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FARMERS AS LABORERS

YARKER HAS EIGHT MORE RETIRED RURALISTS.
All the Yarkerites—Catching Musk-rats—Four Churches Are Holding Special Services This Week.
Yarker, March 23.—Maitland Lake has taken up his residence in Yarker. This completes a list of eight retired farmers. But these men moving into the villages are not retired, for in most cases they enter the labor market, and are out for a day's work.
Yarker surely should be known as "Yarker the Good," for this week the Anglican, the Methodist, the Holiness Movement and the Standard church of America are holding services here.

The Merchants' Bank of Yarker must be doing some business when it has three clerks besides the manager. The first man out with his auto was Byron Holden. Now there are many to be seen here.
D. Peters, who lately moved here, is doing a good trade in harness repair work. This was a much needed industry here. The Standard church of America is about buying the Holiness Movement camp ground here for meeting purposes.
The prospects for fall wheat and fruits are good. The second storey flat of the Benjamin Manufacturing Company office building has been fitted up for a dwelling, and is occupied by Mr. Hyland. William Silver, shoemaker, has recovered from his late illness, and is now to work again. John Tupah has moved across the river in one of J. Emberly's tenant houses. The basket factory is now very busy filling orders for export.

Mrs. M. A. Connolly is in the city for medical advice. There is plenty of snow on the north and south roads, which necessitates the running of sleighs. Wilbur Wilson has taken over the insurance business of the late B. S. O'Laughlin, also buying out the undertaking from the VanLaven Bros., of Moscow.
Changes in the C. N. R. yards of Yarker this spring will require a number of men. Sixty or seventy men will be at work.
The cities are no exception to the rule as to scarcity of houses to rent.

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for the same trouble exists in towns and villages. Forsyth O'Neil will improve his residence with a new porch and verandah. Cyrus Edgar, contractor, reports building operations in the county this year as good.
The one time roller mill here is now idle, and here certainly is a water power that should be acquired by some good live industry.
It looks as if there would be a trap set for every mousetrap. Judging by the number who are at this business this season. The price of these skins is a temptation to all who care to go after them.
A. Tompkins was a visitor at John Wright's over Sunday. Mrs. B. Babcock and Mrs. John Martin are on the sick list. The residents are now clearing the walks of ice, the warm weather having made this possible.

Kills Widow and Self.
Barre, Vt., March 23.—Hoyt Gallup, an aged farmer, shot and killed Mrs. E. M. Fenwick, a widow, in Barre town today, and after driving to his own home in Plainfield, a few miles away, killed himself with a bullet through the heart. He is believed to have been angered because Mrs. Fenwick would not consent to an immediate marriage. He was 68 years old, Mrs. Fenwick was 51.

Mayor Gray, Winnipeg, in a speech before the council committee, hoped the council would not spend a dollar in buying material from the United States.
Farmers of Frontenac County were pleased with the Whig's report of the U. F. O. meeting.

Markets Reports

GRAIN QUOTATIONS.
Toronto, March 23.—Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, \$2.80; No. 2, \$2.77; No. 3, \$2.73; in store, Fort William.
Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., \$1.00 1/4; No. 3 C.W., 97 1/2c; No. 1 feed, 96c; No. 2 feed, 95c; extra No. 1 feed, 97 1/2c; Fort William, in store, American corn—No. 3 yellow, nominal, \$1.96; No. 4, nominal, \$1.93; track, Toronto, prompt shipment.
Canadian corn—Feed, nominal.
Manitoba barley, in store, Fort William—No. 3, C.W., \$1.93; No. 4 C.W., \$1.55 1/2; rejects, \$1.42; feed not quoted.
Ontario wheat—No. 1, \$2.01; No. 2, \$1.98 to \$2.01, f.o.b. shipping point, according to freight; No. 3, \$1.92 to \$1.93; No. 1 spring, \$2.02 to \$2.03; No. 2, \$1.98 to \$2.01; No. 3, \$1.95 to \$2.01.
Ontario oats—No. 3, \$1 to \$1.02; Barley—Maltin, \$1.80 to \$1.82.
Buckwheat—\$1.65 to \$1.70.
Rye—No. 2, \$1.85 to \$1.88.
Peas—No. 2, \$3, according to freight outside.
Ontario flour—Government standard, Montreal, in jute bags, \$10.80 to \$11; Toronto, \$11.
Manitoba flour and Government standard, \$13.25, Toronto.
Mill feed—Carloads, delivered Montreal; shorts, \$52; bran, \$45; middlings, not quoted; good feed flour, per bag, \$3.60 to \$3.75.
Hay—Baled, track, Toronto, car lots, No. 1, \$27 to \$28; No. 2, mixed, \$25 per ton; straw, car lots, \$16 to \$17.

ters, \$5 to \$7.35; veal calves, \$17.25 to \$18.65; feeder steers, \$9 to \$12; stocker steers, \$7.25 to \$11.25; Lambs, \$17.25 to \$19.75; culls and common, \$14 to \$17; ewes—medium, good and choice, \$11 to \$14.75; culls and common, \$5.75 to \$10.75.
Montreal, March 23.—Butcher steers, choice, \$13.25 to \$14.25; good, \$11.25 to \$13.75; medium, \$10.50 to \$11.25; common, \$9 to \$10.50; butcher heifers, choice, \$10.50 to \$13; medium, \$9 to \$10.50; common, \$7 to \$9; butcher cows, choice, \$10 to \$13; medium, \$7.50 to \$9; canners, \$5.50; cutters, \$5 to \$7; butcher bulls, \$9 to \$13.50; Alaga, \$8 to \$10.50; fresh cows and springers, \$7 to \$7.50; Ewes, \$12 to \$14; lambs, good, \$17 to \$18; common, \$15 to \$17. Hogs—Selects, \$20.50; lights, \$19.75 to \$20.50; sows, \$16.50.
Buffalo, East Buffalo, N. Y., March 23.—Cattle—shipping steers, \$13.00 to \$14.50; butchers, \$13; yearlings, \$12.50 to \$14.25; heifers, \$5 to \$11.50; cows, \$4.00 to \$10.50; bulls, \$7.00 to \$9; stockers and feeders, \$6 to \$10; fresh cows and springers, \$7 to \$17.50. Calves, \$1 lower; \$6 to \$21.50. Hogs—heavy, \$15.50 to \$16.50; mixed, \$16.50 to \$17; yorkers, \$17 to \$17.10; light do., \$16.75 to \$17.10; pigs, \$16.50 to \$16.75; roughs, \$13.00 to \$13.50; Alaga, \$8 to \$10.50. Lambs, \$13 to \$20.25; yearlings, \$12 to \$18.25; wethers, \$15.50 to \$16.00; ewes, \$6 to \$14.50; mixed sheep, \$14.50 to \$15.

Montreal, March 23.—Oats, No. 2 C.W., \$1.13; No. 3 C.W., \$1.15. New standard grade, \$13.25 to \$13.55. Rolled oats, bag, 90 lbs., \$5.50 to \$5.60. Bran, \$45.25. Shorts, \$52.25. Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$20.00 to \$21.00.
Chicago, March 23.—Wheat, No. 2 hard, \$2.52 1/2; No. 4 mixed, \$2.35. Corn, No. 3 mixed, \$1.58 to \$1.61; No. 2 yellow, \$1.66. Oats, No. 2 white, 94 1/4 to 95c; No. 3 white, 93 1/4 to 95c. Rye, No. 2, \$1.77 1/2 to \$1.78. Barley, \$1.40 to \$1.65. Timothy seed, \$10.00 to \$13.00. Clover seed, \$45.00 to \$59.00.
Minneapolis, Minneapolis, March 23.—Close; Wheat, spot, No. 1 Northern, \$2.75 to \$2.85. Flour unchanged; shipments, 27,394 barrels. Barley, \$1.31 to \$1.54. Rye, No. 2, \$1.75 to \$1.78 1/2. Bran \$48.00. Flax, \$5.01 to \$5.11.
New York, New York, March 23.—Flour steady; Spring patents, \$12.50 to \$13.00; Spring clears, \$9.25 to \$10.25; Winter straights, \$12.75 to \$11.00. Kansas straights, \$12.00 to \$13.00. Oats, spot unsettled; No. 1 white, \$1.08 1/2. Hay unsettled; No. 1, \$2.45 to \$2.50; No. 2, \$2.30 to \$2.40; No. 3, \$2.15 to \$2.25; shipping, \$2.00 to \$2.10. Hops steady; state and Pacific Coast, medium choice, 1912, 78 to 85c; 1913, 85 to 70c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.
Toronto, Toronto, March 23.—Heavy steers, choice, \$13.25 to \$13.50; choice butcher, \$10.50 to \$11.50; light, common, \$6.50 to \$7; heifers, good to choice, \$11 to \$11.50; butcher cows, choice, \$10 to \$11; bulls, choice, heavy, \$10.00 to \$10.50; do. good, \$9 to \$9.75; do. light, \$7 to \$8; canners and cutters, \$5.25 to \$6.50; stockers, \$9 to \$10 lbs., \$9 to \$10; feeders, \$8 to \$10 lbs., \$10 to \$11; spring lambs, \$20 to \$21; sheep, \$13 to \$14; heavy sheep and bucks, \$7 to \$8; calves, \$16 to \$22; do. medium, \$12 to \$13; hogs, fed and watered, \$19.75 to \$20; do. off cars, \$20 to \$20.25; do. f.o.b., \$18.75; do. to the farmer, \$18.50.
Chicago, Chicago, March 23.—Hogs, bulk, \$14.40 to \$15.90; top, \$16.15. Heavy, \$13.90 to \$15.35; medium, \$14.90 to \$16.10; light, \$15.50 to \$16.15; light lights, \$14.50 to \$15.75; heavy packing sows, smooth, \$13.15 to \$13.65; car-packing sows, rough, \$12.40 to \$12.90; pigs, \$13.50 to \$15.25. Beef steers—medium and heavy—choice and prime, \$13.75 to \$15.50; medium, \$12.50 to \$13.75; com- good and choice, \$12.50 to \$15; common good and medium, \$10 to \$12.50; butcher cattle—heifers, \$7.40 to \$13.25; cows, \$7.40 to \$13; canners and cut-

GENERAL TRADE.
Montreal, Montreal, March 23.—Butter—Finest creamery prints, 67c per lb.; No. 1 in blocks, 66c; dairy butter solids, 68c per lb.
Eggs—strictly new laid, 58c per doz.
Lard—In prints, 32c per lb.
Hams—Large size, 34c per lb.; small, 39c; cooked, 52c
Cheese—Old, 32c per lb.; new, 29c.
Bacon—Windsor boneless, 50c per lb.; breakfast, 40c to 48c per lb.
Dressed poultry—Milkfed chickens, 42c to 45c per lb.; fowls, 30c to 34c; geese, 30c; turkeys, 57c; ducks 40c.
Honey—White clover, strained, 24c per lb.; buckwheat, 18c.
Maple Syrup—Imperial gallon, \$2.50; sugar, 30c per lb.
Beans—Canadian hand-picked, \$5.50 per bushel; peas, \$5.
Dressed hogs—Fresh killed abattoir stock, \$25 per 100 lbs.
Cane sugar—Granulated, \$16.50 per 100 lbs.
Flour—Government standard spring wheat, \$13.25 to \$13.55 per bbl., according to container; winter wheat flour, \$11.25 to \$11.50 per bbl., according to container.
Milkfeed—Bran, \$42.25 to \$47 per ton, ex-track; shorts, \$52.25 to \$54.
Hay—Baled, per ton, in car lots, No. 2 timothy, \$27 to \$28; No. 3 timothy, \$25 to \$26; clover mixed, \$23 to \$24, ex-track.
Potatoes—Per 100 lb. bag on track, \$3.75.
Ontario Quebec reds, per 75-lb. bag, \$8.50.
Toronto, Toronto, March 23.—Butter, choice dairy, 62c to 68c; do. creamery, 70c to 80c; margarine, lb., 37c to 40c; eggs, new laid, doz., 65c to 70c; cheese, lb., 55c to 40c; lard, lb., 40c to 45c; chickens, roasted, 40c to 45c; turkeys, lb., 55c to 60c; apples, bkt., 50c to \$1; do. bbl., \$5 to \$9; cranberries, 2 qts., 25c; oranges, doz., 50c to \$1; lemons, doz., 25c to 35c; grapefruit, each, 5c to 10c; rhubarb, bunch, 10c to 15c; beets, bag, \$2.25 to \$2.50; carrots, bag, \$1.75 to \$2; cabbage, each, 15c to 40c; cauliflower, each, 25c to 50c; celery, head, 10c to 25c; leeks, bunch, 10c to 20c; lettuce, leaf, 3 and good, \$12.25 to \$13.75; com- for 10c; lettuce, head, each, 10c to 15c; onions, bkt., 5c to \$1.25; do. 15c; beets, bag, \$2.25 to \$2.50; carrots, bag, \$1.75 to \$2; cabbage, each, 15c to 40c; cauliflower, each, 25c to 50c; celery, head, 10c to 25c; leeks, bunch, 10c to 20c; lettuce, leaf, 3 and good, \$12.25 to \$13.75; com- good and choice, \$12.50 to \$15; common good and medium, \$10 to \$12.50; butcher cattle—heifers, \$7.40 to \$13.25; cows, \$7.40 to \$13; canners and cut-

TO CARE FOR EMPLOYEES
Silk Strike Settled; Workers Out Ten Months.
Amsterdam, March 23.—The strike of employees of the silk mills of Yulius Kayser & Co., in this city, Brooklyn and Sidney, which originated 10 months ago over the refusal of the company to dismiss a woman in the Sidney plant because of her failure to join the union, has been settled through the efforts of the state board of mediation and arbitration. Hundreds of workers will return to their places operating its mills on eight-hour shifts to accommodate those who have been out.
Made Sales Manager.
New York, March 23.—Rev. Chas. R. Vickery, former pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Manlius and overseas worker, has been released from serving as a pastor in the Central New York Methodist conference to engage in business as an increased salary. Announcement is made of his appointment as city sales manager of the Sargent Service corporation.
A heifer, owned by G. W. Van Patter, Dunboone, Ont., has produced in seven days 35.1 pounds of butter from 708.1 lbs. of milk.
James Richards, for many years a member of Belleville's Board of Education, died at the age of about ninety-one.
Marie Bellanger, aged twenty-seven, has died, after sleeping for three weeks, from tubercular meningitis.

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