Proper Soil Conservation Rule ... On the Eugene Lemon Farm Mr. Metro Sudeyko underwent an operation at Toronto General Hospital on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Smith and Mrs. and Mrs. R. K. Smith and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ferguson at Ringwood on

Such was the content of an pared an open trench silo.

the county record a couple of years ago. The milk from the Guernsey herd brings in premium prices on the whole milk neath a moist, light brown sil
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A Farm Family fencing that commands the re- hay. spect of the cows.

wisdom that is both agricul-soil conservation on Gene, and roots but leaves most of them We left Africa at night. The glacier melted away. Father If you were thinking of con- over several times depending seaside. Lemon had the situation well tour plowing as a means of on the weather before the weeds On top of the Rock is one can Newmarket. sized up when he realized that achieving conservation, then and cultivated grasses were non and all down the sides of Son of the late John Pipher be covered with grass, clovers, a plow for three years. or trees the year round. Water and the Pioneers

Settlement of York County", soil humus in the surface lay- culture. John Mitchell noted that in er while underneath are per-1842 the towns of Stouffville meable subsoils that offer litand Markham each has a flour tle resistance to percolating mill, an oatmeal plant, a tan- waters. A farmer must keep the convenience. nery, and a distillery depend- surface soil loose and open. If ing on water for power. Today a soil is allowed to bake or bea part of Stouffville's water come very hard, water cannot supply originates on the Lem- enter the surface layers and

on farm. could see the remnants of an No Plowing Here ambitious and hard-working rocks were "burned" to provide the quicklime used in the foundations for the barns and a stone house on the farm. Nearby is a man-made ridge, all that remains of the Grand Trunk Railway spur line from Stouffville to the resort town of Sutton. This line was built around 1890 but was discontinued in the late twenties when motor transport became a part of rural and urban life.

John Mitchell tells the story of an English settler who was a pioneer in this area around 1800. For the money that he would have spent in England on rent, taxes and tithes alone, in Whitchurch township he cleared 20 acres of land, fenced it, built a cabin, and bought his livestock consisting of a yoke of oxen and three milk cows. This settler with his 3 cows set the pattern for the township's type of farming.

Dairy Farming Gene Lemon is classed as a dairy-farmer with more than 30 head of cattle to feed the year round. In the spring and summer months the livestock feed outside but a large part of the farming business is to provide winter feed. Each cow will need around 3,000 pounds of hay and 7,500 pounds of silage for winter feeding while during, the whole year she would like a ton of grain and 5-6 hundred pounds of expensive protein supplement. All of this feed is produced on the farm except the protein supplement, salt, and minerals.

On dairy farms hay and pasture are the two most import- 37 Com of Timor ant crops, providing hay for winter feeding and pasture for wing Pertalalog to summer grazing. When nature is unusually kind with just the right amount of sunshine and Gore ward rain, more pasture is available one impersinor grazing. The farmer har so Beetle veste the grasses and clovers

south fields shall remain in hay barn with nearly four thousand all the surface organic debris, John's Convalescent Hospital pasture and shall not be bales of hay and rather than or rolled back leaving a miser- at Newtonbrook. broken up for corn or oats." |build an outside stack, he pre- able example of plowing with Mr. and Mrs. George Boynton

to his son Gene Lemon. When Lemon used fence rails and with less soil and water losses. Tuesday night last week. we visited the Lemon farm in posts to build a rough retain. Several years of observation Keep Sunday, February 20, York County recently the two ing wall against which he piled convinced our friend that the open for the Andrew Service Fork County recently the two ing wall against which he piled convinced our friend that the poor type of plowing was better for his land and that in friend, the friend that the poor type of plowing was better for his land and that in fact he could accomplish the soil erosion and were pasturing of air. It would not give an air-soil erosion and were pasturing of air. It would not give an air-soil erosion shown by father the wisdom shown by father ed its purpose. The chopped or deep cultivator. This impless or deep cultivator. This impless or deep cultivator. This impless on Dental Care All ments loosens the soil several will speak on Dent shels of fall wheat per acre, ning the tractor back and forth. ary plow and leaves most of White Elephant Sale. No clothe county record a couple of When we scraped away four or the straw and stubble on the thing, please.)

representing a lot of low-cost quate proof. Today, Gene Lemon of the feed. There was no expense for Many farmers, mostly those birthday. fourth generation in 125 years building materials and it took who have never tried it, are takes a special and creditable two men one day to get the sure that they could not operpride in showing visitors ar-ound the farm. It is not a show- a farmer's ingenuity in hand-mulch. Gene Lemon recom-a farmer's ingenuity in handplace, for like most down-to- ling in a short time tons of mends coulters on the drill to UY > U earth Ontario farmers the buil- green feed that otherwise could move the mulch from the path dings appear older than those not have been stored in the of the drill shoe or to cut painted in bright colors. There barn. As to its feeding value, through the debris. Other farmare no fancy fences or gates three pounds of silage is said ers have heard that it is diffibut miles of portable electric to be equal to a pound of dried cult to control weeds when a

should a heavy downpour occur From where we stood we soil erosion would be serious.

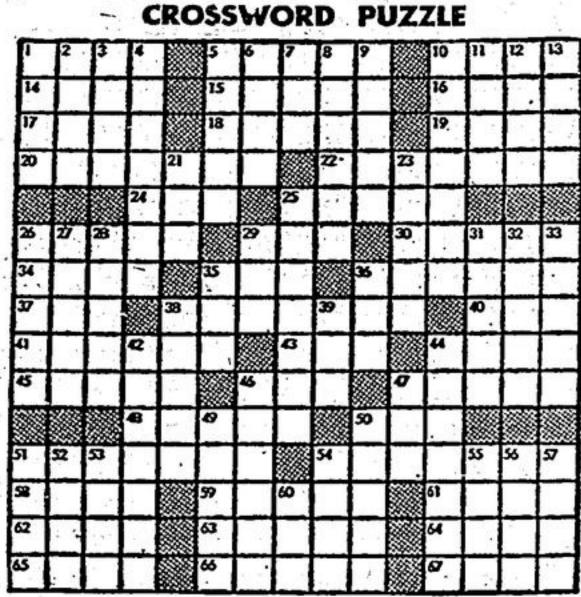
generation. Almost covered by vation methods of Gene Lemthorns and choke-cherry bush- on we learn that through exes is a kiln where the limestone perience or by observation he realized that it was nearly im-

contouring or the moldboard Mrs. Chester Pattenden last

deep cultivator is used exclus- Dear Editor and Friends It seemed to us that Gene ively. Our friend admitted that Well, we've just nad the best

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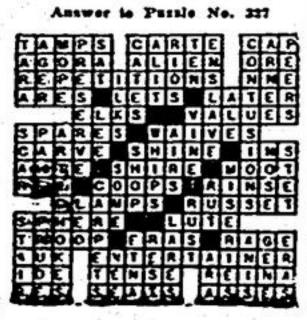


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MT. PISGAH

(By L. R. Webber)

for fall and winter feeding. possible to set furrows on their Craig will be pleased to know edge in his sandy soil. The soil she is able to be at her home went one of two ways, either at Buttonville now, following stacked outside. Gene filled his completely inverted and buried several months spent in St.

stalks and stubble shaken up and boys visited on Sunday Such was the content of an pared an open trench sito.

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Most silos of this type are

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With the bare inverted soil

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We congratulate Mrs. Leigh

exposed to heavy rains, erosion

Ont., when through illness he the barn, an expensive operawas unable to work the farm, tion. As a matter of experiment and he prepared to hand over in building a cheap silo, Gene ed land weathered the storms Packers Cooking School on

Lemon has paid off many times. fresh grass was blown into the ment loosens the soil several will speak on Dental Care. Al-This farm has produced 68 bu enclosure and packed by run- inchees deeper than the ordin- so at this meeting will be a

Fourteen young people gathhome grown produce except ed by cows.

It was estimated that this silo plow; the absence of erosion Saturday evening for a party plow; the absence of erosion Saturday evening for a party and the good crops are adecontained 90,100 tons of silage concentrates and minerals.

Gene and his six-year-old son Lemon was a typical Ontario without the plow as a tillage night's sleep since we left Jonathan have a particular dairy farmer and an exponent implement you were more de home. The sea is calm or at knoll on the farm to which they of conservation farming. Early pendent on the weather for kill- least looks calm. The ship rolls take visitors and from this in life his father firmly iming the weeds. The cultivator to and fro but it doesn't bother slight elevation relate much pressed the basic principles of covers very little of the weed us much.

tural and historical. The Lemon as if to make an expression of on the surface and if the wea- lights along the shore were farm lies on the south slopes good faith wrote into a land ther is wet the roots begin to beautiful, so bright and so many Born at Lemonville of what geologists often refer lease the unusual provision, grow. If warm and dry weather of them. We got through the to as the Oak Ridges moraine, not to break out of sod two parfollows your cultivation, most straits of Gibraltar, passing the 71 Years Ago a large acreage of rolling and ticular fields. Today Gene's con- roots lose their vitality and are rock on our right. The town hilly sandy soils uncovered cept of conservation is very no longer a problem. We were of 22,000 people is at the botmany years ago when the last simple: keep the soil in the field, told that a field might be gone tom of the hills close by the

his farm lay on the long smooth this farmer catches you off dried up enough to be sure they the hill are a lot more on ter- his early years were spent in slopes adjoining the rugged guard by a further statement would not start growing and races. In the harbour we had this community. Forty-two family. moraine and in this position that he does not believe con- compete with the wheat or oats. a funny experience. I looked years ago Mr. Pipher moved to Among his off-the-farm active over the side and there was Newmarket where for many Myrna and Danny were Sun-Rhode Island Red, Sussex x floods. He insisted that the land farm and that he has not used lities, Gene Lemon has contrib- a whole fleet of row-boats comuted his talents as a director of ing toward the ship. The mother the York County Crop Improved ment they got close wooden ardent church worker and only Mrs. Wm. Galley visit Soil erosion, as manifested the York County Crop Improve- ment they got close, wooden a few weeks ago was made an Wesley Lundy over the weekby thinly covered hilltops, shal- ment Association. This group things started flying over the honorary deacon of Trinity end. For centuries these sandy low rills like wagon wheel serves as a county nucleus of deck-rail with cords attached. United Church. which in turn joins the Rouge into the soil there would be no For the past three years he colored scarves. If you shouted the R.C.A.F. There are five water-powered mills that in sorbed and less available for cultural College in Guelph. Be- ket and send it back. One wo- and Melbourne of Toronto. Try Tribune scratch pads for boat came along and chased Harry Haines, Dr. M. Eagleson them away. A hard way to and Dr. Douglas Marriott, nemake a living. They rowed out phews. a mile, rowed back a mile, two men in a boat.

The harbour of Gibraltar is ship was able to turn around without backing up. We sailed around the Rock and viewed it As we study the soil conser- New or Renewals, may be paid around the Rock and viewed it from three sides. It is not a port in the accepted sense. We didn't dock. We just anchored and a tender came out and took the passengers off. The weather was warm, the water very blue and the tops of the mountains were covered with snow.

> From Gibraltar we travelled up the coast of Spain and we keep getting glimpses of the mountains. There were eight stops up the coast and each time passengers got off but none got on. Ours was the seventh stop and so we arrived at Barcelona about 3 p.m. We got what seemed to be the only English-speaking taxi driver and he said he would take us around for two hours for \$3cheap. The taxi must have been fifteen or twenty years old but we got there. We had trouble with the police over our guide who was apparently an unofficial guide and couldn't sit up with the driver.

The streets are all cobblestones. We visited a sort of model village where girls were making nice fancywork. Their weaving is very pretty to watch. We passed a huge coliseum but I couldn't make the driver understand that I wanted to stop and take a picture. We drove by the bull-fighting arena and a beautiful cathedral. There seemed to be every kind of automobile about, from a Cadillac to a little Austin. We were in a Plymouth. There were no mules or donkeys and all the horses were good. We passed banks, a stock exchange, STOUFFVILLE sies. The driver laughed when SAND & GRAVEL he showed us a huge sign, "Coca Cola". American movies LIMITED

were advertised. The policemen stand in the centre of a box framework in the centre of the intersections. They're all painted up like barber poles. Only in Belgium have I seen the same idea.

-Frederick J. Vacher 'To be continued)

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Born at Lemonville seventyone years ago, Earl Melville Pipher passed away Feb. 2, her sister, Mrs. Wagg, of Stouff-1955, in York County Hospital, ville.

soils have acted as great filter marks, or deep gullies, is evi- farmers who are often the first We must have been about fifty . Mr. Pipher is survived by his her parents a few days. beds to supply the streams with dent when excess surface wa- to introduce new crop varieties feet above the water. With these widow, the former Mary Winclear water. Many streams or ter accumulates in large enough iginate in these hills and by volumes to erode or carry away well-defined courses unite to well-defined courses unite to the topsoil. It has often been with the little Rouge Creek said that if all the rain soaked and methods of fentilization. The water with the little rain soaked and methods of fentilization. The water with the little rain soaked and methods of fentilization. The water with the little rain soaked are spending a time with Mr. cords they conducted a sort terstein, two daughters, Mrs. W. Clarence Preston and boys.

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The water water water water water with the spending a time with Mr. and with Mrs. All with the spending a time with Mrs. W. All water wa River at Highway 2 just east of erosion problem. A farmer has has taken a four-day holiday back they put a scarf in a rush grandchildren. A brother Clif- at Mrs. Roy Cody's home on Toronto. It was a combination several ways of managing a early in January and attended basket and send it up to you. ford, Stouffville; a sister Mrs. Wednesday despite the cold of good soil and choice sites for soil so that more water is ab the short courses at the Agri- You put your dollar in the bas- Mames (Eva) of Newmarket, weather and a nice lot of sewduced the early settlement of surface run-off. The soil on the with the never things in agritownships. In his book, "The loam characterized by plenty of with the newer things in agri- commission. She got it too-I Feb. 7, 1955, with interment in Breckon who injured her shoulwouldn't have had the gall. Newmarket Cemetery. Pallbear- der. Anyway, we got two of them ers were Walter Pipher, Ken for \$2 just before the police Pipher. Melbourne Haines, have measles.

happy to announce the birth of a son, Brian Edward, on Feb. 3, 1955, at Toronto East
General Hospital General Hospital.

SYMES - To Mr. and Mrs. Victor N. Symes, Claremont, Ont., on Saturday, Jan., 29, Marilyn.

WIDEMAN - Mr. and Mrs. Grant Wideman (nee line Gray) Markham, are of their daughter, Donna Joanne, on February 8, 1955, at Brierbush Hospital, Stouff-

ENKINS-Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Jenkins, Markham, are deputy-reeve Clark and council-happy to announce the birth lor Griffin were absent from of a son, Randolph David, at Monday's meeting. the Brierbush Hospital, Stouffville, on Feb. 2, 1955; a presented by chairman A. G. brother for Ronald and Der- Little and Councillor Deacon TERMS : CASH

McGINTY-Mr. and Mrs. Bernon Feb. 3, 1955.

ville R.R. 2, announce the to the force of four men. birth of a son, Ronald, at Recent Situation the Brierbush Hospital, Stou-| Until 1917, the Township got ffville, on Feb. 4, 1955; a bro- along with only one constable.

Stouffville, on Feb. 4, 1955.

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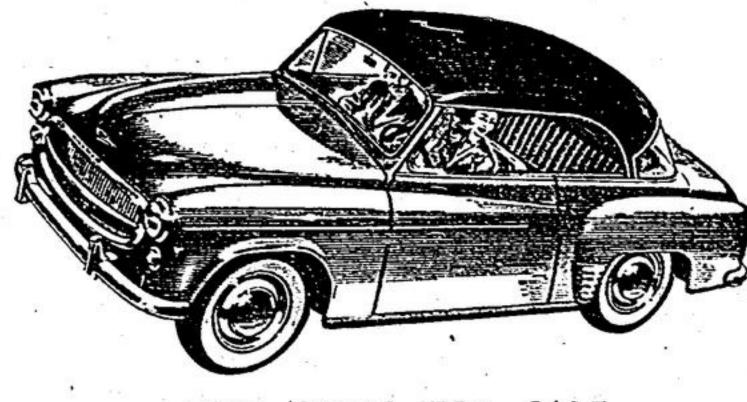
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Banana Tea Muffins

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Sift together flour, baking

powder, soda and salt. Beat

shortening until creamy. Add

sugar gradually and continue

beating until light and fluffy.

Add egg and beat well. Add

flour mixture alternately with

bananas, mixing until batter is

smooth Turn into well greased

muffin pans and bake in a mod-

erately hot (400°F.) oven about

20 minutes. Serve hot or cold

house. You can then dust while

you're in the room rather than

Nutcrackers are helpful when

kept in your kitchen cutlery draw

er. Use them for opening small

If brass or copper fixtures en

screw topped jars and bottles.

having to go to get a cloth.

134 cup sifted cake flour

1/4 teaspoon soda

1/4 teaspoon salt

1/2 cup sugar

1/4 cup shortening

1 cup mashed bananas

2 teaspoons baking powder

dry at room temperature.

Mrs. J. Lundy in the death of situation. Miss Jean Johnston of To-

ronto was a weekend visitor with her brother, Walter, and Mr. and Mrs. Rae McClure, White Leghorns, Leghorns

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Dobbey tion. e.g.

The W.W. was well attended Grove's Poultry Farm or even damp from the weather, Mrs. Edson Johnston has

Some of our junior crowd

The Police Committee for Markham Township presented

1955, at the Ajax General their report on Monday after- Black & White Heifer, 3 yrs. of Hospital, a daughter, Sheila noon for formal reading. Af few of the outstanding recom- Black Heifer, bred mendatitons contained in the Red Heifer, 3 years of age, full report were made known council last week but the full pleased to announce the birth text recommending a budget of \$40,000 was read on Monday. This budget figure is about Black Helfer, open double that of last year and Red Heifer, open reeve LeMasurier asked that Black & White Heifer, open further consideration be given Roan Shorthorn Bull, good the report next week. Both

> The report in its entirety as is as follows:

The Police Committee has ard McGinty, Gormley, are carefully considered the recom- LLOYD TURNER, Clerk pleased to announce the mendations made by Chief Conbirth of their daughter, Don- stable Clarence Wideman in elda Shirley Mae at the Brier- his report to the 1954 Council bush Hospital, Stouffville, in November last. These included the installation of a ra-VANDEBEEK-Mr. and Mrs. dio communication system in Harmon Vandebeek, Stouff- three circuits and the addition

ther for Bert, Magda and An increase of 100% in the population as well as the ex-AKELEY - Mr. and Mrs. pansion of Metropolitan Toron-Lloyd Yakeley. Goodwood, to have greatly increased the are happy to announce the demands on the force in an urbirth of a son, Lloyd Joseph, ban area, adequate police proat the Brierbush Hospital, tection requires one man to every 1,000 population. In a rural area one can get by with one man for every 5,000 people. Unfortunately, although Markham is still largely rural, some sections are close to heavily developed areas and the whole territory is affected by its immediate proximity to a city of 14 million people.

In 1951, the police force in Markham consisted of the Chief and four constables, one of which was assigned to Markham Village. They gave us excellent protection, especially when one considers they did not have any means of intercommunication and all calls lafter hours had to go to their

private homes. Their record of The following plano pupils theft recovery was exception of Bertha Stouffer have been ally good, largely because of successful at the February ex-We extend our sympathy to their knowledge of the local aminations of the Royal Conservatory of Music: Grade IV-Elaine Forsythe (hon.); Joan Gayman; Grade VI—Lois Stouf-

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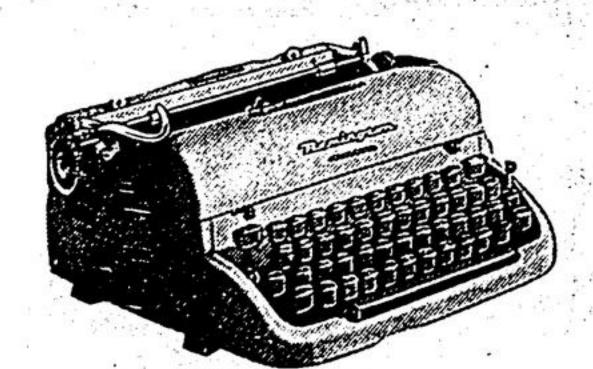
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