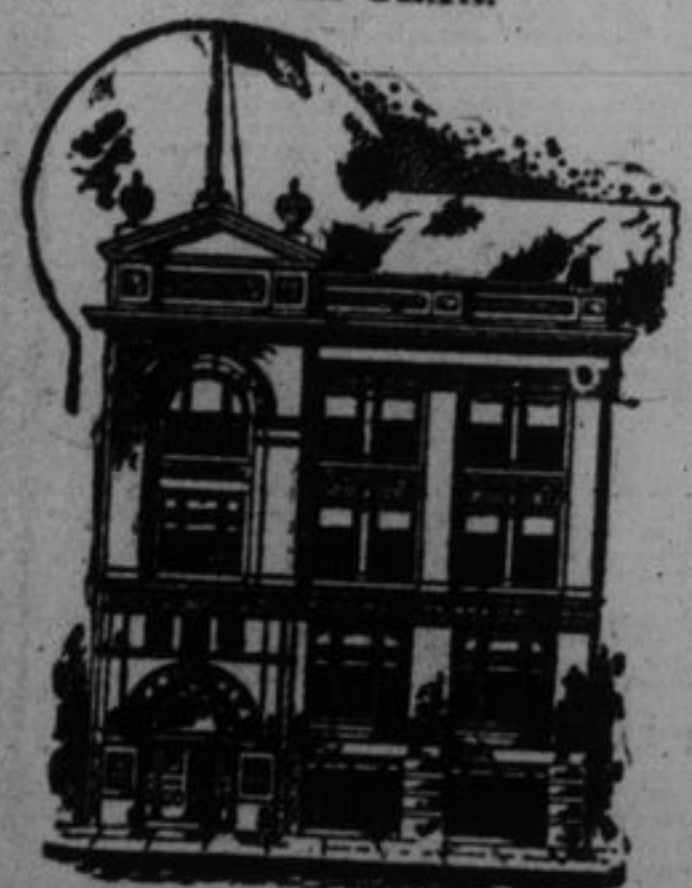


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When we have fewer 'jingles we'll have more to jingle.

If Carpenter lands a blow on Dempsey's patriotism—good night.

Business is looking up—wisfully looking up to where prices used to be.

A man always remembers his enemies, but he sometimes forgets his friends.

Whatever the railway problem may be it isn't the inability to supply empties.

The destiny of the Franks appears to be largely in the hands of the Georges.

There are few black hands in Italy now. They don't do enough work to get 'em black.

I find the Englishman to be him of all men who stands firmest in his shoes.—Emerson.

"Water, water everywhere, and not a drop to drink," has an entirely new significance.

Lower wholesale prices bring relief to all Canadians who are engaged in the retail business.

A lot of fellows who loafed on the job this time last year are now doing their loafing on the curb.

"Cash and carry" may be a good plan, but what the banks object to is the habit of carrying cash.

When Gabriel toots his horn, the chances are that nobody will pay any attention except pedestrians.

Russia is establishing more and more schools. Perhaps the plan is to teach the young idea how to loot.

In Brantford strawberries were selling at 12c a basket, while in Kingston 5c was the price. What is the answer?

The money required for the indemnity would have purchased a roomy and comfortable place in the sun.

You can't blame Dad for acting like a bear when he observes that daughter is when she leaves home for the party.

Imprisoning and abusing travellers in Russia suggests that universal brotherhood won't function properly unless everybody stays at home.

With the present styles and everything, this promises to be a season of unusual social activity for those who are annoyed by mosquitoes.

Now that a serum to vanquish foot and mouth disease has been discovered, all our public speakers should hurry up and get vaccinated.—Toronto Star.

The prevailing theory of the right of way for automobiles is that it belongs to the car that's going the fastest so that it can knock the other fellow into the ditch.

"This is a very sad moment," declared the Duke of Devonshire, the retiring governor-general, at a farewell luncheon at Ottawa. And now curious persons are asking if he referred to his departure or to the fact that he had just signed an order-in-council making Ontario dry on July 14th.

A LESSON FROM GERMANY.

Even although the feeling in Allied countries towards Germany is not yet of the kindest nature, there are certain things which might well be copied from the former enemy country, and adopted with benefit by other nations. For instance there is the message which Chancellor Wirth addressed to the members of the Berlin Bourse the other day, in making an appeal to that body to support the government's programme in meeting the reparations terms. The chancellor briefly outlined the new tax measures which are to be put into effect, and concluded by saying: "It is not memories of battlefields or new wars that point out our future paths or destination; only intense work and production will help us win back liberty for the Fatherland."

For the chancellor of a defeated nation, this is a striking appeal, and it contains in it a lesson which could be applied with even greater emphasis to the victorious nations, which to-day seem to be in peril of resting on their victories and neglecting to safeguard their own future. In any victory there is liable to be a cause for slackening of effort. The goal attained, there is always the danger of the victorious nation resting on its oars, and trying to live on its victories on land and sea. There is an aptitude to put too much stress on the indemnities to be collected from the defeated country, and too little stress upon the necessity for sustained effort within its own borders. There has been an indication that this has already happened in some of the Allied countries, even in Great Britain and Canada. There has been a slackening of effort, a decrease in the work being done and in the production records. These conditions have been partly responsible for the unrest and the chaos which exists to-day in the industrial and business world, and the message of the German chancellor points a definite way towards its solution.

Surely if Germany can put forward a policy of this kind, it is not too much to expect the people of the victorious nations to do the same. It is true that there are glorious memories of battlefields of honour, but no country can exist on these. The same energy which was displayed in time of war must be shown in time of peace. The war-time shirker was despised; the same treatment should be meted out to the peace-time shirker. It may be true that the employment situation precludes many willing workers from devoting their energies to production, but this is merely a temporary condition which will soon pass away, and when it does the lesson of Chancellor Wirth's message might well be borne in mind.

THE WAYS OF A JURY.

An Ottawa jury was severely condemned by a judge the other week for bringing in a verdict of not guilty in the case of an officer, when the evidence, in the judge's opinion, was overwhelmingly against the accused. His Honor expressed the opinion that the action of the jury was a gross miscarriage of justice. There is one thing, perhaps, that might be said in extenuation of the action of this jury, which no doubt was composed of intelligent men of all classes—that it wished to give the accused a chance, and it took its own way of doing it, perhaps a risky way, but the way tempered with mercy. Too often the requests of juries that find men guilty of misdeeds and crimes, and make strong recommendations for mercy in sentence, are ignored, and the full penalty of the law is meted out. One judge will be lenient, while another judge will dispense stern justice, seeing only a law violated and insisting upon giving the full penalty. When a jury brings in a verdict that disappoints a judge, there is always the suspicion that it has an inkling that "the quality of mercy" is not going to be dispensed from the bench. Where one judge will sentence a man to prison for five years, another judge, on the very same charge, will allow a man his liberty on suspended sentence. When a jury brings in a verdict of not guilty, after a strong case has been made against the accused, it would appear that this is merely the jurymen's way of declaring that the accused shall have another chance to make good. If juries' recommendations to mercy were more carefully regarded, there might be fewer of such strange verdicts of the kind said to have been rendered in Ottawa recently.

At Collin's Bay.

Collin's Bay, June 13.—Rev. E. R. Kelly has returned from conference and will preach his farewell sermon here June 26th. All are sorry to part with him and his family. Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Clark and son, Harold, motored to Toronto for the week-end. Mrs. A. M. Rankin attended the closing of Haverburg college, Toronto, and returned home on Tuesday, bringing Marion with her. About seventy friends of Miss Roxie Frink (the bride of this week) gathered at her home and gave her a shower of many beautiful and useful presents. Refreshments were served after which all joined hands and sang "Auld Lang Syne."

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after a long car ride home, find your nose all black from said door.

No Standard Measures.

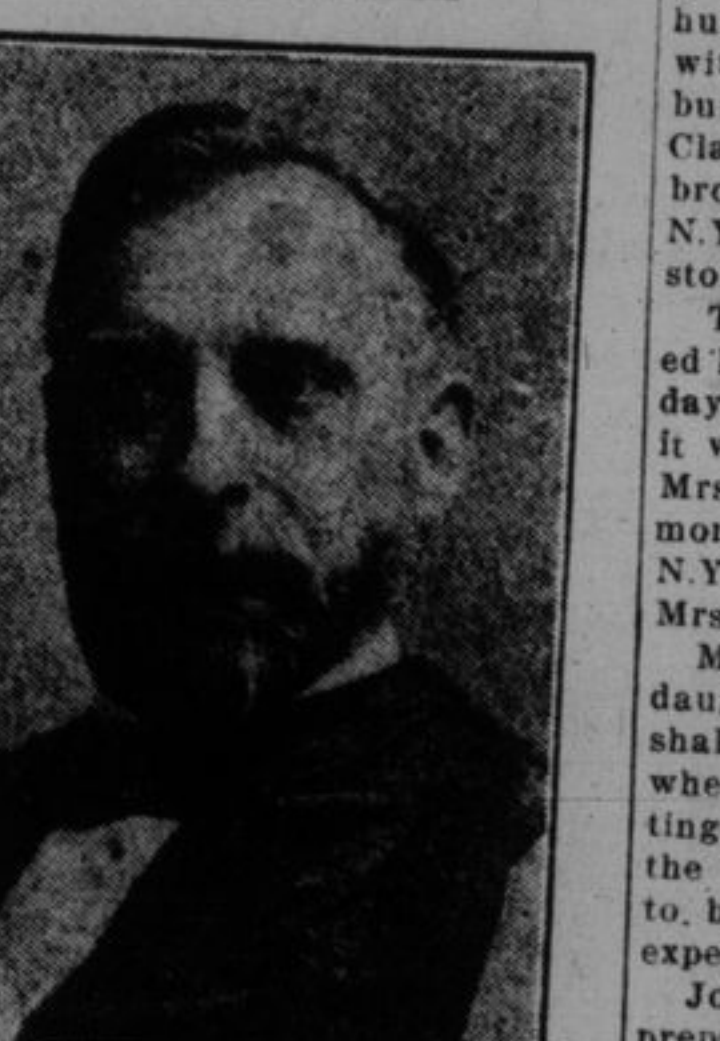
(Ottawa Journal) A "bushel" of potatoes purchased from a huckster may weigh all the way from 60 to 90 pounds and the purchaser may not be any the wiser. There is no protection for the casual buyer of fruits and vegetables in the absence of any regulation regarding the disposing of grain and orchard produce by standard weights and measures.

In Ancient Athens.

(Orillia Packet) In ancient Athens girls lived in the strictest seclusion till their marriage, kept virtually under lock and key. They were seldom permitted to leave their homes, except on some great festival occasion. A like law in these days would give a staggering blow to the paint and kalsomine business.

The Priceless Boon.

(Cleveland Plain Dealer) Stay in school. Make sacrifices if necessary, forego pleasures if finances are short, work your way through school if the money problem handicaps there is a way somewhere and the years spent in study now will be the most valuable investment you will ever make. Parents who encourage their sons and daughters to keep on in school are doing a favor to the next generation of Americans as well as to themselves. Let there be no mistake about it. The world wants educated men and women. The educated citizens will make the history of the next decades as they are making the history of this one and have been making the history of past ones. Be one of the history makers.



DR. E. M. MCPADDEN, Pittsburgh divine, secretary of the International Protestant League and president of the Ulster Society of United States and Canada, who is on a visit to Canada. He says force is the only salvation for Ireland.

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Walt Mason THE POET PHILOSOPHER

A DECADE.

Ten years ago the world was fat, and basking amply in its grease; we laughed until we sprained a slat when seers foretold the end of peace. And Wilhelm changed his uniforms, was photographed twelve times a day, and courtiers, in idle swarms, admired the war lord on his way. The weary poet scratched his head to think up topics for his rhymes, and then the foolish books we read had faked-up wars in Zenda climes. The voters bought their hand-me-downs, and knew the dyes would never fade, and women wore their ample gowns, and kept their ankles in the shade. The railway barons walked in state, like princes of the royal blood, and now the row they raise is great, and they confess their name is Mudd. Ten years ago I hired Jim Jones, and paid him thirty cents an hour, and now each day he draws six bones, and such a stipend makes him sour. And Russia's czar, ten years ago, still wore his crown upon his brow; somewhere beneath the northern snow his battered bones are lying now. The world is not the same old place, its teeth are loose, it's lost its hair, it has been shaken to its base, and nothing's right side up dead days, that shall return no more, alas! when we all went our routine ways, and cut the old accustomed grass.

—WALT MASON.

HAVE ISLAND LAWN SOCIAL.

The Steamer Missisquoi Calls Three Times a Week. Howe Island, June 18.—The lawn social held on Thursday evening under the auspices of C. Gallery was a success. There were about four hundred present. Motor boats came with numbers from Kingston, Pittsburg, Wolfe Island, Gananoque and Clayton. One of the Clayton boats brought twenty from Watertown, N.Y. Salisbury's orchestra, Kingston, supplied the music. The steamer Missisquoi has started her trips, and is calling here Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, making it very convenient for the islanders. Mrs. F. Browne and Mrs. L. Redmond and baby daughter, Watertown, N.Y., are spending a few days with Mrs. J. Prior.

Marion Marshall, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marshall, met with a serious accident when she sprained her ankle in getting out of a buggy. She is now in the Hotel Dieu Hospital, but is said to be improving as well as can be expected.

John McDonald has commenced preparations for the erection of a new residence. A little boy has come to take up his abode with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vincent.

The baseball team is still holding its reputation, by defeating a team from Gananoque by a score of 13 to 7.

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N. B. Trumpour 111 1/2 Brock Street Phone 704. FIRE AT GLENVALE. Presbyterian Church Shed Burned—Sunday School Convention. Glenvale, June 20.—The Sunday school convention held on Wednesday last was well attended. Splendid addresses were given by Miss Grenell, Toronto, Rev. Mr. Calvert, Inverary, and Dr. Lake, Kingston. Delegates were present from Westbrook, Kemptville, Glenburnie and Cataraugus.

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What might have been a serious fire, but for the timely aid of nearby farmers who were summoned by telephone, occurred at the Presbyterian church shed shortly after dinner on Sunday. As numbers quickly responded to the call the flames were got under control so that no other buildings were damaged. Rev. Mr. Parsons and Rev. Mr. Charlesworth both preach their farewell sermons on Sunday next. Visitors: Mrs. Fred Knight, Kingston, at Mrs. Annie Gordon's; Miss Ola Butterill, Kingston, at J. Ellerbeck's; Mrs. Spurr and daughter, Saskatchewan, at George Clark's. On Friday evening the Young People's Society presented Mr. Parsons with a handsome club bag to show their appreciation of his untiring efforts in making their society a success during the past winter, and to wish him greater success in his new field of labor. Mrs. Edward Grant is ill, suffering with paralysis of the nerves. Miss Deloraine Jeffrey, Toronto, is spending a few days with her parents here.

Is Kingston going to fall down on the campaign for the Blind Soldiers? Most certainly not. Get YOUR contribution in to the Whig office.

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PUBLIC OPINION

Getting Inquisitive. (Buffalo Express) What possible concern has the American Federation of Labor with the government of Ireland, anyway?

It's Human Nature. (Ohio State Journal) When a man is tickled to death with an editorial and strongly disapproves another in the same paper he writes the editor about the latter.

A Dignity Chase. (Detroit News) To grab a last goodby kiss from her through the screen door—and