one girl whom the principal of the school and aslo the teachers are most anxious to keep.

She is a cripple and is halting in speech. She came from a home of ignorance and poverty. Her handicap was so heavy that at first it seemed impossible for her to overcome it. Yet under its terrible weight stirred a living, struggling will. That was the interest, the dramatic conflict, that made all the lookers-on want to help the crippled girl forward.

She herself knew her limitations, but she had an ambition, and she pressed toward it daily, forgetting self. She was not discouraged; she had a living faith in God. Though she could only stammer slowly, she determined to start family worship in her home when she went back in the vacation. Never had a prayer been heard in the poor little hut. "My knees shook," she said to her teacher afterward, "and so did my voice. But I wasn't ashamed." Every day she presevered, and when she left home for school again her mother promised to continue reading the Bible daily.

The poverty of the cripple has always been extreme; during her years in the school she has been able to earn little money. Yet by patient effort she has earned enough to give a small weekly offering. At Thanksgiving one year when all united in a thank offering she brought one dollar and a half, earned and saved through no one knows what toil and sacrifice, but given with a grateful heart, for she is happy in her school, in her teachers and in her opportunities.

Her mind may stay at the foot of her class, but her soul is at the head of it and is always advancing. Is it any wonder that even with her dull mind and her halting speech she has still a power beyond eloquence upon all about her?




**The Complete Liar**

"Why do you believe he is so entirely a liar?"

"He told me he couldn't believe his own eyes."

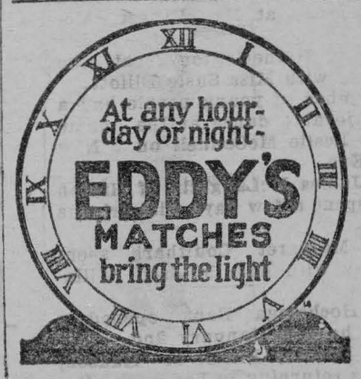
**The Russian Winter.**

Keeping warm in Russia is a feat. The people of the lower classes in Russia encase themselves for the winter in shaggy sheepskins and look unkempt indeed, but with such a warm covering these people have great powers of endurance and can stand certain kinds of work in the cold that would kill a Canadian. For instance, every house has a "concierge" or porter, and it is his custom to take his seat on a chair just outside the front porch at nine o'clock in the evening and stay there all night long to protect and safeguard the house. Another odd sight seen in every large Russian city, is the great cones of fire built up at the intersections of the streets where drivers and footmen may remain in order to warm themselves and be comfortable, while their masters are at a ball or opera.

The basis of education should be sure before a superstructure of accomplishments is raised upon it.—Bishop Welldon.

Troubles come to all men; but those who are looking for them will have the largest share.


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# Leading Events During the Year 1923

JANUARY.

3—The Allied Premiers' Conference at Paris disagrees on the question of German reparations. The population of Toronto is returned at 529,083, an increase in the past ten years of 111,883.

4—The Allies abandon the effort to agree in regard to German indemnities. Canada and Italy sign trade agreement at the Foreign Office. London.

6—Nineteen Sinn Fein Clubs at Dublin Convention make appeal for peace.

8—France masses troops for advance at Dusseldorf. British mission to Washington re the funding of debt to the United States asks for fair terms.

9—Rebel outrages in Ireland continue, with the wrecking of trains and house burning. Turks refuse to provide homes for Armenians. Jamaica indignantly spurns suggestion that the West Indies be exchanged for the British debt to the United States.

10—French army begins its advance in the Ruhr district. President Harding orders withdrawal of U. S. troops on the Rhine.

11—Essen occupied by French troops. Germany decides upon non-resistance and the German coal syndicate ceases operations. Death of ex-Emperor Constantine of Greece.

16—Operators in Ruhr district refuse to deliver coal to France, and the French seize a number of train loads and divert them to France. Prohibition enters upon its third year in the U.S. Canada's exports in December increased by $24,566,662. Lithuania captures Memel.

17—Hon. W. C. Kennedy, Canadian Minister of Railways, dies of heart failure in Florida. U.S. Senate refuses to agree to 3 per cent. interest on the British war debt.

19—Dominion Government decides to take action against monopolies in restraint of trade. French place ban on German banks removing funds.

20—Miners in Ruhr area go on strike. Eleven Irish rebels executed. British Funding Commission returns to England without coming to agreement with the U.S.

22—A small vote favors making Prince Edward Island "bone" dry.

23—Premier G. H. Murray of Nova Scotia resigns after 27 years of office. Great Britain during last year proved Canada's best customer, the exports being $34,000,000 higher than those to the U. S.

24—France wins control in the Ruhr coal region.

31—Britain agrees to accept U. S. terms for funding the debt, Britain to pay $10,000,000,000 by end of 62 yrs. Opening of the Dominion Parliament. Speech from the Throne promises revision of the Bank Act and redistribution. Toronto citizens dissatisfied with the award giving the Street Railway Co. $11,188,000 for their interests, and Adam Beck dissenting.

FEBRUARY.

1—The general offices of the Canadian National Railways are located by Government at Montreal, central headquarters at Toronto, eastern at Moncton and western at Winnipeg. Allied ultimatum sent Lithuania to evacuate Memel.

2—Irish rebels propose peace with the Irish Free State on understanding that war is declared against Ulster.

9—The U.S. House of Representatives passes the Debt Funding Bill by 291 to 44 votes. French occupy Sarre coal mines. Liam Lynch, Irish rebel chief, rejects Government peace proposals.

10—Government printing plant in Dublin blown up by rebels.

19—Canada's National Railways earned surplus of two millions in 1922. Dominion Commons decide against proportional representation.

21—Austria given 20 years moratorium for claims of allied powers. Dominion Commons discuss the plea for a "White Canada," but action is deferred.

26—Belfast gives royal welcome to the Duke of Abercorn, first Ulster Governor.

MARCH.

1—Asquith awards Canada $8,000,000 as Britain's debt standing over from the war.

4—Canadian Minister signs International Fisheries Treaty with the U. S., thus assuming national status for the Dominion.

10—Over 100 Irish agitators wanted in Dublin arrested in Britain and deported to the Free State.

14—1,975,276 days lost in 1922 by strikes in Canada. Allied Ambassadors give Vilna to Poland.

21—Col. L. C. Amery, First Lord of the Admiralty, announces that Great Britain has scrapped two million tons of war shipping since the Washington Conference.

26—Death of Sarah Bernhardt, world-famous actress, at Paris.

APRIL.

4—Earl of Carnarvon, discoverer of the tomb of Tutankhamen, dies at Cairo of blood-poisoning from bite of an insect.

10—Liam Lynch, chief of staff of Irish Irregulars, captured by Irish Free State troops, dies of his wounds.

13—Plague in India from December to end of March causes death of 36,900 people. Canada the second exporting country of the world on a per capita basis.

14—Death in London, Eng., of Col. Joseph Boyle, native of Toronto, noted Klondike pioneer and adventurer.

26—The King's son, Duke of York, is wedded to Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon at Westminster Abbey amid general rejoicing.

MAY.

1—Washington announces that law against liquors on ocean liners within three-mile limit will be rigorously enforced in 30 days.

15—British syndicate obtains control of the Bagdad Railway.

19—Bonar Law resigns the British Premiership owing to illness.

22—Stanley Baldwin succeeds Bonar Law as British Premier. Soviet Government accedes to British demands.

28—De Valera issues order to rebels to abandon warfare against the Free State Government.

29—Large quantities of arms dumped by Irish rebels.

JUNE.

3—Swiss reject prohibition by a large majority.

12—New Bulgarian Government firmly established at Sofia.

16—Damage by bush fires in New Brunswick placed at $5,000,000. Largest submersible in existence launched at Chatham, Eng.

18—Eruption of Mount Etna wipes out several villages on its slopes. Damage causes in Quebec Province by forest fires during month runs into millions.

22—Manitoba gives a majority of 34,000 in favor of government sale of liquor.

25—Ontario Legislature elections result in sweeping defeat of Drury Government and a Conservative majority of members elected.

30—Troops called out to stop rioting by Sydney, N.S., steel strikers. Dominion Parliament prorogued.

JULY.

4—Every coal mine in Cape Breton closed down.

5—Dockers' strike in Britain involves 40,000 workers; trade union leaders order men to return to work.

11—British strike called off. French Parliament ratifies Washington Naval Limitations Treaty and the four power Pacific accord.

21—Strike of steel colliery miners of Nova Scotia terminated.

24—House of Lords passes Lady Astor's bill to stop sale of liquor to persons under 18 years of age. Ismet Pasha signs treaty of peace with allies, who will evacuate Constantinople and the Straits within six weeks.

AUGUST.

1—Strike of steel workers in the Sydney, N.S., district, which started June 27, is declared off by men's votes.

2—Sudden death of U.S. President Harding at San Francisco from stroke of apoplexy.

3—Calvin Coolidge sworn in as 30th President of the U.S. at Plymouth, Vt.

16—De Valera lodged in Limerick jail.

17—Home Bank of Canada, unable to meet obligations, closes its doors, and A. D. Barker, curator, is placed in charge to investigate matters. De Valera sent to Dublin in custody.

24—Divers retrieve four million pounds in bullion from the torpedoed steamer Laurentic off the coast of Ireland.

25—Canadian National Exhibition at Toronto opens with a record attendance of 76,000.

28—Germany offers to give up passive resistance in the Ruhr district on certain conditions. Italian General Tellini and four members of his suite assassinated on the Albanian road, and Italy demands reparation from Greece.

29—Italy demands apologies, the execution of the murderers and a cash indemnity of $2,500,000 for the killing of General Tellini.

31—Italy occupies the Islands of Corfu and Samos. The Canadian party led by Allan Crawford, who went to Wrangel Island in 1921 reported dead.

SEPTEMBER.

1—Terrific earthquake in Japan causes terrible destruction of property and loss of life; Tokio, Yokohama and other cities on the eastern seaboard laid waste and the loss of life is estimated at 30,000. Final returns of the Irish elections give following results: Government, 63; Republicans, 44; Independent, 16; Labor, 16; Farmers, 15; total 153.

8—Seven U.S. warships wrecked on rocks near Santa Barbara, Cal., and 23 seamen drowned. Can. Nat. Exhibition at Toronto closes with all records of attendance beaten, the total being 1,493,000, an increase on 1922 of 129,500.

10—Greek Government accept allies' terms regarding dispute with Italy. Passive resistance in occupied area of Germany ordered stopped. Irish Free State admitted to League of Nations.

12—Lord Renfrew (Prince of Wales) arrives at Quebec en route to his ranch in Alberta to spend a month there. Ottawa's estimate of wheat crop of Prairie Provinces is 470,000,000 bushels.

19—New Irish Parliament opens at Dublin; W. T. Cosgrave is elected President. Republicans in Irish jails refused release. Greece apologizes for the Janina assassinations. Franco-Canadian trade treaty goes into effect.

26—Dictatorship declared in Bavaria and Germany proclaims martial law. Greece pays Italy 50,000,000 lire as compensation for Janina murders.

30—The French super-zeppelin Dixmude breaks all dirigible records for distance and endurance by completing an uninterrupted voyage of 4,500 miles lasting 118 hours and 41 mins.

OCTOBER.

1—Premier Baldwin opens Imperial Conference in London.

2—Canadian Government Refunding Loan of $200,000,000 is rapidly subscribed.

6—Turkish troops re-enter Constantinople after four years of banishment.

9—Hon. L. P. Brodeur appointed Lt.-Governor of Quebec. Lloyd George in Toronto has a tumultuous reception by vast audience. Tsao-Kun installed as President of the Chinese Republic.

25—Drs. F. G. Banting and J. J. R. MacLeod of Toronto are awarded the Nobel prize for the discovery of insulin by the Council of Teachers of the Karolinski Institute of Stockholm; total value $40,000.

26—Earl of Athlone appointed Governor-General of South Africa.

30—Death of Bonar Law, who was the first British Prime Minister of Canadian birth. Britain's loans to allies during the war, with interest, amounts to £1,912,000,000, and to the Colonies, £148,000,000.

31—Britain agrees to U.S. search of vessels beyond the three-mile limit, but British ships may carry liquor into U.S. waters under seal. Death at Toronto of Clara Brett Martin, first woman admitted to the Bar of Canada

NOVEMBER.

5—On a referendum vote Alberta gives a majority of 25,000 in favor of government sale of liquor.

10—Armistice Day observed fully in British Empire. Crown Prince Wilhelm returns to Germany after five years' exile.

DECEMBER.

6—Liberals and Laborites wipe out Conservative majority in British elections.

10—Premier Baldwin decides to stay in office till Parliament meets on January 8.

23—The Dixmude, giant French war dirigible, with fifty men on board, reported lost in storm off North African coast.

27—France and Czecho-Slovakia form an alliance, increasing French influence in Europe and causing Italy uneasiness. Attempted assassination by Communist of the Prince Regent of Japan.

28—Spain imposes prohibitory duties on Canadian goods. The fire record of the U.S. for 1922 was 15,000 deaths and $520,000,000 of property destroyed. Death of Dr. Otto Klotz, Director of Dominion Observatory.

29—Death of Gustave Eiffel, designer of the Eiffel Tower at Paris, the highest structure in the world.



Sir Lomer Gouin

Whose ill-health has necessitated the resignation of his post as Minister of Justice in the Dominion Government.



Miss Dorothea Jewson

Another of the British women members of parliament elected in the recent election. Miss Jewson is a Labor representative.

## STORM AND LIGHTNING SHATTERED AIRSHIP

### Giant French Dirigible Believed to Have Crashed Into Mediterranean.

A despatch from Toulon, France, says:—The monster French dirigible Dixmude crashed, burning and exploding, into the Mediterranean off Cape San Marco, near Sciacca, Sicily, during a storm on the night of December 21.

Every one of the 50 men on board undoubtedly perished—torn to bits by the explosion, burned by the flames or drowned like trapped-rats under the sinking airship's bulk.

This official theory was told to the correspondent here on Jan. 3 by Admiral Clement, Director of the French naval search for Dixmude survivors, upon the receipt of a grim message from the torpedo boat Spahi, a member of the fleet combing the Sicilian coast for clues to the great air mystery.

The Spahi reported the discovery of an empty aluminum gasoline tank, several pieces of partly burned wreckage and bits of burned tissue off Cape San Marcos, near the place where fishermen found the body of Commandant du Plessis de Grànaden.

"We now for the first time are forced to believe that the Dixmude and its entire crew were lost on the night of December 21-22," the correspondent was told. "We will continue a most careful search along the Sicilian coast, but we have no hopes of finding any more bodies. The Dixmude undoubtedly was caught in the storm and driven toward Sicily. It probably was struck by lightning and crashed into the sea."

## Prince of Wales to Tour South Africa

A despatch from London says:—The Prince of Wales, who will leave on May 2 on a trip to South Africa, is expected to visit all the principal centres south of the Zambesi River. He will engage in a shooting expedition in Northern Rhodesia before he leaves Africa for home.

His Royal Highness will be absent from England for about four months on his tour. He will travel this time on one of the regular liners instead of the battle-cruiser Renown, on which he made his voyage to India.

The Renown is being reconditioned for further service with the fleet.



Hon. L. P. Brodeur

Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, who died Wednesday at Spencerwood, his official home at Quebec. He was a member of parliament for twenty years, a minister under Laurier for seven years and Judge of the Supreme Court for twelve years before becoming Lieutenant-Governor. He came of a very old French-Canadian pioneer family.

## CANCER TREATMENT AIDED BY NEW TUBE

### New Type of X-Ray Tube Radiates Larger Number of Curative Rays.

A despatch from New York says:—While stressing a warning at the outset that only in certain cases can cancer be cured by X-rays anyway, Dr. Francis C. Wood, Director of the Crocker Institute of Cancer Research of Columbia University, announced a considerable advance in the treatment of this disease which, he said, had been made possible by a new type of X-ray tube.

This improved tube, Dr. Wood said, had no greater curative powers than the old one, its chief importance lying in its radiation of five to six times as many curative rays as the former type, thus lessening the necessary exposure of a patient to the rays from hours to minutes. As a result, Dr. Wood said, physicians may not be able to effect a large number of cures, but they will be able to treat a far greater number of patients in a day. Also, the cost of each treatment is correspondingly reduced.

The tube is the invention of Dr. C. T. Ulrey, Research Engineer of the Westinghouse Lamp Co., who has been working with Dr. Wood for some time. They have hopes for an even greater tube, now in the experimental stage, which will be able to stand a sufficiently high voltage to give off rays of much shorter wave-length, thus approaching the rays of radium. If this tube is perfected, Dr. Wood believes the medical profession will have more success in treating internal cancer. For with more penetrating rays and a shorter period of treatment it may be possible to reach an internal cancer without the great danger of harming the healthy outer body which exists at present.



Sir Auckland Geddes

Who has resigned the post of Ambassador to the United States because of failing eyesight.

Courage is a virtue which the young cannot spare; to lose it is to grow old before one's time.

The man who does not have a hard time in his earlier years rarely has an easy time in his later ones.

# The Week's Markets

TORONTO.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, $1.07¾.

Manitoba oats—No. 3 CW, 43½c; No. 1 extra feed, 42c.

Manitoba barley—Nominal.

All the above, track, bay ports.

Ontario barley—61 to 63c.

American corn—No. 2 yellow, 86c.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 69 to 72c.

Ontario rye—No. 2, 72 to 74c.

Peas—Sample, $1.50 to $1.55.

Millfeed—Del. Montreal freights, bags included. Bran, per ton, $27; shorts, per ton, $30; middlings, $36; good feed flour, $2.05.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, 92 to 94c, outside.

Ontario, No. 2 white oats—38 to 40c.

Ontario corn—Nominal.

Ontario flour—Ninety per cent. pat., in jute bags, Montreal, prompt shipment, $4.60; Toronto basis, $4.60, bulk seaboard, $4.25.

Manitoba flour—1st pats., in jute sacks, $6.10 per bbl.; 2nd pats., $5.60.

Hay—Extra No. 2 timothy, per ton, track, Toronto, $14.50 to $15; No. 2, $14.50; No. 3, $12.50; mixed, $12.

Straw—Car lots, per ton, $9.

Cheese—New, large, 22 to 22½c; twins, 22½ to 23c; triplets, 23 to 24c. Stiltons, 25 to 26c. Old, large, 28 to 30c; twins, 29 to 31c; triplets, 30 to 32c.

Butter—Finest creamery prints, 45 to 46c; No. 1 creamery, 43 to 44c; No. 2, 41 to 42c.

Eggs—Extras, fresh, in cartons, 70 to 71c; extras, storage, in cartons, 45 to 47c; extras, 42 to 43c; firsts, 36 to 37c; seconds, 29 to 30c.

Live poultry—Spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over, 28c; chickens, 3 to 4 lbs., 22c; hens, over 5 lbs., 22c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 15c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 15c; roosters, 15c; ducklings, over 5 lbs., 19c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 18c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 22c.

Dressed poultry—Spring chickens, 4 lbs. and over, 30c; chickens, 3 to 4 lbs., 25c; hens, over 5 lbs., 28c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 24c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 18c; roosters, 18c; ducklings, over 5 lbs., 24c; do, 4 to 5 lbs., 25c; turkeys, young, 10 lbs. and up, 28 to 32; geese, 22c.

Beans—Can. hand-picked, lb., 7c; primes, 6½c.

Maple products—Syrup, per imp. gal., $2.50; per 5 gal. tin, $2.40 per gal.; maple sugar, lb. 25c.

Honey—60-lb. tins, 11 to 12c per lb.; 10-lb. tins, 11 to 12c; 5-lb. tins, 12 to 13c; 2½-lb. tins, 13 to 14c; comb honey, per doz., No. 1, $3.75 to $4; No. 2, $3.25 to $3.50.

Smoked meats—Hams, med., 26 to 27c; cooked hams, 37 to 39c; smoked rolls, 21 to 23c; cottage rolls, 22 to 24c; breakfast bacon, 25 to 27c; special brand breakfast bacon, 30 to 33c; backs, boneless, 30 to 35c.

Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 50 to 70 lbs. and up, $16.50; lightweight rolls, in barrels, $36; heavyweight rolls, $33.

Lard—Pure tierces, 17½ to 18c; tubs, 18 to 18½c; pails, 18½ to 19c; prints, 20 to 20½c; shortening tierces, 14¾ to 15¼c; tubs, 15 to 15½c; pails, 15½ to 16c; prints, 17½ to 18c.

Heavy steers, choice, $7.50 to $7.75; butcher steers, choice, $6.75 to $7.25; do, good, $6 to $6.50; do, med., $4.50 to $5.50; do, com., $4 to $4.50; butcher heifers, choice, $6.25 to $7; do, med., $5 to $5.50; do, com., 4 to $4.50; butcher cows, choice, $4 to $5; do, med., $3 to $4; canners and cutters, $1 to $2; butcher bulls, choice, $4 to $5; do, com., $2 to $3; feeding steers, good, $5.50 to $6.50; do, fair, $4 to $5; stockers, good, $4 to $4.75; do, fair, $3.50 to $4; milkers and springers, $70 to $100; calves, choice, $11 to $12; do, med., $8 to $10; do, com., $5 to $7; do, grassers, $3 to $4.50; lambs, choice, $10.50 to $11; do, bucks, $9 to $9.50; do, culls, $7 to $8; sheep, light ewes, $5.50 to $6.50; do, fat, heavy, $3 to $5; do, culls, $2 to $3; hogs, fed and watered, $9 to $9.25; do, f.o.b., $8.50 to $8.75; do, country points, $8.25 to $8.50; do, selects, $9.90 to $10.15.

MONTREAL.

Oats, CW, No. 2, 51 to 51½c; do, CW, No. 3, 48½; do, extra No. 1 feed, 46½c; do, No. 2 local white, 44½c. Flour, Man. spring wheat pats., 1sts, $6.10; 2nds, $5.60; strong bakers', $5.40; winter pats., choice, $5.55 to $5.65. Rolled oats, bag 90 lbs., $2.95. Bran, $27.25. Shorts, $35.25. Middlings, $36.25. Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots, $15 to $16.

Cheese, finest westerns, 18 to 18¼c; finest easterns, 17½ to 17¾c. Butter, No. 1 pasteurized, 42 to 42¼c; do, No. 1 creamery, 41½c. Eggs, extras, 38 to 39c; do, No. 1 stock, 31 to 35c; do, No. 2 stock, 28 to 30c.

Com. lambs, $9; hogs, thick smooth and butcher type, $9.25.

## Liner Sails from Vancouver on Round World Trip

A despatch from Vancouver, B.C., says:—The liner Empress of Canada sailed on Friday on the first leg of her voyage round the world. Three hundred passengers embarked here. The vessel will reach New York via the Panama Canal later in the month, where more passengers will be taken aboard.

IN RABBITBORO



# LOCAL AND GENERAL

Stove repairs ordered for any range.

MORASH FOUNDRY

Mr. Geo. H. Challies spent Thursday in Montreal.

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Mr. Fred Nash left on Wednesday afternoon for Truro N.S.

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M. I. J. Mallen of Alexandria Bay, N.Y. is spending the week with his mother.

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Mr. Arthur Flynn has arranged for an entertainment for the children of the town at Clark's Theatorium, Saturday at 2.30 p.m.

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The Arrow Point Club are giving another public euchre and dance on Friday the 18th.

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Mrs. W. P. Drummond of Ottawa has returned home after spending the past two weeks with her brothers Harry and Ross Moore.

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Mr. Jas. Brodie of Montreal spent the week end at Mrs. P. Fetterley's He was accompanied home by his son Ian who spent the holidays with his grandmother.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. L. VanAllen left on Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. George Short, Canton, N. Y.

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Mr. J. Hammans will be in town in a few days. Please leave your order for piano tuning at Mrs. W. K. McGannon's office without delay to avoid disappointment.

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Mrs. Angus Snetsinger of Vancouver B.C., Mr. S. Salmon and Miss Blanche Salmon attended the Golden Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Warner of Avonmore, Ont. on New Years Day.

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The last euchre and dance of the Arrow Point Club, in spite of the very bad weather, was well attended.

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The friends of Mr. Donald D. Ryan will be pleased to learn of his success at the recent examinations held at McGill. Mr. Ryan is now a member of the Senior Bar of the Province of Quebec—Congratulations.

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Mrs. Irwin Hilliard went to Cardinal Wednesday to deliver a lecture to the W.M.S.. She returned Thursday accompanied by Mrs. Murdock who lectured to the Morrisburg W. M.S. on Thursday.

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Master Clinton Weegar, son of C. J. Weegar met with a painful accident, while playing hockey on the skating rink, Thursday evening, when he slipped, fell and broke his leg. He was taken to the Cornwall hospital this a.m.

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Rev. Theo. A. Isler will administer Holy Communion at Riverside Lutheran Church next Sunday afternoon, January 13th. Will those who read this notice please communicate with those who do not take The Leader? Thank you.

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Allan McInnis has been re elected reeve of the village of Iroquois by acclamation. The former members of the council, R. J. Ellis C. E. Mills, C. C. Munro and G. A. Bouck, have also been returned by acclamation.

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Mr. C. Hummell and Mr. and Mrs. Winnett entertained the members of the Arrow Point Club Wednesday evening, and a very enjoyable time was spent by all.

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It was officially announced at the legislature buildings last week that the provincial Legislature would be summoned to meet on Wednesday February 6th.

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A full-grown seal, weighing 200 pounds, was caught and killed by workmen marking out ice for cutting on the south side of St. Helens Island (Montreal) this week. It is believed that the seal made a record for its kind in progressing so far up the St. Lawrence.

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Friday, January 4th, about one o'clock in the morning the barns and thirteen milch cows were destroyed by fire on the Wm. Pitcher Farm, adjoining Chesterville on the north. By hard work adjacent buildings and calves and horses were saved. The place is occupied by Mr. M. Laurence Wales and Mr. John Fyke, who have the place rented. The cause of the fire is unknown

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The appointment of a new Lieutenant—Governor of Quebec in succession to the late Hon. L. P. Brodeur, was made this week, Narcisse Perodeau of Montreal having been named.

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The burial took place at South Gower of Dr. J. R. Cumming, a graduate in medicine of McGill University, who dropped dead of heart disease while attending to a furnace at Lipton, Sask. He had practiced at Cornwall, Iroquois, in Brazil and at Brandon, Man. since graduating in 1913, and for four years was over seas with the Canadian Army Medical Corps.

Miss Olive and Lawretta VanAllen returned home on Monday from Montreal after spending a few weeks there. They were accompanied by Mrs. Fred Bryan and little son Dallas.

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Miss Clara Weegar has returned home after spending a week in Syracuse, N.Y., with her brother, Mr. Colborne Weegar.

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Mrs. Leslie Holmes and little daughter have returned to Ottawa after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Armstrong.

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Misses Minnie and Clara Loucks spent Thursday in Montreal.

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Mr. Percy Nash is able to be out again after having been confined to the house for the past eight weeks from injuries sustained in a motor accident in Ottawa.

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Mrs. David Wood has received from France, the cross from her son's grave Signaller Donald Pruner.

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Mrs. Cathrine Pyper and Miss Kathleen Pyper have returned home after spending two weeks in Montreal and Ottawa.

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Miss Muriel Martin left Friday for New York where she intends spending the winter with her uncle Mr. M. I. Cramer.

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The annual Horticultural Society meeting will be held in the Agricultural Office tonight (Friday) at 7.30 p.m. after which Mr. George Simpson of Ottawa, will give a free illustrated talk on "Hardy Flowers for the Home Garden" to which everyone is invited.

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The evening of January 18th the St. John's Luther Leaguers invite you all to participate in jolly contests. Kindly come around with pencils. A contestor scoring the highest number of points wins a prize. Refreshments served during the evening. ap

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Mr Archie R. Cameron, barrister of Edmonton, Alberta, came to town Wednesday and left Friday. His many old friends were delighted to see him and to hear about all the Morrisburgers now residing in Edmonton.

James W. Corrigan, better known as "Jimmie" Corrigan, along the St. Lawrence river, formerly the owner of Dry Island, near Morrisburg, has sold Nagirroc at Cleveland, Ohio, to a country club. The estate consists of 425 acres.


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To the Electors of Morrisburg—

I wish to thank those who so splendidly supported me in the municipal elections. At all times my efforts shall be to contribute the best possible service to the benefit of the community.

Yours faithfully,
Geo. H. Challies.

**CARD OF THANKS**

To those who supported me in the last municipal election, I wish to extend my thanks and appreciation. For the future, as in the past, my service shall be to promote the best interests of the municipality.

Yours sincerely,
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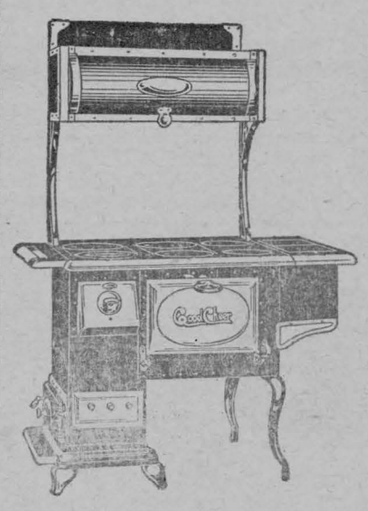
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