

APPRECIATION

The more I see thee, country mine, The more I know 'twas Love Divine That fashioned thee — a shapeless mould...

TWENTY YEARS AGO

From the Issue of The Free Press of Thursday, November 11th, 1915

The new stone road on the second line, through the Dublin swamp, is completed and is a very fine piece of road building.

Mr. Fred Helm has purchased the double stone house at the corner of Mill and Guelph Streets.

Principal Stewart reports a registration of sixty-three students in Acton High School.

Messrs. D. M. Henderson, Reeve Hynds, A. T. Brown and Gordon Hayward went to Brantle last Wednesday to see the soldiers march past on their big trek from Camp Niagara to Toronto.

Pte. Victor Lane, who left Acton in August, 1914, returned on Monday. He received a shrapnel wound in the leg and had suffered from typhoid fever.

Inspector Denys suggests that an additional teacher be employed, as the primary rooms are overcrowded.

The Council has decided to have an Honor Roll placed in the Council Chamber of all Acton men who have enlisted for overseas service.

BORN

WILHELM—In Acton, on Tuesday, November 6th, 1935, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert White, twins, a son and daughter.

DIED

McCLURE—At Killinrad, on Monday, November 1st, Samuel McClure, in his 85th year.

Worms in children, if they be not attended to, cause convulsions, and often death. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will protect the children from these distressing afflictions.

POULTRY FOR MARKET

To a great extent the ultimate success of the poultry enterprise will depend greatly on the manner in which the products are marketed.

Success in fattening and marketing will depend to a great extent on the operator's knowledge and ability to prepare his product in the most economical and attractive form.

Only birds with strong constitutions can stand heavy feeding with limited exercise. Birds that lack vigor seldom make profitable gains in the fattening pens.

A serviceable crate, six feet long by twenty-four inches wide, and eighteen inches high, may be made from slats nailed one inch apart, with a galvanized pan beneath the slatted floor for the droppings.

To ensure freedom from lice, dust the birds with flour of sulphur and create a good appetite by starving for the first twenty-four hours.

On the second day give only slight feed and gradually increase the amount until the third day; from then until finished give the birds all they will eat twice daily at regular intervals, about twelve hours apart.

Feed in troughs suspended in front of the crate. A good finish should be obtained in ten to twenty-one days.

Detailed instructions on killing, plucking and grading may be had from the Publicity and Extension Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

INDIA ONE OF LARGEST SUGAR PRODUCERS

India is one of the largest sugar producing countries of the world, with over 3,400,000 acres under sugar, producing approximately 5,000,000 tons of raw sugar, which is processed by more than 125 modern factories.

THOUGHT SO!

"Will you still love me when my hair is grey?" "Well, darling, I've stuck to you through brown, black, red, gold, and platinum, haven't I?"

Douglas' Egyptian Liniment is without a rival. Stops bleeding instantly. Cauterizes wounds and prevents blood poisoning.

Chronicles of Ginger Farm

Written Specially for Acton Free Press GWENDOLINE F. CLARKE

Now, to be absolutely up to the minute, one really must talk about the earthquake—and why not—it seems everyone has a different story to tell.

Our experience was this. Everyone in the house wakened as the house rocked and found his or her bed also shaking, windows were rattling and dishes clattering.

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I have since heard of people who were so frightened they got up and would not go to bed again, but after all, what good could anyone possibly do by staying up?

Perhaps I am a bit of a fatalist over things like this because I do feel that one cannot run to cover with any certainty of safety, as one has no means of knowing at what spot safety may be found.

Friday morning the children were quite anxious to get off to school—to swap stories, I suppose.

Eminent Artist—Here is my latest picture, "The Soul Kiss!" Film Censor—Very fine. But you mustn't allow visitors to look at it more than four seconds at a time.

NOBODY HOME

He—But why prolong the engagement? She—You still have \$200 left, haven't you?

HIGH MINDED

Wife—I saw the dearest little hat today. Hubby—That's just like you—always looking for the dearest instead of the moderately priced.

IF AND WHEN

"What's the longest period of the year?" "From one pay day to the next."

"Conceit is God's gift to little men." Bruce Barton.

LANDING TIME



"I suppose the Duke has landed outside?" "Landed one every time he married, but he managed to run through 'em all."

WRONG NUMBER



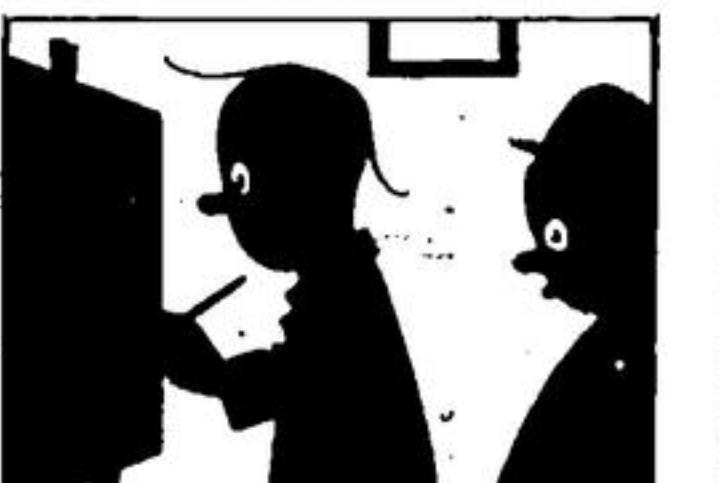
Mr. Ladiesman—Hello, Babe! The Telephone Girl Off Duty—Number, please?

THE CUSTOM



"You seem to prefer the beach to the piazza." "Yes, I prefer to be burnt by the sun than roasted by the gossip."

TIME LIMIT



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Velocity of Rivers is Greatest at Beginning

As rivers usually have their sources on very high ground, their velocity is greatest at the beginning of their course, which is for many streams a succession of rapids and waterfalls.

The velocity of falls, which is often enormous, cannot very well be included in any estimate of velocity of rivers, although the impetus given by rapids, as well as the general inclination of the bed of the stream has a most important influence on the rate of its current.

But the velocity of a river does not altogether depend on the slope of its bed, says a writer in the Cleveland Plain Dealer. Much is owing to its depth and volume; most rivers, therefore, flow with varying velocity at different seasons of the year.

There is no stream that has a regular current of 50 miles an hour or even half that. The lower Amazon flows at the rate of three miles an hour. The Mississippi, in the lower course, has a velocity of about three and a half miles an hour.

Chihuahua, Mexican Dog, Supposed to Be Oldest

The Chihuahua is a Mexican dog, named for the northern state of Mexico bordering along the Rio Grande. It is supposed to be the oldest dog in America, having been bred by the Aztec Indians, states a writer in the Washington Post.

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Hours and Minutes. The splitting up of the hour and the minute each into what is seemingly a curious division, sixty parts, is a link with one of the most ancient of peoples—the Chaldeans, or early Babylonians.

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118 YEARS OF AGE

Britain's Oldest Woman Still Enjoys Her Tea

Believed to be the oldest woman in Britain, Mrs. Caroline Merriott celebrated her 118th birthday in Mayday Hospital, Croydon, by being hostess at a tea-party.

In spite of her age, Mrs. Merriott is still an active woman mentally, and her voice is surprisingly strong. She eats three meals a day, and drinks several cups of tea with great enjoyment.

When she was born she was so small that for a week after her birth she could not put any clothes on her. She loves to recall her father's tale of how one of her uncles bet £100 that they could put her into a quart jug.

Born at Tooting Corner, ten years after Waterloo, Mrs. Merriott remembers the Crimean War, the Corn Law riots and the Coronation of Queen Victoria. She has been married twice, and her second husband died in 1906.

TIGHTEN THE TENSION. Eloping Girl: "Papa is going to be completely unstrung." Groom: "That's all right, dearest; we will wire him at once."

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DOMINION EXPERIMENTAL FARMS

Weekly News Letter

The Canadian Egg Laying Contest. The sixteenth Canadian Egg Laying Contest, held at the Central Experimental Farm, ended on October 23rd, having completed its 51 week course.

A feature of the contest was the good health of the birds and the absence of infectious and contagious diseases. A total of 107 birds qualified for registration, which corresponds closely with the total for last year.

The Ontario Egg Laying Contest. On Wednesday, October 23rd, the Ontario Egg Laying Contest came to an end, after a course of 51 weeks.

Assisted by the absence of any serious sickness or disease, the records of this year's birds are well in advance of those of any previous contest at Ottawa.

Egg weights were very good, 49 pens showing an average of over 24 ounces to the dozen for all eggs laid.

The Barred Plymouth Rocks were the most conspicuous breed in the final results.

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TIME TABLES

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

AT ACTON. Going East. Daily, except Sunday 7:05 a.m. Daily, except Sunday 10:07 a.m. Daily, except Sunday 6:13 p.m. Sunday only 7:34 p.m.

Going West. Daily, except Sunday 8:55 a.m. Daily, except Sunday 2:23 p.m. Daily, except Sunday 7:04 p.m. Sunday only 12:31 a.m. Sunday only 7:08 a.m. Sunday only 11:20 a.m.

ARROW BUS SCHEDULE

LEAVE WESTBOUND. 9:45 a.m. — 11:45 a.m. (except Saturday) — 2:15 p.m. — 3:15 p.m. (Saturday only) — 5:15 p.m. — 7:15 p.m. — 11:15 p.m. — 1:05 a.m. Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays.

LEAVE EASTBOUND. 7:00 a.m. (daily, except Sunday) — 9:10 a.m. — 12:45 p.m. — 4:30 p.m. — 6:45 p.m. — 9:00 p.m.

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PLEASE TAKE YOUR TAX NOTICE WITH YOU WHEN MAKING PAYMENT

R. J. McPHERSON, Collector