Looking Forward
into 1947

MANY GOODS IN SHORT SUPPLY, BUT WE FEEL HOPEFUL

We list below a few of the many items we have on hand:

HORSE BLANKETS

Heavy jute, well lined, large size $3.95
Heavy duck, well lined, large size $5.75
Single Harness, set $25 Double Harness, set $29.50 and up
Halters, Bridles, Horse Collars, L.S. and regular $5.00 and up
We carry a good stock of Harness and Parts

Ranges Circulators Heaters
CLARE JEWEL RANGES with shelf or warming closet.
PRINCESS PAT RANGE with warming closet.
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Radios Electric Irons Toasters Hot Plates
We carry a variety of styles and makes to suit your taste and also your pocket book.

BUSH SUPPLIES

We carry a large stok of leading manufacturers:
xes Crosscut Saws Swede Saws Sets Gauges Files
Wedges Blades Hand-made Axe Handles

FARM MACHINERY

e have both electric and hand power Cream Separators in stock. Today we offer you one of the best buys in a cream separator on the market. They are one of the closest skimmers, stand up well, easy to turn and easy to clean. They not only shorty pay for themselves, but they save first on the initial cost. Ask the man who usesthem.

550-600 lb. capacity electric $118.50; hand power $79.50
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Beatty Pumps Pressure Systems Pump Jacks
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J. M. STAFFORD

Hardware Roofing Cement Feed Farm Machinery
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12th LINE, OSPREY

We are happy to report that Mr. Alex. Maxwell is much improved by his treatments in Durham, and was at his home here for the week end He intends to take more treatments.

Donald Wilson is slowly improving from having his knee injured in the bush by a falling tree, which came back over the stump while they were cutting logs for Mr. Hapgood.

Beverley McKenzie has come home from helping his brother, Neil, truck wood for Short Bros.

Miss Shirley Maxwell, teacher at Union School, No. 16 Collingwood, was home to see her father over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil McKenzie and two boys of Collingwood visited with the former's parents on Sunday. Mr. McKenzie has accepted a contract with the Department of Highways with his truck.

Earl Maxwell is very busy at present logging at Rob Roy. He bought a piece of bush from Mr. Angus Bell of Poplar Heights.

Mr. Ken Dobson was a caller on our line over the week end. He has been working for Collingwood Twp. running their maintainer.

People are all very happy over the mild weather we are having, as it is a grand thing for the water supply. The wells were very low and neighbors were drawing water in barrels as far as half a mile.

Bert Sanderson has the contract to take out logs for Mr. Hapgood and is busy with a gang of men.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor McKenzie and Barry visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Badgerow, 10th line.

We are glad to report that Mrs. John Dobson is still improving in health since her stroke suffered some time ago. She is over 84 years of age and does most of her own work.

The bulldozer from Collingwood, owned by W. L. Hamilton & Son, is doing good work in the vicinity, opening the roads for cars and trucks, so that people can ship their stock to market.

ROCK MILLS

The thaw has taken the snow down so much that the ground is bare in places. It is impossible to draw logs with sleighs on the highway until we get more snow.

Misses Ruby and Eunice Dobson of Owen Sound spent the week end at their home.

Mr. Walter Russell was a patient in Markdale hospital for a few days, but is now at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wilfred Best, Flesherton.

Mrs. Mary Laughlin is visiting at present with friends near Feversham.

Messrs. Mannie Dobson, Ed. Croft, Bill McMaster, Frank Betts, Dick Clark and Bob Clark took in the boxing show in Owen Sound Thursday night.

A number of our local sportsmen enjoyed a rabbit hunt on Saturday and were successful in bagging a large number of jacks and one fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Betts and Mrs. McMullen visited with Mrs. Andrew Fawcett, who is a patient in Markdale hospital.

Mr. Findlay Laughlin visited on Monday with Feversham friends.

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AND
CREAM OF WEST
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$2.50 per bag

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F. J. THURSTON, Editor

Apprenticeship Agreement Needed To Learn Trade

We give below an Agreement of Apprenticeship entered into by Thos. McClocklin, father of the late Mrs. Mark Wilson of Flesherton, on the Island of Jersey, when he was a young boy, in order to learn the trade of stone mason and bricklayer. Thos. McClocklin built the Flesherton town hall and many homes throughout this district. The original copy of the agreement is in the possession of Mrs. Chas. McClocklin of Glenelg Centre and is highly prized. Following is the agreement, including the old English spelling prevalent at that time:-

THIS INDENTURE witneffeth, that Thomas McClocklin, fon of John McClocklin of the Island of Jersey, with the consent of his father, doth put himfelf apprentice to William Hinchcliffe of St. Helen's in the said Island of Jersey, stone mason, to learn his Art, and with him (after the manner of an apprentice) to ferve, from the date hereafter, until the full end and term of Seven Years, from then next following, to be fully complete and ended. During which Term, the faid apprentice, his faid Master faithfully fhall ferve, his Secrets keep, his lawful Command ever gladly do. He fhall do no damage to his faid Mafter, nor fee it to Power fhall let, or forthwith give warning to his faid Mafter of the fame. He fhall not wafte the goods of hif faid Mafter, nor lend thef unlawfully to any. He fhall not commit Fornication, nor contract Matrimony within the faid Term. He fhall not play at Cards, Dice, Tablef, or any other unlawful gamef, whereby his faid Mafter may have any loff. With his own goods or otherf, during the faid term, without license of hif faid Mafter, he fhall neithr buy nor fell. He fhall not haunt Taverns or Playhoufef, nor abfent himfelf from hif faid Mafter's fervice day or night unlawfully. But in all Things, af a faithful Apprentice, he fhall behave himfelf towardf hif faid Mafter, and all hif, during faid Term. And the faid Mafter fhall touch, or caufe it to be done to hif faid Aprentice, the Art of a Stone Mafon which he ufeth, by the beft meanf that he can, fhall teach and infruct, or caufe to be taught and infructed; finding unto hif faid Apprentice during the faid term, af followf, viz: for the firft and fecond yearf of hif faid apprenticefhip, six fhillingf per week, for the third year eight fhillingf per week, for the fourth year nine fhillingf per week, for the fifth year ten fhillingf per week, for fixth eleven fhillingf per week, and for the feventh and laft year thirteen fhillingf per week in full for every other confideration whatever.

And, for the true performance of all and every the faid Covenantf and Agreementf, either of the faid Parties bindeth himfelf unto the other by thefe Prefentf. In witneff whereof, the Partief above named to these Indenturef interchangeably have fet their Handf and Sealf, the Seventeenth Day of January, 1811, in the fifty-firft year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord GEORGE the Third by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, and in the Year of our Lord One Thoufand Eight Hundred and Eleven, and it if further covenanted between the faid partief that in fase of death to the faid William Hinchcliffe within the faid term of Seven yearf, this Indenture to be put over to his brother, Jofeph Hinchcliffe, whereby the faid Thomaf McClocklin may juft and lawfully ferve hif full term of Seven yearf.

THOMAS McCLOCKLIN
WM. HINCHCLIFFE

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THE MIXING BOWL

BY Anne Allan
HYDRO HOME ECONOMIST

Hello, Homemakers! What kind of breakfast should you have? A substantial breakfast or none at all. This is not a question to be answered by "now everybody has been fed and is off for the day, guess I should go shopping right away." Nor is the answer to be found in "I must reduce."

It has been proven that good health is maintained by a substantial meal at the begining of the day. And this is true every day of the year, summer or winter. Breakfast should account for at least one-fourth of the protein and one-fourth of the vitamins and minerals required daily.

Some people have developed the habit of omitting breakfast in an effort to lose weight, but that is the wrong way to reduce. Their energy would be maintained at a more even keel if they divided the food they eat among three meals a day rather than two. Planning a well-balanced diet with three meals a day is not a difficult task if a few simple principles are followed. But with only two meals there is a danger of omitting some of the important foods which furnish the much-needed vitamins, minerals and proteins.

Breakfast can be planned from five items, namely, fruit, an egg, cereal or toast, butter or jam and beverage, which means milk for children. During conservation of wheat products, serve either cereal or toast, but not both. Even this economical meal will be well-balanced and hearty.

In many ways your body is like the engine in your car. It takes fuel in the form of food and transforms it into energy, the energy wtih which you accomplish your day's work. It is just as reasonable to expect your car to start on an empty tank as to suppose your body can furnish energy for the morning's activities without proper food.

A good breakfast can work wonders in the way you feel. Try it and see how much it adds to your contentment and the ease with which you perform your forenoon tasks.

For a happy, healthy start on the day's activities, serve breakfasts like these:

(1) Half grapefruit or orange
Bran flakes with milk
French toast
Milk or hot beverage

(2) Prunes or orange juice
Poached egg on toast
Muffin and jam
Cocoa or milk

(3) Baked apple
Oatmeal porridge and raisins
Milk or coffee

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THE QUESTION BOX

Mrs. N. K. says: Why do the new soap substitutes lose their suds action quickly and make the water look so dirty?

Answer: The suds of the washing compound disappear as the materials dissolve in the water. The compounds do not hide the dirt in the solution as the soap-suds do.

Mrs. J. M. says: What is meant by the inclusion of a detergent in the washing compound?

Answer: It should mean that more borax or washing soda has been added to dissolve grease and oil. A small quantity of a detergent on materials goes a long way — so you should not use it as lavishly as soap.

Mrs. J. T. asks: How can you tell if a new washing compound contains an alkiline detergent? Is it true that you should not wash wool and nylon in such a compound?

Answer: You can recognize it by the slippery feel it gives to the water solution and by the failure to make standing suds. Alkaline products tend to destroy animal fibres so it is not wise to wash good wools and pastel-colored clothes in this solution.

Mrs. T. M. asks: Will crickets in our clothes closet eventually die without doing any harm?

Answer: A cricket's chirp indoors is a signal to start taking action because they eat holes in clothes. Provide other food such as a teaspoon of oatmeal or piece of apple on which you have sprinkled DDT powder.

Wisdom is better than rubies and all the things that may be desired are not to be compared with her.

British Government moves to dispossess inefficient farmers. Over here it is done by foreclosing mortgages.

Business Change

Having sold my Barber Business to Mr. Russell Andrews, due to ill health, I wish to extend to all my friends and customers my sincere appreciation for the patronage afforded me during my thirty-seven years in business.

May I solicit your continued patronage and good-will for Mr. Andrews.

T. J. FISHER

Barber Shop OPENING

I will be opening the former T. J. Fisher barber shop on Monday, Feb. 3rd. It is my aim to give first-class satisfaction in all lines of the barbering trade.

R. S. ANDREWS

BARBERING PRICES
IN FLESHERTON SHOPS

Effective February 3, 1947

Gent's Hair Trim	40c	Massage	35c
Child's Hair Trim under 12 years	25c	Shampoo	35c
Shave	25c	Razor Honed	35c
		Hair Singed	15c
		Head Rub	15c

Shops close at 10 p.m. Wednesday and Saturday

RUSSELL ANDREWS H. MILLIGAN

F. T. EGENER APPOINTED GREY COUNTY SHERIFF

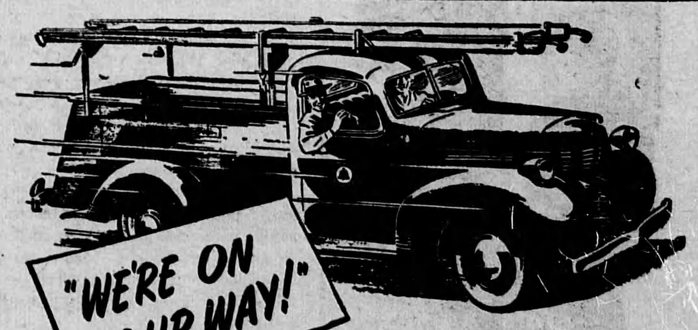
Frederick T. Egener, Owen Sound barrister, has been appointed sheriff of Grey County. Mr. Egener succeeds T. J. Rutherford, recently resigned. As well as being sheriff, Mr. Egener will hold the position of local registrar of the Supreme Court, clerk of the County Court and registrar of the County Surogate Court.

Filmy lingerie peps up morals, says controller. Not for the man who has to pay for it.

Canada has an Arctic fringe, says geographer. And how it fringes up in January — icicles they call 'em.

Mother — "Why Vernon, are you spitting in the fish bowl?"

Vernon—"No, Ma, but I'm coming pretty close."



. . . WITH THE biggest construction programme in our history. It will provide the rural telephone equipment which could not be installed during the war.

RURAL TELEPHONE HIGHLIGHTS FOR 1946

TELEPHONES . . . Over 12,000 new rural telephones were added, bringing the Company total to 100,000.

LINES . . . Nearly 1,100 new rural telephone lines were built to provide for still more telephones with fewer parties on each line.

SWITCHBOARDS . . . Six exchanges and 2,000 telephones were changed from magnetic (crank) operation to the modern "common battery" system as used in many large cities. It is planned to change over 20 more exchanges and some 6,000 telephones in 1947.

CALLS . . . Efficiently and courteously, more operators completed more local and long distance calls than ever before.

Our $5,000,000 rural construction programme is being pushed at top speed so that you may continue to have the best telephone service at the lowest cost.

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