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I have put the Priceville carding mill into first class repair and am employing a good carder. Good work done promptly.

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Priceville, June 2, '96.

Help in Time of Need

Hebrew 4:16.

Most wondrous King
Our all we bring
And place upon thy altar.
In wisdom's way
Lead us we pray
That we may never falter.

When faint and weak
Thine aid to seek
We come with earnest pleadings,
Thy words of love
Our fears remove
And give what we are needing.

No human friend
To us could send
Such true and lasting treasure
As thou dost give
To those who live
For truth and not for pleasure.

In love divine
Now seal us Thine
And for thy service take us,
To praise the name
Of Him who came
Like his ownself to make us.

Colborne, Ont., 1896. T. WATSON.

Winter Rye as Pasture

Winter rye is a safe and sure crop to grow as pasture, When sown in August it can usually be pastured to some extent the same autumn. And in the early spring it will furnish a great growth of pasture if rightly handled Where grass pastures are not abundant these may be spared until they get a good start if the rye is pastured in the meantime. When rye is pastured it should not be allowed to get long or it will form the ear, and when it does the impluse to grow is weakened. It is not generally known, perhaps, that rye furnishes an excellent pasture for milch cows, providing they are not allowed to stay on it for a longer period than two hours after the morning milking They will eat enough to last them till noon in a couple of hours. They should have other food in the after noon, or the rye will affect the milk adversely. But if managed as described the milk obtained will be excellent, and also abundant. And one of the grand features about rye as a pasture is the fact that another crop may follow it after it has been eaten off. But rye for pasture is less valuable on clay soils, as the tramping of hoofs in the early spring would make the land hard and cloddy.—Farming for August.

Heavy Artillery

Lieutenant Derby of U. S. Army tells this:

"One of our Western forts was in command of a major of artillery who was constantly lamenting that his favorite arm could not be more frequently used against the Indians. Finally one day he took one of the small howitzers which defended the fort, and had it securely strapped to the back of an army mule, with the muzzle projecting over the animal's tail. With this novel gun carriage he proceeded with the captain and a sergeant to a bluff on the bank of the Missouri, *near which was encamped a band of friendly indians.* The gun was duly loaded and primed, the fuse inserted, and the mule backed to the edge of the bluff. The major remarking something about *the moral effect the exhibition was likely to produce upon our indian allies*, stepped forward and applied a match to the fuse.

The curiosity of the mule was aroused. He jerked his head around to see what was fizzing on his back, and the next second his feet were bunched together and he was making forty revolutions a minute, while the gun was threatening everything within a radius of half a mile. The captain shinned up the only available tree. The sergeant threw himself flat on the ground and tried to dig a hole with his bayonet to crawl into, while the fat major rolled over and over, alternately invoking the protection of Providence and cursing the mule. Finally the explosion came, the ball went through the roof of the fort and the recoil of the gun and the wild leap of the terrified mule carried both over the bluff to a safe anchorage in the river. The discomfited party returned sadly to the fort.

Shortly after, the chief of the Indians appeared and announced briefly, "*Injun go home.*"

Questioned as to why, he thus explained: "Injun ver' brave; help white man. Injun use gun, use bow arrow, use knife; but when white man *fire off whole jackass, Injun no understand.*—Treasure Trove.

The Unknown Minister

An incident has lately been republished, that happened in connection with the Brick Church, founded in the little town of Salem, New York, in 1769, and the account appears in the local history written by Miss H. W. Williams.

The Rev. Samuel Tomb was installed pastor of this church in 1806. For eighteen years he labored faithfully with little apparent result. The old members were dying out of the church, and there were none ready to take their places.

The minister was almost in despair. He could not endure the thought that this old and honored church should dwindle until its life and very name were gone.

At this critical time a dusty traveller found his way to Salem. He came on a Saturday night, tired, unknown, and promptly interduced himself to the minister of the place. The stranger explained that there were no religious services in the town whither he had intended to go, and so he had travelled out of his way that he might not be without the Word of God on the Sabbath.

This Christian devotion appealed to the disheartened pastor, and before the evening was over he had confided his troubles to the stranger, and had asked him to preach the next day. This invitation the unknown clergyman accepted.

As usual, the old people came to church the next morning from a listless sense of duty, and the younger people, if any came, were prepared to be bored; but before the new minister had spoken ten minutes, every one in the house was attentive. When the sermon came to an end—and history relates that its strange text was taken from Job 1:3—there was great excitement in the staid congregation. That night the church was crowded to its utmost capacity. People came from a great distance to hear the new truth—or rather, the old truth told in a new way.

After service the travelling minister asked the elders to remain. These he catechized as if they had been children. "How long have you been a church-member? How long an elder? What is your religious state of mind? What real work are you doing for the Master? Do you hold neighborhood prayer-meeting? Do you ever hold religions conversation with people who are indifferent to the claims of religion? If not, why not?"

At the end of these searching questions, which, though expressed in the ecclesiastical phraseology of the times, were direct and impressive, the unknown clergyman exacted of the elders and leading women of the church a promise to lead an active Christian life, and not leave all religious work to the worn-out minister.

That Sunday was the beginning of a notable religious awakening. The unknown minister, whose burning words saved a community from spiritual decay, never visited the town again. Even his name has been forgotten, but his work remains. It is imperishable.

Such history as this has repeated itself over and over again. Nations have had their unknown heroes, and hearts their unknown angels. Drowsy and apathetic souls need a special warning; and if it comes by a messenger unannounced and unfamed, divine wisdom knows the reason why. None can better afford to be forgotton by men than those who work for God. —*Youths' Companion.*

The Provincial Bureau of Forestry

The question of forest preservation is one which is at present receiving attention in all civilized countries. The disasters resulting from excessive destruction of forest vegetation in the shape of floods, droughts and injurious changes of climate have forced the subject upon public consideration. Our own province of Ontario has not been behindhand in this regard, and for some years special efforts have been made to educate the public as to the evils caused by recklessly destroying the woodlands. The report of Mr. Thomas Southworth, Clerk of Forestry for Ontario, for the year 1896, just issued, will be read with interest by the increasing number of people who desire to obtain the latest and most accurate information as to forestry matters. It comprises a general review of the progress and present position of the science of forestry, and after giving an account of some of its more important developments abroad, deals at length with the problem in Ontario. Mr. Southworth strongly advocates the policy of establishing forest reserves as has been already done in the case of Algonquin Park, urging that if this were followed up by setting aside other extensive areas of the Crown domain unfit for agriculture, and due care were taken to prevent the ravages of fire, the supply of timber would be maintained in perpetuity. A considerable portion of the report is devoted to forest restoration and tree planting in the older portion of Ontario, much information being afforded as to the best varieties of trees for the purpose, and the kinds of timber most in demand for manufacturing purposes. Special articles on the cultivation and economic value of some of our native forest trees are contributed by Mr. A. Kirkwood of the Crown Lands department, a recognized authority on the subject. There is also an interesting description of Algonquin Park, with an excellent map, furnished by Mr. T. M. Gibson, secretary for Parks. The report contains much that will be found of practical value to the farming community, and ought to be widely distributed. Any applicant can obtain a free copy by forwarding his name and address to Mr. Thos. Southwork, Clerk of Forestry, Parliament buildings, Toronto.

Mr. James Hudson, of Bentinck, met with a very painful accident last Thursday morning. It appears he was leading an unruly cow and his thumb caught in a loop of the rope and was pulled off at the first joint, together with a piece of tendon almost a foot in length.—Hanover Post.

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Flour	$3 80	to	$4 40
Oats	18	to	18
Peas	45	to	45
Butter	10	to	10
Eggs, fresh	8	to	8
Potatoes bag	20	to	25
Pork	4 50	to	4 50
Hay per ton	10 00	to	11 00
Hides	4 00	to	5 00
Sheepskins	25	to	50
Geese	5	to	5
Turkeys	7	to	7
Chickens per pair	20	to	25
Ducks per pair	40	to	50
Wool	17	to	20

TIME TABLE

GOING SOUTH.

Markdale—6.40 a. m.	4.40 p. m.
Flesherton—6.53 a. m.	4.53 p. m.

GOING NORTH.

Flesherton—11.48 a. m.	9.17 p. m.
Markdale—12.04 p. m.	9.30 p. m.

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