

THURSDAY MORNING, AUGUST 12, 1926

EDITORIAL

Observed the Sabbath

The people of Fergus and surrounding country are to be congratulated upon the stand they took last Sunday regarding the Sunday excursion to Niagara Falls. In spite of the publicity given, very few offered to make the trib, so it had to be called off. The splendid bringing up given by their forefathers regarding Sabbath observance, does not seem to be entirely forgotten by our citizens. They may travel in their own cars, but they shun any sign of a general disregard for the proper observance of the day,-Fergus News-Record.

Stay-at-Home Voters

Only 69 per cent, of the electorate of Canada voted at the general election in October, 1925. If the other 31 per cent. had voted we might have had a stable government in Canada since that time. Would are not incapacitated by ill-health or absence from home from voting at the general election following party's standard in the election on September 14th. the one at which they did not vote? The disfranchiged electors would raise an awful howl but those: who always go to the polls would have no sympathy with them. The stay-at-home voters have defeated many a candidate. To cast a conscientious ballot for the best government of a municipality, province or country is a sacred duty.—Chesley Enterprise.

The Futility of Strikes

Over and over again endeavor has been made in these columns to show that a strike, under almost all circumstances, is a mistake for the strikers themselves. Rarely are they ever bettered in their conditions, be the strike ever so successful. The workman himself is generally the loser. A concrete case is shown by the following interview, copied from the Acton, England, Express, and refers to the re cent strike which affected all the British Isles: "Falling in the other day with a male acquaintance employed at a local factory, I casually put a question, "Had your holidays yet?" "No holiday this summer for me," he replied. "Why?" I inquired. "Well," my friend admitted, somewhat ruefully, "I can't-afford it. Those of us who stopped work at the general strike are having our punishmennt. The firm used to allow us a week's holiday, with pay, nomination, and we understand has since accepted but this year, because of our part in the strike, that same. He will oppose Hon. Hugh Guthrie for the has been stopped. We can have the holiday if we Dominion House. Mr. Burnett was Reeve of Nichol like, but we lose the payment for it. And I can't a few years ago and is well known in that town- this year's garden party one of the but you will not be completely satafford that." He also declared emphatically that never ship. The Liberals of East Wellington are not likely assured when they attend this event Corn Remover. again would he consent to go on strike as an act to place a candidate in the field. of sympathy with another body of workers. "I was 'out' for three weeks," he said, "receiving 15s. a week don't you think? It would have been better for us of the North Simcoe Conservative Executive, exeach week to the miners' fund."

There'is something exhitarating in reaping th fruits of the soil, for harvest is both a gift and an achievement, a gift in that nature provides the conditions, an achievement in that man takes advantage of these conditions to produce certain results. It is co-operation, a partnership between matter, law and intelligence. Harvest is a big element in our national life. Wheat! It is a notent word. Finan cial newspapers predict prosperity or adversity in terms of wheat. Railways compete for the transportation of it. Magnates of the market take if seriously and 15 whiskey agents. Four drug corporations also ties. into their calculations. Fortunes are made or lost were indicted. Months of investigation preceded the in it. But there are two factors in harvest which indictments. are seldom regarded and both are elemental. They are the two already mentioned-Nature and the tect it, and release the chemical elements in the former. soil to feed it, and send the sun's rays to give it health and stamina and fructification; but without me you can do nothing. "And the other factor Immigration and Colonization recently shows that co-operant with nature is the farmer. Considering there was an increase of 65 per cent. in immigrathat his is a basic industry, and that he is a pro- tion in Canada during the first five months of the ducer in one of the most honorable of occupations, calendar year 1926, compared with the same period due recognition nor his just meed of acknowledg- 1926 and 33,114 for the same five months in 1925. ment, and in this the city dweller has been both For this period, British immigration increased from blind and ignorant. We are all vitally interested in 15,878 to 21,909; immigration from the United States the harvest and the farmer, for society is a joint increased from 6,535 to 7,860, and from other coun-

Ontario's Public School Population

The total number of pupils registered in the elementary schools of this province, that is the public and Roman Catholic separate schools, in 1925 was 608,650. The daily average attendance in those schools in the period was 433,872, or 71.28 per cent of the total enrollment. On the other hand, the aggregate attendance during the year was 85,150,420 out of a possible 96,878,984, or 87.89 per cent. and this percentage, says the report, represents the true situation as to regularity of the attendance in our elementary schools." In the elementary schools, close to the poultry house. The roost it may be noted, the boys were in a majority. Of dogs 515,126 pupils registered in the public schools, 262,-813 were boys and 252,313 were girls. - Of 93,524 children enrolled in the Roman Catholic separate near Mfton, has established a new schools, 46,918 were boys, and 46,606 were girls.

Agriculture Offers Attractive Opportunities

With any young man who is dissatisfied with the farm and is seeking an opportunity to get away, he would do well to take a look at the long list of now ready for threshing. Both of system was developed. From time to teachers who graduated recently from the Normal schools of the province. In addition to this is the estimate that their fall wheat will mediate practical needs. Furtherlist of new lawyers, doctors, dentists, druggists, engineers and other professional entrants that have be a humper grain crop in Halton anated from the suggestion of a Millqualified to follow these callings. There are many more of them than there are openings. It is the same in industry. The country is full of them and many of them are fated to a hard row. During the past few years, notably 1921, 1922 and 1923, farming was not any more remunerative than any of the mercantile businesses were. But agriculture has spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. more than a fraction of what the fallen on better days. Last week at a garden party in the town of Preston, Hon. John S. Martin told is convalescing, following a lingering even by some of the lower animals. of the multitude of opportunities awaiting the young man who would qualify himself with a knowledge of and two sisters, of Mich., spent a few speed of an express train—those who the scientific side of farming. Mr. Martin was then speaking in a farming community and his statements were applauded by the successful farmers of Waterloo County. The development of the various evening, August 13. branches of agriculture since the late Hon. Jas. S. Duff conceived the idea of bringing the advantage September 1st, in the new rink. of the agricultural colleges to the very doors of the farmers has been rapid and extensive. Few farmers now retain the old prejudice against the country agricultural offices. They have learned by experience two nieces, Misses Edna and Gladys er usefulness that when he stands that the assistance, they can get from these offices motored and visited friends here. means money to them and they are freely availing themselves of the advantage placed at their doors. provement Association will be held in able. In years to come, and that means the years of the Park, Hillsburg, on Monday evenimmediate future, the young farmer who starts out with the equipment an agricultural college course will give him, will have the young fellows in the date in every respect, to accommodate from small beginnings. The vast other professions hopelessely handicapped .- Tilsonburg News.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The executive of the Halton Liberal Association It surveyed and properly laid out. there be any injustice in disfranchising those who has called a convention for Tuesday evening, August 17th, when a candidate will be chosen to carry the definite plants, were made for the beginning. A mob of irresponsible

> How do they expect a man to get in hay, alfalfa, fix up the binder, look after the hoed crops, sell the membership to the Ontario Municipal This is the lesson that our forefathers cream, keep the pigs from putting on too much fat Association for 1926. to sell for choice bacon and get interested in an election, all at the same time

> A statement made public by the Department Immigration and Colonization to-day show tha there was an increase of 65 per cent, in immigra- Ellis, workers in Christ's Church greatness. The man who has all the tion to Canada during the first five months of the Cathedral, Hamilton, have been spend- learning of the Egyptians, with all the calendar year 1926, compared with the same period H. and Miss Wase at St. George's God, hearkens gladly to the homely year ago.

Says the Owen Sound Sun-Times: "It looks as the illicit liquor business is primarily to blame cut his right hand badly, severing an for the bedevilment of the Customs Service, result: artery. He was removed at once to ing in the dissolution of Parliament. And now it ing well. is the same business that is responsible for so many fatal cases of wood-alcohol poisoning. The whole evening, Eddie, the youngest son of business, legal and illegal, is a public menace."

At the U. F. O. convention held at Guelph Mr Wm. A. Burnett, of Upper Nichol, received the cuts about the head and arms .-

The Enterprise, Collingwood's Conservative ficient service as organist of St. John's strike pay; a contrast to my usual £3 a week wages; newspaper, states that W. A. Boys, at the meeting impation, to take effect at once. to have stuck to our work and subscribed something pressed his desire to retire owing to the large finan- draw out additional books for this cial loss he was called upon to bear in connection period. with his professional practice and also for private plower show is only a few weeks like Dempsey. reasons. If Mr. Boys continues of this mind there will be no lack of aspirants for the job of party standard-bearer .- Barrie Examiner.

> The United States Government has struck a blow against alleged bootlegging under the guise of medi- land, passed along Colborne Street. cal prescriptions. Seventy-six doctors, whiskey salesmen and agents, druggists and drug corporations, chasing large tracts of land on the were indicted by a Federal Grand Jury for prohibition violations in New York. Seventeen indictments synogogue and schools, and forming a were returned naming 25 physicians, 30 druggists

Election matters are still very quiet so far as for discussion at its last meeting. The farmer. We seem to regard nature as the unwilling Milton is concerned, and we presume the same may the school area and a change in the partner in the production, and deem ourselves be said for other parts of the county. People are subjects taught in each school, and fortunate when we have escaped her caprice. In- going about as if no election was in sight, and the approval of the public school princideed we speak of wresting things from her. Truly, word is scarcely or ever mentioned, except, perhaps, pale. man is a supreme egotist, because nature is con- by those in the inner circles of the different political stantly holding out to us a multitude of wonderful parties. People are evidently fed up on elections David Richardson, Chisholm Street. things and wonderful laws, saying, take, obey and to such an extent that it fails to arouse the enenjoy, I am your benefactorss. Plant your seed at thusiasm and excitement that once characterized the the proper time and I will germinate it, and pro- announcement of a general election.-Milton Re-

A statement made public by the Department of a positive force not a parasite, he has never received a year ago. The actual immigration was 58,062 in ly. But give it repeated treatments tries increased from 12,701 to 28,293

The News of the Neighborhood

Mrs. G. H. Duwson, who underwen serious operation in the Toronto Hospital, was reported yesterday to Early Tuesday morning thieves stole Robert Thompson's whole flock of 42 hens and 7 roosters from his farm on the fifth line, Nelson Township. Mr. Thompson tied two vicious hounds raiders chloroformed or gassed the Lou Jacobs, champion apple picker strength"). of Ontario, who works on David Hart-

record for cherry picking. He has picked 60 11-quart baskets of Mont- tribesmen muy bring to him. morency cherries in nine hours. Fruit growers pay 15 cents a basket for picking, and at this rate Mr. Jacobs spired, although he himself says, "I vould earn \$9_a day. John Carr and F. C. Willmott, of Prafalgar Township, have finished hauling in the fall wheat, which is these experienced farmers. who own time old customs were modified or two of the finest farm in Ontario, new usages introduced to meet imnot yield less than 40 bushels to the more, the innovation was accepted as acre. Reports show that there will of divine origin, even though it em-

County this year,-Reformer.

H. Frankum, at Harriston.

Mrs. Bell Stover and son Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith's.

Mr. Robert Price, of St. Thomas, great wedge, cutting the air at the days with Mrs. Boomer and other are fresher continuously moving ... of

a field adjoining Orton on Friday ants have a most remarkable com-The Hillsburg Horticultural Show their work. The history of human

Mr. and Mrs. Peter McDonald and other Christians, he is of much great-McLean, of Park River, North Dakota, alone. Hence the Christian Church A garden party under the auspices tions. Throughout life we shall find of the Hillsburg Young People's Im- that "team-work" is supremely valu-

ing, August 16th. The Busholme Inn, the property of fully formed. Back of each of the Mr. J. P. Bush, which he has been re- leading countries of the world to-day modelling and which is quite up-to- lies a long history of development

have already registered,-Advocate GEORGETOWN

for the town and the Council is having Hollanders. courageous . Huguenots, the Town Hall on Tuesday evening, in this lesson is a picture of national Business Men's pic-nic, to be held on serfs escaped from Egypt. But al-August 19th at Eldorado Park. A ready they are learning the lessons grant of \$50.00 was made by the that shall prepare them for a great

the Council to forward \$25.00 for part of his people, and must be loyal, -Dr. R. F. Price and Mrs. Price, of made Canada of to-day; and our Ottawa, spent last week with Mr. and loyalty must make the Canada of to-Mrs. John Price.

Mrs. M. Eccles received word of the death of her brother, Mr. Alex. Mc- a wonderful thing to be able to take Nevan, of Yellow Grass, Sask. Mr. advice from others. Many a man McNevan was 85 years of age and who might have done large things has had been in that district since 1905. falled because he was too conceited Miss Rose Hewitt and Miss Violet to be advised. Moses here shows his

While preparing to go to a bowling tournament which was being held in Toronto on Monday last, Mr. W. Mc-Intosh had the misfortune to fall and Guelph General Hospital, and is do-

While playing on the road in front of his home, Main Street, on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. H. Stapelton, narrowly escaped serious injury when he was struck by a passing motor car. The little fellow is very fortunate in escaping with a few brutses and slight

best yet, and a good time for all is isfled until you have used Holloway's Tuesday, August 17, at Victoria Park. Mrs. Wright-Orr, after completing WHY THE JONSES BOUGHT THE nearly forty years of faithful and ef-United Church, has tendered her res-

The Public Library will be closed from August 16 to 30. Patrons may away, and entries must be in before Census takers checking the traffic

Saturday, August 14th. for the department of highways, report that during the week, cars from twenty-two states in the Union and from every province in the Dominton, with exception of Prince Edward Is-land, passed along Colborne Street. Piles Go Quick It is rumored that a Jewish enter-

prise, highly capitalized, intends pur-Dundas Highway, adjacent to Postville, with the intention of erecting a colony. Options have already been

involving sweeping changes in the present day systems of all the public schools and the possible same for you or money back. E. J. closing of one room in Central School was brought before the School Board plan includes both the rearanging of it is said to have the sanction and

Riding east on Colborne Street, near the Sixteen Mile bridge Friday night, was knocked from his bleycle in a head on collision with a car driven by William Hoffman, Elma Township, in Perth County, and was seriously injured about the head and shoulders. After medical examination by Dr. E. P. Soanes, he was removed to his home. . Hoffman was arrested by Highway Constable Charles Hunter, and was later released on \$2,000 bail. to appear in the Oakville court on August 9, to answer to a charge of

criminal negligence. Record. A Foe to Asthma, Give Asthma half chance and it gains ground rapidof Dr. L D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy and it will fall back even faster. There is no half way measure about this remedy. It goes right to work and drives asthma out. It reaches the inmost breathing passages and leaves

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 15

ORGANIZING FOR SERVICE Scripture Lesson Title .- Jethro's

Wine Counsel. Scripture Lesson.-Exod. 18: 1-27. Reference Material,-Num. 11: 16-30: Acts 6: 1-6. Golden Text .- To each one his work -Mark 13: 34. Devotional Reading .- Isa. 40: 28 to 11: -- 1b -- (closing, -- "renew -- their

The Text Explained ley's fruit farm in Nelson Township, 13. The picture of Moses here that of a typical Bedouin sheik, acting as judge in all matters that his 15. To inquire of God-Moses' decisions were regarded as divinely injudge between a man and his neigh-

19-28. Good practical advice. This story lilustrates how the Moslac legal

Lesson Themes The Need of System and Organization-Whenever men have on hand any work that brings together a condaughter, of Los Angeles, motored to siderable number of people, they must organize if they would achieve the Mr. and Mrs. W. Hull and Dr. and best results. Individual men, working Mrs. Hutchinson and little daughter, independently, can never accomplish same men can accomplish by co-op-Mr. David Barbour, 6th line, Erip eration. This truth has been learned Wild geese form their flocks into a . The annual garden party of the become weary, cutting the air for Orton United Church will be held in those who follow. Even bees and munity organization for the doing of

this year will be held on Wednesday, civilization has been, in large part, the story of enlarging and perfecting Dr. and Mrs. Peart, Master William organization. In like manner, the in-Peart and Mr. Fred Harper, of Sand- dividual Christian has found that, born, N. Y., have been camping at when he is working in harmony and co-operation with a large number of with its many subordinate organiza-

The Rudiments of a Nation. Great

nations do not spring into existence the travelling public and tourists, is British Empire looks back to the time now open, and a number of guests when Egbert, king of the tiny kingdom of Wessex, conquered the other little kingdoms about him and gained the title King of the English. United States' history starts with a few A new cemetery has been purchased shiploads of staunch Puritans, sturdy gallant Cavallers: who crossed the At a well-attended meeting held at stormy seas, seeking liberty. Here The Town Clerk was authorized by dividual Israelite is learning that he is have passed on to us. Their loyalty

> The Value of Good Council. It is wisdom of an illiterate Midianite.

For Study and Discussion How does any system of laws come into being? Was the Mosine Code the tesult of development? Were "laws of God" promulgated through human agency? Why is the church? How do nations come into being? Can a nation be better than the citizens who compose it? What are you doing for your country? Where does a truly wise man gather wisdom?

Daily Readings for Next Week Monday-Exod. 19: 9-16. Tuesday-Exod. 19: 17-25. Wednesday-Exod. 20: 1-11. Thursday-Deut. 5: 6-15. Friday-Psalm 119: 1-8. Saturday-Matt. 6: 24-34. Sunday-Psalm 19: 7-14.

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