MUST STAY WITH YOUR BID

After bidding on an article at a farm auction sale the purchaser cannot change his mind. This, in effect, was the ruling of Judge Thomson in the Division Court at Whitby recently. Edgar Storey sued Chris Yakely for the price of a potato digger which had been sold by auction to Yakely at the sale of the farmer named Thompson. The auctioneer "knocked down" the digger to Yakely for $40. It was revealed later that the digger belongs to Storey, not Thompson, thef ormer having a quantity of goods in the sale, including the potato digger. Yakely never took the article off the place and Storey asked for judgment for the sale price of $40. Yakely held that the digger was not a good one, but His Honor held that such sales were held without warranty being given and gave judgment in full. On the witness stand the auctioneer said this was his first sale in 27 years that had been challenged. —Walkerton Times.

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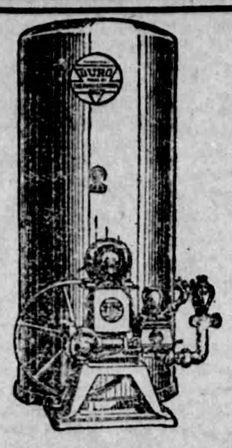

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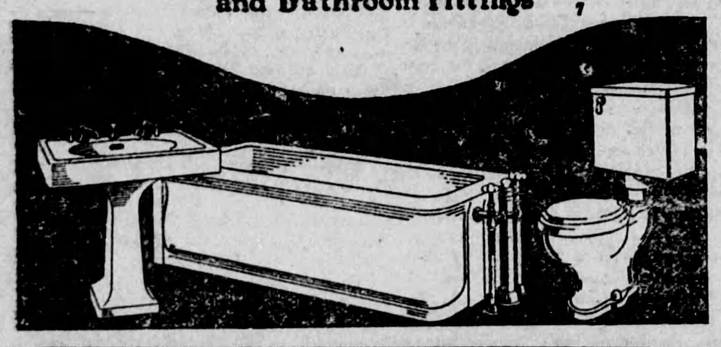

Lit Match At Gas Tank

A match around a gasoline tank is a dangerous thing. This was again demonstrated in town one evening last week when a young man came to town with an old car, and parked it on the side street at D. McKillop's hardware store. When it came time to return home he opened the gas tank to see if there was enough for the trip and to aid him inl his exploration he lit a match and held it close. Needless to say there was an explosion and a hurri d call was despatched to the firemen and fire apparatus at McTavish's garage and in a few moments the conflagration was extinguished by the chemical engine.

The car was able to proceed home with only a burned top. It will likely be some time before this young man will again light a match to view the inside of a gas tank.

TELLING THINGS THAT ARE NOT TRUE

If you are continually making statements that are not true, even though your intention is to be honest, you earn a reputation for unresponsibility that is a serious handicap. Some of you young people overhear something, seize upon a single statement separated from the rest, and spread abroad that which you think you know. You are highly indignant when caled to account. You have only repeated what you heard, but you did not hear enough. Others among you hear inaccurately You repeat another's statement without stopping to verify your impression, and you get them all wrong. Frequently you do a serious injury to the one you are claiming to quote, even in the end, you yourselves are the chief sufferers. "That's the way I understood it.", is not a suficient excuse. Before you repeat something another has said, you should know that you are repeating it correctly. However honest your intention, if you are continually saying things that are not so, your reputation will hardly be more enviable than that of the confirmed liar.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Mr. Henry Howard returned from Toronto on Wednesday, where he has spent the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Pinder were in Toronto this week attending the graduation exercises of their daughter, Miss Gladys, on Tuesday Gla' has been training at Grace Hospiltal, and her many friends here are pleased to hear of her success.

Dr. W. D. Bryce, L. D. S., D. D. S. dental surgeon, graduate of University of Toronto. Gas Administered for extraction. Office at the residence of Dr. E. C. Murray, Toronto street, Flesherton.

Col. Dougal Carmichael, ex M.P.P., of Collingwood township, was injured recently when the tractor he was operating, overturned, pinning him underneath. He was released by two young boys, who were passing at the time.

Oratorical Contest

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These are serious for they have bothered the governments and nations and are at resent under the consideration of the League of Nations.

The farmer has to consider the best plants for his soil, the best fertilizer and the best ways to fight the various insects and diseases which attack his grain and stock. He must plan crop rotation so that his soil is not drained of any one constituent; but his greatest task is to make his farming pay a dividend which will give him a living wage, so that he may buy the comforts, yes, and the little luxuries which will make his home more pleasant and enable him to keep his children on the farm.

In some communities the former problems are quite serious, but fortunately for the farmers in this district, the Ontario Agricultural College is close and it is one of the best colleges of its kind in the world, attracting, not only Canadian students, but also foreign ones. The O. A. C., as it is fondly called, advises the farmer on the best stock to raise and the best grain to grow and gives advice on all those problems which are so necessary to farm life; but it does not get to the bottom of things and explain why there are so many vacant farm buildings in the province. Nor does it tell the farmer how to keep his boys on the farm. That problem lies in himself, but not in himself either. He is an individualist in production, but it is necessary that he co-operate with his neighbors and that his neighbors co-operate with other groups of neighbors, before he will be entirely able to eliminate the middle-man and add the middle-man's profit onto his own all-too-small income.

That, friends, is the solution of the farmers' great problem: co-operation. He must co-operate with his fellows in regard to the quality of goods grown, too: for only the first-class products yield the first-class price.

Then he must have control of the supply, so that everyone will not ship their cattle into the stock yards at the same time, but so rate the movement of stock that, thouvh there is never a shortage, there is never a glut on the market, for this, in itself, causes a great drop in prices.

For example — let us take eggs. During the winter months of December, January and February the hens do not lay many eggs and prices soar to as high as 75 and 80 cents a dozen. Shortly after this period the hens begin laying and immediately drop to 35, 30 or even as low as 25 cents. A good Co-operative Egg producers' association would not allow this great difference in price They would control the flow of eggs; never let too many eggs get on the market and never too few, so that there would be an even price all the year round. The surplus eggs of the spring, summer and fall could be stored in cold storage and sold in the winter. This would be a boom to both the consumer and the buyer. And could not this be done as well in other commodities, too: in butter, cheese, stock and grain? Yes, it could.

First of all it would require a close study of other co-operative associations in foreign countries, notably United States, Denmark and Holland. Then it would require a closer study of the individual requirements of each particular commodity and district, and then the choosing of a suitable person to manage the association. It would not do for a business man, nor a manufacturer, nor much less a politician, to take the position, but it needs a farmer who knows farmers and farm life, and , fortunately, Ontario is well supplied with intelligent levelheaded business thinking farmers. They showed it nine years ago, when they took over the biggest business in Ontario—the task of governing it, and for four years carried on in a way greatly creditable to the farmers of Ontario.

If these things were begun I see no reason why they would not relieve the farmer of a great deal of his present difficulties, for remember, "great things come from small beginings." These ideas are not mine alone, but they are ideas voiced by the leaders of Ontario, Canada and the United States, where very serious cases of farm problems have been met and conquered in this way.

If a decent wage were paid to the farmer could he not obtain those little comforts which make home so pleasant, and could he not keep his sons and daughters on the soil with ease and scoff at the unhealthy life of the cities, where the laborers are but slaves when compared to his own free life? Could we not, like Robert W. Service, say:

This is the law of the farmer, and
ever he makes it plain,
Send not your foolish and feeble, send
me your strong and your sane,
Strong for the red rage of battle. sane
forl I harry them sore·
Send me men, girt for combat. men
who are grit to the core;
Swift as the panther in triumph, fierce
as the bear in defeat;
Sired of a bull dog parent, steeled in
the furnace heat;
Send me the best of your breeding,
send me your chosen ones,
Them will I take to my bosom, them
will I call my sons.
Them will I gild with my treasures,
them will I glut with my meat;
But the others—the misfits—the failures— I trample them under my
feet.

The flapper called at the hospital the day following the accident.

"I want to see the young man who was injured in the auto wreck last night," she asked.

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