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The sooner you purchase your Spring Shoes the more money you save. Some are doing so.

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We do not guarantee present prices for very long as many lines are not now procurable, others are costing as much as present retail prices and still going higher. Good Kid is wholesaling at over \$3 per lb; sole stock 50c to 90c. So where will kid shoes be this Spring? We have some good shoes at present prices, also rubbers &c., good values in Hosiery.

Headquarters for Trunks, Valises, Suitcases, also Mitts, Gauntlets and Gloves. Repairing as usual

THE Down Town Shoe Store J. S. McILRAITH

THE PEOPLE'S MILLS

500 tons of No 1 Mixed Chop
WHEAT AND BARLEY

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CRUMPED OATS for Horse Feed at Fair Prices
CHOPPED OATS at.... very reasonable rates

Sovereign, Eclipse and Pastry Flour

Every bag guaranteed. If not satisfactory bring it back and get your money.

All kinds of grain bought at market price. Special Reduction on Flour and Feed in ton lots.

Phone No. 8 John McCowan

The Flying Corps

By Rev. Dr. Farquharson

One of the distressing kinds of injury is that known as shell shock. In most cases no wound is made and yet the man may be a mental as well as a physical wreck. Most of those I have seen suffering from this form of injury were not what would in ordinary language be called insane, and yet the mind was so sluggish that they seemed as if crazed and helpless.

One such sufferer, however, had so recovered that his natural humor was bubbling out of him, perhaps with accelerated speed through his mental weakness. He wanted to tell us that he was knocked unconscious and did not wake up till some days afterwards he found himself in a bed in Aberdeen hospital. His way of telling the story was somewhat as follows: "I looked up and saw a Jack Johnson coming and it heaved me right into a nice comfortable bed in Aberdeen. Do you wonder that one of the sisters asked me 'Do you belong to the Flying Corps?'"

Human Yet

After a fierce bayonet charge a lad whose bravery was marked in the advance was seen away in a corner, sobbing. His commanding officer noticing his changed attitude asked him the cause of the trouble. The reply was simple and direct, "I have killed a man." In vain the officer commended him for his bravery. To no purpose he assured him that if he had not killed his foe, his foe would have killed him. The human heart refuses to comfort itself with such subtleties and everyone of us will feel with the poor fellow whose human instincts found expression in the war, "I have killed a man."

Farmers' Platform Endorsed by United Farmers of Ontario.

The following recommendations proposed by the Canadian Council of Agriculture of Canada was endorsed by the U. F. O. at their great meeting in Toronto two weeks ago. As it was felt that some misunderstanding might arise over clauses 2, and 3, these clauses were endorsed, but it was proposed that they be submitted to the country by a referendum before becoming law.

1.—By reducing the customs duty on goods imported from Great Britain to one-half the rates charged under the general tariff and that further gradual, uniform reductions be made in the remaining tariff on British imports that will ensure complete free trade between Great Britain and Canada in five years.

2.—That the Reciprocity Agreement of 1911, which still remains on the United States statute books, be accepted by the Parliament of Canada.

3.—That all food stuffs not included in the Reciprocity Agreement be placed on the free list.

4.—That agricultural implements, farm machinery, vehicles, fertilizer, coal, lumber, cement, illuminated fuel and lubricating oils be placed on the free list.

5.—That the customs tariff on all the necessities of life be materially reduced.

6.—That all tariff concessions granted to other countries be immediately extended to Great Britain.

STEEL BRIDGE

Mr and Mrs Geo Purves visited at the home of Mr and Mrs Walter Geddes of Hampden lately.

Miss M.ry Hudson spent over last week with friends in Port Elgin.

Mr E. Griffin of Ancaster was guest of Mr G. Purves last week.

Mr Herbert Heitzberger made a business trip to Mt. Forest recently.

Mrs T. W. Hills entertained a number of her friends to tea Tuesday evening.

Mr Robin Francis of Hanover, spent a day with his uncle, Mr. J. Wylie here.

Mr Jas. Duke returned to his home in Orangeville Saturday after spending a fortnight with Mr Wilson Hillis.

Quite a number of ladies from this burg attended the Red Cross meeting Thursday, held at Mrs Henry Metcalfe's.

Mrs Dan Switzer of Flint, Mich., was the guest of Mrs W. T. Hillis on Monday.

Mr Arthur Hopkins is doing some good work in this burg cutting wood with his new gasoline outfit this week.

The local sports from here attended the gathering at Mr P. Eva's Friday night and all report a fine time.

BUILDS UP THE FARM.

E. HODGETTS, Lambeth, Ontario says:

"I used Homestead Bone Black Fertilizer on part of my oat field. The previous owner of the farm paid me a visit this summer, and in walking over the farm we came to the oat field. My friend asked me why the oats on part of the field were of much greater length and quality than the rest. I informed him what I had done, and he said he could not have believed if he had not seen it, that Homestead Fertilizer could give such results. I can recommend it highly to anyone wishing to build up their farm and grow big crops."

700 BUSHELS FROM 17 1/2 ACRES.

WM READ, Lucan, Ontario, says:

"I feel under obligations to write you in regard to Homestead Bone Black Fertilizer. I sowed 17 1/2 acres of wheat on the 2nd day of October. On account of the wet weather I was unable to sow any sooner. I used 200 pounds of the Bone Black Fertilizer per acre, and I threshed 700 bushels of wheat, machine measured. It is the finest sample that has been seen. A great many farmers thought it would be impossible to grow a good crop seeding at this late date, but the fertilizer certainly pushed the crop. You may use this as you wish, for I know if the farmers throughout Ontario knew the producing value of your fertilizer they would use a great deal more."

Write Michigan Carbon Works, Detroit, for free book and particulars about their Homestead Bone Black Fertilizer.

WELBECK.

On Tuesday evening, March 13, the home of Mr and Mrs H Alexander was invaded by a large number of friends. On the course of the evening a programme was given of which the main feature was the presentation to Mr and Mrs Alexander of a purse containing a goodly sum.

Mr Jas Robertson made the presentation while Mr John Mortley read an address voicing the regret of the community for the removal of the Alexander family from church, school and neighborhood. Mr Alexander replied suitably and several speakers followed briefly expressing sincere good wishes. Music and recitations finished the programme, after which the contents of many baskets were seasonally discussed. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing.

Mr and Mrs Frank Boyle left for their home in Saskatchewan last week.

The Welbeck Red Cross box social on Friday night was attended by an attentive and exceptionally orderly audience. An excellent programme was rendered by Lieut. Yule of Owen Sound, recruiting officer, by Mr A Bell and other skilled performers from Durham and other places. Miss Irwin beautifully playing accompanist. Mr John Graham filled the chair to its utmost capacity and Mr Duncan McLean sold the boxes and a large number of valuable donated articles. Proceeds were approximately \$145.00.

Mr H Alexander's sale on Friday was a great success.

School Reports.

NO. 11, BENTINCK

4th Class—M Lawrence, O Ritchie, H Mountain. Sr 3d—G Ritchie, Annie Armstrong, M Langrill, F Noble, M Alexander, A Krinsky. Jr 3d—Iona Armstrong, H Lawrence, W Grierson, Stanley Sharpe. Jr 2nd—E Noble, F Hopkins. 1st class—L Armstrong, A Noble, L Sharpe. Primer A—Gordon Armstrong. Primer B—N Ritchie, E Webber, K Dunsmoor, A Lawrence, J Dunsmoor, M Hopkins.

N. Burns, Teacher.

Credit Auction Sale

THE undersigned has been instructed to sell by public auction on Lot 30, Con. 11, Bentinck on

Tuesday, April 3rd, 1917

the valuable farm stock and implements Sale commences at 1 o'clock sharp.

STOCK: 1 driver, 8 years old, 1 good driver 5 years old, 1 colt rising 2 years. Cattle—3 fresh cows, 4 cows to calve in April, 2 cows due to calve in May, 2 calves, 1 Jersey cow, 1 head rising 3 years, 6 head rising 1 yr old.

IMPLEMENTS: 1 McCormick binder, 6 ft wide; truck and sheaf carrier, 1 Massey-Harris cultivator, nearly new; 1 seed drill, 1 scotcher, 1 horse rake, 1 single plow, No. 14 Chesham, 1 four-row plough, 1 iron harrow, 1 Demerol, 1 bob-sleigh, buggy, cutter, 1 set, heavy harness, road cart, hay rack, set single harness, 2 light cellars, heating stove, a good wooden pump with piping, wood hay track with car, also wheelbarrows, neck-yokes, shovel, forks, and other articles too numerous to mention. No reserve positively as proprietor is giving up farming.

TERMS OF Sale: All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount 10% credit will be given on furnishing approved joint notes. 5 per cent off per annum for cash in lieu of notes.

THOS. SHEWELL, JAS. CASB, Auctioneers

Property For Sale

The undersigned, offers for sale, 100 acres of land, adjoining the corporation on Durham Road. Also 25 acres, on Lambton St., Durham, with buildings. Also a new brick house on Saddle St., Durham, with all modern improvements.

THOS. McCORM, Proprietor, Box 27, Durham.

Splendid Farm for Sale

Farm for sale being lots 9 and 16, con 2, W. G. K. Bentinck, containing 200 acres, on 120 of which a binder can be used. About 7 or 8 acres of swamp, rest hardwood bush, good young orchard, hundreds of currant bushes and other small fruits. Three good wells on the place in good order and a never failing spring. Well fenced. First class frame barn with stone basement 55 ft x 75 ft, good Driving Shed 24 x 36. Good workshop on top, and pig pen under. Commodious hen house 16x22 and 18x20. First class cement house 22x24 new, with wood furnace and cement kitchen attached 16x22 feet. Good system and pump in kitchen.

30 acres of fall ploughing is done and there is about 40 acres of 2-year old meadow. Also four acres of fall wheat.

Terms very reasonable to quick purchaser as proprietor is going west. School on adjoining farm, churches: Presbyterian and R Catholic 2 1/2 miles distant, 3 miles from Durham. Apply on the premises to

HENRY ALEXANDER, R. R. No 2 DURHAM.

If sale is not made promptly, will rent to good tenant.

Durham Markets.

DURHAM, Mar. 21, 1917.

Hogs, live, f. o. b.	15 25
Butter	32 to 32
Eggs	30 to 30
Flour per cwt	4 50 to 5 00
Oatmeal per sack	3 75 to 4 25
Chop per cwt	2 00 to 2 50
Oats, feed	65 to 65
Oats, milling	65 to 65
Fall Wheat	1 70 to 1 70
Spring Wheat	1 70 to 1 70
Peas	1 50 to 1 50
Barley	95 to 1 00
Potatoes per bag	2 00 to 2 75
Hides	20 00
Beef, dressed	14 00 to 16 00
Hay, per ton	8 00 to 10 00

List has been carefully revised.

Notes of the Week

The Duchess of Connaught died in England last week. Her stay in Canada endeared her to many Canadians.

The British forces have captured Bapaume, described lately by Von Hindenburg, as "The Gibraltar of the Western front." Not only this but Peronne has fallen and over 100 towns and villages have been evacuated by the retreating foe. About one tenth of the French territory overrun has been reclaimed and the area is growing.

Russia, her parliament and people have been in the limelight during the week. The Czar ordered the Duma to dissolve. The Duma wouldn't and appointed a committee of 15 as a National Executive. The chief army officers approved of the Duma's action, so did the people, some arrests followed of men supposedly pro-German; the Czar accused trouble and abdicated the throne for himself and his son. The Duma named Grand Duke Michael, Czar's brother, as his successor and he has accepted only with full consent of Russian people in a new form of government and new fundamental laws. This great revolution has taken place almost without bloodshed. The winning forces are strongly anti-German and Britain and other allies are all pleased and have officially recognized the new government.

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to cleanse the blood of those impurities which have accumulated during the winter months.

Start the summer feeling fit—with an abundance of energy and vitality

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It will purify your blood, strengthen and increase its power of nourishing the tissues of the body and thus increase your strength and vitality.

It will make you forget all that languidness that usually comes with the change from cold to warmer weather.

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For Prevention of Smut

If ever the farmer needed a bumper crop he does this year and nothing should be left undone to ensure that and.

Treating the grain with Formalin of the proper strength will increase the yield very materially—try it.

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THOSE WHO, FROM TIME TO TIME, HAVE FUNDS REQUIRING INVESTMENT MAY PURCHASE AT PAR

DOMINION OF CANADA DEBENTURE STOCK

IN SUMS OF \$500, OR ANY MULTIPLE THEREOF

Principal repayable 1st October, 1919.

Interest payable half-yearly, 1st April and 1st October by cheque (free of exchange at any chartered Bank in Canada) at the rate of five per cent per annum from the date of purchase.

Holders of this stock will have the privilege of surrendering at par and accrued interest, as the equivalent of cash, in payment of any allotment made under any future war loan issue in Canada other than an issue of Treasury Bills or other like short date security.

Proceeds of this stock are for war purposes only. A commission of one-quarter of one per cent will be allowed to recognized bond and stock brokers on allotments made in respect of applications for this stock which bear their stamp.

For application forms apply to the Deputy Minister of Finance, Ottawa.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA
OCTOBER 7th, 1916.

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3 yds x 3 yds \$14.00
3 yds x 3 1/2 yds 15.50
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Buy before the advance in price, which is sure to come.

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