LONGSTREET-LANE - At the residence of the bride's parents, Limehouse, on Wednes-day, 20th March, 1916, by Roy. R. F. Cameron, Murray Clayton Longstreet, of Ballinafed, to Bachel Elma, daughter of Jonathan Lune.

Malt.-At Churchville, on Monday, April, 3rd, 1916, Levi Spencor Hall, in his 78th McDowkett-In Esquesing, on Monday

2nd April, 1016, James Mallowell, ages SHANKS-At Pettaplace, Man., on Tues-day, Biarch, 21st, 1916, Thomas Shanks, in his 74th year.

Warmin-In Equating, on Saturday, 1st April. 1916, Jennie Ogram, wife of Joh O. Watson, aged 20 years.

# The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, APRIL 6, 4016

#### EDITORIALNOTES

THE WINSTIEG CITY COUNCIL has passed a by-law adopting the "Daylight Saving Plan" to take effect on the fourth Sunday of April, when clocks will be advanced on hour and will remain one hour in advance of standard time until the third Bunday of September in each year. This will give an hour additional of sunlight in the evenings

THE DRAIN OF WAR conditions on sup plies in Canada is beginning to tell. Lonago, indeed, raw materials such as motals varus and clothe were influenced, but now new high records are being registered in meate and auger. Both these important week. As food products continue to be heavy it will be a long time before we have any material reduction in prices.

THE LEADING WOMEN of Paris, France, including society women, writers and suffragists, have this week commenced an en orgetic anti-alcohol crusade. They declare that a Lirge percentage of the ravages of death are due to intoxicating liquors, which constitute the greatest blight on the republic, and that it is necessary to start a reform for the uphuilding of France after

In His Asta Space on the Probibition Bill in the Lagislature on Tuesday, Hon Mr. Hearst, the Premier, declared that no secable man would claim that the probibition measure would eliminate drinking entirely. But the annual drink bill of the province weefrom \$30,000,000 to 10,000,000 and if the bill merely cuts this in half would still be a saving of ten million do lars after paying for all the expenditure on war purposes by Ontario to date.

THE POPULAR LINEL on commercial travelless that they want intoxicating liquors a botols was effectively sattled at a meeting of the Ontario Commercial Travellers' Association at London on Saturday. Object tion was taken to the impression which, it was claimed, has got abroad regarding the association's attitude on probibition. It Railway Company to remedy the mutter so was emphasized that the commercial travel lare are not in favor of a continuance of the present license system. "We want no liquor license, but we do want protection for the had been collected. travelling public and more particularly for commercial travellers," declared one offi-

Mrcs has been said of the way that the United States manufacturers and traders have been coining money out of the way It is refreshing to note that the United States is paying toll to British shippers to the extent of \$600,000,000 a year. Last year Britain's total shipping trade renowal northind by \$500,000,000. The trade langue that is in the way of being formed between Britain and her Allies and their THE Overseas Dominions in opposition to Ger many, to be put into effect when the war closes, will give British thipping immedi ate careing power of large proportions. Germany's submarine activity has done away with a good many British ships, but the 123 vessels taken from Germany alnos August, 1014, materially reduces the ne loss to Britain in ships and tonners.

#### A BONG FOR CANADIAN SOLDIERS Sent from Belgium by Pte. George Hynds, to His Vather, Heeve

Reeve Hynds received on Tuesday letter from ble son, I'ta. Gen. Hynds, which was enclosed the splendid pnem

A SONO FOR CANADIAN SOLDIERS . AND OTHERS

When my King and country call me and I'm wanted at the front. Where the shrapuel shells are bursting in the air : When the foe in fury charges and we're sent to bear the brunt,

And the roll is called for service-I'll le

When the roll is called for service-

When the Kulser's lines are broken and his armies out of France, When the Halgian desolations we repair When the final muster's ordered and the bugle sounds "Advance,"

May the God of Buttles help me to

Obords : When the roll is called for service-When the Allies march through Prussis with fee in full retreat, That our liserts he kept from Hatred

When the right of mind is suded in And the roll is called in Berlin-I'll be

When the roll is called for service-

When for me "Last Post" is sounded and ! order the slient ford,
I've a Pilot who of mino fields will be

When "Revelle" sounds in Heaven und the Armies of the Lord Blag the Hallelojsh Chorus-I'll be there.

When the roll is called up youder-

Pts. Hynds wrote that this way the popular song at the meeting in the Y.M.C. A. tent, which serves the Canadian soldiers which be attended on Bunday, March 12th.

-Mr. Robert W. Drolge, of Esquesing Township, has purchased a 100 farm from Mr. Harry Smith, being the west half of lot Institute will be held in the Council 12, in the 3rd concession of Esquesing Chamber on Friday, April 7th, at three Towaship. Hale was made by J. A. Wil. o'clock. An excellent programme has been

## MILL STREET TO BE IMPROVED

Contract lot for Heavy Coating of Macadam and Tarvia With Sharp Sand Finish

WORK SOON TO BE COMMENCED

At Itcovo Hynds' auggestion Mill Stroot a to receive some permanent improvement this spring, in connection with the county good roads aystom, which will put it in much botter condition. After a thorough scraping, such as was given last spring, coating of three to four inches of crushed stone will be put on and rolled with steam roller. Then a conting of hot turvis of honey body will be brushed in. After another rolling a top dressing of sharp sand

The contractor for the work in E. fi. Law, of Toronto, who has lad wide experionce in road building and has much satisfactory work to his credit. He filled contract at Oakville last summer which is highly spoken of by the officials of the

will be given and another rolling, will fel-

The matter of the contract came up at a joint meeting of the Council and leading citizons, who had been invited to discuss the matter with the Council, on Monday evening. It was the misnimous opinion hat the work should be undertaken and he contract was let next day.

Contractor Law will commonce opera tions within a few weeks and will rush the work through no as to interfere with traffic as little as possible. The cost of the work will be 55c. per square yant.

#### EVERY DOLLAR OF TAXES ARE Collector Harvey has Again won

Distinction of a Clean Shoot Conneil mot on Monday evening. Mer ore present : Geo. Hynds, Rosve : Alex. Bell, D. A. Hunderson, Charles E. Hulloy and W. H. Smith, Councillors.

The Committee on Finance presents their seventh report and recommends payment of accounts as follows : Wm. Reid, work at cometery. . . . 8 1. Vin. Ritchie, labor at comotory .

Buntin, Cillina & Co., flug for hall Bell Telephone Co., message .... The Committee's report was adopted.

Capt. Popplatt waited upon the Council

town hall and requested the use of the park The Captain also referred to the town all calls which he inspected and found to be in an unsanitary condition. He said might find it necessary at times to use the

cells whitewashed and to put in fron cots Permission was given the captain to proseed with the work suggested and for the

colls, and asked permission to have the

uso of the park. Mr. N. P. McLam complained that, ow ing to the cutting made by the Toronto Suburban It illuny at the creasing on Main Street, the drainoge had damaged the street and caused inconvenience to him and damage to his property.

The Council Instructed the Streets and Walks Committee to look into the matter and the clerk was instructed to write the far as they were concerned. Tax Collector John Hervey handed

in the roll for 1915, every dollar of which Moved by C. E. Ratley, seconded by W H. Smith, that the collector having returned the Collector's Rell, having collected all available taxes therein, the same be accept ed, and he berelieved from all responsibility n connection therewith. - Carried.

## NO OPPOSITION TO PROHIBITION

The Council then adjourned.

Premier Hearst Willing to Rest Hi Reputation by Boing the Right Thing Now

SECOND BEADING PASSED UNOPPOSED

The Ontario Prohibition Act passed second reading and prolonged applause from both shiles of the house on Tuesday night. For nearly six hours before that, spoukers from the opposition and from the government ranks had congratulated the premier on the stand he had taken and on the bill he had brought down.

Hon. W. H. Hearst blinsalf in a lengthy and fervid speech which his own supporters and those on the other side of politice alike agreed in regarding as one of the greatest he over had delivered, declared that I bringing down the bill he had done marely what appeared to him to be his duty, the he would have felt himself a traiter to his country, recreant to hisduty, if he falled to do so, though it should result in his political downfall as some of his best supporters had

prodicted that it would. . N. W. Rowell, leader of the opposition, expressed his hearty concurrence with the bill. Any augmentions that the opposition inight make would be entirely for the good of the bill and not from any dealer to obstruct the government.

## CREWSONS CORNERS

The farmers are busy making maple syrup and preparing for other spring work. Mr. Chas. Taylor, who has been visiting at Mr. Goorge Graham's the nest three works, returned to his home at Meringe, Sunk., last wook, taking a number of horses, which he purchased here with him. Mrs. Toylor and children will remain a few months longer visiting her parents. Mrs. W. Laird, and little neice, Miss Phyllis Gauton, Acton, visited at Mrs. Jav.

tiamble's a day last week. Miss Margaret Donnis, who has been with stomach trouble for several months, wont to the Ho-pital, Guelph, on Monday for troutmout. Her many friends here hope she may soon return completely re-

Miss Rhos Orewson is visiting Acton

Mr. and Mrs. Algor Cripps, who moved to Acton last fall, have returned here. Mr. und Mrs. Fred Crawson, Acton, visited friends here on Bunday. A rather disastrous fire occurred here

Haturday forenoon, 'About 11 o'clock Mr. Chas. Dingenan, who has the farm of W. E. Cripps, on the Epimoin side above the corners, rented, found the attie of the house was on fire. With the strong work what prevailing it was impossible cither to extinguish the fire or get out the furniture and offsets. Mr. Cripps had insurance of pillar, it is suggested, may be regarded \$300 on the building but Mr. Dingman had no insurance and even last his clothing. heavy from industry. The origin of the fire is unknown.

-The regular meeting of the Women's arninged. Everybody welcome

#### MASSAGAWEYA TOWNSHIP COUNCIL Accounts Passed at the March Moot-

ing last Wook The following secounts were passed the meeting of Nassagaweyn township

Connoil last wook Eramosa Township, town line ac-

. H. Potrie, per Board of Health uslinoh Township, townline agcount ..... Tames Hervice, repairing bridge.

T. If. Webb, goods supplied Mrs.
Deferest, by order of Board of Health.

olm Himpson, sanitary inspector. of men of Company A, 164th Batt., on Inspection ......

Arthur Transom was appointed pati master instead of James Hamilton, resign ed, Div. 52, and John Lister was appointed instead of George Cordon, resigned, Div The Roove and Mosers, Moffat

avostigate the cause of the water flowing over the Guelph road at lot 27. Council adjourned to meet on Monday May 20th, at 9.30 a.m. as a court revision and appeal and other business. JOHN MARBHALL, Clerk

irummet were appointed a Committee

#### A CURIOUS ANIMAL.

The Bes Cow Gave Hise to the Legen The dugong, or son cow, is a culiar animal. It recombles the fa miliar soal, but it has no hair on the body and is more nearly related to the porpolece and whales.

This animal is found on the shore of the Indian ocean, about lifteen de grees on each side of the equator, from East Africa to Australia, and also la the Red son. It is a marine animal which mover ascends the rivers, its food consisting chiefly of senweed and the algae found in the water. Years ago it was reported to have been found in large herds of several bandred in dividuals and to have been so fearles: as to allow fiself to be touched will the hand of man. In recent years however, it is met with only in twoand threes and has become very shy and wary. Its flesh has been regard ed as a delicacy, and it is stated that the Maley kings claim as royal proper ty all those taken within their domain Its habit of raising its round hear

out of the water and its great affect tion for its young, which it carries under the fore flu, are thought to have given rise to the legend of the mermaid, in allusion to which the name sirenta was given to this order of mammals. It is recorded that it was with the skin of the dugong, or sea cow, that the Jows were directed to voil the tabernacie and not with "budgor" uking, as translated in the nuthorized version of the Bible.-New

Posthumous Influence. The relations between man and man cease not with life. The dead leave bohind them their memory, their example and the effects of their actions. Their influence still abides with us: their names and character dwell in our thoughts and hearts; we live and com muno with them in their writings; we enjoy the benefits of their labors; our Institutions have been founded by thom; we are surrounded by the works of the daad; our knowledge and our arts are the fruits of their toll; our minds have been formed by their tustructions; we are most intimately connected with them by a thousand dependencies. Those whom we have lovid to life are still objects of our deepjet and hollest affections. Their pow-

ir over us remains.-Andrews Norton How to Free the Place of Rata. "When I was a boy our farm was tlive with rate," a contributor talls to

Parm and Pirelia. "We noticed the rate were eating the train and drinking the water of a siting hen in a corner of the barn. Bo when the han hatched and was movod we put strychnine in the water and the first night killed twenty-three rate ind the second nineteen.

"Besides this a good many more went away to die. The best way to get rid of rate is to make them acrustomed to drink at one place and than polson the water."

Natural Life. The legal phrase "natural life" to a port of a puzzle to some people, who wonder if the law recognizes any "unnatural life." It doos not, but the old common law did recognize un munatu ral death as well as a patural one When a man or woman takes the mounstic vow people still spank of it as "leaving the world." In mediaeval times that was considered a form of death, and the phrase "natural life" camo into use to describe un existence terminated by the grave, not by the convent or the abbey.-New York Mail.

The Clant Bible. There is in the Royal library at Blockholm among other curtosities a manuscript work known as the glant lible on account of its extraordinary dimensions. It measures 10 centimeters in length and to 50 centimeters in broadth-that is, about 25 by 10 Inches. It requires three men to lift it. There are 800 pages, but seven have been lost. The parchiment of which the book is composed required the skins of 100 asses. There are two columns on each page, and the book contains the Old and Now Testaments. with extracts from Josephus. The fulfial letters are illuminated. bluding to of oak, four and one-half centimaters to thickness.

When Fashione Lusted For Years. In times past n fashion lasted with alight modifications for yours. Much the same fushion continued through the long reign of Louis XIV, and another through that of Louis XV., while the ladies of the middle upos never thought of varying their costumes. As for the Greeks and the Itomuns, generation succeeded generation with littie change in female dress, and yet all these ladies of the past were more ur tistically dressed than those of today Many no doubt spent more than they could afford, but when they had a costly dress they kept it and did not throw it away to roplace it with un

other.-Loudon Truth. Delhi's fron Piller. pillar fifty foot blab and sixteen thehon in diameter, made of fifty pound blooms welded together This as the doyen among products of the

His Business "The dentist should make a good sol-

#### LIMEHOUSE

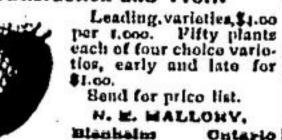
A somowhat ancient but interesting dood. ment in relation to Limehouse school staff came into the hands of your correspondent the other day. It was an agreement between the trustoon and Mlas Clara E. Holght who was engaged as assistant tonohor on January lat, 1880, at the salary of \$200 per annum, payable half yearly. The trustees who signed this agreement thirty-five yours ago were John Moore,

Thos. Shankent Pettaplece, Man., formerly of Limehouse, on 21st March. Mr. Hhanks was in his 74th year. He was born in Requesing and farmed in this township until he went to Manitola about thirteen years ago. He left two sons, John T., at home, and Robert, who is at the front in France fighting for his King, and country. On Wednesday afternoon, March 20th, a quiet wedding was celebrated at the home the wife of Mr. Murray Clayton Long. pastor of the bride, Rev. R. F. Cameron, and her travelling suit of copenhagen blue silk

parents over Bunday. Limithouse school has been closed for fow days, owing to the illuser of the toach or, Miss M. Bhaw, who is suffering from

second attack of la grippe. Mr. Wesley Lane, of Toronto, spent Sun day with his father, Mr. R. Lenc. Mr. Rox Polkinghorn, of Toronto, was

Mallory's Strawberry Plants for Satisfaction and Profit

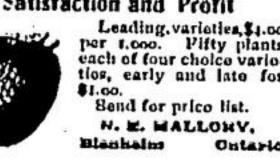


John Lindsay and Ears Bossey. Friends here have news of the death of of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Lune, when their only daughter, Rachel Elma, became

atreet, son Mr. and Mrs. Longstreet, Hallinstall. The ceremony was performed by the took place in the home. The bride was given away by her father. She was gowned in poplin with white hat and willow plumes. She carried a housest of carnations. The bridesmald, Miss Florence G. Scott, woren gown of Belgian blue, with hat to match and carried a bouquet of awest peas. The groomanian was Mr. James Longstreet, brother of the groom. The bridgl couple were the recipients of many beautiful presents. After a dainty wedding repast Mr. and Mrs. Longstreet left for Hamilton and other points to spend their honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy and Miss

Miss W. Ivens, of Toronto, visited her

home over Bunday. Despect sympathy from their many friends is extended to Mrs. Mollowell and camily in their sad toreavement, through the death of the husband and father.



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The Spring term in Shaw's Bustness Schools Toronto, from April 3rd merges into the summer term for July and August. Start now and be ready for position in Auturen. No vacatious. Pres catalogue. W. H. Shaw, Pres.

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TURBDAY, APRIL 11

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