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GLENELG COURT OF REVISION. 1919

The first sitting of the Court of Revision on the Assessment Roll for the Township of Gleneig for the year 1919 will be held in the Council room (at the house of John Mallasey) on SATURDAY the 31st day of MAY, '19 at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

All persons having business at said Court will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

99-01 JOHN F. BLACK, Clerk.

EUPHRASIA COURT OF REVISION. 1919

The first sitting of the Court of Revision on the Assessment Roll of the Township of Euphrasia for 1919 will be held in the Township Hall, on MONDAY, 22nd day of MAY, 1919, at Ten O'clock A.M.

All persons having business thereat will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Dated this 20th day of May, 1919.

N. L. CURRY, Clerk.

PRACTICE THRIFT

The present campaign for the sale of Thrift Stamps will undoubtedly accomplish more than the matter of stirring funds to aid the government in its abnormal expenditures which have been thrust upon it through the war. It will instil a spirit of thrift and saving upon the rising generation which have very salutary results. One who has not learned to save by the time he has come to the legal age of twenty-one, will never acquire the art, except by a strenuous struggle. The habit of living within the limit of one's wages is hard to shake off. No matter how little a young man or a young woman earns a part of it should be saved. Our banks and safe depositaries, our governments' Thrift Stamps are easily available; it is of infinite value to our future that we acquire the habit of saving.

[We are pleased to learn that Postmaster Plewes of Markdale stands at the head of the list in Grey County for the sale of these stamps.]

HIGH PRICES

A Little Discussion has Two Farmers

Two farmers were talking shop over the hotel table at noon to-day. Said one: "Mighty fine day. Reckon that with some more weather like this we'll catch up with that there section."

"Never saw the fall wheat lookin' better," cheerily chirped his vis-a-vis. "Shipped any stuff to Toronto lately?"

"None; they writ us not to send any along while this strike was on."

"Priddy high prices for hogs these days?"

"Yep, but we made more money out of 'em when prices was down."

NOT SO SELFISH.

It is understood that Mr. John Caehar is the agent referred to in the following article:

There are many who believe that all big corporations and industrial concerns only look to the material side of things and work machine-like for the production of wealth, regardless of the winter's snow and heeding of the summer's bloom. This is often an erroneous idea, for it is generally realized that man does not altogether live by offices and pens and papers and engines and other accoutrements of labor—he requires trees and shrubs and flowers and the loveliness of nature.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has always paid considerable attention to the development of garden plots along its lines. It is just thirty-seven years ago since a C.P.R. employee raised a few varieties of flower seeds in his own garden, and distributed them amongst his friends in the service of the company, with the object of promoting flower gardening at the various station plots of the railway. A vast advance has been made since then; and now the company possesses a Floral Department with headquarters at Windsor street Station, Montreal, and a Floral Committee which embraces members from the Eastern and Western lines. It is under the guidance of this department that the various station plots and other properties of the company are cleared up and beautified. Thousands of packages of flower seeds, bulbs, trees and shrubs, and large quantities of grass seeds and fertilizers have been distributed during the last few years to station agents, section foremen, caretakers of round houses, and all employees living on the property of the company. Travellers on the line observe the happy results achieved. The

HOW THE CANADIANS DID THEMSELVES A GOOD TURN.

When the people of Canada last year subscribed \$695,000,000 to the second Victory Loan they did a great thing for themselves and for the Dominion. They enabled Canada to make a splendid finish in the war, they kept busy the wheels of the country's industry, and made a first class personal investment.

On May 1st these Victory Bond holders drew their first interest return on these bonds in the form of \$18,000,000. Every province shared in this, from Prince Edward Island with \$85,000 up to Ontario with \$8,600,000. And this is only half of what these 1918 bonds will pay this year.

The 1,100,000 people who bought the bonds did not inflict on themselves any hardship in doing so. They did themselves a good turn, for the bonds are quoted three or four points above par. The money is absolutely safe, and it is enabling the bondholders to collect \$36,000,000 this year.

Will this amount be permanently saved? It will, if those who draw it put it into War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps. A War Savings Stamp is a miniature Victory Bond.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL

Committee met on May 3rd, members all present, the Reeve in the chair. Minutes read and signed. An account was received from P. F. McArthur for \$11 for taking T. Patton to House of Refuge.

By-Law No. 10 of 1919, to close certain streets in the town plot of Eugenia, was introduced and read the required number of times, and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Cameron — Batchelor — That the amount of credit of S. S. No. 9 be paid to the said school board.—Car.

Cameron — Batchelor — That the expenditures incurred in connection with sending Thomas Patton to the House of Refuge, amounting to \$11, be paid.—Carried.

Burnett — Mathewson — That the Reeve and committee or Div. 1 be a committee to examine ridges on 20 sideroad and sloping bridge on South Line, and they have full power to rebuild or repair the same as required.

ed.—Carried. Burnett — Mathewson — That the first meeting of the Court of Revision on Assessment Roll of 1919 be held at the Town Hall on Saturday, June 7th, 1919, at 10 o'clock a.m., and the Clerk advertise the same.—Car. After considerable round-table conversation as to repairs to roads and municipal affairs generally, the Council adjourned.—Advance.

HASTENING THE CORN CROP

The corn growers in the colder and more northern parts of Canada might find some advantage from the use of superphosphate as a fertilizer. Dr. F.T. Shutt, Dominion Chemist, points out in an article in The Agriculture Gazette for May, that one of the more important functions of a phosphoric acid fertilizer is to hasten maturity and expresses the view that an application of it will materially hasten the ripening of the corn crop, more especially in an adverse season. By this means the corn may reach the "glazing stage" before there is much risk from early autumn frost and the time for cutting has arrived. He suggests and application of 350 lbs. of superphosphate per acre broadcast or drilled in on prepared land before planting. In order that the effect might be noted, Dr. Shutt suggests that a strip alongside should be left untraced.

cultivation work is done in all cases by the employees themselves, who in most cases acquired the art of amateur gardening by taking their lessons from leaflets issued by the Floral Department. The best material is always provided. Amongst the varieties of trees supplied are: Maple, birch, beech, poplar and catalpa. Some of the shrubs are: Weigelia, berberies, laurel leaf willow and sumac. Perennials distributed are: Oriental poppies, iris, phlox, veronica, gaillardia, larkspur, columbine, sweet william, and pinks. Bedding plants used to include: geraniums, coleus, cannas, pansies, asters, verbenas, petunias, and castor oil plants. Standard seed packets sent out contain Nasturtiums, alyssum, mignonette, sweet peas, phlox and kochia. Ferns and house plants are given to the larger stations. The establishment and maintenance of the gardens and selection of the seeds, bulbs, and plants are supervised by Mr. E. M. Winnegar, forester of the company.

The encouraging influence of flower growing on the C.P.R. during the last thirty years has in a large measure assisted in the inauguration of floral societies all over the country. There are hundreds of C.P.R. officials connected with these societies, and most of them received their first lesson in flower culture at the C.P.R. flower beds. Flowers have improved the railway stations, and inspired by the beauty of the stations, residents of the towns have planted flowers and improved the appearances of their homes. In every division of the C.P.R. prizes are given every year for the best displays, and many of these amateur railway gardeners have tried their products with success against all comers at the big Canadian and American flower exhibitions.

THE WESTERN FAIR London, Ontario September 6th to 13th.

The management of the Exhibition, London, Ontario, is to be congratulated on having secured for the Midway attraction this year the famous Johnny J. Jones Exposition which is, without doubt, the greatest array of all-star feature attractions that has ever been seen, with any out-door Amusement enterprise. This Exposition includes about thirty shows and rides, all of which are of the very best quality. They will require over fifteen hundred feet of frontage to accommodate their shows. This will be something new and different from anything ever presented to Western Fair visitors. The platform attractions will be of a very high order, consisting of: Horse Acts, Trained Elephants, Trained Dogs, Monkeys and other animals, also some very high class platform acts, which will be announced later.

Prize lists, entry forms and all information regarding the Exhibition furnished on application to the Secretary, A. M. Hunt, General Offices, London, Ontario.

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Beyond reach of fire

PENILESS homeless, with his family almost stripped of clothing, thrown upon the charity of the community for their immediate needs, forced to start all over again. All in one night!

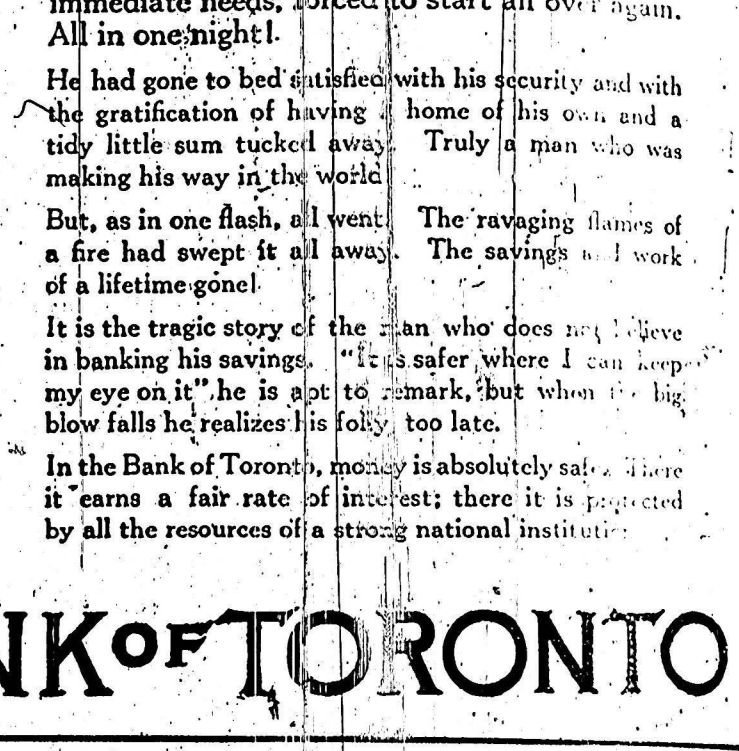
He had gone to bed satisfied with his security and with the gratification of having a home of his own and a tidy little sum tucked away. Truly a man who was making his way in the world.

But, as in one flash, all went. The ravaging flames of a fire had swept it all away. The savings and work of a lifetime gone!

It is the tragic story of the man who does not believe in banking his savings. "It is safer where I can keep my eye on it," he is apt to remark, "but when the big blow falls he realizes it is folly, too late."

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W. L. YOUNG
Manager
Markdale Branch



BEER DRINKING.

There seems to be a large number who do not know that the beer drinker seldom lives to be much over sixty years of age.

Beer drinkers drop off with what should have been mild and easily curable diseases. Even moderate beer-drinkers have a poorer chance of recovery, especially from blood poisoning and pneumonia that the total abstainer. The first organs to be attacked are the kidneys and then comes Bright's disease and dropsy, certain to be fatal.

Over thirty years ago a number of medical men began advising their patients that they had better leave beer alone and drink whiskey instead, and there are few reputable physicians who would not give the same advice to-day.

A few years ago Mr. J. H. Adams on behalf of the Baltimore Sun investigated the working of prohibition in some of the Southern States and he concluded that whiskey produces more violence than beer, but that beer decreases, much more than whiskey, the aggregate prosperity, happiness and efficiency of the community. He said, "the beer trade ten times more than the whiskey trade, produces the evils belonging to the sale of liquor as an institution."

The brewers are going to make a desperate effort to compel us to return to the old drunkard-making bar room. The friends of temperance must see that their names are on the voters' list and vote NO to everyone of the questions. Don't miss one or it will spoil your ballot.

H. Arnold, M.B., M.C.P.S.;
Department of Social Service.

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Mr. Geo. J. Ritchie, of the Standard a few days...

NOTICES re the sale of Standard office while they last.

The Hydro saved \$12,000 in seven months on supplies of \$63,277.

Mr. Frank Davis, of the his trunk barn on opposite Mrs. Jackson's...

Mr. Underland that is attending the war school for soldiers in the...

Mr. John McKay, of was in town on business and saw the Standard...

Mr. J. Dillon and Mr. G. H. Thibault, before...

Mr. Wm. Carter, of a local operation in the past three weeks...

Mr. Danahall, Director of the County of Grey, on the evening of July 17...

The Standard Express is a new line of the county and...

Mr. Stogdale making a visit to the Standard...

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