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BLACK LIST THE DEAD BEATS

There are dead-beats, but who made them? Nature, in some cases and the business methods of business men in others. When a man is found out to be wilfully dishonest by a business man, every other business man in the community should be made cognizant of the fact. If a business man gets "stung" by a dead-beat, he shouldn't be ashamed to tell it, so as to save others from getting in the same box. To lose a dead-beat from a list of customers is not a severe loss, and the business man who warns others of the danger is a public benefactor to others of his kind. To expose a dead-beat in the start, to nip his dishonesty in the bud, will do him more good than harm. It might force him to be honest when he was on the verge of becoming dishonest, and a man who is honest even by pressure is better than a dishonest man. The man who proves himself wilfully dishonest should be treated by everybody on the cash-in-advance principle, and as soon as he learns he can get nothing till the cash is on the counter, he will soon realize his position in the community. It takes courage and backbone on the part of the business man to say "no" to the oily-tongued dead-beat with the ear-marks of honesty, but it will pay to brace up. The credit system is a common evil in business, and there are people who would buy it on credit. Black-listing dead-beats would save a lot of trouble.

HOTEL REGULATIONS

According to regulations governing "standard" hotels, which will be the hotels of the province after September 16, applications for licenses must be made before August 15—so stated Mr. W. S. Dingman, vice-chairman of the Ontario License Board during the week. The following is a summary of the regulations: "That in addition to being a suitable place for public accommodation, each standard hotel shall be a well-appointed eating house. "That application for license for a hotel should be made to the Board through the License Inspector not later than August 15, for the license beginning September 16, 1916, and thereafter not later than March 15 for the license year commencing May 1. License fees are \$1. "That every hotel must keep a supply of pure cold drinking water, conveniently placed for the use of guests. "That every guest's room shall have a bolt on the inner side of every door. "That fire escape signs must be prominently displayed, and ropes must be placed at the windows of every bed-room. "That liquor must not be sold, served or kept on the premises. "That no disorderly conduct, gambling or drunkenness may be permitted upon the premises."

KING PRESENTS STALLION

Famous "Anmer" Given to Canada to Improve Thoroughbred Stock. With a view to the improvement of the stock in the Dominion and in recognition of Canadian sacrifice in the war His Majesty, King George the Fifth, presented to the Dominion Government his famous stallion Anmer who was in the running for the 1913 Derby when a suffragette attempted to snatch at his bridle, succeeding in losing the race for the Royal entry and in being trampled to death. This beautifully bred horse was selected by Lord Marcus Beresford from the Royal stud as one most suitable for the Canadian requirements and has been pronounced by great Canadian breeders as the best stallion that has ever left England.



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German prisoners carrying their wounded. This picture, taken in the Somme region, shows German soldiers captured by the British carrying one of their wounded comrades to the rear.

FLESHERTON.

The annual meeting of the Flesherton branch of the Oppen Canada Bible Society was held in the Methodist church on Wednesday evening of last week and was fairly well attended. Mr. J. S. Murray, a native of Japan, who has been in the work of the Bible Society in Canada for two years, gave an illustrated lecture on the work of the society. The officers elected for the ensuing year are: T. K. McKenzie, president; J. J. Thompson, vice-president; W. H. Bunt, secretary; W. H. Thurston, treasurer and depository.

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Walkerton. Dr. Anne Ellison and Miss Hazel Thompson, of Toronto, visited over the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Phillips. Mr. W. Trimble took in the sports at Owen Sound on Monday.

SAUGEEN VALLEY.

Dr. Anne Ellison and son, Jimmie, of Toronto, who have been visiting her father, Mr. Neil McGillivray, for the past month, is at present visiting relatives at Owen Sound.

Miss Ida Davis returned to Toronto on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Collinson of Durham, visited Monday with his brother.

Mrs. Fentoman of Toronto spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McNab.

Miss Laura McGillivray of Toronto visited her father over the holiday.

Messrs. Ed. Lee and Will Clark of Kemble motored down and were guests at Mr. Jas. McGillivray's recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson of Holstein visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Binnie, the first of the week.

Master Roy Gardiner returned to his home in Toronto, after spending a month's vacation with relatives here.

Miss Maud McGillivray went to Toronto last week. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Whitmore of Durham spent the holiday with their parents here.

JUST LIKE GEORGE.

Uncle Eben—I just had a letter from my English cousin. He was in the trenches. He says one day his company was ordered to charge, and the first thing he knew he ran into a lot of barbed wire, several mines, and a hundred German batteries.

Aunt Nancy—Just like George—never looks where he's going.

CANADIAN NATIONAL Aug. 26 EXHIBITION Sept. 11 Empire Federation Spectacle 1,200 Performers; 10 Massed Bands; Chorus of 60 Voices Glorious Pageant symbolizing Imperial Solidarity and Power Mammoth Scenic Reproduction of the British Houses of Parliament, Westminster Abbey and the War Office.

W ON AND UNDER W SEA ON LAND A R IN THE AIR R Scenes that have thrilled the Empire Re-enacted by Overseas Troops. Shells in Process of Manufacture Immense Munitions Exhibit Model Camp, Trench Warfare, Hand Grenade and Bomb Throwing, Destruction of Warships by Hidden Mines, Bayonet Fighting, Federation Year Fireworks, Complete New Midway.

Anmer The King's Horse Government Exhibits, Superb Showing of Live Stock and Agricultural Products, Acres of Manufactures. Toronto, Aug. 26 to Sept. 11

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Table with columns for August 8th and various market items like Toronto Cattle Market, Toronto Grain Markets, Butter and Cheese Markets, and Wholesale Produce.

FELT LIKE A NEW PERSON

After Taking Only One Box Of "Fruit-a-lives"

EAST SHIP HAERBOUR, N. S. "It is with great pleasure that I write to tell you of the wonderful benefits I have received from taking "Fruit-a-lives". For years, I was a dreadful sufferer from Constipation and Headaches, and I was miserable in every way. Nothing in the way of medicines seemed to help me. Then I finally tried "Fruit-a-lives" and the effect was splendid. After taking one box, I feel like a new person, to have relief from those sickening Headaches". Mrs. MARTHA DEWOLFE. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

WORK. People talk about the joy of having work to do. But I don't think that I would miss my work a day or two. It's nice to be so busy that you don't have time to think about your knocks and troubles big, from which you try to shrink. But when I'm through with, or have leave from, one long day's hard work, it seems to me much easier from troubles, too, to shirk. I'm not against the optimist who sees the sunny side, but talking of his work as nice is most too big a stride. If work is such a joy for some, which I don't think can be, I wish that they would do the work and leave the play for me.

NOTHING WORSE! Benevolent-looking Lady (with a pitying look at the man who has just been dragged from underneath his motor car)—Poor man, have you a wife? Unfortunate Motorist—No, madam, I haven't. This is the worst thing that has happened to me.

SOUVENIR GLASSWARE We have some of the newest novelties in this line. See our window display. The Variety Store

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Lace Curtains 31 in. wide, 2 1/2 yds. long, 50c pr. 40 in. wide, 2 1/2 yds. long, 75c pr. 47 in. wide, 3 yds. long, \$1.00 pr. All Lace Curtains have finished tops. New Curtain Drapery, 36 in. wide, double border, cream or white, 15c per yard. Twilled Sheeting, 2 yds. wide, 25c yard. Heavy Bleached Sheeting, 2 yds. wide, 40c yard. Bleached Table Linen, 70 in. wide, 50c yard. New goods coming in every week.

W. H. BEAN Big 4

DURHAM MARKET DURHAM, August 10, 1916. Fall Wheat... \$1.00 o \$1.00 Spring Wheat... 1.00 to 1.00 Milling Oats... 44 to 45 Feed Oats... 42 to 43 Peas... 1.50 to 1.65 Barley... 60 to 65 Hay... 8.00 to 10.00 Butter... 22 to 22 Eggs... 23 to 23 Potatoes, per bag... 1.50 to 1.75 Dried Apples... 5 to 5 Flour, per cwt... 3.45 to 3.40 Medical, per sack... 2.90 to 2.90 Linen, per cwt... 1.00 to 1.75 Live Hogs, per cwt... 11.50 Hides, per lb... 15 to 16 Sheepskins... 35 to 60 Wool... 50 to 50 Tallow... 5 to 5