

Province of Quebec
School Municipality of
St. ANICET
TWO TEACHERS WANTED for the above municipality. Salary \$220 for term of ten months, beginning Sept. 4th next. Applications received up to June 20th by the undersigned. Applicants to state qualifications.
J. O. Stewart,
Secy.-Treas.
Cazaville, May 17, 1911.

Province of Quebec
School Municipality of Dundee
TEACHERS WANTED
For Districts 1, 2, 4, 5, and 6, for a term of 10 months, from the 28th day of August next, at \$22 per month. Applicants to give references and experience. Applications will be received by the undersigned until the 3rd of June next.
T. W. Fraser,
Secy.-Treas.
May 8, 1911.

Province of Quebec
School Municipality of HINCHINBROOK
TEACHERS WANTED
For the above School Municipality for the year 1911-1912.
School Salary
Dist. No. 1, Fertile Valley...\$230
" " 3, Gore... " 230
" " 6, Athelstan... " 210
" " 10, McKay's... " 210
Applications received by the undersigned up to June 7th. Teachers to state qualifications and experience. Teacher for District No. 6 to hold a Model diploma and state salary expected. All Teachers giving satisfaction, at the end of the school year, will be granted a bonus of \$20 over and above the salary stated. Term 10 months.
William Cameron,
Secy.-Treas.
Herdman, Que., May 20, 1911.

Province of Quebec
District of Beauharnois
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
No. 2015
James Ferry, of Oldham, in the State of South Dakota, one of the United States of America, farmer, Plaintiff
vs.
Hugh Richard Kennedy, formerly of the Township of Hemmingford, in the District of Beauharnois, but now of parts unknown, painter, and Dame Bridget Swords, of the said township, widow of the late Edward Kennedy, in his lifetime of the same place, Defendants
The defendant, Hugh Richard Kennedy, is ordered to appear within one month.
J. A. Lapointe,
Dep. P.S.C.
Salaberry de Valleyfield, 17th day of May, 1911.

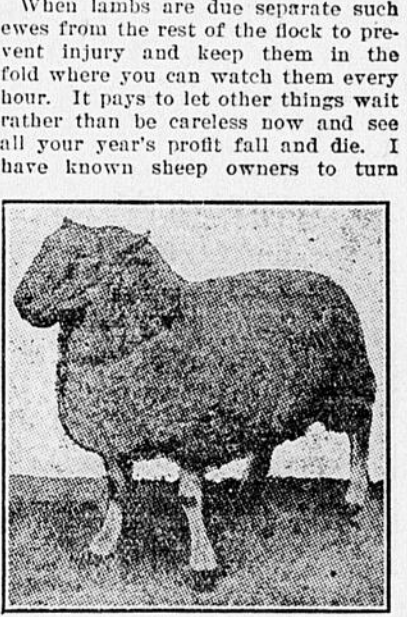
TENDERS
SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and marked on the envelope "Tender for school-house, St. Regis," will be received up to noon of June 19, 1911, for the construction of a frame school-house in St. Regis village, Quebec. Plans and specifications may be seen at the post-offices, Cornwall, Ont., Huntingdon and Valleyfield, Que., and at the office of the Indian Agent, St. Regis.
Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank for ten per cent. of the tender, made payable to the order of the undersigned, which will be forfeited if the person or persons tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement in any newspaper will not be paid for.
J. D. McLean,
Assistant Deputy and Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, May 16, 1911.

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Situating in the township of Durham, Drummond county, containing 222 acres, 125 plowable, balance in hardwood and pasture; soil, clay loam; with good dwelling-house, outbuildings in good repair with underground stables. Immediate possession. Apply on premises or by letter to Mrs. Albert Lyster, Gore, Quebec.

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Kensington, Que.

WHEN CARE SAVES PROFITS IN SHEEP.

When lambs are expected provide warm quarters for the ewes, deeply bedded with straw. Allow no one or any dog to frighten the sheep at any time now, for a sudden fright is likely to either cause premature birth or at least to have bad effects on both ewe and offspring, writes C. E. Davis in Farm and Fireside.
Go to the lambing house every hour until bedtime, and be ready to assist any ewe that needs it and to attend to the youngsters. If possible it is a good plan to sleep near the sheep yard and look in on them several times during the night. As soon as a lamb is dropped wrap the tiny bunch of bones in warm cloth until dry and well warmed, then unwrap and nestle it in the straw. The mother will do the rest. Within six hours see that it takes nourishment from the ewe. This takes patience and often some teaching, but it pays to persist.
As soon as the ewe has dropped the lamb or two give her a bucket of milk warm water, for the act of lambing will leave her very thirsty. The drink will soothe her nerves, quiet her anxiety, and she will give down her milk freely and chew her cud contentedly. Cold water would be very hurtful, if not fatal, at this time.
When lambs are due separate such ewes from the rest of the flock to prevent injury and keep them in the fold where you can watch them every hour. It pays to let other things wait rather than be careless now and see all your year's profit fall and die. I have known sheep owners to turn



The splendid Cheviot ram shown above was a prize winner in the eastern circuit of fairs last fall. The Cheviots are a mountainous breed, hardy and do fairly well where pasture is scant. They have been successfully produced in New York, Pennsylvania, North Carolina, Indiana, Iowa and other states. The mutton is of superior quality. The fleece of the ewes weighs six to eight pounds. This ram was bred by A. F. White of Steuben county, N. Y.

pregnant ewes out in the pasture and lose three to five lambs that are born away out in the field, were chilled and died of neglect.
Always speak low and gently to the ewe at this time, for a sheep knows by your voice if you are angry or joyous, and it is the singing shepherd they love.
If you get the lamb safely over the first forty hours it is likely to grow all right after that, but warmth, care and attention must be there when needed. If three are born to one ewe, as I have had happen, you must raise one with nipple and bottle or else get another ewe that has lost her own lamb to adopt the odd triplet.

Cost of Silage.
Professor A. L. Haeck of the Nebraska station has worked out some interesting data on the cost of producing a ton of silage. Figuring in the rent of land, plowing, cost of seed, planting and cultivating, he found that it cost 72 cents per ton. The cost of filling the silo, allowing a liberal wage for men and teams, he found to be 74 cents per ton. The cost of machinery and storage, including all items such as interest on money invested, depreciation and repairs and even taxes and insurance, was 48 cents per ton. Adding these three initial costs per ton, the cost of producing a ton of silage was found to be \$1.94. Professor John Bowers of Iowa has another way of figuring it in which he arrives at about the same figures.

Warming a Chilled Pig.
Of all the means of warming a chilled pig and restoring his interest in things earthly probably there is nothing better than a vessel of water heated to about 95 or 98 degrees, in which his body and limbs can be submerged for ten to twenty minutes. In many instances it will well nigh revive the dead. If after this both Mr. Pig is dried and placed where he can suck a well filled teat his outlook on the future will be much improved. —Coburn's "Swine in America."

Keep the Cow Clean.
A cow with a back that itches and burns with chaff and dust cannot be so comfortable as one that's groomed every day. But that is not all. She will not digest food so well as she would if her skin were nice and clean. When caring for your cows do not neglect their tails. Clean these clear to the end. A clean brush is a beauty to a cow.

Dusty Hay Bad For Horses.
Don't feed dusty hay to horses. If you have no other kind sprinkle it with water just before feeding. Many horse troubles may be traced directly to dusty hay, and these are much more easily prevented than cured.

CHEESE IS HEALTHFUL.

Government Puts Official O. K. on Welsh Rabbit.

After conducting experiments with cheese as a food for several weeks the United States department of agriculture has officially endorsed cheese and has declared that the Welsh rabbit is a much maligned dish. Secretary of Agriculture Wilson has just issued a formal bulletin giving the results of the experiments and singing the praises of American cheese.

"Cheese can no longer be discriminated against," says the department's bulletin, "because of a suspicion that it is not a healthful food. The absolute lack of any disturbance of the general health of the subjects used in the experiments is proof that cheese can be eaten in large quantities without danger to health."

The secretary's bulletin, which is prepared by C. F. Doane, assistant dairyman of the department of agriculture, deplores the fact that cheese is used by Americans chiefly as a matter of flavoring. This is all wrong. It ought to be consumed in larger quantities, according to Secretary Wilson. Eat more cheese is the general refrain of the report. The consuming public, especially that part of it which needs to practice economy in buying food, would do well to turn its attention a little more toward cheese as the department's own words in regard to this matter.

The fact is brought out in the report that many of the volunteers who were caged and stuffed with cheese were Wesleyan university students at Middletown, Conn. "The work at Middletown," says the report, "was planned to study the general health of the subjects as soon after it was made as it was possible to ship samples to Middletown, and cheese in all stages of ripening up to the point where it was brewing, unfit for consumption."

A total of fourteen cheese experiments were made at Wesleyan, and sixty-five human subjects, the most of them college students, availed themselves of an opportunity to fill up on free cheese. Each undergraduate who applied got at least a three day diet of cheese, but one subject liked it so well that he submitted to fourteen experiments of three days each, a forty-two day cheese deluge. The department's report says that the students ranged from the ages of nineteen to thirty-two years, indicating apparently that some graduates or solemn looking professors also joined the cheese testing brigade.

The students were not held down absolutely to cheese. They got a bit of slices of bread with the crust removed, some bananas and now and then, as a treat, a dose of charcoal. The charcoal was taken in capsule form, and everything else possible was done to make the tests novel and pleasing. For instance, the students were not compelled to bite into a lump of the cheese, for it was cut into small pieces and then run through a finely graduated meat chopper. When the students received it it bore absolutely no resemblance to the cheese that is eaten with a pretzel, but looked more like a dish of breakfast food.

The report says that a pound of cheese has nearly the same food value as two pounds of fresh beef or as many other fresh meat. It is worth as much as or more than a pound of ham and is more digestible and is equal to two pounds of eggs and three pounds of fish. In price and cheese costs about a third more than round steak and twice as much as the cheaper boiling beef and costs practically the same per pound as smoked ham or bacon. The department says that the only way to account for the comparatively limited demand for cheese is on the basis of custom and lack of knowledge.

Do Women Eat Too Much?
"Girls have more food and less work than is good for them," said Mrs. E. L. Richards, instructor in sanitary chemistry in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in an address recently. "The result is," she added, "that grandchildren fail. It is not overeducation, but overnutrition, that threatens race extinction. Women do not seem to realize that overnutrition as well as undernutrition weakens the body and subjects it to evils that make it incapable of survival. Women who overeat and who are especially fond of rich, starchy foods rarely are mothers. Formerly it was the underfed who failed to survive, but now, I believe firmly, it is the overfed whom the elimination is taking place."

By Way of a Tip.
A New Brunswick clergyman had just performed the marriage ceremony. "How much do you charge?" inquired the groom.
"Well, the law allows me two dollars and a half," said the hopeful clergyman.
"All right," handing over fifty cents, "this will make you three dollars even."

Better Than Glue.
Loose knife handles are the abomination of the kitchen. But an excellent remedy is to be had by filling the cavity in the handle two-thirds full of mixed rags and brick dust. The shaft of the knife should then be heated, and while hot it should be pressed into its place. If held until firmly set no more trouble will be experienced with that knife handle.

Growing Mint Indoors.
Mint may be grown in winter in the kitchen, where it will be on hand quick for all times for sauces, soups, chocolate creams and the like. Put a dozen sprigs of mint in water in a stone jar and add water from time to time to keep the jars filled. Pick sprigs often from the tops and new shoots will grow in their place.

MONTREAL'S ART SHOW.

It Started in the Forties and Is Still Growing.

The spring exhibitions of the Montreal Art Association are the outcome of shows which were organized chiefly by amateurs about the forties, when the British soldiers were there, says M. J. Mount in The Canadian Cleaner. Among these military men many were talented and to the engineers, who were later recalled to be sent to the Crimea.

Most of the officers stationed here and their families were persons of high education and taste. This naturally assisted the people in their efforts toward elevating the standard of society, and therefore any endeavor towards the fine arts met with great encouragement.

Every year they had a small exhibition of paintings, drawings and so forth. The secretary of the association, the local talent and to enable comparisons to be made between their work and that of other contributors. These were small beginnings, a few paintings, a few drawings, and a few water colors. The art of the day were the pioneers of art in Canada, and we owe to them what we have now. These exhibitions were organized and judged by the early patrons of the art, and their work gradually became more discriminating.

Such men were the forerunners of the Art Association, which was officially organized in 1860, and ever since the spring exhibition has been an anxiously expected event by artists and by the artistically inclined public. A writer has said: "Probably many of the painters who had their work opened a path for the arts in our country had little merits as artists, but they are objects of curious inquiry to us of the present day, for as we earnestly desire to know every particular relative to the first settlers who raised the standard of civilization in the wilderness, so the same rational desire is felt, especially by artists, to learn who were their predecessors, who raised and who supported the standard of taste and decorated the social annals with their Corinthian columns."

To these annual exhibitions all artists may send pictures, but no work is admitted which has been exhibited before in Montreal, the aim being to urge artists to new efforts and to raise the standard of the professional artists.

The Council of the Art Association usually consists of two or three artists of reputation to assist them in judging the pictures. The technical side is considered as well as the general artistic value. Luncheon is shown to amateurs and to the public, and a book of votes to them if they do not improve from year to year, for they may not pass the committee.

It is not easy for outsiders to appreciate the really great work that is made, but to one following the exhibitions carefully every year the progress is remarkable. Year by year new names are being added to the roll of acknowledged leaders. Besides our veteran Harris we have Brynner, Cullen, Sutor, Cote, Morrice, Robert, Hammond, Graham, Reid, Hargrave, Clapp, Last, Muntz, Florence, Carlyle and others.

The educational advantages given to the children as well as to their elders in visiting these exhibitions cannot be overestimated. The study of works of art elevates the taste for all things good and beautiful. As Ruskin says: "To cultivate sympathy, and thinking about things, and to cultivate admiration, you must be among beautiful things and looking at them."

Concurrent Sentences.
There is no one who enjoys a joke more than James P. Haveron, and no one who sends one on himself quicker than the same "Jimmy." It is a clever man who is able to put one over on himself. Mr. D. O. Haveron, now a lawyer, though formerly a minister, turned the tables on his fellow-legitimate not a great while ago. Mr. Haveron approached Mr. Haveron, a well-known minister, and wished spiritual advice from the preacher whom he said he regarded as his father-confessor.

"In the course of my defence of my clients," the hotblooded he said, "I have to tell the same lie over and over again. Now, suppose I have told a lie fifty times, will I be punished in the hereafter for one lie or for fifty lies? Perhaps you better take a day or two to think over that question before you answer it."

"No need to do that," responded Mr. Haveron. "The answer is a very simple one. You will be punished for everyone you tell, but if it is any consolation to you to know it, the sentences will run concurrently." —Toronto Star.

\$2,000,000 From Chinese.
The revenue from Chinese head taxes this year will likely aggregate two million dollars, owing to the stricter enforcement of regulations. Last year the total was around \$800,000.

STONE ROADS ACROSS THE BORDER.

The Farmer asks—Have you been down over the new work on the Malone-Fort Covington road yet? If not, you are missing much, for the work is interesting and a great deal has been accomplished in the short time that this end has been under construction. Contractor Hines is certainly a hustler and he seems to be building a first-class road—the best, we believe, that has yet been constructed in this county. On the east and west stretch, from the Frank Miller place to the hollow beyond Hurlbut's, a distance of about 3,200 feet, the first course of stone has already been laid and rolled, and from the former place over 600 feet of the second course has been placed. Grading is now going on from John Ferguson's to the east end of this stretch. The first course is crushed field stone 4 inches thick; but for the second course, granite boulders or hard heads are crushed and used, plenty of them being found in the ravines in the immediate vicinity. There was no need of going to Chasm Falls or anywhere else for stone, for no finer can be found in Northern New York. It is blue and pink and in the stretch of drifting sand over which the road passes, it looks awfully good to the traveller. The top course will also be of finely crushed granite, the whole being 8 inches thick rolled down to six and welded together with double applications of macadam asphalt. In this stretch of road the culverts have been built of reinforced concrete, including a big double culvert at the foot of the hill at Hurlbut's.

That great pains are being taken to make the job a good one is not only shown by the additional expense of hauling and crushing the granite boulders for the top course, but on the worst sandy stretches a sort of drab clay, mixed with gravel, has been laid in considerable thickness beneath the crushed stone, necessitating extra excavation and hauling. Fortunately the clay was found close to the road in the edge of the bank near Hurlbut's. It dries hard in the sun, and resembles a sort of hardpan. The crusher is located at the junction of the Creighton and Fort Covington roads and the grading has been done from there to Hurlbut's. This week will see the asphalt applied to the stretch at Dewey's (the Frank Miller place) and the finished portion will show what the road will be in its entirety. It is to be hoped that on the low, heavy land north of the crusher, there will be money enough available to put in a sub-base of whole stone where necessary that mistakes on parts of the North Bangor road may not be repeated.

A RIDDLE TO BE READ
Herald-Reciprocity, we are told, will lead to annexation, because Canadians will become so enamored of trade with Americans that they will welcome union rather than lose the trading privileges.
Reciprocity, we are also told, will do Canadians no good, because prices for natural products are not higher in the States than in Canada.
And there you are!

A Protectionist, Mr. Miller, M.P., having declared that cement, notwithstanding the creation of the Canadian merger, that the article is cheaper in Toronto than it is in New York, the Toronto Sun replies thus: "The New York Commercial quotes cement alongside dock in New York at \$1.43 to \$1.48. In Toronto cement is quoted wholesale in car lots at \$1.70. But even if it were otherwise, if cement could be bought more cheaply in Toronto than in New York, this would not prove the absence of any abuse in Canada in regard to this matter, as the United States, like Canada, is under a protective system. A comparison in this case, if it is to mean anything, must be with the English price. Cement costs in London 90s per barrel; the freight to Montreal is 28s. In other words, if no duty stood in the way English cement could be laid down in Montreal at \$1.18. In order to prevent this from being done there is a customs tax on English cement of 28c, and this brings the price up to \$1.46. The combine sells Canadian cement at Montreal at \$1.40, just low enough to cut under the imported article, while in Toronto it charges \$1.70, because the freight on English cement from Montreal to Toronto puts just that much more of a handicap on British competition in Toronto than exists in Montreal."

Perth, Ont., May 16.—While removing a shoe from a horse he was about to shoe, Jacob Gallinger, of Lanark, found a gold ring encircling the cork of it. It is presumed the horse stepped on the ring on the road shortly before going to the blacksmith shop, for the ring was not injured in any way.

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CANADA'S AGNES'S.

The Dominion Has Three at Least to Be Proud of.

Do any of our gentle readers desire their daughters to be bright and brainy, to make a name for themselves, to cut a swath in the world to day that would make a suffragette grow green with envy? Mrs. W. Edwards in the Canadian Cleaner. Now don't all speak at once, but here is the recipe: Call her Agnes, and train her for a school teacher.

Let me illustrate.
First, there was Agnes Knox, a St. Mary's girl, who delighted first her family circle, then her native town, next all Ontario, and finally all Canada with her delightful interpretations of literature. As a teacher of literature in the Normal School, Toronto, I think it is safe to say that every unengaged male student was in love with her, and the male students formed a pretty large proportion in carrying on her bride away to distant Boston. Even there Mrs. W. Edwards in the Canadian Cleaner. Now don't all speak at once, but here is the recipe: Call her Agnes, and train her for a school teacher.

Then there is Agnes C. Lauck, teacher, journalist and historian, who after completing her education in Winnipeg taught in the city schools a year. Later she joined the staff of the "Manitoba Free Press," and soon found her feet in the journalistic arena. As a special correspondent she is among the elect, and an editor who secures her services is fortunate. Besides acting as a correspondent for many foreign publications she has found time to produce some six or seven books and to contribute special articles to many magazines.

Though now a resident of the United States Miss Lauck has lost none of her love for Canada and its people, and in this connection let me cite one charming little incident. When a certain editor was doubtful about publishing "Sowing Seeds in Sunny," it was Miss Lauck who turned the scale in her favor, arguing that the author was a Canadian, she read the manuscript and recommended its publication. In this instance she has done us all a good turn—author, editor and reader—and all three hold her in blessed remembrance.

Not must we forget Agnes Deans Cameron, a D.C. aide-de-camp to the Canadian Commissioner of Immigration. Born in sunny Victoria, she began to teach before she was out of short dresses, and for twenty-five years she has been closely identified with the schools of her native province. A few years ago while holding the position of principal of South Park School, Victoria, she had a dispute with her trustees and resigned. Then she ran for trustee and was elected. It was about this time that she took up journalistic work, writing of Canada's wildernesses. Her success was immediate, and in 1908 she made a notable journey into the Northwest, covering in all about ten thousand miles. The trip furnished her with material for a book, a number of brilliant magazine articles, and a breezy lecture, "From Wheat to Whales."

Miss Cameron is now employed by the Immigration Department in special work in England, and it is rumored that she will publish another book this spring. Her style is most original, and this little description of the English remittance-man is characteristic.
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JUDGE WILMOT, Standard bred Stallion.—This horse will stand for service during the season as follows—Monday at his own stable, near Powerscourt; Tuesday at St. Antoine Abbe; Wednesday, St. Chrysostome; Thursday, Covey Hill; Friday, Franklin Centre; Saturday at Burke Lines.
Chas. McHardy, Proprietor

INGLESTON, No. 9495, will stand for the season at the farm of Richard Pringle, Huntingdon. Is an imported Clydesdale, color bay; sired by Everlasting, he by Barron's Pride; dam Prince Sturdy, 2nd dam bred horse in every respect and a very sure foal-getter. Terms: \$10 to insure.

SIR SPENCER (9555) will be in Huntingdon Wednesday and Thursday, 17th and 18th, of next week. The following week will be at the Ormstown Horse Show. During rest of season will be in Huntingdon. Wednesdays and Thursdays. Terms: \$10 down and \$10 if mare proves in foal.

RUBY LORD (10,950), 3 years old black, sire Ruby Pride, he by Barron's Pride, dam Dandy of Auchentearie, by Lawrence Chief. Terms \$10 to insure.



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NOTES OF THE WEEK

The Hon. Sydney Fisher met the electors at Farnham on Saturday and had a frank talk about the political situation. He told how the obstructive tactics of the Opposition prevented the government going on with the business of the country. They did not like the reciprocity agreement and had declared their intention to fight it to the bitter end, and, as a means of doing so, to refuse to grant the supplies. The present rules governing the debates of the house, placed no restriction on how often a member might speak in committee or how long, so that it was in the power of the minority to block business. This power had been used to the full during the past ten weeks, preventing the house reaching a vote on reciprocity and the granting of supplies for a full year. If, on the house resuming its meetings in July, the same obstructive course was pursued, it might be the government would be forced to appeal to the electors. This they did not want to do, because it would deprive the Northwest of the thirty or more members to which the census would show the western provinces were entitled. If a dissolution was forced on the government it would involve a change in the rules of debate, by which a limit would be placed to obstructive tactics. Mr. Foster estimated the census would show the population of the Dominion to be 8 millions, and that the next parliament should have 245 members. He was sanguine enough to believe Canada's population in 1941 would be 30 millions. He was positive that if there was an election now the government "on the reciprocity platform would win by a larger majority than ever. If it were only a question of party aggrandizement we would dissolve the house today and go to the country, and show the Tories where they are in the minds of the people."

ORMSTOWN

William Roy of Upper Ormstown met with a bad accident on Monday morning. He had his horse hitched and was going to take his milk to the factory when, all of a sudden, his horse took fright at something and bolted, upsetting the vehicle. Mr. Roy had his leg broken at the ankle. He cannot account for how it was broken, but thinks the horse must have kicked him. Dr. Oliver was telephoned for and was soon on the spot and set the fracture.

Mrs. Livingstone of Rhode Island gave a fine address on Sunday evening, in St. Paul's church, at a union meeting of Methodists and Presbyterians.

Among the sales at the show was that made by David Cavers of a 4-year old horse colt for \$325 to Mr. Lalonde. Wm. Cameron sold a 3-year old mare to D. J. Greig for \$181.

HOWICK

Electric lights have been installed in the Georgetown church in place of acetylene by Mr. Dunn. Unfortunately on Sunday night, when the light was to be used for the first time, a severe electric storm passed over this section putting the lights out, and doing damage to Mr. Dunn's dynamo to the extent of \$100.

Over fifty men turned out at Riverfield to grade the church and cemetery ground on Monday, and good progress was made. The sheds will be moved this week.

There is an increased movement in hay, owing to the prospects of an abundant crop this season.

Four of J. J. Metcalfe's sons have left Howick for the west within a few years, all investing in land as well as working at their trade. They are well satisfied and are looking for more land. They are reaping the reward of their diligence and good habits. Mr. Jas. Ogilvie, who at one time resided on the Howe farm, Fertile Creek, is at present visiting this section. He says his present home is permanent. Mr. Wm. Ogilvie of Edmonton has also returned.

Cement pavements are being laid on the street opposite the residence of J. Desrosier, Thomas Greig and Arthur Smith. The foundation of James Miller's residence is finished ready for the superstructure and John Greig's new house is about ready for the roof.

Mr. Peddie is erecting a dwelling-house on his property, the old McClymont farm, and Mr. McFarlane is building on the old Quaker farm, which he purchased, having torn down another of the old stone landmarks.

Upwards of \$45 were contributed as a thankoffering to the missionary schemes of the Riverfield and Howick churches as a result of the meeting held last week in the church, addressed by Rev. R. L. Ballantyne. This is the largest amount in its history, and is the result of the envelope method of collecting.

HEMINGFORD

The members of St. Andrew's and Knox churches held a basket social in the town hall on the evening of May 18th, when Rev. S. Brown was presented with a cheque for \$180 from the members of the churches, and Mrs. Brown with a set of dishes from the ladies. The presentation was made by Robert Ellerton, and suitably replied to by the recipients. Rev. R. F. Hutchings also spoke briefly on the good feeling that should, and did exist between the different religious bodies.

The news of the sudden death of L. A. Bedard, N.P., of St. Remi, gave a great shock to the people of Hemmingford. Since the death of Mr. Amiraault last fall, Mr. Bedard had come to Hemmingford once a week and had built up a good reputation as a notary. He will be much missed.

The Champlain Telephone Co. have bought the store formerly occupied by Notary Amiraault, for a telephone central. The poles are placed in the village, and west to Corbin, east to Stewart's corner, and west and south to the English river. It is intended to go to St. Chrysostome by way of Covey Hill, Vicars, and Russelltown Plats, and to Lacolle by way of Hallerton and Henrysburg.

VALLEYFIELD

The Retail Grocers' association of Montreal have decided to hold their annual picnic in Valleyfield, and have secured St. Jean Baptiste park for the occasion.

On Sunday afternoons, during the hot weather, our bay presents an animated scene, being covered with boats and launches of all sizes and make. The majority of our people have Saturday afternoon for such pleasures, but Sunday seems to be reserved, by definite plan, for general recreation day, much to the detriment of the churches and to the moral tone of the community. Prices, which for the last four or five years, have been soaring, are now dropping. Butter is 2 cents a pound less than last year at this time. Eggs are cheaper, and the prospects are that many other commodities will drop. The sooner the better.

The farmers, owing to the splendid crops last year, are turning out their cattle to pasture in splendid condition. Generally speaking, herds are being increased, and the output of milk is in excess of last year. The pastures are good, and the meadows showing splendidly. Early grain is looking well.

Nothing has been done to the new wharf since last fall, and local boats are making use of the M.C. Co.'s dam for mooring purposes.

The Exposition Co. have abandoned St. Onge park for exhibition purposes as being too far from the wharf and railway stations. They have purchased St. Jean Baptiste park on the south side of the city, near the N.Y.C. depot, together with some adjoining land. The city has loaned them \$15,000 for ten years without interest, and are holding the land and park as security. At the expiration of the ten years the company can return the money to the city and retain the land, if they wish. The city company are planning an exceedingly large and elaborate program for the fair of this fall. It will vie in importance with the great Eastern Townships fair at Sherbrooke or Three Rivers fair. Already enthusiasm in the undertaking is spreading and \$7,500 of stock was subscribed in a short time.

The M.C. Co. are making an honest effort to observe the law concerning operatives under 14 years of age. A weeding-out process has begun, and several of the most efficient hands among the younger ones have been sent home. Some of these young people, having good eyesight and being quick in movement and possessed of good judgment, made excellent weavers, but the company are determined to observe the law and have dismissed them for the time being.

Mr. S. Fortier, manager of the Hochelaga bank, is completing a beautiful cottage on the lakeside, opposite the head of the canal, which he expects to occupy about the 15th of June.

Valleyfield sadly needs a branch of a society for the protection of animals. If such a society existed a large number of worn-out horses would be quietly chloroformed. A young lad, named Dickenson, while fishing one day last week, hooked a handsome blackass which he securely landed. As the season for bass is not open yet, he deliberately threw the fish back into the water in spite of the strong protest of some men standing by. Such fidelity to the game laws is rare in one so young, and augurs well for his future citizenship.

The Protestant cemetery is becoming overgrown with grass, the several individual plots have been well attended to. A little attention

on the part of those interested would convert the cemetery into a beauty spot. The little yard is a very sacred spot to many of our people, and no amount of trimming and beautifying ought to be considered superfluous.

St. Mark's new organ is being installed, and will be ready for use this (Thursday) night. Invitations are out for the service in connection with the opening and distinguished visitors from Montreal will officiate.

After much necessary delay, the new hall of the Presbyterian church is about to be realized. The officials have been wise in taking plenty of time to consider the matter, and it would now seem that all obstacles have been removed and the hall will soon be a reality.

The ladies' aid of the Methodist church held their usual summer ice-cream social on the church lawn on Tuesday night. As usual the function was a success.

Valleyfield foot-ball team went down on Saturday before the Sons of England by 3 goals to 2. In the first half, the home team had two goals to nothing. In the 2nd half they made a fatal error which cost them one goal and the game.

The Valleyfield base-ball team at the last schedule match defeated the Balmorals by 11 runs to 3.

An innocent-looking step, leading from the foot-bridge to the main street, is responsible for a suit of \$500 damages filed against the town by Mr. Sullivan, who severely hurt his foot while stepping down some time ago.

Our local fishermen are having splendid luck and large quantities of the finny tribe are being brought to the city.

Charles Fraser, of Fraser, Bruce & Co., is removing his family to the same house by the lakeside that they occupied last year.

The Filgate Burned

The steamer Filgate burned to the waters' edge Tuesday night. The boat had only been moored on her arrival at Valleyfield for a short time, when fire broke out among some oakum, and spread so rapidly that, from the very first, all effort to save her was abandoned.

The crew and passengers were landed and the moorings cut. This done the burning ship floated out into the middle of the stream, where she presented a most spectacular sight. Almost the entire population lined the shores of the bay. The fire brigade turned out but could do nothing to save the ship. The steamer Cecilia L. and Laurencia had a narrow escape as the floating steamer came near them before they could get up steam to get out of the way. Particulars as to cause of fire and loss will be given in next issue.

GODMANCHESTER COUNCIL

Met May 22; Couns. Ruddick and Smyth absent.

The Mayor and Coun. Connor were instructed to meet Mr. Burdick, the government road instructor, and make arrangements about unloading the roller sent by the government.

Couns. Rankin and Connor, along with Road Inspector Wm. Peeny, were authorized to visit the Muck road and see what is necessary to be done on it, and at the same time, look at the ditch made by Peter Myre along the Plank road, and adjust the same.

The Mayor and Secretary were empowered to borrow sufficient to meet the expenses of the crusher as it may be required.

The Secretary produced a by-law, No. 148, providing for the macadamizing of the roads for this season, which was passed. The secretary was ordered to make application to the department of agriculture for the bonus in connection with the new bridge to be built on the White sideroad.

The Mayor and Couns. Carr and Thompson were appointed a committee to examine the plans and specifications for the abutments of said bridge, prepared by A. McArthur, special superintendent, and, if satisfactory, to advertise for tenders for the building of the same.

The Richmond Times - Guardian says—Mrs. Thos. A. Trenholme, of Montreal West, will give \$1,000 for the care and upkeep of the old Trenholme cemetery, if \$1,000 is contributed by the people before December 31, 1911, for the purpose of properly enclosing and putting the cemetery in proper order. The care of the graveyard, God's acre, wherein rests the remains of so many near and dear to us, and whose memory we may justly respect and honor, must appeal to all; and this generous offer of Mrs. Trenholme should prompt hearty and liberal response. Mrs. F. Lyster Richmond has undertaken the work of raising the \$1000 and already \$800 has been subscribed.

A proclamation has been issued by the government of Canada, recommending that Saturday, June 3, being the King's birthday, shall be observed as a holiday. This is understood to be in accord with the King's desire, and is proper. If the rule is to be permanent, Victoria Day, as it is called, will likely be abandoned as the first summer holiday. It is too near to June 3 to retain its hold.

THE ORMSTOWN SPRING SHOW

The District of Beauharnois Livestock Breeders' association were holding their second show as the Gleaner went to press last week. What was reported of it in that issue is here largely repeated, in order to make a complete account of what was truly a great event. The show opened at Ormstown on Tuesday, May 23, with good roads and fine weather, which insured a large representation in every department. As last year, the commodious skating-rink was assigned to the horses, while for the other live-stock a new departure was made. Instead of resorting to the curling-rink, the cattle were arranged in a tent, big enough for a circus, for it was 125 by 175 feet. The 300 head of cattle were arranged in three rows, with room left for a row of horse stalls. Adjoining the monster tent was a smaller one, for horses, and a third was ample for sheep and poultry. The use of tents for exhibition purposes is an innovation in this district but permanent buildings involve sinking a large sum, the interest on which is a big rental to pay for two or three days' use in the year, aside from constant outlay in repairs and renewal. For the four tents hired the charge was \$250. In the great heat that prevailed on Tuesday the tent was cooler than any building and the light, of course, perfect.

Last year the number of entries was a surprise; this year they have doubled! No better proof could be supplied of the resources of the farmers of the county of Chateauguay than is furnished by this show for it was distinctly a Chateauguay show. It is easy to say, its pre-eminence is due to the fertility of the farms its exhibitors live on. There is truth in that, but not all the truth. There is just as rich land north and east in this district, just as rich land in Terrebonne and other counties in the province, yet the farmers in these sections could make no such display of what is the result where skill and enterprise are combined with natural advantages. The soil is not everything—the men on it count for more. The first settlers of the concession, leading from English river, the Chateauguay, and the St. Louis brought with them more than thrifty habits and strong arms, they brought a knowledge of the methods of Scotch farming, and that knowledge, descending from father to son, has developed and been modified to suit new conditions, until the visitor not only sees a soil that vies with the best in the prairies but evidence in every direction of a race of farmers who are striving to take the best out of it themselves permit. Enterprise in importing live-stock goes far, but it yields limited results when the land does not supply abundance to feed them. Dr. McEachran, the president, in saying the time was approaching when seekers for pure-bred Clydesdales and Ayrshires, would come to this district instead of going to Scotland, merely stated what has already begun to be realized. Men who had visited scores of shows, and who had no motive to flatter, declared the collection of Ayrshires to be the largest in number and the finest in quality they had ever seen in any one place and the same was said of the Clydesdales. In those two classes Chateauguay, defies the Dominion and the United States. Its farmers are only beginning to reap the benefits of the reputation they have established, for buyers from south and west now seek their stables in yearly increasing numbers.

The people of Ormstown take a proper pride in their show, which they manifested in the brushing-up of their premises and a general use of decorations. A village of beautiful homes, Ormstown never looked better than it does in this season of verdure and flowers. There was a good attendance of villagers at the opening ceremonies. While his visit to the Mediterranean has greatly improved the health of Dr. McEachran, he has not just yet recovered his wonted robustness and strength of voice, and so had to ask Mr. Morgan, manager of the E. T. T. to read his address. It must be gratifying to the Doctor, as originator, founder and promoter of the show to witness a marked step in advance, and to find abundant proof that he has trained his associates to efficiently carry on the project which is dear to his heart. That he may be spared to see many more shows and continue to help the advancement of the farming interest, is the sincere wish of thousands. The opening address by Doctor McEachran was as follows—

Gentlemen—I can hardly express the intensity of pleasure I feel at being present to assist at the opening of this our second spring show. That the show is a huge success is due to a few simple facts connected with its origin and organization. The family, the father has gone on increasing his importations of horses, each year striving to fetch out something better, so that in quality he is today able to suit the most exacting of buyers, his Sir Spencer is one of the finest Sirs Canada has seen, and farmers who do not patronize him are missing a rare opportunity. The newly landed fillies were an attraction to visitors, and while declared an even bunch there was one that stood out of almost faultless model. Altogether, Mr. Ness had 23 horses on the ground. The number and quality of the Clydesdales was a surprise to the judge, who often had difficulty in placing them, they were so even in merit. The teams, the cart horses, the 2-year olds were all notable. The procession of heavy-draft teams was a splendid feature of the show, and gave proof of the stock kept by the horses kept by the McGreggier brothers. When it came to light-drafts, Dr. R. McCaig and D. J. Greig got the lion share of the prizes. Both showed high-priced animals, well-broke, and in the pink of condition.

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cattle, without the expense and risks of ocean transportation. This may sound ambitious, yet I know it is capable of accomplishment. Let every farmer take advantage of the opportunities afforded them by this association to procure one or more registered females, use only registered males, the best within reach, and don't be penny-wise and pounds-foolish in choosing sires, and the result will be that, in a few years, the good work will be accomplished. It is the intention of the directors to avoid the rocks which have ruined other exhibition companies, namely, side-shows, and expensive so-called attractions, letting the numbers and quality of the stock, the annual sales of pedigree and high-class grade stock, and the presence in thousands of stock-breeders and their families be the attractions for ourselves and outsiders as well. Let me say just a few words here about the organization for which a charter has been obtained. I am sure no one now doubts that it is a necessity. The overwhelming numbers of entries have convinced the executive that it is high time to provide permanent and adequate buildings, not only for present requirements but looking to a great increase in future, and, as we can easily make this the central live-stock market for agricultural breeding stock as well as for commercial horses and cattle for all Canada, let no more time be lost in subscribing to the stock of the company to enable us to proceed with the putting into effect the provisions of the charter. You have only to think of the time and thought gratuitously given by the directors and the gentlemen who aid them, also gratuitously, and without whose assistance such a show would be an impossibility, to see that there is much labor in getting up such a show. Our accommodation is quite inadequate and insufficient in every way, for the 350 entries of horses, and I may add that of 300 entries of cattle, besides sheep and pigs. While the directors do not hold out any inducement to subscribe promises of large dividends, yet, being managed on proper lines, I may say that any stock you hold in this company should not only earn dividends, but increase in value, provided you continue to place business men in its positions of trust and give it your hearty support individually. I regret my health is such that I cannot do justice to what a president's address on such an occasion should be.

When the applause subsided and the Doctor resumed his seat, Mr. J. A. McBain, in his capacity as mayor, welcomed the visitors, the vice-president, Mr. Ness, endorsed what the Doctor said touching Chateauguay as a market for improved stock, and the Rev. Dr. Morrison added his congratulations. The judging then began, Canadian-bred Clydesdales appearing in the ring. The weather was fine up till noon, when thunder clouds rolled up from the south-east and rain fell at intervals. This checked intending visitors, and owing to the showers becoming heavier at dark, the attendance in the evening was no more than comfortable. Next day, made up for this. The mostly overcast, no rain fell, and that of the preceding evening had effectually laid the dust and modified the heat. Visitors came crowding from all directions and the rink was fairly jammed during the afternoon. What it was in the evening is beyond description, for every foot of standing-room was utilized and the doorknobs turned away fully 300. The evening meetings were better than those of the day. Brilliantly lit by electricity, every movement in the ring could be followed, and the classes kept for the evening were of the kind that appeal to popular fancy—drivers and saddle-horses, jumping and riding. Add to this the music of the Valleyfield cornet band and the alternate playing of three stately pipers, and it will be understood how the crowd was a happy one—the farmers and their families were out to enjoy themselves and they succeeded.

The distinctive features of the show were its exhibits of Clydesdale horses and Ayrshire cattle, and that which was so due to the Doctor's family, the father has gone on increasing his importations of horses, each year striving to fetch out something better, so that in quality he is today able to suit the most exacting of buyers, his Sir Spencer is one of the finest Sirs Canada has seen, and farmers who do not patronize him are missing a rare opportunity. The newly landed fillies were an attraction to visitors, and while declared an even bunch there was one that stood out of almost faultless model. Altogether, Mr. Ness had 23 horses on the ground. The number and quality of the Clydesdales was a surprise to the judge, who often had difficulty in placing them, they were so even in merit. The teams, the cart horses, the 2-year olds were all notable. The procession of heavy-draft teams was a splendid feature of the show, and gave proof of the stock kept by the horses kept by the McGreggier brothers. When it came to light-drafts, Dr. R. McCaig and D. J. Greig got the lion share of the prizes. Both showed high-priced animals, well-broke, and in the pink of condition.

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and imports more lavishly. He has now 70 of the best Ayrshires that could be picked up in Scotland now waiting in quarantine at Quebec. He has won the lead in his special line and means to keep it. Buyers who want the best in Ayrshires come to Howick from every part of the continent. And it is not strangers alone who profit by his herds. His neighbors are now coming to him, and it will be seen how often they divided the honors. The change in type of Ayrshire was more marked than ever. Twenty-five years ago Ayrshires were small and neat, now they have become larger, and the tendency still is to produce a roomier type. P. D. McArthur's bull is an illustration of the development that is in process. Who thirty years ago, or even 20, would have expected to see a ton-weight Ayrshire? What Ness is in his favorite breed, Neil Sangster is in Holsteins—pre-eminent. He had 34 head entered. Professor Barton of Macdonald college was highly pleased, declaring it to be the best Holstein display he had seen at any Canadian show. Mr. Sangster has so great a demand, that he is sold out of yearling bulls, the he fixed their price at \$100. His reputation is now established and what ever comes from his herd commands a high price. The increase in the number of Holsteins is remarkable. They seemed to be as numerous at the show as Ayrshires, and in driving thru the country black-and-whites are in nearly every pasture. Of other breeds, the representation was confined to a few heads. A distressing feature, was the presence of the horn-fly. Owing to the heat the nuisance has come early.

In sheep, the long-wooled was the strongest class and John Purcell had the choicest. The short-wooled evidenced no improvement. The two smallest features of the show were sheep and pigs, and in that the country. Few farmers have sheep and few raise any pigs.

The exhibit of poultry was made up, with some exceptions, by John Graham and Taylor Bros. Both have made poultry a specialty, and it may be said of those who competed with them that they did go with fowls drawn from their coops.

On the second day the Hon. J. E. Caron, minister of agriculture visited the show, and was accompanied by the several representatives of the district. The procession of horses and cattle, judging by the remarks he made, impressed him deeply and the association is assured of another liberal grant from Quebec. That the association will go on is certain. After two such successful shows it would not do to let it die out. There are men here who can run it—men who have got their hands into the right methods of working and who are capable of developing it. Perhaps they may consider whether (next spring) it would be well to drop sheep, swine, and poultry, and devote the money so obtained to strengthening the features in which Chateauguay leads, and also where, encouragement could not be given to the large class of farmers who are unable to compete with importers and specialists. To mention the names of those who did good service at the show might give offense to those who were largely ornamental, but no exception can be taken in referring to Dr. McCormick as its centre and efficient reference.

A complete account of the financial side of the show is not available. The receipts were—
Entry fees—\$518
Subscriptions—672
Taken at the gates—1076
Total—\$2266
To pay the prizes will take about \$1800, leaving less than \$500 for expenses.

The Team Parade
One of the most attractive features of the show was the parade of farmers' teams, which was suggested by the president, Dr. McEachran, and intended to show the many visitors what an excellent quality of agricultural horses are bred and owned by the farmers of this district—an idea which is far-reaching in the benefits which will result in advertising it as a place where buyers will be sure to find what they want in the most saleable of commercial horses. Owing to insufficient advertising and small numbers of teams supposing that swells, harness, new, or newly painted, wagons were requisites which many were not prepared for, the turnout was not what it might have been. The object was, to give every one an opportunity of showing their horses, not their cash-bought outfits. This will be better understood at the next show, and instead of 25 teams there will, no doubt, be at least a hundred.

We are informed that large numbers of our best agricultural teams were left at home. However, the district has great reason to be proud of their drive. One feature of this parade deserves special notice, which was not premeditated by the executive, which arose from the fact that three handsome killed pipers were provided to enliven the hearts of visitors, which added greatly to the enjoyment of the day's outing for many Scottish hearts, young and old, and the fact of Mr. D. R. Lindsay, of the Buffalo Fertilizing Co., being present with a party of friends from Madrid, New York State, in a handsome noise-

less automobile, in which he offered to convey the three pipers, at the head of the parade, which offer was accepted and added greatly to the effect. On returning, much to the surprise of the timorous, the auto, with pipers playing, led the teams round the arena, producing a storm of cheers loud and long. The parade was witnessed by the Hon. Mr. Caron, provincial minister of agriculture, J. P. Brown, M.P., Hon. Mercier, M.L.A., W. H. Walker, M.L.A., J. A. Robb, M.P., and other prominent visitors, who freely expressed their enjoyment of this and other parades of horses and cattle, which they seldom saw equalled and certainly, even at provincial exhibitions, never surpassed in numbers and quality.

Let this initial feature of horse exhibition never be left out of future programs, and, like the show itself, let each year see it grow in numbers and quality.

Clydesdales
Judge—C. M. McCrae, of the Ottawa Experimental Farm.

Clydesdale Stallion, 4 years old and over, imported—1 Ness & Son \$8, 2 Taylor Bros. \$5, 3 Dr. D. McEachran \$4.
Three-year old Stallion, imp.—1 George G. Stewart \$5, 2 Ness & Son, \$6.
Two-year old Stallion—1 Ness & Son.
Brood Mare, imp., 4 years and over, in foal—1 Dr. D. McEachran \$5, 2 Ness & Son \$4.
Brood Mare, imp., 4 years and over, with foal at foot—1 Ness & Son \$5, 2 Samuel McGerrigle \$4.
Three-year old Mare, imp.—1 Ness & Son \$4, 2 Ness & Son \$3, 3 Ness & Son \$2.
Two-year old Filly, imp.—1 Ness & Son \$4, 2 Ness & Son \$3, 3 Ness & Son \$2.
One-year old Filly, imp.—1 Dr. D. McEachran \$4, 2 Dr. D. McEachran \$3.

Clydesdales—Canadian-bred
Clydesdale Stallion, 4 years and over—1 David Cavers \$8.
Three-year old Stallion, 3 entries—1 Wm. Nussey \$6, 2 Fred Cowan \$5.
Two-year old Stallion, 4 entries—1 Thomas Irving \$5, 2 Thomas Irving \$3, 3 R. Whiteford \$1.
One-year old Stallion, 5 entries—1 James McClintock \$4, 2 James McClintock \$3, 3 R. T. Brownlee \$1.
Clydesdale Brood Mare, 4 years and over, in foal, 2 entries—1 D. Clyde Brood Mare, 4 years and over, with foal at foot, 4 entries—1 Thomas Irving \$5, 2 William Nussey \$4.
Three-year old Mare, 5 entries—1 George White \$4, 2 Archibald Cameron \$3, 3 J. D. McDougall \$2.
Two-year old Filly, 4 entries—1 Albert Nussey \$4, 2 Fred Cowan \$3, 3 James Donaldson \$2.
One-year old Filly, 4 entries—1 D. McEwan \$4, 2 McNaughton Bros. \$3, 3 David Pringle \$1.
Dr. McEachran's Special for best Clydesdale Stallion, Ness & Son \$10.
Dr. McEachran's Special for best Clydesdale Brood Mare, Ness & Son \$10.

Dr. McEachran's Special for best Clydesdale 3-year old Mare, Ness & Son \$10.
Dr. McEachran's Special for best Clydesdale 2-year old Mare, Ness & Son \$10.
Dr. McEachran's Special for best Clydesdale 1-year old Mare, D. McEwan \$10.

Grade Heavy Draft
Brood Mare, in foal 1400lb., 4 entries—1 James C. Steele \$5, 2 Robert McCurdy \$4, 3 J. D. McEwan \$3.
Brood Mare, with foal at foot, 2 entries—1 James Donaldson \$5.
Three-year old Mare, 6 entries—1 Samuel McGerrigle \$4, 2 Robert Kerr \$3, 3 Daniel McKell \$2.
Three-year old Gelding, 2 entries—1 Charles Moe \$4, 2 William Finn \$3.
Two-year old Mare, over 1050lb., 4 entries—1 Wm. Greig \$4, 2 Jas. Winter \$3, 3 Wm. McKell \$2.
Year-old Filly, 900lb., and over, 1 entry—1 J. D. McEwan \$3.
Brood Mare, under 1400lb.—1 Norman McEachran \$3, 2 Frank Robidoux \$4, 3 James Elliot \$3.
Brood Mare, under 1400lb., with foal—1 Peter Finlayson \$5.
Three-year old Gelding, under 1200lb.—1 James Hamilton \$4, 2 James Hamilton \$3, 3 Norman McEachran \$2.
Three-year old Mare, under 1200lb.—1 Wm. Cullen \$4, 2 Hamilton Elliot \$3, 3 Wm. T. Rice \$2.
Two-year old Filly, under 1050lb.—1 George Moore \$4, 2 J. H. Nussey \$3, 3 Charles Moe \$1.
Two-year old Gelding, under 1050lb.—1 J. D. McEwan \$4.
One-year old Filly, under 900lb.—1 Charles Moe \$4, 2 James McKell \$3.
Draft Team, over 2800lb.—1 Ness & Son \$8, 2 Ness & Son \$6, 3 Dr. D. McEachran \$4.
Draft Team, under 2800lb.—1 D. J. Greig \$8, 2 James Bryson \$6, 3 Wm. Cullen \$4.
Single Cart Horse—1 Ness & Son \$6, 2 Dr. D. McEachran \$4, 3 Ness & Son \$2.
J. B. Walsh's Special for best Draft Team, under 2800lb., D. J. Greig \$5.
Percheron Stallion, 3 years old, 1 entry—1 Ness & Son \$8.

Light Horses
Judge—Dr. Alloway, Montreal, and Ed. Watson, Hudson Heights, Montreal.

French Canadian
Aged Stallion—1 W. C. Collins \$8, 2 D. Labossiniere \$6, 3 Robert Mills \$4.
Three-year old Stallion—1 James Bryson \$6.
Brood Mare, and foal—1 Filias Braut \$5, 2 James Cowan \$4, 3 James Bryson \$3.
Yearling Filly—1 James Bryson \$4, 2 James Bryson \$3.
Coaching Aged Stallion—1 Ness & Son \$8.
Roadsters
Single, 15.2 and over—1 J. R. McCaig \$6, 2 D. J. Greig \$4, 3 Robert McDougall \$2.
Single, under 15.2—1 D. J. Greig \$6, 2 J. R. McCaig \$4, 3 R. C. Manning \$2.
Pairs, 15.2 and over—1 J. R. McCaig \$6, 2 D. J. Greig \$4, 3 J. C. Cairns \$2.
Pair, under 15.2—1 Fred Young \$6, 2 J. Lowe \$4, 3 R. C. Manning \$2.
Pair, 15.2 and over—1 J. R. McCaig \$8, 2 T. A. Cunningham \$6, 3 James C. Steele \$4.
Carriage Pair, under 15.2—1 J. R. McCaig \$8, 2 Duncan McCaig \$6, 3 James Bryson \$4.
Carriage Single, under 15.2—1 J. R. McCaig \$5, 2 J. R. McCaig \$4, 3 D. J. Greig \$3.
Carriage Single, under 15.2—1 D. J. Greig \$5, 2 J. R. McCaig \$4, 3 J. R. McCaig \$3.
Saddle Horse, by gent—1 D. J. Greig \$5, 2 W. Nussey \$4, 3 D. J. Greig \$3.
Saddle Horse, by lady—1 Miss Allie Bryson \$5, 2 Miss Ethel Cunningham \$4, 3 Mrs. W. Nussey \$3.
Aged Carriage Stallion—1 T. A. Cunningham \$5, 2 John Lowe \$4, 3 D. McCann \$3.
Two-year old Carriage Stallion—1 Neville Kerr \$3.
One-year old Carriage Stallion—1 Wm. Hay \$3, 2 Albert Nussey \$2, 3 D. Thompson \$1.
Carriage Brood Mare—1 Wm. Hay \$4, 2 George Winter \$3.
Carriage Driver, any height—1 D. J. Greig \$4, 2 J. R. McCaig \$3, 3 W. D. Cairns \$2.
Carriage Driver, 3 years old—1 T. A. Cunningham \$3, 2 James McKell \$2, 3 J. Craig \$1.
Two-year old Carriage Horse—1 Ernest Baxter \$3, 2 D. McEwan \$2, 3 J. J. Craig \$1.
One-year old Carriage Horse—1 David Pringle \$3, 2 James McKell \$2, 3 Andrew Ross \$1.
Hunters, over hurdles—1 D. J. Greig \$4, 2 J. C. Cairns \$3, 3 J. P. Cavers \$2.
Standard Aged Stallion—1 Ness & Son \$8, 2 Matt. Levers \$6.
Standard Brood Mare—1 William Cameron \$5, 2 Marvie Dudley \$4.
Shetland Pony—1 R. Ness \$4, 2 Violet Greig \$3, 3 Brodie Ness \$2.
Lady Single Driver—1 D. J. Greig \$5, 2 Mathias Lalonde \$4, 3 James C. Steele \$3.
Thos. Hanna's Special for best Lady Driver, Miss Greig \$5.
J. McClintock's Special for best lady saddle rider, Miss Cunningham \$5.

CATTLE
Ayrshire
Judge, D. Drummond, Ottawa

Aged Bull—1 P. D. McArthur \$6, 2 R. R. Ness \$5, 3 John W. Logan \$4, 4 Wm. Brown \$3.
Two-year old Bull—1 Hector Gordon \$5, 2 Wm. Hay \$4, 3 R. R. Ness \$3, 5 Robert Howden \$2.
One-year old Bull—1 P. D. McArthur \$5, 2 Hector Gordon \$4, 3 James McKell \$3, 4 John W. Logan \$2.
Bull Calf, Senr.—1 R. R. Ness \$4, 2 John W. Logan \$3, 3 J. P. Cavers \$2, 4 Robert Howden \$1.
Bull Calf, Jr.—1 R. R. Ness \$4, 2 John Logan \$3, 3 John Brown \$2, 4 Hector Gordon \$1.
Aged Cow—1 Hector Gordon \$6, 2 R. R. Ness \$5, 3 R. R. Ness \$4, 4 Hector Gordon \$3, 5 R. R. Ness \$2.
Three-year old Cow—1 R

Heifer Calf, Senr.—1 J. G. Bryson \$4.
Heifer Calf, Jr.—1 D. Ness \$4.
2 Andrew Ross \$3.
Herd—1 Hector Gordon \$5, 2 R. Ness \$4, 3 J. P. Cavers \$3.
Special by Thomas Drysdale for best dairy cow on grounds, regardless of breed—Hector Gordon \$5.
Special by Geo. E. Baird, for best Ayrshire cow and two of her progeny—R. Ness \$5.
Special by R. R. Ness for best Grade Ayrshire herd—1 Hector Gordon \$6, 2 J. P. Cavers \$4.
Minister of Agriculture's Special for two best Ayrshire Cows—1 Hector Gordon \$10.

Jerseys
Aged Bull—1 Dr. D. McEachran \$6.
Aged Cow, in milk—1 Dr. D. McEachran \$6, 2 Dr. D. McEachran \$5, 3 George Rutherford \$4.
Aged Cow, dry—1 Jas. Winter \$4.
Three-year old Cow, in milk—1 L. A. Rousseau \$6.
Two-year old Cow, in milk—1 H. Chambers \$5.
Two-year old Cow, dry—1 Dr. D. McEachran \$4.
Yearling Heifer—1 Dr. D. McEachran \$4.
Heifer Calf, Senr.—1 George Rutherford \$4.
Heifer Calf, Jr.—1 Dr. D. McEachran \$4.
Aged Herd—1 Dr. D. McEachran \$6.

Holstein
Judge—Professor Barton.
Aged Bull—1 Wm. Rice \$6, 2 D. A. McEwen \$5, 3 E. S. Crutchfield \$4.
Two-year old Bull—1 Neil Sangster \$5, 2 J. S. Rutherford \$4, 3 J. McRae \$3, 4 J. J. Alexander \$2.
Yearling Bull—1 Thomas Rutherford \$4, 2 M. M. McNaughton \$3, 3 Neil Sangster \$2, 4 David Cowan \$1.
Bull Calf, Senr.—1 Neil Sangster \$4, 2 Neil Sangster \$3, 3 Neil Sangster \$2.
Bull Calf, Jr.—1 Archd. McDonald \$4, 2 Neil Sangster \$3, 3 J. J. Alexander \$2, 4 Thos. Rutherford \$1.

Aged Cow—1 Neil Sangster \$6, 2 Neil Sangster \$5, 3 Neil Sangster \$4, 4 George Winter \$3, 5 George Winter \$2.
Three-year old Cow—1 Neil Sangster \$6, 2 Neil Sangster \$5, 3 J. J. Alexander \$4, 4 John McRae \$3, 5 Neil Sangster \$2.

Two-year old Cow, in milk—1 A. Younie \$5, 2 J. J. Alexander \$4, 3 Dry Cow—1 Neil Sangster \$4, 2 J. J. Alexander \$3, 3 Geo. Winter \$2, 4 Archd. McNeil \$1.

Two-year old Dry Cow—1 Neil Sangster \$4, 2 A. Younie \$3, 3 E. S. Crutchfield \$2.
Yearling Heifer, Senr.—1 Neil Sangster \$4, 2 M. M. McNaughton \$3, 3 J. McRae \$2, 4 M. M. McNaughton \$1.

Yearling Heifer, Jr.—1 E. S. Crutchfield \$4, 2 John McRae \$3, 4 Neil Sangster \$2.
Heifer Calf, Senr.—1 Neil Sangster \$4, 2 John McRae \$3, 3 J. J. Alexander \$2, 4 Neil Sangster \$1.
Heifer Calf, Jr.—1 John McRae \$4, 2 Neil Sangster \$3, 3 Neil Sangster \$2, 4 Neil Sangster \$1.

Aged Herd—1 Neil Sangster \$5, 2 Neil Sangster \$4, 3 Geo. Winter \$3, 4 J. J. Alexander \$2.
Young Herd—1 John McRae \$5, 2 Neil Sangster \$4, 3 M. M. McNaughton \$3.

Grade Holstein
Aged Cow—1 Neil Sangster \$6, 2 David Cowan \$5, 3 John McRae \$4, 4 Neil Sangster \$3.
Three-year old Cow—1 A. McNeil \$5, 2 George Winter \$4, 3 J. J. Alexander \$3, 4 A. Younie \$2.

Two-year old Cow—1 Jas. Winter \$4, 2 Thomas Rutherford \$3, 3 Thomas Rutherford \$2, 4 Hamilton Elliot \$1.
Yearling Heifer—1 George Collum \$4, 2 Robert English \$3, 3 Thos. Rutherford \$2, 4 D. T. Ness \$1.

Heifer Calf, Senr.—1 Archd. McDonald \$4, 2 John McRae \$3, 3 J. J. Alexander \$2, 4 Thos. Rutherford \$1.
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Herd—1 John McRae \$5, 2 J. J. Alexander \$4, 3 A. Younie \$3, 4 David Cowan \$2.
Government Special for best pair of Holstein females—Neil Sangster \$10.
Special by J. Duncan for best 10 head of Dairy cattle—Neil Sangster \$10.

Special by D. C. Platt & Son, for best Holstein Cow or Heifer—Neil Sangster, silver cup.
Neil Sangster's Special for 4 best Grade Holstein Cows—1 John McRae \$6, 2 J. J. Alexander \$4.
G. E. Baird's Special for best Holstein Cow and two of her progeny—Neil Sangster \$5.

Shorthorn Aged Cow—1 John Graham \$6.
Shorthorn Heifer Calf—1 John Graham \$4.

SHEEP
Judges—Robert Blackwood, Huntingdon, and A. Cook, Ormstown.
Oxford Downs
Aged Ram—1 Robert Kerr \$4.
Ram Lamb of 1911—1 Robert Kerr \$4, 2 Robert Kerr \$3.
Aged Ewe—1 Robert Kerr \$4, 2 Robert Kerr \$3.
Ewe of one shear—1 Robert Kerr \$4, 2 Robert Kerr \$3.
Ewe Lamb of 1911—1 Robert Kerr \$4.
Flock of Oxford Downs—1 Robert Kerr \$4.

Dorsets
Aged Ram—1 Robert Kerr \$4.
Ram of one Shear—1 Robert Kerr \$4.
Aged Ewe—1 Robert Kerr \$4, 2 Robert Kerr \$3.

Ram Lamb—1 Robert Kerr \$4.
Ewe of one shear—1 Robert Kerr \$4, 2 Robert Kerr \$3.
Ewe Lamb of 1911—1 Robert Kerr \$4, 2 Robert Kerr \$3.
Flock—1 Robert Kerr \$4.
Ewe of one shear—1 John Purcell \$4, 2 Ernest Baxter \$3, 3 John Purcell \$2, 4 John Purcell \$1.
Ewe of one shear—1 John Purcell \$4, 2 Ernest Baxter \$3, 3 David Pringle \$2, 4 D. T. Ness \$1.
Ewe of 1911—1 John Lang \$4, 2 John Purcell \$3, 3 James Bryson \$2, 4 Ernest Baxter \$1.
Flock—1 John Purcell \$4, 2 Wm. Goodall \$3, 3 John Lang \$2, 4 James Bryson \$1.

J. Bryson's Special for best pen of Long-wooled sheep—1 John Purcell \$5.
Shropshire
Ewe Lamb of 1911—1 Robert A. Hunter \$4, 2 Robert A. Hunter \$3, 3 James Donaldson \$2, 4 Robert A. Hunter \$1.

Flock—1 Robert A. Hunter \$4, 2 James Donaldson \$3.
Leicester
Ram 2 years and over—1 David Pringle \$4, 2 Ernest Baxter \$3, 3 John Lang \$2, 4 Jas. Bryson \$1.

John Lang \$2, 4 Jas. Bryson \$1.
Ewe of one shear—1 John Purcell \$4, 2 John Lang \$3, 3 D. T. Ness \$2, 4 John Lang \$1.
Ram Lamb of 1911—1 John Purcell \$4, 2 James Bryson \$3, 3 J. Purcell \$2, 4 Ernest Baxter \$1.

Shropshire
Aged Ram—1 Robt. A. Hunter \$4, 2 Robert A. Hunter \$3, 3 James Donaldson \$2.
Ram of one shear—1 Robert A. Hunter \$4.
Ram Lamb of 1911—1 Robt. A. Hunter \$4, 2 James Donaldson \$3, 3 Arthur Hunter \$2.

Ewe 2 years and over—1 James Donaldson \$4, 2 Robert A. Hunter \$3, 3 Robert A. Hunter \$2, 4 Jas. Donaldson \$1.
Ewe of one shear—1 Arthur Hunter \$4, 2 Robert A. Hunter \$3, 3 James Donaldson \$2.

SWINE
Judge—Thomas Hanna.
Duroc-Jersey
Boar of 1911—1 Geo. Hooker \$3.
Aged Sow—1 Geo. Hooker \$4.
Spring Sow—1 George Hooker \$3, 2 George Hooker \$2.

Berkshire
Aged Boar—1 George Hope \$4, 2 J. J. Craig \$3, 3 W. S. Todd \$2.
Spring Boar—1 J. J. Craig \$3, 2 W. S. Todd \$2, 3 John S. Todd \$1.
Aged Sow—1 J. J. Craig \$4, 2 W. S. Todd \$3, 3 James Donaldson \$2.

Yearling Sow—1 W. S. Todd \$4, 2 W. S. Todd \$3.
Spring Sow—1 J. J. Craig \$3, 2 W. S. Todd \$2, 3 John S. Todd \$1.
Tamworth
Aged Boar—1 George Winter \$4.
Yearling Boar—1 James Donaldson \$4, 2 James Bryson \$3, 3 Jas. Bryson \$2.

Aged Sow—1 Jas. Donaldson \$4.
Spring Sow—1 James Donaldson \$3, 2 James Donaldson \$2.
Yorkshire
Aged Boar—1 W. R. McNeil \$4, 2 Taylor Bros. \$3.
Spring Boar—1 James Donaldson \$3, 2 George Finlayson \$2.

Aged Sow—1 Taylor Bros. \$4.
James Donaldson \$3, 3 George Finlayson \$2.
Spring Sow—1 James Donaldson \$3, 2 George Finlayson \$2, 3 Jas. Donaldson \$1.

POULTRY
Judge—Archd. Thompson, Allan's Corners.
Taylor brothers won 26 firsts, 13 seconds, and 9 thirds—\$10.25.
John Graham—22 firsts, 26 seconds and 11 thirds—\$47, also Mr. Westman's special for best Pekin duck.

E. W. Morgan—2 firsts, 2 seconds, 1 third—\$4.
Lorne Collum—2 thirds, \$1.
Edgar Collum—1 third, 50c.
John Walker, 1st for brown Leghorns, \$1.

Wm. Cameron—1st and 2nd, 1.75.
Archd. Cameron—1st, 2nd, and 3rd \$2.25.
James Winter—3rd, 50c.
Neil Sangster—1 first, 1 second, and 2 thirds, \$2.75; also special from M. Price of Montreal for best bred Plymouth Rock.

James Cowan—1st for Plymouth Rock hen, \$1.
George Collum—2 firsts and 2nd for Orpingtons, \$2.75.
John Lang—3 firsts, \$3.
Thomas Moore—2nd for Wyandott hen 75c.

Harold Munro—1st, 2nd and 3rd for Wyandots, \$2.25.
Robert McCurdy—2 firsts, 2 seconds, Rouen ducks, \$3.50.

DISTRICT SPRING SHOW
Persons wanting extra copies of this week's Gleaner to send to friends, can secure them at the store of M. KEE, Ormstown.
In covers for mailing, 5 cents each.

The Sherbrooke Record says—"Wilmshurst," the beautiful property of Mrs. W. B. Ives, Bowen avenue, East Sherbrooke, has been purchased by the Sisters of the Charity of Jesus, from Angers, France. The negotiations were conducted by the Rev. Canon Giroux. The community has already established in Magog an hospital convent and creche. The place just acquired will be used just as a novitiate. The sisters were especially pleased with the large dining-room, with its groined ceiling and long windows, which will be fitted up and used as a chapel. The purchase price was \$21,000.

COUNTY CONVENTION OF THE W.C.T.U.
Delegates from the three counties of the district met in convention in the Huntingdon Methodist church on Tuesday. It was a representative meeting, 45 delegates answering the roll-call. In next week's Gleaner the minutes of the business accomplished at the three executive meetings will be printed, together with an abstract of the numerous reports—in this issue we give an outline of the public gathering in the evening. A fine audience filled the body of the church. Miss Bazin, re-elected for the third time as president, occupied the chair, with the vice-president, Mrs. Peter McArthur, beside her. After devotional exercises, conducted by the Rev. R. Smith, and a finely rendered anthem by the choir, the mayor, R. H. Crawford, welcomed the convention to the village. He dwelt on the long strife to get rid of license, stating that, on referring to the council minutes, he found at the organization of the municipality efforts were even then made to withhold license. At elections he knew of, as much as \$600 had been spent in paying taxes to secure the return of license councillors. People in time, became convinced of the injurious nature of the traffic and the change was complete, for men who, 8 years ago, had pressed him to vote license were among the most active in securing the adoption of the recent by-law. For that by-law the women deserved the credit, for they were the first to move, and were, as he might say, "the men behind the gun." (Applause.) There was still some drinking, as shown on Sunday night, but he was satisfied the liquor was not got here, but was brought in bottles by train hands from across the lines. As to the talk, that a hotel cannot be run without license, he would say when he went to one for his dinner he did not want to feel he was getting it cheaper because a fellow drinking at the bar was paying for part of it. Welcoming the ladies, and trusting their sojourn in Huntingdon would be pleasant, the mayor concluded an interesting and appropriate speech amid applause. The Rev. J. B. Maclean, in sympathetic terms, welcomed the convention and assured its members of his good wishes. A visitor, the Rev. Mr. Priest, explained the working of the Young People's Forward Mission Movement and of the conference they were to hold at Knowlton from July 12 to 19. The speaker of the evening was now introduced, Mrs. Livingstone of Providence, R.I. A number of lady speakers have been introduced by the W.C.T.U. in the past, all acquitting themselves admirably, but, with the exception of Mrs. Lake, none left as deep an impression as Mrs. Livingstone. Perfectly womanly, and without the slightest striving at effect, she carried her hearers with her as she described the need of prohibition at home and in foreign lands, the obstacles to be overcome, and the victories achieved. When she closed, the audience had a new conception of the magnitude and evil of the liquor-traffic. A series of resolutions were reported by Mrs. Wm. Ogilvie, and adopted, and the meeting closed by Rev. R. Smith pronouncing the benediction. A feature of the evening was the singing of Miss Marion Wilson, who is the happy possessor of a rarely sweet voice of wide range, which cultivation is markedly improving. The Methodist congregation may well be proud of her.

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R. S. Feeny, Secy.-Treas.
Municipal Council
Huntingdon, May 30, 1911.

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Dr A. J. McNEIL at Kensington
Dr A. J. McNEIL will give one of his popular Lectures in the Methodist Church, Saturday Evening next, June 3rd, at 8 p.m. Subject, "What an old bachelor thinks of women." Admission 25c. Refreshments provided after lecture.

PUBLIC NOTICE
To be sold by the undersigned, on the 10th day of June, 1911, all the works performable, which are to be sold according to the process-verbal regulating the Massey watercourse and its branches, in the Township of Hinchinbrook, to the last and lowest bidder, upon furnishing good, reliable security for the due performance of the works sold, such as will be accepted by the special officer. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a.m. on the Black side road, near the south end, in the Township of Hinchinbrook. A. Muir, Senr., Special Officer
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On the evening of Coronation Day, Thursday, June the 22nd, a Grand Patriotic and miscellaneous Concert will be given in Moir Hall, under the auspices of St. Andrew's Church. Full particulars next week.

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Municipal Council
Huntingdon, May 30, 1911.

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Hinchinbrook, June 1st, 1911.

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Many new designs have been added to our regular line of Silverware, Cut Glass, etc., that will appeal to your taste for the elegant.
Our consistent prices should also attract, if you are interested in approaching weddings.

W. D. SHANKS
Jeweller and Optician
Huntingdon, Que.

EASTERN TOWNSHIP'S BANK
Quarterly Dividend No 114
Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of nine per cent. per annum upon the paid up Capital Stock of this Bank has been declared for the current quarter and will be payable at the Head Office and Branches on and after the 15th day of June next.
The Transfer Books will be closed from the 15th to the 30th June, both days inclusive.
By order of the Board,
J. MACKINNON, General Manager
Sherbrooke, May 27th, 1911.

Two Teachers wanted for Protestant Schools, St. Louis de Gonzague, for next scholastic year. Term, 10 months; salary \$250. Applications will be received until June 10th, and are to be addressed to St. Louis de Gonzague. W. MARTIN, Secy.-Tres.

WANTED
Five Protestant Teachers, for the Municipality of Ormstown (St. Michael). Salary, No. 11, \$240; Nos. 1, 6, 9, 10, \$230. Apply, stating experience and references, up to June 12th. Term of teaching 10 months. Schools open Sept. 1st.
Apply to P. McLaren, Secy.-Treas., Ormstown, Que.

PRIZE BOOKS
FOR SCHOOL CLOSING
Special low prices for Teachers during the next 30 days.
The largest stock of Books ever shown here.
You will find it more satisfactory to personally pick to suit each grade, rather than buy from catalogues. Come and look them over yourself.
A large stock of Recitation, Dialogue, Drills, etc.
Spalding's Canadian Base-Ball Guide just arrived. See photos of local teams.
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Open in Angus McNaughton's block At Huntingdon, Que.
June 10 and 12. At Fort Covington June 8 and 9
C. E. Runions, Artist

TEACHER WANTED
For School No. 2, in the Township of Elgin. Term 10 months. Salary \$21 per month. School to open 15th of August.
C. E. Ewing, Secy.-Treas.
Glenelm, May 1, 1911.

SUBSCRIBE NOW
New subscribers to the Gleaner will be supplied free with the opening chapters of the new story, which will continue for quite a while, and grow more interesting each week.

FARM FOR SALE
Situated in western part of Godmanchester, 5th range (Beaver district) contains 51 acres, 30 under cultivation, the balance in pasture. First-class two-story house and good outbuildings. Terms easy. For further particulars apply on premises or to Francis Napier, Beaver P.O.

VALUATION ROLLS
Rolls, specially prepared for the valuation about to start, containing all the columns necessary, are now ready. Price, one dollar per dozen, made up in books or loose as desired. Sent by mail postage paid. Address The Gleaner, Huntingdon

POULTRY WANTED
I am paying for Veal Calves \$1 to \$8; Hens 10c to 14c per lb.; Calf-skins 75c to \$1.05; Cow Hides 75c per lb. Write or call on John Bolditz, Lake-st. P.O. box 286.

FOR SALE
Lumber, Lath, Clapboards, Shingles Matched Spruce, Planed and rough Hemlock, Dimension Timber, Silt Lumber, Joists, Sized Scantling, etc.
W. J. WALSH
Prince-st., Huntingdon.

FARM FOR SALE
Farm containing 122 acres, half length and double width, situated in the 3rd concession of the township of Lanecaster; 100 acres under cultivation, the balance in sugar bush, good house and outbuildings, all slate-roofed; good well, nice herds and shade trees around the buildings; convenient to cheese factory and school. For further particulars apply to F. W. Fraser, Lanecaster, Ont.

Province of Quebec
District of Beauharnois
COURT OF KING'S BENCH
Crown Side
NOTICE
An extraordinary Term of the Court of King's Bench (Crown side) in and for the District of Beauharnois, will be held, and shall open at the Court House, in the City of Salaberry of Valleyfield, on Monday, the nineteenth day of June next, 1911, at the hour of ten of the clock in the forenoon. Consequently, I, the Sheriff of the said District of Beauharnois, hereby give Public Notice to all and to whom intending to prosecute any prisoner now in the Common goal of this district, awaiting for his trial, and to all others, that they must be there and present.

I also give notice to all Magistrates, Justices of the Peace, Coroners, Constables, Bailiffs and other Peace Officers in and for the said District, that they must be then and there present with Records, Indictments, Rolls, and other documents in their possession, in order to do these things which may be required to each of them in their respective capacities.

Sheriff's Office, Salaberry of Valleyfield, this twenty-seventh day of May, 1911.
Jean Bte. D'Amour, Sheriff
District of Beauharnois

TO RENT, the dwelling-house and lot of the late Miss Mary Stewart, situated on Chateauguay-st., Huntingdon. Apply by letter to Miss L. Reid, P.O. box 76, Ormstown, Q. Key of house may be had on applying to Samuel Boyd, Huntingdon.

Edinburgh, May 25.—Loud and long applause welcomed the message received from President Taft on the subject of Anglo-American arbitration. President Taft's message voiced his well-known enthusiasm in favor of a practically unlimited arbitration treaty, and added—"Say to the assembly that it is my one sincere desire that Canada shall continue to prosper, flying the British flag and sharing with us the responsibility for North American civilization." A motion hailing with satisfaction the proposed arbitration treaty between Great Britain and the United States was adopted by acclamation.

The band of hope meeting on Friday evening was the closing one of the season. The lecture-room of the Methodist church was by no means crowded. Rev. Robt. Smith presided and presented a program that was at once varied and excellent. Indeed, there have been 35 entertainments which were far inferior. After a welcome by Marjorie Clouston there was an acoustic by 11 girls, an exercise song capitally rendered by a lot of girls, a dialogue

The Silver Horde

By REX BEACH

Author of "The Spoilers" and "The Barrier"

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They had long since lost all track of time and place, trusting blindly to a downward course. The hurricane still carried them with unabated fury, when all at once they came to another bluff where the ground fell away abruptly. Without waiting to investigate whether the slope terminated in a drift or a precipice, they flung themselves over. Down they tumbled, the two half-sensible men tangled together as if in a race for total oblivion, only to plunge through a thicket of willow tops that whipped and stung them. On they went, now raptly heartened, over another ridge, down another declivity, and then into a grove of spruce timber, where the air suddenly stilled, and only the treetops told of the rushing wind above.

It was well when an hour before and Emerson succeeded in starting, and for it was necessary work crawling for dry branches, and they themselves were on the verge of collapse before the timid blaze finally showed the two more unfortunate ones huddled together.

Cherry had given Emerson a flask of liquor before starting, and this he now divided between Fraser and the guide, having wisely refused it to them until shelter was secured. Then he melted snow in Balt's tin cup and poured pints of hot water into the pair until the adventurer began to rally, but the Aleut was too far gone, and an hour before the laggard dawn came he died.

The day was well spent when they struggled into Katmai and plodded up to a half-rotted log store. A globular quarter-breed Russian trader took them in and administered to their most crying needs.

As soon as Emerson was able to talk he inquired concerning the mail boat.

"She called here three days ago, bound west," said the trader.

"That's all right. She'll be back in about a week, eh?"

"She won't stop coming back."

"What?" Emerson felt himself sickening.

"No; she won't call here till next month, and then if it's storming she'll go to the westward and land on her way back."

"How long will that be?"

"Maybe seven or eight weeks."

In his weakened condition the young man groped for the counter to support himself. So stupidly he trembled that the trader took him for a drunkard.

But in the pulse of winter, had unfurled those floating snow banners from the mountain peaks to thwart him once more!

Out of consideration for his companions Emerson did not acquiesce in the deal with the evil tidings until the next morning; moreover, he was swallowed up in black despair and had no heart left in him for any further exertion.

He had allowed the Russian to show him to bed, upon which he hung his coat, half-dressed, while the others followed suit.

Emerson felt into a deep sleep, and it was late in the day when he awoke, every muscle aching, every joint stiff, every step attended with pain. He found his companions up and already breakfasted. Big George none the worse for his ordeal, while Fraser, bandaged and snarling, was an old shrewd self.

"Have you heard about the mail boat?" asked Emerson.

"No."

"We've missed her."

"What do you mean?" demanded Big George blankly.

"I mean that that storm delayed us just long enough to ruin us."

"Why—er—let's wait till the next trip," offered the fisherman.

Emerson shook his head. "She may not be back here for eight weeks. Not we're done for."

Balt was like a big boy in distress. His face wrinkled as if he were about to burst into loud lamentations. Then a thought seized him.

"Where in blazes is this steamer?" he cried.

"Out to the westward somewhere."

"Well, she's a mail boat, ain't she? Then why don't she stop here coming back? Answer me."

The rotund man shrugged his fat shoulders. "She's got to call at Uyak bay going east."

Emerson looked up quickly. "Where at Uyak bay?"

"Over on Kodiak Island."

"When is the boat due at Uyak?" Emerson asked.

"Most any time inside of a week."

"How far is that from here?"

"It ain't so far—only about fifty miles." Then, catching the light that flashed into the miner's eyes, Petelin hastened to observe: "But you can't get there. It's across the straits—those straits."

"What of that? We can hire a sail-boat and—"

"I ain't got any sailboat. I lost my sloop last year hunting sea otter."

"We can hire a small boat of some sort, can't we, and get the natives to put us across? There must be plenty of boats here."

"Nothing but skin boats, kyaks and bidarkas, you know. Anyhow, you couldn't cross at this time of year—it's too stormy. These straits is the worst place of water on the coast. No; you'll have to wait."

Emerson stared hopelessly at the sea.

The disheartened man started at this juncture as if a sudden thought impelled him and followed Balt out into the cold. He turned down the bank to the creek, however, and made a careful examination of all the canoes that went with the village. Fifteen minutes later he had searched out the disgruntled fisherman and cried excitedly:

"I've got it! We'll catch that boat!"

"How, growled the big man sourly. 'There's a large open skin boat, an omiak, down on the beach. We'll hire a crew of Indians to put us across to Uyak.'

"Can't be done," said Big George, still grudgingly. "The wrong season. You know the Shelikof straits is a bad place even for steamships at this time of year. They're like that pass up yonder, only worse."

"But it's only fifty miles across."

"Fifty miles of that kind of water in an open canoe may be just as bad as 500—unless you're lucky. And I ain't noticed anything so darned lucky about us."

"It's our only chance. Are you game?"

"Come on," cried Big George; "let's find Petelin!"

"That worthy uttered a shriek of denial. 'In summer, yes, but now—you can't do it. It has been tried too often. The straits is always rough, and the weather is too cold to sit all day in an omiak; you'd freeze.'

"Call them in. I'll do the talking."

And accordingly the storekeeper went in search of the village chief, shaking his head and muttering at the madness of these people.

But it all proved useless. The natives would not risk it. Desperate, the three men fitted up a boat themselves and resolved to make the attempt.

CHAPTER V.

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The old Russian village of Kadlak lies on the opposite side of the island from the carveries. Here, the wind swept relief of the country's first occupation, and, although peopled largely by natives and breeds, there is also a considerable white population, to whom Christmas is a season of thanksgiving and celebration, and it caused much comment when late on Christmas afternoon an ice-burdened canoe, bearing three strange white men, landed on the beach beside the dock—were they white men, after all? Their faces were so blackened and split from the frost they seemed to be raw bleeding masks, and their hands were cracked and stiff beneath their mittens. They were hollow-eyed and gaunt, their chests sunken away as if from a wasting illness, and they could not walk, but crept across the snow-covered shingle on hands and knees, their reaching the street, huddled painfully, while their limbs gave way as if paralysed.

A week later Boyd and George were waiting at the lights of Port Townsend blink out in the gloom aster. A quick change of boats at Juncos had raised their spirits, enabling them to complete the second stage of their journey in less than the expected time.

Supposedly, the fellow had got to dress pretty swell back in Chicago.

George ventured, "Full dress suits of clothes, eh?"

"Yes."

"Did you ever wear one?"

"Certainly."

"Well, I'll be—The fisherman checked himself and gazed at his companion as if he saw him suddenly in a new light. 'Right along?' he questioned incredulously.

"Why, yes; pretty steadily."

"All day at a time?"

"Well, I don't suppose you ever had 'em—shine your finger nails, did you?"

"Yes."

The big man opened his mouth to speak, then, evidently changing his mind, he closed it and muttered at the madness of these people.

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