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### *Are You a Member*

If you are not a member of the Chesterville Horticultural Society, this is the opportune time to join up. One dollar fee entitles you to a choice of seeds, shrubs, vines and bulbs. This appeal is especially made for new members in town or country. Helen Moad, Secy-Treas.

### *The Late Mrs. John E. Munroe*

On Wednesday evening, March 15th, deepest gloom settled on Nation Valley and the immediate surrounding vicinity when the news spread like wild fire, that the death angel had come and gathered home one of our best loved and respected citizens, Catharine Margaret Meldrum, beloved wife of J. E. Munroe.

Although her sickness was well known yet all the friends and neighbors were hoping for the best and praying that her seemingly needed life would be spared, yet it was only the last few days that her life was despaired of. All that tender loving hands and trained medical skill could do, was done but God had called, so man must stand back.

Coming here some twenty-three years ago she had, by her loving, cheerful disposition, won to herself the admiration of many sincere friends and the deepest respect of the entire community. Ever ready in sickness to lend her skilful aid, or, in social community functions, anxious to do her part she will be deeply mourned by all the neighbors and friends. In her home life, where her great heart of love and open hospitality were given free scope, she was indeed a model wife and mother, one whom to know was a privilege or to be loved by one of earth's richest blessings.

One son predeceased her some seventeen years ago and the heart-broken husband and seven children have left only tender loving memories of herself-sacrifing life. She is also survived by two brothers;—A. E. Meldrum of Ottawa, W. G. Meldrum of Russell, also four loving sisters, Mrs. A. E. Robertson, Mrs. A. M. McConnell, Mrs. J. W. Nesbitt, all of Ottawa and Mrs. M. A. Robertson of Winnipeg.

Rev. Robinson of her home town, Ormond, delivered an ably comforting and sympathetic address to the bereaved ones. He was assisted by Rev. Nussey of Chesterville.

The funeral was held at the home on Saturday Mar. 18th, the pall bearers being J. P. Elliot, J. E. Grey, N. G. Moodie, A. Carruthers, G. L. Shay and A. Ball.

The flower were unusually rare and numerous, consisting of wreaths from the family; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Meldrum and The Higher English and Laurier and Slater St. Schools, of which Mr. A. E. Meldrum is principal; an anchor from Mrs. McConnell and daughters; sprays from Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nesbitt and Mr. and Mrs J. A. Munroe, a pillow from Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Droppo.

Heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved ones.

### MOREWOOD

Miss Helen Dillabough returned home on Tuesday after spending a few days with Miss Amy Smirle of Crysler.

Miss Breta Redmond of Inkerman, visited friends here a couple of days last week,

Mrs. Wm. Gordon returned home on Saturday after visiting her sister in Madrid, N. Y.

Messrs. Thos. and Harold Faulkner made a business trip to Cornwall on Tuesday.

Mr. A. B. Allison spent the week end with his brother at Smiths Falls.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Robt. Rainey (Sr) was largely attended at the Presbyterian Church on Tuesday. Her pastor Rev. F. L. Jobb preached an eloquent sermon from Rev. 14, 13th verse. We extend our sympathies to the bereaved family.


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### *Eli Harper's House Damaged By Fire*

Friday afternoon about four o'clock Mr. Eli Harper's house on the west side of the village had a very narrow escape from destruction by fire. Apparently a spark from the chimney had lodged on the shingles, which with the brisk breeze blowing at the time was soon fanned into a flame. Before much headway was gained the alarm was given, but not before the flames had gained the inside of the roof. A quick response from the Condensery with chemical extinguishers and the forming of a bucket brigade soon had the fire out. As it was very difficult to locate the fire on the inside considerable damage was done by water. It is understood that no insurance was in effect, the policy having elapsed a short time previously and was not renewed.

Remember the Bazaar in the Town Hall on Friday afternoon, Mar. 31st. Sale begins at 2.30 p.m.

**A Concert under the Auspices of the Ladies of Trinity Methodist Church assisted by the Men's Choir, will be given on Friday evening, March 31st, in the S. S. Hall. Special features are the "Fan Fairies" by the tots, the Orchestra, choruses by the men, a male quartette and other literary numbers.**


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### Muskrat Farm at Newboro.

Dr. Richards of Toronto, has leased a large bay in Newboro Lake and in the spring intends to enclose it with a wire fence and start a muskrat farm. Last fall Dr. Richards had some buildings erected on the Wright property in the village and expects to start raising black foxes. He has now three foxes on a Hamilton farm waiting for warm weather to ship them to Newboro.

### Spring and Planting Time

Among the trees, shrubs or vines that do not respond quickly to a few prematurely warm spring days are the apple, the quince, the cherry, the lilac, the dog wood and the grape. When those leaf buds begin to swell it is a pretty sure sign that spring and planting time have really come. Science has determined that the old-fashioned farmer who sowed buckwheat when the chesnuts were in bloom was using good judgement.


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### Government Will Rebuild Dairy School in Kingston

The Ontario Government has decided to rebuild the Eastern Dairy School in Kingston. Two months ago the school was burned, and since that time strong representations have been made by the dairy interests of the east for its rebuilding. The Minister of Agriculture was in favor of Kingston as the centre for this school owing to the presence of the Queen's University laboratories and specialists there.

Efforts were made to have the Dairy School centralized with the Agricultural School at Kemptville.

### Twenty-Five Cattle Burned

Fire at Northfield destroyed Mr. Cory McEwan's barn on Wednesday morning March 8th, Mr. and Mrs. McEwan were away at the time and the two sons, Roy and Jay, were in the barn grinding when one of them discovered the loft was on fire. So rapidly did the fire spread that they just had time to save nine head of cattle. The horses all but one were burned together with 25 head of cattle. It was with hard fighting that the hog pen was saved. Had it not been for the rain which fell the day before and formed pools around the barn yard the other buildings would have been burned. A large crowd turned out and assisted in saving some of the grain which was protected by some of the hay falling on it. His friends have been helping Mr. Mc Ewen cut and draw logs to the mill to be sawed immediately for the erection of a new barn.

### Teas Steadily Advancing

"Teas—Advances from primary markets continue to indicate a strong situation with upward tendencies. Locally there are no changes but as stocks are not large there is a strong possibility for some advances as imports state spot prices are still far below cost of replacement."

The above statement in the "Canadian Grocer" of March 10th is authoritative. Those who understand the tea situation say that unless the price becomes easier on the primary market very soon the consumer may expect to pay 10 or 15 cents a pound more for tea.

### Some Sleeping Draught

"Was that sleeping draught I recommended you any good?" asked Brown of his friend Jones. "Good? replied Jones. "I should say it was. Listen here! I took it as you suggested, and went to sleep soon after retiring. Then a friend with his head under his arm came along and asked me if I wanted to buy his feet. I was bargaining with him when the dragon on which I was riding slipped its skin, and left me floating in mid-air. Whilst I was considering how I should get down, a bull with two heads peered over the edge of a wall and said he would haul me up if I would first climb up and fix a windlass for him. So as I was sliding down the mountain, the inspector came in, and I asked him when the train would reach my station. 'We passed your station 200 years ago' he answered, calmly folding the train up and slipping it in his waistcoat pocket. At this moment I woke up and found that I had been asleep ten minutes."

### The Flowers on a Soldier's Grave

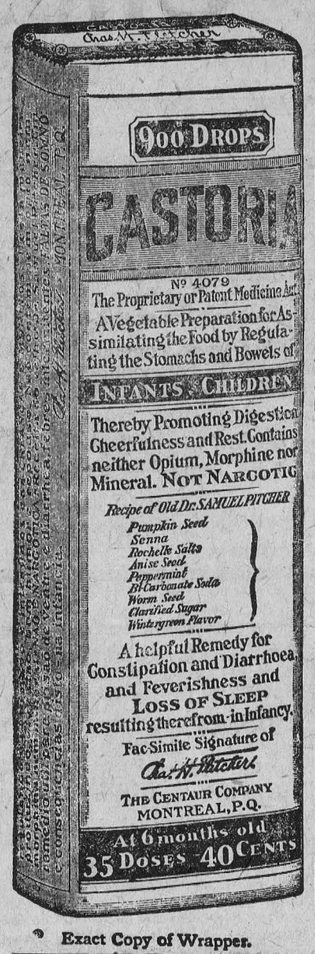
Toronto Star—"I should appreciate a military funeral and no flowers, except from my dear wife." There is something infinitely pathetic and touching in these words from the last will and testament of Major-General Sir David Watson of Quebec.

It is recorded that a white man once questioned a yellow man as to when he expected his dear friend to come up from the grave and eat the food which it is customary for the Chinese to place there. The Oriental replied that the food would probably be eaten as soon as the white man's flowers would be smelled. And there was, of course, no answer.

But in requesting "no flowers," General Watson makes one exception—the blooms to be laid upon his grave by "my dear wife." What may the thought have been which passed through his mind as he wrote? Did he meditate upon the pang which she might feel, if refused the privilege of this vain tribute upon the loved one's resting place? That may be so. But perhaps there was a longing of his own, one of those deep, inexplicable, but wholly human longings, to keep in touch in some fond, even in some impossible, way, with the dearest thing which must be left behind; to have the beloved presence somewhere near—even to the cold clay from which the spirit has departed; to have the perfume of a gift of flowers hovering about his sepulchre as a memorial of his earthly love.

Teacher: "In what part of the Bible is it taught that a man should have only one wife?"

Little Boy: "I guess it's the part that says that no man can serve more than one master."

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### BERWICK

We extend our greatest sympathy to the family of Mrs. Campbell Thompson in the death of their mother.

Mrs. Eddie Boockhout of Niagara Falls and Mrs. Doran of Syracuse, and Mrs. Ed. Vandusen of Chesterville, were called home last week owing to the serious illness oi their mother Mrs. Boockhout.

Miss Mary Kearns returned home last week end after spending the past month at the home of Rev. Fr. McRae, Moose Creek.

Mrs. Chas Miller sprained her ankle one day last week.

Mr. Jack Searle went to Massena last week where he intends remaining for the winter months.

Mrs. Price of Potsdam, N. Y., is the guest of relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Stella Hunt returned home last week from Ottawa where she spent the past couple months.

The committee has started the skating rink and will soon be ready for skating.

Mr. Louis Hutt is spending this week at Ottawa.

**Born**

Labre—In Chesterville on Saturday Dec. 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Tophile Labre, a son.

### MOREWOOD

Mrs. F. Lagrove and children of Madrid, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Dillabough.

Mrs. Ed. McDonald and children of Chesterville, spent the week end at her home here.

Mr. A. Moffat of Peterborough, is visiting at Mr. C. Forrester's.

Mrs. E. Nado of Crysler, visited at Colen Cheney's.

Little Gordon McVey returned home on Saturday after spending some time with his Grandma Mrs. Catherine Gordon.

Mrs. J. Stone of Norwood, N.Y. visited friends here this week.

Mr. David Rainey of Windsor, attended the funeral of his father which was held on Monday. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved family.

Miss Edna MacGregor returned home after visiting friends in Navan and Ottawa.

Messrs. L. Moore and Johnston of Ottawa spent Sunday with friends here.

### THE BOY AND THE COUNTRY

**The Woodstock Sentinel-Review points out that uearly all the presidents of the United States with the exception of Rosevelt were born in small centres or on the farm. Taft was the only one besides Rosevelt to be born in the city. Three were born insmall towns, while the rest came from small places or the farms.**

**The record might prove much or nothing but the question comes, "Is not the country a better place for a boy than the city?" Of course that is a very old question, but it has the saving qualities of being a real one..**

**The country boy lives a natural life. He is not speeded up. By the very nature of his surroundings he comes intocontact with the elemental and productive work. He may help put in the crops in the spring, to look after them during the growing season, and to takethem inwhen they are ready. He has in those processes come very close to nature itself; he has learned where new wealth comes from and he knows that work applied to land, along with sunshine and rain, will yield**

**He does not see avery great deal of the outside world; he is not on tiptoe what new excitement the next day will bring forth. He has a chance to mature with a nervous system that has not been wrecked, and with a lot of things to see and investigate.**

**The debaters have mulled all these thiings over many times, and presented by the way of rebuttal all the advantages of city life, but most of us are inclined to hold up both hands for the country as the best stamping grounds for the boy.**

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A grand Christmas concert will be held at Elma school Dec. 22nd at 7.30 p. m. Everyone welcome. Admission 15c and 25c.

***Christmas Entertainment at Crysler***

A Christmas Tree and Entertainment consisting of dialogues, recitations, singing, etc., will he held in the Music Hall, Crysler, on Friday evening Dec. 21st. Admission 30c. Children 15.c

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## CHRISTMAS

Through all the ages the winter solstice has had its religious significance Perhaps every religion has observed the passing of the old year ,. when the days cease to shorten and a new year and a new hope are born. The festival is universal, as also are the thoughts that its observance gives rise to. The time calls for a cleansing of the spirit,a will to let the old year take its soiled mantle and depart while we ourselves put on the new garment of resolution. Let us lift up our eyes and our hearts; let us cry out and be glad.

It is in that wonder time of the year that Jesus was born at Bethelhem. Christians, observing each year the time and the strange storyof his birth have associated the winter holiday with the happiest ideals of the Christian belief. The herald angels who appeared to the shepherds singing, "Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace, goodwill toward men," sounded the challenge and the promise. The true followers of Jesus have ever since been trying to understand and make manifest the two commandments of Jesus, Thou shalt love thy God with all thy heart and Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. . But how little the world yet follows that fundamental principle of Christianity! How little it even tries to follow it.

Once a year, Christmas! On that day in a lowly manger, watched over by the humblest and simplest people, was born the Light of the World. Who sees the gleam? Who in celebrating the end of the old year and the beginning of new year one can even for a day lay off the soiled mantle of selfishness and put on the new garment of Christ? Who can love his neighbour as himself? Who can go into the highways and gather together as many wayfarers as he finds, that the wedding be furnished with guests? Who really opens his heart?

Christmas is the holiday for all people?—not family, not party, not country, but all humanity. . If we would celebrate Christmas, we must reach out and touch another's life, perhaps the life of one of the lowliest. Organized charity? Yes, let the poor be fed but surely each one of us on Christmas needs to spend the impulses of his Christian love.Awake rejoice! And let your joy gladden the day for another. Merry Christmas!

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### Which Did She Mean?

"In spite of the recent dictum from Paris," says a local style expert, "women here will not wear short skirts any longer."

### His Oath

"Do you know the nature of an oath, madam?"

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## THE ROOT OF GAMBLING

The root of gambling is the desire to get something for nothing.

It is precisely the same thing as the root of the root of theft, embezzlement, robbery and burglary.

There are millions of dollars lost every year in speculation. But is safe to say that not a dollar is lost by anyone who is expecting to get somesomething for nothing.
thing for nothing.

The swindler and confidence man is a rogue, but he would have no success except for the fact that his victims are also rogues. The difference is that he knows that he is a rascal, while they think they are not rascals. They do not realize that every man who expects to get something for nothing is all ready a thief in his heart.

The first every boy ought to be taught in school and in the family is that he has no right to call any penny he may have, honest unless he has given a penny's worth for it.

No dollar that ever came to man, whether by gift or luck or treasure trove, was ever a blessing and a strength to him, except the dollar that cost him commensurate effort.

Whoever will take for his motto in life that he will never receive something for nothing, will not only be safe from being cheated, but will also be preserved many a time from making a fool of himself.

Honesty is so extraordinary simply that it is extremely difficult to understand; while fraud is so complex that it is very plausible.

It is curious commentary on human nature that a man often pities himself because he has to work hard for every cent he gets, while the swindler is vastly satisfied with himself.

As a rule and in the long run a sort of rough is worked out in the world, and a man who is of service to his fellows usually gets paid for it; while as a rule although there are many exceptions, and in the long run, although very many get tired and do not run long enough the man who complains that he has been ill-treated and is unlucky, is one who is disappointed because he did not get something for nothing.

You do not always get your just pay for the work you do, and some men get pay for the work they did not do; it is an uneven world, but it is certain there is no satisfaction that a man has that no one can take from him, one treasure he possesses which moth cannot corrupt nor thieves break through and steal, and that is the consciousness that he has never tried to get something for nothing. And that will give him a faith in human nature that the other kind of man can never have.

A certain Frenchman said that the honest man had at least one advantage over the rascal, he knows there is at least one honest man.—Dr. Frank Crane in Shoe and Leather Journal.

## SMALL WORLD THIS

A week ago Sunday evening we wrote a letter to a chap away down in Birmingham, Alabama, where the colored folk live, He was a minister and about ten o'clock the Sunday evening following, we happened to be "listening in" and heard him read the letter to his congregation at the first vate so we'll forgive him this time. But it's a great world we're living in, isn't it?—Listowel Banner.

## PROTECT THE LAWN IN WINTER

(Experimental Farms Note)

During the winter the area which in summer is a lush green carpet in front of the house is often abused. Frequently it is not only neglected, but maltreated. Occupants of the house during sessions of cold weather are prone to remind themselves that "a straight line is the shortest distance between two points" and often they economize in distance travelled at the expense of the lawn.

A well-beaten path made across the lawn in the winter will probably work permanent damage. The grass may be killed and the soil so compacted that grass seed sown thereon the next season will not thrive. Such a path will generally be obvious for a number of years. A "cow path" is distinctly an unattractive feature on a lawn. The lawn sign of summer, "Keep off the paths that are making" may well be heeded throughout the year

Another sin against the lawn is to flood it for the purpose of making a skating rink. A body of ice over the lawn in winter is almost certain to completely kill the grass. The grass will not tolerate for a long time a covering which precludes movement of air.

Young lawns should have a covering of snow. A wind-swept lawn, blown free of snow in winter, is likely to lose much of its young clover. Brush spread about tends to deflect the wind and holds the snow.

### Starts With One Talent

Caller—"And is this the new baby?" Fond Mother—"Isn't he splendid?" Caller—"Yes, indeed." Mother—"And so bright! See how intelligently he breathes."

A farmer was taking his son aged ten to town. Whilst in the train he attempted to amuse the lad by showing him a few tricks. Snatching his ing him a few tricks. Snatching his son's cap from his head he pretended to throw it out of the window at the same time, unknown to the boy, hiding it under his arm. "Now," said the father, "watch daddy whistle your cap back." To the astonishment of the boy the cap reappeared. Before the trainreached its destination the little boy jumped up suddenly, snatched his father's hat from his head, and, throwing it out of the window, said triumphantly, "Whistle that back,,y daddy."


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