Want Ads.

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TO LET

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WANTED

Wanted—Cook, general—$25.00 a month—Good home, summer spent on lake at Oakville. — 66 Forest Hill Road, Toronto.

Wanted—A young girl able to milk and do light housework. Apply to John Buskin, R.R. No. 2, Markdale, or phone 59-2. 91-2*

FOR SALE

For Sale—Brick house and lot at Wodehouse. R. J. McAfee, R.R. 2, Markdale. 89-92*

For Sale—1 heavy horse, about 1400 pounds. First class worker. —H. Knott.

For Sale—12 young pigs. Phone 852-3 or address R. 2, Markdale. Chas. Merrifield.

For Sale—A 2½ h.p. International gasoline engine, at Elliott's Implement Warerooms, Markdale.

For Sale.— Three good work horses, 7 and 9 years old, and a pony rising 3 years. R. G. Noble, Markdale.

For Sale—Limited quantity of choice red clover seed, also can spare two more good young horses. J. W. Davis & Sons, R. 4, Markdale. 89-92*

Farm for Sale—Lots 88 and 89, in Markdale. This farm is in high state of cultivation, all seeded except 15 acres. Will be sold at a bargain at once. Richard McKennitt, Markdale. 89-91

TEACHER WANTED

Teacher Wanted.— For Cherry Grove, S.S. No. 15, Euphrasia, holding first or second class certificate. Protestant. Duties to commence after Easter holidays. State salary expected. Apply to G. W. Cooper, R. 3, Markdale. 90-2

FOR SALE OR RENT

Farm to Rent— For term of years, lot 28, con. 7, Glenelg, about 85 acres, 25 plowed. P. J. Sullivan, Irish Lake, R. 1, Markdale. 89-91*

Farm for Sale of Rent.— Fifty acres in Markdale suburbs, one mile out, on Toronto line, all under cultivation. Jake Holley, Markdale.

For Sale or Rent—210 acres, 3 miles from Berkeley. Well fenced, watered and good bank barn, and comfortable house.— Geo. McKennitt, Markdale. 91-4*

Farm for Sale or Rent.—Lot 141 142, third range, W.T.S.R., Artemesia, 100 acres, good buildings, brick house, good orchard, well watered, 20 to 25 acres plowed. Apply to R. J. Sproule, Flesherton. 88-91*

For Sale or Rent—Lot No. 21, in block "A", in the Village of Markdale, consisting of 2 acres of land, with a good house, stable and orchard on same, town water and sidewalk to front of lot. For terms apply to Miss Christena Matthews, R. R. No. 4, Chatsworth, or to P. McCullough, Barrister, Markdale, Ontario. 89tf

Farm for Sale or Rent—118 acres one mile from Dundalk, in good state of cultivation, 100 acres cleared, small house and barn, also 29 acres in the village of Dundalk, 6 roomed house, barn and nice orchard. For further information apply to Chas. McConnell, owner, 169 Arthur St., Toronto, or to Isaac Traynor, Dundalk, Ontario. 87-90*

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders Wanted.— Tenders will be received by the undersigned up till 12 o'clock noon Tuesday, April 10th, for the several trades required in the erection and completion of a school house at Eugenia, School Section No. 13, Artemesia. Plans may be seen at the residence of the undersigned, also at Forster & Clarks, Architects office, 887 Second Ave East, Owen Sound. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. — Jonathan Latimer, Secretary-Treasurer, Eugenia. 90-1

To City, Town and Village Dwellers in Ontario

A Vegetable Garden for Every Home

IN this year of supreme effort Britain and her armies must have ample supplies of food, and Canada is the great source upon which they rely. Everyone with a few square feet of ground can contribute to victory by growing vegetables.

Four Patriotic Reasons for Growing Vegetables

1. It saves money that you would otherwise spend for vegetables.
2. It helps to lower the "High cost of living."
3. It helps to enlarge the urgently needed surplus of produce for export.
4. Growing your own vegetables saves labor of others whose effort is needed for other vital war work.

The Department of Agriculture will help you

The Ontario Department of Agriculture appeals to Horticultural Societies to devote at least one evening meeting to the subject of vegetable growing; manufacturers, labor unions, lodges, school boards, etc., are invited to actively encourage home gardening. Let the slogan for 1917 be, "A vegetable garden for every home."

Organizations are requested to arrange for instructive talks by practical gardeners on the subject of vegetable growing. In cases where it is impossible to secure suitable local speakers, the Department of Agriculture will, on request, send a suitable man.

The demand for speakers will be great. The number of available experts being limited, the Department urgently requests that arrangements for meetings be made at once; if local speakers cannot be secured, send applications promptly.

The Department suggests the formation of local organizations to stimulate the work by offering prizes for best vegetable gardens. It is prepared to assist in any possible way any organization that may be conducting a campaign for vegetable production on vacant lots. It will do so by sending speakers, or by supplying expert advice in the field.

To any one interested, the Department of Agriculture will send literature giving instructions about implements necessary and methods of preparing the ground and cultivating the crop. A plan of a vegetable garden indicating suitable crops to grow, best varieties and their arrangement in the garden, will be sent free of charge to any address.

Write for Poultry Bulletin

Hens are inexpensive to keep, and you will be highly repaid in fresh eggs. Write for free bulletin which tells how to keep hens.

Address letters to "Vegetable Campaign," Department of Agriculture, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

Ontario Department of Agriculture

W. H. Hearst, Minister of Agriculture

Parliament Buildings Toronto 10

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British Sniper Has Upper Hand

There is no doubt about it.—when the war was young the German sniper stood alone. He was first and the rest nowhere. Every "Tommy" who felt a bullet crack near him was sure it was a sniper. The fame of the enemy sharp-shooter grew apace, and wonderful tales of his prowess were told. The thing got on the men's nerves. Sentries saw snipers in trees, in No Man's Land, in chimneys, etc. To give the Devil his due the Hun was proficient. And he knew it, too. The same careful attention to detail that characterized all the German scheme of preparedness was in evidence. The game was studied—as the lawyer would say—with malice aforethought. Consequently, we had reason to fear the man about whom it has been written, "Oh, who is he who shoots from trees, from sunken hides, and oftimes sees, a slug for him come o'er the breeze.— the sniper."

But we have learned our lesson. And, as always, we have paid, paid, paid. To-day the British sniper holds the trump card. I think it is well within the mark to say that this knowledge has been of inestimable benefit to our boys. Let men have the conviction that in any arm of the service superiority has been established and the effect on "morale" is tremendous. What was it but this feeling of "top dog" that enabled the ranks to carry on in the face of great obstacles at the Somme?

The snipers are picked men. Ability to shoot is not everything. Initiative and aptitude count for much. A sniper should "dote on his job—he must be keen. A sergeant sniper, who has the fever for his work, said, that he never took a man into the section on his range record only. "Give me a man with an appetite for Huns"—was the way he put it. Human targets—that's it, sir.

If one walks through a billet era, where men have a few days rest from the trenches, one may meet up with a little group carrying, in addition to service equipment, an assortment of leather cases and "alien" paraphernalia. The rifles may excite comment. They are of all sorts and makes—Long Lee-Enfields, Ross, some with Winchesters and some with the ordinary arm. Each man will have his reason for believing he has the best rifle in the world.

Space and conditions will not permit me to recount my experiences, but will mention a couple, true to my knowledge, having happened on our immediate front. When we "took over" at "X" the German snipers had been very active. A certain portion of the line was in bad shape, and despite warnings a number of the boys had been "picked off." The sergeant had us put in "posts" on each side of the dangerous spot. We fired at everything in sight. The Hun "came back," but we fired clip after clip. Twenty-two periscopes were smashed in three days. The enemy tried hard to retain superiority of fire. Our lads were determined to obtain mastery, and we "stuck it," even though shots came perilously close, and perseverance won. When we were relieved the "Fritzie" sniper was "non est."

An Imperial told me this story: "We were in the trenches at——. It was winter time, and snow covered the ground. A sniper had very effectively played on our line. We had tried to locate him, but his post was well concealed. The enemy parapet was searched for those signs which an experienced sniper notes with care. We watched for the smoke of his rifle. We examined closely any suspicious arrangement of sand-bags, indicating the presence of a loop-hole. But we were worried. Frankly, the officer commanding was asked 'why in — we didn't stop that sniper.' One day we happened to notice a slight discoloration of the snow in front of the Parados at M-6, B-14, O-22. This spot was watched, and sure enough the sniper was there. He had by skilful arrangement concealed the post, but he had forgotten to take into account the effect of the gas and smoke of his rifle on the snow. That sniper was stalked, and as the Imperial told me, there was one Bosche less then, and another months afterwards.

Rather a ludicrous experience came to us at ——. 'Fritz' had three or four loop-holes in close proximity on his parapet. We saw the little trap in one open and a rifle-barrel protrude. Here was luck. Our rifles were tuned up and two shots went 'whang' into his loop-hool. I am not sure but we went clean through the opening. But this Hun was nervy. Apparently he had not been hit, but what did the chap do but go along to the next loop-hole and bang one across at us. We followed up and "rang the plate," as the boys say. The fun grew fast and furious. Fritz hastened down the trench and opening another loop-hole, sent one blindly. We were right after him—whang, went our bullet on the plate. 'Poor Fritz,' he was out of luck. We were invisible and he got desperate. His impotency exasperated him, and at last his temper got the upper hand. We saw the barrel of his rifle come over the parapet. But it was pointed skyward. He knew better than to expose himself. Bang, Bang, Bang spoke his 'Mauser.' 'Poor Ole Fritz,' he couldn't shoot at us; so he vented his spleen on God's pure air. I laughed boisterously. It was a sight for a pessimist. I think I could rather like that 'Hun.' He got so dang mad, and so soon over it. We never saw him again.

Stanley Rutledge,
28th Battalion

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VANDELEUR

(Intended for last week.)

The first thunderstorm of the season passed over this community on Friday evening of last week.

Maple syrup making has commenced in this neighborhood. J. I. Graham and Sons have over one thousand trees tapped.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bowles' little daughter, who has been ill with pneumonia, is recovering.

Mr. Chas. Holley was in Owen Sound last week.

Court Vandeleur C.O.F. met on Thursday evening of last week. Mr. Tenant was present and explained

The Women's Institute met at the home of the President, Mrs. Lundy Johnston, Thursday of last week. Papers were read by Mrs. H. D. McLoughry and Mrs. A. Wyville; also a number of interesting letters from our soldier boy, Pte. Jimmie White, were read by the Secretary. The members are all knitting for the soldiers, and anyone wishing to help in this way or give to the yarn fund may communicate with the Secretary, Miss E. Cullis. The Institute is thankful to non members who have contributed in this manner, among them being Mrs. Wm. Summers, Sr., who has knitted eight pairs of sox. A petition asking for Dominion Prohibition was signed and sent to Mr. Ben H. Spence to be forwarded to the Senate and House of Commons. A large number of members and visitors were present and a pleasant and profitable time was spent.

Mr. B. W. Loverin, of Brockville, was the guest of Mr. Frank Davis recently.

Miss Lillian Buchanan returned home on Monday, after spending the winter at McDonald College, Guelph.

Single copies of The Standard, five cents.

Mortgage Sale

Of Valuable Farm Lands.

Will be sold by public auction on SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 1917.

Under power of sale contained in a mortgage, which will be produced at time of sale, at the hour of 1.30 p.m. at the Munshaw House, in the Village of Flesherton, in the County of Grey, the following farm property, formerly belonging to Mr. Robert Cooper, namely, lot 35 in the 13th concession, the E. E. half of lot 35, and the South-East quarter of lot 34 in the 14th concession, in the Twp. of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing 181 acres more or less, of which 140 acres are cleared. There is a frame dwelling, one and one-half storeys high, 18x24, and a log stable, together with a log barn and stable, and a log dwelling house. —Title perfect.—

Terms:— $200 on day of sale, $100 six months thereafter, and balance $50 a year at 7 per cent. interest. Privilege to pay any sum at any time.

For further particulars apply to R. J. SPROULE, Esq., Auctioneer, Flesherton, Ont.

Mortgage Sale

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain Mortgage which will be produced at the time of Sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction on Tuesday, the 24th day of April, 1917, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon at McLauchlan's hotel in the village of Ceylon, by B. H. Walden, Auctioneer, the following property, viz: All that certain parcel of land and premises situate lying and being in the Township of Artemesia in the County of Grey and being composed of the east half of lot Number Eight (8) and the whole of lot Number Nine (9) in the First concession North of the Durham Road in the Township of Artemesia and County of Grey aforesaid, containing Seventy-five (75) acres more or less. Saving and excepting thereout a strip of land one hundred (100) feet in width being fifty feet on each side of the centre line of the Walkerton and Lucknow Railway as the same is finally located across Lot Number Nine and the East half of Lot Number Eight—which strip contains Two and One-tenth acres more or less. On the farm are a frame house and barn.

TERMS:— 10 per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale, balance to be paid in 30 days thereafter.

For further particulars and conditions, apply to Lucas, Raney & Henry, Barristers, etc., Markdale, Ont., Solicitors for the Mortgagee, or to B. H. Walden, Auctioneer.

Dated at Markdale this 3rd day of April, 1917.

Advertise in The Standard.

Markdale High School Board

J. B. THIBAUDEAU, Secretary-Treasurer.

RECEIPTS

Jan. 1	Balance on hand	$ 211	15
April 14	S. J. Parker, County grant re pupils	203	40
" 22	T. Preston, school fees	140	00
May 19	Wm. Lucas, bal. Markdale taxes 1915	742	21
July 3	C. H. Sproule, Ontario Gov't. Grant	441	54
" 10	N. W. Campbell, exam. fees	35	00
" 11	T. Preston, school fees	133	00
" 11	T. Preston, entrance exam. fees	33	00
Aug. 15	S. J. Parker, County grant	441	54
Dec. 16	Glenelg Tp. taxes	235	93
" 21	Euphrasia Tp. tax	54	39
" 21	Markdale village, "	1255	00
" 25	T. Preston, school fees	183	00
" 28	Artemesia Tp. taxes	594	95
	Total Receipts	$ 4704	17

EXPENDITURES.

Thos. Preston, salary	$ 1420	00
Miss Switzer, salary	365	70
Miss Gray, salary	107	15
Miss Balfour, salary	320	00
Rich. English, coal	184	05
A. J. Edwards, caretaking	15	85
D. Lee, caretaking	25	00
J. Walton, caretaking	45	85
D. H. Wright, conducting exam. and expenses	51	70
N. W. Campbell, fees and expenses exams.	26	80
T. Preston, presiding at exams and exp.	31	80
Geo. M. Hendrie Co., equipment	54	28
F. T. Hill & Co., books and supplies	51	80
J. Lucas, chemicals	26	33
Minnis Bros., slabs	9	00
J. R. Dillon, repairs	11	00
Jas. Irwin, work on cess pool	14	62
W. C. Davis, calcimining and painting	45	00
Perkins & Mann, sup. and repairs	10	20
W. J. Purvis, glass and work on windows	6	60
C. W. Rutledge, stationery and supplies	8	15
R. L. Stephen, advertising acct.	8	10
R. G. Snell, material and plastering	5	00
Can. Typewriter Co., Ink, Stencil, etc.	3	60
Thos. Mann, repairing desks and locks	2	00
Pen Carbon M. Co., ink and S. Paper	1	60
Bell Tel. Co., acct.	1	65
R. W. Ennis, weighing coal	1	10
J. Thibaudeau, postage, stat'y, w. tax	3	71
	$ 2894	03
Balance on hand	$ 1810	39
	$ 4704	17

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

ASSETS

Cash on hand	$ 1810	39
School building	6000	00
Equipment	750	00
Due from Artemesia, bal. taxes		64
Due from Glenelg Tp., bal. taxes	27	34
	$ 8588	37

LIABILITIES

Debentures outstanding	$ 4968	75
Assets of Village in High School	3619	62

Markdale Hydro Electric Power Com.

ABSTRACT STATEMENT

RECEIPTS

Wiring, installation and supplies	$ 5146	50
Supplies	572	66
Residential Light	922	81
Commercial Light	972	28
Street Lighting	540	40
Power	35	76
Rural Power	11	84
Miscellaneous	791	87
Debenture	8900	50
	$ 18041	18

EXPENDITURE

Balance due Bank 1915	$ 705	28
Wages	1763	67
Supplies and Labor	3201	26
Power purchased	933	36
Hydro E.P.C. of Ontario	7600	00
Old Plant	2700	00
Miscellaneous	326	18
Debenture and Interest	741	99
	$ 17971	74
Balance on hand in bank	72	44
	$ 18044	18

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