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For your building operations you surely need cement.

For economy of labor use a mixer.

Before buying elsewhere call in and let us figure on your contract and save you money.

We supply cement and furnish a mixer on easy terms.

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Our Column

Are the fish biting?

Next Thursday is Victoria Day.

It will soon be apple blossom time.

The lilacs are late this year, but none the less fragrant.

If one could believe all "rumours" and all "gossip" what a tragic world this would be.

Winchester looks better, smells better, feels better, and is better since clean-up day. Keep up the sweet clean feeling.

You never hear the bee complain,
Nor hear it weep and wail,
But if it wish it can unfold
A very painful tail.—Goblin.

This is ascension Day, and it rained some. Do you still hold to the old superstition that it will continue to rain for the next forty days?

Motor accidents are becoming so common throughout the province that they no longer cause surprise. The toll of the car with a booze driver is alarming.

Now that a lot of people have their gardens and flower beds planted, poultry owners should be considerate enough to keep their hens confined to the hen yard.

Mary has no little lamb,
Like she had long years ago.
But now she has a pair of calves,
That she delights to show.

Now how would the local champion hockey players figure in a soft ball competition. The Press has an idea that the younger fellows could put it over them in a ball game.

Before passing along any rumors, especially those that reflect on the honor or integrity of anyone in particular, it is well to verify the facts. It is surprising how little truth there is in gossip.

Just as the Press was about to pen an item about the need, lo, and behold, the Street Sprinkler makes its appearance—we're keeping up to date all right. Now let us see some street cleaning and repairing.

Let this old saying of Ab Lincoln sink deep into the souls of the members of the Canadian House of Commons "You can't fool all the people all the time." Go ahead with your sessional indemity grab and find out.

The Pembroke Staudard-Observer notes the finding by a local farmer a cow bell that had been lost for over forty years. To make the item real interesting the report should have said that the old cow was still giving good milk.

The latest returns show that the number of dairy factories in operation in Canada is 3.047. The total is made up of 1,269 creameries, 1,418 cheese factories, 3,344 factories making butter and cheese and 66 factories making condensed and evaporated milk, milk powders, etc.

There are now approximately one million motor vehicles in Canada compared with just one such vehicle 30 years ago. In 1903 there were 220 motor vehicles registered in the Dominion. This shows one motor vehicle of some kind to every nine persons in this country of ours.

At Gananoque last week 500 school children took a pledge that they would "look up and down the street before crossing." The same means of educating the children from running into accidents might well be adopted in all towns In Gananoque the Mayor was the active agent in this matter.

It matters not how long we live—
How soon the sand runs in the glass;
It matters only what we give
Of service as we pass,
What happens to us cannot count—
The poignant grief, the blow that stings
What counts is just how we surmount
And how we face such things.
We may do very little well—
And few of us will reach our quest;
But all that we attempt will tell,
If we have done our best.

Inspecting Creek

Dr. Maloney, Provincial Health Inspector was in town yesterday and in company with Mr. Smith, Sanitary Inspector, looked over the creek at the east end of the town, and has made some suggestion regarding thereto to the local inspector, Dr. McLaughlin. Dr. Maloney also inspected Mr. Mallory's facilities for handling milk, his cows and stables, which he found all very favorable and no complaint to make.

Canada's Western Wonders

No csuntry excells Canada herself for sheer magnificence of scenery. choice gems of which unfold themselves to travellers westward bound, Golden prairies give way to rolling foothills and they in turn to the serried, snow-capped peaks of the mighty Canadian Rocky Mountains.

Here, crag and glacier vie with waterfall and river. Sun-bathed valleys, spreading forests, gorges, chasms abound. Jasper National Park is a concentration of just such scenic wonders. The Triangle Tour of British Columbia offers never ending variety and contrast as you go by rail from Jasper, past mighty Mount Robson and along the Skeens to Prince Rupert and there take the steamer for Vancouver, returning thence by rail to Jasper, through the roaring Fraser and Thompson Rivers Gorges.

Or take steamer to the Land of the Midnight Sun—mysterious, totempoled Alaska.

All these scenic havens are reached by Canadian National Railways and steamship service and with the new, low tourist rates in effect, may be viewed at surprisingly little cost.

Full details from any Canadian National Agent.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The Clothing Store of Doven's Limited, Cornwall, was broken into on Sunday night and goods to the value of $5000 stolen.

The contractors are busy at work at the new Public School and hope to have it ready for occupation not later than the end of September next.

The Plaining Mill at Patterson's Corners, owned by W. J. Johnston, was completely destroyed by fire on Saturday morning. The fire was caused by backfire from the gasoline engine.

Last Sunday, as Mothers Day, was observed in the United Church, by all the surrounding Sunday Schools being present and taking part in the service. It was a gladning and an inspiring service.

At a meeting of the shareholders of the Winchester Rink Co. held last night the only change in the Board of Directors was the retiring of Dr. McKendry, and Mr. Thos. McLean, Ormond, being elected in his place.

Press will be Published on Wednesday Next Week.

Next Thursday being Victoria Day, and a Public Holiday, the Winchester Press will be published on Wednesday afternoon. We ask our advertisers and correspondents to kindly have their copy in before Tuesday afternoon, otherwise we cannot promise it proper attention.

Band Concert

Providing the weather is favourable the Winchester Citizen's Band will commence giving their regular weekly concerts from the balcony of Hotel Winchester, on Saturday night May 19th.

Congratulations

Mr. W. J. Leonard, Agent for the Great North West Insurance Co., stands first for the Province of Ontario in number of applications sent in, and fifth for all Eastern Canada. 'Billy' is some hustler when he gets going.

DANCE **The Iroquois Dance Pavilion will open for the season on Wednesday, May 23rd. The Long Saulte Pavilion will open on Thursday, May 24th. The Royal Ambassadors, one of the best orchestras playing in Canada at the present time, will furnish music at both pavilions on the above dates and throughout the entire season. Don't miss the opening dances**

Must Have the Press

Recently a South Mountain subscriber discontinued taking the Press. Last week we received the following, "Please find enclosed $1.50 for which send me the Press for one year. The wife nearly went through the floor when I stopped it and stamped so hard and said she was going to have the Press. So that's that, and there you are.'

A Chest Clinic

Dr. Wilson and Dr. McNeeley of the Provincial Board of health assisted by the nurses Mrs. Bricker and Miss Wilson, are to-day conducting a chest clinic in the Dixon building on Church Street. Although perfectly free, the clinic is urged on all who have a desire to know their conditio s The doctors and nurses in attendance will be very pleased to see you and give you every possible attention

Kiss and Die

Members of the medical profession have issued a warning that there are just so many beats in every human heart and its up to the individual to spend them as he chooses. The average heart, they say, beats 1,545,264,000 times in a lifetime. Excitement, such as kissing, increases the rate from normal 70 to about 90 Thus, a single kiss would shorten life by nearly three minutes.

Brothers Love

The Beach brothers have frequently been referred to in the Winchester Press in connection with many enterprises, but an incident of brother love was brought to our attention this week that is worth recording. Easton Beach, of San Franscisco twin brother of Weston, has been suffering for some time with a cancer on the side of the face. The brothers here, learning of his affliction sent their brother Fred of Iroquois, out to the Pacific Coast to accompany their brother east where he would receive care and treatment such as they could give him. He arrived at Ottawa last week, and there were eight brothers at the depot to welcome him on his arrival. Easton passed through Winchester this week on his way to Malone N. Y. to consult a specialist.

Doing a Big Job

Mr. D. H. Christie, of Ottawa, son of Mr. and Mrs Andrew Christie, of Winchester, is at present at Edmonton, Alta., superintending the transporting of 1200 buffalo from Wainwright to Fort Smith. The Edmonton Journal in speaking of the enterprise says: This is the fourth year in which yearling and two-year-old buffalo have made the long trip from Wainwright, and when the last scow-load has disappeared into the bush on the fall of this year, there will be a total of approximately 6,800 buffalo disporting themselves in the lush grasses of the great natural preserve in the angle between the Peace and Slave rivers. Mr. Christie has been in charge of the movement since its inception, and it is to his credit that this huge undertaking has been carried through season after season, without a hitch and without any loss of animals.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Don't fail to see the play in Lannins Hall next Tuesday night "Lighthouse Nan"

On Thursday, Ascension Day, there will be service in St. Matthias Church, at 7.30 in the evening.

Good reductions in all early Spring Millinery at Miss M. E. Browns. ***3p***

Among the graduating nurses at the General Hospital, Kingston, this week were, Miss Laura, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Enos Munroe, Nation Valley, and Miss Lillian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm Higginson, of Inkerman.

Eight persons killed outright and five badly injured near Erie, Pa., on Sunday. The cause of the accident was that two large cars were racing, and did not notice an approaching train Both cars banged into the train and the result as above stated.

Col. W. H. Magwood, of Cornwall, had a narrow escape on Wednesday of last week, when his car was struck by the Moccasin while crossing the track. Mrs. Magwood and son were in the car at the time with the Colonel and fortunately all escaped injury, although badly shaken up. The car was badly damaged.

Mrs. Flora received the cheerful news this morning that her son Fred, a student in Dentistry in the Toronto University, but who is at present ill in the Toronto Isolation hospital, and unable to write his exams, has been granted his degree as D. D. S. on his years work, which averaged over ninety per cedt and will graduate with his class on June 7th.

There will be no services in any of the Anglican churches in the western half of Stormont Deanery on next Sunday evening. The choirs and congregations of each church will instead attend the parish church at Morrisburg, where the service will be of the nature of a missionary service and will be addressed by Bishop Lucas, late Bishop of MacKenzie River, and the Ven. Archdeacon Snowdon, of St. George's, Ottawa.

Holland—Gainer

A very happy event took place at the United Parsonage, on May 14th, when Lera Annie, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gainer, of Melvin, became the bride of Mr Norman Holland, of Massena, N. Y., youngest son of Mr. Alex Holland and the late Mrs. Holland, of Avonmore, Ont. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Waddell of Winchester, the couple being unattended. The bride looked charming in a gown of china blue georgette, and wore the gift of the groom, a gold wrist watch. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for a motor trip to Montreal and other eastern points, the bride travelling in a rust satin gown with rose beige hat and coat, with shoes and stockings to match. On their return they will reside at Massena. We join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Holland a happy and prosperous wedded life.

Monte Blue in the "Black Diamond Express." A picture with many a thrill. Always something new and unexpected. A railroad picture that stands first among railroad pictures. In it you see action, love, pathos, daring and heroism. See it at Lannins Hall, May 19 and 21. Usual prices.

Will Carry Orchestra

Do you remember the little house on wheels that used to travel through these parts. The sign on the outside was "The Enterprise Amusement Co. of Ottawa." Well for the past few years the little shanty has been lying in the rear of Lannins Garage, but is now again on wheels. A new Chevrolet truck chassis supports the little house, and it is being fitted up as a transport bus for the Royal Ambassadors, the colored orchestra from Cleveland that Mr. Lannin has engaged for the season. This orchestra of 10 pieces is one of the best in the United States, and those who heard them here last fall will gladly hear them again. Mr. Lannin intends that they shall at least see Eastern Ontario and has booked engagements for them from Pembroke to the Quebec border and even beyond. And they will be transported from one place to another in the little house that was once known as the "Enterprise Amusement Co."

Don't fail to see "Lighthouse Nan," an amateur play in three acts, to be presented in Lannins Hall, on Tuesday, May 22nd, by the Young People of the United Church, Winchester Springs. It is a play you'll never forget, don't miss it. See posters.

Had Narrow Escape

Mr. Oscar Pierce, wife and two children had a very narrow escape from instant death on Sunday night last when returning home from a visit to Athens. Mr. Pierce was driving his new Chev. car, and had just turned the curve at Hess' Cheese Factory, when because of a sleepy nod the car shot across the road, struck head on the cement bridge near there, and Mr. Pierce awoke to the fact that he had just taken a nod at the wrong time. Fortunately he was not going fast, but even as it was the escape from serious injury to all of the four occupants is a matter of great thankfulness. Mr. Pierce was bruised a little in the chest as it came against the steering wheel, and his little boy was slightly bruised. Mrs. Pierce and the other little child escaped without a bruise or scratch. The car was pretty badly smashed about the front. Mr. Pierce with his family had left home early Sunday morning to visit with relatives at Athens, north of Brockville. They were returning and had made a very pleasant trip had not Mr. Pierce been overcome with sleep. He says he felt the drowsy spell coming on, but did his best to shake it off as he knew he had only a short distance to go. But the unfortunate happened. They were picked up by another car and brought to Winchester, and Melvin's wrecking truck went out and brought the broken car in to be repaired.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Edith Docksteader spent the week end with Miss Betty Derby.

Mr. Al. Smith, of New York City, was the week-end guest of Mr. Bert Derby.

Mrs. A. Day, of St. Regis, spent the week end with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Day.

Mrs. Nancy Hoy, of Hallville, died on Thursday evening last at the home of her son Alex Hoy, in her 90th vear.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W Bellinger, of South Mountain, spent Friday last at the home of their daughter, Mrs. F. Fawcett.

Mr and Mrs. Thos Steele and son Robbie, of Bellemy, Ont., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. Helmer.

Mrs. Wm Steele and daughter, Emma, have returned home after a three week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Barlow, at Russell, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Johnston and family, of Williamsburg, spent Mother's Day with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles French, of Bianche, Que., and Miss Minnie Earle, of St. Sixte, Que, spent the week end at their parental home here.

Mr. J. G. Challies of Morrisburg, was a caller on Winchester friends, Monday. Mr. Challies intends taking a complete rest for the summer months.

Mr. A. W. Cummings and son James, of Cumberland, Ont., and two daughters of Ottawa, spent the week end with the former's sister, Mrs. G. W. Johnston.

Mrs. Alford, after spending the winter with her son W. V. Alford, B. A. L. L. B., Miami, Florida, has come to spend the summer at the home of her brother, Chas B. Parker.

Miss Eileen McCauley of Morrisburg, spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. McCauley. Her little sister Norma returning to Morrisburg with her for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Summers announce the engagment of their daughter, Ida Mae, to Willis D., son of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McKercher of Ottawa, Ont. Marriage to take place early in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Barkley and family, of Spencerville, Mr. Anson Barkley, of Mountain. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Barkley and frmily, and Mr. Harry Barkley, of Nation Valley, took tea with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mallory, on Sunday last.

Mrs. R. M. Scott, accompained by her mother Mrs. VanAllan of Morrisburg, and Mr. and Mrs. George Meikle of same place were in Kingston this week at the graduating exercises of the nurses of the General Hospital, when Mrs. Scotts sister Miss Gladys VanAllan graduated.

The following were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm Shaver, St. Lawrence Street, over the week end, Dr. King and his daughter Marjory, and son Dr. Merle King, his wife and little daughter Lois Ann, all of Buffalo, N. Y., also Mr. and Mrs. Jas Weatherdon and little son Gerald, Miss Edith Weatherdon, Miss Ethel Dixon and Helen Headly, of Ottawa.

A grand dance will be held in the Drill Hall, Metcalfe, on Monday Night, May 28th. Music by "The Royal Ambassadors," a ten piece colored orchestra of Cleveland, Ohio. Admission $1.00 per couple. Refreshments served.

Correspondence

To Editor Winchester Press

Dear Sir:—In view of the recent infant death in our community I consider it my duty to call your attention, as editor, and that of your readers, to a condition that still prevails, although thought to have been abandoned long ago. I refer to the custom of having infants sleep, or rather try to sleep, in the same bed and between their parents. This is positively unwholesome, and to be condemned with severity.

In my position as coroner I have been called in the early hours of the morning, in a period of three years, to certify as to the death of four infants who have died, as the parents claim mysteriously in the night. There is never any mystery to me, nor to any physician, as to the cause of death. As we know, otherwise healthy infants do not die of sudden heart collapse, as in the case of people of advanced years. I have never been asked for a certificate of death in a case of this kind where an infant has been sleeping alone in its crib, nor do I believe there has ever been such an instance. Personally I am very much provoked and discouraged over the high mortality rate of helpless infants from this cause, and would urge all parents to have a care in order that they may have immunity from sorrow and blame.

P. McLaughlin, M. D.
May 17, 1928 Coroner

The Blushing Groom

(Collier's)

Just suppose they wrote up the bridegroom instead of the bride! Here's the way the wedding notice would read: The wedding of Stuart Stewart, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Somerby Stewart, and nephew of the late Senator Sappinton, of Arkansas, to Miss Ermyntrude La Jones, also of this city, was solemnized at the First Methodist Church at 3.30 o'clock Wednesday night. The regular pastor officiated. Preceding the ceremony Algernon Stewart, a cousin of the groom, sang "You're the Kind of a Man the Girls Forget." The groom wore a black swallow-tail coat of conventional cut, with satin lapels. A white vest was cut very low to display a plain stiff-bosom shirt which was white with a dash of Scotch. The studs were of cut glass. A silk tie, also of white, was tied in a neat bow, a little to one side of a wing collar. The trousers, of the same material as the coat, were distinguished by a vertical stripe of braid down each side and a crease in front and in the back of each leg. The belt, which was visible only after a deep intaking of breath, was of black leather with a silver initial buckle. Patent shoes with black cloth tops and pearl buttons completed the very becoming costume. He wore his hair parted in the middle, drawn tightly back from the forehead and pomaded close to the scalp. The bride was dressed in the conventional white.

For Sale

Grey Driving Mare.
3-4c Dr. McKendry

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At Your Service NOW.

Don't fail to call at Flora's for a Dainty Lunch, an Ice Cream Soda or a Delicious Sundae.

All ingredients will be absolutely pure and of the finest quality.

Choice Fruits, Selected Nuts and Pure Syrups will make our Sodas and Sundaes famous.

We are Waiting to Wait on You.

L. FLORA, Winchester

Telephone 33 Prompt Delivery

Winchester Baptist Church

PASTOR—Rev. Ernest Butcher.

SUNDAY, MAY 20, 1928

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Service at 11 a. m.

"Christian Courage."

Service at 7.30 p. m.

"A Life In The Dark."

Strangers and Visitors Welcomed.

The Needlecraft Store

Reduced Prices on the following:

Table Runners, Cushion Top, Luncheon Set with Serviettes, Corticelli Sylverfloss Wool.

Fine quality in all shades of Ladies' Hose, also Silk Knit Vests and Bloomers.

Hand-Painted Cards for all occasions.

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GOOD SHOE REPAIRS

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers repaired and resoled. All work done to please you at moderate prices. A share of your valued patronage solicited.

W. WORKMAN,
Main Street, - Winchester.

Seed Potatoes

I have just unloaded a car of Government Graded Certified Seed Potatoes "Irish Cobblers" Out side of the seed houses these are very scarce but I have a very attractive price on them. Everyone should get a small quantity of this Certified Seed.

I also have a limited quantity of Choice Table Potatoes, prices very reasonable.

A. W. BEACH

WINCHESTER -- ONT.

For Sale

GLADIOLI for sale, choice bulbs, mixed colors, 50c per doz., $3 per hundred.
Wm. Dickson
50-5p. Winchester

GLADIOLI

Choice mixed Gladioli Bulbs for sale. 30 for $1.00 postpaid.
Fred S. Broder,
Morrisburg

Boarders Wanted

Boarders wanted. Apply to
Mrs. N. Bowman, Gladstone St,
1-4c Phone 117

For Sale

One 1½ h. p. DeLaval Gasoline Engine, almost new, also one double gear pump jack.
2-3c Melvin's Garage

For Sale

1 well bred registered Holstein Bull Calf, one year old, herd fully accredited. Apply to John W. Guy,
2-3p. Inkerman

For Sale

One hundred bags of good eating potatoes, $1.75 per bag. Apply to
2tfc Colin Hutchinson, Winchester.

For Sale

Chrysler Sedan, practically new, only slightly used, 1927 model 50, at a very reasonable price. I have no further use for it. Apply to Mrs. Isabella Curtiss,
2tfc Main St. East, Winchester

For Sale

Good Timber Frame Building 24x44 cheap.
W. Workman, Main St.
Opposite Town Hall.

ARE EATING FEWER SWEETS.

Desire for Slimness Cuts Down Demand for Rich Deserts.

Confectioners are the latest victims of women's desire for slimness.

The annual report of the sugar section of Manchester Chamber of Commerce states that changes in the fashionable demand have resulted in a greatly decreased turnover among those engaged in the chocolate and confectionary branches.

Imports of refined sugar and sugar candy dropped nearly 6,000,000 cwts. last year, as compared with 1926.

There is concern at hotels and restaurants in London not only because women are passing by the sweet things, but also because they are refusing all manner of dishes which they used to delight in.

One London maitre d'hotel said.

"To-day women shake their heads at almost every dish one can mention —all are declined because of a fear that they are 'fattening.'

"They will not eat potatoes; they will not touch soup; they shudder at cream; they despise bread; they recoil from oil in any form; they accept a morsel of meat with an air of making a concession."

A chef at the Trocadero restaurant said that most women nowadays tolerated sugar merely as a sweetening agent. He added:

"They generally shun rich pastries and sweets in which jam or chocolate or cream is used, and choose fresh fruit, such as peaches and grapes, pineapple served with the juicy part of oranges, and bananas with lemon juice."

There are, however, it appears, sweets that do not fatten, and of these M. Francois Latry, chef of the Savoy restaurant, said:

"There are 50 per cent. more sweets to-day than there were ten years ago, and recently there have been created some sweets that are definitely guaranteed not to fatten in any way. Delicacies made with whites of egg are among those most favored —these and the sweets made with fresh fruit."

OLD DOCUMENTS ON POSTCARDS

Britain to Reproduce Famous Papers, Including Even Magna Charta.

Many of the most famous state documents upon which the very history of England depends will be reproduced for the public in the form of postcards.

Some of the documents are of incalculable value, and have been visible only under certain conditions at the Public Record Office in London.

Photographic and engraving experts are at work reproducing vital sections of these documents for use on the cards. It is expected that these cards will make the public more interested in the historical incidents connected with them.

The log of Nelson's flagship on the two days of the Battle of Trafalgar, a signature of Shakespeare, Sir Philip Sydney's last letter and the anonymous warning to Lord Monteagle which resulted in the discovery of the Gunpowder Plot are in the group selected. In connection with the Gunpowder Plot warning is the confession of Guy Fawkes.

Of particular interest is the historic "scrap of paper" which Germany was accused of violating when she invaded Belgium. It is the parchment page with the seals of the parties to the protocol of April, 1839, maintaining the independence of Belgium and the signatures of their representatives.

The original draft of the log of Nelson's Victory describes simply the Battle of Trafalgar and Nelson's wound and death. Beneath the record is a list of the casualties headed by the name of the commander-in-chief. The log states that when victory was reported to Nelson "he then died of his wound."

One card is made from the Magna Charta agreement in Latin between King John and the barons, 1215, only four copies of which now exist.

If the historical set proves popular another set will be prepared.

Hunters' "Paradise."

Canada is a wonderful country, but his native land surpasses it in many ways, was the opinion expressed by S. Bayliss, of Auckland, New Zealand, who recently visited Canada. He says New Zealand now offers one of the finest hunting and fishing grounds of the world from the standpoint of sportsmen and professional trappers and fishermen.

Mr. Bayliss praised his country's "living wage" system, which recently was placed at $30 a week through an arbitration board of Labor and Government representatives. The scale is based on the cost of living.

The Peace River Country.

Premier Brownlee declares that in the Peace River country there were at least 12,000,000 acres of the finest wheat-growing soil, easily capable of the production of 180,000,000 bushels of wheat a year, which is not much less than the production of Alberta last year. Last year the Peace River country produced 9,000,000 bushels of wheat from 300,000 acres under cultivation, the yield acre being unusually heavy.

A Unique Position.

Viscount Craigavon, the Prime Minister of Northern Ireland, is in the unique position of being able to sit in the House of Lords at Westminster and in the Lower House of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

Canada's Forest Products.

The net value of forest products in Canada in 1927 from camps, mills and factories is estimated to be not less than $475,000,000.

Replacing Dog-Teams.

Airplanes are replacing dog-teams in the work of delivering mail to mining fields.

A HUGE RANCH.

Widow Operates Farm of Two Hundred Square Miles.

The story of a woman pioneer's existence at a station 200 miles north of Alice Springs, in the centre of the continent of Australia is told by an Adelaide correspondent of the Christian Science Monitor. She is a widow, Mrs. F. A. Price, whose husband was the postmaster at Alice Springs, and she has a family of two sons and two daughters. The husband had laid out plans for developing a big holding some distance north of Alice Springs, and, despite handicaps and difficulties, the widow determined to proceed with them.

So, with 200 head of cattle, she set out for the station. With the temporary help of a man and her daughters (still in their 'teens) a rough shack was built in the wilds and named Wurlie, the designation given by the blacks to a camping place. Thus the long battle began for a living in the strange and inhospitable bush, and it required skill and industry to manage a property extending over 200 square miles. Occasionally the help of the blacks was obtained in carrying out the arduous work, but the capacity of organization shown by Mrs. Price soon told its tale.

To-day she has 1,000 sheep, as well as cattle and goats. Her eldest daughter, Mollie, is considered one of the best riders in the Northern Territory. The outback pastoralists regard her as quite as accomplished in bushcraft as any qualified station hand.

All the shearing is done by the women on the station, and they also do the branding—in fact, no job which usually falls to the lot of a man is shirked by them. Even the art of tracking human beings, animals and reptiles is practiced with skill, and they are able to identify the movements of particular horses from the tracks of the mob. One of Mrs. Price's latest feats was to drive 200 sheep from the station to Oodnadatta, a distance of 500 miles. The only help she had on the long journey was that provided by two sons, both of whom are mere boys.

Mrs. Price's property promises to be one of the most successful in Central Australia. She has so trained her children that they are able to share in the responsibilities of management. For instance, while the mother and other sister were down in the city at the marriage ceremony for one of the daughters, Mollie and a small brother carried on the work. The nearest telegraph station is 40 miles from the home, and the closest neighbor is the same distance away. The only mode of travel is by horseback, but the girls think nothing of a ride of 40 miles for the mail, which arrives only once a fortnight.

PROVED BY TREE RINGS.

Indians Lived in British Columbia Before Advent of White Man.

The stump of a cedar tree that grew up out of an Indian shell heap at Ritchie Point, B.C., has testified to the antiquity of the Indians who once lived there. A preliminary count of rings in a cross section of the stump shows 325 annual rings, without counting the heart rot or the closely crowded outer rings, according to Harlan I. Smith, archaeologist of the National Museum of Canada, says a Science Service Bulletin.

The Indians who tossed clam and mussell shells from innumerable dinners on the kitchen dump heap must have lived before the coming of the Europeans to this country, it is concluded. Their exact age cannot be set because it is impossible to determine how long after they left the place the tree began to grow on the rubbish pile.

Several trees growing over Indian remains have been used in this way to set the minimum limit on the age of northwestern Indians, and the heaps are thus proved to be at least three or four hundred years old. Some, however, may be centuries older, perhaps preceding the Christian era, Mr. Smith says, and unless geological evidence comes to the rescue there is little chance of learning the true dates where these old American settlements flourished.

Invent What They Want.

Women invent what they want if they cannot otherwise get it, according to a firm of London patent agents, who state that during the 100 years they have been practicing they have not dealt with so many women's inventions as during 1927. Folding tables, cooking utensils, nursery safeguards and many other inventions have been submitted by women. It is estimated that applications filed by inventors in Great Britain last year was at least 35,400. The 1926 total was 32,000.

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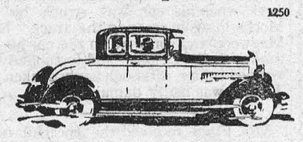

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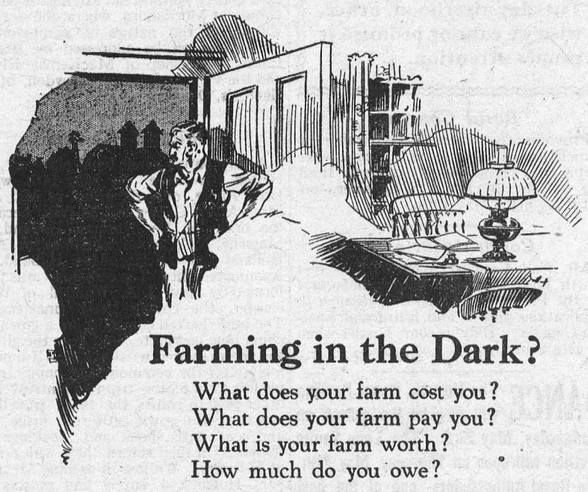

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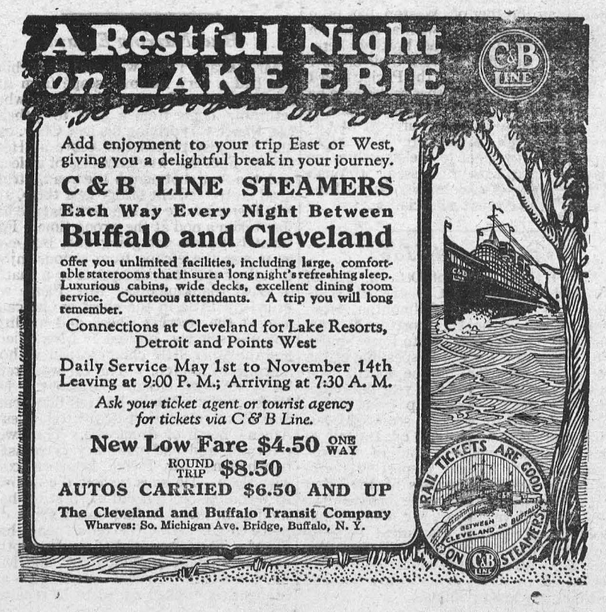

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Cute in a Baby—Awful at Three —and it's Dangerous

by Ruth Brittain



Thumb sucking does look sweet in a baby, but it is disgusting in the three-year-old and sometimes it hangs on until fifteen or sixteen! The habit may cause an ill-formed mouth or induce adenoids; and it always interferes with digestion. Pinning the sleeve over the hand; attaching mittens, or putting on cardboard cuffs, which prevent bending the arms at the elbows, are some of the ways to stop the habit.

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Chinese Armies Open Offensive

Yenchowfu Invested by the Nationalist Troops, Says Gen. Chiang Kai-shek

Nanking, China.—The spring offensive of the Nationalist armies, with Peking, ancient capital of the Manchus, as its goal, has got under way with a rush.

From the theatre of war stretching fro mthe southern tip of the Province of Shansi to the coast, where almost three-quarters of a million men are in arms, has come the first word of fighting—an official communique from Hsuchowfu, Nationalist headquarters, reporting the capture of two important key cities in southern Shantung.

The communique, sent from the headquarters of Chiang Kai-shek, Nationalist Commander-in-chief says that Yenchowfu on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway line and Ichowful, on the Li Ho in southeastern Shangtung, have been invested by the Nationalist armies. Yenchowfu is approximately 70 miles north of the battle line which existed at the beginning of the spring offensive on April 7, while Ichowfu is about 35 miles north of that line.

Shanghai. — With the advent of spring, the long-talked-of Nationalist offensive against the north, in which probably 750,0000 men will be engaged, has opened on a 400-mile front and is rapidly advancing.

Minard's Liniment for insect bites.

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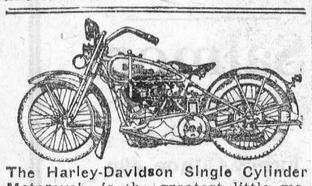

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German Reports Finding Atlantis, Legendary Land

Plato's Description Declared Borne Out by Remnants of African Settlement

Region Covered by Relics French Recognize Discovery by Dr. Borchardt

Berlin.—Paul Borchardt, a German scholar, believes that he has found the Lost Atlantis, of which Plato wrote and which is thought to have disappeared about 1300 B.C.

For hundreds of years scholars have argued as to whether this country really existed or whether it was merely a myth started in ancient times. Plato got his account of the destruction of Atlantis from Solon, who was told of it by the priests of Neith, the guardians of the veiled image of Saais in Egypt.

DISCOVERIES DESCRIBED.

Dr. Arthur Berger, in the "Tageblatt," gives the following account of Dr. Borchardt's discoveries:

"Scholars have tried in vain to determine the place where Atlantis sank into the sea. Tremendous amounts of earth were dug up, and the sea was sounded—in vain. Till finally the German savant, Paul Borchardt, put forth the hypothesis some years ago that Atlantis ought to be looked for somewhere near Gabes, in the north of Africa. Again the quarrel of scholars flamed up—and now came recently the report that Borchardt's hypothesis seems true. He himself writes me:

"'The sun stood low on the sky; with my glasses I was able to see discnittly a flat hill which was surrounded by a big circle which plants had formed in a shallow valley. I started immediately for it, and twenty minutes later I stood on the hill. It was undoubtedly an old settlement, as the remnants of walls which peeped out of the ground proved. Around me was the above mentioned circular valley. My surprise was still greater when I suddenly discovered a second circle which ran concentrically around the first one. This was no doubt the circular plan which Plato had described.'

"But then came the spectre of doubt. Was he not perhaps mistaken? Wasn't this all his own imagination?

MANY RELICS FOUND.

"And again he went out on the next day; this time the rector of a French school accompanied him. The circular valleys or ditches were known to him; a native shepherd knew even the name for the hill in the center, which he called Kair Gallal, which means 'water pitcher burg.' Plato wrote 'water burg.' Is it a coincidence or a change of the old name which nowadays does not fit any more? There is no water any more in these ditches. For thousands of years the earth has invaded this region, where formerly the sea and the canals and the harbor were. Around this hill one finds huge masses of old broken pots, stone spear points, broken fire stone knives and now and then those bits of walls which seem to indicate that once a big building, perhaps a temple, stood on this place. At many places the wandering sand of the desert has taken away the marks of a former civilization; but at other places there are rather numerous remnants.

"Wherever Borchardt rode he met with such traces of an old settlement. There is a fountain spring which, according to the tales of the natives, is supposed to date back to the days of the Romans, and everywhere there are fragments of pottery in the gardens of the oases; an entire region is called after these pieces of pottery: Dahret ech Chuga, the 'Hill of Broken Pieces.' The entire country is literally covered with ruins and broken fire stone instruments. These could not have been carried here by the winds in the course of the centuries; they rather must be the relics of a time when many people lived in this region. This was not the case in historical days, since there is no report whatever about a town in this district. Everything else makes one believe that Professor Borchardt actually found the place where once the world-governing Atlantis stood. It is a huge spot, circular, and about five miles wide.

FRENCH RECOGNIZE DISCOVERY.

"And the scholar concludes in the letter he wrote to me:

"'Plato's Atlantis was not a mere fairy tale, his report did not hint at Southern Spain; but the 'Sea of the Atalantes' is the 'Bahr Atala,' the Tritan Sea of Diodorus and the nowadays almost dried up Shott-Djered.'

"Now there was still one question: Would the French, in whose colony this place lies, recognize the discovery? Those were days full of worry for the explorer till the director of the archæology department of Tunesia arrived. Borchardt explained to him his view of the matter, showed him everything, and—the great moment came. Professor Poinsot recognized Borchardt's discovery unreservedly, and reported to the authorities in Berlin that the excavations could start next fall!

"There is no doubt Borchardt found the place where once a huge city stood. Perhaps, and we shall hope so, the fifteenth of February, 1928, will be to posterity the day when Borchardt stood for the first time on Plato's circular burg; it will be a day of glory in the history of archæology; and perhaps it will become possible to bring Atlantis back to daylight, just as the German scholar Schliemann brought Troy back to our eyes some decades ago."

Discovery of Land Flight's Chief Object

Wilkins Sought to Reach Area in Which Crocker Land Was Thought to Exist

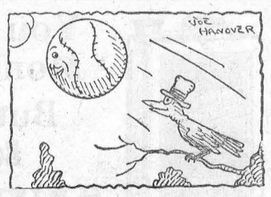
Dr. Isaiah Bowman, director of the American Geographical Society of New York and scientific sponsor of the Wilkins flight, made the following statement on Captain Wilkin's achievement:

"In Captain Wilkin's third Arctic expedition, now brought to a brilliant conclusion by his flight from Point Barrow to Spitzbergen, it was sought to make a crossing of the polar sea by the route that would be most likely to lead to the discovery of land. Captain Wilkin's flight of last year northwest to Point Barrow, as well as the flight of the Norge across the Pole, had eliminated any possibility of land being found on a direct route from Alaska to Spitzbergen.

"Captain Wilkins therefore planned to swing to the right on his crossing of the Arctic Ocean and thus penetratethe area in which 'Crooker Land' was thought to exist. This was the land that Peary thought he saw from the north end of Grant Land. It was the region which MacMillan sought to penetrate some years later. It is the area into which Nobile has announced that he intends to take his dirigible. It is popularly known as the 'blind spot' in the Arctic. The scientist would call it the unexplored border of the Continental Shelf northwast of Grant Land."

'Here in the relatively shallow border of the Arctic Ocean, the chance of finding land has been, thought to be greater than in other parts of the Arctic where deep soundings have been reported. Wilkins's flight has at last cleared up this area as well as several other areas north of Greenland. Except for the shallow border of the Arctic off the long coast of Siberia, only land of small extent may be expected to be found in the Arctic Basin by further exploration. Captain Wilkins's expedition thus had strictly scientific objects. At no time did he plan to fly over the Pole, unless he drifted in that direction as a result of quartering winds.

"By a series of code messages previously agreed upon, Captain Wilkins was to inform me of the position, character and number of islands that he might discover along the line of his flight. In a message received by me Captain Wilkins reported no land.



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Unable to support properly his wife and nine children on the wages of a blast furnaceman, and discouraged by conditions in the Old Country, Thomas Booth of Scunthorpe, Lincs., looks to Canada to give him a return more commensurate with his labors. Having had considerable farm experience he decided to emigrate and he arrived in Canada this week on the White Star liner Calgaric. He will work a farm at Emo, Ont.

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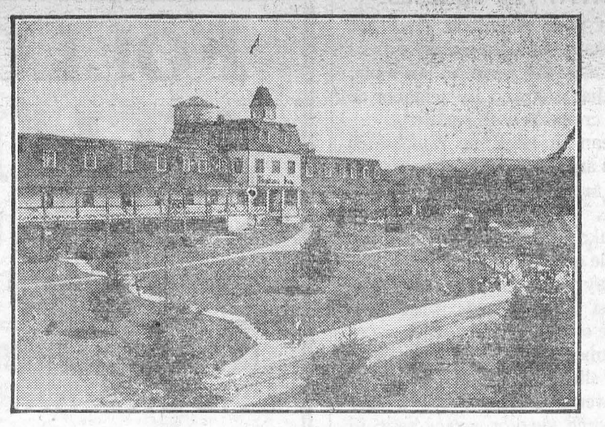

Highland Inn, situated on Cache Lake, Algonquin Park, will again be open for the accommodation of tourists who wish to spend their holidays at this popular Ontario playground, it is announced by A. S. McLean, General Superintendent of Canadian National Railways Hotels, Montreal. Some time ago it was announced that the Canadian National Railways would not operate the Inn this season, but there has nevertheless been a steady demand for accommodation at this popular summer resort. An agreement has now been made whereby N. T. Clarke, for several seasons manager of the Inn, will this year operate it on his own account and the opening date has been set for July 1. The Inn will continue in operation until September 30. The opening of new sections of the Park as canoeing and fishing grounds by pioneering parties during the past few seasons, has done much to attract attention to this popular Ontario resort and Algonquin Park has developed as a summer resort for grown ups who love the woods and waterways. At the same time, the Park has developed as the site of boys' and girls' camps, several of which operate in the Park each year, with an aggregate attendance of approximately one thousand boys and girls.—Canadian National Railways photograph.



OWL LAFFS

BY O.W.L.

(ON WITH LAUGHTER)

First Twin—"What's the big idea? Setting on my husband's lap and necking with him."

Second Twin—"Don't blame me, Sis. I told him I wasn't you but he wouldn't believe me."

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YES OR NO

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An old farm laborer jumped up and said: "Please, maister, might I ask 'e a question?"

"Certainly, my good fellow," said the candidate.

"Well, then, maister," said the old farm hand, "what's the time?"

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Sir Austen Chamberlain says that war between England and America is unthinkable, oil of which may be true, but then both England and America have some of the greaters unthinkers the world has ever known.—New York Evening Post.

A Negro preacher had pestered his bishop so much with appeals for help that the bishop finally told him with a tone of finality that he didn't want any more appeals from him. The next week came another letter from the preacher:—"Dear Bishop,—I assure you this is not an appeal. It is a report. I have no pants."

Minard's Liniment for Toothache.

"How do you spell 'graphic'," asked the young man, "with one 'f' of two?" "The old man sighed. "Well, he said at last, "if you are going to use any you might as well go the limit."

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But "TRU-BLOOD" is more than a blood purifier—its use eradicates the outward evidences of impoverished blood, such as pimples, boils, eczema, blotches and all other skin affections.

Buckley's OINTMENT, used in conjunction with Buckley's TRU-BLOOD, heals magically and leaves the skin smooth and soft.

Especially during the adolescent age, pimples and various forms of skin eruptions are likely to appear. They mar the complexion and cause untold anguish. The combined TRU-BLOOD and Buckley's OINTMENT treatment promptly corrects the condition and leaves the skin clear, smooth and colorful.

Most druggists can supply you with these proven Buckley products.

Tones the Blood

TRU-BLOOD

Clears the Skin



Indigestion

What most people call indigestion is usually excess acid in the stomach. The food has soured. The instant remedy is an alkali which neutralizes acids. But don't use crude helps. Use what your doctor would advise.

The best help is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia. For the 50 years since its invention it has remained standard with physicians. You will find nothing else so quick in its effect, so harmless, so efficient.

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Thursday, May 17th 1928

THE WEED CONTROL ACT

The Weed Control Act passed by the Ontario Legislature at its last session is what may be considered very drastic in its regulations. In fact it does not give the citizens as much liberty as the Liquor Control Act, because you have no option, and if you don't do what you are told, someone else will be engaged to do it and you will have to pay the shot. And there is no mistake about what you have to do. You cannot offer the excuse that a late season made it impossible for you to destroy the weeds. You cannot plead that sickness, or fire, or any other misfortune has come to harass you. The Act says that "Every occupant of land, or if land is unoccupied the owner. shall destroy all weeds designated noxious by the regulations, as often in every year as is sufficient to prevent the ripening of their seeds.

Now some laws are evaded, or their enforcement neglected. But not the Weed Control Act. The Act says:

The council of every city, town, village and township shall appoint at least one inspector to enforce the provisions of this Act in the municipality and fix the amount of the remuneration, fees or charges he is to receive for the performance of his duties, and if a vacancy occurs in the office the council shall fill the same forthwith.

Where a council neglects or refuses to appoint an inspector as provided in section 4 the Minister may by writing under his hand, appoint an inspector or inspectors for the municipality and may fix tne amount of the remuneration, fees or charges payable to such inspector or inspectors.

The following shall be deemed noxious weeds within the meaning of this Act: Bladder Campion, Ox-eye Daisy, Sow Thistles, White Cockle, Wild Oats, Canada Thistle, Blue Weed, Chicory, Docks. Ragweed, Ribgrass, Russian Thistle, Stickseed, Stinkweed, Tumbling Mustard, Wild Wild carrot, Wild barley, Cinquefoils, Burdocks, Hawkweeds, Field Peppergrass, Wild lettuces.

The council of a municipality shall cause to be inserted in a newspaper, circulating in the municipality, a notice of the appointment of a weed inspector or inspectors and shall also notify the local Representative of the Ontario Department of Agriculture of such appointment.

It shall be the duty of the inspector to see that the terms of the Act are observed by all owners or occupiers of land within the municipality and to advise the Minister of Agriculture in reference to the cutting of weeds on highways.

Everyone will admit that the noxious weeds are a great menace to agriculture and are doing the land much harm. They ought to be controlled. But is it fair to put the burden on the owners or occupiers of farm land. There are hundreds of cases, who, if the regulations of this act are strictly enforced, it will mean a very great hardship.

OUR GREATEST ASSET

The following extract from an article in a well known monthly Journal has so much forceful truth that it cannot be given too much publicity.

"Children are our one priceless possession. If they are no good, nothing else matters. Business, farming, railroads, steel mills—all futile if the youth of the nation make a mess of life. And the mere teaching of facts does not prevent the mess. In any real school there is a teacher from whose life some sort of full-hearted character shines into the life of the lad and stays there. Yes. it stirs that lad until he knows how to control his temper, to have courage, to find joy in common things and in the out-of-doors, to play fair, to make friends, and to keep them.

"Dry education! Why, if we are not too dumb to understand, there is power in it to call every mechanic, every railroader, every judge, every farmer, and every janiter to prayer, asking his Maker to give us teachers. Real teachers care nothing for rules, marks, or grades. They merely live gloriously, love their boys and girls, give their lives away to them. To find such teachers is the country's greatest business."

KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES.

Keeping up with your neighbour does not always mean extravagance or unnecessary expenditure. There is much in the force of example, and a good example that is copied by neighbor or friend is much to the credit of both parties.

This has been clean-up week in Winchester and as a result of this annual cleanup, Winchester is a much healthier and much more attractive place in which to live.

All it costs to make a home surrounding attractive is a very little energy and well directed work. One hour a day will keep any place in Winchester in the best possible shape if the work is well directed. The only toofs necessary are a rake, a shovel, a hammer and a few nails, with plenty of energy and elbow grease.

A few bright flowers, a clean lawn, a tidy back yard, a fence, porch, shed or garage kept in good repair reflect a spirit of enterprise and good character more than any other outward evidence.

Keep up the Winchester spirit. Let no place in this section outdo us in civic enterprise. By each doing our part the result is bound to be a more beautlful Winchester.

A GENERAL PROTEST

There is a general protest against the proposed increase in salaries paid to members of the House of Commons. If the raise is given before another election it will mean that there will be something doing among the people.

Members of Parliament receive a sessional indemnity of four thousand dollars. In addition, they travel free on all Canadian railways, as a matter of right not of favour, and have the franking privileges of the mails giving them free postage, a most valuable consideration. In return for these valuable items in money or kind the members of the House of Commons are in attendance at Ottawa for three or four months of the year. That is to say, each member receives remuneration for his attendance at Ottawa amounting to about two hundred and fifty dollars per week, or one thousand dollars per month, this in addition to free travelling and postage facilities. What else they get only Heaven and themselves know. Not bad remuneration as things go these expensive days.

TOO MUCH KNOCKING

There is too much "knocking" and not enough "credit-giving" in the world today, says an exchange. People usually grasp the opportunity to criticize, but they are not always as alert in recognizing a worthy act and bestowing praise when it is deserved. That is why you so often hear people refer to "this thankless old world." But the world isn't thankless. Any man who devotes his life to an effort to bring about better and more prosperous conditions in the community in which he lives is bound to hold the respect and the gratitude of his neighhors. But they don't always tell him so. They are too busy, perhaps—but in most cases it is simply thoughtlessness, and the failure to realize the value of a word of praise.

CHURCH UNION

A proposal for the union of the Presbyterian and Methodist Episcopal churches in the United States will come officially before the supreme courts of both denominations this month. The quadrennial general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet in Kansas City, and the Presbyterian general assembly will be held in Tulsa, Okla. Resolutions in support of union will be submitted to both. The Methodists have 25,000 churches, thousands of parsonages, hundreds of colleges, hospitals and institutions with a total value of about $550,000,000. The Presbyterian denomination has 10,000 churches and property valued at $330,000,000.

A GOOD MOTOR TRIP

The Brockville Recorder-Times published, last week, a list of motor trips it would recommend its readers starting out from Brockville. We noticed that the Recorder-Times in each of its eastern routes ended at Prescott and then directed north. Why not continue east as far as Morrisburg, then north to Winchester, and on to Ottawa, returning by the Ottawa-Prescott highway. It is one of the most delightful of the routes laid out by the Brockville paper. And, then, a visit to Winchester in the summer or winter is always a delight to strangers.

A MUNICIPAL RINK

The town of Acton, with a population less than two thousand, last week voted for a municipal owned covered rink, and the vote stood 128 to 62 in favor. The Acton Free Press says that the vote was well canvassed and a very complete vote poled. The scheme had active opponents as well as advocates. Only ratepayers were allowed to vote, and the vote speaks well for their public interests.

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With hard brim, several new shades
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Axminster
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Shades, Natural, Blue and Green
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WORK SHIRTS
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$2.00 to $5.00 each

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75c each

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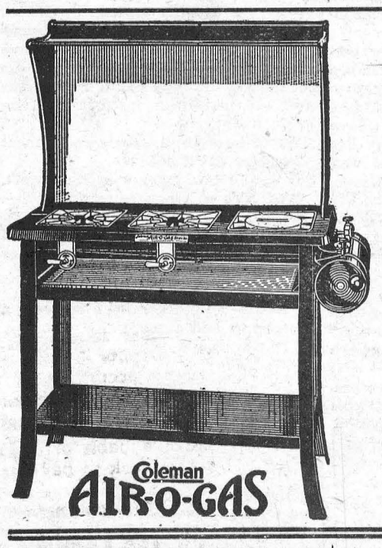

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Fancy Pink 25c
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10 lb Pails $2.00
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Buy Now and Save.

Toy's Hill

Mrs. Maggie Webb of Ottawa, spent last week with her brother Mr. Wm Steele.

Miss Hilda Hutt is spending sometime with friends at Moose Creek and Martin town.

Mr. Fred Jeffery of Strader's Hill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Haggerty.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Steele and family, spent Sunday at Cornwall.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kirkwood took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Morrow of Winchester Springs on Sunday.

Mr. Loyd Casselman of Winchester, Mr. Jimmy Casselman and Miss Olive Casselman of Winchester Springs were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Casselman.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ault of Shanley, spent Sunday with Mrs. Louisa McIntosh

Mr and Mrs. Francis Wickwire and Mr. T. Thompson of Pleasant Valley, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wylie.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hutt and family, of Inkerman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kirkwood.

Miss Charlotte Moore of Brinston, spent Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. Jas. Casselman and son Jay, spent Sunday evening with Mrs M. Casselman of Hulbert.

South Mountain

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Christ Forrester, on Friday May 11, a daughter.

Mr. Ben Cochrane of Prescott, was a caller in town on Sunday.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murdock on Sunday were Mr. and Howard Wylie of Toy's Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Francis and children.

Miss Mandy Holly of Smith's Falls, is spending a few days with the Misses Helen and Lillian Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Boyd spent Sunday at the latter's home Mr. and Mrs. Angus Coons of Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mullholland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Minor Henderson of Heckston.

The Misses Eva and Blanche Steinburg acsompanied by Messrs Dick Alton of Ogdensburg and Gordon Boyd spent Sunday in Ottawa

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. C R Robinson of Winchester, spent Sunday with town friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mulholland spent Sunday with Iroquois friends.

Mrs. Henry Barkley spent a few days last week with her mother at Oxford Mills, who is very ill.

Mr. George Moulton of Cardinal, spent Sunday at his home.

Miss Madeline Locke of Cardinal spent over the week end with Miss Jessie Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fetterly and family of Hallville, Sundayed with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Murdock.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Barriger of Cardinal, were guests on Sunday of Mr. John and Miss Margaret Jordon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Crowder and Doris, Miss Luella Forrester, and Miss Margaret Waller of Ottawa, were guests on Sunday of town friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Guy of Van Camp, were Sunday guests of Laura Armstrong who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cameron, Rannell and Doris, visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thompson of Hainsville Sunday.

Mrs. James Magee and Mrs. M. J. Cleland attended the Brockville Presbyterial of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, held at Prescott on May 9th and reports a very inspiring and helpful meeting.

Winchester Springs

Mrs. Wm Webb, of Ottawa, took tea Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Orren Casselman.

Mrs. Albert Holmes, Messrs Harry, Oliver and Leslie spent Friday at Cornwall with Mr. Holmes who is a patient in the General Hospital.

Mrs. S Rice is spending sometime with her daughter, Mrs. Brown, of Spencerville.

Mr. J. Morrow, who has been transferred to Montreal from Ottawa, spent Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Morrow.

Mrs. M. Webb, of Ottawa, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. O. Casselman, and other friends.

Rev. Hurst and daughter took tea with Mr. and Mrs. Orren Casselman, Sunday evening.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Robinson on Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. D. Kinkaid, Mr. and Mrs. R. Dillabough and family, of Russell, Mrs. T. Crawford and Mrs. L. Woods, of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McIntosh spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Beckstead, at Williamsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McIntosh spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carman Johnston, of Inkerman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bailey and family spent Saturday at Cornwall Hospital with their son, who is progressing favourable.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Robinson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Robinson and son of Elma, and Miss Lydia Robinson of Williamsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Johnston, of U. S., has moved on the Myron Davidson farm. We extend a welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Johnston.

Mrs. Margaret Webb and Mrs. Orren Casselman took tea with Mrs. F. Cross, Monday.

Miss Jennie Haggerty, of Ottawa, passed through town to spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. O. Haggerty, of Toyes Hill.

Mr. Albert Coons, of Syracuse, N. Y., is visiting at the home of Mr. Tom Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm Harper, of Nation Valley, spent Sunday at Miss Georgie Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. L. McIntosh and Mr. Roy McIntosh and Miss Muriel McIntosh spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Middagh, of Brockville.

Mrs. Arthur Henry, of Nudell Bush, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. L. Shaver.

Mrs. McKenny, of Victoria, B. C., who arrived a few days ago to attend the burial of her father, the late James Duff, was unable to attend on account of illness. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant McIntosh and family, of Williamsburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Munro.

Miss Mary Bailey spent Saturday at Ottawa.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter McIntosh last week were, Mr. and Mrs. L. Whittaker, of Williamsburg, Misses Lorna and Beatrice Johnston, of Loyes Hill, Mr. Harry Potter and Miss Rae Dyrby.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Casselman spent Sunday at Mr. Delbert Coleman, Toyes Hill.

The burial of the late James Duff took place at Avonmore from the vault on Sunday. The burial service was under the auspices of the L. O. L. Those from a distance were Mr. Alex Duff and Mrs. Boyden, of St. Paul, Minn., Mrs. Carbine, Braynard, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. C. Duff and Mrs. James Duff, of Detroit, Mich.

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Nudell Bush

Mr. Alva Henophy has purchased a Pontiac Car.

Mr. Geo Cramer, of Morrisburg, spent Wednesday at Mr. E. Droppos.

Mr. G. Dennison and Mr. Russell, of Archer, passed through here on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs Geo Henophy, of Massena, N. Y., spent the week end with Mr. A Henophy.

Messrs Bail Hallister and L. Pruner, of Massena, N. Y., spent the week at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berton spent Sunday at Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo Casselman spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. H. Phillips.

Mr. J. Salmons, of Riverside, made a business trip through here on Tuesday last.

Mr. Earl Hallister called at Mr. McIntosh, Wednesday.

Mr. W. A. Edwards, of Gallingertown, called on friends here Wednesday.

Mr. Denny, of Cornwall, called at Mr. A. J. Henry, Wednesday.

Mr. Pelton of Prescott, called on friends here Friday.

Mr. D. T. Henderson, of Morrisburg, passed through here on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Henophy and family spent Sunday at Lunenburg.

Mrs. A. J Henry spent Sunday with friends at Winchester Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C Shaughnessy, of Hoasic, spent Sunday at the latter's home here.

Melvin News

Mrs. Sherwood Wilson, of Ottawa, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lanoue.

Mrs. Ira Christie, of Chesterville, spent the week end at the home of her son, Sherman.

Miss Laura O'Neil and brother Stewart spent Sunday with their sisters, Mrs. B Masterson and Mrs. Willie Masterson, of Chesterville.

Mrs. M. R. Black and daughter Hilda spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Docksteader Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Christie and son Glenn spent Tuesday with friends at Greely.

Mrs. J. E. Lanoue and daughter, Mrs. S. Wilson of Ottawa, attended Convocation at McMaster University, Toronto, on Tuesday when the former's son Ulric received his Master of Arts degree.

The neighbors and friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Christie on Friday evening in honor of Miss Lera Gainer whose marriage took place on Monday A very enjoyable evening was spent by all.

Cloverdale

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Humphrey spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Larmour.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dignard and family spent Sunday with friends in Emburn

Mrs. Ira Docksteader and Pearl and Miss Helen Taylor spent Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hughes.

Miss Eleanor Smith is spending some time with her cousin Miss Hilda Cinnamon.

Miss Helen Taylor and Mr. Gordon Cummings spent one night last week with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Docksteader.

C. F. C. unloaded a car of fence wire and feed last week.

Mrs. John Baker and Mr. Morton Stobo spent Sunday at their home here.

We are sorry to report Master Clifford Larmoureuxon the sick list at present.

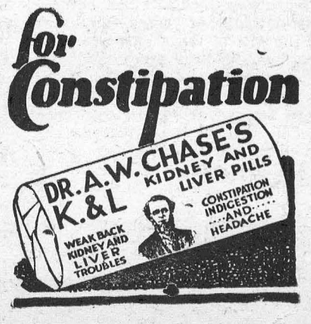
Morewood United Church

The Anniversary Services will be on Sunday, June 10th, with Rev. H. Mick. P. T. D., of Westboro, Ottawa, preacher for the day. Supper and Concert, on Monday, the 11th.

Features in connection with our Sunday evening services are the singing from our new song book, Victorious Service Songs, and an evangelisric sermon. Come with the car full.

The pastor is conducting a Church Membership Training Class Sundays 2.30 p. m. to 3.30 p. m. during this month. There will be Sacrament and Reception of new members Sunday, June 3rd.

Next meeting of our Young Peoples, on Friday, May 25th.



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The woman said: "What can you make out of that?" In June, 1924, when we took in the overseas trip with the press party we visited among other spots of historic interest, the home of Robert Burns at Ayr and there we read the names of the contributors to pay his funeral expenses. The document went on to say that his wife and family had been left in want.

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THE YELLOW SEVEN.

THE BOX TRICK

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BEGIN HERE TODAY.

Captain John Hewitt, Commissioner of Police at Jesselton, British North Borneo, asks help from Chai-Hung, influential Chinese, in the recovery of jewels stolen from Lady Stornaway while she is a guest at the commissioner's home. Peter Pennington, known as "Chinese" Pennington, because of his slant eyes, is hired by the government to run to earth The Yellow Seven, a gang of Chinese bandits. Monica Viney, beautiful widow, is living with her brother, Captain Hewitt.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Monica gasped.

"The well of Oriental cunning knows no bottom," continued Pennington, "and yet I flatter myself I've learnt to probe into it deeply.

"I have been working quietly but steadily on this rather unusual jewel robbery.

"I found no difficulty in running the original thief to earth. I was on the point of closing with him when a singular complication occurred: As I lay on my 'tummy' in the undergrowth he was knifed—completely and effectively—before my eyes!"

Hewitt bent forward suddenly.

"Good Lord!"

"I collared the assassin low and we fought like wild cats. He had the strength of a bison and, if he hadn't left his knife in the back of his victim, I shouldn't be here now. Anyhow he broke away and got clear, leaving me with this."

He held the torn half of a yellow strip of pasteboard before the commissioner's astonished eyes.

For a second Hewitt seemed deprived of the power of speech, and it was Monica's voice that launched the question.

"But, Mr. Pennington, if he was a confederate—why did he kill his friend?"

"Because," suggested her brother, "once having got the pendant, he decided to keep it."

"No," said Pennington with conviction, "I fancy you're wrong there. The assassin didn't trouble to search the dead man, but I went over him thoroughly. The booty had passed from his hands long before I overtook him."

Monica drew in a deep breath.

"I still don't see—"

"I believe our friend was guilty of a serious indiscretion in leaving behind the token that had been entrusted to him—the yellow seven."

"I don't see that we're much forra'der," declared Hewitt moodily. "What do you suggest doing?,'

"Turning in for a spell," said Pennington. "In the meantime watch every port, search everyone who tries to embark—everyone, you understand. Cheerio!"

He made his way toward the back of the house, leaving Monica bubbling over with curiosity.

Hewitt anticipated the question that was forming itself on her lips.

"That's about the most remarkable feller in eastern waters," he told her. "'Chinese Pennington' they call him. You saw his eyes? His pedigree's faultless, but some extraordinary freak of fortune—or birth, if you like, decreed he should go through life—looking like that. I fancy locality has a big effect on appearance. Pennington's people have been merchants in Shanghai for generations. Anyhow, there it is! To all intents and purposes he's as white as you or me, but there's no getting away from the fact that he has the eyes of an Oriental. He knows Chinese character inside out. He can talk like them. He can get himself up to look like 'em. He holds a sort of roving commission. He's streets ahead of the ordinary native detective. The queer thing is that the natives know of Pennington, but they've never managed to nail him. They regard him as something almost superhuman. They call him 'he who sees in the dark'."

"How delightfully thrilling!" commented Monica. "He must be frightfully brave."

The commissioner smiled grimly.

"Pennington'd tackle the devil incarnate."

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The presence of a young, beautiful and undeniably attractive widow is bound to cause something more than a mild sensation in any quarter of the globe where there happens to be a preponderance of unattached males. It was perfectly natural, therefrore, that Monica Viney, at such times when her brother was occupied with his affairs, was rarely at a loss for a cavalier to accompany her on her habitual excursions in search of knowledge, after the sun was down. At these times, however, Pennington was never available. He came and went and yet she had never witnessed either his arrival or departure.

It was during one of those evening walks that she persuaded Dawson—a local district officer—to take her to a gambling-den.

They had been strolling leisurely through the native quarter, stopping at innumerable stores and purchasing an inordinate quantity of perfectly useless articles. They halted presently before a long building from which, at intervals, came bursts of guttural chattering. At one end a door stood half-open, a patch of yellow light falling on the roadway.

She caught his arm impulsively and tried to drag him toward the entrance, but Dawson, cautious and immovable as granite, waited until there was a lull in the stream of devotees. He guided her through the doorway and into a narrow cubicle screened from the entrance-hall by a heavy curtain. An elderly Chinaman, humpbacked and wizened, left the stool on which he had been seated, nodded to Dawson and went out. Her escort placed the stool in front of a narrow slit cut in the woodwork.

Monica peered cautiously through. There was a long table running the whole length of the hall, a round dozen of smaller ones, and the entire walls seemed to be covered with crudely-colored pictures without frames. The whole atmosphere throbbed with feverish activity, the rattling of dice, and spasmodic, inarticulate grunts that she could not decide whether intended for signs of pleasure or despair. There were clerks in white duck, native overseers in greasy suits, coolies with broad-brimmed hats of plaited cane and wearing only loincloths.

A Chinaman, wearing enormous horn-rimmed spectacles, sat at the far end of a big table before what appeared to be the inverted halves of cocoanut shells. Whenever these were lifted, there arose a repetition of the discordant babel she had heard as they approached. All along both sides Orientals of every class and distinction thronged the rocking forms. Every now and then a man rose, seemingly emotionless, and left the table.

Monica, the novelty of this strange scene holding her enthralled, allowed her gaze to wander round the room. Presently it fell upon the form of an Oriental in a suit of greasy blue whose face seemed peculiarly familiar. Every time a player from the top vacated a seat, this enthusiastic gambler moved into it, in this manner getting gradually nearer to the man with the horn-rimmed spectacles who manipulated the shells. Presently he looked up at the swinging oil lamp—and Monica uttered a little cry. In spite of the elaborate disguise, there was something in the set of the mobile mouth, something in the poise of the shoulders that betrayed him. She found her lips forming the words—"Chinese Pennington."

A moment later and he had reached



He only fired once.

the apparent zenith of his desire. His elbow touched the sleeve of the man who presided, but his eyes were staring straight before him at an enormous Chinaman who sat opposite, both hands resting on the table, the fingers slightly closed.

For some reason that she could not quite define, a mental picture began forming in her mind; a picture that the vividness of Pennington's description had impressed on her memory. She saw a glade in the night-shrouded jungle wastes, a huddled form with a long knife protruding from between hunched-up shoulder blades—and "he who sees in the dark" struggling for dear life in the matted undergrowth.

Her vivid imagination had already established the identity of the man who now faced the hero of her romance. Behind her she heard Dawson srtike a match and puff strenuously at his pipe. And then, through the nebulous smoke-haze, the three principal figures at the top end of the long table stood out in bold relief from the surging background of negligible supers.

In a moment of time the thing happened. The man opposite Pennington slid a yellow hand toward the Chinaman in the horn spectacles, as if trying to pass him the something over which the powerful fingers were closed. Like a flash, Pennington's arm shot out, sending coins clinking to the dusty boards, scattering little heaps of paper-money like autumn leaves in a sudden gust. Swift as the movement had been, the action of the listless Oriental who presided was quicker. The mysterious package—wrapped in a broad green leaf secured by strands of twisted bamboo—vanished into some hidden pocket beneath the wide-sleeved jacket. A score of swarthy forms leaped to their feet—and Pennington was lost to view in a writhing, swaying circle above which flashed a forest of naked blades.

"We'd better get out of this," said Dawson at Monica's elbow.

As his arm slipped through hers she cast one last glance into the seething den. The circle dissolved into the form of an irregular horseshoe. She saw the central figure stagger back, the horn spectacles slipping from his face, saw the long arm of the powerfully-built Oriental outstretched, the index-finger eloquent of a hoarse denunciation that was lost in the tumult of voices, and caught the glint of the blue barrel of an automatic. Pennington swung completely round on one heel, his pistol sending his antagonists stumbling over one another, leaving him a channel through which to escape. But he fired only once. With astounding accuracy, he shattered the glass chimney of the swinging lamp, plunging the building into darkness.

Thirty seconds later Monica found herself leaning against a wall under a jet dome sprinkled with stars. Dawson, gasping for breath, stood at her side. She was wondering whether Pennington had fought clear, whether it had actually been Lady Stornaway's diamond pendant contained in the queer package the transit of which the Englishman had striven to intercept.

She could have sworn the Chinaman who manipulated the inverted shells was none other than the man in whom her brother had declared absolute confidence—Chai-Hung.

But, clearly as the swiftly-moving events of that momentous evening were imprinted on her memory, she was destined to witness a somewhat puzzling "curtain" to her singularly poignant drama, a climax that for some moments, at least, forced her to believe she had been the victim of an optical illusion. For, as she turned to murmur her thanks to the inimitable Dawson, her glance wandered from the flight of white steps to a long cane chair at the far end of the commissioner's verandah.

Clothed in a suit of immaculate "whites," breathing with the placid regularity of a healthy child, Chinese Pennington slumbered peacefully!

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Monica was leaning on the wooden rail, gazing beyond the sun-scorched slopes to where—at the farthest extremity of the white jetty, the black funnel of the Darvel emitted a faint, hesitant line of smoke.

Hewitt—in his shirt sleeves, his topee set at a jaunty angle, was interviewing a native orderly in the garden. Hovering in the foreground, coolly inciting a juvenile fox-terrier to burrow in a bed for a legendary rat, Peter Pennington smoked and waited. He approached the commissioner the instant the interview was at an end.

"Just been down to the boat," he explained. "She pushes off at eleven."

Hewitt glanced at his watch.

"There's a good half-hour to go yet."

"Quite a lot can happen in half-an-hour," returned Pennington. "Still searching everybody?"

The commissioner grunted.

"If you want my opinion," he said "That confounded pendant's not on the island."

"I'm afraid I don't agree with you. It probably won't be here much longer." He flicked the ash from his cigaret. "Seen Chai-Hung?"

"No, but he sent up a chit by a coolie, asking permission to go on board and interview the supercargo about some rice he's expecting."

"Of course you refused?"

The commissioner described a semi-circle in the dust with the toe of a shoe.

"On the contrary," he asserted loftily, "I gave him a permit. The evidence you've succeeded in raking to-seem to be are distinctly annoying." stantial. You've always had your knife into him, you know."

Pennington stuck his feet wide apart.

"He damn' nearly had a knife into me—a couple of nights ago!" He caught Hewitt's sleeves. "Look here old son, I'm not letting you chuck away your chances like this. Stornaway's all right, but she'll never rest until she's got you out of this. Petticoat influence is the very devil!" He dropped his voice to a whisper. "Chai-Hung's got that pendant on him now, don't you understand? Once he's got it aboard you won't have a dog's chance of finding it."

The commissioner wavered.

"You dont know whos got it, he declared.

"I've every reason to believe he has, and I'm not taking any risks. If you don't slip into your tunic and come down with me, I warn you I'll search him myself."

At that moment, Monica, trembling with suppressed excitement, caught sight of a red umbrella passing placidly along the roadway at the foot of the slope.

"Jack!" she called out suddenly, "go down with Mr. Pennington. You can't afford to stand on ceremony."

"I'm up to my neck in work," growled Hewitt, protestingly.

"It's something to have work—to be up to your neck in!" declared his sister, joining them.

She waved her hand to them until they were out of sight, but only Pennington responded.

Within twenty yards of the gangway they overtook Chai-Hung.

"Morning," said Pennington cheerfully.

The Oriental stopped dead.

"Good morning, gentlemen." He looked at Hewitt. "I have to thank you for your extreme courtesy," he told him smoothly. "On occasions like these there are certain formalities which—necessary though they may seem to be are distinctly annoying."

The commissioner flushed.

"I regret to inform you, Mr. Chai-Hung, that circumstances have arisen which necessitate enforcing the temporary measure even in your case."

The Chinaman started.

"Do I understand, Captain Hewitt, that you propose searching me?"

"I'm afraid so."

Chai-Hung's lips parted, but his broad features betrayed not the least sign of emotion. For a second his gaze traveled to Pennington, who returned it with equanimity.

"I'm afraid you will both be disappointed."

"On the contrary," returned Pennington with studied politeness. "I feel sure that both the commissioner and myself would be infinitely mortified should it transpire that Lady Stornaway's diamonds have come into your possession.

Chai-Hung drew in a deep breath, folded his umbrella, and handed it to a waiting coolie.

Hewitt moved impatiently.

"Might as well get this unpleasant duty over," he suggested. "A cabin would be the handiest place, don't you think, Pennington?"

They crossed the gangway and passed into the first stateroom that chanced to be unoccupied. Pennington closed the door.

"Can I offer you a drink, Mr. Chai-Hung?" asked the commissioner.

The Oriental shook his head and, producing a cigar-case quaintly embroidered with a silver dragon, glanced inquiringly round.

"I have your permission to smoke?"

"Most certainly," Hewitt hastened to assure him. "No, thanks. Not for me. If you don't mind, I'll have a cigaret."

Pennington, seated on the edge of the berth, his hands stuck deep in his pockets, declined also. Chai-Hung lit up carefully, and passed the matches on to the commissioner.

Ten minutes later both Englishmen emerged.

Hewitt dropped into a chair and, tilting back his sun-helmet, mopped a moist brow.

"Now are you satisfied?" he demanded.

"Perfectly," declared Pennington enigmatically. "What d'you say to some liquid refreshment?"

"If it weren't so confoundedly hot," said the commissioner, "I'd order a double brandy! As far as I can see, you've made a pretty mess of the whole affair. I'd have put my shirt on Chai-Hung—and I was right. I can tell you—if you don't already know it—that our mutual acquaintance is mortally offended with the way you went over him."

"I'll admit I was thorough," chuckled the other, signaling to a steward who lounged in the doorway. "I suppose we've just about time to quench our thirsts and get ashore before she sails.

He ordered slings.

The deep-throated note of the vessel's siren reverberated suddenly and, at that moment, Chai-Hung emerged from the cabin, surveying the dead-end of the cigar he had laid aside. Both men rose, but the benign smile with which the Oriental greeted them drove the intended apology from Hewitt's lips.

"Efficiency, Mr. Pennington," he said, "is the keynote of success. I sincerely hope that before we meet again you will have been successful in your search."

With disarming cordiality, he dropped a hand on the shoulder of each and accompanied them to the gangway.

Hewitt was on the point of crossing to the jetty when Chai-Hung laughed.

"You will never cure yourself of that little failing, I'm afraid," he asserted blandly. "Do you mind returning me my matches?"

The commissioner dropped his cane.

"You don't mean to say—? By gad! I have though!" He produced the missing box.

The Oriental, still smiling, reached out for it, but, before his fingers could close on it, Pennington's had intervened.

"Just a minute," he murmured apologetically, a queer light in his eyes. "Mine happens to be out, too!"

He turned his back and withdrawing the flimsy cover, deliberately emptied the legitimate contents into his palm. He let the matches fall, one by one, to the deck, and Hewitt, obsessed with a hazy notion that his friend's recent energies had turned his brain, stepped close up to him and peered apprehensively over his shoulder.

Yielding to the pressure of Pennington's finger-nail, the false bottom of the box came away, and there, in the cunningly contrived recess it has so effectively screened, lay a dream of platinum and diamonds—the myriad facets flashing in the tropic sunlight!"

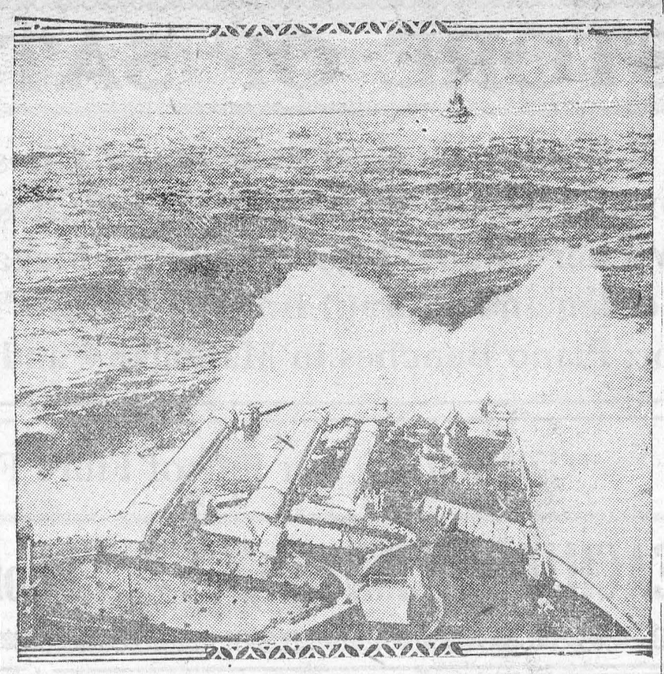
The commissioner recoiled in speechless amazement. Presently he found his tongue.

"How on earth—? He must have guessed—!" He choked suddenly and passed a weary hand across his forehead. "He had the damned effrontery to give 'em to me!" He swung round savagely. "Here, Mr. Chai-Hung—!"

But the great Chai-Hung was gone!

(To be continued.)

Bucking a Head Sea



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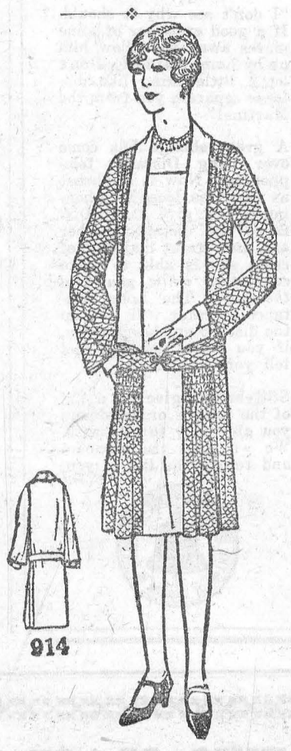

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All Speeders Guilty

Kansas City Post: The reckless driver is as guilty before he has his accident as he is after he has killed or injured someone, and the time to get him out of the car is before he has done any harm. No doubt there are many drivers who never can learn to run a car properly, some because they don't care much what happens and others because they are not compteent to drive, either because of a nervous condition or lack of sufficient intelligence. Each of these classes is equally dangerous and the safety of the public demands that they be removed from their steering wheels. Some accidents are due to carelessness of pedestrians, certainly. They must learn caution or they may be injured by cars that are carefully driven, but even the greatest care will not save them from cars driven by the reckless and incompetent.

House of Nell Gwynne To Give Way to Garage

London.—The heavy hand of the housewrecker has fallen on another of London's old landmarks. The house of Nell Gwynne, the orange girl of Drury Lane who became the mistress of Charles II, is being torn down to make room for some prosaic shops and a garage. The old building is a splendid example of its period, with a great bow front and pillared entrance. It is situated in Shepherd Market, between Piccadilly and Curzon Street.

In the eighteenth century Admiral Lord Nelson chose the house for his town residence and erected a precarious top story which he used as an office.

Punjab Promotes Weaving Industry

Province Builds and Equips Model Factory, First of Its Kinds in India

Bombay.—In order to raise the status of the weaving industry in the Punjab and increase its output, the Department of Industries in that province has built and equipped a model weaving factory and institution at Shahdara, the first of its kind in India.

The Shahdara model weaving factory is now nearly complete. The building has been designed on the best factory lines, with special attention to climatic condtiions in the Punjab. The looms are in position and the work of installing the power plant is now proceeding.

The Punjab Government is determined that the new factory should be worked on commercial lines—a feature which will distinguish it from many other institutions. The object is not merely to train workers, but to show that institutions of this kind can be made self-supporting.

The factory can accommodate 115 students, and it will have a capacity of 100 looms. There will also be a complete mechanical section, so that every student will gain an insight into this important part of the modern weaver's art. Space will be left for a further 100 looms at a later date, and also a spinning section, where students will learn to produce designs and patterns of all grades of cotton cloth.

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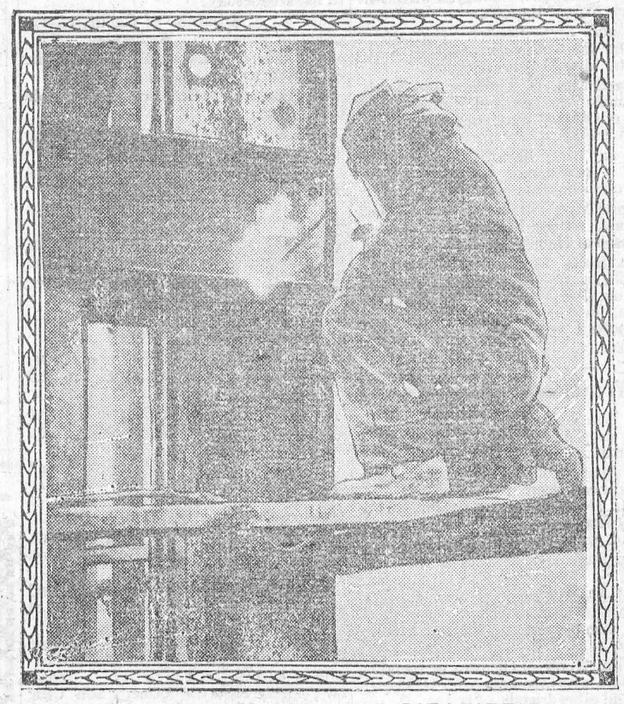

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Wise bachelors keep out of reach
And pass by on the other side,
At Eastetr-tide.

At Easter-tide, at Easter-tide,
The spinsters one and all decide,
"With frock and parasol combined
Some man's impressionable mind
I'll stun, and bring him to my side
At Easter-tide."

At Easter-tide, at Easter-tide,
The shoulder cold, the berth that's wide—
Give these to every pretty maid,
O bachelors, if you'd evade
The knots for Benedick supplied—
At Easter-tide!

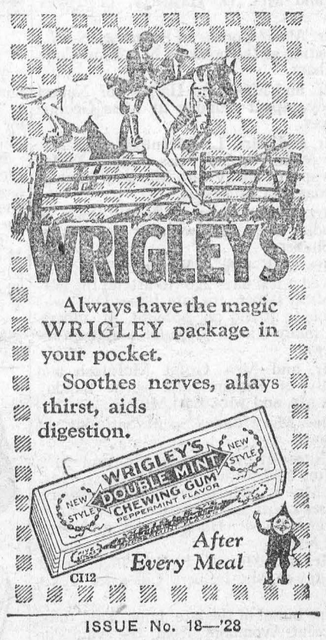
The Farmer's Eye

London Times (Ind.): When Mr. Amery was studying agricultural conditions during his Dominion tour it was suggested to him that the superlative excellence of British pedigree stock must be due either to the climate of the United Kingdom or to the eye which its experienced farmers have for points that are likely to make good breeding animals. There can be no question that the second of these two reasons is the real secret of the place which the stock that they produce has won in the estimation of the world. Farmers are born and not made. It is because their island forefathers have for generations worked on the land and learnt its lessons in the production of flocks and herds—to say nothing of crops—that they have the gift of the seeing eye. Today, in ever increasing numbers, they and their sons are being driven by sheer necessity to leave their farms for the towns, where the gift must inevitably atrophy from disuse; and fewer and fewer are being left on the land to carry on and hand down the old traditions.

The three R's of matrimony: Romance, Rice, Rocks.

Ford's New Record

San Francisco Bulletin: Henry Ford, as guest of honor at a Lord Mayor's banquet in London, established a record for such gatherings by making a speech in only twenty-nine words. It was a marvel of compression and a minimum of exhaust. In that brief and barely audible speech the world's richest man may have deliberately intended to put over an appealing advertisement for the comparative noiselessness of his new model. Silence ad a Ford have not been hitherto associated. But the silence of Henry Ford at the Lord Mayor's banquet was an even bigger national service than that. It served to tell the world that in American business as in American politics it is possible to get to the very top without saying much.



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This strong statement is found in the twelfth of a series of letters to the Dental Digest, written by Dr. P. R. Howe. Dr. Howe is of the Forsythe Dental Infirmary in Boston, in which position he has had exceptional opportunities for study and observation.

Putting it another way, he says cavities cannot form in teeth and the gums cannot develop that important disease, pyorrhea, if the diet is as it should be. Dr. Howe favors keeping the teeth and mouth clear. He would have us continue all necessary washing and brushing, but thinks there should be some change in our diet. The diet he advises consists principally of milk, fruits and green vegetables.

The prevention of the tooth troubles of the child should begin with the diet of the expectant mother. Nearly all the first set of teeth and some of the permanent set are formed at the time of birth. The period of formation of a tooth is much more important than the period of eruption. Prevention through proper dieting is important in the earlier years of childhood.

One of the points made by the men who hold this opinion is that the most important factor in tooth decay is poor quality in the tooth structure. Fine, microscopic studies of the teeth sometimes show faulty structure when the naked eye appearance indicates nothing wrong. However, the naked eye examination of teeth sometimes gives us a fair notion of their quality. The best teeth are yellowish in tinge. The beautifully white or bluish white tooth are lacking in a something which makes for durability, strength and resistance to decay.

As has been said, Dr. Howe, while stressing the importance of diet in the prevention of tooth troubles, does not advise neglecting the cleanliness of the mouth.

Seaweed Not a Weed.

If "weed" is to continue as the name for a plant for which no use has been discovered, then seaweed will have to change its name.

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Seedless Persimmon.

The native American persimmon, which has long been an object of much local appreciation but has never been widely cultivated, is booked for a course of improvement which may put it into the class of highly desirable orchard fruits, says a Science Service bulletin.

According to a communication in the Journal of Heredity, a search is being made for promising trees that bear seedless fruits. Such specimens are known to occur occasionally in nature. Robert T. Morris, of Stamford, Conn., is undertaking to propagate seedless persimmons found in the northern part of the range of the species, and Dr. J. E. Cannaday of Charleston, West Virginia, will cultivate trees found in the south. The two men invite anyone who knows of a seedless persimmon tree to correspond with them.

Ode to a Lion.

To prove his theory that animals can be conquered by appealing to their artistic sense, M. Louis Balgara, a French poet, goes into a cage of African lions at the Cirque de Paris every night and reads his odes to them. So far he has escaped injury. He gives the fees he receives for his performance to charity.

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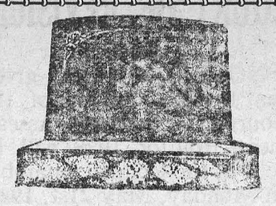

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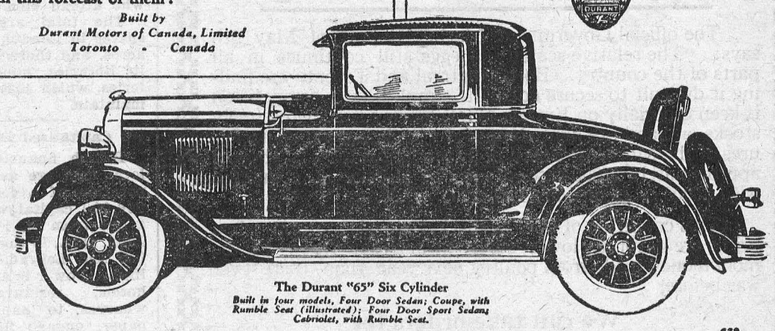

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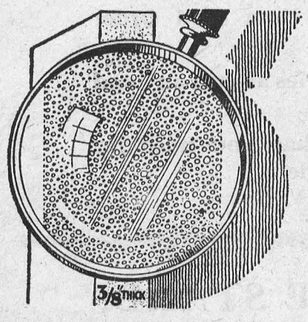

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Interesting Facts Compiled by the London County Council.

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This is one of the many interesting facts that emerge from a bewildering accumulation of statistical data compiled by the London County Council.

A total of 55,441 vehicles passed Hyde Park Corner on the day chosen for the traffic census. Trafalgar Square and Marble Arch came next on the list, and Piccadilly Circus was fourth with a total of 39,476.

Some of the statistics are staggering in their immensity. There are, for instance, 1,989,594 miles of telephone wires in London, and 516,229,000 telephone calls are made every year. London has 2,221 miles of streets and 357½ miles of tramway lines. There are 5,349 public-houses in Greater London and 20,058 policemen, and the annual total of street accidents amounted to 41,019. In one year there were 23,713 inquests and 4,919 fires.

About 10,000 unpaid officials help to administer the local government of London, the expenditure on which amounts to more than £55,000,000 a year. The net debt of London on March 31, 1925, was £124,872,727.

More than 18,000 school teachers are employed for 1,577,180 children who attend elementary schools.

The total area of public open spaces in London amounts to 29,652 acres, and there are ninety-five public libraries, museums, and art galleries, which cost £263,560 a year to maintain.

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Crop Acreage for 1928.

Acreage prepared for the 1928 crop in the Prairie Provinces is estimated at 16,295,570 acres as compared with 15,374,862 acres in 1927, an increase for the present year of 920,708 acres or 5.9 per cent.

Manitoba shows an increase of 536,774 acres or 17.4 per cent; Saskatchewan an increase of 1,005,465 or 12.5 per cent., and Alberta a decrease of 621,531, or 14.5 per cent.

Gold Output of Transvaal.

The gold output of the Transvaal last year amounted to 10,130,630 fine ounces, valued at £42,548,092. The total production of the Rand from 1884 up to and including the past year is valued at £947,973,880.

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Heard Splendid Address

Clergymen and their wives from all parts of Dundas Presbytery and laymen who could, including two car loads from Winchester that included Mrs. J. W. Ault Dr. Muriel Fetterly and Messrs H. B. Fetterly, J. H. Ross, L. Mill W. J. Cass, J D. Stewart, L. D. Johnston and Rev. Mr. Waddell, gathered in the historic town hall of Spencerville on Thursday evening last at the first annual banquet of the Laymen of Dundas United Church Presbytery. There were about three hundred ladies and gentlemen who gathered about the tables. The ladies of Spencerville, under the direction of their pastor Rev. Mr. Johnston, had provided a very fine menu, from fruit cocktail to Ice Cream, and a most efficient service made the meal one of real enjoyment. There was community singing, and a double male quartette from Shardy and Spencerville

Mr. W. S. L. Merrill of Morrisburg, was the efficient and pleasing Coairman, and the principal speaker was Rev. Dr. Geo Pidgeon, of Toronto, the first moderator of the United Church. Dr. Pidgeon spoke on "Our Church," who was introduced by Mr. F. W. Elliott of Prescott.

In opening he gave a very vivid description of his trip through the Dominion of Canada and Newfoundland attending the conferences of the new United Church. While on this tour he was impressed with the greater need of national unity. That the people were giving themselves more to the education and training of youth than ever before was of great encouragement to the ministers of the country. In speaking of the work carried on by the schools in the reserves among the Indians he said that the principles learned in these schools were applied to the tribe life on the reserves and the rule of the iron hand of former days was fast passing away.

In speaking of our fatners he asked if we fully realized our heritage in so much as the $14,000,000 left to the church had been hard earned We, he said, owed everything to the church to which we belong. We must look after our neighbors' fields if we would keep our own fields clean, which leads to that statement "we are our brother's keeper" In referring to moral reform he cited that the United Church was alwa s a leader although strongly criticized but he emphasized the church must carry on to the end. He referred seriously to the matter of immigrants whom, he said, if treated fairly and in a friendly spirit would be more willing to do the will of the Canadian people and thus become better citizens.

In conclusion Dr. Pidgeon stated that the church had a task bequeathed to her and she was fulfilling it nobly.

During the evening there were several other short addresses and included among the speakers were, Mr. W. J. Cass and Mr. H. B. Fetterly of Winchester, both of whom spoke well and to the point.

The Late Jacob Erratt

Jacob Erratt, a former resident of the Melvin Settlement but lately of Moose Jaw, Sask., passed away to his reward, in his sleep on Saturday morning April 28. He spent the early days of his life on the home farm in the Melvin Settlement. Later on, he established a grocery business in Ottawa after completing a business course.

In 1882 he was elected alderman from St. George's ward and in the three succeeding years he was re-elected. In 1885 he ran for mayor but was defeated only to be elected with a large majority in the year 1889.

In 1883 he made the trip to Calgary on the first Canadian Pacific Railway train when the steel only reached the Alberta city. At that time he bought considerable real estate in the Moose Jaw district. In 1902 Mr. Erratt established himself in Moose Jaw and his was the first real estate office in the city.

His first wife Miss Paulina Wickwire predeceased his many many years ago. Later on he married Miss Margaret Howard at Bellville, Ont., who predeceased him in 1925. One daughter of the latter marriage Mrs. F. W. Martin, 369 Ominica St. W. Moose Jaw, survives him and her two boys Bill and Jay Martin. Two brother W H. Erratt of Moose Jaw and I. N. Erratt of Ottawa, survives him as well as a sister.

Mrs. Henry Frith of Carnduff. The late Humphrey Erratt of Melvin, was a brother and the late Mrs. Chas. Annable of Winchester and Mrs. Joshua Annable of Moose Jaw were sisters.

Scores of floral tributes bore testimony to the high esteem the deceased had enjoyed during his lifetime. The funeral service was conducted Tuesday May the 1st at 2.30 from his late residence the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. W Martin. His remains being placed in the family plot at the Moose Jaw Cemetery.

Mrs. Dawson Beattie

Early Thursday morning, May 10th, there passed away peacefully, Mary Dawson, wife of Dawson Beattie, who for the past few years has been in failing health, but it was only the last few days that her illness took a serious turn, bronchitis having set in.

Born near Lakefield, Que., nearly eighty-three years ago, she came when a young girl with her parents to live near Elma, Ont. Since her marriage in 1870 she has resided in Winchester township, coming seven years ago to reside in Winchester where she passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Geo Earle.

Mrs. Beattie was a woman of noble character, but retiring disposition. It was in her home that her influence for good was exerted. Her children can indeed rise up and call her blessed.

Besides her aged husband there are left three sons and two daughters, R. D. Beattie, of Phila., U. S. A., Geo. H., of Chesterville, J. W. of Vancouver, B. C., Mrs. I. E. Smith of Edmonton, Alta., and Mrs Earle of Winchester, and eighteen grandchildren. There are also four brothers and two sisters residing in the States.

The funeral service was held in Winchester United Church on Saturday, May 12th, being conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Waddell, assisted by Rev. R. E. Newman of Chesterville, and Rev. Wm Hamilton, of Winchester. Mrs. Durant sang "Shall we gather at the river." Many old friends and relatives were present from Chesterville and Morewood vicinity, who had come to show their love and respect.

The Flowers were, Pillow of Roses from the Family, Basket from R. D. Beattie and J R. Dawson, of Phila., Sprays from Mr. and Mrs. Robt Beattie and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fisher of Toronto, and from the Winchester W. M. S.

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