

SMALL ADS.

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Farms for Sale.

60 ACRES IN BENTINCK TOWNSHIP, being Lot 26, Concession 3 W. G. R. will be sold cheap; good title. Apply to George Whitmore, Durham, or Thomas Davis, R.R. No. 2, Priceville, 31st

BEING LOT 53, CON. 3, E. G. R. Glenelg, containing 100 acres; on premises are new frame barn, brick house, sheds and outbuildings; running stream through property; about 10 acres hardwood bush, rest in good state of cultivation. Possession given on Nov. 1st, 1913. For further particulars, apply on premises to Mrs John Staples, Rural Route No. 1, Durham, Ont. 944pdt

Lots For Sale

NORTH PART OF LOT 6, THE old skating rink site, Garafraxa street, and the north part of lot 5, Albert street. Apply to A. H. Jackson. 930tt

Dwelling For Sale

A GOOD COMFORTABLE DWELLING, one of the most comfortable in Durham, and one of the very best locations. There are in connection a couple of good building lots, and these will be sold with the building or separately, as desired by the purchaser. The dwelling contains all modern conveniences, is easily heated, and will be sold for much less than cost, and on terms to suit the buyer. Immediate possession may be had. Any person wishing a good comfortable home, easily maintained and with up-to-date equipment should consult us at once. Buying in this case will be as easy as renting, and much more satisfactory. If you mean business, call at The Chronicle office and get the initial information.

For Sale

THE PROPERTY OF THE LATE Philip Eva, in the town of Durham. For terms and particulars apply to J.P. Telford, Durham. 11,13tt

LOTS 8, 9 and 10, KINCARDINE street, West, Apply to A.H. Jackson. 4115tt

FOR SALE.—1 CEMENT TILE outfit, 1 cement brick machine; half acre of gravel pit; also pump business. Business will be continued as usual until sold. Apply to Geo. Whitmore, Durham. 511tt

Rink for Sale

THE DURHAM SKATING RINK, one of the best in Western Ontario, is offered for sale; a good paying proposition; good reason for selling. Apply J. A. Brown, Durham, Ontario.

House and Lot for Sale

PART OF LOT 1, GARAFRAXA street, west; house and stable in good condition; recently vacated by James Morris and now occupied by Hugh McLean. For particulars apply to J. P. Telford, Durham. 511tt

To Rent

A GOOD SIX-ROOMED BRICK house on Queen St., South, 1/4 acre of land; good well and good cellar. Apply to Edward Walsh, Durham. 113015tt

For Sale or to Rent

A COMFORTABLE BRICK COTTAGE; good stone cellar; 7 acres of land, more or less; on second concession of Glenelg, 1/2 miles east of Durham; has a good frame barn on it. Apply to A. H. Jackson, Durham. 513

Property for Sale

THAT SPLENDID RESIDENCE property in Upper Town belonging to the late Mrs. Wilson, will be sold on reasonable terms; contains 1/2 acre more or less; comfortable residence, 7 rooms; hard and soft water; good bearing orchard and garden; fine situation. Apply on premises, or to Thos. Ritchie or Duncan Smellie, executors. 629tt

Thresher for Sale

ONE 17-HORSE WHITE TRACTION engine; McDonald separator with stacker; and tank; all in first-class condition. Apply to O'Neil Bros., Priceville, R.R. 2

Tenders Wanted

TENDERS FOR PAINTING THE walls, ceiling, interior and exterior woodwork, of Zion church in the next few weeks will be received by the undersigned up to Wednesday, August 16. For particulars apply to John McNally or R. T. Edwards, R. R. No. 1, Markdale.

No fruit jar that has been standing for weeks is free from germs. Before putting fruit in them they should be thoroughly sterilized by boiling in soda water.

A red hot iron will soften old putty so that it can be easily removed. Ten ounces of wholemeal bread and a pint of skim milk are equal to an ordinary restaurant dinner.

THE COMPOST HEAP

Successful gardening operations necessitate the possession of a good compost heap. It is easily made and a wonderful convenience and help. It stimulates growth in flowers and produces bigger and more highly colored blooms. For roses especially it is unequalled. A compost heap of manure from cow barns is used by all big rose growers.

The foundation of a compost heap is manure which is best obtained from a cow stable. In case this is not available, straw manure from horse stables or dropping from poultry houses will serve. Pile the manure about a foot deep, then alternate layers of sods, lawn clippings, weeds and any other vegetable material with manure. In dry weather the heap should be watered and should then be left until the material begins to decay. Turn the heap over occasionally and add some fertilizing material; also some additional clippings, weeds, leaves and other similar material.

One advantage of a compost heap is that it affords a means of converting almost every kind of garbage into valuable fertilizer. A compost heap of this character should stand a year to be really most valuable as a fertilizer. If, however, it has been kept damp and turned frequently it can be used in the course of two or three months. In a year's time a compost heap should be mellow, fine and black and sufficiently moist to make a ball when squeezed in the hand. It should not be wet nor should it emit an offensive odor.

QUEERLY INSPIRED

Seasickness Also an Aid to Literary Inspiration

Mrs. Howe, who wrote "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," one of the finest national hymns in the world, got the inspiration in bed. Someone had suggested to her that she should set some fine words to the tune of "John Brown," but though she tried repeatedly she could not compose anything that would pass muster. One night she dreamed she had composed the poem, and waking up got out of bed, went to her desk, and wrote the whole poem as it stands to-day.

Swinburne told Mr. Edmund Gosse that "Baudelaire" was written in a Turkish bath. This poet is often a little tropical, and he evidently wanted to get the right atmosphere. A famous playwright lately confessed that almost all his best ideas came to him while rushing about in a motor car. The swift motion seemed to excite thought. So much was this the case that he had his car fitted with a tiny writing table, so that he could jot down all his happy thoughts as they came rushing on the wings of the wind into his brain. When the engine stops the inspiration stops too.

It is a remarkable fact that that poem of spring and flowers, "Oh, to be in England now that April's here!" was written during a bad attack of seasickness in the Mediterranean by Robert Browning. Mark Twain speaks of a man who had the "Oh, my's!" very bad in similar circumstances, but Browning's "Oh, my's!" turned to poetry of the highest order.

PUTTING THE FIRE OUT

Finding Fires is Not Sole Task of Forest Ranger

Where there are no known trails time is wasted trying to stop a forest fire at no particular vantage point, until probably hours, and days, in some cases, afterwards when some one has had a look over the ground. This vantage point should be known beforehand, and a concentration made there, with a line of retreat to the next defence, already known, in case of a sudden fall back. With good maps, artificial water supply where natural supplies fail, not a very difficult or costly matter, and some attempt at organization, a portable fire pump would be a very useful and valuable weapon in the hands of the men in the field. There is too much talk as to what should be done and too little action taken in the field. What is wanted is more of this talk put into action. The average forester seems to think that when a decent map and estimate is made that all is done. Both are extremely useful, but do not go far enough.

Good Butter Helps Demand

Good butter is an essential asset of the dairy business under any condition. Each pound of good butter sold increases the consumptive demand of butter. Quality is the most effective advertising medium; in fact, it is an absolute necessity for the permanency of the business. The better the quality of butter the greater its consumption; the more brisk and the more favorable the butter market, the larger the returns. Quality is also the only really effective means to successfully compete against butter substitutes.

An Apostle of Peace



ROWULO S. NAON

Ambassador from the Argentine to the United States, and one of the three so-called "A.B.C." mediators, who has been mediating in his efforts extending over a number of years to preserve peace among the nations of North and South America.

WHEN PRUNING TREES

Always use a pole saw and pole shears on the tips of long branches, and use the pole hook in removing dead branches of the ailanthus and other brittle trees where it would be too dangerous to reach them otherwise.

Do not "head back" or cut off the top of a tree except where the tree is old and failing, and then under special instructions.

Be as sparing and as judicious in pruning as possible, and do not raise the branches so high as to make the tree look like a telegraph pole.

Commence pruning the tree from the top and finish at the bottom. Make every cut as close and parallel to the trunk as possible.

To make the cut perfectly smooth the saw must be well set and sharp. Leave no stubs, dead and dying wood, or fungus-covered branches behind you.

Do not fail to cover every wound with coal tar, not allowing it needlessly to run down the trunk.

Do not remove several large branches on one tree at a time. They must be removed gradually, the work extending over several seasons.

LIME FOR ORCHARDS

Farming Expert Says It Will Start a Clover Crop

Prof. W. S. Blair of Kentville, N.S., writes: I am often asked if I would advise lime for an orchard. My reply is, yes! for the purpose of starting a clover cover crop, if for nothing else. It is doubtful of what value lime is to increase our apple crops, but certainly many orchards will not produce clover without lime. The quantity per acre required will vary somewhat, and in many cases all the lime requirements may be made up by a judicious use of slag. I am convinced, by our experiments at Kentville, that lime in some form is essential in order to get a growth of clover on many of our soils. The reason why vetch has given better results than clover is that vetch will thrive on soils which are quite acid, although liming is usually helpful to it. It has, therefore, a far wider range of adaptability than clover, which tends to disappear altogether when soils become exceedingly acid. Lime, of itself, will not always give increased crops. On poor soils there is not the gain one might expect, for lime will not furnish the necessary nitrogen, potash and phosphoric acid.

Fine English Art

An incident of a London Red Cross sale was the purchase by Lady Wernher of a panel of English tapestry, probably woven at Soho in the early eighteenth century, for \$2,275, to give to the London Museum, and her purchase of a Toft ware dish, inscribed "Thomas Toft," for 600 guineas—after purchasing it once for 650 guineas and putting it in the sale again for the benefit of the Red Cross. This piece of ware Lady Wernher gave to the British Museum. Toft ware, which is very rare, was one of the peasant industries that fought a losing fight against imported German earthenware, and in character nothing resembling it was ever imported.

Important Hindu Shingle Mill

The Hindu is progressing in British Columbia. A company composed exclusively of persons of that faith has been formed to operate the B. Jahn Shingle Mill at Langley, B.C., and is reported to be prospering exceedingly.

One way to make friends—keep advice to yourself.

DO YOUR FEET BURN?

Then use Zam-Buk. There is nothing so soothing for tender, aching or blistered feet. It will end the burning, draw out the soreness, prevent blistering and give you perfect foot comfort. Also there is nothing so good as Zam-Buk for sunburn, heat rashes, blistered hands, aching muscles, mosquito and insect bites, cuts, bruises, burns and all skin injuries and ailments. 50c. all druggists and stores.



A RELIABLE AGENT WANTED

In every good town and district in Ontario where we are not represented Territories reserved for the right man Highest commissions paid. Attractive advertising matter.

A Splendid List of New Specialties for Season 1916-17 including the new everbearing Raspberry, St. Regis.

STON & WELINGTON

The Fonthill Nurseries. (Established 1887)

TORONTO 6-8-3m ONTARIO

THOUSANDS OF MEN REQUIRED FOR HARVESTING IN WESTERN CANADA

Thousands of Men are required to help in the great work of harvesting the Western crop. The task of transporting to the West this great army of workers will fall to the lot of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Excursions from points in Ontario to Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta will be run, and special trains operated, making the trip in about thirty-six hours, without change or transfer.

"Going Trip West," \$12.00 to Winnipeg.

"Returning Trip East," \$18.00 from Winnipeg.

Consult C.P.R. Agents regarding transportation west of Winnipeg. Going Dates, August 17th and 31st—From Toronto Sudbury Line and East, but not including Smith's Falls or Renfrew, also from Main Line East of Sudbury to, but not including North Bay.

August 19th and September 2nd—From Toronto, also West and South thereof. Further particulars from C.P.R. Agents, or W. B. Howard, District Passenger Agent Toronto.

MY PA HE SAYS.

My Pa he says that little boys Should play no tricks and make no noise.

That when they go to school each day, They ought to work more than they play.

Lives of great men are all sublime But bad boys end by doing time. Because they had such stubborn ways,

My Pa he says.

My Pa he says when he was small He didn't care for playing ball

Or catchin' fish or goin' swimmin' At school he never got a trimmin'.

He says he never played for "keeps"

He says the teachers loved him so For all the things he got to know. "Those were my parents' proudest days."

My Pa he says.

Pa's Ma just came to spend a week And Pa ain't got no piece to speak. He told me I could run and play And go in swimming every day.

Pa's Ma she said "Of course he can! Why should you stop the little man?"

"When you were young you did it too;

I couldn't do a thing with you. Don't ever let him make you cross You let his mother be the boss!

A child as wild as you were, Jim Should never scold a boy like him. You ought to feel ashamed to scold."

You never did what you were told The only time you did no wrong And acted nice the whole day long Was once when you were sick in bed!"

Pa's Ma she said. —William F. Kirk.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency) on certain conditions.

Duties.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may preempt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties.—Six months' residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent; also 50 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain Districts. Price \$5.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.

W. W. CORY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for. 41166m

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The undersigned begs to announce to residents of Durham and surrounding country, that he has his Planing Mill and Factory completed and is prepared to take orders for

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(HEAD OFFICE - TORONTO)

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DURHAM BRANCH, John Kelly, Manager