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The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, MAY 18, 1916

BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS

—Things are growing fine now.

—Marriage licenses now cost five dollars.

—Most of the trees are well out in leaf now.

—This week commenced with another wet spell.

—Well! the rain is keeping the dust down, anyway.

—Victoria Day, next Wednesday, 24th, —a public holiday.

—Good morning! Have you renewed your Free Press subscription?

—The June meeting of the churches of Disciples of Christ will be held at Erin this year.

—Ingersoll has increased the Poll Tax from $1.00 to $3.00. Guelph has taken similar action.

—Two freight engines collided in the G. T. R. yards at Georgetown last Thursday evening with costly results.

—All the newspapers of Simcoe county decided last week to increase their subscription price to $1.50 per year.

—The sermon by Rev. Mr. Higginson at St. Alban's Church on Sunday evening was greatly enjoyed by the congregation.

—Single return fare rates over the railways for the twenty-fourth. Fare and a third going 23rd or 24th and returning 25th.

—Mr. J. R. Smith, of Silver Creek, has purchased the residence owned by Lieut. E. McAlister and moved to our village.—Erin Advocate.

—Two store windows were broken on Mill Street during the week by stones carelessly thrown. One of these was a large plate glass in Havill's store.

—The annual meeting of Guelph District will be held in the Norfolk Street Methodist Church, Guelph, on Monday and Tuesday, 22nd and 23rd insts.

—Mrs. James Thomas Luton, for the past seven years teacher of classics at the Collegiate Institute Guelph, died on Tuesday of an affection of the throat.

—Saxe and Ruhinoff have opened a wholesale cream dairy in Acton. Mr. Saxe will supply cream cans to farmers and will pay cash daily for all cream delivered.

—Rev. A. A. McLeod, who has spent twenty-six years as a missionary in India, preached in the Baptist Church last Sunday. His sermons were very able and were much enjoyed.

—An Order-in Council was approved by the Lieut. Governor at Toronto last week that Halton be paid $19,474.13, being one-third of the total expenditure on the county roads system in 1915.

—A union service of the U. P. and Boston Churches, Mansewood, will be held in Boston Church next Sunday, May 21st, at 11 a. m. Rev. R. M. Hickey, of the Reading Camp Association, will preach.

—An impressive service took place at Chalmers Presbyterian Church Guelph, Sunday morning, when a memorial tablet was unveiled in honor of the late Rev. Dr. Thomas Wardrope, the first pastor of the church.

—You may have cleaned up and painted up around the home, but isn't there something just as important that you have overlooked so far this spring? What about your cemetery plot? This should receive your attention now.

—Robert Simpson, Kilbride's oldest resident, died at his home in that village on Sunday, 7th, inst. Mr. Simpson was in his 87th year and had lived in Kilbride for about 60 years. For many years he supplied our citizens with prime honey.

—The provincial authorities are sending out officers to detect motorists who have not renewed their car licenses. Acton will probably be visited one of these days. The penalty for running with it license is $50 to $100, or three months in jail.

In travelling the road to success some people always want to cut across lots.

You never can tell. A man may be perfectly honest and still have a different umbrella every time it rains.

CHURCHILL

Mr. Wm. Watson certainly takes first place in this community for early potatoes this year. On Monday he gave his early potato crop their first hoeing. The plants are about three inches high. They are of the Irish Cobbler variety and were started in a greenhouse and planted the first week in April. The potato bugs are evidently as early as Mr. Watson's potatoes for they have already put in an appearance.

Most of the seeding is completed in this vicinity.

Mr. John Denney, who has been ill for several months, took a turn for the worse last week but has since recovered somewhat.

The roads are a long time drying up this spring and motorists don't like to navigate these parts very much yet.

HOW'S THIS?

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NEWS OF LOCAL IMPORT

Has Purchased Residence Here

Mr. A. Anderson, foreman of the Beardmore siidings of the G. T. R., has purchased from Mr. Thomas Workman the two-storey residence at the corner of Churchand Willow Streets. Mr. Anderson gets possession on June 1st.

The Way of the Transgressor

A. J. Horton, of the Globe Hotel, Erin, has conducted his hotel in such a manner that the Provincial License Commissioners will cancel his license at the end of the month. He is to come before them to-day and may be ordered to close his bar forthwith.

Methodist Choir and K O.B.C. Concert

The Choir and Kings Orderlies Bible Class will give a concert in the School Room of the Methodist Church on Tuesday, May 30th. Mr. A. T. Brown will give an illustrated lecture on the War. There will also be a good musical programme. Further announcement will be made later.

Transformers for Electric Railway

Two car loads of heavy machinery for the transformer station of the Toronto Suburban Railway at Guelph passed through Acton last week. Railway crossing signs were also distributed through town. It looks as if there might possibly be something doing some day on the line.

Takes No Chance of Missing

Mr. T. E. Gibbons, of Oxlow, Sask., in renewing his subscription last week said: "I take a number of papers but the Free Press is one which I cannot take any chances of missing a copy. The Twenty Years Ago column is now a most interesting feature to me, there always being something to bring memories of the old home and friends of long ago."

Officers of Intermediate League

At the annual meeting of the Intermediate Epworth League last week the following officers were elected:

President—Willie Stewart
1st. Vice Pres.—Hazel McBoazil
2nd. Vice Pres.—Helen Anderson
3rd. Vice Pres.—Sabra Nelson
Secretary—James Matthews
Ass't. Sec.—Ruby Jones
Pianist—Stella McLean
Asst. Pianist—Sabra Nelson

Baptist Church Has New Pastor

Rev. R. E. Jones, of Kincardine, has accepted the call to the Baptist Church and will commence his pastorate in Acton next Sunday. Mr. Jones has been at Kincardine for several years and has been a popular and successful pastor. Mrs. Jones and their baby daughter will probably accompany him to the new field this week. The congregation will cordially welcome their new pastor after being without a shepherd since the removal of Rev. Mr. Howorth seven months ago.

Our Busy Girls' Red Cross Club

The "For Our Wounded" Girls' Red Cross Club have made a shipment this week of 2,169 articles, including the following:

60 dozen Hospital Handkerchiefs
3 Scultetus
1,600 Mouth Wipes
200 Surgical Sponges
38 Ambulance Caps
4 dozen Small Pads
15 dozen Large Pads

These supplies go to the Army Medical Corps Aid Society.

K. O. Bible Class Officers

At the May meeting of the King's Orderlies Bible Class the officers for the year were elected as follows:

Hon. Pres.—Corp. John L. Moore
President—Earl Vincent
1st. Vice Pres.—W. R. E. Blair
Secretary—Martin Moffat.
Ass't. Sec.—Ninian Lindsay, Jr.
Treasurer—Neil McNabb
Historian—George Murray
Geographer—R. G. Brown
Teacher—Rev. H. W. Avison M. A., B. D.
Ass't. Teacher—Frank Kennedy

A Jamboree Among the Austrians

Last Sunday a couple of Pollocks came from Guelph with the ostensible purpose of enticing foreigners to leave Acton and engage to work in the munition factory in the Royal City. To make their offers the more seductive it is alleged they brought a considerable quantity of liquor with them. As a result there was a good deal of drunkenness among the Austrians and several rows. As an aftermath of the carousal when Mastro Finchuk went to work at the tannery Monday morning Steve Sharmato attacked him, striking him a fierce blow on the side of the head. Finchuk laid an information before H. P. Moore, J. P., charging assault. Before the summons was served Sharmato cleared out. Chief Lawson is on his track, however. The foreign emissaries from Guelph were to some extent successful in their mission as twelve Austrians went to Guelph Monday morning to take the new jobs offered.

Paper Prices Advance Every Week

Like all other manufacturing businesses the printing offices of Canada are seriously affected by the abnormal increases in the prices of paper, ink and all other materials used in the production of printing. All previous prices for work are consequently demoralized and are necessarily withdrawn. Quotations given a year ago, six months ago or even last month are not now effective. Prices on all classes of papers, envelopes, cards, cardboards and practically all material entering into printing have advanced from 25% to 50% and are still advancing. Cheap material has become dear and former medium-priced or expensive goods have attained an almost incredible price. Printer's prices have necessarily to go up correspondingly, and the best that can be done is to give quotations from day to day. In every case the Free Press will give the lowest available price compatible with keeping up our standard of work.

Behind the darkest cloud the sun is shining, but that beautiful thought won't keep you dry if you have been caught out in the rain without an umbrella.

NASSAGAWEYA

Nassagaweya Court of Revision will be held on Monday, 29th inst.

Some of our boys are still enlisting.

Messrs. Moffat and McPhail were sadly disappointed when they went to the Presbytery meeting at Guelph on Tuesday, to support the call to Rev. L. I. Hunter, B. A., B. D., to find that he accepted a call to Alma in preference to that from Nassagaweya. The two congregations are also greatly disappointed at this turn of affairs. It was not owing to larger salary that Mr. Hunter preferred Alma, inasmuch as the stipend offered is $100 lower and the summer vacation only two weeks. Another period of hearing aspirants for the vacant charge is now likely to follow.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Lieut. M. B. Collier was home over Sunday.

Mr. D. K. Falster is home from Sudbury this week.

Mr. Adam Cook has been ill and confined to his bed for nearly a month.

Mr. Earl Garvin, of Toronto, visited at his home here during the week.

The Hon. David Henderson returned home from the Capital on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. McLaughlin has returned home after a pleasant visit with friends in Toronto.

Miss Nora Kenney, nurse, was home from Guelph Hospital for a brief visit last week.

Rev. J. C. Wilson, B. A., attended the meeting of the Presbytery at Guelph on Tuesday.

Mrs. Alice Gibson visited at W. R. E. Blair's, Lake Ave., before leaving for Detroit last week.

Matthew Brush and family have moved to Acton where they have secured good jobs.—Milton Champion.

Mrs. Francis Wood and Mrs. Robt. McCartney visited at the home of W. R. E. Blair, Lake Ave., last week.

Mr. David Carty, who removed to Hamilton last year, has been in poor health for several months but is now improving.

Mrs. Thomas Ebbage and Miss Clara returned from Toronto last week. Mrs. Ebbage is somewhat improved in health.

Mrs. William Near, Jr., and children are here from Detroit and will spend the summer with her friends in Acton and vicinity.

Mrs. John Cole and babe arrived from Detroit this week to make a prolonged visit at the home of her father, Mr. N. P. McLean.

Miss Hilda Gordon was called to Teeswater last week to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Alex. McKenzie, who passed away on Saturday.

Miss Ethel Coleman went to Hamilton on Tuesday to attend the annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of Hamilton Conference.

Mrs. Thomas Workman Jr., of Berlin, who has been very ill for several months, came to the home of her father, Mr. George Dills, Park Avenue, on Saturday to recuperate.

FROM MONS TO YPRES WITH FRENCH

This most readable and instructive new volume on the war, by Frederic Coleman, is rich in its detail of actions and movements of the forces and the populace during the exciting periods from the opening of the war up to June, 1915.

Lieut. Coleman calls his splendid rehearsal of the events depicted a personal narrative. He was attached to Sir John French's Headquarters during the retreat from Mons, and the 2nd Cavalry Brigade during the advance across the Marne and the Aisne. He was also connected with the 1st Cavalry Division Headquarters during the fighting on the Lys, at Ploegsteert, Messines and Ypres, and was at the front in France and Flanders until June, 1915.

This close connection with the firing line gave the author exceptional opportunities and vivid information concerning the various engagements. General de Lisle in a letter to Mr. Coleman on this point says: "From August 31st, just a year ago to-day, until the end of May following, my cavalry never went into action without your wonderful car moving backwards and forwards from the firing line to my headquarters, and I hope you will make it clear to your audiences that you did not view the fighting from positions miles in the rear."

"The world has seen no finer soldiers in all the pageantry of war," says Mr. Coleman in the preface of this splendid book. He frankly states he is an American and has believed from the commencement of the war that the allies cause is just. "An overwhelming majority of my countrymen who know the truth would do what lies in their power to further the success of the allies and their righteous cause," he states.

Published by Wm. Briggs, Toronto, at $1.50.

CREWSONS CORNERS

The farmers are all busy seeding although the frequent rains are retarding the work.

The high wind last Thursday blew a portion of the roof off Mr. Wm. Millar's barn.

Pte. L. Armstrong, Stratford, visited last week at Mr. Wesley Murray's.

Mr. Wm. Watkins, Lumsden, Sask., visited at his brother's, Mr. T. P. Watkins, last week.

Mrs. W. Lamb and Miss Margaret Dennis have returned home from Guelph General Hospital this week. Their friends are glad to welcome them back again, as both have been very much missed, especially in the church here.

Artificial Limb Marvels.

Since the war broke out, artificial limb-makers have surprised many people by the excellence of their achievements. One dashing young officer, who lost his right leg just above the knee in the Marne fighting, has been fitted with so good a substitute that he is still able to continue in the service. He is now a pilot in the Royal Flying Corps, and is busily employed at the Front.

Another adventurer, who lost the major portion of one of his legs in a Mexican rebellion, came to England soon after the beginning of hostilities, hoping to take part in the fighting. He is a most expert horseman, and has been fitted with an artificial limb so perfect that now he rides as well as ever. It is only the wildest of buckjumpers that can unseat him.

Twice a Prisoner.

Mr. Aubrey Herbert, M.P. for South Somerset, who is home on leave, has had his fair share of experiences in the fighting line. He has been taken prisoner both by the Germans and the Turks. In the former case, he and his men were captured together with the trench they occupied, but before they could be removed the trench was retaken, and they were set free. It was at Gallipoli that Mr. Herbert was in the power of the Turks, being a hostage to them during a truce for the burial of the dead. He declares the Turkish soldier to be vastly superior to the German as a clean fighter, and speaks most appreciatively of the courtesy shown to him by Turkish officers and men.

A Lifelong Bargain.

There is a barber's shop in Cape Town at which Sir Leander Starr Jameson can always have a hair-cut and shave for nothing. Years ago "Dr. Jim," then in practice, attended the barber's wife during a dangerous illness. Through his skill she recovered. The husband was deeply grateful; but he was not in a position to pay. Instead, he offered to give "Dr. Jim" a free hair-cut and shave for the rest of his life. Whenever ill Leander is in Cape Town he goes to the shop, and the barber carries out his bargain.

VALUE OF FARM LANDS.

Average in Canada Counting Everything is $38.00 an Acre.

A bulletin issued by the Census and Statistics Office summarizes the results of reports made by crop reporting correspondents respecting the values of farm land, of farm help, and of farm live stock in the year 1915.

For the whole of Canada the average value of farm land held for agricultural purposes, whether improved or unimproved, and including the value of dwelling houses, farms, stables, and other farm buildings, is returned as $38.00 per acre. Last year the average value was returned at $38.41. By provinces the averages per acre range from $22.48 in New Brunswick to about $125 in British Columbia, the values for the other provinces being as follows: Prince Edward Island, $37.64; Nova Scotia, $28; Quebec, $51.36; Ontario, $52.49; Manitoba, $30.36; Saskatchewan, $24.20, and Alberta $23.15. In British Columbia the higher average is due to orcharding and fruit growing.

The wages paid for farm labor in 1914 fell to a lower point than in any other year. The causes for this decrease were the small crops of 1914, for the gathering of which fewer hands were required, the release of other laborers on the outbreak of the war and the increased cost of board. In 1915, owing to the abundant harvest and the effects of recruiting for the army, there was some reaction, and the average wages paid were more than in 1914 if not quite equal to those paid in 1910, the date of the previous inquiry. For the Dominion the average wages per month during the summer, including board, were $37.10 for male and $20.20 for female help, as compared with $35.55 and $18.81 last year. For the year, including board, the average wages were $341 for males and $200 for females, as compared with $323.30 and $189.55 in 1914. The average value of board per month works out to $14.57 for males and $11.45 for females, the corresponding figures of 1914 being $14.27 an $11.24. Average wages per month were lowest in Prince Edward Island, viz., $26.67 for males and $14.59 for females; in Nova Scotia the averages were $32.95 and $15.85; in New Brunswick $33.73 and $16.11; in Quebec $32.08 and $16.44; in Ontario $31.09 and $17.12; in Manitoba $45.18 and $27.29; in Saskatchewan $43.22 and $23.81; in Alberta $44.03 and $24.25, and in British Columbia $48.37 and $31.21.

The value of horses is somewhat less than that of last year, but the prices of cattle show an increase, especially for milch cows. Swine are appreciably dearer except in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, where they are about the same as last year. Sheep, too, have risen in price, and there is a notable increase in the value of wool, the average for Canada being 29 cents per lb. for unwashed and 38 cents per lb. for washed wool, as compared with 19 and 26 cents respectively in 1914. The average values for Canada are as follows: Horses $123 as against $124 in 1914; milch cows $61 as against $57; other cattle $44 as against $43; sheep, $8 as against $7, and swine $13 as against $13. Approximately the total value of farm animals in Canada at the end of December may be estimated as $750,667,000, compared with $725,630,000 in 1914.

His Memory Returned.

Malcolm P. Johnston, senior member of the shoe firm of Johnston & McCormick of St. Thomas, who has just returned to St. Thomas after an absence of twenty months, tells an interesting story of his experience. A few weeks after recovering from a fractured skull, sustained by a fall down a cellar stairway in the summer of 1914, he remembered walking along the streets of St. Thomas, but recollects nothing between that time and when his memory returned while at work on a cattle ranch 50 miles from Tulsa, Oklahoma. How he got to that far-away State he has not the slightest idea.

When his memory returned a month ago he was helping to brand cattle. Mr. Johnston had charge of a fractious young steer, in handling which he received a sharp blow on his forehead. He was stunned by the shock, and his comrades dragged him from the enclosure to prevent the cattle from trampling over him. Upon recovering his senses he also recovered his memory of St. Thomas, his partner, business, and friends here, but his mind was left a blank as to the events of the past twenty months. Soon after this awakening Mr. Johnston left for his brother's home near Chicago to spend a few days to recuperate before coming on to St. Thomas.

Mascots for Troops.

Lieut.-Colonel MacDonald of Cornwall has received for the 154th Battalion, C.E.F., two splendid pure-bred Russian wolf hounds, a gift from O. A. Zouricher, late manager of the mechanical plant of the Caledonia Springs Bottling Works, who has enlisted in the battalion and presented his valuable dogs as mascots. The dogs were imported from Russia, and are from the kennels of the Grand Duke Nicholas.

Canadian Army Now 250,000.

Sir Robert Borden announced in the House a few days ago that the enlistments in the Canadian army to date were 250,000. Of these, 112,000 are in Great Britain or at the front, and 136,000 are in Canada. There have been 23,000 casualties, and the wastage has been 31,700. At the end of February the total war cost was $187,000,000.

Indian Dies at 106.

Michael St. Germain, an Indian on the Rama Reserve, across the lake from Orillia, has just died at the advanced age of 106 years. He was born at Roach's Point, Lake Simcoe, it is said, in 1810.

PIONEER FURNITURE.

Early Household Effects in Ontario Were Very Primitive.

The hardy pioneers who first peopled Ontario had little to boast of in the way of furniture. A chest of drawers, a favorite chair, perhaps a table formed their entire stock when they entered the virgin forest. Everything else was of home manufacture. For a bedstead, there was a platform of poles across one end of the room, about two feet above the floor, supported by inserting the ends between the logs in the wall. Rough benches with four legs served as seats, and a table was similarly constructed on a larger scale. Later on, when lumber was obtainable, these articles of furniture were replaced by more serviceable ones. The deal table, the board bench, and the old-fashioned chair with the elm bark bottom and back, woven as in a basket, were one step in advance. It not infrequently happened that in large families there were not enough seats to accommodate all, and the younger members stood up at the table during the meal-time or contented themselves with a seat upon the floor. If a bedstead could be afforded it was sure to be a four-poster with tester and side curtains. "What was a tester?" do I hear someone enquire? It was a cloth canopy supported by the four tall bed-posts. Bunks were built against the walls, which served as seats in the day-time; but when opened out, served as beds at night. Mattresses were made of boughs, corn husks, straw, or feathers, and rested upon wooden slats, or more frequently cords laced from side to side and and to end of the framework of the bedstead. A trundle bed for the children was stowed away under the bedstead during the daytime and hauled out at night.

The kitchen arrangements were also of the most primitive sort. At first the only cooking device was a bake kettle which hung over the embers. Later on the bake-kettle was superseded by the reflector, which was an oblong box of bright tin, enclosed on all sides but one. It was placed on the hearth with the open side next a bed of glowing coals. In it were placed the tins of dough raised a few inches from the bottom, so that the heat could circulate freely about the loaves. The upper part of the reflector was removable, to enable the housewife to inspect the contents.

The reflectors in time gave way to the bake-oven, which was built in the wall next the fire-place, so that one chimney would serve for both, or the oven was built outdoors under the same roof as the smoke-house. The latter was a comparatively air-tight brick or stone chamber used for smoking beef, and the hams and shoulders of the pigs. Before the advent of the smoke-house, strips of beef required for summer use were smoked in the chimney.

Expedition is Safe.

News of the expedition headed by Inspector la Nauze, R.N.W.M.P., which left Regina in May last for the Arctic coast to investigate the reported murder of Father Rouvier and Father Leroux, has been received at headquarters in Regina, but gives no information of the fate of the two priests, who were devoting their lives to the Eskimo tribes in the frozen north. There is little doubt they both are dead.

The last news to arrive from Inspector la Nauze is contained in a letter dated December 16 and was written from a point at the far northwest corner of Great Bear Lake, where he made his winter camp. One of Inspector Dales' party carried the letters five hundred miles by dogsled to Fort Norman, where it was again relayed on its way to Regina. The inspector reached his winter quarters September 8. From there he was to leave for the Arctic coast on the 15th of the present month, according to the letter.

With Inspector la Nauze are two members of the Mounted Police, a guide, an Eskimo interpreter, and Father Lastrance, a friend of the missing missionaries. The tribe with which the priests are known to have been is far west, on the north Arctic coast. The last word to come from them was in October, 1914. It is expected that many months will elapse before their fate is known.

Ontario's Dairy Industry.

There are 847 cheese factories in Eastern Ontario. During last season 237,000,000 pounds of milk were delivered at these factories by 29,607 patrons. There are in Eastern Ontario 38 creameries with 4,828 patrons. There are 151 cheese factories with 11,113 patrons, and 135 creameries and 40 cream-shipping stations with 33,523 patrons in Western Ontario. Besides these there are those who are supplying milk and cream for city consumption, and those engaged in the making of butter at home. Dairying is the chief line in Ontario agriculture.

Wolfe's Birthplace.

Denial is made that the house in which Wolfe, hero of Quebec, was born at Westerham, Kent, England, was to be sold to an American by Mrs. J. B. Learmont, its owner.

A hitch has occurred in arrangements being made to turn the property over to the Dominion Government, it was said, but the property was not on the market.

Any public appeal made to save the property for the Empire was therefore unauthorized.

Suggestions Showered on Berlin, Ont.

Over 12,000 letters were received by City Clerk Millar, of Berlin, containing over 30,000 suggestions for a new name for the City of Berlin, Ont. Among the eleventh hour suggestions was one from Prince Edward Island, which was sent by wire in a message containing over 1,100 words. A letter had been sent, but was delayed owing to storms along the eastern coast.

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Sandy Was Willing.

An old farmer and his wife were paying a visit to an exhibition in Glasgow and were deeply interested in the wonders which they saw. Overcome at the sights, the old woman dropped into a chair and exclaimed:

"Oh, Sandy, this is just splendid! I could sit here a' the days."

"Aweel," said the farmer, "jist sit still, Jeanie, wumman. I'll no grudge the shilling."

Boots in Russia.

All Russians have a weakness for handsome footwear, and the result is that there are more pairs of showy boots worn in the czar's empire than anywhere else on earth. This preference extends to the women as well as to the men.

Pleased.

"You may say what you like about that new play of mine, but you've got to admit that it sends the audience away in good humor."

"That's very true. Most of them seemed to be glad it was over."

Freshly Defined.

"What's the honeymoon, pa?"

"The honeymoon, my son, is the only period in a man's life during which he considers it funny to come home and find that his dear little wife hasn't dinner ready on time."

Preposterous!

Officer — Why do you think he wouldn't make a good corporal? Sergeant (indicating sentry)—'Im a corporal! Lor' mumme! Why, 'is name's Clarence.—London Punch.

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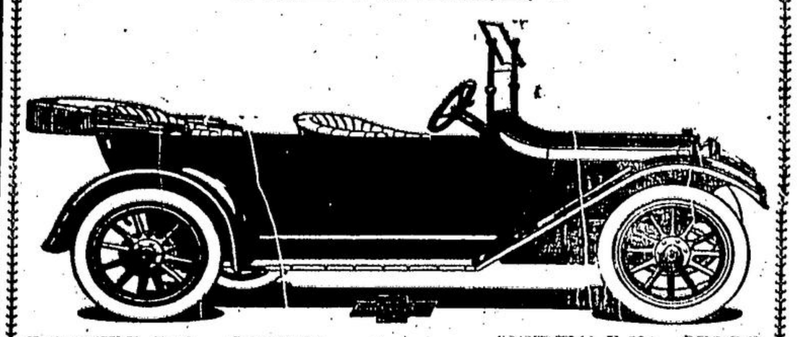

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