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KEEP A STEADY GAIT

Life is fraught with many cares The road is sometimes rough At many turns unseen sources Await one sure enough. You may be jostled by the throng From early morn till late. But boldly push your way along Ank keep a stendy gait.

Should misfortune wteck your Don't give up the fight-Meet it bravely like a man And keep your "goal" in sight Don't charge your failure to "hard

Or to "an unkind fate" -Push right ahead - just show your And keep a steady gait. -Samuel O. Buckner.

SPEEDING

The speed of a motor May seem quite the thing But the slightest mistake And the angels sing. So, go on, you demon And act like a fool, You're digging your grave, With a car for a tool. Death is behind you He'll stick to your rear,

You'll take your last ride At sixty miles or more-They'll pick up your pieces, Like others before. Nothing will stop you, But death in your path, So sit a bit closer ; Step on the gas.

But you're a good driver,

So why should you fear !

Terra Cotta

Remember the concert in th 10th line school Thursday evening

Mr. John Townsend who has been quite ill is now able to be around again. Thieves stole a number of geese and hens from Mr. J. Stokes re-

Mr. M. Lusty and family have moved to Honeywood, near Or-Mr. and Mrs. Ray of Union have moved into the village.

Union S. S. Entertained

The annual Christmas entertainment of Union Church Sunday & School will be held on Monday evening, Dec. 22nd. A good program of dialogues, recitations, choruses and duetts will be rendered. Tea from 6 to 8. Admis. sion 25 and 15 cents. S. S. child-

Celebrates 125th Anniversary

The one hundred and twenty- 8 fifth anniversary of the founding of Union Lodge No. 7, A F. & A.M., Grimsby, will be celebrated on Wednesday evening, Dec. 17, when Grand Lodge-officers will attend a banquet. There are 225 members of this lodge, and included in this number is W. J. Drope, Grand Master for Ontario.

Auniversary and Concert There was a good attendance at | oth services in connection with sbgrove Methodist anniversary beld on Dec. 7th. Rev. J. W. Ed. wards of Georgetown conducted the morning service and Rev. John 3 lewett of Trafalgar occupied the pulpit in the evening. Splendid sermons were delivered by both gentlemen. On Monday evening a most enjoyable concert was given when an excellent program was rendered by Georgetown Methodist choir and Miss Kathleen Sparrow, elecutionist of Toronto. Delicious refreshments were serv

ed at the close.

The members of Georgetown range and True Blue Lodges sacked their annual bale for the Orange and True Blue Home, at Mrs. R. J. McCartney's on Monday night. The bale contained the following:-7 boys' sweaters, pair boys' pants, 5 pair braces, 11 pair stockings, 3 pair bloomers 15 bandkerchiefs, 15 girls' underwaists, 11 nightgowns, 17 girls' dresses, 8 pantie dresses, 10 girls aprons, 1 boy's toque, 1 girl's scarf set, 11 tea towels, 5 pair towels; ! fare cloths, & barrettes, 6 bars toi. let soap, 28 spools thread, 80 pairs shoe laces, buttons, tape and elastic, 20 picture books, 4 dolls, 14

stuffed animals, other toys and Visited Armenian Boys A most interesting afternoon was spent with the boys at the Armenian Orphanage, Georgetown, when the Dreadwought Chapter. 1.0 D.E., Toronto, presented to their school a picture of His Maj esty, King George. Mrs. F. Deni son Taylor, regent; Mrs. W. J Kernohan, educational secretary Mrs. Howard Maynard, standard bearer; Mrs. Burold MacMahon' and Mrs. F. Cottle were present The educational secretary in a well chosen address to the ninety Insurance Service Georgelown boys present, made the presenta tion. The regent, on behalf of

> their part in making the afternoon a success by contributing songs. Business College Cor. Youge and Alexander Sts.

the chapter, presented to each boy

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age, after which through the kind-

ness of Mrs. MacMahon and the

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other than Canadian Notes and cheques of other Banks United States and other foreign currencies . . Loans and Discounts and other Assets 259,515,557.66 Bank Premises Liabilities to customers under lette : of credit (as per contra) \$748,836,088,56

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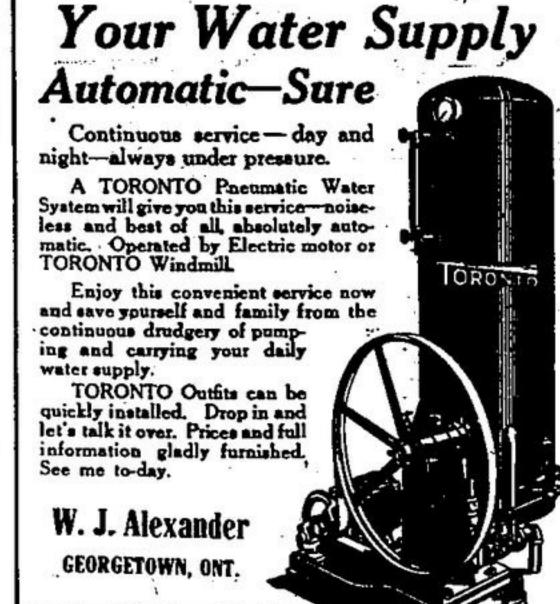
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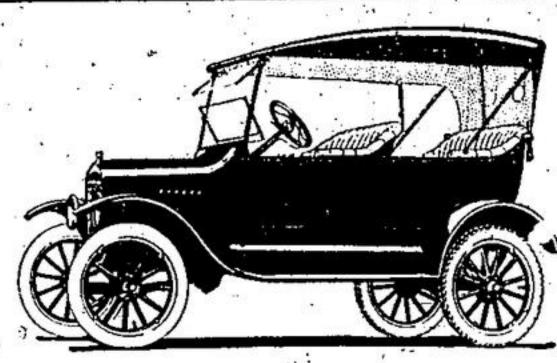
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Agriculture Toronto. Old your claver kill out in the spring? If It did, you had better write the Department of Chemistry, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, for directions for taking a sample of your soll to discover the reason. Reports from some districts this

year show a good deal of winter wheat and glover killed out, states the Department of Chemistry, O.A.C. This is highly undestrable, and can be prevented by the use of lime and acid phosphate applied with the crop on which the clover is seeded. In some cases lime is not necessary, for the soll is not held; but where acidlty occurs lime is very essential. Phosphorus is a great root farmer and t is the strong devo-rooted clover and wheat plant that withstands the alternate freezing and thawing of

In answer to a circular sent out ast spring to the twenty-five cooperative experimenters handling our Lime Phosphate Experiment, the majurity report that the clover on the half acre which received crushed limestone and acid phosphate in the fall of 4922 is in perfect shape, while in many cases the untreated section did not winter nearly as well and in one or two cases will have to be ploughed up.

If seeding is done with spring grain it is good business to use acid phosphate at the rate of at least 300 pounds per acre, and preferably 400. If the suil is acid, lime is also necessary to give a strongly-rooted clover and alfulfa which will carry it over the first winter, the most critical pered of the life of the plant

Nitrate of Soda Helps In Cold In such a season as the spring of last year, cold and wet, the greatest need of the plant is for nitrates, says the Department of Chemistry, Ontarlo Agricultural College, Guelph. The ground will be so cold and wet that takes a long time to warm up, and as a result bacterial activity is at a low ebb. As a result no nitrates are formed in the soil, and plants 'cannot make vegetative growth.

To correct this and enable the plant to get away to a good start. apply nitrate of soda one hundred pounds to one hundred and fifty pounds per here at once. It bought in lots of several hundred pounds !! can be obtained at a reasonable price. and its benefit is almost certain. De not, however, apply if heavy rain

threatens, as it is soluble and will be lost by washing. Another benefit which will be derived is this that the nitrate of soda down into the soil. The roots go after R, and hence the result is a deeper rooted plant more able to withstand the period of drouth which

so often tollows a wet seed time. Poultry Pointers.

An ointment of lard and kerosene a good one for scaly legs. Nothing will more quickly make scrubs of your stock than scrub The best tonics you can rive your stock are fresh air, exercise and a

It is usually the best policy to keep the nens shut up on cold, rainy days. They are better inside than out during such weather. "Bad luck" is nothing more than a penalty for mis canagement. Before

you begin to complain, it would be better to investigate. Fords are naturally of a hardy nature. They can be kept so by good care and breeding only from the strongest and most vigorous specinens each year.

The poultry building should not be so wide that the rays of the run can not reach the back of the interlor of the house. Otherwise it will be damp. Fourteen feet is a convenient width. Chicken mites do not feed to any great extent upon other hosts when chickens are at hand. They are carried about chiefly by the interchan; of poultry and in crates and boxes in which fowls are shipped.

Poultry raising is similar to farm ing in that it is not so much the number of acres owned, but the num; ber properly handled that gives the profits. Small, well cared for flocks always bring the best returns. The hen's greatest profit-producing period is the first and second, years, and unless a hen is an especial y good breeder she should be dis-

posed of at the end of her second aving season and before-starting to Boys and girls should be encoura ged to start in the poultry business. It requires little money to invest, and the current expenditure may be reduced in part by utilizing farm and. I ciples we build business home wastes. If the project begins; with a laying flock the return begins!

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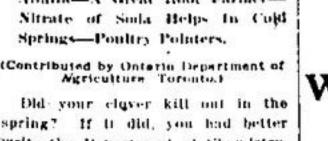
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