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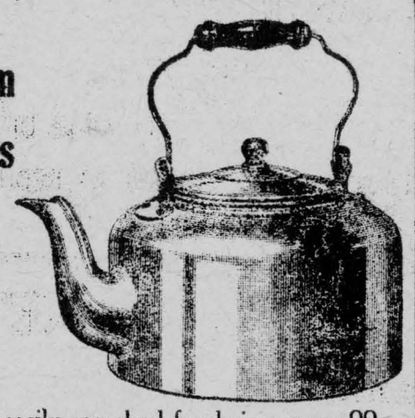

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MRS. IRA VANALLEN

After a long illness extending over a period of four years, Mrs. Ira VanAllen, a highly esteemed resident of this town, departed this life on Sunday, March 13th, at the noon hour Although the deceased lady had been confined to her bed for over two years, she bore her affliction with patience, while all that loving hands could do was done for her comfort.

She was born in Mountain, her maiden name being Martha Kellough, daughter of the late Henry Kellough. Some sixty years ago she was married to Ira VanAllen of Mountain, who died 19 years ago. For a number of years they resided in Mountain and Mariatown, and at the death of her husband, moved to Morrisburg where she had made her home. One daughter survives, Miss Ella, at home, and one sister, Mrs. John Sullivan of this town.

The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock to the Methodist Church, where services were conducted by the Rev. J. H. Miller—Interment in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

Relatives present from a distance at the funeral were: Mrs. R. M. Scott Winchester, Mrs. Foxton, and Mr. Herb VanAllen of Mountain and Mrs. Hall of Iroquois.

MR. AARON BECKSTEAD

At the Cornwall General Hospital, on Monday morning, March 14th, there passed away to his eternal rest Mr. Aaron Beckstead at the age of 75 years, from the effects of an operation which he underwent about a week ago. His remains were conveyed to Morrisburg on the noon train Monday and taken to the family residence.

Deceased was born in Williamsburg township where he has spent the greater portion of his life. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Morgan of Watertown, one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Orrie Beckstead, and six grandchildren, all of Watertown N.Y. Deceased was for many years a member of the St. Lawrence L.O.L. of Moulinette.

The funeral took place from the family residence on Wednesday at 10.30 a.m. Rev. J. H. Miller officiating.

Mrs. Morgan and Mrs. Orrie Beckstead of Watertown attended the funeral.

Doran—At her home, Morrisburg, on on Sunday, March 13th, Miss Sophia K. Doran.

The funeral took place on Wednesday at the family residence at 2 pm. Rev. C. O. Carson conducted the service. Interment at Riverside.

S. S. 14, WILLIAMSBURG

IV—Arthur Loucks 405 John McIntosh 399, Iva Whitteker 375, Gladys Garlough 355, Archie Rice 143.

III—Alice Barkley 379, Clare Carkner 367, Gladys Whitteker 354, George Barkley 288, Grant Algire 261 Verna Hanson 260, Mary Whitteker 235.

II—Maxine Algire 373, Rena Merkley 329, Herbert Algire 276, Phyllis Hanson 183, Verna Barkley 148.

Hilda Merkley, Hilda Algire

I—Hilda Merkley, Hilda Price, Harold Algire, Cecil Garlough.

Primer—Hugh Barkley, Bernard Whitteker, Edwin McIntosh, Ethan Algire, Aden Hanson, Floyd Whitteker.

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IV Clas
Velma Bouck 72; Harold Miller 66

III Class—
Lena Zeron 52; Steward Barkley 52.

Class II —
Helen Hare 40, Harley Beckstead 5

Class I—
Arleen Barkley 87: Earl Lapier 91; Merkley Miller 68; Denzil Bowman 30;

Primer—
Chesley Whittaker, Hazel Bawman, Mahlon Hopper, Vivian Bouck.

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Teacher.

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If you would boost the game along—
Co-operate!
Even though your plans go wrong—
Co-operate!
If per chance the other man
Wants to work as per his plan
Co-operate!
There's just one way to advertise;
Co-operate!
Don't take time to criticize;
Co-operate!
When things go the other way
After you have had your say—
If you're in the game to stay—
Co-operate!
Let's make success our common aim—
Co-operate!
Let's be sports and play the game!
Co-operate!
If someone gives you a slap,
Laugh it off—don't give a rap—
Boost the game all over the map!
Co-operate!

SCHOOL BOARD

The regular meeting of the School Board for March was held in the Agricultural Office on Monday, Mar. 14th. Members present: Dr. McLaughlin, D. C. Bush, Mrs. I. Hilliard, Mrs. Ashton, Leo Laurin, J. L. Casselman, T. Coligan, A. H. Hunter, Rev. C. O. Carson, J. H. Meikle and W. G. Beckstead.

A. H. Hunter, Rev. C. O. Carson, That the minutes of last regular meeting be approved.

J. H. Meikle, W. G. Beckstead, That Finance Committee be given power to look into the matter of overdraft, with power to act.

Mr. Caldwell, on behalf of the Horticultural Society addressed the Board, asking that they grant $10 to the society for prizes to the school garden.

Mrs. Hilliard, convenor of the special committee to investigate unsanitary conditions at the public school read a report, recommending that lime and ashes be used in the water closets; the building of new walks; that the lighting of the rooms should be improved; that the room in which Miss Campbell teaches is not properly heated; several rooms are in need of new blinds; and the report also recommended medical inspection in the schools.

Mrs. Ashton reported that the Womens Institute was willing to grant $50 towards the medical inspection of pupils.

L. Laurin, Rev. C. O. Carson, That Mrs. Ashton and Mrs. Hilliard be a committee to inspect the two schools with power to add to their number, and bring in a report monthly—Lost

Truant Officer reported to the board.

Rev. C. O. Carson, Mrs. Ashton, That the chairman of the Board, chairman of Public School committee and the chairman of the M.C.I. be appointed delegates to wait on the Town Council at their next meeting and ask that a bylaw be passed refusing license to the pool room if students are allowed to enter the room, and that license will be rescinded at any time for contravention of same.—Carried.

Auditors report was received and adopted.

THE EXPERIMENTAL FARM SYSTEM

Remark has several times been made in Parliament and elsewhere that the splendid work performed by the Experimental Farms System of Canada is not nearly so widely known and appreciated as it should be. In the Agricultural Gazette of Canada published recently there appears an outline of the system and the tasks in which it is engaged. The Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa is the headquarters of the twenty branch or auxiliary farms and stations. It is stated there is one farm in each of the provinces of Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and Ontario, two in Nova Scotia, four in Quebec, two in Manitoba, three in Saskatchewan, two in Alberta and four in British Columbia. There are also two sub-stations in Alberta, two in the Yukon and one in British Columbia. In addition, working with the system are tobacco stations at Farnham, Que., and Harrow, Ont. At all of these experimental and research work of national importance is carried on. Eighty illustration or demonstration stations have also been established in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Quebec, Alberta, and Saskatchewan, and the results are made public through the press and by means of addresses, demonstrations, and exhibits. In short, every effort is made to encourage, advance and benefit agriculture, the basic industry of the country.

NOTICE

A public notice is hereby given that after twenty days notice after the first publication herein in The Leader, application will be made by Samuel H. Merkley of the Township of Williamsburg, merchant, to the Surrogate Court of the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry to be appointed guardian of his infant child Walter Talmage Merkley.

Dated at Morrisburg this 28th day of February 1921.

SAMUEL H. MERKLEY
By ARTHUR FLYNN,
His Solicitor.

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Owing to the fact that I have decided to clear out my stock of Wall Paper, I am offering all the remainder of my stock at a greatly reduced price.

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Incubator Turkeys.

I raised my first turkeys eight years ago. I had two hens and a tom. One hen did not hatch an egg, the other hatched 15 and that aroused my enthusiasm for turkeys. I kept these poults in a coop with runway for three weeks, feeding hard-boiled eggs, cornbread and cottage cheese. This is the critical age for poults and a lot of care given during this age is time well spent.

The next year I kept six hens and one tom. That year I marketed 20 hens at 12½ cents a pound and 11 cents for the tom and I considered these good prices then. That was in 1913. A few weighed 15 pounds and I thought they were exceptionally large.

Every year since I have been increasing my flock. The last two years I have had only 22 hens but I usually have only 20 when laying season comes. I keep two toms. I purchase a tom every year and keep each tom two years only. If I keep a tom longer than that my hens get weak, the stock weakens, and they do not grow to be large and strong. I am a thorough believer in purebred stock. It pays.

When I first commenced raising turkeys, I thought that toms weighing 15 pounds and hens 11 pounds were good sized. Now I consider a 13-pound hen a small-sized one. My toms weigh from 17 to 20 pounds. Does it pay to use purebred stock? Well, I know it does. I used to consider a tom weighing 10 pounds at five months of age a good-sized bird, but now, since I have a purebred tom, my young toms weigh ten pounds at three months. Last year I paid $20 for a tom. He then weighed 33 pounds with empty crop. Now he weighs 42 pounds. My young hens last year weighed 15 pounds.

The turkey hens do not want to set very early. Some turkey hens will not eat while they are setting and often they will die from starvation. After setting on the nest four weeks they are often very weak and make poor mothers to take care of their small poults. For this reason I use an incubator.

An incubator holding 160 chicken eggs will hold 120 turkey eggs. I leave the eggs in the incubator for two weeks or a few days more if necessary to find the hen that will set. As soon as I notice a hen that wants to set I place her on a nest with a few china eggs. When I see she is ready to set I take the eggs out of the incubator and place them under her and as many hens as are necessary. The hen has only to set two weeks or a few days less.

Here are three reasons why using an incubator is the best way:

1. The turkey hens will be in a better condition to care for their poults.

2. A larger flock coming out of the same age. They remain together and are therefore easier to gather in at night.

3. Eggs will hatch better because they are fresh. Fresher eggs hatch the best.

It is possible to move a hen for setting when one wants to. Others may object to that statement but I know it can be done because I have done it and have succeeded. Just keep the hens shut up for a few days. Teach the baby chicks to eat out of your hands. Teach them to hear a certain call and they will always come.

I had 80 poults last spring and when I would call "Peet! Peet!" in the evenings, if they were in hearing distance, the poults would leave their mothers and come flying toward me, because they knew that cottage cheese was in store for them. Then of course the mothers would follow and I had no trouble in gathering them in.

Turkeys have a roving disposition. When laying season commences, one should fix up nests for the turkeys in a dry place and have the opening to the nest partially hidden from view.

In dressing turkeys, they lose one-fourth of their weight. I dress my turkeys ready for the oven and charge 15 cents more a pound. I have sold as high as ten at Thanksgiving for 40 cents a pound dressed. Prices were even better last fall. It does not pay to dress a turkey weighing less than 18 pounds alive.

Bringing Capons to the Front.

Caponizing was formerly considered a difficult operation, but now with the improved instruments, which permit unobstructed vision, with good light and a steady hand, any one can perform the operation. The best time is whenever there is a surplus of cockerels two or three months old. At the age of four months the cockerel's muscles begin to toughen.

An old rooster does not bring a very high price in market, while a capon will bring the top price, and often will weigh, when full grown, from seven to twelve pounds, according to breed. The purer the breed the larger the capon. The old saying "the proof of the pudding is in the eating" is surely true of capons.

After being caponized the combs and wattles stop growing. Capons seldom crow, are gentle and peaceful, can be kept with other chickens, or in a separate flock if more convenient. They need no fattening rations until a few weeks before marketing them. When raised on farms, they can pick their feed almost until the snow flies.

If a cockerel is caponized at four months of age or older, there is danger of death from internal bleeding, due to separating the testicle from a close lying artery. But if this should happen there need be no loss, as he is bled to death and ready for the frying pan or for canning. If he lives he may develop into a "slip," which makes him useless as a breeder and not much better eating than an ordinary rooster. "Slips" are unsuccessfully caponized cockerels, as the testicles begin to grow again. At some markets they are quoted at five cents a pound less than capons.

When capons are sold for the Christmas trade they are not full grown, and are called "soft roasters." At ten months old they are sold generally between New Year and Easter. Their flesh remains sweet and tender.

Another excellent use that may be made of capons is to have them take care of little chickens. This they do as carefully and tenderly as any hen, or even better; they may be given chickens from several broods and do not object to any of them, which is not always true with the hen. As a capon is larger and heavier than a hen, and as it might unintentionally step on a day-old chick, I have found it best to let the hen take care of the young chicks until they are about two weeks old. They can then safely be turned over to the capon, and the hen is free to go about her business of laying eggs.

It is claimed that on farms where capons are used as foster-mothers, hawks will never have a chance of stealing the chicks.

Any large city is a good capon market. I have had White Leghorns capons that weighed six and one-half pounds each; Rhode Island Reds, eight and one-half pounds; Wyandottes and Plymouth Rocks, nine and one-half pounds. All were less than one year old, and from ordinary stock.

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Poultry

Diarrhoea kills more chicks than anything else. I give black pepper ground fine and mixed with mash food. I continue its use for several days.

Feeding flavor into eggs may seem a foolish thing to talk about, but nothing is more sure than that eggs may be spoiled or made delicious by quality of food given.

Hens cannot lay in the winter unless their ration contains animal protein needed to make the whites of eggs. To supply this, give hens all the milk they can drink daily or feed them meat scrap or tankage as a part of their regular ration.

Early feathering and early crowing mean early maturity. Early maturity means early profits. Always select the cockerels that feather first and then select from them the one that crows first.

The duck intended for market should be fed on fat-forming food during the last three weeks of her life. A good ration for this is meat scrap, one part; wheat bran, one part; wheat middlings, two parts; cornmeal, three parts—all by weight. A small percentage of grit and one part green feed should be added.

A simple brooder is thus made and used by a neighbor: A wooden box about four feet square and a foot high is used. A few holes are bored in one side to provide air, and then a blanket is stretched over the top. An earthen jug filled with hot water is placed inside to provide heat. It is sometimes necessary to refill the jug twice a day to keep up the proper temperature.

The incubator cellar must have thick walls, a double roof and good ventilation, in order to keep up the proper temperature, and not to be affected by sudden changes of weather. The roof part is all that is above ground. No special design is needed so long as the principles mentioned above are complied with.

There's Still Time to Do Your Winter Spraying.

Even where there are but a few fruit trees on your farm, it pays to take care of them.

Fruit has a decided advantage over vegetable crops, in that even a small surplus can be handled and sold at a profit, provided it is of good quality. For many years, since we really learned to take care of our few dozen fruit trees, we have turned every basket of fruit, over what we use, into real cash.

Before that, when we took the attitude that there was not enough fruit on our place "to bother with," we seldom had enough for our own needs, and that was so poor that it hardly paid to try to save it.

The most important thing we did to get our fruit trees to produce, after many years of neglect, was to give them a thorough cleaning up for scale. The county representative demonstrated on some trees belonging to a neighbor, and the results were so astonishing that we decided it would pay us really to look after our own trees.

Fortunately, the San Jose scale, which is the worst enemy of tree fruits, and attacks them all, can be absolutely put out of business by winter spraying. Oyster-shell scale and blister mite will also be cleaned up at the same time. We never did any spraying against insects or diseases that gave us such complete and satisfactory results as winter spraying has.

Anyone can be successful with winter spraying who will do the work thoroughly. But every bit of the surface of trunks and branches must be covered, because the spray, in order to work, must form a thin coating over scales and eggs. Every insect must be touched.

The two standard sprays for winter use are lime-sulphur and miscible oil. While either can be mixed at home, we have found it much more satisfactory, and in the end cheaper, to use a ready-prepared spray. It might be different if we had a big orchard. We have used both the lime-sulphur and the oil sprays, and have found that the latter gives just as good results, and is much more comfortable to spray with. A miscible oil is one that mixes with water. The preparation we use, which is made especially for winter spraying, needs only to be stirred in cold water, one quart of spray to four gallons of water, and it is ready to use on any kind of fruit tree.

We have used several kinds of spraying equipment, and the net result of our experience has been that a portable, hand-lever pump is the best thing to get for a small home orchard. The small hand-power compressed air sprayers do not give pressure enough for practical tree work, in spite of many advertising claims to the contrary. There is a new type of double-acting telescope pump that gives excellent pressure, and can be used with a bucket or a "knapsack" tank. It is also all right for a few trees.

On the whole, if there are a score or more of good-sized trees in your orchard it will be best to try to arrange with someone who has a regular power outfit, to spray them for you.

Now is the Time to

Test seed-corn.

Treat seed-oats for smut before drilling.

Set hens. Eleven eggs are enough for an early setting.

Put up lightning-rods, and take out fire insurance.

Provide dependable fire-fighting apparatus for your farm home.

Kill grubs in backs of cattle. Squeeze out the grubs and kill them, or squirt some kerosene into the hole at the top of each lump. Use a small oil can.

Leave your son a good reputation and employment.

If you have been able to afford a silo for your farm, you are ready, now, to afford a bathroom and a septic-tank-sewage-disposal system.

Vines That Will Beautify Your Home Grounds

BY ANNE ROBINSON

I have found that for the home gardener, whether it be to supply beauty or to furnish a crop, for practical worth and ease of culture, the many varieties of vines cannot be excelled and are too little appreciated.

Vines are divided into fruit, shade, and flowering varieties. The popular grape and the universally grown hop are perhaps the most useful of all vines. But for landscape gardening a shade or flowering vine is more desirable.

The Virginia creeper, a hardy, easily-grown perennial, is the favorite for shading. I have seen this vine trained along chicken wire, stretched the length of a porch, where it gave a dense shade from early spring until autumn.

For graceful beauty, what can compare with the Boston ivy, as it clings to a brick or stone surface, sending its tender new shoots ever upward?

Children love a gourd vine with its fantastic fruit, and a package of mixed seed planted along the back fence will furnish safe entertainment on Mother's busy mornings. The dainty clematis, wistaria, cinnamon vine, and honeysuckle are perennials possessing a sweet fragrance and charm which defies description.

For neatness, though, the annuals are best, as they can be taken down when dead, and variety can be had by using different kinds each season. Most people think of morning glories when a back porch screen is mentioned. And morning glories are well worth thinking of, with their different shades of pale pink or deep rose and the deep clear blue which resembles a bluebird's wing. The moonflower belongs to this family, although it is like the new baby who gets his days and nights turned about. These magnificent flowers do not open until sundown, and by the time day morning glories are opening they are closing. They are larger than the conventional day bloomers, and more fragrant.

The butterfly pea, flowering bean, and the canary and cypress vines are beautiful and unusual, and not so well known.

But for gorgeous display and clean fragrant flowers nothing that I know can equal climbing nasturtiums. They generally reach a heigh of six feet, and are covered all summer with bright, spicy-smelling blossoms of red, pink, lemon, and orange. They furnish an abundant source of supply for honeybees, and are at their best if the blossoms are kept picked. Sweet peas are also useful for low decorating, and are fine for cutting. I get most satisfactory results by planting the mixed seed.

Queen of all climbers is the rose. Single varieties come in white, pink, yellow and crimson. A new sort is advertised which is guaranteed to bloom all summer. This seems almost too good to be true. However, baby ramblers in my own garden bloomed for over a month last spring. A treatment of fertilizer and many waterings were perhaps the secret of their long season. On account of thorns, climbing roses are not so good when grown by the porch. Their place is at the side of the house, and where they get plenty of morning sun.

A rose arbor is a novel arrangement that can be developed in two or three seasons by starting plants at intervals around the framework. When in bloom, a more beautiful spot cannot be found. To add to the charm, if indeed more charm be needed, plant nasturtiums between the plants, and let them use the rosebushes as a trellis. And what was once a rose arbor will be a nasturtium arbor. If you like a riot of color, add a few blue morning glories.

A trellis of pink ramblers grows near my kitchen window where I can admire them at any time during the day. Especially during a wind storm do I enjoy them, as they sway in long graceful reaches and seem to defy the elements.

If your grocer were greedy for profits he would not be content to sell and recommend Red Rose Tea at a less profit than he makes on other teas.
But it is a fact that he does make less on Red Rose than on other teas, and he recommends it because he knows its quality is the best.

Orchard and Garden

One-variety apple orchards are risky business. The rule among apples is self-sterility; that is, most trees require pollen from trees of another variety in order to mature fruit. If your block of Northern Spy or Wealthy trees blossoms year after year, and the trees mature no fruit, chances are you need another variety grafted into the orchard. Trees must be happily married, just like people.

Use of flats for gaining time: If a hotbed is not to be had for starting plants that need a long period for development, such as tomatoes and peppers, flats can be used in the house. A flat is a box of convenient size and about four inches deep. It should be large enough to contain a sufficient supply of plants, but not too large nor too heavy for easy movement from place to place. Holes bored in the bottom of the box will insure proper drainage and should be covered with pieces of broken flower pots so that the water may run off without removing the soil.

Fill the box to the depth of an inch with well-rotted stable manure from which all straw and shavings have been removed. Add an inch and one-half of garden soil to the manure, evening off the surface. Scatter the seeds to be sown in the flat on this soil and cover them with a light sprinkling of soil and sand well mixed. Seeds should be covered to about their own depth. Press down the soil and spray lightly with water. Care should be taken never to flood the flat, as this tends to wash the seeds together.

A piece of window-glass should now be placed over the flat and the glass should be covered with paper to exclude the sunlight. As soon as the young plants germinate the paper may be removed and the glass taken from the flat as soon as the plants have well broken through the soil.

Flats should not be allowed to dry out after the sowing of the seed, neither should too much water be added to them, as this will tend to rot the seed. Use a spray when watering to get an even distribution of the water over the whole flat.

Flats should be set in a warm place, not in direct sunlight, until the plants appear, after which they should be given direct sunlight. As soon as the seeding plants have developed three or four leaves, they should be transferred to another prepared flat that they may have more room for growth. From this last flat they are generally transplanted to the garden when all danger from frost is past and the soil has warmed up somewhat.

Early garden work: Sow tomatoes, peppers, eggplants and celery in the hotbed. Give early plants plenty of room in the hotbed. Seeding plants should be thinned out to a distance of 2 x 2 inches. Pay careful attention to ventilation and watering of hotbeds. Get cold frames ready. Dig parsnips and salsify that have been left in the ground over winter. Uncover multiplier onions and partly uncover asparagus bed. Harrow asparagus bed rather deeply. Treat seed potatoes with formalin or corrosive sublimate, and sun-sprout them.

Spraying alone will not control codling-moth, the pest that makes wormy apples. It may be necessary to screen the windows of the cellar where apples are stored over winter. A year or so ago my attention was called to a case in which the man who was having trouble sprayed his trees every spring and summer. But the trouble with wormy apples continued. At last he called on the provincial college "bug expert" for help, and was advised to use screens as suggested. The trouble was due to the fact that codling-moth wintered over in some of the wormy apples in the cellar, and came out later than the brood that wintered outdoors; too late to be caught by the first spray. After the practice of screening the windows was begun, there was no more trouble. The screens did the work.

The Experimental Farms System.

Remark has several times been made in Parliament and elsewhere that the splendid work performed by the Experimental Farms System of Canada is not nearly so widely known and appreciated as it should be. In The Agricultural Gazette of Canada there appears an outline of the system and the tasks in which it is engaged. The Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa is the headquarters of the twenty branch or auxiliary farms and stations. It is stated that there is one farm in each of the provinces of Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and Ontario, two in Nova Scotia, four in Quebec, two in Manitoba, three in Saskatchewan, two in Alberta and four in British Columbia. There are also two substations in Alberta, two in the Yukon and one in British Columbia. In addition, working with the system are tobacco stations at Farnham, Que. and Harrow, Ont. At all of these experimental and research work of national importance is carried on. Enghty illustration or demonstration stations have also been established in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Quebec, Alberta, and Saskatchewan. Each branch of agriculture is dealt with in actual experiment, and the results are made public through the press and by means of addresses, demonstrations, and exhibits. In short every effort is made to encourage, advance and benefit agriculture, the basic industry of the country.

Early Ripening of Oats Valuable.

The ripening season of oats is very important. Certain varieties ripen from one to two weeks earlier than others, hence there are special uses for each class of oats. As a rule, early oats are somewhat smaller in size than later ones and finer in straw. They show more rapid growth throughout the entire season and are ready to harvest, as we have already said, fully half a month earlier than the later oats. This is a great advantage when you plan to have fall wheat follow early oats. The early ripened oats may be harvested and the ground plowed immediately and prepared for the seeding of the fall wheat.

You can hasten ripening of oats from a week to 10 days by fertilizing. This means a uniform product which can be harvested early. Early harvesting is especially valuable where you plan fall wheat to follow early oats.

What Fertilizers Are.

Fertilizers are prepared plantfoods, just like malted milk is prepared human food.

Fertilizers are made from blood, tankage, nitrate of soda, sulphate of ammonia, cyanamid, bone, acidulated ground phosphate rock and salts of potash.

They are scientifically prepared under chemical control, and the percentage of plantfood they carry is guaranteed under the Dominion fertilizer law.

The analysis of the fertilizer refers to the amount of the plantfood constituents that are found in the fertilizers. These constituents are ammonia (nitrogen)—the stalk grower; phosphoric acid—the plant ripener, and potash—the plant strengthener and starch former. For average gardens it is well to use fertilizers carrying 3 to 6 per cent. ammonia, 8 to 12 per cent. phosphoric acid and 3 to 6 per cent. potash.

You can buy fertilizers from fertilizer manufacturers, seed houses, department stores, florists, hardware stores, general stores, etc.

After the seed bed is well prepared, scatter one-half the amount of fertilizer over the ground before planting. Rake it well into the soil. When ready to plant, make your furrows and scatter the remainder of the fertilizer lightly in the furrow. Rake a light covering of fine soil over the fertilizer before dropping the seeds, or setting bulbs, or plants.

Clean cows contribute to cleanliness of milk. With a stiff brush one man can sufficiently groom two cows a minute. If a currycomb is used, take one on which the points have been worn down, so they will not be too severe on the cows.

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Why You Say It.

"A Red-letter Day" is an expression which arose out of the old Ecclesiastical Calender, in which festivals and high holidays were prined in red ink. These important days consequently became known as "Red-letter Days"—hence the term to-day.

"Murder will out" is a phrase which Geoffrey Chaucer originated, although in the first instance it was spelt, "Mordre wol out."

"Truth is stranger than fiction" is a well-used saying, and perhaps it is not generally known that it was originally employed by Byron in his "Don Juan."

"Escaped with the skin of my teeth," it is interesting to observe, originates in the Bible—Job, chapter 19, verse 20.

"Field" originally meant land on which fires had been "felled" or "field."

"Necessity is the mother of invention" is well over two and a half centuries old. These well-worn words were first found in Franck's "Northern Memoirs," written in 1658.

"Eaten her out of house and home," a phrase, in view of the present price of food, undoubtedly repeated by worried housewives, was originated by Shakespeare in his "Henry IV."

"Anything for a quiet life" is an expression which arose from a play by Middleton, bearing that title. "To turn over a new leaf," by the way, was first used in the same play.

"Cascarets" To-night For Constipation

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For two lovers the other people in the world have about the importance of figures in a painting.

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HEALTH EDUCATION

BY DR. J. J. MIDDLETON
Provincial Board of Health, Ontario

Dr. Middleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health matters through this column. Address him at the Parliament Bldgs., Toronto.

Great advances in Public Health work are being made at present not only in Ontario but throughout the Dominion and the world. It is rapidly becoming one of the most important functions of Government, and its progress or retardation will have a profound bearing on the status of citizenship. New avenues of Public Health activity are being opened up from time to time, because the subject is so broad as to include all the complexities of human life. Although the field is vast, the whole question of Public Health and Preventive Medicine can be conveniently described in two words—Right Living.

The Public Health objective is to improve the health standard of all classes in the community, and to this end ways and means are being provided for educating the masses along the lines of Public Health and practical hygiene, supplying practical measures to preserve the health of the expectant mother, to bring home to mothers the importance of feeding infants rationally—that is, at the mother's breast, or failing this, by scientific adjustment of cow's milk, sugar and water; to correct physical defects in young children and to prevent the spread of communicable diseases.

Although people of all ages are becoming increasingly interested in Public Health matters in this Province, the need for which has been strikingly demonstrated by the great losses we sustained during the war, it is in childhood and youth that the most lasting impressions are made in teaching an important subject such as the preservation and maintenance of health. With this end in view the Public Health Nurse has stepped into the field, and her work is bound to bring more important results. She is the pivot in every community around which and from which all public health activities will radiate, for she alone is in a position to get intimately acquainted with the needs of the district and to direct her energies along the lines that they are most needed.

The duties of the Public Health Nurse will include home visiting, which will be carried out in a systematic manner, and will enable her to stimulate local interest in child welfare, and also detect, if possible, any cases of communicable disease such as tuberculosis, that are not under medical supervision.

The Public Health Nurse will point out such dangers and will also report any cases of venereal disease or mental defectives that come under her notice. In her demonstrations, and in the holding of child welfare clinics the duties of the nurse will be, moreover, to work towards the ultimate establishment of a Health Clinic, in which Maternal and Child Welfare conferences, nutritional classes, consultations for tuberculosis and heart affections, and a dental service for adults and children may be provided for. The special province of the nurse is the health of expectant mothers, infants and children, and she will endeavor to impress on mothers the fact that no food for infants is as good as that which nature intended for it. In addition, the nurse, by means of home visiting, becomes acquainted with conditions in her district, and gradually increases the sphere of her activities to include work along the various lines mentioned, until the health centre is a real factor for good in the life of the community.

In order that the Public Health demonstrations being given at present throughout the Province may prove of permanent value, it is hoped that each district visited will decide to appoint a resident nurse to carry on the work begun. Although the sixteen nurses in the field have just started two or three months ago they have already demonstrated their usefulness, and the important results that will undoubtedly be brought to any community if their teachings and practical advice are carried out.

In any instance where lack of enthusiasm in the proposal to appoint a permanent nurse has been shown, it is only on account of the financial obligations that would have to be undertaken.

The nurses have found that their demonstrations and the program they have in view are appreciated by all classes in the community. Taking the standard of other progressive countries who consider one nurse to every 2,000 of the population a reasonable estimate for the country's needs, this Province of Ontario requires 1,000 Public Health Nurses.

The United States already has 10,000 of these nurses in the field, but are still 40,000 short of their ideal. Even with this shortage, authorities claim that a saving of 18,000 lives in one year has been effected.

Ontario is not lagging behind in this important feature of Child Welfare, and although the work has only just begun, the nurses are enthusiastic and predict important results from the work being carried on when the people have been sufficiently educated in Public Health to recognize its permanent value.

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A Quitter.

"The hired man says he is going to quit."

"Well," said Farmer Corntossel, "I'm reconciled. He quit working long ago. The only thing he can quit now is showin' up at meal times."

What a Dietitian?

When the Old Ladies' Home added a dietitian to its staff, the appearance of the young lady in the dining-room, in her starched uniform, caused a stir. That evening, two of the residents were discussing her.

"What is she anyway?" said one.

"She's a dietitian," the other answered.

"And what's she here for?"

"I don't exactly know," the second old lady answered, "but I think someone died in the kitchen."

One on the Teacher.

Arithmetic, according to the average small boy, was simply invented in order to give teachers a good excuse for punishing their unhappy pupils. And certainly little Tommy Smith found it the unpleasant feature of his young life.

"Now, Tommy Smith," said the school teacher one morning, during the usual hours of torture, "what is one-half of eight?"

"Which way, teacher?" asked the youngster, cautiously.

"Which way?" replied the astonished lady. "What do you mean?"

"Well, on top or sideways, teacher?" said Tommy.

"Why, what difference does that make?"

"Why," Tommy explained, with a pitying air, "half off the top of eight is nought, but half of it sideways is three."

WHAT TO DO FOR STOMACH TROUBLE

Good Advice From One Who Had Suffered Much.

Nine-tenths of all forms of indigestion or so-called stomach trouble are not due to the condition of the stomach at all, but are caused by other influences. The great contributing cause of indigestion is thin blood. Good blood and plenty of it is required by the stomach to take care of the food. If the blood is thin the stomach functions sluggish, food lies undigested, gas forms and causes pains in various parts of the body. Instead of getting nourishment from the blood the system gets poison.

Relief from this condition can be obtained by the tonic treatment which Mr. D. Shaw, Mt. Stewart, P.E.I., tried and now warmly recommends to others. Mr. Shaw says: "I suffered from indigestion for over four years, and have tried many of the well-known remedies for such troubles, but never obtained more than temporary relief. The trouble was aggravated by constipation setting in owing to the stomach failing to do its work, and laxatives only gave relief to the bowels and left the stomach in worse condition. The result was my blood was growing more and more anaemic, I did not sleep well at night and was growing despondent. I was in this wretched condition when a friend advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I got three boxes and by the time they were finished there was some change for the better. This greatly encouraged me and I continued taking the pills for some three months, by which time my stomach was all right again, my blood good, nerves strong and life was again worth living. My advice to all who suffer from stomach trouble is to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can be obtained through any medicine dealer, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The Boy Scouts Association.

Boy Scouts are organizations of boys and youths between the ages of twelve and eighteen years and upwards, which aim to develop character, to aid in furnishing equipment for a career, and to train in service for others, physical health, and efficient citizenship, by utilizing the natural activities and interests of the adolescent period.

The development of the Boy Scout movement in England is due to Lt.-General Sir Robert Baden Powell, Bt., who during the siege of Mafeking, in 1899, had seen the boys, under Lord Edward Cecil's command, organized and drilled into an efficient messenger service. When Baden-Powell returned to England, in 1902, the idea was fostered and received popular support, and a general plan of organization was adopted. The first Boy Scouts organization was formed in 1908, and a royal charter of incorporation was granted in 1912, the organization being recognized as a "non-military, public service body."

The Boy Scouts Association in Canada is non-military and non-sectarian in character, the movement being supported by Roman Catholics, Protestants and Jews alike. Of late it has also been given consideration as an educational adjunct by well-known educators, some schools adopting the Scout programme in part or as whole, while some of the universities and leading technical schools conduct special courses for Scoutmasters and other Scout officers.

Local Associations or Troop Committees are organized to supervise and extend the movement in communities upon application by representative citizens to provincial headquarters, Dominion Bank Chambers, Bloor and Sherbourne Streets, Toronto. Such Associations and Committees become responsible both to their communities and to headquarters for the leadership of Scout troops in their area and for their encouragement and support.

The Scouts themselves are organized into patrols of eight boys, two or three or four patrols to a troop under a Scoutmaster. Scouting is now recognized as the most natural and at once the most successful type of organization for boys. Nearly 9,000 Ontario boys are now members, and many thousands more have had the benefits of Scout training during the past twelve years.

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And the Old Men Shall Dream Dreams.

The old men sit by the fire and doze
And dream to their soul's content.
They were gallant enough in their time, God knows!
But the gold of their youth is spent.
They were rovers, daring and eager then,
In their manhood's radiant dawn;
They are rovers still, for their souls at will
Go venturing on and on;
The length and breadth of the Hebrides,
From the far north fields to the southern seas,
Past the austere Pillars of Hercules,
Venturing on and on.

They stir uneasily in their sleep,
They shuffle their hearth-bound feet;
While the visions last they must hold them fast,
For the dream is sweet, is sweet!
The old wives sit by the fire and knit
And dream of their girlhoods gone;
But the souls of the old men seek the lands
They never have trod upon:
For the languid beauty of tropic shores,
through the shrouding mists of the far Azores,
Past the frozen cliffs that are Labrador's,
Venturing on and on.

We, too, shall sit by the fire some day
When our blood runs chill and thin;
And our once swift feet are no longer fleet
For wandering out and in.
We, too, shall sit where the old wives knit
And the old men doze and yawn,
As bent and gray and as spent as they,
When the flower of our youth is gone.
We shall nod and dream as the years drift past,
Till we come to the one great dream, the last,
And then, with our hands on our hearts locked fast,
Go venturing farther on.

Ancient Cemetery Found.

Beneath the streets of London, York and many other cities and towns in England are buried the remains of ancient Romans, some of whom were alive not long after Christ was born. Occasionally they are dug up, each one being found incased in a massive leaden coffin.

The Romans of old seem to have used lead for a surprising variety of purposes, and traces of their mining operations in Britain show that they dug for it on an extensive scale, especially in Wales where they found much ore ready at hand on the surface of the ground. They smelted the metal on the spot in small furnaces and shipped the "pigs" on the backs of horses. Pigs of lead produced by them are found occasionally where they were dropped, or perhaps lost in the snow, while en route. The metal as mined in Wales contains a good deal of silver—a fact well known to the Romans, who were accustomed to extract it. In fact, many pigs bear an inscription stating that their silver content has been removed.

A GENTLE LAXATIVE FOR THE CHILDREN

Mothers—the surest way of keeping your little ones well and happy; whether it is the new-born babe or the growing child, is to keep their bowels regular and their stomach sweet. Nine-tenths of all childhood ailments are the result of clogged bowels and sour stomach. The most necessary and the best medicine for little ones is a gentle laxative—something that will relieve constipation; sweeten the stomach and promote rest and natural sleep. Such a medicine is Baby's Own Tablets. They are a gentle but efficient laxative; are absolutely guaranteed free from opiates or other injurious drugs and may be given to the youngest infant with perfect safety. They banish constipation and indigestion; break up colds and simple fevers and give the baby that health and happiness which all children should have. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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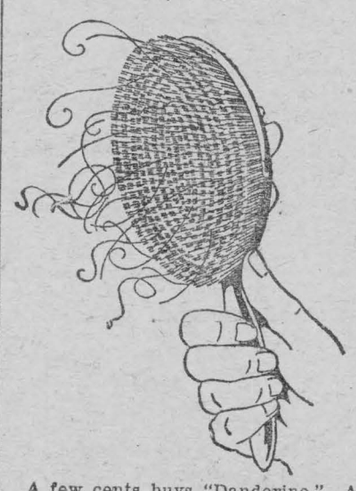

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A small, henpecked, worried-looking man was about to undergo a medical examination for life insurance.

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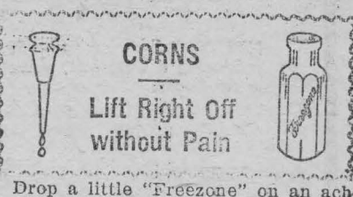

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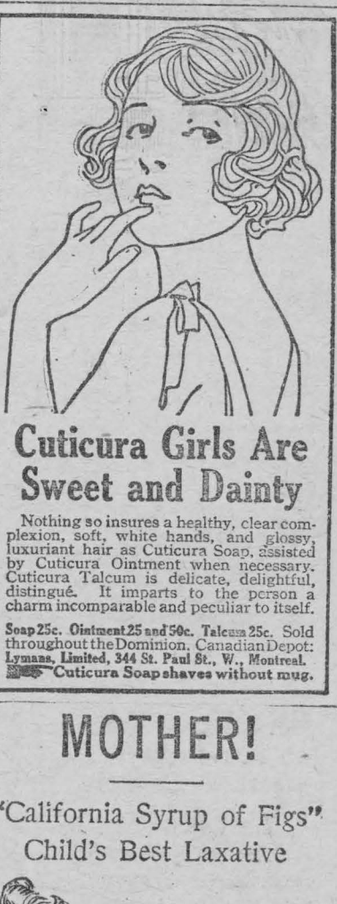

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wells and Mrs. Frank Wells were in Morrisburg on Monday.

Mrs. Morley Wells and daughter, Blanche, were in Morrisburg on Friday.

Mrs. E. R. Marcellus visited her parental home, Mr. Jacob Lanes' Boucks Hill, on Friday.

Mr. Roy Swerdfeger was visiting friends at Morrisburg recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beckstead of Froatburn visited Mr. and Mrs. Allan Colquhoun recently.

Mr. Lewis Swerdfeger spent a few days this week with his son Chesley of Boucks Hill.

Miss Blanche Wells visited her friend Miss Eleanor Swerdfeger recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cunningham of Archer and Mr. and Mrs. George Froats of Aultsville and Mr. Oscar Lare of Cedar Grove were visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Marcellus on Sunday.

Mr. Homer Swerdfeger and sister Eleanor were recently visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Froats at Aultsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wells and little daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schell on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McNairn were in Williamsburg on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wells and family spent Sunday afternoon at Mr. Lucius Froats.

Mr. Henry Wells was in Morrisburg on Monday.

Mr. Chas. Stiltson visited his sister, Mrs. Allan Colquhoun on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Durham Wells and little Madge and Graham spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Marcellus.

Mrs. James Tyo of Morrisburg was visiting at the home of Mr. Darwin Weegar, one day this week.

ARCHER

Miss Fannie Warren of Uncle Sam's Domain is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. John Warren.

Miss Florence Weagant spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Pruner, Nudell Bush.

We are sorry to report that Garnet Dennison has undergone an operation for appendcitis in the Cornwell General General Hospital. We all hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Myers spent Sunday evening last with friends in Nudell Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heagle spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carman Froats, Gallingertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Fetterly and daughter, Mrs. John Wells of East Williamsburg spent Tuesday last with Mr. and Mrs. C. Baker and family.

A few from here attended the dance at Mr. Thomas Millwards on Friday evening last.

Miss Gladys Buchanan, of Cedar Grove spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. W. S. Myers.

Misses Clara Baker, Blanche Gallinger and Mr. Bernice Gallinger spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Myers.

Miss Hilda Gallinger and Mr. Murray Myers of the M.C.I., Morrisburg, spent the latter part of the week at their respective homes here.

Mr. Bernice Gallinger spent Friday afternoon of last week in Morrisburg.

Miss Hattie Caldwell of Pennsylvania, U.S.A., is spending some time visiting friends n this vicinity.

Mr. George Weagant spent Saturday with friends in Hoasic.

Mrs. Fred Gallinger spent Sunday with her father, Mr. A. W. Weagant

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baker spent Wednesday last with Mr. and Mrs. John Millward, Froatburn.

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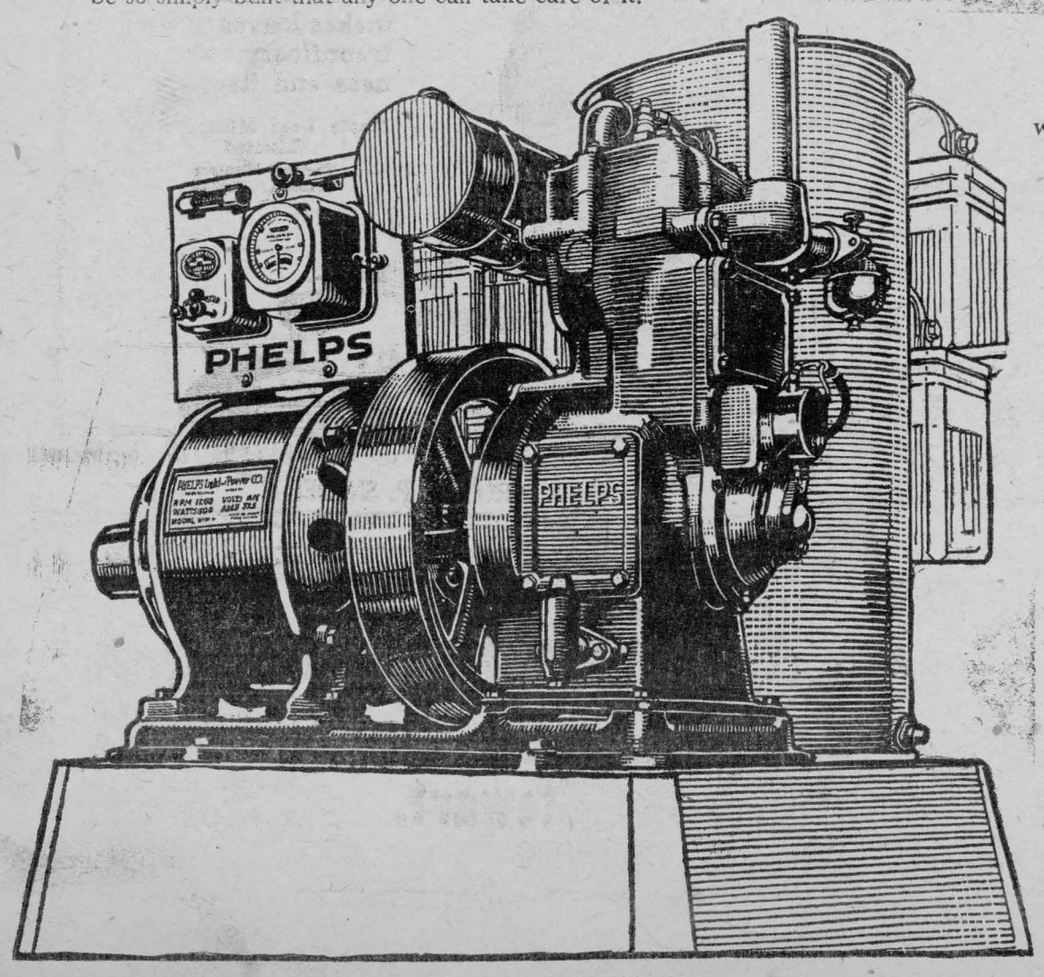

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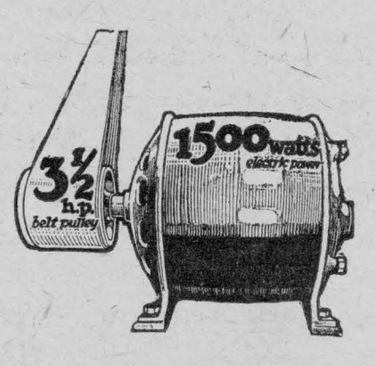

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WILLIAMSBURG

Miss Lucy Merkley and Mr. Henry Merkley are spending a few days visiting their aunt Mrs. Dr. Cryan of [illegible]n, Ont.

Miss Jessie E. Beckstead spent last Sunday with Miss Jennie Garlough.

Rev. A. Hall spent last Tuesday attending a meeting of Presbytery at Kemptville.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Strader spent last Friday with friends at Toye's Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McGruer of Dixons were guests of Dr. and Mrs. M. W. Locke last Friday.

We are glad to see Miss Hazel Fisher of Morrisburg behind the counter at Mr. George Barkley's. Miss Mabel Casselman is acting as Post Mistress for the present.

Mrs. Rachael Currie of Mountain and Mrs. Edgar McIntosh and Miss Florence McIntosh were recent guests of Mrs. Mary Shannette recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hanson spent last Thursday with Dr. and Mrs. P. McIntosh Spencerville.

Rev. and Mrs. T. Isler and baby were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willis McIntosh on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Casselman of Vernon and Mrs. Brisbeau of Toronto were week-end guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Casselman Sr.

Mrs. (Dr.) M. Locke and Miss Marion spent a few days last week with friends in Dixons and Ogdensburg, N.Y.

Miss Hilda Fisher of Morrisburg and Miss Greer of Winchester were recent guests of Mrs. Robert Norval.

Recent guests at the Temperance House were: Miss Julia Hollister, Mr Geo. Strader, Mr. and Mrs. Ruben C. Casselman and Miss Florence McIntosh.

Miss Blanche Wells spent the week-end at Wales the guest of her friend, Mr. Ralph Bell who has been transferred to the branch of the Molsons Bank in Wales.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Whitteker were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dewland.

Miss Ella Froats spent one day last week the guest of her daughter Mrs. Ross Beckstead.

Miss Mary Bell spent the week-end with her cousin, Miss Ethel Deeks.

Mrs. Roy Wert spent Tuesday of this week with her sister, Mrs. Geo. H. Casselman of Dunbar.

Mrs. C. W. Norval is spending this week with her sister, Miss Amanda Robson of Lancaster.

The many friends of Mrs. Leslie Manson of Mille Roches will regret to learn of the sudden death of her son Fred, which occurred at Niagara Falls, Ont., last Thursday.

Miss Mary Bell and Miss Ethel Deeks spent Saturday last in Cornwall.

Miss Alice Casselman was a recent guest of friends in Chesterville.

Miss Beatrice McIntosh spent Sunday last with the Misses Barkley.

Much sympathy is extended to Mr. Joe Walsh of the Molsons Bank staff in his recent sad bereavement, in the death of his father, Mr. Edward Walsh of Dunbar.

Mr. Hudson McIntosh of Winchester Springs spent one day this week with Mr. and Mrs Geo. Barkley.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Whitteker and family of Morrisburg were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Casselman.

Mr. J. Dawson spent Saturday last with friends in Morrisburg.

CHURCH ROAD

Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Swerdfeger spent Friday at Geo. E. Styles'.

Mrs. Ernest R. Styles spent a few days at Rowena the guest of Miss Gladys Strader.

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Styles spent Friday at Aultsville the guest of Mrs. R. C. Casselman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Swerdfeger and family spent Sunday at John Smith's.

A few from here attended the party at Thos. Milward's, Archer, on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bowman of Glen Becker spent Sunday at Morley Bowman's.

Mr. W. C. Caldwell of Morrisburg called at James J. Styles' on Friday.

Mr. William Dafoe and son Clare returned home from Brockville on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gallnger, Newington were callers here on Thursday

Misses Hattie and Ida Barkley, Glen Becker, spent the week-end with Mrs. Wm. Dafoe.

Sorry to report Mr. Frank Casselman on the sick list, being very ill with pneumonia.

Dr. Mulloy of Morrisburg was calling here this week.

MARIATOWN

Death has claimed from our midst on Sunday, Miss Sopha Doran, a very highly respected citizen. Deceased had been a life-long resident of this place Those who are left to mourn have the sincere sympathy of the community.

Mr. Ross Warner spent the week-end with friends at Avonmore and Moulinette. Mr. Warner expects to be well enough to take up his duties in the Nova Scotia Bank, Arnprior, the first of the week.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. J. S. Froats is on the sick list.

Mr. H. Coile left on Monday for Port Dalhousie where he has secured a position on a steamer.

Mr. William Hare of Norfolk spent a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. J. Duvall this week.

Mr. H. VanAllan of VanCamp, Mrs. Wm. Foxton of South Mountain, Mrs. Frank Casselman of East Williamsburg, were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Beckstead's on Thursday.

Mrs. W. Hare of Norfolk arrived at her parental home (Mr. and Mrs. J. Duvall,) on Monday. Mrs. Hare has just returned from the hospital where she underwent an operation.

Mr. J. Merrill and Mr. H. G. Froats each had the bad luck to lose a very valuable cow this week.

The Stork brought a baby girl on Sunday morning to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Deeks.

Mrs. S. Hutt left on Monday for Sudbury to attend the funeral of her son-in-law, Mr. John Price. We all extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Hutt and family.

We are sorry to report Miss Dorothy Dain on the sick list and hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dewland of Williamsburg and Mr. J. Fawsett of Hainsville were guests of Mrs. D. Hamilton on Sunday.

Mrs. L. Barkley of Glen Becker is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Froats.

We are pleased to see Mrs. J. Coir able to be out again after her illness.

We are pleased to report little Miss Helen Froats doing as well as can be expected.

The stork has just arrived this morning (Friday) with a bouncing baby girl for Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dain.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Deeks entertained on Friday: Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Beckstead, Mrs. A. Sullivan, Mrs. and Miss Gladys VanAllen, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Deeks.

Mr. A. Sullivan and H. D. Swerdfeger attended a temperance meeting on Friday night at Williamsburg and steps will be taken now to get organized for the coming referendum

On Saturday night when on their way to Morrisburg, Mr. H. Smith, Misses Grace and Vera Smith happened with an accident which might have proven serious. As they were approaching the Stata Creek bridge they met with a vehicle with unknown occupants which in some way collided, causing the Smith people to be thrown from their rig. Luckily there was no one hurt, although the buggy and harness were damaged.

EAST WILLIAMSBURG

Mr. Allan Hart and Hector Billodeau left for Montreal on Tuesday where they intend to reside Mr. Hart having secured a position in that place. We are sorry to lose them from our midst.

Mr. Joe Bailey was at Cornwall on Saturday.

Miss Velma Castleman spent Thursday at Mrs. Eddy VanAllen's.

Mr. Floyd Wells was at Cornwall on Saturday to see his father and reports that he was able to be out of the hospital visiting friends at that place.

Mr. Frank Castleman spent a few days this week with friends at Cornwall.

Miss Rachael Steven, teacher spent the week-end with Miss Velma Castleman.

Mrs. Martha Watson and granddaughter, Miss Clara Garlough, spent a few days last week at the latter's parental home, Williamsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gow and daughter, Blanche, of Hoasic spent Sunday at Mr. Alfred Wells'.

Mr. Milton Carr of Grantley spent Saturday at Alfred Wells'.

Mr. Ernie Connaught and sister, Annabelle, and Miss Willa Wells spent the evening at Mr. Charlie Wells.

Miss Bessie Hess is visiting friends at Morrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey are leaving for their new home at Morrisburg on Wednesday. We are sorry to lose them from our midst.

Mr. Charlie Wells is spending a few days with his son at Syracuse.

Mr. Eddie VanAllen was called to Toronto for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey spent Thursday evening at Mr. Charlie Wells'.

Mrs. Ansley Pitts, Aultsville was the guest of Mrs. Charlie Wells.

Miss Lois VanAllen and Viola MacGibbon spent Saturday evening with their friend, Miss Elva Bailey.

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Miss Pearl Robertson has returned home from Montreal.

Miss Tracey of Morrisburg spent the week-end with friends here.

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Born—On Thursday, to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Beckstead, a daughter.

Born—On Thursday 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cook, a son.

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized on Saturday, March 12 when Rev. Atchison united in marriage Mrs. Mildred Croil of this place, to Mr. Albert Hollister of Cornwall. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Hollister left on the noon train for Toronto and Western Pts. Their many friends join in wishing them every happiness.

Mr. W. G. Johnston, Cornwall and Mr. E. McGinnis of Wales were business callers in town on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Labarr visited Mrs. L. Meeker on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sheets were in Morrisburg on Saturday.

Sorry to report that Rev. Mr. Baldwin is on the sick list.

Mr. W. Reddick left on Saturday to spend some time with his brother at Madrid, N.Y.

Mrs. W. Reddick and Miss Sadie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Froats.

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Woman of To-Day

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"Contrary" Mary of the old nursery rhyme may have raised "silver bells and cockle-shells" in her garden, but modern Mary plans her garden for use as well as for beauty.

Early in the spring she raises tender vegetables in a hotbed, and later, her mornings are spent in a thriving vegetable and flower garden, for she knows that the liberal use of green vegetables in the summer diet means health and strength and that the family grocery bill is much smaller if dozens of quarts of garden products are canned ready for winter use. Mary's flower garden delights not only the eye of the passerby but also brightens her own home and makes possible the carrying of cheery flower-messages into less fortunate homes.

There are many factors to be considered in making a garden, the first of which is the choosing of a suitable location, for good soil unshaded by trees is an essential for a successful garden. Many gardens are planted in sandy loam since seeds can be planted early in sandy soil. Warmth is essentiol to the growth of a seed and sunshine is an absolute essential for the growth of plants, because the plant can only manufacture its food when the sun is shining.

Choosing seeds for a flower garden is a fascinating task because the list of easily-grown annuals includes a wide choice of kinds and colors of flowers such as: alyssum, asters, balsam, pot marigolds, poppies, calliopsis, candytuft, chrysanthemums, forget-me-nots, larkspur, marigolds, nasturtiums, pansies, petunias, phlox, pinks, scarlet sage, snapdragons, sunflowers, verbenas and zinnias.

The flower garden and the vegetable garden should both receive the same careful care and cultivation. The soil should be spaded, or plowed in the autumn or very early spring, then the seed bed harrowed and raked well. If barnyard or stable manure is added to the soil after plowing, the soil will be made more fertile as soon as the manure decays.

After the seed bed is pulverized well, the seeds should be sown in straight rows. The general rule for covering, is to cover small seeds with a very shallow layer of earth but large seeds may be planted as deep as two or three inches. The seeds should be sown far enough apart that the mature plants will not be crowded.

Garden crops should be cultivated very frequently in order to kill the weeds which take from the soil the food which should nourish the growing vegetables; to stir the soil, thus forming a dust mulch which prevents the loss of moisture; to make it possible for the growing plant to get air through the soil; and to keep the soil loose, thus giving the roots a larger feeding ground.

If the garden is cultivated by hand, a hoe, rake, spading fork and spade will be found useful, also such small tools as a handscrape weeder, a dibble, an onion weeder, a trowel and a claw weeder. A small hand cultivator or wheel hoes saves much labor.

If watering a garden is necessary, the plants should be thoroughly watered occasionally and not merely sprinkled every day.

Insects often cause heavy losses to garden crops but these losses can be greatly lessened if care is taken to keep them under control from the very beginning of the season.

The following methods have been found to be successful in combating these garden enemies:

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Successful gardening demands patience and care but the pleasure and the satisfaction gained from a thriving garden far exceed the work of planning and caring for it. Bovee has well said, "To cultivate a garden is to go hand-in-hand with Nature in some of her most beautiful processes, to learn something of her choicest secrets, and to have a more intelligent interest awakened in the beautiful order of her works elsewhere."

One-Dish Meals.

If you will use that combination baker and serving dish, the casserole, you eliminate two or three cooking dishes, and the same number of serving dishes for the table, as you take the casserole directly from the range to the table. They may be bought of glass or crockery in two shades of brown and if the contents are daintily prepared and cooked to just the right shade of brown the dish adds a touch of beauty to any table.

A favorite dish in one household is called "Steak a la Mother," in honor of the proud discoverer. It consists of round steak cut in pieces convenient for serving—first pounding flour into the steak. This is then browned in the frying pan, in drippings in which a small onion chopped has been browned. Potatoes peeled and cut in eighths, cutting the potato crosswise first, are added a pint of tomatoes, and a cup of canned peas. If there is a stray stalk of celery about it is cut fine and added. The whole is then poured into the casserole, and the dish covered and set in the oven, where a moderate fire is kept for one hour. This is the entire meal, with the exception of bread and butter and a light dessert.

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The White Hat

By Sax Rohmer

PART III.

"Right," replied Bampton, "I will." He half closed his eyes reflectively. "I was having tea in the Lyons Cafe, to which I always go, last Monday afternoon about 4 o'clock, when a man sat down facing me and got into conversation."

"Describe him."

"He was a man rather above medium height. I should say about my own build; dark, going gray. He had a neat mustache and a short beard, and the look of a man who had traveled a lot. His skin was very tanned almost as deeply as yours, Mr. Harley. Not at all the sort of chap that goes in there as a rule. After a while he made an extraordinary proposal. At first I thought he was joking, then when I grasped the idea that he was serious I concluded he was mad. He asked me how much a year I earned, and I told him Peters & Peters paid me £150 a year. He said, 'I'll give you a year's salary to knock a man's hat off!' "

As Bampton spoke the words he glanced at us with twinkling eyes, but although for my own part I was merely amused, Harley's expression had grown very stern. "Of course I laughed," continued Bampton, "but when the man drew out a fat wallet and counted ten five-pound notes on the table I began to think seriously about his proposal. Even supposing he was cracked, it was absolutely money for nothing.

" 'Of course,' he said, 'you'll lose your job, and you may be arrested, but you'll say that you had been out with a few friends and were a little excited, also that you never could stand white hats. Stick to that story and the balance of £100 will reach you on the following morning.'

"I asked him for further particulars and I asked him why he had picked on me for the job. He replied that he had been looking for some time for the right man—a man who was strong enough physically to accomplish the thing, and some one"—Bampton's eyes twinkled again—"with a bit of dash in him, but at the same time a man who could be relied upon to stick to his guns and not to give the game away.

"You asked me to be brief and I'll try to be. The man in the white hat was described to me and the exact time and place of meeting. I just had to grab his white hat, smash it and face the music. I agreed. I don't deny that I had a couple of stiff drinks before I set out, but the memory of that £50 locked up here in my room, and the further hundred promised, bucked me up. It was impossible to mistake my man; I could see him coming toward me as I waited just outside a sort of little restaurant called the Cafe Dame. As arranged, I bumped into him, grabbed his hat and jumped on it."

He paused, raising his hand to his head reminiscently.

"My man was a bit of a scrapper," he continued. "I've never heard such language in my life, and the way he laid about me with his cane is something I am not likely to forget in a hurry. A crowd gathered, naturally, and I was pinched. That didn't matter much. I got off lightly; and although I've been dismissed by Peters & Peters, twenty crisp fivers are locked in my trunk there, with the ten which I received in the city."

Harley checked him. "May I see the envelope in which this money arrived?" he asked.

"Sorry," replied Bampton, "but I burned it. I thought it was playing the game to do so. It wouldn't have helped you much, though," he added; "it was an ordinary common envelope, posted in the city, address typewritten and not a line inclosed."

"Registered?"

"No."

Bampton stood looking at us with a curious expression on his face. "There's one point," he said,, "on which my conscience isn't easy. You know about that poor devil who fell out of a window? Well, it would never have happened if I hadn't kicked up a row in the street. There's no doubt he was leaning out to see what the disturbance was about when the accident occurred."

"Did you actually see him fall?" asked Harley.

"No. He fell from a window several yards behind me in the side street, but I heard him cry out, and as I was lugged off by the police I heard the bell of the ambulance which came to fetch him."

He paused again and stood rubbing his head ruefully.

"H'm," said Harley; "was there anything particularly remarkable about this man in the Lyons Cafe?"

Bampton reflected silently for some moments. "Nothing much," he confessed. "He was evidently a gentleman, wore a blue topcoat, a dark tweed suit and what looked like a regimental tie, but I didn't know the colors. He was very tanned, as I have said, even to the backs of his hands—and, oh, yes, there was one point—he had a gold covered tooth."

"Which tooth?"

"I can't remember, except that it was on the left side, and I always noticed it when he smiled."

"Did he wear any ring or pin which you would recognize?"

"No."

"Was there anything queer in his speech or voice?"

"No. He spoke like thousands of other Englishmen."

Harley nodded briskly and buttoned up his overcoat. "Thanks, Mr. Bampton," he said; "we will detain you no longer."

As we descended the stairs, where the smell of frying sausage had given place to that of something burning—probably the sausages—Harley said: "I was half inclined to think that Major Ragstaff's ideas were traceable to a former touch of the sun. I begin to believe that he has put us on the track of a pretty unusual crime. I am sorry to delay dinner, Knox, but I propose to call at the Cafe Dame."

On entering the doorway of the Cafe Dame we found ourselves in a narrow passage. In front of us was a carpeted stair and to the right a glass paneled door communicating with a discreetly lighted little dining room which seemed to be well patronized. Opening the door, Harley beckoned to a waiter. "I wish to see the proprietor," he said.

"Mr. Meyer is engaged at the moment, sir," he answered.

"Where is he?"

"In his office upstairs, sir. He will be down in a moment."

The waiter hurried away, and Harley stood glancing up the stairs as if in doubt what to do.

"I can't imagine how such a place can pay," he muttered. "The rent must be enormous in this district."

But even before he ceased speaking I became aware of an excited conversation which was taking place in some apartment above.

"It's scandalous!" I heard, in a woman's shrill voice. "You have no right to keep it! It's not your property, and I'm here to demand that you give it up."

A man's voice replied in voluble broken English, but I could only distinguish a word here and there. I saw that Harley was interested, for, catching my questioned glance, he raised his fingers to his lips, enjoining me to be silent.

"Oh, that's the game, is it?" continued the female voice. "Of course you know it's blackmail?"

A flow of unintelligible words answered this speech.

"I shall come back with some one," cried the woman, "who will make you give it up!"

"Knox," whispered Harley in my ear, "when that woman comes down, follow her! I'm afraid you will bungle the business, and I would not ask you to attempt it if big things were not at stake. Come back here: I shall wait."

As a matter of fact, his sudden request had positively astounded me, but before I had time for any reply a door suddenly banged open above and a respectable looking woman, who might have been some kind of upper servant, came quickly down the stairs. Without seeming to notice our presence, she brushed past us and went out into the street.

Off you go, Knox!" said Harley.

Seeing myself committed to an unpleasant business, I slipped out of the doorway and saw the woman five or six yards away hurrying in the direction of Piccadilly. I had no difficulty in following her, for she was evidently unsuspicious of my presence, and when presently she mounted a westward bound bus I did likewise. Though she found a seat inside, I went on top, and occupied a place on the near side where I could observe anyone leaving the vehicle.

At Hyde Park corner I saw the woman descending, and when presently she walked up Hamilton Place I was not far behind her. At the door of an imposing mansion she stopped, and in response to a ring of the bell the door was opened by a footman and the woman hurried in. Evidently she was an inmate of the establishment; and conceiving that my duty was done when I had noted the number of the house I retraced my steps to the corner and, hailing a taxicab, returned to the Cafe Dame.

I inquired of the same waiter whom Harley had accosted whether my friend was there.

"I think a gentleman is upstairs with Mr. Meyer," said the man.

"In his office?"

"Yes, sir."

I mounted the stairs and before a half-open door paused. Harley's voice was audible within, so I knocked and entered. I discovered Harley standing by an American desk. Beside him in a revolving chair, which, with the desk, constituted the principal furniture of a tiny office, sat a man in a dress suit which had palpably not been made for him. He had a sullen and suspiciously Teutonic cast of countenance, and was engaged in a voluable but hardly intelligible speech as I entered.

"Ha, Knox!" said Harley, glancing over his shoulder, "did you manage?"

"Yes," I replied.

Harley nodded shortly and turned again to the man in the chair.

"I am sorry to give you so much trouble, Mr. Meyer," he said, "but I should like my friend here to see the room above."

At this moment my attention was attracted by a singular object which lay upon the desk in a litter of bills and accounts. This was a piece of rusty iron bar, somewhat less than three feet in length, that once had been painted green.

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FRANCO-TURKISH SEPARATE TREATY GIVES BAGDAD RAILWAY TO FRANCE

By Terms of the New Pact the Absolute Ownership of Portion of Line Within Turkish Borders Passes to France.

Paris, March 13.—"The greatest victory France has won since Napoleon's conquest of Austria."

In these words a high neutral diplomat to-day summed up the significance of the Franco-Turkish separate peace which will be signed in Paris by Easter.

By the terms of the treaty, France becomes the absolute owner within Turkish boundaries of the famous Bagdad railway.

The enormous strategic importance of the Bagdad line can be understood when it is remembered that France already possesses a direct line from Paris to Constantinople, while she is heavily backing the creation of a new railroad scheduled to run from Dantzig via Prague to Budapest, Bucharest, Sofia and then to Turkey, which though not touching Germany or Russia, will traverse the countries of the "Little Entente," which was founded and fostered by astute French diplomacy and aided by the Roumanian wizard statesman, Take Jonesco.

REICHSTAG APPROVES SIMONS' ACT

German Foreign Minister Reports His Stand at London Conference.

Berlin, March 13.—Approval of the German Government's attitude toward the allied reparation demands was voted by the Reichstag yesterday, after Foreign Minister Simons made a lengthy explanation of his work at the London conference.

There was a partisan debate over the resolution of approval, which was moved by the Coalition party, but it was finally adopted by a vote of 268 to 49. The Nationalists and Majority Socialists voted with the Government en bloc.

A Communist resolution demanding the immediate establishment of diplomatic relations with Soviet Russia was declared defeated.

The House was crowded to hear Dr. Simons' statement, in which he dilated on the extraordinary difficulty on the part of Germany to make definite proposals, owing to the uncertainty concerning Upper Silesia and the constant exchange fluctuations.

He explained that an overwhelming majority among the German experts was impossible of attainment for any proposals; hence, the German counter-proposals were made from political motives, on his own personal responsibility. After repeating the arguments employed before the London conference, Dr. Simons declared the idea that because the allies had torn up the treaty it was therefore void for Germany was all wrong, and that "we should not repay wrong with wrong."

This was greeted with laughter and disorder, but Dr. Simons continued: "For Germany there still remains fulfilment of the treaty, so far as that is possible, but no farther."

He then proceeded to advocate the seeking of the middle path to the counter-proposals on a different basis.

"But," he added, "at the moment we are given a slap in the face we cannot offer our hand and say, 'We will be friends.'

"That is impossible. If we renew negotiations we must point out that the basis is altered both psychologically and actually by the imposition of penalties."

U.S. Railroads Announce Wage Cut

A despatch from New York says:—The Wabash Railroad on Friday issued notice of a proposal to reduce the wages of its 3,500 unskilled laborers. Wage reductions ranging from 48 cents an hour to a minimum of 25 cents are contemplated for unskilled workers by the Northern Pacific and Great Northern. The Maine Central Railroad management said that a reduction of wages would be proposed soon to 4,300 employes, including clerks, mechanics, machinists, maintenance of way men, station men and heads of departments.

Women Magistrates in Ontario Cities

A despatch from Toronto says:—Municipalities of more than 100,000 population are to have women police magistrates—if they want them. Legislation to that effect was introduced in the House by Hon. W. E. Raney. The appointment is provided for by a requisition of the municipal council.

MANHOLE CLAIMS MONTREAL CHILD

City Employees, Police and Firemen Search Sewers, but in Vain.

A despatch from Montreal says:—Squads of men were at work in the sewers of this city on Thursday night searching for the body of Lilly Manning, eight years of age, who Thursday afternoon, when out with her mother and her little sister, Gertie, stumbled and fell into an open manhole on St. James Street, opposite St. Antoine Market, between Aqueduct and Mountain streets.

Mrs. Joseph Manning, the mother, says: "I was crossing the street with my two little girls and I did not notice the manhole. I was carrying Gertie across the street, and Lilly was walking a little behind me. Suddenly she seemed to stumble, and I saw her sort of double up and fall into the manhole head first. All she said was 'Oh!' "

The mother shouted down the manhole, but could see and hear nothing except the rush of water below, which runs to a depth of four feet at this point. A man rushed up after the accident, and without waiting for a ladder jumped into the manhole next to the open one and waited fifteen minutes for the body to appear. He saw nothing.

There was no guard around, and no grating over the manhole at the time of the accident, and passersby are stated to have remarked it was dangerous.

New Settlement of Turkish Question

A despatch from London says:—The basis of a new settlement regarding Turkey, according to a French source, will include, in addition to the evacuation of Constantinople and, to a large extent, the relinquishment of Turkish control of the Straits, internationalization of Thrace, Greek control of Gallipoli and an automous regime in Smyrna, with a certain Greek preponderance in the administration, while the port of Smyrna will be free to Turkish commerce.

Rhineland Will Yield Allies 400,000,000 Marks

A despatch from Paris says:—Financial control of the Rhineland will, it is estimated, bring in about 400,000,000 marks gold a year but only if the mines, forests and roads are included in the control. It is generally admitted that the management of the railroads there is badly in need of revision and that this must be done if they are to be made profitable for the Allies.

Over 7,000 Belgians Murdered by Germans

Brussels, March 13.—According to official figures just made public, 7,473 Belgian civilians died as the result of the German occupation of their country. Of these, 4,934 civilians were shot by German troops or executed by order of the German military authorities; 1,331 died in prisons, in which they were confined by Germans; and 1,228 died in the course of the enforced deportations to Germany and the French front.



Picture of the Nations Beating Their Swords Into Ploughshares.

"IF THINE ENEMY HUNGER——"

French Set Up Soup Kitchens in Dusseldorf for Needy Townspeople.

A despatch from Paris says:—The poilus' soup kitchens, which are distributing what may or may not justly be called propaganda soup to the poor of Dusseldorf, have assumed international importance. These poor, tired soup kitchens, which for so many months fed the French fighting men, stand to-day in the public squares of the occupied German Rhine city, and from them the company cooks ladle out steaming nourishment in the name of France to hungry Germans.

This evidence of French activity by no means fits in with the "barbarity" demands of the German propagandists, and naturally they turn loose their wrath upon the French field kitchens and what well-fed Germans would call "frog" soup.

Although the declaration of German editors that this soup, of which 5,000 Dusseldorfers partook on Thursday evening, was really paid for by German money, it did not affect Friday's bread line. The company cooks are said to have put extra pepper in the cauldrons after hearing of this exhibition of German gratitude. And the French Government on Friday took pains to state that the soup is not paid for out of the army of occupation fund made good by Germany, but will be accounted for in the French budget.

Thus the French taxpayer is feeding hungry Dusseldorf. And on Friday night Dusseldorf papers so stated by order of General Gaucher, who adds that anyone who wishes good French soup can apply to his own priest or minister for cards.

WHITE RUSSIA GAINING UPPER HAND

Strength Increasing Through Wholesale Desertions of the Reds.

A despatch from London says:—It is learned on the highest Foreign Office authority that events in Russia are moving rapidly with the White Russians distinctly gaining the upper hand. Their strength is declared to be increasing hourly by the wholesale desertions of the Reds.

Chinese and Lettish mercenaries are being rushed to replace the revolting troops who have been greatly heartened by the reported arrival of Kerensky in Russia.

The Copenhagen Politiken gives a graphic description of a battle on the ice between these revolutionary soldiers and a regiment of Red cavalry, supported by Chinese infantry sent against them by Trotzky.

The Soviet troops, including a regiment of Red Finnish soldiers in the service of the Bolsheviki, attempted to envelope the counter revolutionists on an ice field with an armored cruiser. The fort at Petropavlovsk, in the hands of the mutineers, laid down a heavy barrage on the ice behind the Regiment of Finnish Reds. With the breaking up of the ice, the entire regiment is reported to have perished in the icy waters.

Products of the University.

Last week a party of young people from the farms of an Ontario county visited Toronto and asked to be shown through the University. Their schedule gave them two hours to spend there, but one cannot visit the University of Toronto thoroughly in less time than a day and a half! However, these young men and women were taken into the Mining Building where in one laboratory they found a class making a qualitative analysis of ore; downstairs they discovered some students separating gold and silver from ore; in another room the electric blast furnaces were working. To people who had expected to find students doing nothing else than poring over Latin and Greek books it was a surprise to learn that mining engineers are produced in the Provincial University. In another building they saw a professor and his class testing scientifically the strength of a large steel rod; in yet another a number of young men were studying and testing gas engines and steam engines; others were engaged in ascertaining the best shape for the new Chippewa Canal. Rather novel lessons all these seemed to be!

To these visitors it was a new idea that the great Hydro system, which has been such a boon to Ontario, is a product of the genius of engineers trained in the University of Toronto and that the Province is dependent for the development of its mineral resources, for its bridges, railways, canals, and all public works upon the men whom its University sends out equipped for these important services. And this is only part of the University's work!

Before criticising expenditure on university education one should know something of the work of the Provincial University.

TURKS OCCUPY BLACK SEA PORT

Batum, Georgia's Principal Port, Held by Ottomans.

A despatch from Constantinople says:—The Truks have occupied Batum, Georgia's principal Black Sea port.

Late despatches from Batum told of a Bolshevik uprising there, with thousands of persons, in addition to the allied mission and members of the Georgian Government, leaving the port. The Bolsheviki were holding the railway running from Kutais to Batum, upon which the Turkish Nationalists were said to be making their next move.

British Budget May Reach £985,000,000

London, March 13.—Owing to pressure of work the House of Commons will meet on Saturday, and possibly hold a session on Easter Monday. The Government is anxious to dispose of various measures before the House, and it is expected that when the Chancellor of the Exchequer brings down his budget there will be an interesting debate. The Times estimates that the budget will amount to £985,000,000 at the lowest, which is a prospect to disturb the taxpayers.

GERMANS ARE USING PROFITS TO FINANCE BUSINESS EXPANSION

Lloyd George's Complaint That Germany is Not Collecting Taxes to Meet Reparations Claim is Justified so Far as Rhineland is Concerned.

A despatch from Cologne, Germany, says:—Allied experts are drafting new imports and export tariffs designed to divert millions of gold marks in indemnity to a pool fund for the Allies along the Rhine.

One of the many difficulties which the Rhineland Commission has already encountered is that of providing the personnel to man the chain of new customs houses which will be established along the Rhine in a few days. Those will involve the occupation of further strips of territory twenty miles deep between the British and French and the American bridgeheads to prevent smuggling.

Eastward the Belgian zone of further occupation will extend northward from Ruhrort to the Dutch frontier for a depth of six or seven miles. The Germans made a tremendous effort over the week-end to ship goods eastward across the Rhine before the barrier fell.

In the meantime here and at Dusseldorf, and the other cities along the Rhine, there is plenty of evidence of nascent prosperity. It is shown in the form of luxurious automobiles, busy night life, expensive supper parties. All the stores, hotels and restaurants are working under full pressure. Mountainous piles of paper marks are changing hands daily.

Lloyd George's complaint to Foreign Minister Simons that Germany was not collecting the taxes voted by the Reichstag is justified so far as the Rhineland is concerned. Instead of flowing into the German exchequer, the surplus German profits have been used to finance business expansion all along the Rhine Valley. New plants are being erected, and construction activity is decidedly more noticeable than in either France or England.

Portugal Also Honors Unknown Soldier

Havre, France, March 13.—The body of an unknown Portuguese soldier was taken yesterday on the gun carriage of a French .75, from the barracks where it had been lying in state, to a warship, which will take it to Portugal.

Ducks and Geese Make Early Return from South

Assiniboia, Sask., March 13.—Corp. James Bell, Provincial Police Officer, says that while at Wood Mountain, he saw ducks and geese coming back from the south. This is the earliest date for their return in 48 years, declare "old-timers."

British Army Estimates Below Last Year

A despatch from London says:—The army estimates for £106,000,000 are £60,000,000 below the amount of last year's estimates.

Air Route Now Serves African Jungle

London, March 13.—A pioneer airway above the River Congo for a distance of 1,200 miles has been established by the Belgians, seaplane being used. Goods are now carried from Kinshasa, 200 miles from the mouth of the Congo, as far inland as Stanleyville.

Two seaplanes, dividing the cargo, start off together on the journey, so that if a mishap occurs to either machine over isolated portions of the African jungle it may be quickly reported to one of the bases.

Find Homes in Canada for 200 Jewish Orphans

Warsaw, March 13.—It is purposed by a delegation of Jewish relief workers who are here from Canada to transport immediately 200 orphans for adoption in Canada.

Weekly Market Report

Toronto.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, $1.96¼; No. 2 Northern, $1.93¼; No. 3 Northern, $1.89¼; No. 4 wheat, $1.82¾.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 CW, 50¼c; No. 3 CW, 46c; extra No. 1 feed, 46c; No. 1 feed, 44c; extra No. 2 feed, 41c.

Manitoba barley—No. 3 CW, 85½c; No. 4 CW, 74c; rejected, 63c; feed, 62½c.

All of the above in store at Fort William.

American corn—98c, nominal, track, Toronto, prompt shipment.

Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 46 to 48c.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 Winter, $1.90 to $1.95 per car lot; No. 2 Spring, $1.80 to $1.85; No. 2 Goose wheat, $1.75 to $1.85, shipping points, according to freight.

Peas—No. 2, $1.55 to $1.65.

Barley—Malting, 80 to 85c; according to freights outside.

Buckwheat—No. 3, $1.05 to $1.10, nominal.

Rye—No. 2, $1.57 to $1.62, nominal, according to freights outside.

Manitoba flour—First pat., $10.70; second patent, $10.20, bulk, seaboard.

Ontario flour—$8.50, bulk, seaboard.

Millfeed — Delivered, Montreal freight, bags included: Bran, per ton, $37 to $40; shorts, per ton, $35 to $38; good feed flour, $2.25 to $2.50 per bag.

Straw—Car lots, per ton, $12, track, Toronto.

Hay—No. 1, per ton, $23 to $24, track, Toronto.

Cheese—New, large, 32 to 33c; twins, 33 to 34c; triplets, 33 to 35c; old, large, 34 to 35c; do, twins, 34½ to 35½c.

Butter—Fresh dairy, choice, 48 to 49c; creamery, No. 7, 57½ to 60½c; fresh, 59 to 62c.

Margarine—29 to 33c.

Eggs—New laid, 46 to 47c; new laid, in cartons, 48 to 50c.

Beans—Canadian, hand-picked, per bus., $3.50 to $3.75; primes, $2.75 to $3.25; Japans, 8c; Limas, Madagascar, 10½c; California Limas, 12½c.

Maple products—Syrup, per imp. gal., $3.40 to $3.50; per 5 imp. gals., $3.25 to $3.40. Maple sugar, lb., 20 to 25c.

Honey—60-30-lb. tins, 22 to 23c per lb.; 5-2½-lb. tins, 23 to 25c per lb.; Ontario comb honey, $7.50 per 15-section case.

Smoked meats—Hams, med., 35 to 38c; heavy, 27 to 29c; cooked, 52 to 57c; rolls, 31 to 32c; cottage rolls, 33 to 34c; breakfast bacon, 43 to 46c; fancy breakfast bacon, 53 to 56c; plain, bone in, 47 to 50c; boneless, 51 to 55c.

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

Lard—Purie, tierces, 20 to 20¾c; tubs, 20½ to 21c; pails, 20¾ to 21¼c; prints, 21½ to 22½c. Shortening, tierces, 13 to 13½c;, tubs, 13½ to 14c; pails, 14 to 14½c; prints, 15 to 15½c.

Choice heavy steers, $9 to $10.50; good heavy steers, $8.50 to $9; butchers' cattle, choice, $9 to $10; do, good, $8 to $9; do, med., $6 to $8; do, com., $4 to $6; butchers' bulls, choice, $7 to $7.50; do good, $6 to $7; do, com., $4 to $5; butchers' cows, choice, $8 to $9; do, good, $6.25 to $7; do, com., $4 to $5; feeders, $7.75 to $8.75; do, 900 lbs., $7.25 to $8.25; do, 800 lbs., $5.75 to $6.75; do, com., $5 to $6; canners and cutters, $2.50 to $4.50; milkers, good to choice, $85 to $120; do, com. to med., $50 to $60; choice springers, $90 to $130; lambs, yearlings, $9 to $9.50; do, spring, $12 to $13; calves, good to choice, $14.50 to $15.50; sheep, $5 to $8.50; hogs, fed and watered, $14.75 to $15; do, weighed off cars, $15 to $15.25; do, f.o.b., $13.75 to $14; do, country points $13.50 to $13.75.

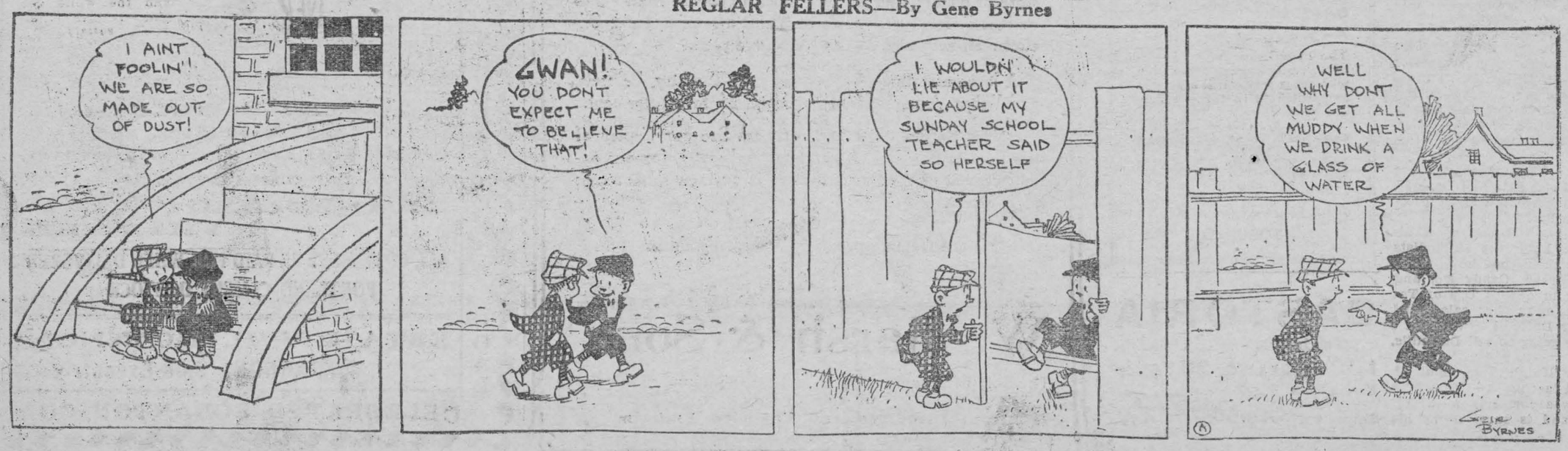
Montreal.

Oats, No. 2 CW, 67 to 68c; No. 3 CW, 63 to 64c. Flour, Man. spring wheat patents, firsts, $10.50. Rolled oats, bag, 90 lbs., $3.40. Bran, $36.25. Shorts, $36.25. Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots, $24 to $25.

Cheese, finest easterns, 29½ to 29¾c. Butter, choicest creamery, 56½ to 57c. Eggs, fresh, 45c. Potatoes, per bag, car lots, $1 to $1.05.

Good steers, $11.25; light steers and heifers, $8.50; common cows, $6; good veal, $11.50 to $12; med., $10 to $11. Sheep, $8; lambs, $12. Hogs, selects, $15.50; sows, $11.50.

REGLAR FELLERS—By Gene Byrnes



LOCAL AND GENERAL

Repairs ordered and kept in stock for all make of ranges and stoves.
MORASH FOUNDRY

A nice variety of flowering plants and bulbs for Easter at A. J. Harrison's.

The performance by the Iroquois Dramatic Players in the Town Hall, Thursday, March 17th, was appreciated by a large audience. They were accompanied by the Iroquois Orchestra and gave an evening of rare enjoyment.

Mr. A. C. Casselman, barrister, Prescott, has been appointed chief census commissioner for the Federal riding of Grenville. T. A. Thompson will act for Lanark and George C. Hart for Dundas.

WANTED—A reserve seat ticket for the concert and play "The Young Village Doctor" Saturday night, April 23rd

Perhaps the most elaborate and extensive theatrical company to visit us in many moons is "The Maple Leafs" which comes to the Music Hall, Thursday, April 14th. It is a musical comedy revue played by a company of boys who saw service in France, and who made their reputation as players overseas.

Mrs. W. A. Denesha stopped over a few days in Morrisburg this week, on her way to her home in Detroit, after attending the funeral of her uncle, Mr. F. C. Denesha of Waterbury, Mass.

Born—At Mariatown, on Friday March 18th, to Mr. and Mrs John Dain, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Wickware left for Toronto on Tuesday for a few weeks' visit.

Mr. Aaron Sweet of Winchester was in Morrisburg on Sunday.

Miss M. Loucks left on Wednesday for Cobourg to spend Easter with her sister, Mrs. F. Allison.

Mr. Frank Moyle, A. C. Stillson, Harry Myers and C. W. Loucks, Wm. Wright, Dan McGillivray, George Clark, Frank Beckstead, left this week to assume their duties for the season's navigation on the St. Lawrence route.

Mrs. G. E. Dillabough returned home last week after spending the winter in Tulsa, Okla.

Mr. Fred Beckstead of Ogdensburg, N. Y., spent a few days with his aunt, Mrs. C. L. Hazell.

Miss Winnie Farrar underwent a successful operation for appendicitis in the Cornwall Hospital last week.

Mr. George Clark has purchased the Froats Property on Victoria street.

Mrs. D. C. Bush is in Ottawa this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Plantz.

Mr. F. Kellog who was called to Morrisburg owing to the serious illness of his mother, returned home to Picton on Tuesday. His mother, we are glad to report, is very much improved.

Miss Pearl Graham is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jenkinson.

Miss M. C. Allison is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hugh Wilson of Valleyfield, Que.

Easter Lilies, Cyclamen, Cinnerarias, Hyacinths, Primroses, etc., at A. J. Harrison's.

Miss A. A. Boyd spent the week-end at her home in Kingston.

Mrs. John Morgan of Aultsville spent a couple of days with her mother, Mrs. Henderson.

Mrs. Wm. Houlahan is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Marchand at Lakeside, Que.

The person holding No. 7 please call on Miss Bessie Clark and receive the yoke.

The ice bridge across the St. Lawrence East of Cornwall shoved out on Saturday last and the river is now an open channel. It is reported that towards the latter part of last week three American owned automobiles went through the ice while crossing, the occupants jumping as they found the ice giving away.

A very pleasing event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Barclay, College street, Iroquois, on Wednesday evening, March 9th when the relatives and a few friends met to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their wedded life. Their marriage was solemnized fifty years ago by the late Rev. Wm. Williams.

Mrs. H. McCorkindale announces that her millinery opening will take place on Wednesday, March 23rd, and extends an invitation to the ladies of Morrisburg and vicinity to attend.

Arrangements have been made by the Kingston Driving and Matinee Club for a meeting of representatives from Port Hope, Belleville, Picton, Napanee, Gananoque, Brockville, Peterboro and Perth to complete details for the inauguration of a short ship circuit for harness racing for this season.

Mrs. Smith—"I suppose you are going to the Food Sale and Daffodil Tea in the Methodist Church basement on Saturday?"

Mrs. Brown—"Of course—I always do—You know the Methodists are famed for their good home-made Cakes, Pies, Bread, Candy &c, and I do so want to have a cup of Tea with delicious sandwiches, salads and cakes in their Daffodil Tea Room. I hear they are going to sell Daffodils, too."

G. Elgin McKnight, merchant of Prescott, died last night after a long illness. He was formerly a farmer at Iroquois, and is survived by his wife, two sons and one daughter.

WHITTEKER the Optician will Wales, March 19.
Morrisburg March 21, to April 2.

According to information received in town, Mr. O. D. Casselman, M.P., has been successful in getting an amount placed in the estimates of the Department of the Interior sufficiently large to provide for a pavilion to be erected on Broder Island, also to cover the expense of a caretaker and other improvements. Mr. Casselman also stated that the post office lawn will be properly cared for during the summer months. Needless to say, the people of Morrisburg are grateful to our member, whose fidelity is proof that he is worthy of the trust which the people of Dundas County have placed in him.

Born—On Wednesday, March 9th, 1921, to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Lavis, 214, Addington Avenue, Montreal, a daughter.

The National Waterways Association of Canada in convention at Toronto this week, passed a resolution urging upon the Dominion Government the need for speedy action looking toward the adoption and execution of plans which will provide a channel thirty feet deep between the Great Lakes and tidewater by way of the St. Lawrence river thus making every lake port a sea port, and incidentally developing millions of horsepower of electric energy, and resulting in inestimable benefit to the producing, industrial and commercial interests of Canada.

A deputation waited on the Hon. J. D. Reid, Minister of Railways and Canals at Ottawa this week to urge Federal assistance in the construction of the bridges at Vaudreuil and St. Anne's. The deputation consisted of representatives from Cornwall, Brockville and Prescott who joined a large deputation from Montreal. The Hon. Mr. Reid pointed out that greater economy had to be exercised in capital expenditure than ever before in the history of the country. He promised to bring the matter before the Government

Five hundred immigrants are expected to arrive in this province within the next few days, most of whom will be sent out on their arrival to farms, in an effort to supply the shortage of help. Mr. H. A. MacDonell, Commissioner for Colonization for Ontario, states that the most of the men had previous farm experience, "they will be distributed as far as possible through the Province with farmers who are in need of help."

Born—At Mariatown, on Sunday, March 13th, 1921, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Lee Deeks, a daughter.

The celebration to be held in Morrisburg on the 24th of May under the auspices of the M.A.A. is progressing nicely. Committees have been appointed to look after the various departments and a big day is in store for those who reserve this date

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear sister, Goldie, who died March 8th.

One year has passed since that sad day, when our dear sister was called away; we all loved her, we love her still, forget her no, we never will. But flowers we can put on the grave where she lies, and keep roses blooming there as each day goes by. We miss her God knows, and mourn for her still, and hope she is resting in a place better still.

Inserted by sister DELLA

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Fumed Oak Dining Room Suite, extra large buffet, 44 inch round extension table, 5 dining room chairs and one large arm chair upholstered in real leather, regular $300. Sale price for Suite complete $190.

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A few of our celebrated all white felt mattresses for sale this week, only $11.75.

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Spanish Onons, lb.	7½c	Puffed Wheat, package	18c
Spinach, per tin	25c	Puffed Rice, per package	20c
Shrimps, per tin	30c	Cream of Wheat	30c
Clams, per tin	25c	Pancake flour	30c
Smoked Beef, per tin	40c	Grape Nuts	18c
Figs, per lb.	25c	Raisins	30 and 35c
White Beans per lb.	8c	Currants	25c
Rice, per lb	8 and 10c	Quaker Corn Flakes	10c
Tapioca, per lb	15c	Handy Ammonia	10c
Barley, per lb	10c	Snowflakes Ammonia	10c
Split Peas per lb	10c	Bulldog Ammonia	10c
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