Births, Marriages and Deaths are now charged for at the following rates: Births, 50c; Marriages, 50c; Deaths, 50c; Memorial Cards, 50c, 10c per line extra for poems.

BORN

MOORE—At Georgetown, on Tuesday, February 13, to Rev. J. H. and Mrs. Moore, a son—Neil Fullerton.

DIED

McALPINE—In Nassagaweya, on Tuesday, February 20, 1923, Robert McAlpine, aged 39 years.

SCOTT—At the homestead, 6th line, Esquesing, on Wednesday, February 14, 1923, William W. Scott, aged 76 years.

BADENOCH—At the residence of his niece, Mrs. Morley Peart, Burlington, on Monday, Febuary 19, 1923, Chas. Badenoch in his 77th year.

McDOUGALL—In Erin township, on Sunday, February 11, 1923, Flora Reid, beloved wife of Mr. Donald McDougall, in her 78th year.

HUFFMAN—On Saturday, February 17, 1923, at her late residence, Ashgrove, lot 11, 8th con., Esquesing, Maggie Graham, wife of Edward G. Huffman.

McKINNEY—On Wednesday, February 14, 1923, at her late residence, 431 Roxton Road, Toronto, Margaret Newton, beloved wife of Frank McKinney in her 67th year.

McKENZIE—At her late residence, 200 Jarvis Street, Toronto, on Friday, February 16, 1923, Margaret Ann McGill McKenzie, beloved wife of D. McKenzie, formerly of Acton, in her 57th year.

MITCHELL—At her late residence, 112 Oakwood Avenue, Toronto on Wednesday, February 14, Margret Campbell, widow of the late John Mitchell, "The Woodlands," Merton, and for some years of Acton, in her 85th year.

IN MEMORIAM

KERR—In ever loving memory of our mother Mrs. James Kerr, who passed away February 25, 1922.

"Oh, for the touch of a vanished hand,
And the sound of a voice that is still."

Son and Daughter-in-Law, and Grandson Archie.

SCOTT—In loving memory of our dear mother, beloved wife of James Scott, who passed to eternal rest February 25, 1922.

Mother, dear sacred name and sweet!
How slow we are to prove the height
And depth and deathlessness of
Perfect mother love. We take her
Daily care just as the thoughtless flowers
Look up to God for daily light, because
We know 'tis ours. But when we miss
From heart and life the comfort of her care,
Then we must learn to live without
Her presence and her prayer.
'Tis thou, the name of mother, is to us a
Secret thing, and hovering low we seem
To feel the shelter of a wing.

Husband and Daughter Agnes.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1923

Brief Local Items

—Feed the birds. Their natural food is deeply snowed under.

—Lists of sales will also be found on page three of this issue.

—King Winter put in some royal efforts during the week.

—Snow shovellers have been at a premium during the week.

—Hyacinths and daffodils are blooming freely in many homes now.

—The trains were all delayed as a result of Wednesday's blizzard.

—The Valentine parties had rather boisterous weather to contend with.

—Nickawa, the Cree maiden, charmed her audience on Friday evening.

—Snow canals six feet deep are to be seen on the walks in some places.

—Very little freight moved for three or four days after the big snow storm.

—Ash Wednesday's big blow blocked the roads for the first time this winter.

—Ash Wednesday services were held in St. Alban's and St. Joseph's Churches.

—Over 1,600 people are members of the Horticultural Society in the town of Weston.

—Nobody was heard to complain last week that February was trying to steal a March on April.

—Now that the roads are pretty well broken the farmers are teaming in wood in quantities again.

—In the Halton Hockey League Oakville defeated Burlington by 5-2 at Oakville on Tuesday evening.

—It took two or three days to break the roads and make them passable after Wednesday's big blow last week.

—The mail carriers had a hard time during and after the storm last week, but they were all faithful to duty.

—There have been all the snow drifts the snowshoers could wish to undertake in their excursions lately.

—Good-bye February. Another week of the brand of weather you've been giving is quite sufficient, thank you.

—Some of the boys are already counting up that it is just a little over two months until trout fishing commences again.

—Henry Wilcox, Niagara Falls, was fined $10 and costs last week for using improper language over the telephone to a girl operator.

—If some people in this town die from overwork, it will not be the result of too much use of a snow shovel.—Shelburne Economist.

—Doesn't it beat all how much excitement there can be kicked up over getting a little piece of rubber between two posts? Oh, you hockey.

—In Kincardine the Booster Club has asked the Town Council to encourage building by giving new houses a fixed assessment for ten years.

—It's a funny thing about a thermometer, but absolutely surly when it says the weather is colder than you thought it was, you feel colder at once.

—Dundalk Council has instructed the constable to see that all children unaccompanied by their parents are off the streets by nine o'clock each evening.

—"Still have the old love for Canada and Canadians and the weekly message from home. I enclose $5.00 for two years more."—Angus Kennedy, Ogden, Utah.

—The motor cars were absolutely knocked out by the snow falls and wind storms last week. Not a wheel has turned on the roads in this community for ten days.

—The Dale Estate, Brampton, lost $1,500 through Wednesday's blizzard, the snow breaking down the roof of a 150x25-foot greenhouse and freezing the houseful of carnations.

—Sugar took a jump of $1.00 a hundred last week. That brings the retail price up to $10.50 again. But the refiners must have made a mistake. It isn't near preserving time yet.

"RALPH CONNOR" ON CHURCH UNION

Editor Free Press:
Acton, Ontario.

Sir:

It has been intimated to me that a report is being circulated that I recently stated that I believed the church was not ripe for Union. I desire to categorically deny the correctness of any such report.

Ever since the meeting of the Assembly of 1921 I have held firmly to the opinion that not only is the church ripe for Union, but that any delay for delay's sake, or any delay in the hope of bringing together the negotiating churches in any other scheme than that of organic union, would seriously endanger the well-being of the church and the interests of true religion in the country.

There was a time during this long period of negotiations, when I confess I was impatient with the Anti-Unionists and regarded them as pursuing a course not only unjustified but wholly mischievous. I want to frankly say that I have changed my mind on this point. I do not think that the long delay has been wholly injurious. The church, in thus proceeding with extreme deliberation, has shown its desire to consider the feelings, and indeed, the prejudices—if I may use the word without offense—of the brethren opposed to Union.

But now, while I am unwilling to wound or grieve brethren in our church who do not see eye to eye with me regarding the necessity for Church Union, and while I would do everything possible to win them to my way of thinking, I have come to the solemn conviction that the limit of delay has been reached and that there is nothing now for the church to do but to march steadily forward, along lines of constitutional procedure, to consummate what I believe will be an event which will be fruitful in spiritual life and vigor, and which will greatly advance the Kingdom of God in our country and the lands overseas.

I am going to resolutely cherish the hope that, however deep may be their affection for the old church in whose history and in whose service we glory, the vast majority of those whom we now call Anti-Unionists will come to feel that on the whole they will gain infinitely more than they give up by moving into Union.

Yours fully,
CHARLES GORDON.

THIS MONTH OF FEBRUARY

February is a month plethoric in its variety of events and incidents. It is the shortest month of the year, yet it usually has more snow storms and cold spells than any of the other winter months. It is the month of the woodchuck, Old Bruin, and St. Valentine. It has a variety of church anniversaries, hockey matches, sleighing parties and snow shoe excursions; public debates and community singsongs; it ushered in the Lenten season, with shrove Tuesday and Ash Wednesday; the two great Americans, George Washington and Abraham Lincoln had their births in this noted month. With the coming of this month the sun, whose disposition had been distant and unfriendly for several months, gave signs of a change of heart. He is, however fickle and mercurial. He may smile on you to-day, but to-morrow—watch out! Drizzle and rain first, then rain and drizzle, and bye and bye every ravine, field and hillside is watersoaked. The trees and bushes and eaves of the houses are all a-drip with moisture and the earth is wet to the skin and deeper. The thaw has arrived! A February thaw promises much to the adventurer who dares to brave muddy roads, and soggy pussy willows are broadcasting a secret. Beneath the earth miracles are making ready to happen.

A SHORTAGE OF 80,000,000 POUNDS

The tea business, like nearly everything else has been having its hard times since the war. Unfavorable tea growing weather, labor troubles on the plantations, and the unsettled, political atmosphere generally have so seriously reduced this year's crop that the world is now faced with a shortage of over 80,000,000 lbs., or more than two years supply for the whole Dominion of Canada. The inevitable result has been steadily increasing prices until to-day, tea is bringing higher prices than ever before in the history of the industry. In Canada the Salada Tea Company, our largest tea concern, has been forced by this condition to recently increase the price of all their blends, in order to maintain their standard of quality.

R. J. KERR'S SALE LIST

Friday, February 23.—Linus W. McMillan, Nassagaweya township. Farm stock and implements.

Tuesday, February 27—George Mulholland, Esquesing. Farm stock and implements.

Wednesday, February 28.—Henry Leslie, Eden Mills. Farm stock.

Friday, March 2—Ernest Cripps, Erin township. Farm stock and implements.

Friday, March 9.—John Hilton, Esquesing township. Farm stock and implements.

Monday, March 19.—William Ritchie, Esquesing. Farm stock.

Tuesday, March 20.—A. Hyde, Nassagaweya township, on stone road. Farm stock and implements.

Thursday, March 22.—Norman Cook, Garafraxa township, on the Broad Road, from Orangeville to Fergus. Farm stock and implements.

—W. Logan, Glenwilliams, wishes his friends to know that he was not the Logan who was compelled to pay W. H. Speight, Toronto, $200.00 for damages caused when he was run over by an automobile.

—Robert McAlpine, of Nassagaweya, died on Tuesday from pneumonia. He was thirty-nine years of age and leaves a wife and large family. The funeral will take place on Friday to Ebenezer cemetery.

—The sermons by Rev. J. W. Gordon, B. D., of Mitchell, in Knox Church last Sunday, were enjoyed by the congregation. Mr. Gordon is an able minister. Rev. Mr. Stewart preached anniversary sermons at Mitchell.

—The days are now lengthening perceptibly and on bright afternoons the lights are not necessary till after six o'clock. Even those who dislike the robust Canadian winter have little to fear from now on as the worst of it is over.

—Will the winter never be over? Will the dark days never go? Must the buttercup and the clover be always hid under the snow? Ah! lend me your ear, love, hark! 'Tis a wonderful thing! The weariest month of the year, love, is shortest and nearest the spring.

—The Vigilance Committee of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World reports that promoters of fraudulent oil stocks swindled the public of more than $400,000,000 last year. Beware of the get-rich-quick oil well scheme.

—Mrs. William Mullon, a resident of Bridgeburg, has filed official notification on the Bridgeburg Council of a suit for damages pending if a bill is not settled as presented by her covering a recent accident on Jarvis Street, when she slipped on an icy sidewalk and broke an arm.

DR. AND MRS. FARMER ENJOYING FLORIDA'S SUNNY CLIMES

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good thing, a great distance-and-time-saver between these two important southern cities. But when we hear so much about public ownership of public utilities, what a shame it seems, to reflect, as is the case here, that a perpetual franchise of 400 feet in width across the bay has been granted to Gandy and his associates, that they are capitalizing this scheme at two million dollars, when the whole thing will cost about half a million, and allowing the promoters and sellers of the stock to pocket all this vast difference; that they are going to charge two dollars for the return trip for every car, when one dollar per vehicle would pay a huge dividend on the real cost, and when the public interest suggests that the State should build and own this new road as a public utility and operate it at cost. Whether the automobiling public will stand for this two dollar toll rather than drive round the extra 45 miles is open to question, but the glib-tongued promoters who swarm about the tourist, booming the scheme, so argue on the double ground of saving of time and of wear and tear on the cars. They also claim to have an offer of nearly a million dollars from a railway company for the privilege of crossing their new bridge.

Golf and bowling are the two chief outdoor amusements here, with fishing as a good change from the monotony of either. One cannot for want of time satisfactorily indulge in both these games. Nor for this reason can the participator in the game during the daytime at least, often meet those of his friends who follow the other. Having chosen the former as my chief recreation here, despite the fact that the interest and excitement in both the game and its result is more marked in bowling, owing to its concentration of both time and space, let me mention just in passing, a few local features of the game of golf. The links are flat, the fairways somewhat sandy, but practically free of all hazards, easy to get over and difficult to lose one's ball upon. Here, unlike our links at home, the game seems to resolve itself into the simple task of driving the ball straight into the putting hole along a perfectly level plain, if as few unobstructed strokes as possible. Of the throngs who play here from morning till night, crowding one another before and behind, nearly all are apparently unskillful players and the new and awkward wielder of his club has the satisfaction of seeing nearly every one else as clumsy as himself. Negro caddies earn as much as three dollars a day on the links and are fairly civil fellows, though one observes that they generally smoke complacently as they move along and sometimes occupy the seats while the waiting players stand. Large rattlesnakes from the nearby marshes and jungles are quite frequent visitors to these links, but while filling many players with dread, they are usually harmless, sleepy things, if not interfered with. These dreaded serpentine excursions onto the links, too, are compensated for by the delivery call of the nearly quail and by the interest that the players can take in a brood of lusty young eagles with their nest high up in an adjoining pine.

And while I am dwelling upon amusements, let me touch upon the wonderful aeroplane manoeuvres provided here for the tourists. On Sunday afternoon we witnessed the thrilling spectacle of a jump by an occupant of one plane into another passing beneath, at a height of 1,000 feet over Hoca Celga Bay, just outside the city.

St. Petersburg has doubled and trebled in size since I first visited it six years ago. It continues to grow in a lusty young girth, and fabulous are the stories of the fortunes that have been made here in real estate. When Dr. Samson, the veteran Candidate Liberal from Kent County, who, if the politicians of his day had played the game fairly, should now be in our Canadian Senate, settled here seven years ago, and purchased land out among the pines in the northern limits of the town, without pavement or sidewalk, and built there, his friends marvelled at the supposed folly of his venture. To-day every foot frontage of the land he got for a mere trifle then, is worth over a hundred dollars, and this grand old expatriated Canadian resides in the very heart of the finest residence section, with villas that bring $25,000 and more apiece all about him. A short time before that a visitor here was ridiculed by his friends for paying $500 for ten acres of vacant land further out, which to-day with streets opened through it, they tell me its owner has refused half a million dollars for.

How true is the old saw that the world is a small place after all. And how equally so what may be termed its corollary that truth is often stranger than fiction. At our table at the Edgewater, and joining us at bridge in the evenings, are a prosperous looking gentleman and his wife, the former of whom I discovered in conversation to be one of the lumber kings of New Brunswick, recuperating here from an attack of pneumonia. Some of my close friends when living in Winnipeg a dozen or more years ago, had come from Chatham, N. B., and on asking my newly-formed acquaintance the other day if he knew these people, he not only replied "yes," but told me that he had, himself, bought out their vast lumber interests there. On hearing that I had once lived in Hamilton, he told me that his wife was the sister of another personal friend of mine, now prominent in finance in the Ambitious City and manager of one of its leading monetary institutions. But strangest coincidence yet—when I mentioned to the big New Brunswicker that the larger part of my year was now spent at Acton and its neighborhood, he informed me that his mother had lived and died there, and that he still had two married sisters living in that prosperous little town.

It is our present intention to motor home in April in easy stages, although many who came all the way down that way report the road through the Carolinas and Georgia as almost impassible. But we look for better things with the advent of the late spring, and should we accomplish our present plans, I hope to jot down, as I go along, for the press, some impressions and incidents of the journey home.

Yr D. J. FARMER.

Edgewater Inn,
St. Petersburg, Fla.,
February 16, 1923.

THE NUMBER THIRTEEN

Some people look upon the number 13 as being unlucky. Well it is, at times; other times it is not.

On the 13th of this month Mr. R. H. Hunter, 10th line, Erin, held a Public Auction Sale of farm stock and implements, etc., Mr. Geo. McAllister being his auctioneer, and everything brought a very fair price considering the way goods and chattles have sold at different sales in the neighborhood. Now, Mr. Hunter feels that the date makes no difference, and the crowd attending the sale were in the best of humor, and why not? With an auctioneer like Mr. McAllister, who is always able to keep his audience in good humor while obtaining a reasonable price for his employers, even if he is compelled to hold an auction sale on the 13th of February, just a day ahead of Old St. Valentine.

Neighborhood News--Town and Country

CHURCHILL

Little Elva Murray, the daughter of Mr. Peter Murray, was taken to Guelph Hospital on Saturday afternoon and operated on for appendicitis.

The roads were badly blocked in this section for several days last week.

OSPRINGE

Mr. David McCutcheon, of the 2nd line, has sold one of his valuable horses to Palmer Bros., of Guelph, for a good figure.

The large staff of men, who have been cutting logs and wood for Mr. Henderson, of Acton, have ceased operations for the present.

CREWSONS CORNERS

The storms last week drifted the roads badly. The farmers about here are finding the advantages of the new highway between here and Acton, as it is not drifted.

This community was grieved to hear on Tuesday morning of the death of Mr. Robert McAlpine, Nassagaweya. Mr. McAlpine was well and favorably known in this district, having threshed here many years. No more popular thresher ever went the rounds of the farmers here than genial "Bob" McAlpine, and many expressions of regret are heard at his passing. Sincere sympathy is felt for the bereaved widow and family.

Miss Rhea Crewson spent the week-end with Acton friends.

GEORGETOWN

At last meeting of the Town Council a contract for water supplied to the Grand Trunk Railway was made, at the rate of 7c per 1,000 gallons, and $5.00 per quarter for rental and upkeep of meter.

Ed. McCannah is acting as assessor. His salary is $150.00. He will also act as collector for an additional $150.00.

Dr. T. N. Marcellus has been appointed Medical Officer of Health. His services will command $100 per year.

Proceedings will be taken to collect all taxes unpaid after March 1.

Major and Mrs. Murray McKinley, of Toronto, were week-end visitors in town last week.

Miss Jean Mackenzie was successful in passing her Junior Pianoforte examination at Toronto Conservatory of Music.

A concert given by first-class talent will be held in Knox Presbyterian Church, Georgetown on Friday evening.

Mrs. H. B. Henderson and Miss McLeod were at Dundas attending the funeral of Mrs. Norman L. McLeod.

The home of Clifford E. Creelman was, on the evening of Friday, 9th inst., the scene of a happy social gathering at which the guest of honor was Mr. E. I. Creelman, whose 72nd birthday was being celebrated.—Herald.

ERIN

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Finest announce the engagement of their daughter, Margueritte Myrtle, to Mr. Robert Norman McEnery, the marriage to take place this month.

The school quilt, which the pupils of the two lower rooms of Erin School have completed, was sold by auction at the L. O. H. A. pageant on Thursday night.

Mr. Waldie Steen has purchased the 175-acre farm on the 8th line, belonging to Mr. Robert McMillan, and intends building a house shortly.

A large number of ladies of Hillsburg gathered at the home of Miss Millie Boyle on Saturday evening, February 10, for the purpose of presenting Miss Bessie Awrey with a miscellaneous shower, prior to her marriage in the near future.

Mr. Wm. Shaw, of Riverview, Opt., has purchased from Mr. Purvis, of Orton, his general store business and is in possession. Mr. Purvis has purchased a residence from Mr. Laird, of Grand Valley.

On Saturday afternoon the Hillsburg Juvenile Hockey Team came down and played a friendly game with the local lads. The visitors were too many for the locals, and after playing ten minutes overtime, the score was 3-2 for Hillsburg.

Mrs. Cooke is visiting with her father in Owen Sound, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Kentner, of Acton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Bingham.

A debate was held at Alton Presbyterian Church on Monday evening, the subject, "Resolved that Capital Punishment Should be Abolished." Mr. C. Wrigglesworth and Miss Graham, of Belfountain, took the affirmative while Mr. George Presley and Miss Bertha Lowe, of the Methodist League, upheld the negative. Messrs. Roy Hindley, E. Wilson and Wilson McConnell were the judges, giving their decision in favor of the negative side.

Mr. Duncan Scott was the victim of a painful accident the other day. While in the act of fixing the blanket and shingle on one of the horses in the stable, the horse became frightened and kicked him in the chest, and when he was down, the horse, in its excitement, trampled Mr. Scott severely. Mr. Scott is still confined and suffering considerable from the bruises. Fortunately no bones were broken.—Advocate.

—The epidemic of influenza the past fortnight has kept the doctors in town on the go, day and night. They have been under the necessity of combatting storms and drifted roads in most trying fashion.

5,000 FACTS ABOUT CANADA

A popular and hardy annual is the "5,000 Facts About Canada," issued for twenty years by Frank Yeigh, the well-known Canadian writer and lecturer. The 1923 edition is now out and contains many additions and improvements, including a valuable map of the natural resources of the Dominion. The booklet is a wonderful compilation in brief of the story of the Dominion under fifty subjects, ranging from "Agriculture" to "The West" and "the Yukon", and is indispensible to any educated and intelligent Canadian who wants to keep up to date about his country or who wishes to advertise it by sending copies away, as many do, while it is widely used in schools. Leading newsdealers keep the book in stock or it may be had by sending 30 cents for a copy to the CANADIAN FACTS PUB. CO., 588 Huron Street, Toronto.

MOTOR MANNERS MAKE FOR SAFETY

Manners, like measels, are contagious. Every act of discourteous encourages a duplicate and vice versa. The real hero of motordome—the man who looks ahead to the time when people will display as good manners in cars as out of them—is the chap who can resist the temptation to "get even" with the party who does some unintentionally act in his driving. That man is to be congratulated because he nips in the bud a chain a discourteous driver, who has tried to start. The man who takes the attitude of "I'll show you" and gives the original offender a double dose of his meanness is the sort who magnifies the trouble and occasions the accidents. The man who retrenches in order that the original offender's act shall not result in an accident and who then "shows him" by giving him a demonstration in good manners, is the sort we must look to for safer and saner motoring. He is rare.

What it amounts to is this, good manners are an aid to self-preservation. Every courteous act a driver indulges in is insurance against repair bills and hospital charges, included in his kit of good manners is his ability to take the insult from a discourteous driver without seeking to retaliate. He is then always anticipating breaches of courtesy on the part of other drivers, always giving the other fellow the road and always doing the courteous—and sensible—thing even to those who do not seem to deserve it. He thus becomes a well mannered citizen and one whose chances for an accident are decidedly less than the average.

The first thing you know others are imitating him—and motoring moves up a peg.

HISTORY OF PEN MAKING

A brush made of fine hair was the first instrument constructed by man for writing purposes. The Chinese of today use a camel's hair brush dipped in ink for the production of their quaint picture-like writing, while among western people the steel pen is practically universal. Confucius used a hair brush for a pen as did his ancestors for thousands of years before his time. The steel pens in modern use are now turned out by the ton and in larger quantities every day. Between those two extremes in the long history of the pen, the reed and the quill find place. The reed came into use for writing in the marshy countries of the Orient. Being hollow, it was found when cut into short lengths and sharpened at the ends to be a slight improvement on the hair pen. The quill was adopted to writing also at an early date and it's use spread from the East over Europe and America. In the days before steel pens were invented, England alone imported 26,000,000 quills annually.

WHAT IS A BLUSH?

A scientist gives the following definition of a blush. A temporary erythema and calorific effulgence of the physiognomy, aetiologised by one perceptiveness of the sensorium when in a predicament of unequilibrity from a sense of shame, anger, or other cause, ventuating a paresis of the vasomotor filaments of the facial capillaries, whereby being divested of their elasticity, they are suffused with a radiance abominating from an intimidated precordia. So, now you know!

FATAL IN MOST CASES

Bonar Law proceeded to illustrate his point by telling the story of a Highlander who was lying ill, in the last stages of exhaustion in a hospital, and asked that some one play for him on the bagpipes. The nurses had a warm heart and brought a piper into the room to play his entrancing music. The Highlander soldier recovered. All the other patients in the hospital died. —From a cable dispatch in the Toronto Mail and Empire.

HOPE DEFERRED

Tommy had been playing truant from school, and had spent a long beautiful day fishing. On his way back he met one of his young cronies, who accosted him with the usual question, "Catch anything?"

At this, Tommy, in all his consciousness of guilt, quickly responded: "Ain't been home yet."

CHANGING MANNERS

Grandfather wouldn't think of smoking when there were ladies present.

Father always asked permission when he lighted up.

Son offers a cigarette to a lady as he lights his own.

Son's son asks her for one.

CLEARING

AUCTION SALE

IN ERIN TOWNSHIP

FARM STOCK, IMPLEMENTS, HAY, GRAIN, ETC.

The undersigned has received instructions from

ERNEST E. CRIPPS

to sell by Public Auction at lot 4, first line, Erin, three miles west of Acton, and four miles east of Rockwood, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1923

at one o'clock sharp, the following:

HORSES—1 general purpose horse, 6 years; 1 general purpose mare; 1 carriage mare; 1 driving mare, 10 years; 1 driving mare, 9 years.

CATTLE—1 red heifer, due time of sale; 1 grey cow, fresh; 1 grey cow, due May 1; 1 grey heifer, fresh; 1 black cow, due May 11; 1 red cow, due March 20; 1 Holstein cow, due August 13; 1 black cow, due in June; 1 black cow, fresh; 1 gray cow, due March 3; 4 fat cattle about 1,200 lbs. each; 4 calves, rising 1 year old; 2 young calves; 1 bull, 3 years old, Shorthorn, registered, with first-class pedigree.

SWINE—9 sow with pigs; 2 York sows, due April 1; 30 pigs, 3 and 4 months old.

FOWL—25 White Wyandotte hens.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Fiber Hamilton binder; 1 McCormick mower; 1 Frost & Wood steel drill; 1 Frost & Wood horse rake; 1 Massey-Harris cultivator; 1 John Deere manure spreader; 1 Frost & Wood harrows, 12 feet; 1 Fleury plow, No. 21; 1 Peter Hamilton plow, No. 21; 2 wagons; 2 wagon boxes, 1 new; 1 hay rack; 2 scufflers, 1 new; 1 disc, nearly new; 1 grindstone; 1 set bobsleighs; 1 pulper; 1 wheelbarrow; 1 fanning mill; 1 steneboat; 1 set slings, car, rope and pulleys; 2 sap pans and about 40 pails; 1 Massey-Harris cream separator, nearly new; 4 sets doubletrees; 2 neckyokes; forks, hoes, chains, shovels, etc. These implements are all in good shape.

HARNESS—1 set team harness; 1 set democrat harness; 1 set single harness; 4 horse collars.

HAY, GRAIN—About 100 bushels good clean oats; 10 bushels of peas, if not previously sold; About 6 tons of timothy hay, if not previously sold; quantity of Kingsland seed potatoes.

Positively No Reserve as the Proprietor's Lease has Expired, and he is Leaving the Farm

TERMS—$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount 12 months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes. 5% off for cash. Fat cattle, 3 months. Grain and fowl cash.

R. J. KERR, Auctioneer,
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"Saturday Treat"

Easter is coming. Watch our windows for Easter Eggs, Novelties, etc. This being the last Saturday in February we are out to make it a record day. We have selected a great favorite Candy with all the family for our Saturday treat.

SATIN CUSHIONS, 25c lb.

100 lbs. of these smooth, velvety cushions, daintily filled just to suit the taste. Sold everywhere for 40c and 50c lb. Saturday Treat 25c lb.

WEEK-END CHOCOLATES, 29c lb.

Still the same high quality Chocolates. A large assortment of hard and soft centres, assorted flavors. We offer 500 lbs. at the low price of 29c lb.

CREAM CAKES, 8 FOR 25c

This is a great bargain for all. We have only a limited supply left. Saturday Special, 8 for 25c.

LUNCH PARLORS

Why go to bed with that hungry feeling. Drop in and look over our menu. We are sure you will find something to suit your taste.

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