

STRAY SHOTS.

(Solomon, in the Shoe and Leather Journal.)

LOOK OUT FOR HIM.

When you find a man who displays a disposition to buy out all that is in your store at one lick, put him down for a pair of shoe laces or a five-cent box of blacking. There is a class of people who try to impress you with the idea that they want the very best you have, and that you will have to hump yourself to meet their big notions; but they generally wind up with much less than the majority of more modest people would be satisfied with. Our advertising man says when he runs up against a man who wants nothing short of six or seven pages, he shapes himself for a free reader, and he is seldom out. Business men of any kind of selling instinct know exactly what we mean. There are plenty of people that, if you could buy them at what they are really worth and sell them at the figure they put on themselves you would make a fortune in a lick. It is strange what asses people make of themselves sometimes. A book could be filled with the funny thrusts that a man meets in business.

LIARS MAKE LIARS.

The man who is crooked himself is always willing to listen to lies about others. A liar breeds liars. The man who encourages falsehoods will beget a following of liars. What folly for a man to look for truth in those about whom his whole life is a tissue of fraud. You might as well expect barley from thistles as honest clerks from a crooked proprietor or faithful servants from a deceitful master. When the head of an establishment puts a premium on falsehood, he should not be surprised when his till is tapped. "If a ruler hearkeneth to falsehood, all his servants are wicked." An honest employer makes an honest employee. There are cases, of course, where dishonesty in help crops in in spite of the influence a square man may exert, but these are the exception rather than the rule. Looseness of morals at the head of an institution is a calamity. Walk carefully before your help.

SHAKE IT.

Many a good ship has gone down through a little flaw in her timbers or a little carelessness on the part of her helmsman. Many a great man has gone down to ruin, disgrace and perdition through a little sin that sapped the foundations of his physical or moral nature. It is not the crimes that outrange all ideas of right and decency that decoy men to their destruction, but the little siren of personal gratification that lures them to the rocks. "Watch the heart," says Solomon, "for out of it is the issues of life." A man with a rotten heart can no more be great than a pigmy can become a giant. You can't grow any bigger than your secret sin. The man who indulges in secret vice may rise for awhile, but is as sure to drop as the sun is to rise. An eagle was seen to soar aloft one day from where it had evidently alighted in search of quarry. Suddenly it shot earthwards as though pierced with a bullet. A spectator hastened to the spot to learn the cause and found the bird quite dead. A weasel had fastened itself upon it and as it soared drained its life blood.

LET HIM ALONE.

Mind your own business and leave your neighbor mind his. The man who is continually talking about others has either a screw loose or is worth watching. It is an easy thing to pick out your neighbor's faults, and a man who enjoys this kind of occupation is usually so shoddy himself that two or three pulls will leave nothing but the warp. "He that is void of wisdom despiseth his neighbor." The man who continually harps on his neighbors faults does not see that his evil tongue injures his own reputation. There are some people that if you start them on the shortcomings of the man next door or their rival across the street, will spit out more venom in five minutes than a copper-head viper in a week. One of these people was talking of his neighbor, the other day, to a party who was listening to his ill-natured calumny with no little disgust. When he got through the listener quietly said, "Well he has at least one good quality which you appear to have overlooked." "If he has," said the backbiter, "I would like to know what it is." The other replied, "Well I have been in his store a dozen times and I never heard him say an unkind thing about you." The man who despises his neighbor is foolish in more ways than one. We may boast of our independence and sniff when it is suggested that we may find it pay us to secure and keep the good-will of those about us; but we will find sooner or later that we are under obligation to those we despise. We do ourselves harm by an unjust and ungenerous attitude towards others. Beware of the green eye. There are people whose moral liver is so jaundiced that they cannot tell white from black when it comes to merit in a neighbor. A man is in a bad case when he has a good word for no one. If you can utter nothing good of your neighbor you can at least keep your tongue still, for the whole text reads: "He that is void of understanding despiseth his neighbor; but a man of understanding holdeth his peace."

REASON NO II WHY YOU SHOULD USE

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Because it is always fresh and sweet. My teas are shipped to St. John direct from where they grow, instead of being imported from London, where teas often lie in warehouse for several months. The sales of Red Rose Tea are so large that any one lot of tea seldom remains on hand more than a few weeks; fresh lots arrive by every steamer. Then, in the grocery store, Red Rose Tea is never dead stock. Except where being first introduced, the demand is such that each shipment is sold in a very few weeks. From start to finish, Red Rose Tea is handled so that the consumer is sure to get it while it is fresh and sweet.

T. H. ESTABROOKS, St. John, N. B.

BRANCHES: TORONTO, WINNIPEG.

THE STRAIGHT MAN.

This old world has never got so far from the plumb line as not to have respect for uprightness. The worst liar this side of Hades has a respectful amount of veneration for the man whose word is as good as his bond. The most profane reprobate that ever played ducks and drakes with the English language will acknowledge his respect for the quite pure tongue man whose yea is yea, and his nay, nay. It would be a sorry place if all people were as bad as their speech or appearance indicates. We are often amused as well as encouraged at the appreciation of this particular department of this Journal as expressed by those who confess that while they are far from the straight line either in speech or life they read "Stray Shots" with keen interest. There are very few men but have their ideals, and no heart but a man's own knows the sad history of the failure to reach his ideal. In any case the genuine, the true, the pure hold a place in the appreciation of all classes that speak hopefully for the race. Solomon says: "He that loveth pureness of heart, for the grace of his life, the king shall be his friend." The king might well be the friend of the man who reaches the standard of the Creator who made the first man "Upright." The man who is pure, single, genuine, upright, is fit to stand anywhere. A man with a clean heart and a clean mouth is a sight to make men or angels rejoice.

OUT OF THE MOUTH.

A man can't have a dirty mouth and a clean heart. The two do not sort. Let me hear you talk and I will tell you whether it is safe to let decent women into your company. The man who talks smutt, thinks it; and "as a man thinketh in his heart so is he." Another thing, you can't enjoy hearing dirty talk and be clean yourself. The low-minded jade knows where to market his carrion, and when he leaves a regular portion at your door it is because you have consented to be a customer. Don't blame the butcher if he continues to send you "high" meat. Of all the beasts that prowl, the man who is continually sniffing up the back lane of lust and feeding upon the garbage of evil desire is the vilest. If you pretend any kind of decency, the next time one of these creatures blows the breath of an evil-smelling story in your face give him his reward. Lift him out of the door on the end of your boot. This is the only effective cure.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

CREDIT AUCTION SALE OF Farm Stock.

The undersigned Auctioneer has been authorized to sell by Public Auction at Lots 43-4, Con. 3, E. G. R., Glenelg, Edge Hill P. O., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 30th, 1905

- THE FOLLOWING:
- 1 general purpose horse, if not sold previously.
 - 3 young cows, supposed in calf.
 - 12 head young cattle, 2 years old.
 - 1 grade bull, 11 mos. old.
 - 13 well-bred ewes, supposed in lamb.
 - 1 set driving harness.

SALE AT ONE O'CLOCK, SHARP.

TERMS:

All sums of \$5 and under, cash; over that amount 12 months' credit will be given on furnishing approved joint notes. 6% discount will be allowed for cash in lieu of notes.

RICH. BARBER, H. MACKAY, Auctioneer.

EXPERIMENTS WITH FARM CROPS.

The members of the Ontario Agricultural and Experimental Union are pleased to state that for 1905 they are prepared to distribute into every township in Ontario material for experiments with fodder crops, roots, grains, grasses, clovers, and fertilizers. Upwards of 1600 varieties of farm crops have been tested in the Experimental Department of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, for at least five years in succession. These consist of nearly all of the Canadian sorts and several hundred new varieties, some of which have done exceedingly well in the carefully conducted experiments at the College and are now being distributed free of charge for cooperative experiment throughout Ontario. The following is the list for cooperative experiments in agriculture for 1905:

No.	Experiments.	Plots.
1-3	varieties of Oats	3
1-2	varieties of Barley	2
3-2	varieties Hulless Barley	2
4-2	varieties Spring Wheat	2
5-2	varieties Buckwheat	2
6-2	var. Field Peas for Nor. Ont	2
7-	Emmer and Spelt	2
8-2	var. Soy, Soja or Jap. Beans	2
9-3	varieties Husking Corn.	3
10-3	varieties Mangolds	3
11-2	var. Sugar Beets, feeding	2
12-3	varieties Swedish Turnips	3
13-	Kohl Rabi and 2 var. Fall Tps.	3
14-	Parsnips and 2 var. Carrots	3
15-3	var. Fodder or Silage Corn	3
16-3	varieties Millet	3
17-3	varieties Sorghum	3
18-	Grass Peas and 2 var. Vetches	3
19-2	varieties Rape	2
20-3	varieties Clover	3
21-	Sainfoin, Lucerne, and Barnet	3
22-7	varieties Grasses	7
23-3	varieties Field Beans	3
24-3	varieties Sweet Corn	3
25-	Fertilizers with Corn	6
26-	Fertilizers with Swede Tps.	6
27-	Growing Potatoes on level and in hills	2
28-2	var. early, med. or late Pot. 2	
29-3	grain mix. for grain prod.	3
30-	Planting Corn in rows and sqs.	2

The size of each plot in each of the first twenty-six experiments and of No. 29 is to be two rods long by one rod wide; in Nos. 27-8, one rod square and in No. 30, four rods square (one tenth of an acre).

Each person in Ontario who wishes to join in the work may choose any ONE of the experiments for 1905, and apply for the same. The material will be furnished in the order in which the applications are received until the supply is exhausted. It might be well for each applicant to make a second choice, for fear the first could not be granted. All material will be furnished entirely free of charge to each applicant, and the produce of the plots will, of course, become the property of the person who conducts the experiment. Ont. Ag. Col. C. A. ZAVITZ, Mar. 17th, 1905. Director.

You Melancholy Women!

Can't even sleep—restless day and night—brooding over imagined trouble all the time. The disease isn't in the brain, but in the blood which is thin and innutritious. Do the right thing now and you'll be cured quickly. Just take Ferrozone; it turns everything you eat into nourishment, consequently, blood containing lots of iron and oxygen is formed. Ferrozone makes flesh, muscle, nerve—strengthens in a week, cures very quickly. You'll live longer, feel brighter, be free from melancholy if you use Ferrozone. Fifty cents buys a box of this good tonic (fifty chocolate coated tablets in every box) at all dealers.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The undersigned having been restored to health by simple means, after suffering for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease Consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To those who desire it, he will cheerfully send, free of charge, a copy of the prescription used, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Catarrh, Bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. He hopes all sufferers will try his remedy, as it is invaluable. Those desiring the prescription, which will cost them nothing and may prove a blessing, will please address DR. W. L. FALLON, 111-113 St. John Street, New York.



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Don't fail to see our Entirely New Stock of Overcoats, just in, for the Spring Trade. We are selling them at rock bottom prices, and it will be to your advantage to see them before buying elsewhere. THEY ARE WATERPROOF, and at the same time Stylish and Serviceable. These Coats are Tailor Made, and Superior in Quality and Workmanship to Ready-Made Goods. We have the Latest Shapes and Styles of the coming season in Mens' Hats, in Derby and Fedora, which are being sold at a bargain.

Call and See Us J. L. FLARITY Merchant Tailor.

STORE TO RENT—In J. M. Hunter's Brick Block. Plate Glass Windows, Tables, Counters, Shelving, Hot-air Furnace, Good stand on Main Street. Apply to J. M. HUNTER, Proprietor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE SURROGATE COURT OF THE COUNTY OF GREY.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES VAUGHAN, LATE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF GLENELG, IN THE COUNTY OF GREY, YEOMAN DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, Chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of James Vaughan, deceased, who died on or about the fourth day of February, 1905, are required on or before the 1st day of April A. D. 1905, to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver to Messrs. Mackay & Dunn, Barristers at Law, Solicitors for James Heslip, the executor of the said deceased, their Christian names, surnames and addresses, with full particulars of their claims and the nature of all securities, if any, held by them, and that after the said day, the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice. Dated the 6th day of March A. D. 1905.

MACKAY & DUNN, Solicitors for the Executor.

Notice to Creditors

In the Matter of the Estate of George Adlam, late of the Township of Bentinck, in the County of Grey, Farmer, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario," 1897, Chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the Estate of the said George Adlam, who died on or about the 25th day of January A. D. 1905, are required, on or before the 1st day of April A. D. 1905, to send by post prepaid or deliver to one of the undersigned Executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them. AND further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution. Dated at Durham this 27th day of February A. D. 1905.

MARtha ADLAM, Durham P. O. WILLIAM J. ADLAM, Durham P. O. DAVID ADLAM, Allan Park P. O.

For Sale or Rent.

LOT 51, 52, 53—Sideroad 50, 14 1/2 miles north of Priceville. Part in 1st class condition. Good buildings with running stream convenient to the barn. For further particulars apply to DUGALD D. McLACHLAN, Priceville P. O. Jan. 28—tf.

For Sale.

A DESIRABLE PIECE OF PROPERTY consisting of twenty-five acres one-half mile east of Corporation of the Town of Durham, described as South part of Lot 59, Con. 2, E. G. R., Glenelg. On the premises is a comfortable brick five-roomed cottage, a good frame barn and stable, a small bearing orchard, an abundance of the best running water. All cleared, title good. Terms easy and price right. For further particulars apply to THOS. DAVIS, Lot 2, Con. 3, N. D. R., Glenelg, April 4, 1904.—tf.

Town Lots for Sale.

IN THE CENTRAL PART OF Durham. Four lots on the West side of Albert Street, for private residences. Now is the time to get these lots. For further information apply to J. M. HUNTER, Durham. April 12, 1904.—tf.

Park Lot For Sale.

PARK LOT NUMBER 13 NORTH of Saddle street in the Town of Durham, in the county of Grey, containing 4 acres more or less. For terms and particulars apply to J. P. TELFORD, Dec. 2.—tf. Vendor's Solicitor, Durham.

For Sale.

PURE BRED DURHAMS, YOUNG Bulls, Heifers and Cows. Terms can be arranged. VERSCHOYLE (Imp.) at head of herd. H. PARKER, Durham. March 1—tf.

Farm for Sale.

LOT 12, CON. 1, S. D. R., GLENELG, consisting of 50 acres—well watered, well fenced and mostly seeded down. Comfortable house and stables, 3 mile from school, 3 mile from Bunnessan P. O. and 4 miles from Durham. An excellent pasture farm, or would suit anyone wishing to engage in small farming. Apply on the premises, or by letter to ALEX. FIRTH, Bunnessan, Ont. March 6th—tf.

For Sale.

HOUSE AND LOT ON COUNTESS street—six-roomed, frame, 1/2 acre land. Good well, a few bearing trees, well located. Apply to JOHN KEYS, Durham. Feb. 15th—6wpd.

Farm For Sale.

212 ACRES NEAR WILDER'S Lake. Two barns, stone stables with cement floors, good house, well watered. Cheap. For further particulars apply to MACKAY & DUNN, Vendor's Solicitors. March 10—tf.

For Sale.

ONE RUN OF FORTY-EIGHT Inch French Burr Stones. Good floors, all complete with gearing and spindle. Also one Wheat Cleaner. May be seen by applying to Adam Robertson at McKechnie's Mill. Will sell cheap. Feb. 1. 5tc.

House for Sale.

SIX-ROOMED COTTAGE, PANTRY and Cellar. Also good Woodshed, 1/2 acre ground, well and cistern. Desirable location on College street, Durham. For terms and particulars apply at residence to A. FORD, Proprietor. Feb'y 10th—3mpd.

Farm for Sale.

BEING PARTS OF LOTS 62 AND 63, Bentinck, Con. 2, W. G. R., adjoining the Corporation of the Town of Durham. The farm consists of 42 1/2 acres—about 4 acres woodland, the balance under grass. Comfortable dwelling and good comfortable outbuildings. Small orchard. Just the kind of place for a dairy farmer or market gardener. Sold at right price and on easy terms as the proprietor intends going west and wishes to dispose of it. H. BURNETT, Proprietor, Jan. 20, 1905.—tf. DURHAM, ONT.

Stock for Sale.

THREE GOOD YOUNG COWS—one to calve in March and the other two in April; two thoroughbred bulls, also a good heavy Clyde Horse 5 yrs. old. WM. RITCHIE, Edge Hill, Mar. 6th—4.

House for Sale.

FIVE-ROOMED HOUSE—EASILY heated, good cellar, garden. Desirable location on George street. For terms and particulars apply on the premises to M. J. HUTTON. Jan. 25th—2mpd.

House to Rent.

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Houses for Sale.

BRICK OR FRAME—APPLY TO J. W. CRAWFORD. Also several building lots.

NOTICE.

PENDING a settlement with the estate of the late Neil McKechnie, and a dissolution of the partnership heretofore existing. It now becomes imperative that all accounts and notes should be settled with as little delay as possible. In accordance with the above announcement, we have therefore to request a settlement with all parties indebted to the undersigned. N., G. & J. McKECHNIE, Durham, Feb. 1st, 1905.

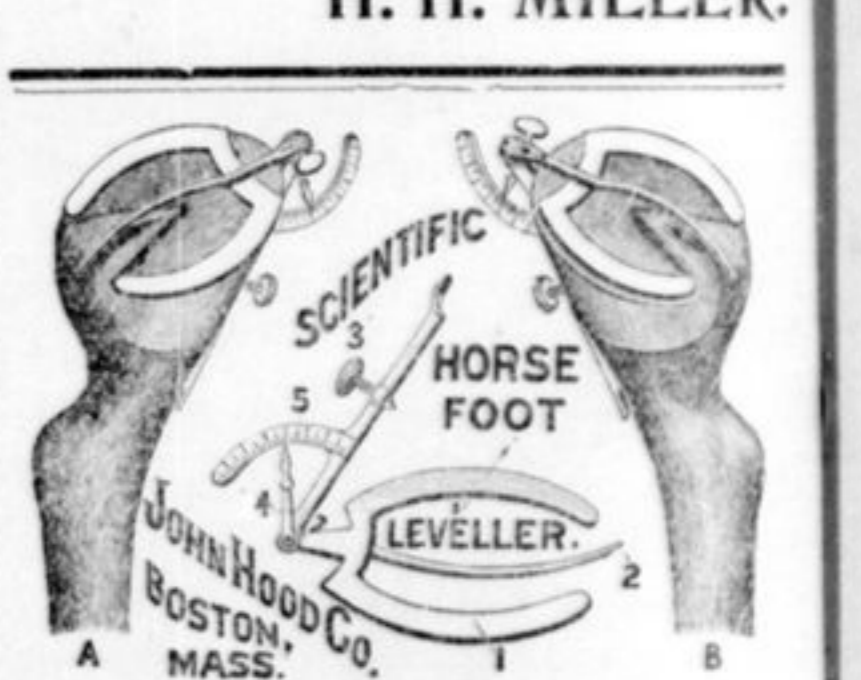
NOTICE.

ALL PARTIES OWING JOHN Jardine for horse service for season of 1903 are kindly requested to pay the same to either Chas. Arnett, Durham, or E. T. Edwards, Eborale. Receipts will be given for all money received, a list of the names kept and the money deposited to his credit. BY ORDER OF ADMINISTRATRIX, March 6th, 1905.

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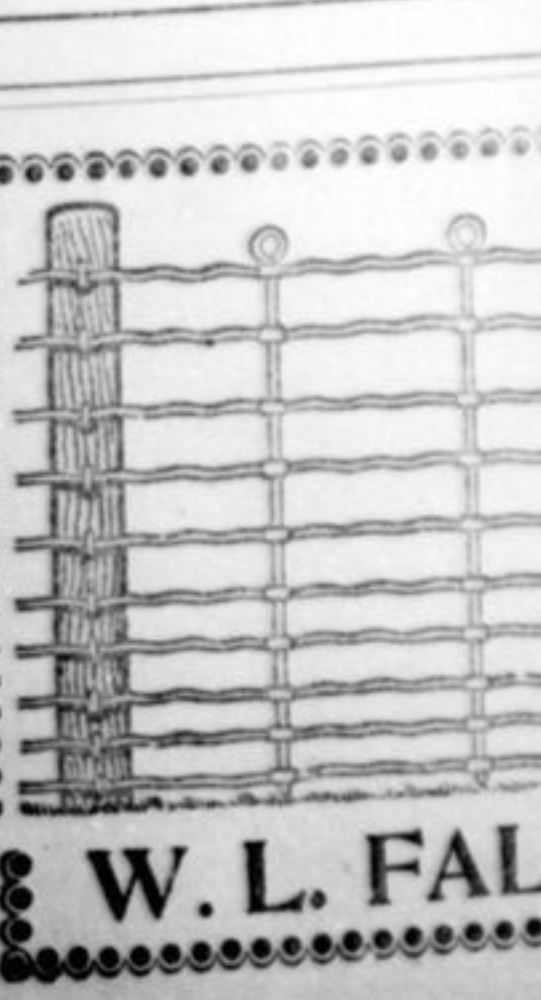
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