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Village Council Held First Session Monday Night

The first meeting of the Village Council for the year 1931 was held on Monday, Jan. 12th, all members being present and subscribing to oath of office.

On motion by D. Allison and T. Allen, George Elliot was re-appointed Clerk and Treasurer.

Adjournment was then made until evening when business was proceeded with.

On motion of Clayton and Barrie, the minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read.

Clayton–Allen—That a committee consisting of one lady from each of the church organizations and Mr. D. Allison be appointed to investigate all the cases of needed aid in the Village and administer needed aid.

Allison–Barrie—That a street light be placed at the north end of Main street.

The officers were appointed as follows:—

Jas. McAvoy, assessor and collector of poll and dog taxes,

P. S. Boyd and Jas. Hanna, auditors,

E L. Brornskill, tax collector,

D. J Craig, constable, caretaker of Town Hall, Sanitary Inspector and Weed Inspector, and collector of Show Licenses.

H. McCambridge, member of Board of Health.

Alf Morris, Fire Chief and caretaker of Fire Hall.

Broder Bailey, pound keeper.

Geo. J. Hunt, High School Trustee.

Clayton–Allison—That the county treasurer be instructed to cancel arrears of taxes appearing against certain lots which have been settled.

Allen–Allison — Authorizing the Reeve to ascertain the condition of the legal controversy in regards to the bridge.

Barrie–Allen—That application be made to the C. P. R. Co., to install a double wigwag signal at the Main street crossing.

Allen–Clayton—To apply to the C. P. R. Co. for permission to connect the village water main with the company's water main near the station as an additional protection in case of fires.

Barrie–Allen—That the Clerk be authorized to open a telephone account.

Barrie–Allen—That this Council on behalf of the ratepayers of our village publicly express our appreciation of the success of Councillor Dr. Clayton in securing a share of the Government appropriation for unemployment relief in our village.

Orders on general account were passed for $199.43

Orders on Public School.... 500.00

Next regular meeting Monday Feb. 3rd at seven p.m.

Cornwall Colts In Overtime Win From Finch

Some 600 hockey fans pushed their way into the Finch Arena Tuesday night to see the Beavers go down to defeat at the hands of the Cornwall Colts in a hard fought battle which went into 30 minutes of overtime by a score of 3 to 2. The ice was in excellent condition making the going fast and one of the best games of the season in the C. O. V. L. resulted. The fans were kept on their toes throughout the 90 minutes of play.

The first period opened with McMillan staving off many hard shots which were sent in by McLean and Jamieson. The Beavers made many rushes but were shooting wild on Roberston. After eight minutes of play Ostler went the length of the ice to beat McMillan on a backhand shot. The remaining part of this period the Beavers pressed the play towards the Colt's zone without results. The locals had command of the play in the second frame and gave the Colts' net guardian a busy session. Preston slipped the rubber past Robertson to tie the count after five minutes' play and Robillard put the Beavers one up on an individual run which was the neatest of the evening. The Colts pressed hard and the period ended with the locals leading.

The Beavers, with two men serving penalties, were handicapped and Ostler again fooled McMillan on a backhand shot to tie the count. Play became very rough as the game went into overtime. During the first ten minutes of overtime there was no scoring, although both goalers were given plenty to do. In the second overtime period the Beavers missed many opportunities to break the deadlock.

Jamieson passed the puck from behind the net to Earl Whitford who beat McMillan for the deciding goal early in the third overtime session.

The line-up:

Finch—Goal, McMillan; def. Stark and H. Ouderkirk; centre, Robillard; wings, Preston and McIntosh; subs., Dickey, Cadieux and W. Ouderkirk.

Cornwall—Goal. Robertson; defence Ostler and E. Whitford; centre, M. Jamieson; wings, P. Whitford and McLean; subs., Currie, Collins, Parker and Heagle.

Referee—H. Fleming, Ottawa.

Henry McMahon Passes Away Ater Brief Illness

Chesterville's citizens experienced a very decided shock this morning when the announcement was made of the death of Henry McMahon, one of Chesterville's best known and most highly respected citizens, which had occurred about 7.30. It was generally believed that Mr. McMahon was well on the road to recovery after a sharp attack about two weeks ago from which he recovered sufficiently to be again on his feet and was apparently gaining strength which in a short time would be sufficient to permit of his going to a hospital for closer examination, the real nature of his trouble not having been ascertained as desired.

The death of Henry McMahon removes from the busiiness life of Chesterville one of its outstanding members, a man who from boyhood has been held in the highest esteem by his fellow citizens and business associates. He was 55 years of age and is survived by his widow but leaves no family.

The funeral will take place Saturday morning at nine o'clock at St. Mary's church.

Mr. Nehemiah Carkner Died at Winchester

In the early hours of Tuesday, Jan. 13th, there slipped away the spirit of one of the pioneers of the Ormond district—Mr. N. Carkner, who, on Thursday last suffered a stroke from which he did not recover.

The greater part of his life was spent in the vicinity of Ormond where he was a prosperous farmer. Some years ago he retired from farming, coming to Winchester, where he purchased a home on Dufferin street and resided until his death.

He is survived by his wife, formerly Jennie Campbell, of Ormond, and one daughter, Anna, who resided at home. He also leaves two brothers, John, of the Summers Settlement, and Robert, of Vernon, and three sisters, Miss Jessie, of Vernon; Mrs. P. A. McDonald, of Ormond, and Mrs. Johnston, of Kenmore.

In religion Mr. Carkner was an ardent Baptist. His pastor, Rev. John Ostrom, will conduct the funeral in Winchester United church this afternoon (Thursday) at 1.30 p.m. He will be assisted by other ministers of the town. Interment will be made at Ormond.

Miss Remoth Barkley, Elma

In the death on Sunday morning, January 11th, at the home of her brother, there passed away in her 74th year an esteemed resident of Elma in the person of Miss Remoth Barkley. She had not enjoyed good health for some time, but in the last month her illness became more serious and, in spite of what loving care could do, she passed peacefully away on the above-mentioned date. The deceased was well and favourably known in the community and among a large circle of friends. At the time of her death she was a devoted member of the United church and a Life Member of the Woman's Missionary Society. She will be especially remembered as an efficient worker and teacher in the Sabbath School for many years.

The funeral was held on Monday, January 12th. Notwithstanding inclement weather the church was well filled for the service.

The service was conducted by her pastor, Rev. W. A. Morrison, speaking on the subject "the Sunlike Life" paid loving tribute to the memory of the deceased. During the service the choir sang as a voluntary "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder," and Mrs. Graham McPherson and Miss Alice Beckstead sang very sweetly "The Master Garden."

After the service her remains were laid to rest beside those of her father and mother. The pallbearers were:—Messrs. John Armstrong, James Barkley, I. Whiteker, Mel. Dillabough, Chas. Bouck and Bernice McIntosh.

The deceased is survived by one brother, Mr. A. N. Barkley, and a large number of nephews and nieces to mourn her passing.

There were a number of floral tributes: a Pillow from the family, W. M. S. and L. A., a spray; wreath, Frederick Raney, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, Spray, and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Brownell also a spray.

Among friends from a distance were: Mr. E. G. Brownell and Frederick Raney, of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, of Inkerman; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rae and daughter Gertrude, and Mr. Kenneth Merkley and his sister, Helen, from Nation Valley.

"It is an old belief
That on some solemn shore,
Beyond the sphere of grief,
Dear friends meet once more."

C. O. V. LEAGUE STANDING

	P.	W.	L.	T.	Ps.
Cornwall	5	4	1	0	8
Finch	5	2	2	1	5
Chesterville	5	2	3	0	4
Russell	5	1	3	1	3

Senior Hockeyists Dropped Two Games Last Week

If it were baseball the wise guys would say the local club was in a batting slump when the home team loses a couple of games in a string. The slump part is all right and perhaps the batting failure, that is the failure to bat the puck into the twine is also present, but it does not mean that the home boys are not putting up a good article of hockey. Their over anxiety to score on different occasions has been their undoing in the last two games. A little strategy in the first part of the third period with Friday night, when they had the game well in hand, would have landed the bacon, but instead of protecting their lead and letting the visitors do the skating, they left the opening that Henry Ouderkirk was quick to take advantage of and tie up the game for overtime play.

In the first minute of overtime with only McMillan to beat, Harper drew his shot a little too fine for the corner and it sailed by the post an inch on the outside instead of into the twine. In the next session with a gaping net before him Scott not more than six feet away attempted to flip the rubber directly into the front of the net and it hopped clean over it. It would be difficult to make the rubber repeat such a crazy hop if one had the ice to himself.

We are not giving these incidents credit for winning the game, that was the Beavers' job and they did it and deserved the win on the play. They have the best balanced team they ever had and it looks like a Finch year for the play-off.

With the game at Russell, although lost, Chesterville feels better. Plantz has regained his scoring stride and was responsible for both counters garnered for the team, although Russell had the long end of the three to two count at the close.

Chesterville is in third place in the league standing, one point behind Finch, with an opportunity to-night of advancing to second place, which, if they do, will mean that the fight is on for the play-off position, and the brand of hockey displayed all along the line is bound to be improved.

Morewood 2 : Winchester 0

In the first game of the Central Ottawa Valley Junior Hockey League played in Winchester, last night, the home team was defeated by Morewood 2 to 0. The game was hard fought from start to finish, but Steinburg in the visitor's nets was too good for the local sharpshooters. McConnell and McLeod were the scorers for Morewood.

The line-up:

Morewood—Goal, Steinburg; def., McConnell and Hayes; centre, Glasgow; wings, Rombough and McLeod; subs, Dillabough, K. McConnell and Loughridge.

Winchester—Goal, Hoy, def., Barkley and Stewart; centre, Summers; wings, Wylie and Slater; subs, Kenny, Gimroy and Helmer.

Referee—Bill Gamble.

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"Christian Sympathy"
Sunday School—2.30 p.m.
Public Worship 7.30 p.m.
"Correct Attitude"

Died In Fort William

Word was received here yesterday by Mr. Mahlon Casselman of the Ninth of the death yesterday in Fort William of Mr. J. E. Hunter. The remains will arrive in Chesterville Sunday afternoon with burial to take place at Morewood under Masonic direction, on Monday, January 19th, at two p.m. The deceased was a brother of Mrs. Casselman.

Mr. Victor Duscesneau Passed Away at Winchester

A familiar figure on the streets of Winchester passed away unexpectedly on Wednesday last, January 7th, in the Civic Hospital, Ottawa, where he had been taken for an operation the day after Christmas. He was in his 75th year.

The remains were taken to MacKenzie Bros. funeral home until his son arrived from Hartney, Man., on Saturday, when they were brought to his late resdience in Winchester where the funeral was held on Monday at 2 p.m., the service being conducted by Rev. G. O. Davies in St. Matthias' church.

The late Mr. Duchesneau was thrice married and is survived by his last wife, who was Mrs. Duncan, of Osgoode. There are also by his first marriage three sons in Manitoba and a daughter in California.

Interment was made in Springhill cemetery.

A THREE ACT PLAY
entitled
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will be presented in the
Presbyterian Hall, Morewood
Tuesday Ev'y, Jany 20th
under the auspices of the Women's Institute

CAST OF CHARACTERS

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Susan	Their housekeeper	Mrs. J. Edgerton
Olga	Maid from Sweden	Mrs. S. Ryan
Miss Marjory North	Invalid	Miss Anna Martin
Dr. Janet North		Mrs. W. W. Steven
Cloe Lanning	Poetess	Mrs. W. Carlyle
Mrs, Upham	Grass Widow	Mrs. Lorne Marcellus
Mis Bina Sadder	Detective	Mrs. J. V. Fetterly
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Search for Treasure Vain

Cobourg, Ont.—The story of a vain search for gold on White Island, Rice Lake, near here, was revealed Saturday. A middle-aged woman, Mrs. William Paisley, her father and another man came from the New Liskeard district of Northern Ontario to seek a chest of gold which, they had been informed, was buried on the island. They dug more than 200 cubic yards of earth before local farmers notified the police, who investigated.

Funeral of John Sorrell

Attended by relatives and many friends, the funeral of John Sorrell was held from his late residence to Chesterville United church where the service was conducted by Rev. R. E. Newman.

A solo was rendered by Miss Addie Campderros. Interment was in Maple Ridge cemetery.

The pall bearers were: Thos. Flynn, Harry Fairbrass, Fred Smith, and Garnet McLean.

Mr. Sorrell was well known in this village, being for many years employed as a butcher by Mr. Joseph Fisher, after which he joined the staff of the Nestlé's Food Company where he was employed until a short time before his death.

The chief mourners were: his two sons, Johnny, of Detroit , and Levi, of Cardinal; one daughter, Annie, at home; his mother, Mrs. Levi Sorrell, of Massena N, Y.; one brother, Mr. Alfred Sorrell; three sisters, Mrs. Jas. Green, Mrs. D. P. Amo, all of Massena, and Mrs. Angus Merkley, of Chesterville.

The floral tributes were: wreaths, Mother, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny, Levi and Annie Sorrell; Detroit Hockey Club, Players Detroit Hockey Club; pillow, Employees of Nestlé's Food Company; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorrell, The Royal Neighbours of America, Mrs. James Green, Mrs. D. P. Amo and Robert, of Massena, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Angus Merkley and family, of Chesterville; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Rombough, Massena; Chesterville Junior Hockey Club.

JACK MINER'S RELIGION

Everybody in Canada knows Jack Miner; the fame of his bird sanctuary has gone far and wide. Every spring hundreds of wild geese and ducks call to see Mr. Miner at his comfortable home on the shore of Lake Erie, where they remain for a few weeks before continuing their journey to the far north. The visitors are hospitably entertained and fed and there is excellent proof that they remember the kindness of their host, for many of them come season after season.

Jack Miner loves boys as well as birds. He likes to mingle with them and minister to their happiness. He has a class of boys in the Methodist Sunday School, but he interests himself in the lads of his whole neighbourhood, for he believes that they need something more than religious instruction on Sunday. He knows that growing boys must have some sort of recreation and believes that it should be provided for them under favourable conditions.

To encourage good, clean sport, he has set apart about three acres of the best land on his farm as a baseball ground to be used by the young men and boys of the neighbourhood and on this land he has built a clubhouse for the boys with a cook stove, a fire place and a bathroom.

There is a story about Jack Miner that is worth repeating. A year or two ago he called upon his pastor with the request that his name be taken off the church roll. "I'm not fit to be a member of the church,' 'he said.

"What has happened to make you say that?" asked the minister.

"Well," said Mr. Miner, "it's like this. Yesterday afternoon I had a bit of an argument with a man who came to my tile yard, and some warm words followed. To be perfectly frank about it, I got quite angry and came within an inch of striking him. I don't think any man who gets into a temper like that should belong to the church."

'What was it," asked the dominie, "that actually kept you from hitting the other man, when you felt so much like it?"

"Why, the fact that I was a member of the church refrained me. I knew it wouldn't do for a church member and a Sunday School teacher to use physical force."

"Really, now, wasn't that splndid!" replied the pastor. "Your church membership was worth something, wasn't it? It kept you from engaging in a disgraceful fight; and yet you want to give it up."

"I see the point," exclaimed Miner. "You don't need to say another word. Let my name stay on the record."

Those who know him hope that this name will long remain there. Certainly his influence will abide for many a year in the community where his kindness and brotherly love have been so beautifully manifested.

When pursued by another creature, the five-bellied toad turns on his back and kicks up his legs in the air. Nature has provided him with a splash of red on the stomach and legs, and as red is regarded as a danger sign by wild animals, no creature will eat him, and so he gets off scot free.

News and Information For the Busy Farmer

Furnished by the Ontario Department of Agriculture.

By winning almost forty prizes in the Grai and Hay Show in Chicago, the Grain and Hay Show in Chicago, our seed stocks and climatic conditions are quite favourable to the production of highest quality commodities on the market.

"The feature of 1930 in Essex County was the come-back in corn," states agricultural representative S. B. Brothers. "Essex should be in a position to take care of a good portion of the Canadian seed corn trade in 1931. This at one time was an excellent industry with us, and we hope to secure this market once more."

Canada has 100,000 fewer horses than she had a year ago, despite the fact that the area under cultivation has increased by about a million acres. The tractor and the combine in Western Canada are primarily responsible. In the past, where mixed farming is the rule, the same inroads have not been made. In Ontario, notwithstanding the motor car, there are more horses than there were. The total for this province is 606,000.

A Real Opportunity.

Some idea of the opportunity for Ontario farmers to develop the export trade in hog and pork products is afforded by official figures with respect to dead meat imports into Great Britain. For the first ten months of 1930, bacon imports reached a total of 7,414,020 cwt., valued at £34,922,063, and of this volume Canada supplied only 87,109 cwt., which had a value of £433,955. During the same period imports of hams totalled 865,035 cwt., of which the United States supplied 715,352 cwt., or more than ten times the 70,968 cwt. supplied by Canada. These were the only two in a long list of dead meat imports in which the Canadian contribution was large enough to list separately.

Rural Hydro Grows.

Latest available figures show a total of 7,100 miles of rural hydro lines in Ontario and it is supposed to add almost 2,000 more during 1931. Reduction in rates has had a lot to do with the recent rapid growth. Nearly every county now has hydro in the rural districts. The average cost for current to light the house and barn and run such ordinary appliances as toasters, washing machines and irons, is about $5.00 a month. It runs considerably higher where a motor and stove are operated. In addition to providing needed conveniences, the development of rural hydro is expected to prove one of the biggest factors in improving farm conditions in Ontario in the future.

Manitoulin Turkeys.

During the month of December over 8,000 turkeys were shipped from Manitoulin Island to different parts of Canada and the United States. The average weight of the birds was about 20 pounds, which speaks highly for the quality of the production there. It is worthy of note that the turkey was introduced into the island for the purpose of checking a plague of grasshoppers, which it did effectively. The farmers were not slow, however, to see that there was money in turkeys and from a sideline they have become a leading industry of the island.

O. A. C. Exhibits.

Warm tribute has been paid to the O. A. C. by the International Livestock Exposition officials for the excellent character of the College's exhibit at the recent show in Chicago. During the last four years a series of educational exhibits have been placed at the International by the O. A. C. The first one referred to the use of legumes in crop rotations; the second to the development and usefulness of the Canadian type of bacon hog; the third to Canadian lamb, and the fourth to Hardy Alfalfa. These exhibits have not only been of outstanding value at the big exposition, but have also been a splendid medium of advertising for Ontario products. The college is to be congratulated on its very useful work in this connection.

Experimental Union Gathering.

Prominent agriculturists from all parts of Ontario were in attendance at a banquet given last week in connection with the 52nd annual meeting of the Ontario Agricultural and Experimental Union at the O.A.C. Praising the wonderful work carried on by the Union, Hon. Thomas L. Kennedy, Minister of Agriculture, issued a strong appeal to the young men of Ontario to stay on the farms and be proud of their calling. Dr. Archibald, director of the Ontario Experimental Farm at Ottawa, and Mr. J. B. Fairbairn, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, also delivered addresses. A strain of optimism pervaded the address of Mr. D. Gibson of Caledonia, president of the Union who in referring to prevailing unsatisfactory conditions of the farming industry, declared that farmers should in no way be discouraged as similar conditions bave been experienced before "History repeats itself," he said. "The past is a guarantee of the future. And just as an era of prosperity followed the serious depression of 35 years ago, so there will come better times for the farmer as well as for others."

Experimental Work.

At the Experimental Union gathering in Guelph last week, the secretary, Prof. W. J. Squirrell, reported that material had been distributed in 1930 for a total of 84 co-operative experimental projects which covered practically all of the cultivated crops in Ontario. The work was entirely voluntary on the part of the experimenters, this constituting a big factor in the success achieved. President Gibson stressed the value of the co-operative experiments in enabling the farmer in his particular locality to decide what variety is best for his soil. "Successful farming," he declared, "depends on successful crop growing. But that is only half of the story. Livestock should interlock with crop production, and Ontario farmers must include good livestock in their business in order to be prosperous."

Advice to Dairymen.

Canada's dairy industry will recover from its slump and dairymen once more will be on the road to prosperity when those connected with the dairy industry realize that quality is the all-important factor, J. B. Griffen, secretary of the Ontario Milk Producers' Association, told delegates to the annual convention of Eastern Ontario Dairymen at Cornwall last week. He urged herd owners to keep only profitable stock, using the scales and Babcock test to eliminate "boarders" from their herds. He pointed out that the Canadian farmer must cut his own costs to the minimum in order to successfully compete with those of nations where production costs are low. R. W. Wade, director of the Ontario Livestock Branch, also delivered an address, declaring that Canadians would buy more Canadian cheese if the quality were guaranteed. He felt that consumers should be critical and demand the best.

Short Courses Prove Popular.

The three-month courses in agriculture and home economics which opened in December last are proving quite popular in their respective communities. Eight such courses are being held by the Ontario Department of Agriculture in as many different counties, namely: Bruce Hastings, Lincoln, Middlesex, Norfolk, Waterloo, Wentworth and York. An average of 38 young men were enrolled in the courses in agriculture and 28 young women in home economics courses during the month of December. In addition to these, 34 one-month courses are being staged in as many different counties or districts by the agricultural representatives during the months of Januay and February. Short courses in agriculture were first instituted in 1912. Since that time 638 month's courses in agriculture have been held with an attendance of 17,852. This is an average of over 33 per year with an average attendance of 28. The first three months' courses in agriculture and home economics were staged in 1921-2. Since then 71 such classes have been organized with a total attendance of 2478 boys and 3080 girls.

Late Mrs. Chas. Casselman

On Saturday morning, Jan. 3rd, at her late home, Cass Bridge, a well-known and highly respected person, Mrs. Chas. Casselman, after a lingering illness, passed peacefully away in her 70th year. She was the yougest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Adam Ulman, of Crysler.

In October, 1885, she was united in marriage with Charles Casselman, the third son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Levi Casselman of Williamsburg, at once taking up farming at Casselman, where they resided until they moved to her late home twenty-three years ago. To this union were born three sons of whom Frank passed away in his infancy.

The funeral took place at her late home on Monday, being conducted by her pastor, Rev. Mr. Morrison, of Elma, assisted by Rev. Waddell, of Winchester, both of whom visited her during her long illness. The sermon was a very appropriate one, the pastor taking for his text Judges 5 and part of the 31st verse: "But let them that love him be as the sun when he goes forth in his might." The minister spoke very kindly of the deceased and referred to her as one who would be greatly missed by her loved ones and the community. The choir rendered very beautifully "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder," which was the deceased's favourite hymn. After the service the remains were conveyed to Morewood Prebyterian cemetery.

Besides her sorrowing husband, she is survived by her two sons, Bernice, at home, and Ellis, of Dunbar, also their wives and two grandsons. Lloyd and Harold, also one brother, Mr. Nelson Ulman, of Crysler. The pall bearers were—Messrs. D. Munro, T. McQuot, W. Link, C. Robinson, P. McIntosh and W Steele.

The floral tributes were "Gates Ajar"—the family; pillow, Mr. and Mrs. John McDiarmid and Mrs. A. Carruthers; wreath,Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Shaver; mount, Mrs. Annabel Baker and family, spray, W. M. S., Winchester Springs United church.

Importations of canaries to the United States last year aggregated 250,000 birds.

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Gunman Gets New Suit

Vancouver. — So-called depressionic shadows vanished when a customer entered the clothing store of Nicholas Davidoff, Robson street, Saturday, selected a suit, went into a rear room to try it on and emerged wearing the garments and a pleased expression.

Then back came the shadows bringing a few more with them. The customer wore not only the suit and a pleased expression but also bore a revolver in his right hand. Instead of saying "I'll take it," his words were "Stick 'em up."

While Mr. Davidoff kept his hands hoisted, his pockets were looted of $62 after which customer, suit, cash and all, vanished through the front door.

WHAT TO EAT

What shall I eat, is the daily question of all the healthy, hungry people who want to be efficient and well. The old saying that we "dig our graves with our teeth" is true, but one goes through a lot of chewing motions and not do himself any good at all. It takes something more than appetite to guide the hungry man who sits down to a well-laden table. It should call for sensible selection, the choice of the right foods and correct quantities.

The most important things to know about food are what it contains chemically—what its mineral, vitamin, bulk, protein and calorie content is. Whether its ash is acid or alkaline and how much, and in what foods these necessary elements can best be found and in what form it is best to eat them.

In seeking the anwser to these questions, one is apt to fall into the hands of a "food faddist," of which there are many. Some of these self-deluded men would prescribe for all the world what they think has benefited them, raw foods or foods cooked a certain way; others rebel against meat and all vegetables, others prefer nuts or an exclusive diet of dairy foods; some prescribe five meals a day, others are satisfied with two; many wish for no breakfasts. They are all interesting and all extremists and all convinced that their strange diets is the only way to health.

Most of the food fads have some truth basis for their programme but it is often difficult to find and quite impossible to fit to a general dietary programme for average people.

All the food facts necessary for your use can be secured from your family physician and found in the standard books written by the best nutrition scientists.

You need not be unhappy to eat correctly. Most of us are slaves to food habits. Our food likes and dislikes are almost a prejudice they are so strong, or our reasons are only feeble supports to our choice of diets. Food habits are largely matters of family tradition, or the peculiar ideas of some person who prepared the foods who had little natural ability as a cook and no desire to improve ability. And always there is a dislike of change and a certain stubbornness in refusing to learn to eat a new food or to eat an old food cooked in a new way. One who really wants to build body health, supply energy for the day's work, and to furnish happiness, certainly needs to be sensible.

Nature is a great builder of f She takes the earth, sunshine, rain and air to make minerals, vitamins, bulk, acids, proteins, fats, and blends them into perfect form for our nourishment. She colours them to please the eye. She flavours them with appeal to our appetite and so splendidly builds them that we never tire of them.

One of the most carefully-built foods is the apple, a food hung long in the sunshine, packed full of the important vitamins B and C, rich in minerals. A beautiful, delicious tasting food loaded with health suitable to every age, all year round.

The apple is a great aid to digestion, and that is important. Good foods do not always agree with one, or digest easily, or benefit the body as they should. Bad food habits keep the digestive tract in disorder. Apples that stimulate and give tone to the whole digestive tract, should be eaten in generous amounts every day.

May Sample Liquor On the Way Home

Brantford, Ont.—A permit holder legally purchasing a bottle of liquor has the right to sample its contents while homeward-bound, according to a judgment handed down in court here by Magistrate Jones.

He dismissed the case against Oscar Burke when he appeared in court on a charge of carrying in his pocket an opended bottle of whiskey City and provincial officers had visited Burke's office and discovered the liquor. Further an employee had testified he had taken a drink out of the bottle. Burke, however, declared in his defence that he had stopped in his office on his way home with the liquor.

In dismissing the case, Magistrate Jones remarked: "In view of the recent decision given by Judge Hardy that a man taking a purchase of liquor home, via his office, is within the meaning of the Liquor Control Act. I am forced to find Burke not guilty of having liquor in an unlawful place.

United States Flooded With Murder Weapons

Some students of American crime, many of them veteran police officers, believe that a tremendous help in the effort to put down gangsters and gunmen would be a federal law prohibiting the sale of firearms except to designated persons who can give a reason why they should carry a weapon. Several states have such laws now. New York has the Sullivan law, which on occasion has teeth in it, and which has led New York gunmen to adopt novel means of murdering their enemies. The Sullivan law declares that a man who carries a weapon, unless licensed to do so, commits a misdemeanour. If the man has been previously convicted of a felony the carrying of the weapon is deemed a felony too. For a while this law was a powerful weapon in the hands of the police. They could arrest a known gangster whom they found it difficult to prove guilty of any crime, and if he had a weapon in his pocket they could get a conviction. This led one noted killer to walk the streets with his pockets turned inside out and sewn together. This not only proved that he had no weapon, but it made it difficult for the police to arrest him and report that upon being searched a revolver had been found.

The Unarmed Murderer.

So this apparently unarmed killer would walk the streets in search of his prey. When he sighted him an accomplice would move swiftly to his side, the accomplice in some cases being a smartly-dressed woman, a revolver would be passed over and the murder take place. The weapon would then be returned, and the assassin if arrested would be found unarmed. But there are so many armed men going about the streets of New York that the task of the police is almost impossible. They are not able to arrest and convict one per cent of the armed men, and an armed man, according to a New York district attorney, is a killer or potential killer, making exception, of course, for those whose legal occupation makes it necessary that they should be armed: It is legal to buy revolvers in New Jersey. It is legal to buy machine guns anywhere and carry them through the streets, and of late years the machine gun has become the favourite of the murderers who are in business in a big way.

The Thugs' Favourite Gun.

An article in Liberty says that most of the murders committed in the United States by thugs are done with the so-called Spanish guns. These are not made in Spain, but perhaps in Japan or China after American patents. They are of inferior workmanship, and therefore can be bought cheap. Their other advantage is that it is impossible to trace them through their numbers. Such weapons are smuggled into the country, perhaps in separate pieces, which makes it difficult to detect them. They find their way to wholesalers who re-assemble them, and thence through the retailers they come actually into the underworld. But it is the machine gun which is used for slaughter, and as remarked it is as easy to buy a machine gun in the United States as it is to buy a bird cage. These weapons have been improved year after year until they are hardly any bulkier than an old-fashioned Colt revolver. The Thompson gun weighs nine pounds and is 18 inches long. It fires fifty shots, and these can be discharged in a second, while another clip containing 50 more can be inserted in the weapon in half a second.

Machine Gun Sale.

The permitted retail sale of machine guns is an absurdity. Machine guns are used for only one purpose, whether in peace or war, and that is the killing of human beings. They are not used for target practise. They are not used for game hunting. They are the weapons of a murderer as certainly as the jimmy or the mask or the skeleton key is used by the burglar. It would be a simple matter for the United States to pass a law making the private manufacture of these weapons of war illegal, and it is a law which it would be possible to enforce, for machine guns could not be turned out as stealthily as bootleg whiskey. It can be said with confidence that machine guns are bought only by criminals, or by concerns like banks which find it necessary to increase their armament to keep pace with their enemies. At the other extreme from machines guns the pistols which are made in the form of fountain pens, and which will penetrate a board or a human skull, which is more to the purpose.

Used to Carrying Weapons.

There is also to be considered the fact that Americans have been from the earliest times carriers of weapons. It was once necessary in pioneering days when Indians were supposed to lurk behind every bush. Then as the frontier was pushed further south and west there were the daily collisions with Mexicans and the bad man who flourished in advance of the reign of law. There were vigilantes committees. It became customary for every individual to carry a revolver, some for self-protection, others for more sinister purposes. In the south the gentlemen always went heeled. One would no sooner appear in public without a revolver than without a shirt. Immigration from southern Europe brought its hordes of men accustomed to carrying knives and dirks, men accustomed to settle their quarrels with their fists. So in answer to this threat the habit of carrying revolvers spread, but before the war it was supposed to have fallen somewhat into desuetude. Then the gangsters came on the scene in response to the lure of huge profits to be made out of illicit liquor selling, and, as their business grew they advanced from revolvers to machine guns, thus creating one of the most serious problems the American police have ever been required to handle.

Finch

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Empey and Miss Elva Empey are guests of friends here.

Misses Velma McMonagle and Lida Wereley are spending a week with friends in Massena, N.Y.

Dr. J. G. MacLeod and Dr. A. J. Barkley were in Ottawa recently.

The W. M. S. of Chalmer's United church will meet at the parsonage on Friday, Jan. 16, at two o'clock.

Mrs. W. D MacLeod, Dunvegan, spent a few days with her son, Dr. J. G. MacLeod, recently.

Miss Violet Turner, Merrickville, spent the week end with Mrs. G. N. Maxwell.

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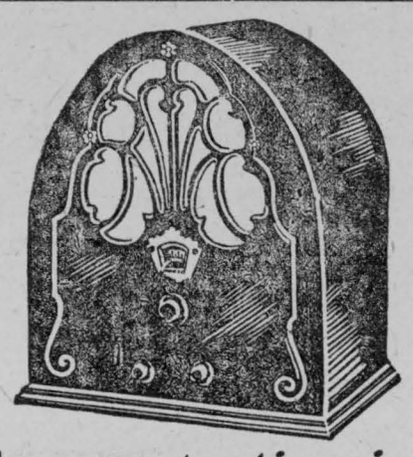

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Cardinal Defeated Morrisburg 2 to 1

Cardinal triumphed over Morrisburg on the latter's ice Saturday night in a scheduled game of the St. Lawrence Hockey league by 2 to 1, handing the Maroons the first defeat of the season. The game was played before a packed crowd and the soft ice made the going hard for the players of both teams.

The line-up:

Morrisburg—Goal, Wagner, defence Duval and Chatelaine; centre, Pennie; wings, Cameron and MacCallum; subs, Boucher, Payer and O'Malley.

Cardinal—Goal, Carter; def., Rombough and Andrews; centre, St. Louis; wings, Kinchen and O'Mell; subs, Marshall, Grassie, Sorrell and Cameron.

Referee—Geo. Foster, Ottawa.

Berwick

Messrs. Oliver and Giles Harper and sister Miss Nenetta Harper, of Morrisburg, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Jas. Killoran, for the past couple of weeks.

Mrs. Wm. Price, of Winchester, spent Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Munroe.

Mrs. Christena Ouderkirk visited her sister, Mrs. Jas. Servage, at Crysler on Sunday.

Miss Eliza Thompson, of Ottawa, was the guest of her sisters last week.

Mrs. Ranald Wiseman, of Finch, spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. W. MacLean.

Morewood United W. A.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Association of Morewood United church was held in the church on Friday evening, Jan. 9th, the new president, Mrs. A. Dillabough, presiding.

The meeting opened by singing, followed by prayer by Rev. Mr. Armstrong. Twenty-four members answered the roll call. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

A very encouraging report of the years' work was given by the president.

Arrangements were made for a February concert and plans were also made for work for the new year.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served in the church hall.

Chief of Police—Can you give a description of your missing cashier?

Banker—He is about five feet five inches tall and $7,000 short.

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Young Husband: "Isn't there something peculiar about the taste of these onions?"

Young Wife: "Oh, I hope not, dear. I took such pains with them; I even sprinkled lavender water over them before I put them to boil, to take away that unpleasant odour!"

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What key in music makes the best soldier?—A sharp major.

When are boys and girls like nails?—When they are in doors.

Chesterville Juniors Win From Berwick 5 to 0

Tuesday night Berwick Juniors, new comers to the Central Ottawa Valley Junior series, made their first appearance in Chesterville and were treated to a shut-out by the local aggregation, the score being 5 to 0. Not until the second frame did the scoring get under way, McAvoy making the initial tally with Clarmont adding the second just before the bell closed the period. McAvoy notched his second to open the final session. Olsen on a beautiful piece of stickhandling accounting for the fourth, while Tate and Black were responsible for the last one with Tate taking the pass for the counter.

The line-up:

Berwick—Goal, Casselman; defence, Burgess, McQueen; centre, Dutt; wings Nichols and Thompson; subs., Hoople, G. Casselman, St. Pierre, Campbell, Ouderkirk.

Chesterville—Goal, Fyke; defence, Helmer, Lapierre; centre, Lynch; wings, McAvoy, Olsen; subs., Tate, Giroux, Clarmont and Black.

Referee—Bill Gamble.

Straders Hill

Mr. and Mrs. F. Beckstead, of Brinston, were visitors at Mr. J. Hanson's on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Strader visited friends in Iroquois the latter part of the week.

We are sorry to hear Mrs. Effie Strader is not very well, and we hope to see her better soon.

Miss Dora Hanson spent a couple of days with Mrs. A. B. Strader recently.

Messrs. G. Strader and J. Casselman made a business trip to Winchester recently.

Visitors at Mr. and Mrs. H. Hanson's for New Year's were—Mr. and Mrs. J. Bogart and Miss Willa, of Chesterville; Mr. and Mrs. R. Hanson. Mr. and Mrs. H. Strader, of Iroquois; Mr. and Mrs. A. Riddle, Mr. and Mrs. J. Barnhart and little son.

Sentenced Youths To Penitentiary

Because of criminal records against them, Charles Hamilton, 22, of Jarvis, Ont., and Alfred Carr, 19, of Finch, were sentenced to two years at Portsmouth Penitentiary when they appeared in police court at Cornwall before Magistrate J. C. Milligan on a charge of stealing an automobile owned by Beryl McIntosh, Finch. They pleaded guilty. Hamilton has served three terms in provincial reformatories and Carr, two. They claimed in police court that they met at Mimico reformatory and have kept up an association since, Hamilton having come to Finch on Christmas Day to visit Carr. The automobile was recovered by police at Hudson Heights, Quebec, where the youthful thieves had sold it to a garageman for for $10. The car is valued at $500.

Grenville Bids Farewell To Famous Native Son

Kemptville, Jan. 14th.—Grenville County tonight gave an affectionate farewell to her best-loved and most distinguished son, Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, new Canadian High Commissioner to London, who sails for his new duties on January 23. The farewell was in the form of a public reception held in the Kemptville Agricultural School and was attended by more than 1,000 men and women.

Mr. Ferguson and Mrs. Ferguson were presented with two handsome desk sets and an illuminated address which conveyed an expression of the pride which the County of Grenville has in the distinction which has crowned Mr. Ferguson's career.

The reception was held under the auspices of the Grenville Conservative Association but was participated in by persons of every shade of political opinion. Hon. Hugh A. Stewart, Minister of Public Works, headed a number of members of the Dominion Parliament who attended the reception. A. C. Casselman, Conservative member for Grenville-Dundas presided over the presentation ceremonies.

While practically every section of Eastern Ontario was represented at the reception, it was really a big night for the people of Grenville County. There were men present who had driven fifty miles and braved the rigours of a cold winter's night to bid Godspeed to Howard Ferguson.

The new High Comimssioner was deeply touched at the honour done to him and he promised that he would always retain his home in Kemptville and spend the balance of his life there when his career of public service had closed. He struck a high and inspiring note in his address discussing Empire matters.

"In these days, with their groupings of individuals and industries, and with the assembling of nations into economic groups, there is a new type of adventure in the world and Great Britain is being called upon to meet a novel situation," said Mr. Ferguson.

"The Old Country has to husband her resources and to seek the cooperation of every component of the Empire. Therefore, we must unite into one consolidated, forceful agency in order to see to it that the Empire which has stood the test of centuries, which is the founder of freedom and the friend of justice still maintains leadership in the world's affairs.

"Can anyone see what chaos there would be if all constituted authority and all our democratic institutions were destroyed?' 'asked Mr. Ferguson. "The existence of these great guarantees of freedm and enlightenment in the world today is due to the British Empire. And I say again that if her position is to become weakened or destroyed or in any way undermined, the result will be a menace not only to Canada and the Empire, but a real menace to all civilization, to all orderly forms of living, and to all instituted authority."

Shortly after eight o'clock the High Commissioner and Mrs. Ferguson began to receive the guests and for 45 minutes there was a continuous stream. All ages were represented.

Mr. Ferguson had a special word for each one. A reception committee headed by Mrs. Marion Storey, sister of the High Commissioner, and consisting of Mrs. C. A. Adams, Mrs. A. Langstaff, Mrs. C. D. Dickinson, Mrs. W. J. Bell, Mrs. William McClenaghan, Mrs. J. H. Allen, Mrs. N. M. Sanders, Mrs. J. L. P. Sanders, Mrs. H. Bustard and Mrs. W. J. Johnston met the visitors and announced them to Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson.

Old friends and admirers of Mr. Ferguson came from practically every section of Eastern Ontario. Hon. Hugh A. Stewart, Minisiter of Public Works, was an early arrival. He was representing the Dominion Government.

There were guests from Ottawa and Carleton County, Winchester, Chesterville, Morrisburg, Iroquois, Cardinal, Prescott, Brockville, Spencerville, Smiths Falls, Merrickville, Perth and Toronto, who came to wish Godspeed to the new High Commissioner.

Chesterville United W.M.S.

The W. M. S. meeting for January was held at the home of Mrs. W. Hamilton on Wednesady afternoon, 35 members being present with the president, Miss Merkley, in the chair. The meeting was opened with a hymn and prayer by Mrs. Houlehan. The devotional was in charge of Mrs. Max Johnston, the subject being "Forgiveness."

Excellent reports were given of the past year's work, Mrs. W. Fulton, treasurer, reporting the allocation paid in full; Mrs. C. Graham reported for the Mission Band, Mrs. Cross, Finance and Stewardship, Mrs. Newman for the Circle, Mrs. Allison, temperance; Mrs. Colquhoun, Strangers' Secretary.

The installation of officers was presided over by Rev. Mr. Newman, enjoining each officer with the sacred trust she holds.

Mrs. Graham's group was in charge of the programme, the subject being "Japan." The February meeting and day of prayer will be held at the home of Mrs. Melvin Durant.

A delightful piano solo was contributed by Miss Helen Hamilton.

The meeting closed in prayer by Rev. Mr. Newman.

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TENDERS

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Custom sawing will be commenced at Cannamore about the first of March.— Faulkner & Carruthers, Cannamore. 12

Notice to Creditors

IN THE MATTER OF the estate of Allen Feeley, late of the Township of Finch, in the County of Stormont, farmer, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to THE TRUSTEE ACT, R. S. O. 1921, Chap. 150, Sec. 51, that all creditors and others having claims and demands against the estate of the said ALLEN FEELEY, who died on or about the 21st day of OCTOBER, 1930, are required on or before the 12th day of FEBRUARY, A D., 1931, to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned executors of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased or their Solicitors, their christian name and surnames, addresses and descriptions ,the full particulars in writing, of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them or their Solicitors at the time of such distribution.

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ROBERT STEVEN,
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Cannamore, Ontario, Executors.

LAWSON & LAWSON,
Chesterville, Ontario, Solicitors for the said Executors. 12

Williamsburg Council

The Council met at Williamsburg on Monday, January 12th, when the following members-elect after taking the oath of office took their seats for the transaction of business:

Oscar Beckstead, Reeve; E. A. VanAllen, Deputy Reeve; T. C. Merkley, John E. McMillan and Oscar Couglar, ...ors.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted amendment and signed by the Reeve and Clerk.

The Road Superintendent and John McMillan were instructed to examine and report on the nature of the wood on the Headline between the 5th and 6th Concessions, across Lots 2 and and east half Lot 3, sold to James Russell years ago and the Clerk was instructed to notify Mr. Russell not to cut any wood on this headline until such report was made.

D. H. Weir was instructed to prepare a report on how much earth and hard pan was deposited on the several properties from the construction of the Barkley Creek drain.

A by-law was passed for borrowing $12000.00 from the Bank of Montreal to meet current expenses.

George Hill was appointed to complete the collection of all arrears of taxes previous to 1930.

The following officers were appointed for the current year:

M. S. Beckstead, Clerk and Treasurer, salary $350.00.

Frank Whitteker, assessor, salary $90.00;

Roy Casselman, auditor, salary $15.00; A. M. Casselman, auditor, salary $15.00;

G. W. Colquhoun, member local Board of Health;

G. F. Barkley, Weed Inspector and Sanitary Inspector, at a salary not to exceed $3.00 per day while employed.

Stanley Forward, School Attendance Officer, at a salary not to exceed $3.00 per day while employed.

The following accounts were passed:

Thos Bogart, farm bridge, Barkley Creek drain $25.00; Elmer Dillabough ditto $15.00; Donald McIntosh, ditto $15.00; Municipal World, supplies $16.98; Leader Publishing Co., printing and advt. $76.45; Counties' Treas. for lands sold at tax sale $118.33; Hydro Electric, service charge Lot 19, Con. 1 $47.52; M. S. Beckstead, nomination and election expenses $133.00; Committee preparing financial statement $12.00; C. W. Marsh, burial expenses for Mrs. Dodge $55.00; Oscar Beckstead, services $3.00; Peter Hill, services School Attendance Officer $5.00; George Hill, work on roads $5.00; John Colquhoun, wire fence $8.10; C. N. R., crossing gates for Nov. $32.89; Ezra McMillan, pay on salary as Road Supt. $62.50; John Wells, part pay on 15 cord stone $45.00.

The Council adjourned to meet again at Williamsburg on Saturday, February 7th. 1931, at one o'clock, p.m. M. S. Beckstead, Clerk.

Sunnyside

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Burd and Mrs. Myrell, of Oneida, N. Y., spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Burd.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Armstrong and son Borden spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Feeley of Cannamore.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Burd and Miss Hilda Gogo spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Irven and family, of Cannamore, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Burd.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burd and son Keith, of Berwick, spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Arthur Burd.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thompson and daughter Deltra, of Gordonville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Carruthers.

Berwick Public School

Report for December.

JUNIOR ROOM.

II—Darline Meldrum 75, Douglas Meldrum 70, Vivian Thompson 66, Oliver Vanier 66, Deltra Alguire 45, Helen Curran 45, Evelyn Ouderkirk 43, Florence McRae 40, Gertrude Pomminville 21.

I—Dolton McQuaig 65, Leonard Hunt 52, Phyllis Hutt 50, Edith Ouderkirk 47, Blanche Vanier 47, Beverley Meldrum 35, Glenn Smirle 25, June Whitteker 15, Albert Montgomery.

Pr. C—Gisele Pomminiville, Francis Hunt, Jean Vanier, Viictoria Vanier, Clifford Kearns, Winston Montroy, Hilda Martin, Jean Pomminville.

Pr. B—Audrey Elliott, Lila Hutt, Melvin Ouderkirk, Ray Killoran, Bethel Nugent, Donie Meldrum.

Pr. A—Clifford Ouderkirk, Keith Ouderkirk, Doris Ouderkirk, Jean Meilluer, Ralph Killoran, Helen Ouderkirk. —Jennie I. McRae, Teacher.

SENIOR ROOM.

Sr. IV—Erma Empey 87, Russell leur 80, Miranda McRae 80, Ara Kilrady 84, Frieda Hutt 81, Cecelia Melloran 79, Muriel McQuaig 75, Francis Dutt 71, Grenville Alguire 64, Joseph Meilleur 62.

Jr. IV—Jack McQuaig 60.

Sr. III—Jean Stark 89, Arnott Empey 88, Douglas Thompson 77, Verna Miller 77, Bruce Rutley 69, Freeman Miller 67, Greta Killoran 64, Russell Meldrum 57.

Jr. III—Milo Russell 50, Arthur Rutley 49, Elgin Alguire 48, Archie Hunt 38, Ernest Montgomery 35, Grant Ouderkirk 22.

—Myrtle Munro, Principal.

Morewood

Mrs. Peter MacLaren and daughters of Felton, visited for the week end with her mother Mrs. B. Hutchinson.

Mr. Merrill Loucks, of Gordonville, spent Thursday evening with his mother, Mrs. E. Loucks.

Mrs. E. Faulkner, of Gordonville, called on Mrs. Emerson Faulkner on Thursday evening.

Miss Grace Myers returned to her aunt's, Mrs. H. Myers', Friday evening after spending a few days with friends in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Faulkner and son Jack and daughter Doreen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert McVey, of Morrisburg.

Mrs. Lucy McIntosh is spending the winter with Mrs. J. D. McMillan of Finch.

Mrs Olive Craik and son are visiting for a few days with friends in Montreal after spending last week with friends in Cardinal.

Mr. James Cheney is on the sick list.

Miss Peggy Fleming and Jean Ramage spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Coulthart..

Miss Jean Coulthart is spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. Willis Myers, of Ottawa.

Miss Sadie Steen left for Hudson, N. Y., on Tuesday morning after spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allison and son of Winchester Springs, spent Sunday at their parental homes.

Morewood Juniors Win From Berwick

The season's first junior hockey game of the Central Ottawa Valley Hockey League at Finch arena was witnessed by a large crowd of hockey fans when the Morewood boys scored a 2-0 shutout victory over Berwick. The Berwick team being a new entry in the junior league, performed nicely and put up a stubborn fight throughout the 60 minutes of play.

The line-up:

Morewood—Goal, Steinburg; def. J. McConnell and Haye; centre, Glasgow; wings, McLeod and Rombough; subs., Loughridge, Brown, K. McConnell and Dillabough.

Berwick—Goal, R. Casselman; def., Brydges and McQueen; centre, B. Dutt; wings, Nichols and Thompson; subs, Hoople, G. Casselman, St. Pierre and Campbell.

Referee—Lorne Hutt of Berwick.

EGG SURPRISES FOR WINTER MEALS

By Etta Bitta Pye

The colder the day the more fuel we need, not only for the furnace in the cellar, but for that internal body furnace which enables us to enjoy cold weather rather than merely to endure it.

The winter diet should always be heavier than the summer diet, although it must be just as well-balanced if perfect health is to be assured. This is the time of year, therefore, when everything favours trying out new hot dishes and also new cold dishes that contain such foods as fish, meat and eggs.

Many of us are so accustomed to regarding the egg about as we regard sugar, flour, and coffee, that we have failed to appreciate the many wonderful and unusual dishes that may be prepared with eggs as the principal ingredients. We know all about boiled eggs, fried eggs, scrambled eggs, and poached eggs, and the eggs we use in our cakes and puddings, but we owe it to ourselves and to our families to know also how eggs may be prepared in new and attractive ways that will please the members of the family as well as guests who drop in for a meal.

Eggs not only contain a certain amount of protein and fat but they furnish calcium, phosphorus, iron, and several of the vitamins to those who enjoy them Furthermore, an egg of average size will furnish the body with about 75 calories.

Try some of these unusual egg dishes and see how regularly you will want to use them in future First try a stuffed egg salad which is easily and quickly made. Cut six hard-cooked eggs into halves and take out the yolks. Put through sieve and mix with half cup of mayonnaise, ¼ teaspoon paprika, a small piece of onion finely chopped and 1 tablespoon tomato ketchup or chili sauce. Fill the halved whites, chill and serve on lettuce or cress.

Another delicious salad may be made by mixing in a salad bowl the shredded leaves of a heart of lettuce and a few stalks of celery heart, with chopped whites of 6 hard-cooked eggs. Put yolks through a sieve and combine with 6 or 8 anchovies or sardines made into a paste. Toss together and serve with French dressing.

For a third and last surprise try baking eggs in nests some day. To 3 cups of left-over mashed potatoes well softened with milk add ½ cup finely chopped ham or bacon, 2 tablespoons butter, salt and pepper. Cover the bottom of a well-buttred baking dish and arrange little nests into which gently break an egg. Allow an egg for each person. Sprinkle buttered crumbs over the top, and bake in a moderate oven until the eggs are cooked, but not hard.

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Following are the officers of Gallingertown Women's Association for 1931: — President, Mrs. Calarence Countryman; Vice Pres., Mrs. J. J. Hesson; Sec'y, Mrs. C. F Dafoe; Tres. Mrs. Fred Dafoe; Corres. Sec'y, Mrs. Wallace Gallinger; Organist, Miss Mae Gallinger.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Julius Beaupre is progressing favourably after a recent serious operation in Cornwall General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dafoe and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Wesley McCaslin of Iroquois on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dafoe and Miss Greta were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Beckstead of Aultsville Wednesday evening.

Miss Muriel McConnell left Wednesday to spend a few weeks at Massena, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gallinger, of Gallingertown called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dafoe.

Mr. Austin Nicholas, of Montreal, was a week end visitor of Mr and Mrs. Geo. S. Dafoe and family.

Mr. Julius Beaupre was in Cornwall on Saturday.

Mr. Frank Dafoe is in Aultsville Co-Operative Store assisting in stock-taking.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McConnell visited Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Gallinger on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Beckstead were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Styles, Froatburn.

Melvins

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Thomas, of Chesterville, took tea one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hutt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Beckstead and daughter Essie, of Beckstead, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Farren Beckstead.

Misses Mabel Stata and Minnie Flegg spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Richard Scott.

There passed away early Monday morning at her home here an aged lady in the person of Mrs. James Pruner. We extend our sympathy to Mr. Reuben Pruner and family.

Mr. Charlie Flegg and family took tea one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Baxter.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Scott took tea on Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. John Scott, Winchester.

Grantley

Miss Hazel McMillan spent a few days with friends in Ottawa last week. Greta spent Friday with Mr. Arthur Beckstead.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beckstead and son Cecil took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Merkley on Sunday.

The deepest sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gordon on the death of the former's father, Mr. Alex Gordon.

Miss Sadie Gault and Miss Hazel McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Robillard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beckstead.

We are very sorry to hear of Mrs. John Elliott being on the sick list and hope for a speedy recovery.

At the time of writing Mr. Lorne Taylor's condition is much about the same.

Iroquois 3 : Morrisburg 2

Iroquois triumphed over Morrisubrg last night by 3 to 2 in one of the fastest St. Lawrence Hockey League games ever played in Morrisburg. Dextras tallied two goals for the winners while Coleman netted the other. Duval and Pennie scored for the home team.

The Line-up :

Morrisburg—Goal, Wagner; def., Duval and Chatelaine; centre, Miller; wings, MacCallum and Cameron; subs, Pennie, Boucher, Payer and O'Malley.

Iroquois—Goal, E. Coleman; defence, Tailfor and Robinson; centre, Dextras; wings, Loughridge and Yip Coleman; subs, Wing, James, Brunet and Browse.

Referee—Bill O'Meara, Ottawa.

Bake Shop at Berwick Burned

Damage estimated at $2,000 was done to the bake shop of Mr. Alfred Pomminville which was totally destroyed by fire early Wednesday morning last week. Insurance totalling $1200 was carried. Volunteer fire fighters hurried to the burning shop when the alarm was given but the flames had gained such a hold that they could do very little, except keep the fire from spreading to nearby buildings. The contents and a truck owned by Mr. Pomminville kept in an adjoining garage were also destroyed. The cause of the fire is unknown.

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Editor and Proprietor.

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See Last Election Speeches

Brandon Sun.—Here is a French allegory that points a moral worth remembering:

A portrait painter sat in his favourite cafe sipping his wine. His first small bottle finished, he was about to order another when his eye fell on a headline in the "Figaro." "Hard Times Are Coming," so, instead of ordering his second bottle, he called for his check.

"Is there anything wrong with the wine?" asked the landlord.

"The wine is good, but I did not order a second bottle because hard times are coming and I must economize,' 'explained the arti t.

"Hard times," said the landlord "Then my wife must not order the silk dress we planned, but must take one of cotton."

"Hard times," repeated the dressmaker when the order was cancelled. "This is not time to expand. I must not make the improvement I had planned in this place."

"Hard times, eh?" said the builder when the dressmaker cancelled the building plans. "Then I cannot have my wife's portrait painted." So he wrote the artist and cancelled his order.

After receiving the letter, the artist went again to his favourite cafe, and ordered a small bottle of wine to soothe him. On a nearby chair was the paper in which he had read of hard times a few days before. He picked it up and read more closely and found that it was two years old!

Big Smoke, His Mark

We sometimes wonder how much attention the schools of to-day give to teaching penmanship. It may be all they can afford, but, if one may judge by the handwriting of the graduates, it is not enough. How often do you get a letter from a man in middle life that is both legible and distinctive? A certain childish crudity is the rule rather than the exception; or, if the writer has attained a moderate degree of success in life, or thinks he has, his signature may be an indecipherable hieroglyphic that, rightly regarded is really, "Big Smoke, his mark."

We have had many different "systems" of penmanship in this country, but none of them has produced writers whose script is at once easily read and marked by individuality. The old Spencerian style, still taught in some of the business schools, is and was a sort of manual fancy skating. At its best it was as clear as engraved script, it was "copy-book" stuff, utterly, lacking in any quality of distinction or personality. The acme of its achievement was to draw, in a few graceful strokes, a bird with the head of a cuckoo, the tail of lyre bird, and the wings that put it outside of the ornithological check lists.

It is a great mistake to think that, because the typewriter now takes care of the greater part of our correspondence, it is unnecessary to give much time to the study and practice of penmanship. As well argue that, because the automobile has come into general use there is no need for a child to learn to walk. There are realms into which no lady or gentlemen will allow the typewriter to enter. Notes of condolence and notes of congratulation; invitations and acceptances and declinations—in fact, all friendly and intimate correspondence must still be written by hand; and to write them in a crude, incompetent hand is like making a person call in a grubby, ill-fitting dress.

"The "vertical style" of writing which had such vogue a few years ago, was easily read, but too colourless and impersonal to be pleasing. What is needed is a style that is legible beyond the possibility of mistake, and that expresses something of the writer's preference in the choice of pens and the way to use them; and that achievement can come only with care and much practice. It is well worth it.—Acton Free Press.

Our Ottawa Letter

OTTAWA, Jan. 14th.—With wide spread depression and even distress in Canada comes the question of social Ottawa. "Will the opening of Parliament be delayed until the new Governor-General arrives so the 'drawing room" may be held?"

The answer is emphatically "No!"

Parliament will assemble the very day the Government can present to it the legislative programme which will, in its opinion best meet the needs of the country in the relief of distress, in the increasing of employment and in the promotion of permanent growth and prosperity.

If a new Governor General is here that day he will open the session. If he is not some one else will do so, but most certainly the Government will not postpone by one minute its efforts on behalf of all Canada in order to let three or four hundred women—whose idea of distress is two or three fewer evening gowns a year—to flaunt their glad rags in the face of genuine suffering.

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It would be unfair to suggest, of course, that any such impertinent proposal is generally advanced or entertained. Certainly the Government does not share it. Except where reasons of health have demanded brief periods of rest, every member of the Cabinet is on his job six days a week and some of them believe that present circumstances justify them in breaking the Sabbath with official duties. There will be no recession until Parliament meets. Mr. Bennett is himself setting the pace with twelve hours, or more, a day at his office and still more work in his rooms. Neither he nor his colleagues are worried about evening gowns. It is work for willing hands—for every willing hand in Canada—they are seeking.

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Further emergency legislation—some of which was outlined by the Premier at Regina—is now being whipped into shape. Largely it is directed to meet conditions in the Prairie Provinces, particularly on the farms. In addition to this, it will be recalled that the unemployment relief measures voted at September's special session lapse automatically on March 31. Unemployment will not lapse then and it will be surprising if some special provision is not required to carry on through even summer months; for it is not hoped that the usual volume of spring, summer and fall work will be available to those who have been unemployed through the winter. By fall a decided betterment in conditions is expected by all the official prognosticators and it is hoped for by others. Even so, next winter can hardly be normal. Hence the Government may wisely take authority to deal with unusual conditions subsequent to March 31—probably for a year after that date. In this way another special fall session of Parliament would not be required, unless exceptional circumstances occurred.

At this writing it does not appear that the Government can get its legislative programme ready for practically two months and if a guess were being hazarded it would be that the House will open during the first, or second week of March. Emergency measures and others directly concerned with present economic conditions demand much time and care but there are also many other matters that cannot be long left in abeyance.

There are the Old Age Pensions the burden of which the Government intends to lift from the shoulders of the Provinces and municipalities that the aged poor in all Provinces will receive uniform treatment. There are national highway and other transportation issues on which Mr. Bennett pledged himself. There are the heavy and routine duties of administration.

And first and last there is the general revision of the tarilff out of which, more than any other action, Mr. Bennett believes, will arise a more permanently prosperous country and people.

What a life it is! A man can't live on his wages, nowadays—and he can't live without them.

Quite So.

"I have heard to-day th your son was an undertaker, and I thought you told me he was a physician."

"Not at all! you misunderstood me! I said hef ollowed the medical profession."

Might Try Snappy Cheese.

Customer (in drug store)—"A mustard plaster."

Drug Clerk (force of habit—"We're out of mustard; how about mayonnaise?"

Elsa: "Dolly declares she likes amusing husbands best."

Flo: "I know. She's always amusing mine."

If a farmer raises twenty-four quarters of wheat in dry weather, what will he raise in wet weather?—An umbrella.

Sifting the Week's News

During December 30,000 crates of tomatoes arrived in Canada from the West Indies.

The return of more than 100,000 men to work in the automobile plants in Deroit and vicinity this week has materially helped the unemployed situation in that city.

A white mountain owl, an unu ual type in this province, was shot at Orillia, where it was feeding on a 15-pound turkey picked from the flock of Henry Whitney.

The finding of a cone of cinders between 40 and 50 feet high in the Turtle Moutains in southern Manitoba leads to the belief that an extensive oil field may be found there.

Under the provisions of the Sunday Observance Act of 1677, Councilman L. B. Cox, of Manchester, Eng., has been publicly admonished by a magistrate for not attending church on Sunday on complaint of his brother.

After digging in the Royal Park surrounding Windsor Castle in the expectation of finding the body of Winnifred Parrant, whose strange disappearance created a mystery, Scotland Yard operatives found her happily married in London.

Mistaking a distress signal for seasonal greetings on December 25, a passing steamer hoisted the flags for "Merry Christmas" and seven men were left drifting on a Newfoundland trading schooner until picked up by a German steamer several days later.

George C. Canfield, of Wild Rose, Sask., is for the third time provincial wheat champion, his sample of Reward wheat weighing 68 pounds to the bushel being declared the finest exhibit of hard red Spring wheat in the 22nd Saskatchewan Seed Fair.

A young Montrealer, back from a tour of Soviet Russia, reports that the five year plan in agriculture and manufacture working beyond expectations He declared accusations of a starving labouring class, religious prosecution and dumping as so many lies.

Beyond The Pas in Manitoba settlements along the Hudson Bay Railway are looking forward to a permanent supply of fresh milk when Bill Thorne will have his dairy established, selling milk at fifty cents a quart.

Mythical animals which looked like lions and left hyena tracks, and said to be bullet-proof when soldiers tried to shoot them with rifles, have reappeared at Agen, France, after an absence of six months. Peasants believe them to be prehistoric animals.

Hugh Doyle, a supposed cripple, after being arrested in Montreal for begging on Saturday night, dashed from the police after he had been carried to the police box to call a patrol wagon and was only halted by revolver shots.

Coroner Tucker, of Cochrane, ordered police to extinguish a fire started to clear up the remaining ruins after the recent Queens hotel fire when several lives were lost, believing the ruins may still hide the remains of some who perished in the fire.

A thoroughbred Boston bull gets the credit for awakening James Elbury, of Lindsay, asleep in his home while fire was cutting off his escape. The dog, belonging to a neighbour, is said to have made its way into the building, found Elbury asleep in bed, and wakened him in time to save his life.

Hon. W. H. Price, Attorney-General, has returned from a three-weeks' vacation in the south. Mitchell Hepburn, the new Liberal leader launched an attack against the administration of his department in a speech in Prescott opening the campaign in Grenville to fill the Hon. G. H. Ferguson's seat.

"Alfalfa Bill" Murray has been elected governor of Oklahoma. At his inauguration Tuesday Indians and old-timers had the places of honour in the ceremony. The inaugural ball consisted of "square dances" and "hoedowns" to the instrumentation of a fiddle and mouth organ. "Alfalfa Bill" made his campaign hitch-hiking through the state.

Natan Strauss, internationally-known philanthropist, died in New York Sunday, credited with having by his good works benefited more children and humanity in general than any other living person. He was a pioneer in pasteurization of milk and in the last few years organized 32 milk stations where 3000 children were fed daily. There was no big funeral, no praise, no flowers. He disliked that sort of thing.

In the heart of Hamilton, where hundreds of thousands of gallons of city water flow from household faucets daily, drinking water from a well is being sold to the citizens in gallon containers. This fact came to light while city authorities were investigating stories that phenol and chlorine in the city water had rendered it unpalatable to many consumers. One citizen, it was learned, was doing a good business from his well.

Beginners In Beekeeping

Experimental Farms Note.

Each year sees a number of new recruits joining the ranks of the beekeepers, this alone indicates that the beekeeping industry is still in a fairly healthy condition. Some of the newcomers have gained considerable experience in the management of bees before attempting to establish an apairy for themselves, and because of this are able to commence their operations on a fairly large scale. Others come with little or no experience and must therefore make the start with only a few colonies, enlarging their holdings as experience in management is gained. It is this group of beginners that usually fiind the first steps in beekeeping difficult and oftimes expensive because of mistakes that are bound to occur. Those who are contemplating making a start with bees are well advised to spend one full season as a helper to some successful beekeeper, or failing this to visit some apiary as ofen as possible during the active season to watch the operators at work. Some of the agricultural colleges now offer extensive courses in beekeeping and prospective beekeepers can obtain valuable information at these courses. Furthermore, there are many books now available that deal with beekeeping from the beginner's standpoint, among these might be mentioned bulletin No. 33, "Bees and How to Keep Them," published by the Dominion Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, and which may be obtained, free of charge, by writing to the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa, or to the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. Other bulletins that are available from the same sources and dealing with beekeeping are "Wintering Bees In Canada" and "Package Bees and How to Install Them." Most of the Provincial departments have also issued bulletins dealing with some phases of beekeeping and these may be obtained free by writing the departments for them. There are also a number of valuable bee journals that no beginner can afford to overlook. Knowledge is the key to success, obtain as much of it as possible.

LAYING HOUSES FOR COLD WEATHER

The type of house best suited for laying hens in the winter season depends to a considerable extent on the severity of the climate. At the Lethbridge, Alta., experimental station where the temperature drops thirty degrees or more below zero, a house that would be quite suitable in a milder part of Canada is liable to cause freezing of combs, and a consequent reduction of eggs.

After considerable experience and experimental work the Lethbridge station has erected a house which, while still airy, gives satisfactory results. The house is of shed roof type with double tar paper on both sides of the walls and the walls and ceiling are packed with six inches of planer shavings. It is twenty feet deep and eighty-four feet long and is divided with tight, single-board partitions into rooms fourteen feet wide. Each room accommodates sixty heavy breed birds or seventy-two of the lighter breeds. The front of the house is 1-3 lumber and the balance glass and cotton. A door opens outside from each room. Ventilation is obtained through adjustable cotton and glass windows and on warm days the doors are left open. The temperature was taken from day to day from a thermometer placed in the east end room on the inside wall which is in front of the roosts, on a level with the birds at roost. The lowest temperature recorded in a day was twenty-one degrees above zero with an outside temperature of thirty-four below zero. In another house having gable roof with straw loft and unpacked walls the temperature fell to three degrees below zero. In the warmer house the birds at no time during the winter appeared to be uncomfortable.

In his report of the station, which is operated by the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, Mr. W. H. Fairfield, the superintendent, points out that while the humidity was greater than in the colder house, colds were not more prevalent than in the previous year when the birds were kept in more open houses.

Mrs. Murphy: "Oh, don't worry about his small nose, Mrs. Rooney. When I was born they thought I wasn't going to have a nose at all."

Mrs. Rooney: "Oh, but it turned up later, didn't it?"

Health Service

Prepared by the Canadian Medical Association.

NO ONE NEED HAVE DIPHTHERIA!

Diphtheria germs, like most other germs, select certain parts or tissues of the body in which to settle down, grow an multiply. Diphtheria germs, for example, are usually found in the throat or nose.

It is not the germs themselves which directly injure the body and cause disease, but rather the poison or toxin which they produce. The germs remain localized in the throat and nose, but the poison which they give off is carried in the blood to all parts of the body, and so, all parts are subjected to damage by the poison coming from the germs which lie in the throat or nose.

When the body is attacked by diphtheria toxin or poison in this way, it immediately seeks to protect itself, and it does so by producing diphtheria antitoxin, which counteracts or neutralizes the toxin or poison produced by the diphtheria germs.

If the diphtheria antitoxin is produced quickly enough and in sufficient quantity, the body is victorious, the toxin is overcome and the patient recovers. Not only does recovery take place, but, as a result of its experience, the body is prepared for a time at least, to prevent a recurrence of the disease. That is why second attacks of diphtheria are comparatively rare.

Unfortunately, in many cases, the body is unable to produce diphtheria antitoxin quickly enough or in the quantity required, with the result that the patient succumbs. That is what happens in about one thousand cases each year in Canada.

Fortunately, diphtheria can be prevented; protection against this disease can be gained without facing the suffering and danger of death associated with the disease.

The injection of a substance known as diphtheria toxoid stimulates the body to produce diphtheria antitoxin, and so prepares it in advance to deal with any diphtheria germs and their poisons to whose attacks the person may be exposed.

The injections of diphtheria toxoid are perfectly harmless, and they render the person receiving them immune or protected against diphtheria, just as he would have been protected by an attack of the disease, but without suffering or danger.

Parents can free themselves from worry lest their children contract diphtheria. Lives can be saved and suffering prevented. The family physician is ready to give the necessary injections of toxoid which immunize the person who receives the injections and protect him from diphtheria.

Questions concerning health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto(will be answered personally by letter.

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The Anniversary Letter

THE alarm clock startled Joe from deep slumber into sudden activity. Miranda had made him put the clock on the table at the foot of the bed. She knew if he had to jump out to stop the clock he would not be liable to go to sleep again.

By force of habit ere he had reached the clock, she had rolled over and by some mysterious expansion managed to occupy his place in bed as well as her own.

It was six-thirty and a very dark morning. Joe shivered as he slipped on his socks and trousers.

"Don't use too much milk now," warned the wife, sleepily, as he closed the door.

He sighed wearily and heavily.

For fifteen years Miranda had ruled his life with a stern discipline. He was a peace loving man, and usually a model of meek submission.

But the warning about the milk was getting on his nerves.

Two weeks previously he had unwittingly used all the milk for his breakfast. And Miranda had had to wait until the milkman came at nine o'clock before she could have her cup of tea. Every morning since she had warned him about the milk.

She was the same with everything. Nag, nag, nag. She couldn't let anything drop.

Joe sighed again. He applied a match to the gas and surveyed the neat kitchen.

It was too neat.

A rasher of bacon lay ready for frying.. His cup and saucer were on the table in their appointed place. Suspended from a nail over the gas-cooker, by a string, was a box of matches. He had once, unknowingly, put the only box of matches in the house in his pocket, and Miranda had never forgotten it.

He made himself a cup of tea, ignored the milk jug, and stumbled out to his work.

His thoughts were bitter as he hurried along. It was their wedding anniversary to-morrow, and he meant to-day to buy a present. He hadn't bought Miranda a wedding anniversary present for years, and he had a vague hope that some little trinket might renew her old affection.

But the warning about the milk made him forget the present.

"She's as 'ard as nails an' as crabby as a school ma'am," he reflected.

Meanwhile Miranda had dressed herself and gone downstairs. She stared indignantly at the ignored rasher and forlorn milk jug.

"Wait until 'e gets'ome," she muttered. "He'd be a laying of 'imself up if I didn't treat 'im like a baby. Not 'eatin' 'is breakfast—the idea!"

Joe was a blacksmith at a small engineering works near the docks. His assistant—Striker Bill—was given to much philosophy.

"My wife ses this morning," he remarked, holding aloft a twenty-eight pound hammer, " 'Wot abart —"

"Light——now," commanded Joe, as Bill swung hard with the hammer.

" 'Wot abart it,' she says. 'Know wot day it is, doncher?' "

"Heavy," grunted Joe, turning over the blazing iron he held on the anvil with his tongs.

The hammer swung up and down until the red hot bar was drawn out three inches longer than its original length. Joe measured it with his rule, grunted, and put the bar back into the fire.

"Coke, Bill."

"Yes, the old woman thought I'd forgotten," said Bill, as he threw up a shovelful of coke. "Eighteen years ago to-day we was married, an' we're still like a couple of kids."

"Joe looked at him with new interest.

"To-day, eh? D'ye allus give the missus an anniversary present?" he asked.

Bill laughed.

"I allus gives 'er a ten-bob note. That's why I'm allus arter a bit o' overtime this time of the year. I've got ter get that ten bob some'ow. An' —an'—" he looked suddenly embarrassed. "I allus gives 'er a lstter as well."

"A letter. Wot's the letter fer?"

"Yer know, Joe mate, all wimmen's the same. They like yer to tell 'em ye're still fond of 'em. I just ses in me letter wot a good wife she's been, etc. I believe now she'd sooner 'ave the letter than the ten bob. I do, pon my davey."

Joe looked at him thoughtfully.

" 'Ow long—" he began, then broke off as he realized the iron in the fire was burning.

"Darn you an' yer talking, mate!" he cried. " 'Ammer quick!"

But it was Joe who re-opened the conversation five minutes later.

"An ye give 'er a letter every year?" he asked.

"Yes," was the answer. "Takes a bit of composing, but I manages it some'ow."

Joe thought of the letters he had sent Miranda from France and of her replies. He could not visualize writing sentimental letters to his wife. Miranda hadn't time for sentiment.

Then suddenly he had an idea. He nearly burned the iron again as he pondered.

All day he thought and planned, and that night, instead of going straight home he went to the public library and, selecting the end seat at a magazine table, he laboured long and arduously. Just as the attendant announced it was closing time, Joe completed his task.

He, too, had written an anniversary letter.

Miranda, finding the letter beside the teapot in the morning, felt a momentary qualm. Had Joe lost his job and was this his way of telling her?

She tore open the envelope.

My dear wife,

Fifteen years ago to-day we was married. Bill told me he allus sent his missus a letter on the anniversary day saying how good she'd bin during the past year. Bill and his wife are diffrunt to us. They're happy. You and me aint the same. So I thought Id write you a letter just to tell you what I thinks wrong.

Maybe Ive got faults. I dont know. I work hard all day and I bring in good money. Praps I aint amusing but if I tell you a funny story you snaps me up. Praps I dirty your kitchen with my boots and working clothes. But you cant bring in good money without getting dirty. Leastways a blacksmith cant. I knows I likes to sit around the house on a Sunday but it is the only day I has for resting and Im not struck on going to church like you are.

But you has your faults, Miranda.

You treats me as if I shouldn't come home dirty, as if I shouldn't sit around the house. You wants me to put on a collar when I comes home at night, and you cant speak without grousing about summatt. You wants me to smoke in the back kitchen and you wants me to clean my working boots. And you nags at me if I goes to the pub of a Friday night. It isnt that Im over fond of the pub. I only goes there becos its comfy and Im not comfy in my own house.

Now, Miranda, I could have said all this to you without writing it but when I says anything to you you gets excited and we has a row. If you read this in the morning youll have all day to think about it, and you can be calm by the evening and praps youll see my point of view.

You has your virtues too. Youre a good cook and youre careful with the money, but if my job is to keep you its your job to make me comfy.

And so Ill wish you many congratulations on our wedding day and conclood

Yours faithfully,
Joe.

P. S.—dont warn me about using too much milk no more. I'm fed up.—Joe.

Miranda was angry before she had finished reading the letter. She was furious when she at last threw it down.

To think that for all her slaving, all her tender care and devotion, her husband should write a letter like that and abuse her. She'd show him. Just wait until he got home.

But as she bustled about her housework her anger died away.

Men were funny. Her job was to look after him. It was his home, and if he wasn't comfortable in his own home then somehow she was failing in her job.

She called to mind the last time she had protested about him going to the pub. He had said:

"Well, I want a smoke, an' it's too cold to smoke in that there back kitchen. I'll take yer to the pictures if yer like. I can smoke in there."

And she hadn't wanted to go to the pictures. It was her fault. If she had allowed him to smoke in the sitting room he wouldn't have gone to the pub. What did it matter if the smoke did get on the curtains? He would have been comfy.

By dinner time her anger was forgotten. But still she felt hurt. And then an idea came to her. Forthwith she acted upon it.

When Joe came home that night he found a spotlessly clean house, the table for tea, a fire burning brightly, but no Miranda. Beside the teapot was a letter. He read it quickly.

Dear Joe,—I read your letter this morning. I was angry at first, but perhaps I have thought more of my house than I have of you. But you have your faults too, Joe. The only reason why I've wanted you to put a collar on and be more respectable is because you are a blacksmith by day doesn't mean you should be a blacksmith by night. You find me washed and dressed when you come home. Why shouldn't you wash and dress and let your wife see that her hsuband can be different than other women's husbands.

I'm sorry I don't mean more to you than a good cook and one who's careful with your money. Therefore so long as you get your meals you won't want my company. So I'm going to come here by day and at night just before you come in I'm going away. You needn't worry about me. I'm going to stay with a friend and I'm going to do this for a month. And you are not to try and find me. In return you can smoke in the parlour and you needn't take off your working clothes at night nor put a collar on on Sundays. When the month's up I'll come home. Praps by that time you'll have missed me.—Your wife, Miranda.

P. S.—You can use as much milk as you want.

Somehow Joe was conscious of a feeling of dismay.

"I didn't think as how she'd take it like that," he said to himself. "A month, eh? I wonder will I miss her?"

He took his dinner from out of the oven and began to eat it slowly. He propped the newspaper against the teapot and read as he ate—a thing Miranda had never allowed him to do. But somehow there wasn t anything interesting in the newspaper and he did not feel hungry. He found himself thinking of Miranda. It was decent of her to still look after him, clean the house and cook for him, and yet not bother him with her presence because he had said he wasn't comfy. Some women would have gone off altogether and left him to look after himself.

He felt as if he'd been a brute. He wished she hadn't gone away.

The long evening wore on. He smoked his pipe and lay back in the easy chair before the fire. But he did not feel comfortable. Where was Miranda? Where was she going to sleep to-night?

At last he could stand it no longer. It was no use looking for Miranda—he did not know where to look—and she had told him not to worry. He determined to go to bed.

But not to sleep. For hours he tossed and turned. Miranda's letter was ever foremost in his thoughts. It was only when towards three a.m. he had determined to write another letter that he at last fell asleep.

He scribbled a line to his wife before he left in the morning.

Dear Miranda,—Come home. Dont be silly. I didnt want you to take my letter like that.—Joe.

To which he found a reply when he returned that evening.

Dear Joe,—Better give the month a trial. Hope you're comfy. Don't be so particular about your matches. I'd sooner pick tnem off the floor than out of the pots. Miranda.

P. S.—Use more milk.

He wrote her another letter that night.

My dear Miranda,—If I was sure you were all right I wouldnt' mind giving the month a trial if you want to. But I'd sooner see you at night. I've gone off milk. Joe.

Miranda replied in her neat handwriting. Joe had always admired her handwriting.

My dear Joe,—Supposing we make it a fortnight? Don't worry about me. Take care of yourself. Would you like porridge in the morning? Miranda.

Joe, for want of something to do, made his next letter longer. He found it rather interesting to write, and he wanted to hint without making it too plain that he missed his wfe at night time more than he realized he would. Perhaps she would find a fortnight too long and come back in a week.

The next night he glanced at the teapot as he entered the house. But there was no letter propped against it. He felt an acute sense of dismay which was changed immediately afterwards to something like joy when he saw that her letter had fallen on the floor.

Dear Joe,

You're eating very little. I was mad this morning when I came and found you hadn't eaten all your dinner. Now I've made you something very special for to-night. Do try and eat it all.

Your affectionate wife,
Miranda.

P. S.—I've sent your collar to the laundry.

The postscript made Joe blush. The last two nights he had put on a collar and left it on the bedroom as a sign to Miranda that he too was willing to make amends.

That night Joe went to the pictures. The evenings were proving too long. He felt he must either go to the pictures or the pub. He couldn't stay in the house any longer by himself, and somehow he didn't want to go to the pub. Miranda wouldn't like it.

It was a continuous performance at the Colliseum Cinema. As he felt his way to a seat, a New York policeman was on the screen eating a banana, blissfully unconscious of the fact that around the corner a thief was stealing the heroine's handbag. Joe settled himself comfortably, lit his pipe, and prepared to enjoy himself.

Ten minutes later, during the changing of the reels, the lights flashed up for a few minutes.

Joe stared about him and suddenly sat bolt upright. Two seats in front of him was Miranda.

He could only see her back, but there was no mistake. She sat in her usual unright prim fashion, and he would know her hat anywhere.

Joe felt his heart pounding inside him. Poor Miranda. She must be feeling lonely too.

When the next picture was concluded and the lights came on several people got up and made their way towards the exit. Miranda was one of them, and Joe impulsively, although he had not seen half the performance, rose and followed her.

Down the main street, then down a side street, and into a lane at the back of the recreation ground. Joe kept within easy distance of her. Half-way down the lane he hurried until he was beside her.

"I saw you in the pictures, Miranda," he greeted.

"Why—why, Joe, you startled me," she cried.

"Thought you didn't like the pictures," said Joe.

"Well—I—don't as a rule—only the people I am staying with had friends to-night, and I—I felt in the way."

"May I—may I see you to your lodgings?" he asked politely.

She did not reply. Only looked at him. The starlight was in her eyes. The prim hard lines about her mouth were gone. Her lips were trembling, and suddenly Joe felt like he had felt years ago when he was courting her.

"It's nice and dark in this lane. What about a kiss, Miranda?"

"Joe Bishop!" she cried.

But she held her face up, and Joe removed his pipe from his mouth and bent forward.

"Blow your lodgings. Come on home, Miranda."

"You look nice in your collar, Joe."

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By Etta Bitta Pye

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Pin Wheel Biscuits.

2 cups special cake flour, sifted
4 teaspoons baking powder
2-3 teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons butter or other shortening
2-3 cup milk
4 tablespoons butter creamed
½ cup brown sugar
½ cup pecan meats, chopped

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift again. Cut in shortening. Add milk gradually until soft dough is formed. Roll ¼ inch thick on slightly floured board. Spread with creamed butter; sprinkle with brown sugar and nuts. Roll as for jelly roll and cut in 1 inch pieces. Place in greased muffin pans cut-sides up. Bake in moderate oven (375 degrees F.) 30 minutes. Makes 12 biscuits.

Buttermilk Biscuits.

2 cups special cake flour, sifted
1 teaspoon baking powder
½ teaspoon soda
1 teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons butter or other shortening
½ cup buttermilk or sour milk
¼ pound pimento cheese
4 tablespoons butter

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, soda, and salt, and sift again. Cut in 2 tablespoons shortening. Add buttermilk gradually until soft dough is formed. Roll ¾-inch thick on slightly floured board. Cut with floured biscuit cutter. Place in greased pan. Melt cheese and 4 tablespoons butter and pour mixture over biscuits. Bake in hot oven (425 degrees F.) 12 to 15 minutes. Makes eighteen 1½ inch biscuits.

Bread Pudding De Luxe.

2 cups milk, scalded
2 tablespoons butter
1 cup stale bread, cut into ½ inch cubes
sugar
¼ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon almond extract
¼ teaspoon vanilla
2 eggs slightly beaten
1 cup cocanut, toasted

Combine milk with butter and bread cubes. Add salt, sugar and flavouring to eggs and beat slightly. Pour milk mixture over egg mixture and pour in cocoanut. Pour into greased baking dish, place in pan of hot water, and bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 45 to 50 minutes. Serves 6.

Cocoanut Salad Delicious.

1 cup cabbage, finely shredded
1 cup grated pineapple, drained
1 cup shredded cocoanut
¾ cup mayonnaise
Dash of salt

Crisp cabbage by allowing it to stand in ice water. Drain and dry thoroughly. Toss lightly together with remaining ingredients. Serve on crisp lettuce. Garnish with strips of pimento Serves six.

ASK YOUR FRIENDS

When is a pie like a poet?—When it is Browning.

What is the defference between a cow and a tree?—One leaves its shed and the other sheds its leaves.

When can a train pass over you without hurting you?—When you are under a bridge.

What breaks and yet there are no pieces?—The day.

Why is a dog's tail like the heart of a tree?—Because it's furthest away from the bark.

What room can a policeman never enter?—A mush-room.

In which month do schoolboys eat least?—February, because there are only twenty-eight days in this month.

It winnies in woods, it rattles in town, and earns its master many a crown, what is it?—A violin.

What three letters turn a boy into a man?—Age.

Why is scenery like elastic?—Because they both stretch a long way.

When does a ship resemble a boxing ring?—When it has spars.

Why was the first day of Adam's life the longest?—Because there was no Eve.

Why is a schoolmaster like a shoeblack?—Because he polishes the understanding of people.

Why is an author more free than a monarch?—Because he can choose his subjects.

When has a man four hands?—When he doubles his fists.



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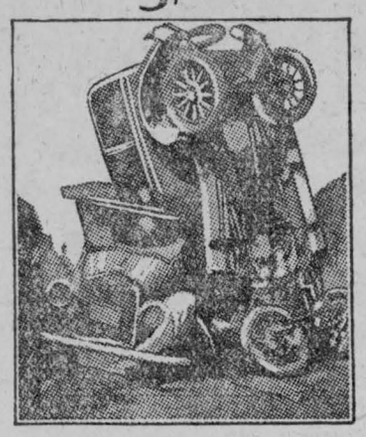

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Mainly About People

Mrs. Sam Hummel has returned home after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. John Fyke, of Dunbar.

Chesterville bowlers will learn with regret of the death on January 4th of Dr. J. T. Hope, of Alexandria, whom they frequently met in play during the season of lawn bowling.

At the twenty-fourth annual meeting of the Montreal General Hospital Alumni Association, Miss Agnes Jamieson, formerly of Nation Valley, was elected first vice-president.

Rev. J. B. McLeod, of Montreal, city chaplain of the United Church, formerly pastor of Winchester Presbyterian church, passed away in Montreal General hospital Saturday morning, where he had been receiving treatment for about two months.

Monday evening the Library was the scene of a delightful bridge party when Chesterville Girl Guides entertained at bridge with twelve tables, there being about fifty guests present. Shortly before midnight dainty refreshments were served after which the floor was cleared and dancing was enjoyed for an hour.

Hugh L. MacMillan, Finch

The death occurred early Friday morning, January 9th, of Hugh L. McMillan at his home in Finch. His passing came as a great shock to his many friends. Although never in very good health, he had been about as usual until a few days previous.

Mr. MacMillan was born in Finch, first concession, on July 19, 1862, the eldest son of the late Archibald MacMillan and his wife, Nancy MacLean.

Mr. John McLean and daughter He spent all his life, with the exception of two years in Wisconsin, at the home of his birth. He was unmarried and lived with his brother, Alex. L. MacMillan. He was a victim of an accident while in Wisconsin at the age of 28 and was left a cripple. He suffered greatly at times but bore his suffering with great patience and cheerfulness.

The funeral was held in St. James United church, Avonmore, of which he was a member, on Saturday, January 10th, at 2 p.m., and was very largely attended. The service was conducted by his pastor, Rev. J. MacKay. A special number was sung by Mrs. R. MacMillan. The pallbearers were all nephews of the deceased:—Bert Steele, Archie G. MacMillan, Donald N. MacMillan, Archie MacLean, Dan J. MacLean and Archie D. MacMillan.

He is survived by three sisters and three brothers. Mrs. J. K. MacLean, of Ashburn; Mrs. Alex Steele, of Avonmore, and Mrs. J. A. McDougall, of Dalkeith; Alex L. MacMillan, of first concession, Finch; Neil MacMillan, of Finch, and Dan L. MacMillan, of Avonmore.

Among those present from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. MacMillan, Miss Annie McMillan, Mrs. J. A. MacDougall, all of Cornwall· Mr. and Mrs. Alex MacDougall, of Finch, and Donald N. MacMillan, of Montreal.

Friends were also present from Gravel Hill, Strathmore and Finch.

Beautiful floral wreaths were placed on the casket.

Goldfield

Mrs. Roland Droppo spent a few days in Ottawa recently.

Mr. Thos. Sutherland and Miss Rae, of Avonmore, visited at the home of Mrs. C. Gilles one day last week.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. McLean were — Mrs. John MacLean, of Ottawa; Mrs. D. Munroe and son Robert, of Finch.

Misses Mary A. and Nell Gillies and Messrs. Donald, Hugh and Hector Gillies spent a few days in Cornwall recently.

Recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Jas. Younge were—Mr. Cecil Droppo, Finch; Mrs. R. Smith and children, of Chesterville.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Gillies were—Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson, Messrs. David Ferguson, of Avonmore; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Warner and son, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Ferguson and family, of Dickinson's Landing.

Mr. Hugh Gillies and Miss Nell Gillies were in Ottawa on Monday last.

Mr. John A. MacRae is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth MacRae.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth MacRae and family and Mr. John MacRae spent one day last week in Williamsburg.

Miss Charlotte McMahon and Master Leonard McMahon visited on Sunday at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McMahon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. McLean and family and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Lowry, of Winnipeg, visited at Dunbar one day last week.

Mrs. A. P. McLean visited friends in Chesterville last week.

Miss Hilda Smith spent a few days in Chesterville during the holiday season.

Miss Margaret Nephew, R. N., returned to Montreal the first of the week.

Miss Margaret Foley, R. N., returned to White Plains, N. Y, having spent a few weeks' holidays at her home here.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late John Sorrell wish to very heartily thank their friends and neighbours for their thoughtful kindnesses and sympathy on the death of their father.

Wincehester Twp. Council Met at Morewood on Monday

The first meeting of Winchester Township Council for 1931 was held in Morewood on January 12th at 11 a.m. The members were present and subscribed to the Declaration of Office:

Reeve, H. H. Nesbitt; Deputy Reeve, W. J. McConnell; Councillors, Geo. W. Brooks, Geo. A. Ouderkirk, and W. J. Stewart.

The following officers were duly appointed:

Clerk and Treasurer—J. Steen,
Assessor—S. O. Kendrick,
Audtiors—Earl Helmer and A. G. Summers,
Collectors— E. L. Bronskill and J. D. Stewart,
Member of Board of Health—J. A. Bogart,
Sheep Valuators — McKenny Rodney, P. J. Kirby,
Drain Inspector—Walter Coulthart,
Fence Viewers—John Stewart, Mahlon Casselman, Briggs McIntosh, Walter Rae, J. E. Ouderkirk, E. J. Lanoue, David McLaughlin, Alex. Dillabough, Henry Elliott, Robt. Morrow, W. G. Barclay, Walter Coulthart, W. M. Bolton, Morris Servage and Omar St. Pierre.

Pound Keepers — George Dixon, George Durant, Sam Hummel, Edgar Summers, Geo. A. Merkley, Wm. Masterson, Serapha Belisle, Noah Seguin, A. W. Reveler, Robt. Steen, D. McLaughlin, Wm. Lawson, Clark Smith, Dodd Mallory, Homer Patterson, W. J. Smith, Wm. Helmer, W. G. Barclay, Geo. F. Johnston, Jas. O'Neil, John Whitteker, H. Johnston, Geo. Atchinson, Vincent Coyne, J. F. Nadeau and E. J. Lanoue.

Truant Officer—Homer Patterson,
Trustee Morewood High School—Thos. E. Coulthart.

The following accounts were ordered paid:

John A. Baker, gravel road No. 6	$100.00
Municipal World, Election Blanks and Subs.,	23.63
G. C. Lacey, Financial Statements, Ballots, & Advt...	44.00
Ont. Muncipal Ass'n.....	10.00
Good Roads Association.....	5.00
J. Steen, expenses polling places	80.00
Total.....	$282.73

Dr. P. McLaughlin was appointed Indigent Doctor for the Township.

Council adjourned to meet at Winchester on Monday, Feb. 2nd, at 10.30 a.m. —J. Steen, Clerk.

IN MEMORIAM

Froats—In loving memory of our dear father, Amaziah Froats, who died January 18th, 1929.

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Mrs. James Pruner, Melvins

After suffering for some time with a broken hip, the late Mrs. Pruner of the Melvins Settlement passed away during Sunday night last. She made her home with her son Reuben and his wife. There were other sons and daughters surviving. Her husband predeceased her several years ago. The funeral service was held on Tuesday at 2 p.m. in Winchester United church, being conducted by her pastor, Rev. J. A. Waddell.

Grantley Pioneer Died Tuesday

In the early hours of Tuesday morning one of the pioneers of the Grantley district passed away in the person of Mr. Alexander Gordon, aged 87 years, at the home of his son, Donold M. Gordon, with whom he had spent his declining years. Mr. Gordon was most highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends and for many years was a member of the session of the Presbyterian church in Chesterville.

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