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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.



SUMMER NECESSITIES.

Wash Skirts!

Hot Summer weather demands light, cool raiment. We have made a large purchase of Summer Wash Skirts at a very opportune time, and place them on sale as soon as prices reach less than their real worth.

Table listing various wash skirts and their sale prices, including Heavy Crash Skirts, Pique Wash Skirts, and Childrens Crash Skirts.

ROBT. FAIR & CO., PETERBORO.

LEGAL.

MOORE & JACKSON, Barristers, etc., Solicitors, for the County of Victoria and the Bank of Montreal.

HOPKINS, Barrister, Solicitor, for the Ontario Bank, Money to loan at lowest rates.

STEWART & O'CONNOR, Barristers, Notaries, etc. Money to loan at lowest current rates.

McLAUGHLIN & McDIARMID, Barristers, Solicitors, etc., Lindsay & Fenelon Falls.

W. H. GROSS, Dentist, Lindsay, Ont. All work mechanical or operative done in the most approved manner.

DR. CHAS. NELL, DENTIST, Office—Corner George and Hunter Sts. (over McDonald's Drug Store.)

DR. F. A. WALTERS, DENTIST, Homeopathic, Toronto University. Dental Practice over George's Drug Store.

DR. McCULLOUGH, PETERBORO, WILL VISIT LINDSAY EVERY WEDNESDAY AT SIMPSON HOUSE.

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INTENDING GROOMS, Can provide themselves with the necessary Marriage Licenses at Hugh's, Kent, St. Lindsay.

J. McDermott, Canoe and Boat Builder, First-class models. Canoes and Boat made to any size or model.

FARMS FOR SALE, Write for our list of Farms for Sale or Exchange. Prices range from \$400 to \$9000.

T. HURLEY & Co., Peterboro, Dealers in Eyes, Artificial Leases and Prosthetics.

Registration Notice, Residents of Bobcaygeon, are hereby notified that neglect to register Births, Marriages and Deaths within 30 days subjects the offender to a Fine of \$20 and costs for each offence.

MONEY TO LEND.

Arrangements have been made by the Undersigned to lend on Real Estate security at rates of interest from 5 to 7 per cent.

Apply to WILLIAM STEERS, Solicitor, Dominion Bank Building, William Street, Lindsay.

W. J. READ, Insurance Agent, REPRESENTS The Western, Capital, \$2,000,000.

Liverpool, London & Globe, Assets over \$55,000,000.

The Farmers Union Mutual, This Company is jumping into popularity on account of its low rate.

British America, Assets \$7,174,000.

Lancashire of England, Assets over \$7,900,000.

The Ontario Mutual Life, The only Canadian Mutual, Assets \$3,000,000.

Special Features—Prompt payment of Claims. Surplus divided Quarterly.

W. J. READ, BOBCAYGEON, CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION.

The Unconditional Accumulative Policy is absolutely free from conditions from date of issue and guaranteed.

The Association will issue a set of pamphlets giving all particulars in regard to its different plans of insurance.

J. K. MACDONALD, Managing Director, W. C. MACDONALD, Actuary.

Agents, Lindsay, Peterborough, W. D. Leach, Milton, W. E. Roxburgh, Woodville, Staples and Anderson, Fenelon Falls, R. S. Rowland, C. E. Stewart, Bobcaygeon.

Knowlson Bros., Lindsay, Peterborough, Charles Reynolds, W. D. Leach, Milton, W. E. Roxburgh, Woodville, Staples and Anderson, Fenelon Falls, R. S. Rowland, C. E. Stewart, Bobcaygeon.

Geo. W. Taylor, Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, At Office over the Post Office, Bobcaygeon.

Geo. Byng, Undertaker, Can be found Day or Night, at his warehouse, Market Square, or residence—One Block West of the Fountain.

D. LAVERY, AUCTIONEER, Licensed Auctioneer, for East Victoria and Township of Harvey.

J. P. Bryson, New Market Shoe Store, Opposite the Opera House, Peterboro.

MONEY TO LOAN, I have made arrangements for placing an unlimited quantity of Loans on Farm Property at 5 to 6 per cent interest.

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POETRY.

The Little Brown Mate.

The little brown mate has left the nest, And she's half forgotten her song; Her brood are away in the sunny day, Her cares no longer wrong.

Cold Lake Superior.

A young Englishman who left Washington a fortnight ago to return to his native land after six months' visit in America took time before he went away to tell me about some of the extraordinary things he learned on his travels.

Record for Silence.

Edith, dear, said the young man, and his voice quivered with tremulous paths, 'have I offended you? The maiden shook her head, but uttered not a word.

Great Plants.

There is a plant in Jamaica called the plant because it seems almost impossible to kill it. When a leaf is cut off and hung up by a string it scapes out white, thread-like roots, gathers moisture from the air and begins to grow new leaves.

Ocean Liners to Race.

This week will witness a remarkable contest of speed between the North German Lloyd Steamship Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse and the Hamburg-American new liner Deutschland, in an endeavor to get the American mails to Europe first.

Russia's Railway.

When the Siberian Railway is completed it will be possible to go by rail from Havre, France, to Vladivostok on the Pacific Ocean. The rail by rail will be 7,359 miles, of which 293 will be in France, 100 in Belgium, 663 in Germany, 2,254 in Russia in Europe and 4,044 in Russia in Asia.

Not so Long.

Inflated Husband—Y talk on, talk on! I know you've me dead and buried. It wouldn't be six months before you sent word to that fool of a lover of yours in Chicago to come on.

Large Royalty.

The Vancouver Press that a London publishing firm offered Lord Roberts \$50,000 for the copyright of the Transvaal war.

House Disappears.

By a slight warning sound of creaking wood the family of John Cleary a farmer living a few miles from Ocala, Florida, was saved from a horrible imprisonment, if not death.

Which is Yours?

The birthstones are January, the garnet; February, the amethyst; March, the bloodstone; June, the diamond; May, the emerald; April, the ruby; August, the sardonyx; September, the sapphire; October, the opal; November, the topaz; December, the turquoise.

Fascination.

How wonderful is the power of fascination, and how few, comparatively speaking, possess it! The woman who owns this gift is not necessarily beautiful or, at first glance, remarkable, in any way, yet she attracts people to her in a wonderful manner.

Queen Marguerita.

Queen Marguerita, to whom the late king of Italy was married in 1868, is an Italian princess, and this fact, added to her beauty and amiability is one of the chief recommendations which have earned her an enduring place in the hearts of the Italian people.

Sold At Last.

Peddler (opening his pack)—I have here, madam, an improved rat-trap which— St. Catherine Street Woman—We are never troubled with rats.

Barefooted Horses.

A writer in a scientific journal takes ground against the shoeing of horses. He says of his own unshod horse that after having been for years the victim of the farrier, it is remarkable that he does work as he does barefooted.

An Apt Pupil.

A parrot in a certain house was usually kept in the dining-room with the family. The winter was removed to a room for greater security. When it was past in again made its appearance among the family, whom it amused with the new remarks it had picked up in the kitchen.

What Men like in Women.

A bright woman writes and asks if we will tell her what are some of the principle qualities in women which most attract men. We think that word attract is not correctly used by our correspondent, if she will allow us to say so, for often the things in women that attract men are possessions of doubtful value in any woman.

The Alphabet in Sentence.

The first number of the Record contained the following: The shortest intelligible sentence which contains all the letters of the alphabet is, we believe: 'J. Gray, pack with my box five dozen quills.'

If You want to be loved.

Don't find fault. Don't over or under dress. Don't believe all the evil you hear. Don't jeer at everybody's religious belief.

Going to Alaska.

Brigadier-General A. W. Greeley, chief of the United States army signal service, left Chicago for Alaska. This time he goes north, not to discover the pole, but to bind the frozen fiefs of the Yukon in the harness of electricity.

About Authors.

Any wealthy enthusiastic Dickens lover can have the original Bleak House, Broadstairs, Kent, for \$15,000. It is in the market, and unless taken will be demolished to make way for a modern boarding establishment.

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