

Sugar! Sugar!

For one week or until Saturday the 16th of Feb'y we will sell Sugar (St. Lawrence) for \$11.00 per cwt. on a spot cash basis after this date there will be a considerable advance.

Try our choice New Ceylon Tea at 60c. per lb
Aylmer Tomatoes and Vegetable Soup

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DURING FEBRUARY SALES
 Womens \$1.30 felt slippers to go at 75c.
 Womens \$2.25 felt slippers to go at \$1.25
 Womens \$1.90 felt slippers to go at \$1.25
 Womens \$1.50 felt slippers to go at \$1.00
 Men's, Women & Children felts reduced accordingly
 Women's All-Wool Hose greatly reduced in price, also in Misses.
 Men's and Women's Warm Mitts and Gloves down in price. I want to clear them all out.
 The above lines are all No. 1 goods. Come in and look them over and see for yourself that they are bargains.
 I have a few pairs of Jersey Cloth Leggings for women at \$1.25, regular \$1.65; also 2 Boys Maccanaw Coats, size 30 and 32, regular \$6.00 to go at \$5.00

A. G. LEHMAN

PHONE 531, STOUFFVILLE

CUT PRICES

STILL THE ORDER

We are continuing our slaughter prices on all winter goods. Come in and see for yourself.

Men's Overcoats, as low as \$12.00
 Boys' Overcoats, down to 10.00
 Stylish Caps, warm and good, reg. up to \$2.50
 Only 1.00
 Leather Mitts, heavy quality, reg. \$1.75 now 1.25
 Horsehide Gloves reduced to 1.25
 Curler's Boots, warm and sure footed, reduced to 3.50
 Overalls and Union Suits, are not advanced here although wholesale prices are away up

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WEST END, STOUFFVILLE

THE DAIRY COW

VERSUS

OTHER FOOD PRODUCING ANIMALS

Average Dairy Cow produces in milk	18 lbs. food solids
Hog produces	15.6 lbs.
Calf produces	8.1 lbs.
Hens produces	5.1 lbs.
Poultry produces	4.2 lbs.
Steers produces	2.8 lbs.
Sheep produces	2.6 lbs.

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We are selling the remainder of our Winter Millinery at a very low price, also Wools and Fancy Goods, Monarch Wools, Our special Monarch Down, Monarch Dove, Monarch Silver Twist

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Hon. Manning Doherty has accepted the House leadership of the U.F.O.

On the advice of his doctor, J. J. Morrison, the U.F.O. secretary, has taken to his bed for one month and as the illness is not supposed to be particularly serious, he will make this a four weeks' holiday.

Fergus Council, at its inaugural meeting voted themselves a salary of \$5 each for 12 meetings, or \$65 a year, special meetings to be without extra pay. The Fergus newspaper favoring paying councillors, but objects to beginning just after a campaign at which the matter was not voted on by the people. It thinks that the majority of ratepayers are against the change. Perhaps they will have forgotten when the next election comes around.

Many friends of Mrs. Dewart, widow of the late Rev. Dr. Dewart, and mother of H. H. Dewart, K.C. M.P.P., will learn with interest that she reaches today her 93rd anniversary and is enjoying the best of health. She is still living at her old home on Sherbourne St., Toronto where she watches the march of the world's events, not with the weary eyes of an aged woman, but with the relish of one still young in heart and mind, although far past the allotted span.

A writer in The New York Tribune attempts to make the casualty lists of the late war more real than mere figures can make them. He asks us to visualize the dead as marching past on a city street, first the British dead. "At daybreak they start, twenty abreast. Until sundown they march, and the next day, and the next, and the next. For ten days the British pass in review. For eleven days more the French dead file down the 'Avenue of the Allies.' For the Russians it would require the daylight of five more weeks. Two months and a half would be required for the allied dead to pass a given point. The enemy dead would require more than six weeks. For four months men actually killed in the war, passing steadily, twenty abreast.

In addition to the proposed new gasoline tax, the Ferguson Government is contemplating the tapping of another hitherto untouched source of revenue. This new proposed tax is a "Summer Resort Tax," to be placed on summer residence properties in unorganized districts in Ontario, which escape the usual municipal property tax. Details of the new tax scheme are not yet fully worked out, but it is anticipated that it will yield about half a million yearly, provided the Legislature approves the legislation to be submitted in this connection. Inasmuch as the proposed tax is to be placed only upon summer residence properties in unorganized territories, where no municipal taxes are now levied or collected, it should be a good thing.

The Toronto Globe had a timely editorial on Jan. 24th and we wish to reproduce it in part for our readers. It shows, in part, one of the reasons why we are being taxed on every hand these days:—"The cry for reduced taxation now echoing from coast to coast will soon result, it is hoped, in some searching analysis and radical action with respect to Canada's Civil Service. Civil Service costs are not arbitrary amounts, like interest on railway bonds or the national debt. They can be controlled, but the desire to control must be strong and determined. A Parliamentary return in the Commons last session gave the total Federal Civil Service salaries as \$50,355,721, which means that if taxation had been equally divided, every man, woman and child in the Dominion last year would have paid \$5.72 to support civil servants and their families. The same return placed the number of Federal Civil Servants at 39,204. In other words, one out of every 224 inhabitants gets his or her salary from the Treasury vaults at Ottawa. The average salary figures out at \$1,284, or a little better than 50c per hour. It must be understood that these totals do not take into consideration Provincial civil servants and municipal employees, all of whom depend on taxation for their living. Neither are Government Railway employees included.

A strong delegation from all parts of Canada where the bank operated will urge Parliament at Ottawa to compensate the depositors of the Home Bank for the loss they had sustained through the failure of the bank. It is reported that many members of the cabinet are in sympathy with the move. If the government compensate the depositors of this bank, what about the hundred other banks that failed in Canada since Confederation? When the Farmers' bank failure took place a similar move was made on Ottawa, and the government acceded to the request, but the Senate promptly

through out the bill, and this is what they will do if the present government attempt to take the country's money to compensate the losers in a private enterprise. We have great sympathy with the depositors of the Home Bank, but they must be treated the same as other losers in previous bank failures. The whole trouble is that the people wait until they get nipped before they move against the government, instead of rising up when things are going smooth and insisting that the government enact a Banking Act that will prevent the people losing their money. Why should the government pay the losers and still maintain practically the same act which permitted the people to be hoodwinked out of their money?

DISTRICT DOINGS

The ice crop at Beaverton is being harvested. The cakes are 16 inches thick.

Richmond Hill Board of Trade are holding a series of banquets this winter.

Ontario County Council has declared in favor of a greatly reduced road-building program for 1924.

Uxbridge Stock Market shipped the following animals during the year 1923: hogs 9340, sheep 1213, cattle 1392 head. The town maintains a public weigh scales and the fees for weighing the year amounted to \$262.

Arrangements are completed for the celebration of One Hundred Years of Methodist preaching in Newmarket from Feb. 10th to the 17th inclusive and all the sermons but one will be delivered by former pastors on this charge.

After quite a long illness, Noah Stover, Markham village died last week at the home of his sister, Mrs. Harvey Brickwood, of Markham. The deceased was 43 years old and had resided in Markham all his life. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. A. Reeve of Toronto and Mrs. Brickwood.

John Forgie of Claremont who has been clerk of the Second Division Court for the County of Ontario since the death of Mike Gleeson has resigned and Thos. Gregg, also of Claremont has been appointed to the vacancy. Mr. Forgie, who is reeve of Pickering township, could not hold the two positions legally.

Charged with causing bodily injuries to the late Col. J. E. Farewell, K.C., late Crown Attorney of Ontario County by negligent and reckless driving, W. Gordon, Kingston Mills, was found guilty and fined \$25 and costs. Police Magistrate Willis presided. Col. Grierson, prosecuted and W. E. Day, of Kingston defended. Fine was paid. The case lasted from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 25th. The Provincial Police Dept. brought several expert mechanics to prove different points in the case.

Tuesday of last week, while Messrs Archie McPhee and M. G. Parrington were digging a well for John A. Anderson, Cannington they struck a root of a tree which was green and full of sap or moisture. They were at a depth of 15 feet, and in hard clay. There is no tree within five rods of this well. This is a small evidence of nature. It is evident this root had found its way to a water strata for in less than three feet the well-diggers struck a live spring, which in a few hours filled the well to within a few feet of the top.

Some three hundred prominent breeders, seed growers, agronomists and specialists in different lines of agriculture were the guests of Lieut. Governor Cockshutt at Government House, Toronto, to a luncheon on Tuesday afternoon of last week. From this section and Markham were H.C. Hamill, R. H. Crosby, J. L. Byer, A.G. Gormley, W.H. Pater-son, H. Doherty, L. A. Kennedy, C. Young, Wm. Graham, and others. The guests were received by His Honor the Lieut. Governor and his wife and Premier Ferguson. Speakers at the luncheon included W. A. Dryden, President of the Royal Winter Fair, Robt. Miller, President of the Canadian National, the Minister of Agriculture and others.

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Weekly News

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

39c. sale

Many of these lines are very limited. You had better come early as some of them will be sold out the First Day.

100 Remnants consisting of Flannelettes, Gingham, Pillow Cottons, Art Muslins, Delaine, Cottons, to clear at 39c. remnant.

5 dozen Girls White Vests and Drawers To clear at 39c.

Childrens and Ladies Worsted and Cashmerette Hose Special 39c.

Childrens and Ladies Woolen Mitts Special Sale 39c. pair

Kiddies Snugs (sleepers) special while they last 39c. each

Childrens and Ladies Woolen Scarfs Special 39c. each

Boys Caps, Sweeters and Pullovers, Thursday, Friday and Saturday only 39c. each

Kiddies Fleeced Waists 39c. each

100 Bowls, medium, on sale 2 for 39c.

Fancy Art Muslin Cushions, A very special offer 39c. each

W. H. SHAW

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During winter months store closes every evening except Saturday.