HERE AND THERE ITEMS

Interest.ng News of Canada in General Cut Down to A Column.

Thieves were busy at Meaford last week, three thefts having occurred in one night. The house of William Olmstead was entered and $275 removed from his pocket while he slept. A spare tire was taken from J. McArthur's car in his garage, together with a robe and set of tools. G. A. Paul's garage was also entered but he was out of town with his car.

A large Chicago corporation, says an exchange, desires to erect a new 150-room hotel at Guelph at a cost of $750,000,000.

Mr. Henry Reuber of Hanover has offered the High School Board a three-acre site for a new High School.

J. G. Reith of Grand Valley had three sacks of sugar stolen on a recent Saturday night. The theft was made while the staff was busy in the store. It was taken out of a store room at the back of the store.

Mr. W. Ahern, for seven years manager of the bank at Grand Valley, was recently notified by head office of his promotion to a similar position in Orangeville.

Arthur's tax rate has been struck at 44 mills.

Walkerton's tax rate this year is 52 mills.

Morris Piano, Limited, of Listowel have closed a contract with a Toronto dealer to take the entire output of their factory for a period of one year.

Mr. Robert Stoddard, a former principal of Listowel High school, died at Rosetown, Sask., on Tuesday of last week. He was a High school and Collegiate inspector and moved to Rosetown about two years ago from Regina, where he had been teaching in a High school.

Henry Ford believes it pays to advertise and has decided to spend seven millions in newspaper and magazine advertising next year.

Strathroy hardware merchants have decided to do business on a cash basis hereafter.

Shelburne's tax rate is 42 mills.

Dundalk is getting off easy on a 30-mill rate.

Chesley has had a reduction in hydro power rates from $55 to $50 per horsepower. Domestic lighting drops to 5c. and 2c. instead of 6c. and 2c., and commercial to 10c. and 5c. and 1c., is reduced from 12c., 6c., and 1.2c.

Wiarton Lumber Company has made an assignment, with liabilities of $93,035.65. The Canadian Bank of Commerce is the chief creditor, with a claim of $49,157.13.

Miss Gertrude Cass, who was home on furlough at her father's in Elderelie Township, County of Bruce, returned to her missionary work in Korea on the 4th of September. Prior to leaving she was honored with a presentation and suitable send-off by the congregation of Geneva church at Chesley.

Orangeville Fair, held last Friday is reported the best in its history and would have been better but for showers that occurred during the early part of the day. Fully 6,000 were in attendance.

In the Ontario election held June 25, 940,524 ballots were cast, of which the Conservatives received 469,241. The U. F. O. was second with 207,691; the Liberals ranked third with 198,235; the Labor party was fourth with 42,190, and the Independents were last with 23,167.

Rev. T. Albert Moore predicts that inside of a year a referendum will be submitted to the electors of Ontario to vote on the temperance question.

Markdale's new rate for hydro is $40 per horsepower; 3c. and 1½c. for domestic, 6c., 3c. and .6c. for commercial. This is a reduction of 25 per cent from the old rates.

The Palmerston Council at its last regular meeting passed a by-law authorizing the purchase of the old rink site near the C.N.R. depot. The site will be turned over to the local horticultural society, which will look after its maintenance and convert it into a suitable park.

Rev. R. H. Brett, Rector of St. Paul's Anglican church, Palmerston, has been offered by Bishop Clark the charge of the church at Chippawa, Ont. He will leave Palmerston in a few weeks.

While motoring to Proton Station recently, Ed. Badgerow and Fred Martin saw a half grown black bear run across the road in front of their car.

Knox church, Owen Sound, was reopened Sunday after being closed two months for decorations.

The Bloch Music Store, Owen Sound, was damaged considerably by fire on Sunday morning, but the loss is covered by insurance.

Mr. Justice Wright, Judge of the Supreme Court of Ontario, took the oath of office at the Government House in Toronto on Monday.

Gerald Galvin and John Halliday died Saturday in St. Joseph's Hospital, Port Arthur, from drinking liquor supposed to contain wood alcohol, according to the verdict of a coroner's jury.

Pleading guilty to a charge of forging a post office order for about $40.00 and cashing it at the Kingston post office, John Wesley Jackson, aged 27, was sentenced by Magistrate Farrell to two years in the penitentiary.

A return of 50 bushels of wheat to the acre in one case and 47½ in another, is reported from the Meota neighborhood, north of Battleford, Saskatchewan. The acreages in each are said to be large.

Mr. William Zinn, after an illness of four weeks, died at the home of his son, Dr. Zinn, at Hanover. He was 65 years of age, born in Carrick Township and had been for ten years a resident of Hanover in charge of R. Truax & Sons' lumber yard. He leaves four children, Mrs. McCabe of Tottenham, Miss Albertine Zinn of Hanover, Dr. E. H. Zinn of Oakville, Iowa, and Dr. S. H. Zinn of Hanover.

A young son of T. Rowan, Neustadt received severe injuries last week when a team of horses he was holding at the mill became frightened and ran away, throwing the child from the high spring seat of the wagon.

Edge Hill.

(Our own correspondent.)

Mr. and Mrs. W. Scarf of Toronto were recent visitors among friends here.

Mr. George Ritchie has been under the doctor's care for a few days with pneumonia, but is now somewhat improved.

Rev. Mr. Smith of Durham had prayer meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Edge on Friday evening, when their young son, Colin Daniel, received the rite of baptism.

Mr. and Mrs. Gurney of Toronto were guests of the Misses Edge on Tuesday.

Miss Mary Teeter of Markdale enjoyed a week's visit with her friend, Miss Ella Ritchie.

Messrs. Joseph and John Firth of Jessopville attended Durham Show and visited friends at Edge Hill.

We were busy last week. Three threshing outfits in close proximity well nigh finished the threshing for the season. This week corn-cutting and silo-filling are in progress.

Mr. and Mrs. Fiddis (nee Jessie Robertson) of Chesley were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McNally.

Miss Floyd of Holstein was a guest of the McDonald family over the week-end.

On Friday evening a large number of the young people from Priceville and South Line, former neighbors of the McDonald family, met at their home here. A few of the nearest neighbors from Edge Hill were also present. It was an ideal evening, cool, clear and bright moonlight, and all enjoyed themselves with music, games and dancing.

Consolation.

Two sisters, apparently all in all to each other, had lived together for many years. Then, when the one was ninety-eight and the other ninety-six, the elder died. The relative who undertook the task of breaking the painful news to the survivor, feared the shock would be fatal to her. But the old lady bore up wonderfully. "Ah, well," she replied, "now I suppose I shall be able to have my tea made as I like it."

Southeast Bentinck

(Our own correspondent.)

Mrs. Will Derby visited with her sister, Mrs. Lorne Smith, at Mount Forest.

Rev. W. H. Smith of Durham visited on this line last week and held a prayer meeting at Mr. Alex. Grierson's.

Mr. Archie Park from Manitoba visited with his cousin, Mr. James Park, and other friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fulton and family of Hampden, also Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Milligan and Tommy, of Hutton Hill, visited the first of the week in this burg.

Mr. James Millgian, accompanied by his sisters, Misses Helen and Effie, were in Owen Sound recently.

Mr. David Adlam helped Mr. W.J. Derby to shingle his house last week.

Silo filling is the order of the day. The corn is not as good as it was the last few years.

FEELS BETTER THAN FOR MONTHS

Mr. McNab Finds Dreco a Wonderful System-Cleanser and Health Builder, and Recommends It Highly.

Mr. D. McNab, who resides at 40 Ford street, Toronto, and who has been watchman for six years at the Suburban Express Company office, found Dreco a splendid remedy and tells you about it in the following statement:

"Before taking Dreco," says Mr. McNab, "my liver was sluggish and my stomach weak and I often had spells of sourness and gastritis that were distressing. My bowels were constipated so badly that I had to take a laxative every day, and a cold settled in my kidneys. It seemed as if I could not get rested. My appetite failed me and my condition got so bad that the thought of food even fairly sickened me. The result was that I was getting no nourishment and my system was getting weaker each day.

"Since last spring I have taken several different medicines, none of which gave me the least result. Then Dreco was suggested to me and I thought I could do no more than give it a trial. This I have done and the improvement that has resulted in three short weeks is little less than marvellous.

"My constipation is greatly relieved, my appetite is improving and no longer do I have that tired, weary feeling. My food digests well and I have been freed of my gastric trouble and sourness. My liver is active once more and my kidneys much stronger and I can notice that since my system has been purged, the yellow jaundice, which had developed during the course of my sickness, is gradually disappearing.

"All in all, I am wonderfully improved and gladly give the credit to Dreco."

Anyone's system is apt to get run down, but it can be readily built up again with Dreco. This grand herbal remedy contains no mercury, potash or habit-forming drugs and is the most reliable tonic and regulator for digestive troubles ever put on the market. Let it free you from unnecessary suffering by putting your stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels in proper working order.

Dreco is being specially introduced in Durham by McFadden's Drug Store, and is sold by a good druggist everywhere.

SHIRLEY MASON COMING IN NOTED FOX PICTURE

Shirley Mason, the dainty Fox Star, will be seen at the Veterans' Star Theatre to-morrow and Saturday in her latest starring vehicle, "Youth Must Have Love," which was directed by Joseph Franz.

Miss Mason's latest production is based on the story of a young man unjustly accused of the murder of an old miser, who had gained wealth and position through the unfortunate circumstances of others.

How Earl Stannard, the young man is vindicated through the never-failing faith and untiring aid of a girl provides a romance of intrigue and adventure that promises to surpass all of Miss Mason's previous pictures for exceptional entertainment.

The story carries the audience through a series of unusual incidents and dramatic sequences to a powerful climax.

Among the many thrilling incidents in the play are the robbery of the old miser by his nephew, who causes his death while attempting to escape; the accusing finger pointed toward Earl Stannard; his daring escape from a pursuing posse; how a girl, bringing him food each day, is the cause of his hiding-place being revealed; his unjust arrest for the crime and his escape from prison; the elopement of the youth and the girl with a posse following close behind; their capture when their automobile is wrecked and their subsequent vindication when the real criminal is revealed.

"CANNED HEAT" INEBRIATES IN ST. CATHARINES COURT

New Variation of Intoxication Is Introduced to Police Magistrate.

Three men were arrested at St. Catharines on Friday of last week charged with being drunk. They said they had drunk the liquor from "canned heat" tins, such as were used in the trenches during the war by soldiers to warm their hands. There have been Florida water, witch hazel and bay rum "souses" at St. Catharines, and even cases where men have secured a jag by drinking the liquid from a corn silo, but never before has there been a "canned heat" drunk brought in. Two of the men pleaded guilty and were fined $10. The third man claimed he wasn't drunk.

ATWOOD "BEE" PURCHASED BY LISTOWEL "BANNER"

Newspaper End of Business Taken Over, But Former Proprietor Will Conduct Job Office at Atwood.

The Listowel Banner has purchased the Atwood Bee, a weekly newspaper established on January 17, 1890. It was edited and published by Mr. E. H. Swing for the past 16 years. It will now be amalgamated with The Banner, of which Mr. C. V. Blatchford has been publisher for a number of years.

Toronto Is Growing.

According to the municipal census just completed Toronto has a population of 538,771. There are 90,741 children of school age between five and seventeen years, inclusive. This is 16.84 per cent. of the whole population.

IN MEMORIAM

Staples.—In ever loving memory of James Staples, who departed this life so suddenly, September 28, 1921.

Short and sudden was the call
Of one so dearly loved by all.
The blow was great, the shock severe
We little thought his death so near.
And only those who loved can tell
The pain of not saying a last farewell.

—Sadly missed by Widow, Sons, Daughters and Grandchildren.

Durham High School

The School is thoroughly equipped to take up the following courses:
(1) Junior Matriculation.
(2) Entrance to Normal School.

Each member of the Staff is a University Graduate and experienced Teacher.

Intending pupils should prepare to enter at beginning of term.

Information as to Courses may be obtained from the Principal.

The School has a creditable record in the past which it hopes to maintain in the future.

Durham is an attractive and healthy town and good accommodation can be obtained at reasonable rates.

J. A. M. ROBB, B. A., Principal.
C. L. GRANT, Chairman.

Wall Paper Clearing Sale

20% DISCOUNT on all this season's wallpaper

--Remnants-- At Half Price and Less

We must make room for our New Papers, some of which have arrived. The New Papers we also offer at very low prices. See them.

FREE
A Jackie Coogan with a 50c bottle of Perfume

REMEDIES We Recommend at This Time

Nyal Wine of Cod Liver Oil
Will clear up a cold and is a good system tonic at 50c and $1.00.

Rexall Children's Tonic
Especially prepared for the children to build them up and ward off winter sickness. $1.00 per bottle.

Nyal Wild Strawberry Compound
For cramps, summer complaint, etc. 35c a bottle.

Dreco
The well-known stomach mixture. $1.25 a bottle.

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Successor to Macfarlane & Co.
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Aylmer Force and Lift Pumps

Renfrew Cream Separators
"The Best on the Market"

A Full Line of
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WILLIAM STONE FERTILIZER "None Better"

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"EVERYTHING IN FARM MACHINERY"

Ford

A Saving Of $300 and $160
On the Sedan On the Coupe
NOW

On or about January 1st, 1924, the Ford Motor Co. of Canada, Ltd. will be in production on a new Four-door Sedan and a new Coupe identical with those now being produced in the United States. The prices on these new models will be:

4-door Sedan - - $985.00
Coupe - - - - 755.00

We have on hand a limited number of the present Coupe and Two-door Sedans which can be obtained at the following prices:

2-door Sedan - - $685.00
Coupe - - - - 595.00

This frank statement of merchandising and production policies is made to settle all the rumors that have been circulated regarding Ford cars and prices in Canada. The considerable saving in price on present models gives you the opportunity of driving your Ford closed car this winter.

Prices of New Models		Prices of Present Models	
4-door Sedan	$985.00	2-door Sedan	$685.00
Coupe	755.00	Coupe	595.00

All prices quoted are F. O. B. Ford, Ontario and do not include government taxes.

With winter close at hand this differential in price should be all the more attractive. You can obtain the advantages of closed car comfort and distinction by availing yourself now of these prices.

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