

In Other Communities

Taken From Our Exchanges About People of Your Acquaintance.

Deer Attacked by Dog

Frederick Heimbecker, who for many years has had a hobby of keeping several deer in a large wire enclosure on his property, nearly lost one of his pets last Saturday morning when a large dog succeeded in making his way into the enclosure, and attacked the animals. One of the deer became so frightened that it broke through the wire netting and jumped into the mill race that passes the property. It swam up and down the race a few times till it was lassoed by some men on the bank who promptly returned it to its enclosure.—Walkerton Telescope.

Two Birds With Single Stone

Somebody in town seems to have whispered to the traffic officer that a few cars are still haunting the neighborhood without carrying 1930 markers. As a result, the constable visited town and caught one driver on the Orangeville road. It is said that while he was taking down the name and other details, another car appeared in sight pushed along by some young stalwarts from town. It might be argued that a car that was pushed was not being driven, and there is some doubt about whether it could be justly called a car anyway, but the cop made a second catch anyway. A new license costs \$5, and the second car is said to have cost less than that, so maybe it will be turned over in lieu of the fine and costs.—Fergus News-Record.

Walkerton Car Skids Into Ditch

Rev. R. Perdue, of town, Inspector of the Children's Aid Society, and Mrs. Perdue escaped quite miraculously from serious injuries last Tuesday afternoon, between Millarton and Kincardine, when his car skidded into a ditch. Though somewhat shocked, they were uninjured, but the car, a Durant sedan, was damaged to the extent of nearly \$500. Sleet forming on the windshield accounted for the accident, when Rev. Mr. Perdue applied the brakes the car turned completely over in the ditch and settled on one side. By breaking glass in a door the clergyman extricated Mrs. Perdue and himself. A Kincardine car brought them back to Walkerton and the car was towed in a couple of days later.—Walkerton Telescope.

Seriously Crushed By Heavy Truck

One of the large trucks belonging to Mr. C. Bondi, and driven by Gordon Arde, when being backed out of the Ford garage on Tuesday afternoon grazed the north wall. In trying to straighten the course of the truck, Mr. Arde put it in low gear and before he

could turn the wheel sufficiently, pinned Mr. Douglas Wetherall between the truck and the south wall with such force as to break a scapula in the corner of the office.

Three local doctors had him taken to the Wingham Hospital. Although badly hurt and in great pain he never lost consciousness.

A specialist was called from London. Mr. Wetherall is resting fairly well but it will be three days before he will be considered out of danger.—Wingham Advance-Times.

Car Commits Second Offence

While the Ethiopian doesn't change his skin or the leopard his spots, the little Ford coupe on the South line, Brant, that last year slew a cow has changed its repertoire this year by giving its owner a different kind of thrill.

It seems that while coming down the steep incline on to Traynor's bridge, on Saturday afternoon the brakes locked, and on the man and his wife getting out on either side to investigate, the car moved on and toppled into the ditch, turning over two or three times in its descent and making what looked like another spontaneous raid on the pocket book. However, on getting a team of horses and pulling it up on the road again, this road baby was found to be in fair working order, and while the tumbling about did not do it one bit of good, yet as it was in better condition than expected, the procession moved on to town much happier than what might have been.—Walkerton Herald-Times.

Markdale Honors Champions

At a banquet and dance held in Markdale on Thursday night last, Markdale, Chatsworth and Fiesherton joined in celebrating the arrival in Markdale of the London Free Press trophy representing the Junior N. H. L. championship.

As a result of the bad condition of the roads it was impossible to carry out the original program with regard to a dance in the Armouries, which had been planned on an elaborate scale.

A unique feature, and one which added greatly to the success of the banquet, was the inclusion as guests of the hockey club executive, the players' parents who attended in full force. The members of the team were the guests of the Revere Hotel and the banquet was also attended largely by the local fans.

The occasion of the arrival of the Junior N. H. L. trophy in Markdale will be remembered for a long time.—Markdale Standard.

Rocklyn Woman Saved From Fire

The fine frame residence belonging to Mrs. Ezra Cook and occupied by herself and her son, Karl Cook, at Rocklyn, was destroyed by fire with all its contents around midnight Tuesday night. There was a hockey match in the village earlier in the evening and a num-



CANADIAN CHAMP GETS BUSY

Jack Guest, the Canadian sculling champion, has decided to make another bid for the famous Diamond Sculls, which have so far eluded his grasp, and he has started a vigorous system of training with the intention of going over the English Henley in June. Guest is hailed by the critics as the greatest stylist in the rowing world at the present time.

ber of those who had attended were on their way home when they noticed the fire. They immediately hurried to the house and forced their way into the bedroom occupied by Mrs. Cook. Picking her up with the blankets, wrapped around her they carried her to safety.

In less than a minute after Mrs. Cook was removed the whole house was a mass of flames and in a very short space of time the residence was a smouldering mass of ruins.

The cause of the fire is a mystery but it is surmised that it was caused by a defective stovepipe. The building and contents were partly insured.—Meaford Mirror.

Didn't Steal For Gain

Motoring to the farm of Alex. Fair, Kincardine Township, at the early hours of the morning on March 4th, James Hewitt, a Greenock farmer, accompanied by Wilfred Schular of Greenock and William John Douglas of Kincardine Township, annexed two of the fattest geese and was getting away with them, when like the geese that saved Rome, they made such a racket that the owner's attention was attracted and he hustled out of bed in time to spot the number on the car as the trio drove off.

Following the tracks of the auto in the newly fallen snow, he succeeded in trailing the outfit to the Hewitt farm, when he recovered his birds and returned with them in triumph home.

Pleading guilty here on Tuesday morning to the theft, Hewitt in explanation of his action, and which was corroborated by the other two parties concerned, said he did not steal the geese for the purpose of gain, but that he intended to take them to the sugar bush and roast them. Magistrate Walker did not take very kindly to this explanation and scored the accused for his conduct and imposed the maximum fine on Hewitt of \$20 and costs of \$8.25. Schular, who was but 17 years of age, was assessed costs of \$8.25, while Douglas, an Irish immigrant boy who has only been in this country about eight months, was let go with a warning.—Walkerton Herald-Times.

Brevity

A cub reporter, frequently reprimanded for prolixity and warned to be brief, turned in the following:

"A shocking affair occurred last night. Sir Edward Hopeless, a guest at Lady Panmore's ball, complained of feeling ill, took a highball, his hat, his coat, his departure, no notice of his friends, a taxi, a pistol from his pocket and finally his life. Nice chap. Regrets and all that."

OTHER PAPERS' OPINIONS

A Sound Public Conscience

Canada will have more respect for parliament and for itself since the bill for putting a stop to the clearance of liquor for the United States was passed practically without opposition. It is evidence that there is, after all, a sound moral conscience in the Dominion, once awakened, will make itself felt.—Orillia Packet-Times.

The Home Town Paper

Attention has been drawn to the important place which a newspaper holds in a community, by the comment of a contributor to a current magazine who says: "If the newspaper is just a little better than its town, the latter is the gainer thereby." This principle is fully recognized by all thinking people, but it is profitable for people to be reminded of such things in order that they may realize the duty they owe in supporting their home town papers in every way possible.

The Business Outlook

People seem to be feeling a little more optimistic these days regarding the business outlook. Whether it's due to cheaper money or only to the nice Spring sunshine, the feeling's there. And it's what we need. Six months ago our so-called business men were spending half their time sitting in board-rooms, phoning their brokers or reading the market pages; now they are back attending to their knitting and doing some real work. With a little more general confidence injected into the situation, there'd be a real basis for improvement.—Saturday Night.

Money Not Everything

A petition for the probate of the will of the late William Howard Taft, former president and chief justice of the United States, showed that he died possessed of an estate of \$475,000. This is a comfortable fortune but not a vast sum when it is taken into consideration that there are forty thousand millionaires in the United States. It demonstrates, however, that honor and real success do not lie in heaping together piles of gold. There are undoubtedly few millionaires who would not have traded places with him in life.—Milverton Sun.

This Sounds Good

The Magazine of Business, published in the United States, gives Canadians an opportunity of looking at their own condition through other eyes, and the sight is an encouraging one, for the magazine says: "Canada owns a million cars, a million and a third telephones. They bought a billion dollars of new life insurance last year; have better than a billion and a half in their savings banks. Business is running 61 per cent over the 1921-1924 average and the national income has increased 20 per cent in three years." Praise such as this from an American source should be a good tonic for any Canadian who may be suffering from an inferiority complex.—Barrier Examiner.

Life of Town Depends on It

No business man in any place should allow a newspaper published in his town to go without his name and business being mentioned somewhere. This applies to all kinds of business and professional men. It does not mean that you should have a whole, half or even a quarter-page advertisement in each issue, but your name should be mentioned, if you do not use more than a two-line space. A stranger in picking up a newspaper, should be able to tell what business is represented in the town by looking at a paper. This is the best possible town advertiser. The man who does not advertise his business does an injustice to himself and to the town. The life of a place depends on the live, wideawake and liberal advertising man.—American Banker's Magazine.

Quebec Not to Blame

The inconsistency of Ontario over the divorce bill fiasco in the house of commons last week is very conspicuous. The Globe greeted the rejection of the measure with gratitude and thanksgiving. It marvels at the "close margin" by which the province has escaped "undesirable legal machinery" and calls upon "serious minded people to rouse themselves" against the persistent resolve of those who continue their repeated efforts to saddle this iniquity upon a decent population who countenance divorce by the senate without a protest.

On the same day the Toronto papers carried terrific blasts from prominent Orangemen against the province and

church which have again robbed Ontario of a most earnestly desired relief. The grand master was quoted as saying that French Canada should not deprive this province of the divorce laws which it desires.

Mr. Speaker was even condemned for casting what was wrongly thought to be the deciding vote, and this despite the fact that twenty six Ontario Liberals and Conservatives voted against the bill, as against twenty three in support of it. It is plain that, altogether aside from the merits of the case, Ontario should settle its own differences before it criticizes another province for defeating a measure which the vote of one of twenty six Ontario members would have saved.

Not that we hold any brief for the question of establishing divorce courts for Quebec, we could understand the Quebec M.P.'s position. But as the matter concerns Ontario alone, and has actually nothing to do with the morals or merits of divorce, but only with procedure in an accepted and established practice, their attitude is not easily understood. On the other hand, there is no sense in being unfair, no good in misrepresenting things to stir up trouble.—Alliston Herald.

LONG OCEAN JAUNTS ARE TAKEN BY BOTTLES

How far bottles may drift in the ocean is a question for which mariners have recently been trying to obtain a satisfactory answer. Two unusually long drifting records have already been reported to the hydrographic office in Washington. In each case the bottle had travelled nearly one-third of the distance around the world, or a little more than 7,000 miles.

One bottle, thrown overboard in the

north Atlantic near Europe by an officer of the Norwegian steamer Childar, was picked up near the Marshall Islands, the second, dropped in the same locality from the American steamship K. R. Kingsbury, drifted 7,000 miles.

The longest bottle drift in the records of the office was made about twenty years ago. A bottle was thrown into the sea on May 31, 1909, and was picked up again nearly three years later on May 19, 1912, after travelling 11,827 statute miles.

One might add that golf is a game in which the ball lies every way and the player always.

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SALESMAN: "You are six payments behind on your piano." CUSTOMER: "Well, you advertise, 'Pay as you play.'" SALESMAN: "What has that to do with it?" CUSTOMER: "I play very badly." —The Passing Show, London.