

NEWS OF OLD ONTARIO

A home guard has been formed at Walkerton. Oxford county has decided to raise \$20,000 for the patriotic fund. Ex-Bailiff Robt. Jordan of Collingwood is dead, in his 83rd year. South Oxford estimates its loss by ravage of the army worm at \$250,000. An American eagle with a spread of 5 feet 4 inches was shot at Cornwall. The two-year-old daughter of Fred Light of Aylmer was drowned in a cistern. The barn and outbuildings of Adam Agar, Vaughan, near Nashville were destroyed by fire. The Red Cross-Aiders of Bradford have adopted as their motto "Go to the Front or Knit." The Government has given an order for 60,000 tons of hay to S. Cudmore of Seaford. Lightning killed 11 head of cattle belonging to Wm. Wren of Renfrew county. W. G. Bailey of Campbell's Cross won 26 prizes with 29 birds in the poultry show at Bolton fair. Gus. Helberg of Owen Sound was fined \$20 and costs for selling a bottle of gin to Geo. Groves. Wm. Saunders of Exeter was fined \$100 and costs for selling liquor in a prohibition municipality. Leonard Long of Walkerton had his arm badly gashed by a knife on the farm of Oliver McConnell. John Waldron of Rama township Simcoe county, was fined \$12.15 for selling liquor without a license. Local option will be submitted to the voters of Cornwall township at the coming municipal election. Clarence McKenzie of Elora was electrocuted while working on the hydro-electric line at Beaverton. A. McEwen lost his barn, season's crops and several heads of swine in a fire on his property near Clinton. The Gowanlock school, Saugeen township, Bruce county, is closed through an epidemic of scarlet fever. While assisting a neighbor to shingle a barn in Minto township, Alex. McEachern fell and

died later of his injuries. The three-year-old child of Harmer Emmerton, living near Kincardine, was badly bitten in the face by a dog. Justice Lennox will try Ruttan and the Moreau brothers in the fall assizes at Bracebridge for murder on October 29. Frank Cousins, a well-known sheep breeder of Minto township, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a pocket knife. Chas. Fowler, aged 83, of Brantford, picked nine barrels of apples in one day on his nephew's farm at Burgess, near Ingersoll. Henry Alexander of Kincardine was seriously injured when a disc harrow upon which he was riding broke. He will recover. Edward Sharpe of Brookville is missing. His hat was found in a boat in which he was fishing. He owned the Strathcona Hall hotel. Evelyn, the four-year-old daughter of Harry Calvert, Orillia, was fatally injured when one of a pile of railroad ties fell on her head. H. B. Joyner, who formerly lived in Barrie, is reported to have had his hands cut off by the Germans while serving with a British regiment. The three-year-old daughter of Chas. Gentle, Parry Sound, was badly burned when a match with which she was playing set her clothes burning. Joseph Buchanan of Orangeville raised eight tons of onions on three-quarters of an acre of ground, selling them at two cents a pound, and realizing \$320. May Little, the ten-year-old granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Little, Essex, was killed on their farm when a falling beam struck her on the head. James M. Gibb of Malden, near Amherstburg, suffered the loss of his barn, implements and season's crops when a lantern exploded and set the hay afire. For numbers of cases, the last three months have broken the record in the Orillia police court, although very few of them were breaches of the liquor laws. Richard Walton Tully, author of "Omar the Tentmaker," has admitted his engagement to marry Miss Gladys C. Hanna, daughter of

Rev. J. A. Hanna of Midland. Geo. Fournier was sentenced to two years in prison by Judge Wismer at Barrie, on the charge of arson. He burnt a shack belonging to Alex. Ingersoll, near Shanty Bay. To his wife and eldest son, Richard W. Morgan, the late Samuel P. Morgan, who died at Strathroy on June 26, left a shilling to buy sufficient rope with which to hang themselves. Principal Theodore Anderson resigned from his position at the Chepstow, Bruce county, separate school, at the request of the directors, after having punished a scholar too severely. Nicholas Cotter, shoemaker, of Barrie, has given his \$3,000 home to the Children's Aid Society of the town. It is to be named after his daughter, and known as the Alice May Cotter Shelter.

Short Bits of Live News

Mrs. Margaret Murdock, of London, Ont., died Friday, aged 104. A Canadian hospital will be established at Dinard, France. The American relief fund for the Belgians has reached \$13,000. John Tindall of Drayton was drowned in the Grand river at Elora. In spite of the war the financial condition of the Province of Alberta is good. W. H. Biggar, K.C., has been appointed vice-president and general counsel of the G. T. R. The hardware store of Coulden & Larmer at Burlington was burglarized early Sunday morning. Four men were terribly burned in an oil explosion at the works of the Electric Steel and Metals Co. at Welland. Orders received in Gananoque for harness for the Imperial Government has caused a doubling of the factory staffs. An unknown man hurled himself from the upper steel arch bridge into the Niagara river at 5.30 p. m. Friday. Charles Miller of St. Catharines only 15 years of age, was sentenced to two years for an indecent assault on a girl. A Paris publication reports the capture of the German gunboat Panther on the Congo river by two British cruisers. A delegation to the Legislative Assembly at Edmonton, headed by the Mayor, has asked for equal franchise for both sexes over 21. Dr. Jas. G. Mumford, medical superintendent of the Clifton Springs, N.Y., Sanitarium, and one of the foremost surgeons in America, died on Sunday.

LUCILLE LOVE

Continued from page 7. "A volunteer! You volunteered to help a stranger!" "But you are not a stranger." She smiled curiously "You knew my name and that made me feel really acquainted when you were hurt." There was something penetrating in the eyes fastened upon his own something gulfing about the suggestive expression of her tones that put him instantly on guard. Day followed day with ever his faculties fastened on the necessity for caution. A curious sort of friendship sprang up between them, a friendship partaking more of an armed neutrality without the formality of a flag of truce than anything else he could imagine. With the alleviation of Hugo Loubeque's sufferings the old animosity and purpose flourished with redoubled vigor. This girl had undoubtedly sought the opportunity of nursing him that she might defeat his purpose. She was the daughter of the man he had spent his life in working out a complete degradation for. He must fight down the weakness which assailed him when her resemblance to the Lucille of forty years ago surged strong



She Discovered the Diary.

within him. He must fight against her as he would fight against any one else, as he had fought against the very world. And Lucille felt the change, felt it and redoubled her effort to get the secret of the stolen papers. The spirit of the game was in her, and she yielded a grudging admiration for the cunning of the man who, even in his most acute suffering, managed to conceal everything from her. Even in delirium his powerful brain resisted her suggestions, her hints. And in one of her days of ministrations to him she discovered the diary in which he had entered his strange worldwide actions. The international spy was able to walk about his room now, his eyes showing the satisfaction he felt at thwarting her. They played chess together, dined together, with always the armed deference between them, a state of mind so obvious as to have been ludicrous had they not both been so conscious of it. Many times she thought the strain was more than she could bear, when she doubted the wisdom of this trip. And always would come morbid pictures of her sweetheart to sustain her in her determination to clear him of the charge under which he rested.

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CORNER CONCERNS.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cowan of Mt. Forest, and their friend, Miss Garraway, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Cowan's mother, Mrs. Jas. Allan. Mrs. Lee returned home from her western trip last week, looking well, and had an exceptionally pleasant trip. Mr. and Mrs. J. Greenwood of Zion spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. McFadden. Our road has been a slick one to travel on for the past week, as one of our neighbors lubricated it with apple butter, from Durham home. The Blyth's Corners man seems to be getting back to his old feelings in religious matters, under the care of Rev. Mr. Smith. It will be a pity if he does not be so lucky as to pass away during one of these spells. The township has been well organized for the gift to the patriotic fund, in the gift of oats and potatoes. The response is very satisfactory. There are practically no refusals to give. Mrs. Kenzie of Chatham spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McMeeken. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Poole and family of Buffalo are spending a week's holiday with us. Mr. Wm. Marshall has moved to the farm he recently purchased from Mr. Joe Lennox. His son, James, will continue on the old place. Rev. Mr. Morris, the new minister created a very favorable impression on his first visit to St. Paul's church.

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HOUSEHOLD HELPS.

Don't forget to make grape jelly. It is one of the most useful of all sweets for winter. Never buy spices in large quantities—they lose their flavor before you can use them up. If you want to be sure that the bread pudding will be light, add a little baking powder to it. Pickles may be kept from becoming mouldy by laying a bag of mustard on top of the pickle jar. Water in which potatoes have been boiled is the best thing with which to sponge and revive a silk dress. Sweet pickled apples are delicious served with meats. They may be made just as pickled peaches are. Lemon juice and cayenne are excellent used in French dressing instead of black pepper and vinegar. A very little glycerine smeared around the glass stoppers of bottles will keep them from sticking for a long time. After roasting a piece of meat, which is to be served cold, wrap it in cheesecloth while hot. This preserves the flavor. When the furnace fires must be started in the fall, one may find that the pipes are rusted in spots and unsafe to use. By applying strips of wet asbestos paper on the hot pipes, the paper will adhere closely and so seal the pipes that they will last another year without repairing.

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