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Only one Lawn Mower left in stock, which we are offering at a bargain. Who will be the lucky one?

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Every farmer should have one of our Ladders and Apple Pickers.

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Chemist and Druggist.

THE EDITOR'S SONG.

How dear to my heart is the steady subscriber,
Who pays in advance without skipping a year;
Who lays down his dollars, and offers them gladly,
And casts 'round the office a halo of cheer.

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Who never says: "Stop it, I cannot afford it!"
Or, "Getting more papers each day than I read."
But always says, "Send it, the whole outfit likes it—
In fact, we regard it a business need."

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How welcome is he when he steps in the sanctum,
How he makes "our heart" throb,
How he makes "our eye" dance!
We outwardly thank him—we inwardly bless him—
The steady subscriber who pays in advance!

HITS AND MISSES.

In the beginning the woman forsakes the world for a man; in the end the man forsakes the women for the world.

The Chatsworth Banner says that there is a dark brown silence in the County Capital. Three lacrosse teams and not one championship.

The fall millinery openings will be the next great event to attract the ladies' attention—and, incidentally, to cause cold chills to run up and down the "hubbies" spinal columns.

An inspector, visiting a Canadian school, was very much worried by the noise of the scholars in the next room. At last unable to bear it any longer, he opened the door and burst in upon the class. Seeing one boy, rather taller than the others, talking a great deal, he caught him by the collar, carried him up to his own room, and banged him into a chair, saying, "Now, sit there and be quiet!" A quarter of an hour later, a small head appeared around the door, and a meek little voice said, "Please sir, you've got our teacher."

"A baby was born to a certain minister last Saturday morning," says an Oklahoma paper. "That evening the officers waited on him with \$50 in cash. The next morning, when the congregation assembled, two wags stood before the church door and one bet the minister would thank the Lord for the money first, and the other bet he would thank Him for the baby. When the reverend gentleman arose to pray he said: 'Lord, we desire, also, to thank Thee for this timely succor.' The boys are yet undecided as to which was the winner."

Anyone wishing to steal our editorials should just dip in and help himself. One paper last week had a bright, breezy appearance about it for the simple reason that three of our recent articles were used in it as original matter. No use in a fellow wearing his brains out, spoiling pens and using valuable ink when he can get a whole column of good, sensible reading by using the scissors after glancing over THE CHRONICLE. It would not be in keeping either with the thieving propensities of this class of editor to say a word about where he got his ideas. Our Editorial matter is not stolen; our Hits and Misses are often selected, but this one is original.

Six months ago or less a bashful old bachelor of 45, living not more than fourteen and a half miles from Fleesherton, became smitten with the charms of a gushing young maiden eighteen—or was it the young lady who became smitten with the bachelor and his broad acres which lay within half a mile of her home? Anyway a wedding took place. On the night of the wedding a supper was given at the bride's home. After supper the bridegroom appeared very "fidgety" for a time, and finally said: "Well, it's gotten late; guess I'll go home," and he started for the door. The bride not to be outwitted in this manner, and catching the blushing groom by the arm, simpered: "Hold on, Joseph, you know I'm going with you." A look of abject terror overspread the groom's face as he fairly yelled, "Oh, gosh! no! I've no accommodation for wimmen. Only g-g got one bed!" Just how matters were settled is nobody's business. Suffice, from latest accounts the accommodation appears to have been made satisfactory all round, and Cupid can be seen any day now with his feet dangling over the dashboard as the happy couple drive to town to do their shopping. May the little god never desert them.—Fleesherton Advance.

Twenty Years of Bronchitis. Captain Dunlop, of Kingston, commander of the steamer "Bohemian," of the R. & O. fleet, suffered unceasingly for twenty years, and although he took treatment all that time permanent relief was not obtained until he used "Catarrhzone" which cured him quickly and permanently. The Captain says "Catarrhzone is the best cure for Bronchitis on the face of the globe, and is pleasant to use, quick to relieve and sure to cure." Catarrhzone is a wonderful treatment for all diseases of the Throat, Lungs and Bronchial Tubes. Two months' treatment, price \$1.00, small size 25 cts. Druggist or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

FARM NOTES.

Management of the Illustration Poultry Stations.

The criticism in the Home of Commons on July 19th of the illustration poultry work of the Dominion Department of Agriculture was principally due to the fact that in Government business fiscal year (July 1st to June the 30th) is used for the publish accounts, instead of the calendar year (Jan. 1st to Dec. 31st). For that reason, necessary expenses incurred during the months of April, May and June in equipping an Illustration Breeding Station with houses, incubators, brooders, eggs for hatching, etc. were shown in the report of the Auditor General before the house, while it was not possible to show in the same report the revenue derived from the sale of the chickens during the fall and winter, and which revenue will appear in the next year's report. This operated most unfairly against the Bowmanville, Ont. Station, which was established in the spring of 1902. The expenses of installing the Station were \$225.19, and the revenue shown in the report was only 66 cts. The revenue derived from the sale of the Bowmanville after the 1901-02 year closed amounted to \$326.74, so that amount also should be added to the 66 cts. shown in the report. It is learned that of the \$326.84, \$105.94, was paid to the Station by the Wm. Davis Co., Toronto, Ont.; \$166.60 by Mr. Henry Gatehouse, Montreal, Que.; and \$27.25 by farmers in the vicinity of Bowmanville for pure bred cockerels and pullets for the improvement of their flocks of poultry.

STATIONS NOT RUN AT A LOSS.

The other Illustration Breeding Stations were effected in the same way. The chickens at the Holmesville Station were sold last year for \$551.14. The chickens at the Bondville, Que. Station realized \$593.17.

From the latter station two hundred and thirty six pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock chickens were shipped to the farmers of the Maritime Provinces and sold at fifty cents each. These pure bred cockerels and pullets proved very satisfactory, and requests have been received by the Department of Agriculture for more pure bred chickens this year. Aside altogether from the practical work that the Illustrations Poultry Stations are conducting, and which is appreciated by the farmers of Canada, the revenue and expenditure account of the Poultry Division show that the chickens reared at the Stations pay a good profit above cost of feed and interest on the investment. The men in charge of the Station are farmers, and are thus able to impart poultry knowledge most satisfactorily to other farmers of their locality; they address farmers Institute meetings and make exhibits at Agricultural Fairs; the financial and educational benefits to the farmers derived from the men in charge of these poultry Stations is far in advance of the amount paid in salary.

TRADE PROFITABLE AND INCREASING.

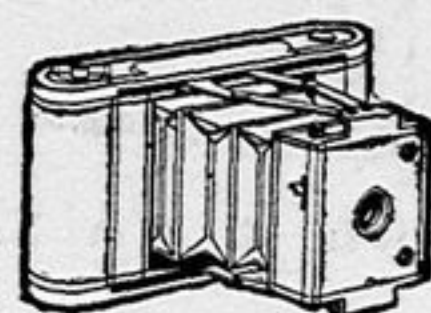
Within the last few years the consumption of chickens has increased in Canada: the price realized for plump chickens has advanced. Both the increase in consumption and advance in price are due to the business of crate fattening chickens. The chickens that realize the highest market price to-day are chickens that are fattened and prepared for market in accordance with the directions issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture. Chickens from the Ontario and Quebec Illustration Stations were sold a few days ago to Mr. Gatehouse for twelve cents per pound, live weight; and to the Canadian Produce Co., Toronto, Ont., for eleven cts. per pound live weight. These are profitable prices that can be obtained by any farmer shipping the same quality of chickens to Montreal or Toronto.

KILLING MARKET CHICKENS.

The method of killing the chicken by dislocating its neck is different from the old fashioned way or wringing or twisting the neck. When the chicken's neck is dislocated, and the head is pulled from the neck in the manner described in the bulletin "Profitable Poultry Farming," the loose, unbroken skin of the neck forms a sack into which the blood of the chicken flows. The body of the chicken is as well drained of blood as if the head were cut off with an axe: the market appearance of the chicken is improved by killing by the dislocation: the flesh of the chicken is more juicy and edible. On the contrary, when chickens are killed by twisting the neck, death results mainly from strangulation. The body of the chicken is not freed from blood on account of there being no space in the neck into which the blood can flow. The appearance of the flesh of the chicken that has been killed by twisting its neck is reddish and blood can be plainly noted in it. In several cities in Canada a law is forced prohibiting the sale of chickens that are killed by twisting the neck. Hence, the senselessness of the ridicule by certain members of the house in debate regarding the detail directions in "Profitable Poultry Farming" for killing the chicken by dislocating its neck, and the absurdity of making the statement that dislocating the neck and wringing the neck are one and the same thing.

Yours very truly,
W. A. Clemons,
Publication Clerk.

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J. S. McIlraith

A Turn Over

That's All.

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A special line of Confectionery, Bread, Cakes and Pastry will be on hand as usual at E. A. Rowe's store, where you will always get the best of everything at a reasonable price and same to all.

WE MAKE A SPECIALTY of everything we bake, no matter what it is, as baking is always a specialty with us. Wedding Cakes made in proper style to order on shortest notice. Call and give us a trial order.

G. H. Stinson

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Four Articles of Dress

Which are most important to present a good appearance.

YOUR HAT.

Never before have we been so well stocked with all the newest in Men's Hats than at present. We are showing absolutely the latest from fashions great centre—New York. The great demand during the last few weeks is proof of their popularity.

YOUR SUIT.

We have just received a large assortment of the very newest and up-to-date suit patterns, in Scotch and Domestic Tweeds. Some of them are quite startling, others quieter, but all are eminently correct for this fall's wear.

YOUR OVERCOAT.

We have a nice stock of Raincoats and fall Overcoats in all sizes and at all prices. We are showing Cravenettes, Herringbone Stripes and Scotch Tweed Effects in Fawn, Gray, Black and Olive. Our prices are right in these goods. See them.

YOUR SHOES.

We have a big range of nice Shoes for fall in both American and Canadian makes, and all great wearers and good lookers.

When repleting your wardrobe for fall wear, do not pass us by without seeing our stock. All we ask is to show you.

H. H. MOCKLER.

JAS. IRELAND

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Fashion's Fall Favorites

In all lines of Ladies' Wear have been gathered together here.

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Our Suitings are without exception the most stylish goods we could find in the largest and best wholesales in Canada, and our values cannot be excelled.

\$1.00 and \$1.25 per yard.

We have made a specialty of goods at these prices, but you will also find good serviceable cloths, good weights at 25c yard up.

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We are showing a lovely assortment of new Embroidered Cashmeres in Waist Lengths—new figures and colorings at 75c yd.

New Embroidered Bedfords—cream grounds with colored silk Embroidery—very handsome at 90c yd.

New Figured Cream Bedfords—the most beautiful cream goods on the market this fall—Waist Lengths at 75c yd.

New Mantles

For Women, Misses and Children—The most Up-to-date Styles—in Make, Cloth and Trimmings.

An exceptionally fine assortment of Children's Coats—Reefers and Ulsters.

CASH OR TRADE FOR PRODUCE.

JAS. IRELAND

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