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NO ONE TO BLAME!

Has the futility of the modern coroner's jury ever impressed itself on your mind? Of late years we have felt more than ever the necessity for a change in the status of such a jury, by which non-interested parties only could serve upon it. We have seen numerous cases where justice was defeated by the fact that interested persons have composed the jury, and notwithstanding absolute certainty of guilt, the verdict has been "No one to blame." Possibly most of our readers could point out similar cases. In higher courts an interested juror is not acceptable and is never chosen. The law with regard to coroner's juries should be remodelled. Where the actions of one or two parties are questioned and decided as to guilt or otherwise by a coroner's jury, there should absolutely be no sympathetic interest for either of the parties on the part of such jury or any member thereof.

THE QUESTION OF SPEED

A fatal accident which occurred near Flesherton last week is said to have been caused by the lust for speed. It is also acknowledged, we are told, by one of the survivors, that the car was travelling as it went over the top of the hill, at a speed of 55 miles an hour! Probably it hit 60 as it neared the spot where it left the road, went to the ditch and jumped through the air for 28 feet before it struck terra firma. Two of the men were thrown forty feet. This would certainly go to prove that car was travelling quite as fast as claimed for it, or faster.

It is hard to conceive of a man so reckless as the person who was driving this car.

During the past summer there have been over thirty accidents within a radius of a few miles of Flesherton, embracing three fatalities, and many of them nearly fatal.

There should be more drastic action taken by the Department of Highways and offenders punished more severely, especially the speeders. The writer has done a good deal of travelling during the past summer, and has never yet been on the road when cars did not pass him at from 50 to 60 miles an hour. Commercial travellers appear to us to be the greatest sinners in this regard. The Highways Department seems to have ceased checking up on the speeders. They should return to the job.

If the death rate from speeding continues it may be necessary to pass a law prohibiting the manufacture of cars capable of travelling at more than the legal rate of travel. That day should be speeded. We are travelling at too fast a gait.

EDITORIAL NOTES

There will not be any sudden turn to better times. It will only come by hard work and consistent pulling ahead by all.

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It is rather disquieting to learn from more than one Headmaster that the increased attendance in high schools and collegiates this fall is traceable, not to increased desire for scholastic knowledge, but to the fact that many youths have been unable to find employment in walks of life ordinarily open. Their parents have therefore sent him back to school in the hope that something congenial to their tastes may turn up before next year's crop of high school graduates are turned out. The outlook is not at all promising. In the meantime, pupils should bear in mind that one can hardly know too much if education acquired is practical.

Josiah Cooper Dies

Death came suddenly to Josiah Cooper on Saturday morning last at his home on the 1th line, Artemesia, while resting in his chair. Deceased was a bachelor and in his 75th year and resided with his sister, Catherine, and broter, Thomas. The remains were brought to Bennett's undertaking parlors and service was held on Monday afternoon, Rev. Pherrill of Markdale officiating. Interment took place in Markdale cemetery, Eugenia L.O.L., of which the deceased was a member for many years, conducting their burial service at the grave.

Western Relief Appeal Made by United Church

At the morning service in St. John's United Church the minister, Rev. W. J. Scott, spoke upon the situation which the West is facing today and made a strong appeal for help from the people of the East.

Taking as his text Acts 11: 28-30 "Agabus signified by the Spirit that there should be great dearth throughout all the world, which came to pass . . . . Then the disciples, every man according to his ability, determined to send relief unto the brethren which dwelt in Judea, which also they did and sent it to the elders by the hands of Barnabus and Saul." Mr. Scott stated that in doing this the little church at Antioch in Syria had set an example for all time to the Church of Jesus Christ. It was a playing chruch, so we are told, and a learing church; but it was also an actively sympathetic church and a condition of deed gave it a fine opportunity for the expression of a fundamental Christian Spirit.

Mr. Scott also stated that what was reported here as happening throughout all the world is something that appears to occur periodically. Sometimes it is only a country or two that is sorely afflicted. We have had appeals for help from Indian or China or Asia Minor in the past. Again it is more widespread and the depression and distress seems to leave few countries untouched. Such a time the world is now passing through again, when millions of men are unable to obtain work and the margin, for many, between life and death becomes narrowed down to a very little thing; when all economic systems appear futile to stem the tide of financial depression and on every hand one hears the eappeal of real need

These are stern days and the speaker went on to say that the Church of Jesus Christ has come into the world for stern days. If there is any time she is needed and needed badly it is in just such times. Her message is a two-fold one. She is interested in all conditions that affect human living and she must therefore on the one hand have something to say about righteousness as between class and class and man and man. She must sternly and unhesitatingly denounce thes ins f avarice and greed and lust that war against the best interests of life.

But her message, on the other hand is also without question a message of COMFORT, a word of hope to the discouraged and the suffering and the down-trodden. "Comfort ye! Comfort ye my people saith your God." Its message of comfort is taken in the strong sense of that word's liberal meaning, "with strength." In every real and practical sense it must come with strength to people. THE CHURCH OF CHRIST ACCEPTS IT AS HER CHALLENGE AND HER OPPORTUNITY.

And specifically today, we in Eastern Canada must take note of

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Checkerboard Display And Feeding Economy

The Purina Checkerboard Feeds were again displayed at Flesherton Fair held on Saturday, by their local dealer, Mr. Jas. Stewart.

A feature of their display was records and photographs of hogs raised by local feeders on Pig Chow along with their home grain. Mr. Wes. Smith's record was displayed as was another record just completed by Mr. Thomas Sled, Flesherton.

Mr. Herrington, County Rep. of Purina Mills, who was assisting Mr. Stewart for the day, stated that Mr. Sled's record was the best he ever recorded. Mr. Sled fed 9 pigs 130 days raising them from an average of 20 lbs. each to 209 lbs. each. The feed consumed amounted to 2,750 lb. of oat and barley chops and 495 lb. Pig Chow for a total cost of $44.60. Or $2.62 to make 100 pounds pork. Even at the present low price of pork Mr. Sled demonstrated it is possible to make a handsome profit by proper feeding along with good stock.

Another feature at the Purina display was a guessing contest as to the age of a pair of Production Barred Rock pullets raised and fed on Purina feeds by Mr. Reg. Boyd.

Incidently their parents were also fed on Purina feeds as Mr. Boyd purchased the chicks from Wes Armstrong, who has real quality production stock that have produced some high records.

Miss Marian Collinson won the prize offered for nearest guess to age of pullets. She guessed 165 days and they were 164 days. They were hatched on April 8 and started to lay Aug. 14 or in 4 mos. and 6 days and at time of fair were 164 days old.

Large Stock Exhibit At Flesherton Fair

Flesherton fair was blessed with fine weather and a fairly large crowd was in attendance. This year the outside exhibits were the best they have been for years, especially among the horses and cattle. Some fine horses were shown in the ring, some coming from a considerable distance, but the local steeds made just as good a showing as the distant visitors.

Jas. Pickett of Durham took first prize for Heavy Draught team with Cliff Hutchinson of Markdale second, W. A. Weber of Markdale also taking three prizes in this class. John McDermid won from S. Batchelor of Proton and Harry Baker of Vandeleur in the agricultural team the remainder of the class being fairly well distributed.

Thos. Cornfield of Meaford won in the general purpose team and also the best animal. The carriage horse class was well filled with A. McDougald of Walters Falls taking honors with his team and also 1st and 2nd prizes as single driver.

Frank Taylor and Thos. Wilson of Markdale took 1st and 2nd prizes in the Roadster class teams with J. J. Fryfogle of Wingham third. However Mr. Fryfogle came back and won first with his single driver and also best animal. W. McFadden and Cecil Chard showed their ponies, the former taking both prizes.

There was a large exhibit of cattle, the best in years and F. Taylor of Markdale, J. I. Graham and Sons of Vandeleur, Batty Bros. of Meaford and H. Patton of Flesherton divided the home in the Shorthorn class Jerseys were exhibited by H. Radley of Flesherton, J. J. Stephenson of Varney, Russell Ellis of Kimberley, Batty Bros., H. McCauley and S. Sutton of town. Polled Angus cattle were shown by Percy Sims of Markdale and Herb Corbett of Proton. Henry Eckhardt had his fine herd of Hereford cattle on exhibit and F. Boland of Vandeleur also had a few animals in the ring in this class.

The main exhibits in sheep were Ernest Fleming of Tara and Batty Bros. of Meaford with the Shropshires, Jos. Connell of Palmerston and Russell Ellis of Kimberley with Oxford Down sheep. H. Radley took most of the prizes in Berkshires with Sam Alton of Lucknow also showing. Alton also won most of the prizes in Yorkshires with R. J. Morrison and Geo. Ross of Maxwell and A. Sparks of Flesherton divided the other prizes. Tamworth breeds were represented by S. Alton and Geo. Ross.

The chicken show this year was very good, W. D. Connor and Mark Wilson of Durham taking most of the prizes with their fine birds, some of which had won prizes at the C.N.E.

The hall exhibit this year was exceptionally good, with the exception of ladies' work and domestic science, which were lower in entries. Fruit, vegetables and field roots were never better, with a large exhibit and all of wonderful quality. Alf. Down displayed his Philco, De Forest Crosley and Rogers radios in the hall and E. J. Bennett also had an exhibit of furniture.

The receipts at the gate were $80 less than last year amounting to $266. and receipts from the two concerts was $172.65, a drop of only $29 from last year. Altogether the President, Howard Graham, and the directors are pleased with the outcome of the day, considering the times.

Two concerts were given by the Flesherton Dramatic Club with their play "When a Feller Needs a Friend" and the hall was well filled on both occasions. It is a three act play and from beginning to end held the audience with roars of laughter. It is the best play of the season and already the Club has received invitations to present it at other points.

Thirteen horses were present for the three trials of speed under the auspices of the Flesherton Driving Club. Ross Smith of Flesherton took first place with his horse Kenny: G. Hillgartner of Hanover won the 2.18 class with Derby Dan and Sid Hodgins of Lucan took first place in the 2.28 with Charlie Wilkes, with T. Genoe's Dempsey second and General Foch, owned by G. McLeod of Owen Sound third.

Judges: Mark Wilson and K. P. McIntyre; Timers: G. B. Welton and H. Freeman; starter: W. W. Trimble.

The school children marched from the market square to the grounds, with only two schools competing. Ceylon school with its drum and mouth organ band and, natily attired, took first place and Flesherton second.

HORSES

Heavy Draught— 2 year old gelding or filly, Cliff Hutchinson, Wm. Acheson; Team—Jas. Pickett, Cliff Hutchinson; One year old—W. A. Weber, C. Watson; Brood mare with foal—Jas. Pickett, W. A. Weber; Spring foal—Pickett, Weber; Best annimal—Pickett.

AGRICULTURAL — Team—John McDermid, Sam Batchelor, Harry Baker; 2 year old—Harvey Cornfield, Ernie Ellison; 1 year old—Phillip, Harrison; Brood mare—Sam Batchelor, Joyce Porteous; Spring foal—Jas. Pickett, Thos. Cornfield; Best animal—John McDermid.

GENERAL PURPOSE — Team—Thos. Cornfield, J. B. Thibaudeau, Robt. Jackson; 2 year old—Roger Gilchrist, Ernie Harvey; 1 year old—J. B. Thibaudeau; Brood mare—Harry Akins, G. B. Welton; Spring foal—Harry Akins, H. Tucker; Best animal—Thos. Cronfield.

CARRIAGE — Team—A. McDougald, Fred Dinsmore, C. Watson; 2 year old—Harry Baker; 1 year old—P. Harrison 1 & 2; Brood mare—H. Akins, P. Harrison; Spring foal—H. Akins, G. B. Welton; Best animal—A. McDougald; Single driver—A. McDougald 1 & 2.

ROADSTER — Team—Frank Taylor, Thos. Wilson, J. J. Fryfogle; 2 year old—G. B. Welton, H. Akins; Brood mare—Dr. Milne, W. I. Henry; Spring foal—Dr. Milne, W. I. Henry; Single driver—J. J. Fryfogle, F. Taylor, Thos. Wilson; Best animal—J. J. Fryfogle.

PONIES — Single driver—W. McFadden, Cecil Chard; Boy rider—W. McFadden, Cecil Chard.

SPECIALS — Best farm team—Jos. Pickett; Best mare and foal—Jos. Pickett; Lady driver—J. J. Fryfogle.

CATTLE

SHORTHORN — Bull—F. Taylor; Bull calf—F. Taylor 1 & 2; Cow—J. I. Graham and Sons 1 & 2; 2 year old—J. I. Graham and Sons 1 & 2; 1 year old—F. Taylor, H. Patton; Heifer calf—Batty Bros., Taylor; Best Herd—Taylor; Best bull—Taylor.

JERSEY — Bull—H. Radley, J. J. Stephenson; Bull calf—Batty Bros., Stephenson; Cow—Batty Bros., H. A. McCauley; 2 year old—Russell Ellis, Batty Bros., 1 year old—Batty Bros., Stephenson; Heifer calf—Stephenson, S. Sutton; Best herd—Batty Bros.; Best Bull—H. Radley.

POLLED ANGUS — Bull—P. Sims, H. Corbett; Bull calf—Sims, Corbett; Cow—Sims, Corbett; 1 year heifer—Corbett; Heifer calf—Sims; Best Herd—Sims; Best bull—Sims.

HOLSTEIN — Cow—H. Baker 1 & 2; Heifer calf—H. Baker 1 & 2.

HEREFORD — Bull—F. Boland; Bull calf— H. Eckhardt 1 & 2; Cow—H. Eckhardt 1 & 2; 1 year old—Eckhardt, Boland; Heifer calf—Eckhardt Boland; Best Herd—Eckhardt; Best Bull—Boland.

BEEF GRADES— 1 year steer—F. Stuart; J. I. Graham and Sons; 1 year old heifer—F. Stuart, H. Patton; Cow—Andrew Morrison, F. Stuart; 2 year old heifer—S. Croft, G. I. Graham; 2 year old steer—F. Stuart, H. Radley; Heifer calf—Mrs. Boyd, Sam Croft.

DAIRY GRADES — Cow—J. I. Graham and Sons, T. H. Wilson; 2 year old heifer—Mrs. Boyd 1 & 2; 1 year old heifer—Mrs. Boyd 1 & 2; Heifer calf—J. I. Graham & Sons;

SPECIALS — Best 4 steers—F. Stuart; Beef steer—F. Stuart; Best calf—Batty Bros., S. Sutton.

SHEEP

LEICESTER — All prizes to Robt. Chard.

SHROPSHIRE — Ram aged—E. Fleming, Batty Bros.; Ram Shearling—Batty Bros. E. Fleming; Ram Lamb—Batty Bros. 1 & 2; Aged ewe—E. Fleming 1 & 2; Shearling Ewe—Batty Bros. 1 & 2; Ewe Lamb—Batty Bros., E. Fleming; Best Pen—Batty Bros., E. Fleming.

OXFORD DOWN — Ram aged—Jas. Connell, R. Ellis; Ram shearling—R. Ellis 1 & 2; Ram lamb—Connell, Ellis; Aged Ewe—Connell, Ellis; Shearling Ewe—Connell, Ellis; Ewe lamb—Connell, Ellis.

SPECIAL — Market lamb—Batty Bros.

SWINE

BERKSHIRE — Boar—H. Radley; 1931 Boar—Sam Alton; Sow aged—Radley; Sow 1931—Radley; Sow pig over 1 year—Radley, Alton; Pen—Radley.

YORKSHIRE — Boar aged—R. J. Morrison, A. Sparks; Yearling Boar—S. Alton, Geo. Ross; Boar pig, 1931,—S. Alton, Geo. Ross; Sow aged—S. Alton, R. J. Morrison; Sow pig, 1931—S. Alton 1 & 2 Sow pig over 1—S Alton, R. J. Morrison; Pen—S. Alton, R. J. Morrison; Grade sow—C. Watson, H. Radley.

TAMWORTH — Boar aged—S. Alton, Geo. Ross; Boar yearling—Geo. Ross, S. Alton; Sow aged—Geo. Ross, S. Alton; Sow pig 1931—Ross, Alton; Sow pig over 1 year—Alton; Pen—Alton, Ross.

SPECIAL — Best Boar—Sam Alton.

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Census taken by police revealed 658 blind pigs in Detroit. An ardent dry avers that if that's all they could count it's the police who are blind and not the pigs.

Upturn on The Way

Well-founded optimism was expressed by Mr. W. G. Weaver, Research Director for General Motors Corporation, when he spoke at the Automotive Day luncheon, Canadian National Exhibition. He explained that, from data gathered, it appeared evident that the motor car business had run in cycles of three years, a period of sales in excess of normal demands, being followed by a period of lower demands and sales. Thus the peak year of 1920 had been followed by a curtailment of turnover in 1921. The same had occurred in 1930, following the peak for all time in motor sales in 1929. He felt that though 1932 might not reach the volume of 1929, there would be a decided stimulus, because many of the car purchasers of 1929 would be considering whether to drive their car for four years or turn it over for a new one. Three years was the average length of time for people to run a car without turning it in, he said.

WEEKLY CROP REPORT

Some fall wheat has been sown but more moisture is required to make conditions ideal in most districts. Fall plowing has made excellent progress throughout the province. Fruits are plentiful this year, with a large crop of grapes and a bumper harvest of apples. The bean crop is proving better than anticipated. The tobacco crop, an exceptionally heavy one, is practically all in. The root crop is very promising.

FARM BOYS' AND GIRLS' WORK

A toal of 157,312 boys and girls in the rural districts of Ontario come within the scope of organizations conducted under jurisdiction of the department, according to figures compiled by R. S. Duncan, Director of Representatives. A total of 581 school fairs account for 129,336 boys and girls; Junior Farmers and Junior Institutes embrace 23,029 boys and girls between 16 and 20, while 238 Boys' and Girls' Clubs take care of 4917 boys and girls between 12 and 20. During the past year the following clubs have been in operation: 23 calf clubs, 30 potato clubs, 15 grain clubs, 13 swine clubs, 100 home garden and canning clubs, and 32 sheep clubs. These clubs have done a very important work in directing the activities of boys and girls on the farm and in creating among them a new interest in farm work.

Fall Fair Dates

Bolton	October 2, 3
Chatsworth	October 8, 9
Chesley	Sept. 24, 25
Clarksburg	Sept. 22, 23
Collingwood	Sept. 23-26
Dundalk	Sept. 29, 30
FEVERSHAM	OCT 1-2
Grand Valley	Oct. 6 and 7
Holstein	Sept. 29, 30
Kilsyth	Sept. 30, Oct. 1
Markdale	October 6, 7
Ottawa (Central Canada)	Aug. 24-29
Owen Sound	October 1-3
Paisley	Sept. 29, 30
Rocklyn	October 13, 14
Walters Falls	Sept. 29, 30

FLOUR & FEED

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Small Advts.

LOST — In Flesherton on Monday, Sept. 21, man's heavy silver cased watch. Finder please return to Wm. Hales, Flesherton.

LOST — In Flesherton man's ring with Masonic emblem, valued as keepsake. Finder please leave with John McMillan, Flesherton.

For Sale

FOR SALE — Two good breeding, registered Hereford bulls, one 10 mos. old, the other 2 years old. H. A. Tucker, Ceylon, Phone 22r24.

FOR SALE — A quantity of pine and spruce indh lumber. — John Stewart, phone 44r3, Flesherton.

FOR SALE — A large quantity of fine quality onions.—Jos. Buchanan, Flesherton, Phone 73 r 23.

FOR SALE — Jersey heifer 2 yrs. old, due to freshen this month.—O. W. Phillips, Flesherton.

FOR SALE — Good 100 acre farm, lot 38, con. 5, Artemesia, good state of cultivation.—Thos. Taylor, Flesherton.

FOR SALE — Purebred Leicester ram, 3 years old, also purebred bull calf.— Laurie Pedlar, phone 42 r 3, Flesherton.

FOR SALE — 11 small pigs and sow. — Harold Fenwick, Eugenia, Phone 7-41 Feversham.

FOR SALE — Contens of a chopping mill, consisting of choppers, rollers and all machinery that goes to operate a mill. Will sell all machinery together or separate. All in good state of repair. Apply to Wm. Taylor, R. R. 1, Markdale, Phone 613 r 4, Durham.

FOR SALE — Matched team black Percheron horses, aged 8 and 9 years, and one black Percheron mare aged 9 years, guaranteed sound and right; also Ford half ton trailer. — W. J. W. Armstrong, Flesherton.

Miscellaneous

WANTED— Cedar poles 35 feet by 7 in. also poles 40 ft. by 7 in.—W. J. W. Armstrong, Flesherton.

FARM FOR SALE

150 acre farm for sale or rent on shares, lots 165-66-67, 3rd range S. W. T. & S. R., Artemesia.— John Hogarth, Proton Station.

BOAR FOR SERVICE

Registered Yorkshire Boar for service by Flesherton Bacon Hog Club, the property of the Ontario Department of Agriculture.
—C. STEWART, Caretaker.

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