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Farms for Sale.

LOT 1, CONCESSION 1, NORMANBY, one-half mile south of Durham, containing 100 acres; large bank barn, brick house, large orchard; well fenced and watered; in high state of cultivation. For particulars, apply on premises to Mrs. Harry Grasby. 1029st

200 ACRES IN EGREMENT, FIRST class buildings, solid brick house, and woodshed; cement floors in all stables; small orchard; well watered; about 35 acres of fair hardwood bush; in good state of cultivation. Apply to W. J. Wilson, Varney, Lot 20, Con. 20, Egremont. 8264mpd

LOT 30, CON. 10, BENTINCK, 16 acres; good stone house; well watered; under pasture for ten years; about eight acres good hardwood bush; will sell cheap, as owner lives in city. Apply to Mrs. Alex. Coutts, Elmwood, R. R. No. 4. 7169pd

BEING LOT 53, CON. 3, E. G. R. Glenelg, containing 160 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 1915. For further particulars, apply on premises to Mrs. John Staples, Rural Route No. 1, Durham, Ont. 9449pd

LOT NO. 5 ON THE 2ND CONCESSION of Egremont, containing 100 acres; about 60 acres cleared, balance in timber and pasture; convenient to church and school; four miles from Durham; well fenced, well watered; good frame barn fair house; good orchard. Will sell on easy terms. Apply to Fred Noble, Varney, R.R. No. 1. 917tf

To Rent

SEVEN ACRES, 1/4 MILES EAST of Durham; small, but comfortable brick house, large woodshed, frame stable and driving shed; running water; daily mail service; good location for tradesman with small family; a snap for the man who acts quickly. Apply to J. P. Telford, Durham, Ont. 924tf

A GOOD COMFORTABLE FIVE-room house, in good locality. Apply to Dan. McAuliffe. 105tf

A LARGE, ROOMY DWELLING house; large enough to keep boarders; conveniently situated to all public works; newly decorated; cheap rent. Apply to N. McIntyre, Durham. 612

Spirella Corsets

REMEMBER THE FAMOUS SPIRELLA Corset; any size, type or price; with perfect laundering qualities, and unbreakable steels; positively hygienic. Not sold in stores. Mrs. J. C. Nichol, Representative, Box 107, Durham, Ontario. 4186m

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TWO YEARS OLD; DRIVER; GOT by King Sherman. Apply to Adam Watson, Lambton Street, Durham, R. R. No. 4. 1029tf

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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 50 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity. 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 \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300. The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions. W. W. CORY, C.M.G., Deputy of the Minister of Interior. N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for. 8514

Medical Directory

Drs. Jamieson & Jamieson. OFFICE AND RESIDENCE A short distance east of Knapp's Hotel, Lambton Street, Lower Town, Durham. Office hours from 12 to 2 o'clock.

J. G. Hutton, M.D., C.M. OFFICE—Over J. P. Telford's office nearly opposite the Registry office. Residence Second house south of Registry office on east side of Albert Street. Office Hours: 9-11 a.m., 2-4 p.m., 7-9 p.m. Telephone communication between office and residence at all hours.

Arthur Gun, M.D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON OF FEE in the New Hunter Block. Office hours, 8 to 10 a.m., to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Special attention given to diseases of women and children. Residence opposite Presbyterian Church.

DR. BURT. Assistant Roy-London Ophthalmic Hospital and to Golden St. Throat and Nose Hospital. SPECIALIST: EYE, EAR, THROAT & NOSE. Office: 13, Front St., Owen Sound.

DR. BROWN. L. R. C. P., LONDON, ENG. GRADUATE of London New York and Chicago. Diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Will be at the Hahn House, 251 Oct. 19, November 16, Dec. 21, Hours, 1 to 5 p.m.

Dental Directory

Dr. W. C. Pickering Dentist. OFFICE: Over J & J Hunter's

J F GRANT, D. D. S. L. D. S. HONOR GRADUATE, UNIVERSITY of Toronto. Graduate Roys College Dental Surgeons of Ontario. Dentistry in all its Branches. Office—Over Douglas' Jewellery Store.

Legal Directory

J. P. Telford. BARRISTEL, SOLICITOR, ETC. Office, nearly opposite the Registry office, Lambton St., Durham. Any amount of money to loan at 5 per cent. on farm property.

A. H. JACKSON. NOTARY PUBLIC, COMMISSIONER, Conveyancer, &c. Insurance Agent. Money to Loan. Issuer of Marriage Licenses. A general financial business transacted. DURHAM ONT. (Lower Town.)

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Singing

J. ARTHUR COOK WILL GIVE vocal instruction in singing every Tuesday afternoon and evening at the home of Mrs. S. F. McComb. Pupils may apply for appointments to Mrs. McComb at any time. 1022tf

For Sale

A DOUBLE HEATING COAL stove, practically as good as new. Apply to Chas. Ritchie, Durham. 1018

Notice to Creditors

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Warner, late of the Town of Durham in the County of Grey deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario" 1914, chapter 121, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Elizabeth Warner, who died on or about the 12th day of February, 1914, are required, on or before the 27th day of November, 1914, to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned Executors of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them. And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to deliver the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Durham, this 24th day of October, 1914.

IVA PEARL BURNETT, 439 Munro Ave., Detroit, Mich.

ARTHUR H. JACKSON, Durham, Ontario. Executors of the last Will and Testament of Elizabeth Warner, deceased. 10294

CARE AND ABUSE OF FARM MACHINERY

Recent investigations by the Conservation Commission reveal some very interesting facts regarding the effect of care, or neglect, as the case may be, upon the life of machinery on the farm. Between 90 and 95 farms, divided into three districts, were visited in each of the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

In Saskatchewan, out of 94 farmers visited by the Commission's representative, 76 leave all their implements out of doors. On 73 of the farms there were no implement sheds of any description. On 31 of the farms, sheds large enough to cover a part of the implements were found, in most cases this being only a buggy or a demobut not on one single farm was the machinery all housed. Not one farmer was found who painted his implements to protect them from the weather.

In Manitoba only 14 out of 94 keep their machinery under cover during winter, while 44 claim to keep a part of it inside. On 24 of the Manitoba farms no provision whatever is made for protecting implements, and only four claim to have done any painting.

In the three districts visited in Alberta, mixed farming is carried on quite extensively, making more barn room available, so that implements are more likely to be protected, but even here, 37 out of the 92 visited leave all machinery out of doors.

In one district in Ontario, where 40 farmers were visited, every man housed his implements during winter, although none of these men do any painting.

In the Ontario district visited, where the implements are housed, the average life of the binder was found to be between 16 and 17 years. Many binders were seen which were in good running order after cutting 20 season's crops.

In Saskatchewan and Manitoba, where so much of the machinery is left out of doors, the average life of the binder is given by the farmers as about 7 years, which is less than half that of the binder protected from the weather. Many binders do not last as long as seven years. One farmer near Moosomin, Sask., who, after 12 years, was retiring from the farm, held an auction sale. His binder after cutting 12 crops sold for \$80 or 50 per cent. of the original cost, and his other machinery at proportionately high prices. It had all been well housed and the necessary painting and repairing had been done to keep it in good order. On a neighboring farm a binder which had cut only three crops, but which had been neglected and had stood out of doors, was being relegated to the scrap heap and a new one was being purchased.

An implement shed costs money but if its use will double or treble the length of time the machinery will last, it is a good investment. Farmers often say that they can not afford to build a shed. The truth is, they really cannot afford to be without one. Apart from the additional power necessary for operation, the depreciation on unhoused machinery on the average sized farm is so great as to amount to much more than the cost and upkeep of an implement shed. The binder works for only a short time during the year, while machinery in a shop works the whole year through, and lasts proportionately many times longer. It is simply a matter of care. The life of a machine extends in direct ratio to the care it receives, and abuse and neglect will shorten the life of any mechanism. The manufacturer is not responsible for the care of the machinery after it is sold. This rests entirely with the farmer, and as a common-business proposition he should look after his own interests sufficiently to house his implements and thus save the thousands of dollars wasted annually in unnecessary depreciation.

COMPARISON OF STRENGTH IN THE WAR FIELDS

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ed cruisers, 70 light cruisers, 252 destroyers ready and 16 building, 59 torpedo boats (and 50 old ones), and 75 submarines, besides 52 sea-going auxiliaries of the fleet, such as mother ships for destroyers, mine layers, distilling ships, oil ships, repair and hospital ships.

The French navy, fourth in the line of naval powers, had 13 battle-ships, and eight building, 19 armored cruisers, 2 protected cruisers, and 10 light cruisers. They are strong in destroyers, torpedo boats and submarines, having 84 of the first class, 155 torpedo boats and 78 submarines. Russia as a naval power is of little importance, having only six battleships, six armored cruisers, 91 destroyers and 35 submarines.

Germany at the declaration of war had 35 battleships, 5 battle cruisers, 9 armored cruisers and 43 cruisers as a sea-going fleet. She had also 130 destroyers and 27 submarines.

Austria-Hungary had 9 battleships, 10 light cruisers, 13 destroyers, 63 torpedo boats and 6 submarines. It will be seen from the foregoing that the British fleet is far superior to the combined fleet of its enemies. The French fleet in the Mediterranean was capable of taking care of the Austrian fleet in that sea, and the British far-flung cruisers swept the ocean clear of German merchantmen in the four quarters of the globe.

The presence of the Kaiser in cutting off Denmark by the construction of the Kiel canal and shortening as well as giving an additional waterway between the Baltic and the Atlantic is a wonderful piece of naval strategy, and had it not been for this, and the fortifications of Heligoland, behind which the Germans can always find refuge, the British would doubtless have sought out and annihilated the German fleet in the early stages of the war. To do so under the present threatening conditions, would be little short of suicide. To hold them there is evidently a wise and humane policy. To provide the food requirements for 66 millions of people cut off from the outside world is a problem the enemy will have to face sooner or later. Their war requirements, too, may have been well supplied at the beginning, but the time is bound to come when a shortage will be felt, and the supply fail to keep pace with the demand.

The war, strange to say, is among countries of which the rulers are of close blood relationship. George V. of England is first cousin of Nicholas II. of Russia, and both are cousins of Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany, and also cousins of King Albert of Belgium. Again, the Emperor, Francis Josef of Austria is a cousin of Alfonso XIII, King of Spain, whose sympathies are against Austria in the struggle.

Blood relationship made no difference to the kaiser, who claimed to be the instrument of the Lord, and to hold his position as ruler by divine right. He preached the need of war and prepared for it, but the time to strike had not arrived. Till that time came he managed to keep his nation at peace. When the time to him seemed ripe, he needed but little pretext to engage in the struggle. The plans were all ready, and the march was outlined. He counted on Italy's allegiance, and on Britain's neutrality. In short, his plan was, march on Paris, subdue France and exact a large war indemnity. All this could be done, according to his plans, and the German forces could be well on their way to the Russian frontier before the Russians would have time to collect their forces. The kaiser's plans failed, and Belgium's resistance at Liege caused a loss of time that meant failure at the outset, and will result, in the end, in Germany being crushed.

Lord Charles Beresford said in a speech recently that the most serious fighting would begin when the Germans were forced over the frontier and were in their own country with their own base of supplies. He predicted the war would not be a short one and would take more than six months or a year to put Emperor William on his back. No one knew what would happen in the next great naval battle, in which modern instruments of warfare would be used. The element of luck would come into play but luck or no luck, he declared Germany must be humbled and humiliated. She must lose the whole of her fleet, give up the Kiel canal and her colonies, her forts must be demolished, and the Krupp works razed to the ground.

DURHAM HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

The annual meeting of the above society will be held in the Public Library on Tuesday, November 3, 1914, at 8 o'clock, p.m., for the election of officers for the ensuing year and other business of importance. All parties interested in the society and wishing its continuance and usefulness, are earnestly invited to attend and give their support.

E. A. HAY, President. CHRIS. FIRTH, Secretary.

Notice to Farmers

Kindly take notice that it has been arranged for the delivery of the oats and potatoes donated by the farmers of the County of Grey to the use of the British Government to be made on the 30th and 31st days of October.

Cars will be placed at all stations in or adjacent to the County of Grey so that each donor can deliver his donation right into the car at his nearest station.

Oats can be delivered into the cars loose but potatoes must be delivered in good strong bags or sacks, securely sewed. Every person that wishes to do so can make his patriotic offering on either one of the above dates whether he has been canvassed or not.

Let the donation from the County of Grey be a good one. God Save the King. Wm. Breese, Chairman. George Menzies, Secretary, Joint Comm.

WAR OR PEACE

MEN MUST LIVE

Mens' livings come from FARMS. Beef sells up to \$9.00 per cwt. Pork to \$10.00. Market authorities believe these prices will continue.

This must mean HIGH PRICES for ARM LANDS. Take a hint, BUY NOW.

H. H. MILLER, the Hanover Conveyancer, offers some GREAT BARGAINS in Farm Lands in Bentinck, Egremont, Normanby, Carrick, Brant and West-n-rn Provinces. Send for List.

If you have ANY MONEY from \$300 up to any large sum, H. H. MILLER will invest it for you on good mortgage security and charge you nothing. Why invest your money with Sharks in Western town or city lots? Or why have it lying at 3 per cent. when it might as well earn you twice as much on first rate land mortgage security? Have some sense. Let Mr. Miller invest your money on a good mortgage.

Farm and Town properties exchanged. If you wish to BUY or SELL, BORROW or LEND it will PAY YOU WELL to write or phone H. H. MILLER, or better still hitch up and go and see him.

H.H. MILLER, Hanover

VARNEY.

Most of the farmers in this locality took up their roots during the fine weather last week. Mrs. W. J. Pierce, and Mrs. Pierce, Sr., arrived home from London last week, after spending a week with friends there.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Margaret Grant is able to be around again, after being confined to her bed last week with neuralgia.

On account of the anniversary being held at Ebenezer, there was no service in the village church on Sunday evening last.

On Friday afternoon, while passing the Patterson & Lawrence threshing outfit, north of Mr. Wilton's gate, Mr. Wm. Lawrence's horse became frightened and jumped out of the harness. Beyond a broken whiffletree, no damage was done.

Mr. R. J. Eden is erecting a new post office on the north side of his residence.

Mr. W. J. Pierce, who we announced a few weeks ago as intending to leave Varney, has decided to stay a few months longer.

Threshing finished in this neighborhood on Friday afternoon, at R. J. Eden's barn.

All grades of flour went up 20 cents a barrel at Portland, Ore. There have been 250,000 barrels exported from there to European markets.

\$100,000 worth of bedding and clothing, in addition to oats and cash donations, is the contribution of Prince Edward Island to the Belgians.

Dean G. L. Starr, of Kingston, whose resignation was demanded unless he return from going with the troops, has cabled that he will be back January 1.

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Full line of Catholic Robes, and black and white Caps for aged people. Embalming a Specialty. Picture Framing on shortest notice.

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TINSMITHING. Mr. M. Kress has opened a shop at the rear of the furniture show room and is prepared to do all kinds of tinsmithing.

Undertaking receives special attention.

EDWARD KRESS

A CLEARING of Ladies White Waists

We have a few Waists left about 30 in all which we will sell as follows:

\$2.00 Waists for \$1.50, 1.50 Waists for 1.20, 1.25 Waists for 1.00

those are in sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches.

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Another Shipment of Woman's Hose

in Silk Lisle, Lisle, Mercerized Cotton, also in White. White Cotton Socks for Children "Little Darling Hose"

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