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Timothy, Alsike, Red and Late Mammoth Clover, Timothy and Alsike mixed, also Alfalfa and Sweet Clover.

All our seeds are Government-tested, being supplied by the most reliable firms and the prices are right.

FENNELL & WALLACE, Winchester, Ont.

"MEN'S FURNISHINGS."

THE SIMPLE TRUTH

Of the matter is, you can get better satisfaction in a new suit by calling and inspecting the fine line of new suitings I have in stock. The workmanship and fit are guaranteed. The price is very low in consideration of material and work. Why not call in and have a look.

In the Newest and Best Spring Hats, Caps and all kinds of Gent's Underwear, you can't find any better than we have to show. Just look them ever.

A. E. Goodfellow, Winchester.

Millinery at Casselman's

The new small hats in Beautiful wood shades, Poudre Blue, Black and White, etc. These are the last word in Smart Directoire modes, and lovely Flower Trimmed styles, which complements so cleverly, the Suits and Frocks of Spring.

We also have larger hats for ladies who have an abundance of hair.

Our trimmer has modified the small hat, enlarging the crown and brim until it is both comfortable and becoming.

We are making all our hats destinctive and different, no two alike. We have a wonderful stock of the Season's Newest Materials—Flowers, Fruit, Ribbons, Ornaments, Mounts—everything to make up the smartest, prettiest hats at most reasonable prices. Large assortment of children's hats at moderate prices

Mrs. C. Lee Casselman

Main Street - - Winchester

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Business Placed in 1923—$2,359,031,859.00
Largest amount ever placed in one year by any Company in the world.

Insurance in force $9,238,254,068.00
A gain of nearly 1½ billions. Larger than that of any other Co'y in the world.

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More than that of any other Company in the world and more than that of all other Companies in America combined, less one.

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Averaging one claim paid for 20 seconds of each business day of 8 hours.

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Averaging $919.15 a minutes of each business day of 8 hrs.

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Success Begins With Saving

A Savings Account with the Union Bank of Canada will give you the right start.

By systematic saving you can lay the foundation stone of future success.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS BY THE EDITOR

March has a couple more days to show its lion's teeth.

We are still waiting to sample some real fresh maple syrup.

Next week we can joyfully say "April showers bring May flowers."

If you want to save daylight get up a little earlier in the morning.

The sleighing is about over, but some snowbanks make good wheeling impossible.

The Press saw the first lawn mower out on Monday. Mr. J. Dixon was taking it to the blacksmith shop to be sharpened.

Three weeks from to-morrow is Good Friday, and three weeks from next Sunday is millinery display day in the churches.

Whether the weather be cold whether the weather be hot, we must weather the weather, whatever the weather, whether we like it or not.

The chief drawback to gentle spring on the part of the married man is that his wife seizes the first real warm, sunshining day to start her spring housecleaning.

It is surprising how many men find so much time to stand idly on the sunny side of the street these spring days when there is so much work to do about the home.

An advertisement, in a ladies journal, advertising summer underwear reads 'Wear our underwear and you will wear nothing else." What next; perhaps our dear ladies will be coming out with everything bobbed from head to feet.

Jack Johnston the well known and ill-famed pugelist was billed to put on an exhibition bout in the town of Trenton, but an indignant public put up such a protest that the engagement had to be cancelled. It speaks well for public opinion in Trenton.

Out of $13,000,000 spent by the Hon. Dr. Beland, who has charge of the Department of Soldiers Civil Reestablishment, $6,000,000 went for salaries, 3,000,000 for administration charges and only $4,000,000, or less than one-third went to the soldiers.

Three bank clerks in the Standard bank Chatham, Ont., lost over $20,000 of the bank's money in gambling. The bank gave them a chance to make restitution, but instead they stole another $2,400 and tried to skip out. They are now in jail awaiting their trial. Thus three foolish and ill-gu ded young men bring disgrace and sorrow to their homes, and practically ruin their whole career.

Lord Cecil is authority for the Statement that there are now 3,750,000 men under arms in Europe, and that this number is only one hundred thousand less than there were before the great war began. And over against the fact of this slight reduction is to be placed the other fact that their are behind these actually in uniform many millions of trained and demobilized soldiers. The task of getting this old world to carry on a peace basis seems a difficult one.

Plants at Miss N. Merkley's, Winchester.

It Pays

An Allison boy discovered a split rail on the C.P.R. near that town and notified the agent, Mr. Caesar. A freight train just due was held up while repairs were made. The boy—Raymond Hetherington—received a cheque from the company in acknowledgement of the thoughtful act. Many a boy would have sat on the top rail of a fence to see what would happen when the train went by. And many a boy would not even have noticed the rail was split It pays to be observant and it pays to put yourself to an inconvenience in order to save other human beings from suffering and loss. It pays to be human, and honest with yourself and others in every walk of life.

Bald Headed Girls

Just think of it girls, especially you bobbed headed girls, within a few years you will be bald, if the predictions of the head of the hair dressing association of New York comes true, and he is supposed to be an authority. He says.—

If women and young girls do not stop bobbing their hair, he said, a terrible spectacle may be the result. He based his conclusions on the fact that milliners, in order to conform to present-day hair cuts among women, particularly the haircut known as the 'garcon' which is explained as being a 'boyish bob,' have been obliged to make head bands exceedingly tight in order to keep the hats on the head. This results in the bands growing sweaty and the hair dry from that and from lack of blood circulation.

Mr. Byrne also said that girls of the present generation will be bald before they reach maturity.

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS

In one of his most popular films, shown in Lannin's New Hall, April 4 & 5.

Mr. W. Lannin will open his new hall for moving pictures on the evenings of April 4 and 5, Friday and Saturday of next week, with one of Douglas Fairbanks most popular films, of which notice will be g ven next week. There will be two machines in operation, and the pictures will be shown without interruptions. Mr. Lannin has at great expense had his new hall filled up to show moving picturs. The chairs are comfortable, not crowded, and the hall well ventilated. Winchester, thanks to Mr. Lannins enterprise, is favoured in this respect beyond most towns of much larger population, and that the hall will be crowded on Friday and Saturday nights of next week we have no doubt. The name of Douglas Fairbanks insures one of the very best films produced and to miss seeing it will be to miss a great treat.

LOCAL AND GENERAL JOTTINGS

Douglas Fairbanks at Lannin's New Hall on April 4 and 5.

The Tuxis boys had a good time at Carleton Place last week.

Unless heavy rain storms come the danger of floods this spring are not to cause worry.

It looks like old times to see the sleighs loaded with milk cans waiting their turn to unload, on Main Street last week.

St. Matihias Church. Service on Sunday Morning March the 30 th. Morning Prayer and Holy Baptism 10.30.

Owing to the dance being held on Friday night, the moving picture 'The Livingston Case' will be shown in the Town Hall on Saturday and Monday nights, March 29 and 31.

Before about one hundred and fifty spectators Dundela defeated South Mountain at Dundela in the final hockey series and earned the right to play off with Inkerman for the championship of the D. A. A. A. League.

Mrs. Louisa White, a member of one of the best known Indian families on Cornwall Island, is dead at her home there at the age of 90. She was ill only a few days, having been remarkably active for her age almost to the last.

Elijah Alexander Strader, a well-known and respected citizen of Matilda died very suddenly at his home on Monday, March 17th, 1924, of heart trouble. News of his death came as a shock to a large number of friends and acquaintances among whom he was highly esteemed.

A highly respected resident of Prescott passed away Sunday night at 9 o'clock at his home in that town. Reference is made to Patrick Barry. He had been ill for some months. He was 71 years of age and was born in Prescott.

The Tuxis Boys have returned home after spending four delightful days in Carleton Place and Smith Falls. They reported that over three hundred boys were in attendance at the Conference. It was a success although two of the leaders, Mr. Statten and Mr. Plewman, were unable to attend on account of sickness. The next meeting of the square is on Friday night at the home of Mr. F. A. Coons.

R. Helmer, Scriptor.

Fined $100 and Costs

Reeve Sam. Fulton, of the Township of Winchester, seems to be in for no end of trouble this year. He first vacated his seat because of irregularities, was re-elected by acclamation, and a week later was fined $100 and costs for maintaining a gravel pit contrary to regulations set out by law. The trial was held at Chesterville on Saturday last, and Reeve Fulton pleaded guilty to the charge and paid the fine.

Mrs. Albert Coons

After a lingering illness, Mrs. Albert Coons died yesterday at her home, 168 Fifth avenue. Mrs. Coons was born at Winchester Spings, Ontario, where she lived many years. She moved to New York State where she resided for 14 years before coming to Ottawa to spend the remainder of her life. Mrs. Coons is survived by her husband; three sons, Eldred, of Fulton, New York; Floyd, of Woodland, Maine; Hubert, of Iroquois Falls; two sisters, Mrs. F. J. Liberty, of Galway, N. Y., Mrs. Hodgeskins, of Baker's Mills, N. Y., two, brothers, Joseph Hanes, of Ottawa, and George Hanes, of Provost, Alta. The funeral will be held from her residence at 8.30 p.m. Sunday, and interment was made at Maple Ridge Cementry, Winchester, Monday Morning.

Seized With Stroke.

Mr. John W. Ault, who conducts a very large cheese and milk business here, suffered from a slight stroke of apoplexy on Friday last, when in the city of Montreal. He was at a hotel, and his son Ralph had just left him when he was seized with a stroke, and had to be assisted to a room. On the return of his son, Mr. Ault, who had never lost consciousness, expressed his desire to return home rather than go to a hospital, and he came back on the afternoon local. He was assisted to his home and for a day or more his family and very many friends were much concerned about his condition. The Press is pleased to announce that his condition has steadily improved, and that Mr. Ault is again able to be on his feet, and it is the sincere desire of his many friends that he may soon be fully restored to his usual good health.

Starts Out Well

There was a well attended meeting of those interested in Lawn Bowling at the Council Chamber on Monday night, and matters pertaining to the welfare of the club were discussed. It was decided to repair the lawn as much as possible at the first opportunity. It was also decided to purchase a new mower, specially made for bowling lawns. Mr. J. Stewart was engaged as caretaker of the lawn for the season. The membership fee was fixed at $6.00 and $3.00 for ladies, the ladies to be restricted to the use of one rink, and the whole green to be used for matches with outside teams. The following officers were elected by acclamation. President, Dr. McKeown; 1st. Vice-Pres., J. H. Ross; 2nd Vice-Pres. Dr. McKendry; Sec'y-Treas., Johnston Morrow; Grounds Com., Wm. Johnston, John Johnston, Wes. Patterson and Wm. Leslie. Reception and Social Com.—Dr. McKendry, H. B. Fetterly, Rev. Mr. Glassford, Albert Dixon and K. Helmer. Membership Com.—J. F. Gibson, H. Helmer and A. E. Goodfellow. Rules and Reg. Com.—Rev. Mr. Glassford, H. B. Fetterly, Wm. Leslie and K. Helmer.

It was decided that the vice skips of last season should be the skips for this season, and a schedule of games will be arranged later. The Club starts out with very good prospects and the promise of a much larger membership than last year.

A resolution of sympathy was unanimously adopted to be sent to Mr. J. W. Ault, in his illness, and who has from its beginning been one of the most enthusiastic members of the Club.

LOCAL AND GENERAL JOTTINGS

Plan your garden.

Order seeds before too late.

Oranges are cheaper than apples.

Get the slush off the sidewalk in front of your property.

Harry Flora says he is now safe from fear of bodily harm until the baseball season opens.

The Horticultural Society has a good premium list. Get one from Robert Ault Secy., and join the society.

Mr. Jacob Dixon has built a very attractive and wide veranda on the side of the residence he recently purchased on Louise Street. It adds very much to the appearance of the house.

One of our lady teachers took a flop on the road when on her way to school last Friday, and as the road was very mussy and also very wet, the result was very, very annoying. But accidents will happen. It might be added that the fall was very gracefully taken.

Protection Against Fire

A meeting, presided over by Reeve N. W. Beach, was held on Monday night to organize a fire fighting squad. The situation was thoroughly gone into and Mr. Oliver Keyes was appointed Fire Captain, with Mr. Les. Dixon his assistant. Four men are to be chosen by them to handle the hose. Mr. H. Melvin was reappointed to look after the fire engines and keep them 'always ready.' The new company will hold a number of practices, so that when the Fire Underwriter official comes along he will find good reason to place Winchester in a better rating.

An Old Fashioned Mother

A full house greeted the young people of Merrickville, on Thursday night last, when they presented their play in the Town Hall here, under the auspices of the Methodist Epworth League. Rev. J. A. Waddell in a few words introduced Rev. Mr. Maxwell, of Merrickville, who gave a brief outline of the play. As the curtain rose 'Widder Bill Pindle' was seen conducting choir practice. The actors each did their part well and the audience listened with close attention to the dramatic story of a mother's love. Those who looked for the comedy were well satisfied with Jerry who was always wanting to swap, and with 'Lowizy who set her cap for the widower parson and was at last successful. Those who look for realities of life found it in the parts given by the other characters. The moral of the story was fine, especially along temperance lines. It was very true to life.

Miss Phillips pleased the audience with instrumental solos between the acts. There were seventeen young people in the play and on their arrival they with their pastor and Rev. J. A. Waddell were taken to the Methodist Sunday School Hall where a splendid supper was served by the Epworth Leaguers.

The proceeds were over $80 half of which went to the Merrickville young people, and the remainder to the Missionary fund of the League.

Illustrated Lecture.

On Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Women's Institute, in the Town Hall, Mr. G. H. Gustar of Toronto gave a very interesting and educative talk on the extensive work that is being done by the Canadian National Institute for the blind, illustrating it so clearly by lantern slides. In 1923 $28000 was paid to blind workers. There is always an exhibit of their work at the Toronto Exhibition. He showed the Braille alphabet also the moon type; blind girls sewing on high power machines, broom shops with blind men busy at their work, blind typewriters and telephone operators, as well as many other forms of work they are taught to do. He also spoke of the conservation of vision among the young, and urged that childrens eyes be not neglected, also that the women's organizations pass resolutions to have laws put on the statute books that childrens eyes be properly attended to at birth. and that our Dept. of Education be asked to issue giant text-books for children suffering from defective vision. He gave good advice to the boys and girls to take good care of their eyes and not abuse them.

The Institute Ode, The Maple Leaf, O Canada, and God Save the King were all heartily sung by the audience at intervals throughout the programme with Miss Ida Gardner as accompanist. Besides these, the thanks and appreciation of the Women's Itstitute are due Miss Phillips and Miss Adrienne Earle for a piano duet, and Miss Ethel Dixon for a vocal solo, as well as Mr. N. W. Beach for so kindly filling the position of chairman, and Gilbert Raistrick and Donald Poole for managing the lantern It is expected that some time this year the Women's Institute will undertake to raise some money for this worthy institution, and in this they should have the hearty co operation and support of all the citizens of Winchester.

"THE LIVINGSTONE CASE."

Probably the most interesting and exciting mystery and detective story ever filmed. Has played in cities for months at a time. Now to be produced in Winchester for the first time. Also 2 Side-Spitting Comedies shown. No better pictures have ever been shown

TOWN HALL,
WINCHESTER

Saturday and Monday Nights, March 29th & 31st, 1924

Usual Prices.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL NOTES

Mr. Geo. E. Earle visited his brother, Dr. Earle of Avonmore, yesterday.

Mrs. John Wert of Avonmore was the week end guest of Mrs. W. B. Campbell.

Mr. Barton Derby was the week end guest of Mr. Weavers, of North Williamsburg.

Mr. H. B, Fetterly attended the meeting of Orange Grand Lodge at Peterboro last week.

Mrs. P. Poole of Winchester spent the week end with her parents of the Melvin Settlement.

Miss Helen Ault returned to Ottawa on Tuesday, having spent the week end at her parental home here.

Mrs. Thos. Dunn, of Ottawa, who was for the past few days the guest of Mrs. J. W. Ault, left for home yesterday.

Mrs. James Smith and Mrs. Fred Reveler of Cannamore were guests of Mrs. Blake Durant on Thursday last.

Mrs. A. F. Reveller aud the Misses Alice Reveller and Evelyn Merkley spent the week end with friends it Morewood.

Mr. Willie Brown, who has recently undergone an operation for appendicitis, in the Cornwall General Hospital, retured home on Thursday last.

Dr. C. D. Empey, Camden, N. J. made a hasty visit home to see his mother, after being with his brother, Dr. G. M. Empey a few hours at Ogdensburg Hospital to which he returned this morning.

J. C. Empey, Town Clerk went to "A Barton Hospital", Ogdensburg, to be with his brother, Dr. G. M. Empey, who on Saturday had a critical operation for ulceration of stomach. Have good hopes for his recovery.

Miss Hazel Darling, with the nurses of Wade Hospital, Coldwater, Mich., was delightedly entertained before her departure from them for Winchester. Ont. and she was presented with a gold fountain pen, as a token of the friendship and esteem of her associates in that place.

Mr. Jas. Slater came down from his lumber camp near Lavant to spend the week end at his home here, and was warmly greeted by his many friends. Mr. Slater has had a good winter, has his logs all ready for the saw, and the saw ready for the logs, and will begin operation at once.

The splendid film, "A Maker of Men" will be shown in St. Paul's church, on Tuesday evening, April 8th. It is a reproduction of a wonderful story, and is not excelled as a work of Art. Remember the date, April 8th. Popular Prices.

St. Pauls Church choir were very pleasantly entertained at a St. Patrick's Party last Friday evening by Mrs. and Mrs. A. G. Suffel in their commodious home. During the evening contests were enjoyed, several games engaged in and proverbs were given in the form of charades. As a reward for each game the winners were each given a peanut and those holding the greatest number at the end of the evening won the prizes. The winners were Miss May Empey and Mr. J. D. Steward. The 'green' ideas was carried out in the prizes as well as throughout the rest of the programme. Mrs. Suffel served delicious refreshmets and the guests departed after having enjoyed a most delightful eveting.

One way to get business is to bid for it. Invite people to your store through The Press, the paper that goes into the homes where the reading is done.

Card of Thanks

Miss Tillie Coons, and other members of the local Bell Telephone staff, wish to thank the young men of the town for the presentation which was tendered them, for the satisfaction they received in getting hockey results during the past winter.

For Sale

Twenty five hives of bees. Apply to
Henry Elliott,
47-8p. The Boyne.

For Sale

Used Ford cars in first class condition. Selling because unable to crank. For particulars apply to
Dr. Bean,
47 tfc Winchester,

Function Dainties

The daintyness, the "tastyness" of the eatables served is necessary to the success of an afternoon tea or other funtion.

The Hostess who supplies herself from our stock can feel easy about the eatable part of the affair.

We are ready for any demand that may be made upon us

Qualities are unquestioned, and besides, the hostess is helped in her choosing by visiting this store.

Try us on anything you like.

L. FLORA, Winchester.
Telephone 33 Prompt Delivery

For Sale

A quantity of Alsack and Timothy grass seed at 11c lb. About 400 bus. of six row barley at $1.25 per bus. Apply to
Emmerson Stewart,
46-48 pd. R R 2, Winchester.

Help Wanted

A man and wife, by the year, to work on farm. House furnished, with garden.
Apply to Russell Baker,
46-9p Winchester.

Wood For Sale

A quantity of body hard maple, in cord and stove lengths. Apply
Phone I00. Orton Deeks.
40 tf. c.

For Sale

Brick house and lot, with stable and garage, and good well, situated on Main Street East. Also two acres, more or less of land, to be sold either with or without house. For particulars and terms.
Apply to Ernest J. Merkley,
29 tfc. Winchester, Ont.

For Sale

White Leghorns. Young Cockerels at $1.00 each, also orders booked for settings at $1.00 per fifteen. All stock from Barrons bred-to-lay strains.
Arthur Christie,
Oakland Farm,
42 tfc R R 2, Winchester

Farm for Rent.

Fifty acres for rent, clay loam, close to factory, school and church. Situated at Ormond. Possession at once. Apply
Allen Merkley
Winchester, Ont.

Room to Let

Large, well lighted, steam heated, suitable for office, situated over Union Bank. Apply to
47-8c A. Sweet & Co.

New Maple Syrup

Orders for new maple syrup received by letter or telephoned will be filled on order received, at $2.00 per gallon.
Phone 616 r 3. Charles R. Acres,
Vernon, Ont.

For Sale

1 stack of hay, mostly timothy, also a quantity of medium red clover seed.
Phone 610 r 2 Heber McIntosh,
47-9c Winchester Springs.

MILLINERY OPENING

Miss Robson and Miss Norval wish to announce that they will open a Millinery Store at Williamsburg on April 1st, 1924

Hats of the latest style and best quality will be on display. We respectfully solicit the patronage of the ladies of the surrounding country. Our prices are reasonable and we will do our utmost to please. Call and inspect our goods.

ATTENTION!

We are adjusting and installing a new Cylinder Honing Machine, which will do that class of work without sending it to the city. If you have cylinders in your cars with floppy pistons and oil pumpers, we can do that work for you, it will cost you less and all work guaranteed. Bring your car in the first opportunity and give us a trial.

MELVIN'S GARAGE

PRIVATE SALE

The undersigned finds that he will be away from home throughout the coming summer and offers for sale as follows:

PURE BRED HOLSTEIN COW, Olive Pontiac. This cow is six years old, a fine type and a heavy milk producer. She is due to freshen in May.

PURE BRED HOLSTEIN YEARLING BULL.

100 HENS. Brown Leghorns and Barred Rocks. Sixty of these are pullets and the rest two year olds.

AUTOMOBILE Six cylinder Saxon, in good condition. Complete demontration will be given.

Terms given on satisfactory security. Apply on premises.

J. W. WEBB, Winchester Springs.

CHEVROLET

—an essential in business
—a necessity to most families

AMONG the greatest and most practical of man's inventions, one of the most vital instruments in modern business and one of the most useful and beneficial influences in family life is the modern automobile.

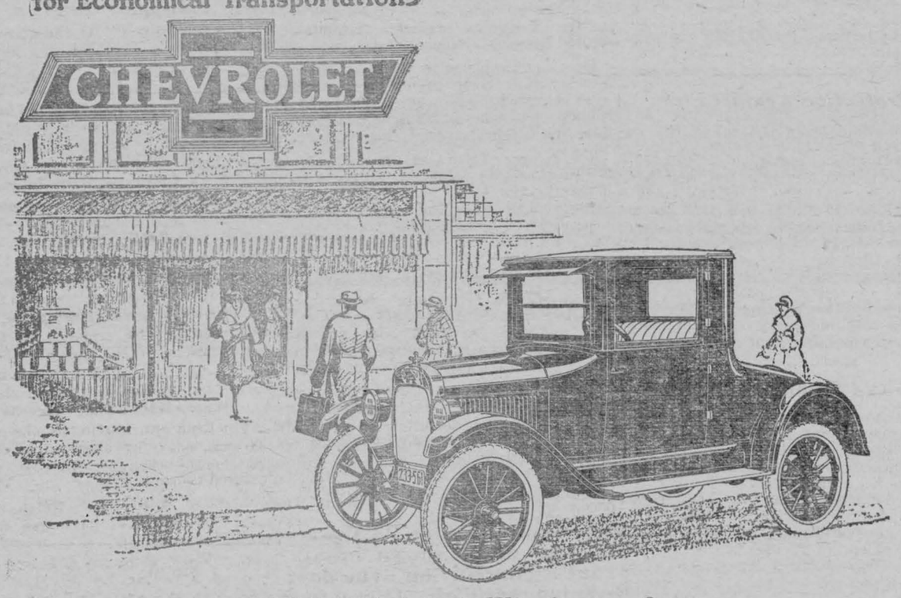
Dependable, comfortable, speedy, unconfined in scope, unlimited in endurance and eminently practical in the economy of its operation, the automobile has contributed more to man's earning power and to his enjoyment and health than any other single factor.

And unique among automobiles, Chevrolet provides everything any car can afford at a cost that is unapproached by another fully equipped quality car in the world. Chevrolet has the power to go any place and do anything that is possible for any other car, and at the same time it holds the world's record for low running cost and economy of upkeep.

Make a personal inspection of Chevrolet. Examine it thoroughly. Ask us for a demonstration. C-230

Ask us about the G.M.A.C. Deferred Payment Plan

for Economical Transportation



D. MELVIN, Agent, Winchester, Ont.

NEPTUNE TO VISIT WORLD CRUISERS



The certificate as shown above will be issued to all passengers aboard the Empress of Canada who appear before Neptune, as did those passengers on the Empress of France last year, who are shown in pictures 1 and 3.

When to travel upon the sea was to venture in great danger it was usually thought wise by the voyagers to propitiate the god of the waters by making gifts to him before setting sail, and oftentimes, when Neptune displayed his wrath at sea, human sacrifices were made to him. To our superstitious ancestors the son of Saturn and Ops had great power over the waves, especially those of the sea, and had, therefore, in his hands the welfare of all vessels and their human and other freight. The worship of Neptune was early introduced into Rome, and July 23rd, "Neptunalia," was his feast.

As science reduced the terrors of the sea, and education and higher civilization erased the sometimes terrible superstitions from the minds of the world, so the worship of and sacrifices to Neptune ceased, but even to this day he is venerated by many Latin and Scandinavian sailors and no ship crosses the equator without some recognition being made of him. Usually this takes the form of a burlesque performance in which those who are making their first "crossing of the line" are initiated into the mysteries of the deep.

The unique photograph reproduced above was taken aboard the Canadian Pacific "Empress of France" while on a "Round the World" cruise last year. Neptune boarded the great liner in the early morning of the day on which the "line" was crossed, and held court. He was attended by the Royal Barber and other high officials who assisted in the initiation ceremony. Most of the passengers were summoned to his august presence and were tried for their misdemeanour, punishment or praise being awarded without favor. Those who produced evidence of having been "initiated" before were of course, exempt from trial.

This year, when Neptune boards the Empress of Canada, which leaves New York on a Round the World cruise on January 30th, his secretary will issue to all those who pass before the God of the Waters, certificates to that effect, which will be countersigned by Captain S. Robinson, R.N.R., who commands the vessel, and which, besides being valuable souvenirs of the trip, will exempt the holder from further trial.

Thirty-seven per cent of all automobiles in Canada are owned by farmers. Ownership of the balance according to recent statistics is made up as follows; Business men and brokers, 16 per cent; salesmen and travellers, 16 per cent; professional men, 8 per cent; laborers 4 per cent contractors and livery men, 3 per cent each and miscellaneons and no occupation stated, 13 per cent.

There are nearly 40,000 electric ranges in use in Ontario, which is one-fifth as many as in the whole of the United States. Toronto has 5,500 ranges and London 4,000. Among the towns, North Bay leads with 319, Preston has 257, Waterloo 203. Napanee 188, Orillia 180. Barrie 170, Collingwood 134, Midland 131, Lindsay 111, and Trenton 100.

There is a perpetual Sabbath on the earth. The Greeks observe Monday, the Persiads Tuesday' the Assyrians Wednesday, the Egyptians Thursday, the Turks Friday, the Jews Saturday, and Christians sometimes.

Here and There

The annual tobacco yield in the United States has a value of over $250,000,000.

A regular air service between Sweden and England has been decided upon and will be established shortly. The terminals will be Malino and London with intermediate landings in Hamburg. Only six hours will be required for the flight.

The Minister of Lands has announced that a Dutch organization has offered to purchase 200,000 acres of land in the Stuart Lake district, British Columbia, for the purpose of colonization by Dutch agriculturists.

The Canadian Pacific is now perfecting plans to aid in the development of the mining industry of Ontario, by placing car ferries on Lake Temiskaming. These ferries will ply between South Lorrain and Ville Marie, and between New Liskeard, Haileybury and other Ontario points, and the Quebec port.

Major-General MacBrien, chief of staff of the Department of National Defence, Ottawa, addressing the members of the Canadian Club at London recently, announced that it is probable that the Canadian Permanent Force of Militia will be established by Order-in-Council on April 1.

Forty-nine automobile cars of Ford machines recently left Windsor, Ont., for Vancouver, B.C., via Canadian Pacific. This was an unusually heavy movement of cars to one city, and another remarkable feature was that all of the automobiles, some three hundred, were for local consumption.

The Canadian Pacific Railway, which in 1899 brought down to the head of the lakes only 26,000,000 bushels of grain, actually brought down 186,000,000 bushels last season. This is equal to the total volume of grain moved by all the railways of the United States combined during the same time to the terminals at Minneapolis, Chicago and Duluth.

The Canadian Pacific Railway within the next few weeks will have sent out to its station agents 11,000 packets of seed and from thirty to forty thousand flower bulbs, and later on to its Western station agents 100,000 trees and shrubs. It requires 200,000 bedding plants to fill the beds of the permanent gardens and parks of the company every year.

The crack train of the Canadian Pacific Railway, the Trans-Canada, run every summer, will make the trip from Montreal to Vancouver in 90 hours, instead of 92 hours, the schedule run for yast year. Previously the 92-hour run was the fastest continental run in North America, and the two hours cut off this time adds to its superiority for travel between the Atlantic and the Pacific.

Seventy-five creameries in Alberta last year produced 17,750,000 lbs. of butter, as compared with 15,417,070 lbs., representing the output of 54 creameries, in 1922, according to the Provincial Dairy Commissioners' report. In addition, the production of cheese has shown a remarkable growth. In 1922, 14 factories produced 931,922 lbs., while in 1923, 13 factories had an output of 1,850,000 lbs., an increase of almost 100 per cent.

The completion of plans for the development of hydro-electric power during the current year will add 900,000 h.p. to the present total of 3,228,000 h.p. already installed in Canada. This additional power will be used in British Columbia to assist the mining and pulp industries, in Manitoba to supply rural needs, and in Ontario for gold mining and other industries. In Quebec the chief developments are in connection with the pulp and paper industries, and farther east, in the Maritime Provinces, for public utility purposes.

A young woman who was reared in an western Ont., town read in a poultry journal that poultry raising was remunerative, so she decided to try it. She purchased a hen and set her on thirteen eggs She wrote to a poultry journal that poultry raising was much to her liking and wondered how long the hen should remain on the eggs. The paper wrote back, 'Three weeks for chickens and four weeks for ducks.' Later she wrote to the poultry journal as follows; 'Many thanks about the setting hen. She remained on the nest three weeks, and at the end of that time there were no chickens hatched. As I did not care for ducks I took her off the nest and sold the eggs.'

Since the automobile was invented, humanity is divided into two classes —the quick and dead. The quick are those who got out of the way and the dead are the rest.

Where Our Money Goes.

Every Canadian, on the average, bought $70 worth of United States products last year. Every person in the United States, on the average, bought only $4 worth of Canadian products.

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What do your friends think about this?

What Makes a Town?

Well, what is it that makes a town anyway? Just one thing—The unity of the people, the existence of a common bond which causes business and social enemies to put aside all differences when it comes to boosting the town. No town ever made real progress in the way of substantial success without the get-together spirit unanimously adopted. It has rejuvenated old hulks of towns that were yawning their way into endless sleep. It has infused new life blood into the heart of commercial life and made thriving cities out of paralytic villages. Natural advantages count for much and prosperity cannot be built upon shifting sand, but any town with half a chance can be made to grow and expand and thrive when the citizens join with one accord in the hoosting program.—Glencoe Transcript.

The Easy Life Of The Farmer.

I saw in the paper the other day
Where an eminent wise man rose to say
That it made him weary to hear the way
Some sapheads pity the farmer. He
Said they were squandering sympathy—
That the farmer, he was a luckey cuss
And they'd spoil him utterly talking thus

"Sweet is the life that the farmer leads,
Turning the brown glebe, sowing seeds,
Watching the green crop spring and grow,
Smoking his pipe in the afterglow.

"The life of the farmer harsh and rough?
Tell me, where do they get that stuff!
Monarch is he of his own domain;
Blest by the sun and the gentle rain,
Nothing to do but to rest his brain.

"Scattering seeds on the warm earth's breast,
And bounteous Nature does the rest!
Garnering in when the season's done,
Nothing but peace and bucolic fun—
Why, the farmer's life is an easy one!"

I read this speech in the gloaming sweet,
Soaking the chilblains on my feet.
And it cheered me up and I felt so glad
To think of the idolent job I had,
That I yelped and sang
Till the rafters rang,
This song of the care-free son of toil
Whose mission is merely to tickle the soil:

Oh, I am the rollicking, frollicking Rube,
Whistling the hours away,
Churning the butterine into a cube,
Tossing the new-mown hay.
(Fourteen hours every day.)

Come innocent pleasures that help me to bear
The heavenly peace that has grizzled my hair;
The hogs have the pip and the children the croup,
And the horses the heaves and the chickens the roup,
And the 'tater bugs rally and thankfully raise
Their tiny sweet voices in anthems of praise
To the good-hearted farmer whence all blessings flow;
As he toys with the hoe.
(Fourteen hours at a throw.)

I am the luckiest guy alive!
Never a single care
But the dadgum moth in my beehive
And my eight kids over there.
(Shoes six dollars a pair.)

And I flirt with the frost and flirt with the drought;
And the cute little cutworm I tap on the snout;
And I tuck the corn grain in its cunning earth cup
And the jolly crows hurry and help it come up;

The katydids sing and the grasshoppers hop
And the mice and the rabbits help gather the crop;
And there's hardly a thing that the farmer need do,
But struggle with grippe and hay fever and flu,
And dream of the day when the mortgage comes due.

I am a rollicking son of a gun,
Lilting the hours away.
Chasing the harrow from sun to sun,
Dancing along till the day is done,
The Farmer's life is an easy one,
Nothing to do but play.
(Fourteen hours every day.)

Trip all day o'er the sunny lea,
Chased by the red-hot bumblebee,
Singing a song so merri-lee—
Tra la la,
Tra la lee,
Never a care to worry me.
Red carbuncles on my neck,
Dirt in my plow shoes by the peck,
Tra la lee,
Tra la lo,
For the corns that grow on my battered toe.

Winter comes, and I still have fun,
For the farmer's life is an easy one;
Shucking the corn from the frozen shock;
Chambermaiding the barnyard stock;
Lounging forth with the milking pail;
Battling sleet and the tearing gale,
And the frozen chunk on the old cow's tail.

Digging the woodpile from the snow,
Thawing the frost from my frozen toe:
Thawing the ice from the frozen pump,
Thinking of how I shall have to hump
To keep myself and my family dear
Out of the poorhouse one more year,
While my bunions grow and my fingers bleed—
Pardon the butterfly life I lead.

Flour goes up and wheat goes down;
And all the while, in the far-off town,
The overworked middle man, wan with care,
Sits in his overstuffed office chair
And slaves and slaves, with never a stop,
Stuffing his pockets with my crop.

And what am I doing while he does this?
I'm baring my nose to the blizzard's kiss;
I'm shovelling snow and I'm doing chores
When the rest of the world is asleep indoors;
I kick up my heels in my rustic glee,
For the life of the farmer is easy and free,
Tra la la,
Tra la lee,
Nothing at all to worry me!
Taxes due, and the doctors's bill,
That is the reason that I trill—

Tra la lee,
Tra la li—
Gosh, but I am a lucky guy!

Facts which were brought out at the Ontario Veterinary Conference at Toronto serve to emphasize the wisdom of the Town Council in deciding to have a periodic inspection of local dairy herds. Figures were presented showing that of all the cattle slaughtered in Ontario abbatoirs in 1910, 2½ per cent. were tubercular, and in 1923 this number had grown to 5½ per cent. It was furthur stated that one in four cases of human tuberculosis was directly traceable to the bovine germ. These figures speak so loudly for themselves that they do not require to be emphasized.—Exchange.

Farewell Winter

It has been a weary season, this old winter that departs. Spring arrives, and with good reason we have gladness in our hearts. Always when the winter's aging, we grow weary of its curves, weary of its futile raging, and its presence jars our nerves. When the wind, in nook and cranny, howls through dark and bitter hours, how we yearn for Gentle Annie, with her apron full of flowers! When the winter first comes chasing, we pretend we like its play; 'Ah, this cold,' we say, 'is bracing, it is good for any jay; it is fine to face the blizzard, and it makes us young again; heat may suit the clammy lizard, cold is for the sons of men.' For a week we smile and chortle as we jog through drifted snow; but our mirth is frail and mortal, and a fortnight lays it low. Oh, the night wind is uncanny, and it has a ghostly sound, and we yearn for Gentle Annie, with a yearning most profound. Snow will do for crazed explorers who would find some sort of pole, but the spring winds are restorers of the weary human soul. And I sit here with my Granny, arm in arm we twain abide, and we root for Gentle Annie, gladly letting winter slide.—Walt Mason.

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Thousands of dollars are lost each year by stock owners neglecting to take the necessary measures to destroy the lice that infest the stock. Millions of these busy little insects make life a misery to the animal and they also make the animals a source of loss to the owner. The keeping of live stock as a medium of support for lice never made any money for the farmer. It is unprofitable. Many people neglect, for reasons best known to themselves, to apply the simple remedies that destroy vermin and prevent losses on live stock operations.

Lice multiply most rapidly in dry, sold weather, and are found in greatest abundance on long-haired, old and poorly cared for stock during March and April. Spring rains tend to reduce the numbers of vermin on animals that are exposed to the weather and the lice become less numerous as the season progresses. A few seem to survive the summer and show their presence in the late autumn or early winter when their progeny have increased to millions and bring torment to the unfortunate animals that support them. Rub and scratch, is the practice, until all the hair is off and the louse either crushed or pushed further along. Bare patches are noticed on side of neck, breast, head and back, wherever the animal has been able to reach—evidence of vigorous attempts at relief from the tiny tormentors. Animals that are tide and not free to rub themselves have a harder lot than those running free.

All animals should be given a good grooming with brush and curry comb to remove scurf, loose hair, and any vermin that may be off guard, then apply the following:

Treatment for Cattle Lice—Soft soap 1 quart hard soap ¼ pound, coal oil 1 pint, water 2 quarts.

Mix the quantities of soap and coal oil together first, then add the 2 quarts of boiling water. This will make an emulsion if thoroughly mixed, to which 1 gallon of warm water must be added before applying to the animals. An ordinary stable brush is a good instrument with which to apply the emulsion. Care should be taken to saturate the skin over the entire body. Repeat the treatment in ten days; another brood will be up and doing by that time. Sheep dips prepared by reliable manufacturing chemists are available and veryuseful in destroying cattle lice. There are three species of lice attacking cattle, viz., the long-nosed louse, the short-nosed louse, and the biting louse. Herds that are regularly groomed during the winter suffer but little from lice.

Treatment for Horse Lice:

If the weather is warm enough so that it is safe to wash a horse, the kerosene emulsion given for cattle is very effective. If the weather is cold, the animal can be given a good grooming and then either sodium flouride or pyrethrum powder well dusted on the skin, and the horse blanketed. Raw linseed oil can be brushed into the hair quite easily and with good effect. A good brush and oil are death to the mites. Any treatment given should be repeated in ten days, since the powers of multiplication are wonderful. There are two kinds of lice infesting the horse, the biting and the suctorial.

Treatment for Pig Lice:

Raw linseed oil applied with a brush to all parts of the body is very effective. The formulae for kerosene emulsion can also be used to advantage. An oil rub, always accessible for the use of swine, will do much to keep the vermin down. The practice of having a machine oil can handy at feeding time and giving each pig a squirt along the back once a week is a good one. It will make conditions unhealthy for a pig louse. The pig louse "Haematopinus suis" is a big one, almost as long as its name, and can easily be seen.

Do not let the louse rob you of your season's profits and don't let him annoy your animals. A little soapy or greasy material will stop his breathing for all time. Why not get after him to-day.—L. Stevenson, O.A.C.

Horse Sense

During the spring period while the hair is being shed and a new coat produced, horses are very susceptible to sudden changes of temperature and inclement weather. Many fall victim to inflammation of the throat. The disease arises from injury to the mucous mimbrane inflicted by foreign substances swallowed in the feed, by chemical irritants in medicines, inhaling of smoke, dust, fungi, heated air, the drinking of ice water, and as a complication of strangles.

The symptoms in the early stage are not very marked and since the horse cannot talk and tell us what the trouble is, the case is usually well on before treatment is started. As the throat becomes very sore it causes the horse to stand with the nose forward and any movement of the head will be very stiff. Attempts at swallowing will result in the food being returned to the manger by way of the nostrils. There is but little external swelling and the act of feeling the throat will cause the horse pain. There is a nasal discharge and a cough which comes in spells. The lymphatic glands of the region will be swollen.

The treatment for simple sore throat consists of providing a clean, comfortable stall with abundant light and fresh air, where the temperature can be maintained at about 60 deg. Blanket the patient and give only soft, laxative foods. Have a water bucket within reach of the patient in which he may wash out his mouth. Change the water four or five times each day and put a spoonful of salts or a pinch of salt peter in it each time. Steamed hay and bran mashes are acceptable feeds. Oats with husk or oat chop should not be given. Oatmeal and a little linseed meal or linseed tea are good. If there is fever, Potassium nitrate can be given. Mustard plaster or ammonical liniment can be applied to the outside region of the throat. An electuary containing belladonna, chlorate of potash and molasses can be made and a small quantity deposited at the base of the tongue every two hours during the very painful stage.—L. Stevenson, O.A.C.

Fresh Foods in Early Spring.

During the latter part of the winter our health is especially liable to suffer from the lack in our diet of vitally important qualities that are provided by the fresh vegetables and fruits which are abundant in the summertime. For this reason we should give some thought to our diet at this time of year, for the purpose of protecting ourselves against this deficiency.

If this is done, our vitality will be kept up, and we shall be better able to resist sicknesses that are common in late winter. Some authorities believe that many people have a scurvy in late winter owing to deficiencies in the diet.

Because they last throughout the winter and can be eaten raw or in salads, cabbage, celery, apples, grapefruit, oranges, nuts, lemons in lemonade, are of special value and should be partaken of freely during the winter.

Canned tomatoes are unique in that they provide the vitamine that is contained in other foods only when they are raw, and they may be used freely in the wintertime with benefit to the health. Canned pineapple that has not been canned too long is also said to be a good provider of vitamines.

When lettuce can be bought during the winter, it is well to use it. This should not be considered an expensive luxury. It is better to spend money for some of these medicinal and protective foods than for drugs and doctor's bills, avoiding, besides, the discomfort of ill health and the loss of earning power due to sickness.

It is especially necessary to make use at this time of the foods mentioned, as milk and butter, which are "protective" foods in the summertime, are likely to be lacking or at least scarce in the winter.

How Not to Eat.

Table manners in the seventeenth century must have stood in need of considerable improvement, if we may take seriously the advice that Hannah Wooley gave to young ladies in 1675. It must be admitted that Miss Wooley "wielded a trenchant pen."

"Gentlewomen discover not by any ravenous gesture your angry appetite, nor fix your eyes too greedily on the meat before you, as if you would devour more that way than your throat would swallow. In carving avoid claping your fingers in your mouth and licking them after you have burnt them. Close your lips when you eat and do not smack like a pig. Fill not your mouth so full that your cheeks shall swell like a pair of Scotch bagpipes. It is very uncomely to drink so large a draught that your breath is almost gone and you are forced to blow strongly to recover yourself."

Our farmers should not delay making certain of their seed corn supply. Some are being disappointed, and more are likely to be when tests are completed.

Standards.

It is easy for those who are striving to make a reputation in any form of art to reject impatiently all precedents as something outmoded, fit only to be discarded. In a contemptuous mood they invite us to forget what came before their advent and to be aware merely of their own performance, excluding memories and comparisons.

None wishes to lay a palsying hand on the restless energy that would press forward to the conquest of the heights untrodden, the attainment of the goal unseen beyond the far horizon. But they who in earnest seek to put down to their own record a fine and a lasting attainment will not spurn the advisory voices of the past; they will not scorn the practice of reverential contemplation of the things that used to be, from which a devout and a receptive spirit might forever learn.

The man who comes into a business and refuses to take the kindly proffered suggestions of those who were on the job before him is a fool. If there were studied ill-will toward the newcomer, the case would be different. Generally, where there is an honorable pride in a profession that transcends all mean emotions of envy or jealousy, the veterans are altogether glad to pass on what they know to the recruit who is willing to learn. A soldier comes into the army aware that he must submit to discipline; that it is "safest, easiest and best to obey your orders." If he rebels and flouts his corporal and his sergeant, he is doing his part to undermine the foundations of morale and discipline; and it does not need the commanding general's voice to say that for the good of the rest he must go. Standards which we found established when we came may be raised or lowered; they were not meant to remain forever at their present level. But before we strive to improve on them we should know what they are and we should be sure of what we are doing. The rules of the game are to be learned before assertive genius breaks them.

Airplanes Should be Equipped With Radio Sets.

The army aerial world tour will be attempted without the use of radio except on the last leg, across the Atlantic from Hull, England, due to the conservation of weight, the chief of the army air service has announced.

Radio experts and some fliers believe that this is an unfortunate decision, since through the use of radio in connection with aviation greater assurance of successful flights and the safety of pilots has resulted generally. But the projectors of the flight do not consider radio essential.

Weather conditions, orders and emergency calls can be received immediately by pilots on radio equipped craft, and they in turn can send messages as to progress, position and changes in routes, as well as requests for assistance, position reports and desired information.

One plane, it is now planned, will be equipped with a transmitter and a receiver set at Hull, England, but what would happen if that plane should crash is not announced. The radio telegraph transmitting set is a 200 watt nonsynchronous rotary spark with a plane to ground range of about a hundred miles. The antenna will be a single weighted trailing wire, and the whole set will weigh approximately 100 pounds. Six hundred metres will be the wave used.

A superheteroyne receiving set will also be carried in the communication plane, but no radio compass. The transmitting set is capable of being transferred to another plane if necessary. Spares and some replacement apparatus will be carried across the Atlantic.

The Old Manse Speaks.

The children are coming home, home,
They're coming home in the spring,
My latches shall know the touch of their hands
And my walls—their whispering.
My floors shall feel the tread of their feet,
My hearth shall comfort their tears,
Oh, the children, the children are coming home
Across the dusty years.

The children are coming home, home,
Buffin and Bill and Pose,
Bob and Dyer and Sade and Lel—
Some night when April blows
Her first magnolia-laden winds
Through all my spacious rooms
My roof shall shelter their hearts again
When flaming April blooms.

The children are coming home, home,
O God, look down on me!
And make me as sweet as Mary's house
That stood in Galilee.
Something more than mortar and stone,
More than timber and bricks!
Something akin in the children's hearts
To altar and crucifix!

—Marion Francis Brown.

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ONE WAY TO LOOK AT IT

Reams of copy have been written bewailing the fact that the young people leave the farms for city life, and as many more reams have been covered with directions for checking the movement. But still the exodus goes on, and it will continue until the attitude of country folk toward the city folk undergoes a decided change. Meanwhile it is useless for anxious fathers and mothers to buy pianos, automobiles, home comforts, fine houses and fine furniture in the hope of stemming the tide cityward.

For the fault is largely the parents'. Most country boys and girls have been brought up to think that the city is a haven of rest. Country mothers seem to take pride in telling how much work they do and how helpless town ladies are, and they are forever pointing out that the country is the place to bring up children, because it furnishes plenty of chores and healthful work for them to do.

All that may be quite true, but the small boy who wants to go fishing instead of being made to dig potatoes and to drive the cows to pasture concludes that the city must be a pretty pleasant place if the city boys have nothing to do. And the little girl who is bidden to carry water to the chickens or to pick peas for dinner resolves to go to town just as soon as she is big enough, because there nobody keeps chickens and vegetables are bought instead of being picked from vines.

Whenever work is held up, consciously or unconsciously, as a thing to be avoided, children long for a place where there are no chores to do. If fathers and mothers, instead of deploring the supposed idleness of city life, would make a point of impressing on their boys and girls the delights of farm life and would give them opportunities to make money from the chores, young people would be more content with the country.

A little country girl of seven coaxed her mother not long ago to puff out her hair a little at the sides, because it looked so pretty, but the mother said decisively that she had no time to primp and fix up like city women who had nothing else to do. The child was disappointed and inwardly determined that she would live in town when she got big, so that she might look pretty and have time to wear stylish dresses. The mother paid no attention to the child, but ten years hence she will be trying to keep the girl from carrying out her childish resolve.

In another home, when the children proposed small excursions and picnics —little day trips in the family car to places of interest—the mother was wont to say, "City people have time to go gading, but country folks have to work," thinking that she was showing her boys and girls how much more virtuous country people were than their town neighbors. But she succeeded only in convincing them that the city must be a delightful place to live in, if people there had all the time they wanted for rest and recreation.

It is not fair to teach the children that town people have nothing to do, because it is not true. And until parents learn to magnify the delights of country living, instead of those of crowded cities, the exodus from the farms will go on, for only years of hard experience can efface the power of early teaching.

Ordinary shelled corn is the best supplement to skim-milk for calves.

In a boundless universe is boundless better, boundless worse.

Beating Out Caterpillars

By Chester Morgan

To judge by the abundance of tent caterpillar egg masses reported since the leaves fell last autumn, this spring will see a serious outbreak of this pest in many parts of the country

The egg masses, which are about an inch long, encircle the smaller twigs. They are of a golden brown color and resemble dried frothy glue. Once seen they are easily recognized and found while the trees are bare of leaves. The little worms which were fully developed last fall before cold weather set in are ready to emerge as soon as spring opens. Usually before the buds burst they have begun to spin their webs in crotches of the smaller branches. They do serious but often unnoted damage to the young green parts before their presence is detected or even suspected.

During storms, cold and drizzly deather and during the heat of the day they take shelter in the nests, but in the evening and the early morning they go out to feed. Toward the beginning of June they cease to return to the nests and often travel considerable distances across even bare ground, less in search of food than of places in which to change from their caterpillar form to the adult moth state. In July the moths appear, lay their eggs and die.

This insect becomes a serious pest about once in ten or fifteen years, The last devastating infestation in the East was in 1915. The reason is that its natural controls, especially parasites, fail for some usually undetermined reason. In the absence of these checks the caterpillars run riot until the controls gain a fresh hold. This may require one, two or three years.

A simple way to avoid trouble from these caterpillars is to gather the egg masses in winter, but not destroy them. This would also kill the parasites that are often inside the eggs. Place the egg masses where the parasites may escape freely but where the caterpillars will find no food, as in an outbuilding.

Another way is to destroy the little nests as soon as they are formed. Before the leaves develop they are easily seen in the crotches of the smaller branches. They may be burned with a torch, though care must be exercised to avoid injuring the branches themselves. They may be wiped out with a bunch of burlap or other rough material, or even with the gloved hand, though this is unpleasant. Worthless apple, wild cherry and other trees upon which the insects feed should be destroyed as a matter of prevention.

When these methods are not followed spraying or dusting the foliage near the nests will kill most of the worms. The most effective poison is arsenate of lead, whether applied as a spray or in dust form. The same dusting or spraying to control leaf-chewing insects will also exterminate the tent caterpillar. Lead arsenate may be applied with fungicides such as lime-sulphur dust, thus combining two functions in one.

The Dairy

A certain farm woman made a success of raising a few extra good dairy calves every year for the past dozen years or so. A few of her hand-fed heifer calves from grade Holsteins and a pure-bred sire have broken neighborhood records of performance at the pail.

The following is her method of growing little calves into big, high-producing cows:

When the calf is born she allows it to remain with its mother about two days, giving it a chance to fill up at leisure on that new milk not fit for human consumption, but most excellent food and medicine for the infant. She says that a calf will learn to drink out of hand as easily at three days old as earlier.

After the calf is separated from its mother she feeds it new milk from its own mother three times daily. This new-milk feeding is continued for from ten days to two weeks, when gradually some skimmed milk is mixed with the whole. Also at this time, when the calf is about two weeks old, she begins to add a little cooked oatmeal to the milk, which the young calf soon begins to eat readily and on which it thrives wonderfully. When the calf is older a pint or more of the oatmeal mush is mixed with the milk. This mush is the calf's first solid food, and soon after learning to eat the mush it will begin to nibble at and eat fine hay, a big help in boosting a hand-fed calf in thrift and growth.

This farm-woman expert with dairy calves believes that all of the fat should never be removed from the milk which is to be fed young calves. She believes, and is scientifically right, that no calf in its later growing period will do its best without some actual cow butterfat in its daily ration, until it is old enough to eat a wide variety of solid foods.

Hence, the milk she gives her hand-fed calves is not from the separator, but skimmed milk with a little of the cream.

"No food is too good in the beginning," she says, "if you expect to develop a large, fine, heavy-producing heifer. The early start in life is what counts. Plenty of milk at each feed, frequent feeding and always some fat in the milk is my method."

But after the calf is eight or ten weeks old this woman gives it close skimmed milk from the separator, for then the young animal is old enough to eat a variety of other things to satisfy fully all its growing needs.

"But remember," she advises, "the best dairy heifers are grown only when you furnish them through the first weeks of their growing life with some butterfat in their liquid feed. It's a practice that pays."

For Home and Country

A Piece of Real Neighboring.

We wonder if any organization ever had a more neighborly piece of work to its credit than this: The Institute of South Simcoe have been running a series of inter-Institute debates this winter. When Bond Head came to Tottenham they had a debate, a musical program, a short play by the Tottenham Institute, and refreshments. The proceeds amounted to $46, with limited expenses to either organization. Three days previous, a woman living in the country near Tottenham had lost twin babies and her own life was hanging in the balance. The Tottenham Institute women hearing of it, immediately put in a trained nurse. The Bond Head women, learning that Tottenham was using the share of the proceeds from the evening for this purpose, 'phoned them the next day asking to have their share turned over to the same cause. The Secretary says: "We had a nice letter from the doctor in charge, saying it was the means of saving a life."

I Sell Eggs Direct.

My first step was to secure a copy of the Montreal City directory. Selecting a list of names from the residential sections, I mailed to each a neatly printed circular stating that I was prepared to ship guaranteed strictly fresh eggs in lots of five dozen each, and solicited a trial order. In a few days trial orders began to arrive.

I selected only first-quality eggs and shipped in small wooden, five-dozen size cases, by express. The express company gave me what they call the produce rate, by which the crates are returned free of charge. Since that first venture the capacity of my egg factory has been increased many times.

I find shipping in wooden cases by express far superior to shipping by parcel post, as the danger of breakage is much less. Rarely do I have a complaint of a single egg being broken; by parcel post this was one of my greatest problems.

Neighbors have offered to sell me their eggs to ship with mine, but so far I ship only my own eggs, which I can guarantee. I received $310.60 more last year than I would have by marketing my eggs at home.—R. W.

The old age of an eagle is as good as the youth of a sparrow.

These are the signs that indicate poor diet: Low vitality and susceptibility to disease; wrinkles and crows' feet; early signs of age; hair loses its luster, falls out, is uneven and easily broken; digestive system out of order and inefficient.

Take Heart.

All day the stormy wind has blown
From off the dark and rainy sea;
No bird has past the window flown;
The only son has been the moan
The wind made in the willow-tree.

This is the summer's burial time;
She died when dropped the earliest leaves;
And, cold upon her rosy prime
Fell direful autumn's frosty rime;
Yet I am not as one who grieves—

For well I know o'er sunny seas
The bluebird waits for April skies;
And at the roots of forest trees
The mayflowers sleep in fragrant ease,
And violets hide their eyes.

O thou, by winds of grief o'erblown
Beside some summer's golden bier—
Take heart! thy birds are only flown,
Thy blossoms sleeping, tearful sown,
To greet thee in the immortal year!

—Edna Dean Proctor.

Locating Electrical Trouble.

A simple method of discovering whether electrical trouble is in the generator is to procure an ammeter—one from any car will answer very well. Run a separate wire from the generator through this ammeter and then connect it to the battery of the car, first disconnecting the regular wire. Now if on running the engine this ammeter shows the normal charging rate it indicates that the trouble is elsewhere in the electric system and not in the generator. Often a generator is suspected, and this simple test clears it without disturbing any other part of the wiring system, which is an obvious advantage.

His Forte.

A pianist recently presented himself at a concert agency with the following testimonial:

"I have pleasure in certifying that Mr. Siegfried Gustemala is a musician of considerable talents. He plays Beethoven, Chopin, Stravinsky and poker. He plays poker best."

Never go to sleep until you square accounts with your conscience.

Poultry

Every spring brooder stoves are discarded because they will not draw properly when the trouble really lies in the location of the house. In some cases the stove seems to draw all right except when the wind is in certain directions. I know of one brooder stove that did not draw properly until the house was moved out away from the other building. I know of two other cases where the stoves did not draw and a draft was effected simply by putting on another length of brooder stovepipe.

A cap on the brooder stovepipe will guard against the fire being put out by wind or rain. The pitch of the roof on some brooder houses seems to be just so the air sweeping up over the roof forms a wave that falls over backward and goes down the chimney. In other cases the air will strike a building close by and make an air current that puts the fire out. A prolonged spring rain often increases the troubles of the brooder-stove operator. This trouble can be alleviated by putting a metal cover on the brooder-stovepipe. This cap is merely a rectangular piece of metal, bent into an arch and fastened to the pipe with rivets to keep it from turning.

Put the cap on with its axis parallel to the front end of the roof. This keep air currents from doubling over backwards and putting out the fire and it keep rain out.

Repairing Silo Walls.

Usually when the inside of a concrete or other masonry silo is plastered the walls are not yet rigid. Subsequent checking and cracking often follow and the owner wonders why, yet fails to take the time to repair them.

Surface checks usually do no harm and are often the result of excessive strain on the surface when the water evaporates. But if the checks are cracks and extend through the wall they should be repaired. Pure cement wash is perhaps as good as anything. But to make the wash bond perfectly with the old concrete the surface should be soaked with water for several minutes before the wash is applied. The wash should be of the consistency of thick cream first, then thickened until it will just pour.

Large cracks which may require a flexible joint are repaired by heating with a blowtorch until the surrounding surface is warm. Asphalt-soaked rags are then tamped in with a hammer and a hardwood stick and then covered with pure asphalt or heavy tar. These hints will apply also to cisterns or water tanks.

Obeying Orders.

Father (severely) — "Mabel, your mother informs me that she saw you sitting on that young man's knee last night. You know what I told you?"

Mabel—"Yes, papa; you said that if he began to make love to me I was to sit on him."

IN RABBITBORO



The Winchester Press.

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Thursday, Mch. 27, 1924

Government and Economy

If the head of the household, finding that household and other domestic expenses were going beyond his income, and desiring to make both ends meet, issued the order that the servants wages was to be reduced, the children to wear less expensive dresses, all luxuries of the table cut out and his wife limited to one new dress and one new hat a season, while he, himself continued to keep up his connection with his favourite club, paid his sporting dues, continue to indulge in his favourite expensive cigars and liquors, and continues to order as many and as expensive suits as before, you would be apt to call such a one anything but a gentleman. Well that is just about what the government at Ottawa is doing at the present time. In an effort to cut down public expenditure they turn in every direction and cut down the salaries of all the poorer paid officials, while retaining their unearned and unmerited indemnity and other perquisites that cost the country millions of dollars. If the King Government expects to impress the country that they are sincere in their desire to lower our taxation and reduce public expenditure let them begin right at the top and show by a little self-sacrifice that they really mean business.

We Wonder

We wonder what kind of a reception an old time politician would have if he were to go out into the country districts and try to round up the faithful and get the reliables into party line as they used to do not more than ten or fifteen years ago. A few years ago not to be identified with and faithful to either one of the two political parties in Canada was to be a political outcast. An independent thinker was either a crank or a fool, or both. When he went to the poll to record his vote he went alone, and he never was "hale fellow well met" by the groups of party stalwarts who gathered about the polling place. Party ties are badly frayed, party obligations are very weak. Perhaps there is more than is generally credited in the remarks of W. F. McLean, M. P. of Toronto, when in a speech recently delivered in the House of Commons he spoke of a "revolution in present day political life." Party allegiance will no longer carry a man who is not true to public pledges, and while there are still the political blood-suckers who talk and practice party fidelity to their own advantage, the general public are doing their own thinking.

Quality Pays

A well known authority on agricultural methods recently stated that agriculture is not suffering so much from over production as from lack of quality production. 'There is no line in which Canadian farmers can over-produce if they make the quality right,' is his opinion. Quality—whether it be of service, workmanship, merchandise or farm or factory products—is what wins success, and this was never more true than to-day when there is such exceedingly keen competition in almost every branch of endeavor. 'Quality first' is a good motto to follow.

The statement has often been made that 'dairying has lifted the mortgage from many a farm." There are many good reasons for this statement, and one of them is that the dairy cow is about the most economical producer of human food in existence. But, as was so clearly pointed out in the account published in the Press of the splendid record made by the cattle of Mr. McNaughton. 'Quality first' should be the aim of every farmer who makes dairying a specialty, or even a feature of his farming. There is no business in which 'Quality first' pays better than in farming.

Ontario's Loss

The revelations being made before the Public Accounts Committee of the Ontario Legislature in connection with the purchase of duty free Ontario Bonds, under the Drury Government and by the consent of the late Provincial Treasurer, Hon. Peter Smith, is anything but a hopeful sign in public life. When one broker was allowed to make for himself $100,000 in two days by purchasing bonds for the Government, and another gentleman, whose only introduction to the Provincial Treasurer was a neat card bearing the name of "Provincial Securities Company" that had no existence at all, was able to make from $25,000 to $30,000 out of the Government in one transaction, it looks as though there was, to say the least, criminal carelessness on the part of the late Government and the Provincial Treasurer. Mistakes in judgement on the part of cabinet ministers are to a certain extent pardonable but from evidence produced the late Provincial Treasurer was positively incapable and stupid. As a matter of fact the Province of Ontario is several millions of dollars poorer to-day than it was four years ago, and all through the bungling stupidity of inexperienced men who were thrust into positions of trust and responsibility for which they have proved they were not fitted.

Conservative Paper Says there is no Demand for a Plebiscite

In the Orillia Packet, one of the leading Conservative weekly papers in the Province, the following comment appeared editorlally last week: "In the face of strenuous opposition from the Progressive members, the bill authorizing the Government to take a plebiscite on the Ontario Temperance Act passed second reading in Ontario legislature on Tuesday. The main objections to the measure were that it did not name a day for the vote, or set out the questions to be voted upon. As to the former, the Government is pledged to give a vote whenever public opinion calls for it. But so far there has been no such demand. In fact, the bulk of representative, responsible expressions have been in favor of giving a fair chance to the Act to show what can be accomplished under Mr. Nickle's administration. The Government would not be justified in putting the people of the Province to the expense and inconvenience of another plebiscite, in response to the noisy clamor of a few ward politicians in the large centres. As to the second point, the chief question must necessarily be whether the people wish the Ontario Temperance Act to remain in force. If this issue is put squarely to the people the Packet has no fears as to the result. Nobody who can recall conditions prior to 1916 will be easily persuaded that prohibition has failed to work a revolution for the better, and the electors are not going to be tricked into giving up its solid advantages for the specious arguments from "moderationists" whose zeal for "true temperance" did not awaken till the bars and the liquor shops had been closed.' The Packet voices the opinion of thousands of Conservative electors, as well as that of moral reformers generally of all shades of politics.

Question—Do You Buy at Home?

In a well-timed and well written editorial on the iniquitous habit so many otherwise very estimable citizens have of sending to the city departmental stores for goods that can be purchased just as cheaply at home if they would only take the trouble to inquire, the Carleton Place Central Canadian says:

"This matter was brought forcibly to our attention the other day when somebody stated to us he had just mailed $40 to a distant house for an order of goods. He could have bought these goods from any one of a half dozen places in Carleton Place and just as cheaply. He would have had the further privilege of inspecting them before buying and taking them with him that day. Yet he sent his money away. This case becomes more subject of criticism in face of the fact that this particular individual is carried on the books of at least one local business house for some hundreds of dollars. When credit must be extended the home merchant is asked to carry the load and when cash can be paid the mail order house gets it. That attitude is all wrong. The progress and the development of Carleton Place lies in the hands of the people now living here. Loyalty to this community in all matters is a primary requirement for its progress. One in which to give expression to that loyalty is by spending our money at home with Carleton Place business establishments."

The same thing can be said of people who reside not many miles from Winchester. In all fairness every citizen of this community ought to give the local merchants at least the first chance.

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Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Sec. 56 of the Trustees Act, R. S. O., 1914, Chap. 121, that all creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of Mrs. Jane Moore, late of the Tp. of Matilda, in the County of Dundas, widow, who died on or about the Fifth day of February, 1924, at the City of Pittsburg in the State of Pennsylvania, are required, on or before the Nineteenth day of April, 1924, to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver to the undersigned Executors of the last Will of the said deceased full particulars of their claims or demands duly proven, and the nature of security, if any, held by them.

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

Dated this 17th day of March, 1924

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The Big Store

We have just received our first shipment of Spring Curtain Nets and Laces. Among the lot are to be found, some beautiful patterns and the prices are right, ranging from 25c to $1.00 per yard.

We have also received some very fine colored Madras suitable for curtains and drapes. Prices from 60c to $2.00 per yard.

A shipment of our Spring sweaters came to hand just lately. Among the assortment are to be found some very nice ones including Silk and Wool, Curley Wool and Brushed Wool, in a number of colors, with and without sleeves, from $2.75 to $5.50. We have a nice window display of these sweaters.

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Melvin News

Miss E. Knight of Chesterville is spending a few days with Misses Eva and Laura O'Neil.

Mrs. Robt. McDonald and daughter Alice of Ormond spent Thursday with the former's sister, Mrs. Sherman Christie.

Mrs. Frank Poole and baby of Winchester, and Mrs. George Coons and little daughter, spent Thursday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ross of Chesterville spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Christie.

The ladies of the neighbourhood attended a quilting bee last Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Sherman Christie. Mr. and Mrs. Christie of Winchester were also down.

VanCamp News

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hutt of Inkerman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Crowder on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil of Morewood, were the guests of Mr. Thos. Wylie, last week.

Little Basil Shaver of Winchester has been spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Stewart.

We are sorry to report that Miss Pearl Stewart had to go to Ottawa for an operation on her ear. We all hope she will soon be well again.

Mr. Will Marquette of Russell was the guest of friends last week.

Mr. Des Jardine has moved on Mr. Len Mill's farm, lately vacated by Jay Crowder. We welcome Mr. Des Jardine and family to our midst.

Mrs. James Madden of Mountain was the guest of Mr. Judson Levere, one day last week.

Mrs. Thomas Stewart of Mountain was the guest of her parents, Mr. Wm. Christie last week.

Miss Edith Rose is the guest of Winchester friends, this week.

Mr. McIntyre of Avonmore and Mr. Hunter, were guests of Mr. George Walter on Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crowder and Miss Violet were the guests of Mr. Henry Bellinger one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wylie were guests of friends at the Nation on Friday last.

Mr. Carman and Miss Gertrude Johnston were the guests of Mr. Thos. Wylie, on Friday evening.

Miss Sarah Hamilton of the consolidated School Hallville spent the week end at her home.

Quite a number attended the Mission-Band held at Mrs. Ed. Crowder's on Saturday, after-noon.

Master Hixon Hutt of Winchester was the guest of his Aunt Mrs. Russell Crowder a few days last week,

Miss Wilma Williams was the guest of Miss Alma Wylie on Saturday evening last.

Cloverdale

Sleighing in this vicinity is almost gone.

Miss Mable Larmour spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mr. Eldred Chambers of Dalmeny also Miss Ethel Lamoureux spent last Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. R. Todd.

Mr. Andrew Dillabough has purchased the livestock formerly owned by Mr. Benson George.

Mrs. Joe Billings of Winchester spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Dockstader.

Miss Luella Cinnamon spent a few days last week visiting friends in Cloverdale.

Mrs. Irwin Sheldrick and baby are spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Larmour.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Dockstader and family also Mr. David Lamoureux spent last Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stobo.

Mr. Fred Baker of Merrickville made a trip to Cloverdale one day last week.

Morewood

Miss Ella Steinburg, lately of Ottawa, has returned home and resumed her studies at the High School.

The young people of the Methodist Church held a social evening last Friday at the home of Wm. McConnell.

Mr. McMillan is visiting his daughter Mrs. Wm. Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Loughridge and son spent Wednesday with friends at Chrysler

The High School Hockey Club finished the season at Ruller where they defeated the Russell Continuation School. The High School boys are to be congratulated on their successful season, winning every game played.

Mrs. A. B. Allison spent a few days with Winchester friends recently.

Miss Edna Marcellus, of Russell, is visiting her cousin, Miss Susie Elliot.

Mr. Earnest Swerdfeger, of Ottawa, is visiting friends in Morewood and vicinity.

Mrs. McIntosh, of Dundela, is visiting friends and relatives in Morewood.

Mr. Ed. Dodge, of Cardinal, is spending a few days at Morewood.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist Church entertained the congregation at a social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Loughridge on Monday evening. A large crowd was present and an enloyable evening was spant.

South Mountain

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wilson and Miss Nellie Stafford of Osgoode, were guests one day last week of Mr. David Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Armstrong visited Mr. and Mrs. John Burnie of Hyndam last Friday.

We are sorry to report Miss Edna Glen ill with scarlet fever.

The sympathy of the village is extended to Mr. James Wright, in the death of his mother, Mrs. Robt. Wright of Glen Stewart, in her 97th year.

Master Willie Thompson arrived home from Kingston Hospital on Saturday last, accompanied by his father, Mr. Wm. Thompson.

Armstrong—Trotter.

A quiet marriage took place on Wednesday of last week, Mar. 19th, when Mrs. A. L. Trotter of Campbellford, was united to Mr. Samuel Armstrong of this place, by the Rev. A. Hinton. Congratulations.

Mrs. John Murdock and children of Brinston visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd visited Mr. and Mrs. John Burnie of Hyndman, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kirkwood of Toy's Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Boyd, one day recently.

Mrs. Will McMinomy and children visited Mr. David Berry, the latter part of the week.

Died.

We are called on to record the death of the late Ezra Baldwin, which occurred at his home on Sunday, Mar. 23rd at 5.30 p. m., at the age of 71 years. Deceased was very highly respected by his friends and neighbors, and will be sadly missed in his home circle. Mr. Baldwin received a stroke about two weeks previous and passed away on the above date. The funeral left his late home on Tuesday, Mar. 25th at 1.30, and proceeded to the Methodist church, of which deceased was a life long member, and was conducted by his pastor, Rev. A. Hinton, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Union Cemetery. He leaves besides his saddened widow, three daughters and two sons; Mrs. Frank Gilroy of town, the Misses Della and Grace at home, also John of this place, Howard of Calgary, Alta. who arrived home a few hours before the passing away of the deceased. The sympathy of all go out to the bereaved widow and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bellinger were up to Heckston Saturday.

Mrs. Minor Henderson spent over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Crawford.

The many friends of Mr. W. Marshall are sorry to learn that he is very ill at present writing.

Mr. Dalton Eadie of Kemptville spent the week end with his friend Mr. Chas. Clealand.

Mr. C. Wynn spent Sunday evening at Maple Avenue.

Mr. Herb Walter was in Ottawa Tuesday on business.

The play, 'The Noble Outcast,' put on by the young people of the Mission Circle of the Methodist Church, was one of the best that has been staged here for a long time and too much cannot be said of the able way each one took their part. It held the audience spell bound during the evening and it certainly was a rare treat for the small fee of 25c. Those who contributed to the musical part were, Mrs. (Dr.) G. C. Ferrier, Mrs. Lorne Armstrong, the Misses Naomi Berry and Grace Boyd and Joseph Wood, who did their parts excellent. Those who missed seeing this play, missed the treat of their lives.

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Sometimes a slight accident, or a sudden strain caused by the force of a heavy blow or impact, or the careless rounding of curves, or descending steep, rough hills at a high speed will bend an axle, knuckle or steering rod.

When demountable rims are used precaution must be taken to see that the rims are put on perfectly straight, for if they are carelessly placed the tire must take unnecessary diagonal grind and wear.

INCREASING LIFE OF SPRINGS.

If you would increase the life of the springs on your car, take them apart at least once a year and place graphite between the leaves. This will keep them flexible and will afford the car the protection for which the springs were designed, instead of them getting rusty and stiffening very perceptibly.

ELIMINATION OF VIBRATION LENGTHENS LIFE OF CAR.

The number of forms of vibration on a motor car are legion. Some of them can be eliminated; others can only be lessened; most of them are unpleasant and some are destructive. If vibration could be eliminated entirely, the car's life would be considerably lengthened. To dream of such a thing, however, would be like chasing rainbows; interesting perhaps, but with no chance of success. The object, then, of both the designer and the user is to geep unnecessary vibrations on the blacklist.

KEEP BATTERY UPRIGHT.

Always keep the battery in a vertical position in taking it out or replacing it in the sar. Sediment may be in the bottom of the jars, and tipping them may cause it to get between the plates and short-circuit them.

TIRE SPREADERS OF WOOD.

Tire spreaders can be made of various sizes to meet the demands of the tire repair shop. For this purpose wood will serve best, maple being preferred. These should be about ten inches long, three inches wide and one inch thick. The step-down for various tire sizes man be made to any length that may be found convenient for the work.

WHITEFISH IN CANADA

Satisfactory progress has been made during the past season by the Federal Government in the stocking of various inland lakes with whitefish, and according to the Superintendent of Fish Culture the 1923 catch in some of the lakes was the greatest ever recorded, in spite of the fact that a few years ago many of the lakes were rapidly approaching a state of depletion. In the case of Lake Ontario, whitefish was practically gone twenty years ago, but it is now in an excellent condition as a result of the Government's activities.

Whitefish, being of a coarse and hardy nature, are eminently suitable for the inland lakes of Canada, where the waters during the winter months are too cold for the propagation of other and perhaps more valuable species. In the lakes of Northern Alberta, Manitoba, Lake Erie and Lake Ontario, the Government has found conditions to be entirely suited for the propagation of this fish, and to date work has been more or less confined to those areas with gratifying results.

The latest Government fishery statistics show that whitefish, both in quantity and value, rank among the first half-dozen commercial fish caught in Canadian waters. In 1921, the whitefish catch totalled 184,072 cwt. valued at $1,916,698. In comparison with the three previous years, the catch compares favorably in regard to quantity, but shows a slight decrease in value, due to the abnormal demand for food products resulting from the war. While the figures for 1922 and 1923 are not, as yet, complete, it is believed that the catch for those years exceeded 1921.

Waters Where Fish Abound.

As stated above, major operations are practically confined to Lake Erie, Lake Ontario, Lake Winnipeg and the Northern Alberta lakes, which include Lake Athabaska and Lesser Slave Lake. At the present time, Lake Erie leads in the production of whitefish. The Northern Alberta lakes are second, followed by Lake Ontario and Lake Winnipeg. Steady progress has been made in developing the Alberta and Manitoba lakes, and these areas should in a short time take a commanding lead in the production of whitefish.

In bringing the whitefish industry back to a remunerative condition, no insignificant part has been played by the Dominion fish hatcheries. Thirty-five years ago the whitefish fishery of Lake Erie was a thing of the past, but with intensive fish cultural operations on both sides of the line it has been restored to its former importance. The same applies to Lake Ontario. In the lakes of Manitoba and Alberta there has been no need for fish cultural operations, as they have not been exploited to any great extent. When the collection of whitefish eggs was first undertaken, the Government was satisfied with a catch of thirty millions. In the following years the collection gradually increased, and in 1922 the number was over two hundred and eight millions.

Excellent for Marketing.

The palatable qualities of whitefish have made it a splendid product for marketing. Practically the whole catch is marketed in a fresh state, very little being salted, smoked or canned. In the East, little trouble has been experienced by the fishermen in disposing of their catch in the large Eastern Canadian cities. In the West, however, the domestic market being limited, the operators were forced to find markets in Eastern Canada and the United States. During the fishing season Westhern fishermen express large quantities of fresh fish in iced cars to Chicago, New York and other American cities, where a ready sale for the fish is found.

The steady growth in the production of whitefish during the past five or ten years has been one of the most pleasing features of the Canadian fishing industry. The splendid edible qualities of this fish ensures its ready sale on all markets, and together with the Government's activity in the propagation of this species, whitefish fishery in Canada will undoubtedly continue in a prosperous condition.

Restores Sight Lost in War.

There is still hope for the blind, according to Dr. Bonnefon, whose experiments on men blinded in the war have just been made the subject of a report to the Academy of Medicine.

When he read a previous report at the academy Dr. Bronnefon presented his first successful patient, a soldier blinded by shellfire. Following an operation, this man could see with his right eye. Since then the doctor has operated on another case, a man blinded just as the war ended, who never had seen two of his children. Several months' persistent treatment restored his vision, and in a letter which Dr. Bonnefon produces the man tells of his delight at being able to see his children.

Dr. Bonnefon offers to perform his operation for any soldier blinded in the war after a new medical examination. No doubt the volunteers will be many.

—AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME



Biggest Concrete Bridge.

What will be the biggest concrete bridge in the world is about to be constructed by France, to connect Brest with Plougastel. It will be 800 meters long (six miles), consisting of arched spans of 180 meters each. Seven-eighths of its length will cover that much of the estuary of the River Elorn.

This will be the second concrete bridge since the war, the other being that at St. Pierre du Vauvray, which was opened to traffic last year by President Millerand.

Broad Hint.

For hours they had been together on her front porch. The moon cast its tender gleam down on the young and handsome couple who sat strangely far apart. He sighed. She sighed. Finally:

"I wish I had money, dear," he said. "I'd travel."

Impulsively, she slipped her hand into his; then, rising swiftly, she sped into the house.

Aghast, he looked at his hand. In his palm lay a nickel.

Explained.

Orator—"That statement, ladies and gentlemen, is an infamous canard."

Voice—"What is a canard?"

Orator—"A canard, my friend, is something one canardly believe."

Enjoyment stops where indolence begins.

Reflections.

I love old volumes, with the years grown yellow;
The blue and white of china; pictures quaint;
An ancient trunk, with fragrance faded, mellow;
Old letters, holy as a shrined saint.

I love old streets; to me their doorways beckon;
The wistful windows and the ivied walls;
They sigh with age, unheeded, too, I reckon,
And sadly murmur as the twilight falls.

And the old houses with their recollections,
Where all within is sacred, hushed and cool,
Telling of gentle folk and their affections,
Tender and placid as a crystal pool.

In all these ancient things I find much pleasure;
The gallant days that were fond Memory brings;
Each recollection of those years I treasure,
And feel the gentle touch of spirit wings. —Aileen Ward.

In a bedroom built of glass at Guy's Hospital, London, patients have been kept hermetically sealed up for five days in an atmosphere containing double the usual quantity of oxygen.

Do Continents and Seas Float on the Earth's Surface

There was not long ago a violent storm along the coast of France, so violent that it shook the seismographs of the observatory at the Parc Saint-Maur, near Paris. The movement of the earth was not nearly so great as at the time of the Japanese earthquakes, but still, considering the distance of the sea from the French capital, the recorded shift was enough to bring into much prominence the theory of Wegener, the geologist, that the traditionally believed immobility of continents is fallacious, and that in reality instead of being firmly fixed, the Americas, Asia and Europe float aimlessly about like masses of seaweed in the Sargasso, on a stratum of fluid matter.

Writing under the heading, "A New Contribution to the History of the Earth," Charles Nordmann says in "Le Matin":

"Here is something to shake our ideas concerning this planet of ours, where the mediocre human melodrama is staged and which we call 'dry land,' and, even more erroneously, 'terra firma.' With the classic theories of the learned men this upheaval of the continental mass would be incomprehensible, but we have Wegener's body hypothesis, which not only explains the fact, but elucidates a crowd of enigmas; not as with Trissotin, who, so far, has only floundered with solemnity without results.

"Wegener's idea simpler than is generally believed, is as follows: The continents are not immobile; they are floating on a sort of layer, denser than the earth's crust, and which constitutes at the same time their support and the bottom of the sea, and might be likened to those light pebbles which roadmakers throw on the heavier asphalt, which is still in an unsolidified state.

"Wegener by his surprising hypothesis, maintains that formerly, that is to say, some myriads of centuries ago, all the continents were united in one single block, and if one could put together the various sea coasts of the Atlantic, one would find that they fitted neatly into one another, and the evidence of the underground dislocation would also tally. In a like manner the continents of Australia and the Antarctic would be found to fit in to the now empty notch of the Mediterranean Sea.

This extraordinary and suggestive hypothesis explains very well the analogies which exist between the fossilized fauna and flora of continents which to-day are widely apart—for example, Africa and South America.

"Numerous observations, notably that of the force of gravity and the average density of the earth at different parts of the globe, tend to confirm this theory. Therefore we are led to believe to-day that, instead of the continents being securely anchored in a fixed position, the emerging layer of earth is really floating on another and denser viscous layer, and which serves as a support for the continents.

"So the countries, now inhabited by men of different race, color and customs, are but the dislocated portions of an immense puzzle. It is not Paris alone, but all inhabited lands which have the right to the disturbing motto 'Fluctuat nee mergitur.'

"Until lately our doctrine of the firmness and stability of the earth united the land of lost dreams to this one of ours, of sentiment and human vows. This land of the living and the dead, which we believed to be forever anchored to the bottom of the sea, is but an inert mass of wreckage, drifting about on a viscous subterranean sea.

"Still, who knows, perhaps some day millions of years hence, these drifting continents may come together in a monstrous union and join what now is separated.

"This earth of human sorrows, with its follies and its hopes and despairs, drifts across the ocean for centuries like Arthur Rimbaud's 'Drunken Ship,' but we may say of it, like the poet, that ineffable winds have brushed it lightly with their wings."



IS THE OLD COUNTRY INTERESTED IN CANADA?

Here is the answer—A photograph of a section of the audience of 3,000 which attended the lecture given at the Free Trade Hall, Manchester, recently, by Mr. A. Ward, J.P., F.R.G.S., under the auspices of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

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Never mind if people lie about you, criticize your conduct, and find fault with everything you do. Say nothing but go right on. Return good for evil. If you would overcome your enemies, be kind to them. To love those who hate you is scientific, for love takes the sting out of hate, the malice out of revenge.

Never mind how disagreeable and unaccommodating others may be, don't let it affect your conduct. Make it a rule to be courteous and accommodating to everybody, and you will be surprised to find how even the rudest will be softened by your attitude, how they will respond in kind, and what peace and harmony it will establish in your own mind.

Never mind how wrong things may go, how your plans may fail, your efforts come to naught; what disappoints, troubles and trials you may be called on to face, never show the white feather. Get up every time you fall, and push right on; face what you must like a man; don't frown or whine, but smile and work, and you'll triumph over everything that tries to down you.—Success.

Burial Place of Richard I.'s Heart.

A controversy has arose over the place where the lion heart of Richard I. lies buried. While the French say it rests beneath the chancel of Rouen Cathedral. All Hallow's church in Barking, by the Tower of London, insists it is interred in the original chapel there, and is faunting a banner bearing the words:

The old grey church by the Tower hill
Claims Richard's heart and your goodwill.

Tradition has it that Richard's heart went to Rouen, though sixty or seventy years after his death chronicles averred it was at All Hallows. The controversy was revived by a workman's discovery at All Hallows' of what may prove to be the altar stone of the original chapel. There is at least one point on which all authorities are agreed, that civic progress in London and England began with Richard of the Lion's Heart.



And Was Occupying a Sleeper, Too.

Reggie — "Oh—aw—I beg pardon, Miss Sharpe—I didn't hear. I'd gotten into a train of thought, dontcher know."

Miss Sharpe (sweetly)—"And you'd settled down so comfortably in a sleeper, hadn't you, Mr. Sapp?"

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Empress of Russia to Live on the Riviera.

Marie Feodorovna, Dowager Empress of Russia, at the age of seventy-six years will shortly leave her native land of Denmark and establish herself on the Riviera, where she intends to pass her last days.

It is said the widow of Czar Alexandre III. wishes to live amidst the memories that the Cote d'Azur holds for her, as it was there she first loved and became engaged to Grand Duke Nicholas, whom she never married.

A veritable mother of tragedy, Marie Feodorovna last August left England, whither she had fled from the Bolshevists, and went to Copenhagen. With her was a poignant retinue consisting of forty odd survivors, many of whom had attended the Empress when members of the Russian Imperial Guard. Danish friends opened a subscription and raised the sum of 500,000 crowns so their former Princess could pass her latter years quietly.

Her house in Denmark is both cold and dingy. The Empress will leave it in April, going either to Nice or Cannes, where her chaplain, the Archpriest Popoff, is looking over suitable villas.

Beauty provoketh thieves sooner than gold.

If I were asked to name the three things which were retarding civilization most, I should say—ignorance, self-indulgence and selfishness.—O. S. Marden.

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HEALTH EDUCATION

BY DR. J. J. MIDDLETON

Provincial Board of Health, Ontario

Dr. Middleton will be glad to answer questions on Public Health matters through this column. Address him at Spadina House, Spadina Crescent, Toronto.

While the Canadian National Exhibition was in full swing last Fall, a very interesting stranger had a talk with me in the Provincial Board of Health's exhibit in the Government building. He was an Englishman, well educated and well read, who was in Toronto paying a visit to his son. This man asked me if we had any pamphlets on cancer, and although he was not a doctor said he was much interested in finding out all the latest ideas about the cause, treatment, etc., of this great scourge of mankind. I told him that the origin of cancer was still unknown, but there were many scientists to-day who were beginning to feel that our present custom of eating foods not in their natural states had something to do with the cause of stomach and intestinal cancers. Prolonged irritation of the bowels due to constipation or to gastro-intestinal stasis may have a tendency to cause malignancy, while some thinkers hold to the opinion that cancer may be brought about to some extent at least by the toxins resulting from the gastro-intestinal stasis being absorbed into the blood. Of course there is much difference of opinion on these points, but consideration of them will not do any harm, from whatever angle they are viewed.

This visitor to the Fair had a suggestion and an inquiry of his own to offer. He wondered if the increased use of serums and vaccines hypodermically had anything to do with the supposed increase of cancer in late years. On this point I was unable to give any definite information, because there are no available statistics on the subject, and besides, it would be difficult to associate the one with the other as cause and effect. However I obtained the opinion of a prominent physician who was especially interested in the subject of cancer, and he gave his opinion as follows:—First: There is considerable difference of opinion that cancer has in reality increased, but even if it were so it would be impossible to attribute this to any one factor since the cause of cancer is unknown. Second: It has been suggested that the alleged increase of cancer has coincided with intensive production by machinery, commonly associated, as it is, with a comparatively sedentary life of the operators. Third: One might hazard such another suggestion as the poisoning of the air of cities by carbon monoxide fumes from the exhaust of motors with its deterioration or lowering of health. Fourth: The "wearing out" of our body cells due to the greater intensity of modern life inducing a much earlier pre-semile state which we know is conducive to malignant disease. Fifth: Notwithstanding that serums and vaccines have been used for more than thirty years, no single case has been reported associating their use with cancer. Sixth: Coley's Fluid, as you know, has been used for at least thirty years for the treatment of sarcoma.

So it would seem as far as our present knowledge goes that serum inoculation is not associated in any way with the cause of cancer.

Stories About Well-Known People

Daughter of Lord Lives in London Slums.

Instead of making the special round of the mansions of the West End, the Hon. Anne Barbara Kinnaird, eldest daughter of Lord Kinnaird, has taken a small house in a back street of Barking, whence she visits the poor people who dwell in the many slums in that district of London. For nearly two years she has been an enthusiastic cadet and officer in the Salvation Army, and recently she was promoted to a captaincy in that organization. She is fair haired, young and very efficient looking in her neat blue uniform.

Capt. Kinnaird's commanding officer calls her "a fine, humble lassie," in spite of her birth—or because of it—and one of the most willing officers she ever had run across in the Army. "She simply lives for her friends," the commander added. "Children and grown-ups alike love her and look forward to her daily visits.

Capt. Kinnaird has that unusual trait to-day: an overwhelming shyness when among people who will persist in regarding her as something out of the ordinary, but among the poor her real self shines out."

The poor in her district paid a tribute to Capt. Kinnaird that leaves no doubt of their feelings, one grateful woman saying: "She's a real bit of sunshine from another world, and we are glad and proud to have her among us."

Lady Anne's father, a director in Barclay & Co.'s Bank, is president of the Y.M.C.A.

Novelist as "Cargo."

Mrs. Elinor Mordaunt, the novelist, has embarked on what promises to be one of the most remarkable adventures of its kind. She is sailing round the world in search of romance, not by the ordinary luxury-boat routes, but in cargo ships and tramp steamers.

Mrs. Mordaunt tells the story of a woman novelist of fame who called on a publisher a few days ago. The door to the publisher's sanctum was guarded by a business-like "flapper," who, after taking stock of the visitor, said: "I don't know whether Mr. So-and-so will see you. He's awfully busy—in fact ,he hasn't time to see even the good writers."

The Jew's Joke.

A Jew with toothache consulted a dentist, who advised him to have the tooth out.

"Can't have it out—vy, I couldn't stand the paid."

I'l lgive you gas—you'll never feel the pain."

The Jew asked: "Then I'll be asleep—unconscious—and you'll get this tooth out?"

"Yes!"

The Jew took all the money out of his pockets.

"Don't trouble to pay me now," said the dentist.

"I'm not going to," said the Jew. "I vant to count my money before I go to sleep."

This is one of a number of stories collected by Mr. Harry Furniss, the caricaturist, who states that in his experience Jews do not resent stories told against themselves. The one quoted above, says Mr. Furniss, was first told to him by a Jew.

TEETHING TROUBLES

Baby's teething time is a time of worry and anxiety to most mothers. The little ones become cross; peevish; their little stomach becomes deranged and constipation and colic sets in. To make the teething period easy on baby the stomach and bowels must be kept sweet and regular. This can be done by the use of Baby's Own Tablets—the ideal laxative for little ones. The Tablets are a sure relief for all the minor ailments of childhood such as constipation, colic, indigestion, colds and simple fevers. They always do good—never harm. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.



Miss Millionbucks — "But you are penniless."

Cholly Redcent—"But if you marry me I'll have a hundred dollars at least. I have a bet of that amount you'll marry me."

WESTERN PIONEER TELLS INTERESTING EXPERIENCE

Frank Rikert, Who Left Illinois for California in Covered Wagon in 1864, Wouldn't Take $100 for Bottle of Tanlac.

Frank Rikert, well-known resident of North Sacramento, Cal., who came from Illinois in a covered wagon in 1864, along with other hardy pioneers, recently exhibited a bottle of Tanlac, which he had just purchased, to a friend at his home and remarked: "If I thought this was the last bottle of Tanlac I would ever be able to buy, I wouldn't take one hundred dollars for it," thus proving the high valuation he places on the famous treatment.

"I believe Tanlac really saved my life when I took it after the Flu about a year ago," continued Mr. Rikert, "for the attack left me 20 pounds off in weight; and unable to turn over in my bed without assistance. I tell you, I thought my time had surely come.

"But, thanks to my wife's insistance, I kept on taking Tanlac till I was able to do all my work again, had back all my lost weight, and I've been feeling years younger ever since. I'm always telling my friends about Tanlac, and can't say too much for it."

Tanlac is for sale by all good druggists. Accept no substitute. Over 40 million bottles sold.

Take Tanlac Vegetable Pills.

The Cost of Touchiness.

There are employees who are always complaining of their slow advance. They can't see why they do not get ahead as others do. They would probably be surprised to know that an unfortunate disposition is keeping them back. I have known of a number of instances where employees have either been discharged or kept from promotion because of their touchiness, or extreme sensitiveness, their resentment of any criticism or faultfinding.

Employees who can't "stand the gaff" don't stand a very good chance of advancement. Those who fly into a rage or show offense at every little reflection on their work are never likely to get very far.

As a matter of fact employers are afraid of a hair-trigger temper which goes off at the slightest provocation. They know that it doesn't go with a cool, level head, and sound judgment, and these are the things they are looking for. The lack of amiability has stood in the way of advancement of many an employee who has wondered why he has not gotten ahead more rapidly.—O. S. Marden.

HOME TREATMENT SAFE AND EFFICIENT

Ailing People Made Strong by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do one thing, and do it well. They build up the blood, increasing the number of red corpuscles. As this is done the blood becomes a richer red and is able to carry more oxygen, the great supporter of human life. As the blood improves in quality the tissues of the body are better nourished and the functions of the body are better performed. This is the reason Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been so successful in the treatment of diseases due to poor, thin blood, and it is also the reason why they are so successful in building up strength after fevers and acute diseases. Among those who have used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills with great advantage is Mrs. Helena B. Taylor, Hanover, Ont., who says: "Not long ago I was critically ill. The trouble started with anaemia and a run-down system, and ended with pleurisy. I was confined to my bed for three months and three doctors were in attendance at different times. My life was despaired of, and I was practically living on doctors' medicine, because I could not eat. My friends did not expect me to recover. During my girlhood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had brought me through a severe attack of anaemia, and my mother urged that I should try them again. The doctor could not understand why we wanted to try these pills, but we decided to do so. After taking six boxes a decided change was taking place. I was actually getting hungry and anxious to live. After using twelve boxes a miracle was worked. I could walk and felt my strength coming back, and people on all sides were asking what was helping me, and we were not slow in telling them it was Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. With my health fully restored through the use of these pills I am a striking example of what this wonderful medicine can do, and now I never see a pale or sickly-looking girl or woman that I do not feel like going up to her and asking why she does not take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

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

Spruces.

Little green spruces
  Are counting on their fingers,
On a million fingers
  Gemmed with early dew,
All their fragrant uses,
  Blessed joy that lingers
Summer time, winter time,
  The whole year through.

Breathe a million praises,
  Little green chorus!
Shake your spicy thankfulness
  Through the golden aid!
Eve-living phrases
  Echo in and o'er us,
Telling us our blessedness,
  Urging us to prayer.

—Abbie Farwell Brown.

Vacuum Street Cleaner.

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With The BOY SCOUTS

Why the Baby Bellowed.

Wolf Cub—"Man, I think the baby swallowed that little bell. Shall I shake her and see?"

1st Hamilton Has Good Game.

A game in map reading and drawing topped the programme at a recent meeting of the crack 1st Hamilton Troop, and was followed by a game in which discs were arranged on squared paper. In the latter game the boys were given two seconds to look at the arrangement of the discs, after which each patrol went back to its own corner and tried to place similar discs in the same order on other squares. In this the Ravens and the Owls tied.

A Strenuous Task.

Customer—"Sixty cents seems very high for eggs. Haven't you any cheaper ones?"

Scout Poultry Farmer—"No, ma'am, I'm sorry I haven't. You see it's very expensive producing them. One egg is a whole day's work for a hen."

Scouts in Safety Work.

The Boy Scouts are co-operating with the Ontario Safety League in accident prevention work. A recent instance is their activity in broadcasting a Safety League warning about the danger people, and particularly children, were exposing themselves to in climbing out on the great ice hummocks formed along the shores of the Great Lakes this winter. At some points Scouts with lariat ropes patrolled the shores where these formations were particularly attractive to the venturesome.

As He Understood.

Patrol Leader—"Heat expands and cold contracts. Give me an example."

Tenderfoot—"In summer the days are very long; while in winter they are short."

What Scouting Is.

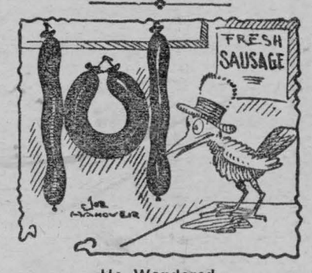
Baden-Powell says: "Scouting is a game in which elder brothers can give their younger brothers healthy environment and encourage them to healthy activities such as will help to develop citizenship.

"Its strongest appeal is through Nature Study and Woodcraft. It deals with the individual and not with the company. It raises intellectual as well as purely physical or purely moral qualities. At first it used to aim for these ends—now by experience it is known that where properly handled, it gains them."

Service.

Recruit—"The Scoutmaster says I am to get my uniform from you."

Quartermaster—"Sure, Buddy. How will you have it—too large or too small?"



He Wondered.

Bill Sparrow—"Great Scott, I'd like to see the bird that eats those worms!"

WHERE THE BEST TEA GROWS.

The tea plant flourishes best on the well drained side of a mountain in a country where there is plenty of moisture and a warm sun. Certain parts of Ceylon, India and Java are ideal for the growing of delicious tea, hence from these countries come the finest varieties. "SALADA" is a blend of the choicest qualities grown, in these, the three most famous tea-growing countries in the world.

The greatest known depth of the sea is said to be 32,088 ft., about 40 miles north of one of the Philippine Islands. At this point the ocean bottom would be about eleven and a half miles lower than the top of Mount Everest.

Minard's Liniment for Dandruff.

LUNCH COUNTER CARS ON NATIONAL



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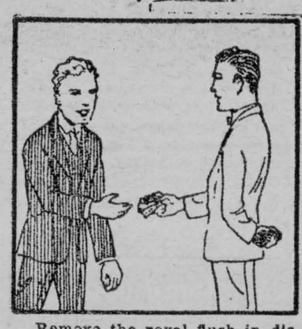
Lunch counter cars which will care for the needs of passengers in the colonist, first class and tourist cars of the main line trains, who do not desire to use the regular dining cars, have been placed in service between Winnipeg and Toronto by the Canadian National Railways. The suggestion of the lunch counter cars was made by Mr. Walter Pratt, General Manager of Dining, Sleeping and Parlor Cars and of Hotels.

EASY TRICKS

No. 331

A Royal Flush



Remove the royal flush in diamonds from a pack of cards and tuck them under your belt at the rear. Give the remaining cards (do not suggest that the pack is not complete), to a spectator and ask him to shuffle them. Then hold them behind your back.

Ask a spectator to mention which color he prefers. If he says "red" ask him which suit he prefers. If he says "diamonds" you are ready for the rest of the trick. However, if he says "black," you will have to say:

"Then that leaves the red cards for the trick. Which of the red suits, hearts or diamonds, do you prefer?" If he says "diamonds" you are ready for the rest of the trick. If he says "hearts," you will say: "Then that leaves the diamonds for the trick." You will observe that the spectator really has no choice—although if the thing is done in a snappy manner he will not suspect this.

While you have been talking you have taken the royal flush from under your belt and put them on the top of the pack. Ask the spectator what hand, if he were playing poker, he would most like to have. The answer invariably will be "The royal flush, of course."

As he speaks, hand him the five cards you had hidden with the comment:

"Well, here it is!"

(Clip this out and paste it, with other of the series, in a scrapbook.)

Reader Takes Newer Form of Iron--Feels Years Younger

"Six weeks ago I saw a special offer in the paper telling how thousands of people grow old in looks and energy long before they are really old in years, because, as examinations by physicians have shown, an enormous number of people do not have enough iron in their blood. I have been taking Nuxated Iron for two weeks: the results are simply astounding. The roses have come back in my lips and cheeks, and I can consciously say that I feel ten years younger."

The above is a typical hypothetical case showing the results that have been achieved by a great many people since we started this "satisfaction or money back" offer on Nuxated Iron. We will make you the same guarantee. If, after taking the two weeks' treatment of Nuxated Iron, you do not feel and look years younger, we will promptly refund your money.

Call at once for a bottle of Nuxated Iron at any good drug store.

Hearthside Hint.

If you stir an open fire in a grate and bring fresh coals to the front, it gives out a warmer glow. It is the same way with the sun, says C. G. Abbot, in charge of the astrophysical laboratory of the Smithsonian Institution. The so-called sun spots are produced by a stirring of the sun's outer layer. By comparing measurement of solar radiation with photographs of the sun he has found that there is an increase in heat radiated by the sun on the same day that sun spots form, grow or are brought into view on the visible disk of the sun by rotation.

The Dizzy Whirl.

We commend to the natural philosophers this original view of a common phenomenon. It was found in the examination paper of a youthful scholar who was ambitious of being admitter to the upper class in high school:

"The earth revolves on its own axis three hundred and sixty-five times in twenty-four hours. This rapid motion through space causes its sides to perspire; this moisture is called dew."

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

In ourselves we suffer for the sins we commit; in our communities we suffer for the sins we permit.

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Love does not always want to please, sometimes it wants to hurt.

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It is remarkable how many cases have been reported similar to this one. Many women are poorly at such times and get into a weakened, run-down condition, when it is essential to the mother, as well as the child, that her strength be kept up.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is an excellent tonic for the mother at this time. It is prepared from medicinal roots and herbs, and does not contain any harmful drugs. It may be taken in safety by the nursing mother.

Successful Farmers' Club

The sixth Annual Meeting of Cloverdale Farmer's Club was held on March 17th. The attendance was not up to the mark of previous years owing to the different social events being held on that date. A keen interest was displayed in the proceedings. Mr. Robert Carkner, the County director, acted as chairman for the evening. The report presented by the sec.-treas., showed that business amounting to $11,765.42 had been transacted by the club with a credit balance of assets over liabilities of $176 for the year. The membership of the club showing a large increase over 1922. The Sec'y said judging from our present activities he saw no reason why C. F. C. could not be made the largest Farmers' Club in Eastern Ontario. Short speeches were made by the directors. The county director giving an outline of the proceedings of the Toronto convention pointing out that the U. F. O. was now in a position to give its approval or disapproval to legislation from all political parties. Mr. Robert Carkner laying much stress on commercial activities of farmers' clubs, pointing out the splendid record of C. F. C. for the past six years, handling over one hundred thousand dollars worth of goods with only a loss of $58 in bad accounts, and in no year impairing our capital with a deficit, urging the members to go into co-operative selling as he thought co-operative buying and selling would give us larger returns for our labors. Misses Mary Porteous and Hattie Cumming and Messrs. M. Gibbert and M. Stoodley favoring the audience with recitations. The ladies of the audience entered into a discussion concerning the forming of a branch of the United Farm Women. After the close of the program the ladies served a dainty supper. The community spirit and co-operative success of the members of Cloverdale Farmers Club should be an object lesson to the surrounding communities.

Held Over

Our interesting continued story 'Tangled Trails' is unavoidably held over this week but a double portion will appear in our next weeks edition.

Look At Your Label

If Your Label Reads
JANUARY '25

Your paper is paid for this year and this notice is not for you. There are many of you and we thank you all. You are the salt of the earth.

If Your Label Reads
JANUARY '24

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JANUARY '23

You owe for last year as well as this—that is $3.50. Three dollars will be accepted if paid before April 15th. After that date $3.50.

Other labels have
DIFFERENT DATES

Some Feb. '21, Mar. '19, May '17, June '20, Aug. 18, and so on. They all indicate the subscriber is in arrears. We have been mighty lenient with subscribers, but the time has come when we must insist on all arrears being paid up. Every subscription of two years or over, in arrears, which is not paid by April 15th will POSITIVELY be placed for collection.

Consult the label on your paper and act accordingly.

The Winchester Press,
Winchester, Ont.

Winchester Springs

Mrs. Jessie Thorp and son spent Sunday among friends at Morewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Shennett Jr., and Miss Odel, of Williamsburg, called at Mr. and Mrs. Elbourn McIntosh's on Sunday.

Mr. Thomas Bell is spending a few days with his son Leonard at Inkerman who is ill at present.

Mr. Aden Casselman made a business trip to Chesterville on Monday.

The Ladies' Aid of the Winchester Springs Presbyterian Church held a social evening at the home of Mrs. Wally Bolton on Tuesday evening.

On Monday evening, March 24, a miscellaneous shower was held in the Town Hall, in honor of Miss Lulu Kirkwood. The first part of the evening was spent sociably. About 10 o'clock order was called and Lulu was called to the platform where an address was read by Miss Helen Nesbitt. Lulu replied with a few brief words, thanking them for their kindness and inviting all to see her in her future home. The presents were then unwrapped after which lunch was served. The remainder of the evening until about three o'clock was spent in dancing. The evening was brought to a close when all joined hands and sang for 'She's a Jolly Good Fellow.' About seventy-five were present. Music was furnished by Mr. Weaver, of Mountain Station. Following is the address.

Miss Lulu Kirkwood,

Dear Friend,—

We your friends and neighbors, after hearing of your approaching marriage in the near future, wish to embrace this as our opportunity of expressing our high esteem for you as a young lady of our vicinity. You have always been willing in any unseeming way to give of your talents to all social and benevolent work in our midst. Your untiring zeal and energy in the work of secretary in the Sabbath School of your choice, will long remain as a memorial to your character in the hearts of the officers and teachers of Knox Presbyterian School. Your faithfulness in attendance of the Willing Workers Class has made you one of the most familiar scholars in the school and in the class you will be greatly missed and long remembered as a live friend of the work by teacher and the girls and boys. Now Lula changes must need come in all lives, we cheerfully give you up to a greater work, that of becoming the Mistress of a new home. We sincerely hope you will at all times accept of the guidance of the great architecture of the Universe who controlls us in all our ways and dealings the one with the other and so doing, being credit to yourself that reflects now upon your home town. We ask you to accept of these presents not for their tangible value nor intrinsic worth, but rather in the spirit of friendliness and love that they may be small tokens, which, when you look at them, will cause you to think that you still have true friends among the boys and girls in the town of your birth.

Signed on behalf of the young people and community.

Our factory reopened again this season with Mr. I. P. McIntosh the proprietor, as usual.

Sugar bush tapping is the order of the day.

Mr. Walter McIntosh and Mr William Robinson attended the funeral of the late Elijah Strader on Thursday at Williamsburg.

Mr. W. Salter from the Branch had dinner at Mr. and Mrs. Orren Casselmans on Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. Steele spent Friday with Mrs. Wm. Webb.

Mrs. Lorne McIntosh returned home on Monday, after spending a week with her sister at Morrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Casselman were guests of Mrs B. Casselman, east of the Springs on Thursday.

Mrs. Thomas Cunningham attended the burial service at Maple Ridge, of Mrs. Albert Coons from Ottawa.

Misses Minnie and Mable McIntosh of Toy's Hill called at the home of Orren Casselman on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sheldrick of Winchester were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orren Caseelman on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Robinson and baby of Elma, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Robinson on Friday.

Miss M. Kaine was a guest of Miss Aletha Coleman, Friday afternoon and evening.

Nation Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edgerton, of Melvin Settlement, visited at the home of Mrs. Jas Rae.

Mrs. A. D. Summers has returned from visiting her sister, Mrs. Cook, of the Springs.

Mr. S. O. Kendrick, assessor, has canvassed this district.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. R. Johnston were calling on Mr. and Mrs. McCollum.

Mr. John Bruce, of Inkerman, visited at the Darling home.

Mr. Hugh Jackson and Miss Florence visited Toyes Hill.

Miss Helen Nesbitt and brother Frank, of the Springs, were guests in the Valley.

Mrs. R. Hirst and little son Rae, of Cornwall, are visiting the former's home here.

Mr. Wm. McCollum spent the first of the week in Cornwall.

Mrs. Riddle is visiting her son Mr. Hubert Coons, of Iroquois.

Miss Dean Darling has returned home from Michigan. U. S. A.

Miss Nancy Gray has returned home from Cornwall.

Tuxis Boys Conference

No better testimony to the splendid work carried on by the Ontario Boy's Work Board could be given than the demonstration, held this past week for the Boys of the Eastesn area, in the town of Carleton Place. It was expected that about 175 boys would rally to the call, but when the various delegations arrived it was found that nearly 300 boys were in attendence. A rousing welcome was given the Conference by the Mayor and citizens of the town and every preparation made for the comfort of the visiting delegates. Special leaders of boys work such as Rev. C. A. Miers of the Presbyterian Board of Toronto, Rev. Manson Doyle of the Methodist Board, Toronto, and Mr. Wallace Forgie of the Boys Work Band of Alberta, led in a programme of interest and inspiration and well snited to the needs of Canada's growing youth. It was a great gathering and every fellow retured to the home "Square" with renewed enthusiasm to make this worthwhile programme more effective in their local grounds. The following representatives from Winchester Tuxis Square were in attendance. Robert Ault, Jack Boyes, Walter Coons, Harold Dukelow, Gerald Helmer, Geo. Johnston, Ted McKercher, Melvin Scott, Levius Shavet, Rev. J. A. Waddell.

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Try our new Salted Peanuts, no salt visible, but the salt is there, 40c lb.

Our line of bars is complete—Wilson's, Lowney's, Fry's Crother's and Robertson's.

Full line of gross goods. See our Easter Eggs. Maple Sugar in small cakes.

Spring Caps



New Spring Styles

Top Notch in Style.

A good range of Mixed Tweeds Worsteds, Lusters and Serges, made with one piece crowns, bands and and pleats, leather visor.

Priced Very Low.

"Robust Men Like COCOA"

COCOA is invigorating, stimlating—it has a delicious flavour and Aroma is a great addition to meals and a wonderful between meals stay. Another shipment of this cocoa expected in time for the week-end at the same very low price, 2 lbs. for 25c.

Gunn's Cooked compressed Corned Beef, 1 lb. tins 25c

Ideal Brand, Sweet Mixed Pickles 30c

CRANBERRY SAUCE. The whole fruit sweetened. The place and time to pack Cranberries is where they grow and when they are fresh. Stale cranberries make poor sauce. This is something new try a can in your next order, per can 40c

Saurkraut, large tins 20c Pineapple, 4 lb. glass jars $1.25

Jelly Powders, McLaren's, 2 for 25c Whole Beets, tin 25c

Maple Syrup, per gal. $2.25 Pure Lard, 10 lb. pails $2.00

Target Salmon, a good Red Salmon, reg. 40c, priced, special for this week 30c



We are showing a high class line of Silk Hosiery. Gold Seal Brand Pure Silk in all the leading new shades. Polo Camel, Bobolink, cord, new grey, black navy and white. Price $1.00 pair.

Special line of Silk and Wool at 89c pr.

Eat Fresh Fruit



For Abounding Good Health

Disturbing Rumours of Epidemices here and there make it wise to forestall possible illness even the "little spring ills" by eating plenty of nature's own delicious medicines Fresh Fruits. Sunkist Oranges, always Sanitary, that's a feature of the Orange. Good for little folks and grown-ups.

Special prices for the week-end 40c per doz.

Winisap Apples, per doz. 50c

To put the freshness of Summer into the cold weather meals, we are doing our best to please the most fastidious taste.

Lettuce, Celery, Ripe Tomatoes, Cabbage, Turnips, etc.

Fresh Stock received every three days.

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Rolled Oats, 90 lb. sack $3.25, 20 lb. $1.00, 6 lb. 35c
Tilson's Aluminum Oats 40c Quaker Oats 30c
Robin Hood Oats 30c Flaked Wheat, pkg. 25c
Flaked wheat, per lb. 7c Puffed Wheat, pkg. 18c
Puffed Rice, pkg. 18c Shredded Wheat 15c
Roman Meal, pkg. 35c Posts Bran, pkg. 18c
Kellogg's Bran, pkg. 25c Tilson's Health Bran 25c
Corn Flakes, 2 pkgs. 25c Toasties, 2 pkgs. 25c
Coarse Salt, 100 lb. bags, $1.25
Mild old Canadian Cheese 25c lb.
Stilton Cheese 30c Kraft Cheese 40c

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It is time to think of the little things which turn the trick of imparting smartness to every wardrobe. Just the proper hose, the correct shoe. You know how important they all are, so come soon and choose slowly but surely for smartness.

Trim new shoes. We have an "Empress" that will fit and please you.

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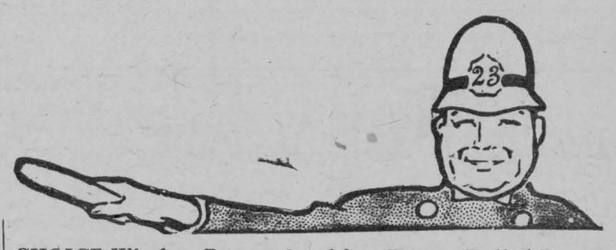

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SOUP MEATS—Shanks, Flanks, Briskets and Neck

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Worry is only Fear

Fear of Self—Fear of Others—Fear of the Future

AND what is the cause of worry? Lack of nerve force, energy, vigor. The man or woman who has good health and is living a full, successful life does not worry.

It is when the nervous system gets run down that worry comes to sap vitality from your body and to torment your mind.

There is not much use in advising one not to worry unless you can also offer some means of restoring the depleted nervous system.

The most rational and most successful treatment available to all is Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

It is popular because it does not merely afford temporary relief but gradually and certainly restores vitality to the run-down nervous system.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food can make a better human being of you, mentally, physically—everyway.

The benefits felt will be in the way of new energy, new vigor and confidence.

The futility of worry will dawn on you and you will be able to see the bright and hopeful side of the future.

You will realize that you have the reserve force necessary to withstand the strain of life's work and ward off disease and discouragement.

But do not expect this change in a day. Some perseverance is necessary on your part.

The reconstructive process is slow but certain. The depleted nerve cells must be nourished back to health.

You will soon notice signs of improvement which will encourage you to keep up this treatment until the desired results are obtained. The important part is to get the building-up process started now—to-day.

You will notice that while the price of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food has been increased to 60c. the box now contains 60 pills instead of 50 as formerly.

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