

# The Jarvis Record

ISSUED WEDNESDAYS.

Subscriptions.—One dollar per year in advance; if not paid in advance a dollar and a half will be charged. United States papers 50c extra, strictly in advance.

We are at all times pleased to receive local news. Send or bring in the facts, we'll do the rest. The coming and goings of Haldimand and Norfolk people are always welcome items of news.

If you wish your address changed give old as well as new address.

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MRS. ELVA RODGERS,

Publisher

Look at your label and see if your subscription date is o.k. We have changed our mailing lists up to the minute. Renew early.

## NOTICE TO Farmers!

**MEN'S RUBBER BOOTS,**  
\$3.50.

**J. J. COONAN**  
JARVIS, - - - ONT.

### Cut This Out

It is worth your fare to Hamilton and return on an account of \$10.00 or over.

DR. FRD L. WILLIAMSON,  
Dentist,  
3 Blocks west of King St. Station  
Hamilton, Ontario.

### BROWN'S TREES

The best that can be grown. Who is our agent in your town?  
**BROWN BROTHERS COMPANY,**  
Nurserymen, Limited.  
Brown's Nurseries, Welland Co., Ont.

Go to

**A. RODGERS**

Repairing & New Handmade  
**Boots and Shoes.**

**A. RODGERS,**

JARVIS, ONT.  
Agent for  
Consumers Wallpaper Co.  
See Our Samples.

### Camels and Dromedaries.

No matter to what extent the railway may be constructed in certain parts of the world, the camel will probably never cease to be the principal means of transportation in the desert, over the greater portion of Egypt and the Sudan.

The desert would, of course, be absolutely impossible without this animal. He was created for it and thrives in it better than anywhere else. His broad, soft foot enables him to traverse deep sands where the horse would sink to its knees and quickly perish.

The camel lives on almost nothing, the scanty herbage of the desert and the twigs of the thorny mimosa being his favorite food; but, as everyone knows, his most valuable quality in this relation is his ability to travel many days during the fiercest days of summer without drinking.

The African camel is a native of Arabia and has only one hump.

The camel and the dromedary differ only in breed, just as the draught horse differs from the racer. The burden camel, called gamal by the Arabs, never changes his regular walk of two and a half miles an hour under a load which never exceeds 300 pounds for a long journey, for his strength must be estimated by what he can carry when exhausted by hardship and privation.

The dromedary, or riding camel, is much swifter. With no other load than his rider, a bag of bread, dates, and a skin of water, he can accomplish 100 miles a day in an emergency.

### The Unseen Peril.

That the humor and cheerfulness of the Canadian soldier is proof against even the most extreme discomforts of life "somewhere in Flanders" is shown by the cable story of the flooded trench. A private, splashing waist-deep through muddy, chilly water, was halted by the sentry's challenge: "Halt, who goes there?" "Submarine U-13," was his response.

## Gun's Shur-gain CALF MEAL

25 lbs., \$1.00.  
100 lbs., \$3.50.

PHONE 22

## J. H. MISNER

## Three Prime Virtues

—IN A PHOTOPH—  
Artistic Quality, Permanency,  
and Likeness

—OURS HAVE ALL THREE—

## MOORE'S STUDIO

MAKERS OF QUALITY PHOTOGRAPHS  
PHONE 183  
Norfolk St. Simcoe.

# Boy Wanted!

To learn the Printing trade,  
must have fair education,  
be energetic and willing to  
take instruction. - Good  
trade; Big wages when  
finishsd. Apply to

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### WOMEN AT WORK.

The Story of Their War Labors in England is Simply Amazing.

"The story of what women have done in this war through the Red Cross is simply amazing, said Mrs. Lloyd George, wife of the English Minister of Munitions, recently. Thirty-two hundred trained nurses are working today in England and on the continent in connection with the British Red Cross. In addition, 1,500 women to serve under trained nurses. They are posted at hospitals both in England and in France.

"All have obtained certificates in first aid and home nursing, while many have certificates also in hygiene, sanitation and cookery.

"Many women are giving their services at the rest stations, which have been established at various railway stations. They meet the men as they come back from the trenches and supply them with food and comforts and clothing and generally rest them for the next move forward.

"Originally, the idea was that women not fully trained should act as temporary nurses to look after the wounded in improvised hospitals.

"It was thought that they would fill the gap left by the War Office, since the War Office machinery made no arrangements for rest stations or sorting hospitals for dealing with the wounded or sick coming back from the dressing stations. A detachment consists of a commandant, a quartermaster, and a superintendent nurse with 20 nurses. The organization was put to a severe test when, at the fall of Antwerp, in October, the wounded Belgians had to evacuate hospitals in Belgium and be accommodated in England. Since then the War Office has thrown more and more work upon their shoulders, and the women have responded in a very remarkable fashion. The greater part of the work of the hospital is cooking, washing, or scrubbing. It is carried out by these women with wonderful self-abnegation. There are in England over 100 British Red Cross auxiliary home hospitals, and you can easily see how great a drain upon the women of this country the work of these hospitals must have entailed.

"The Women's Emergency Corps was started only two days after the declaration of war. This work originated with the women's suffrage societies and naturally it has swept into its ranks large numbers of women of independent means. I believe even in the first fortnight it received and classified 10,000 candidates, doctors, nurses, interpreters, motorists, and the untrained who desired training and were willing to do anything that was offered to them.

"Thousands of these women have been placed in situations in connection with trams, buses, and railways, thousands more are taken up by the big commercial undertakings, and a very large number are engaged in munition works. The Munition Workers' Auxiliary Committee also fulfills a useful function in relieving the ordinary women workers at arsenals and munition factories.

"English women have assisted in Holland with the Belgian refugees, and they have also done a very great deal for the Belgians in England. They met them at the stations and saw them safely to their various destinations, supplying them with clothes and food. There is a hospitality department which looks after both refugees and stranded English women. At one time they had a section of women engaged in toy-making. These are now nearly all on munition work. Some 20,000 are applied for this kind of work, but I am not able to give figures as to how many of them were actually engaged. Many thousands applied for agricultural employment, and where the farmers are sufficiently enlightened they have been taken."

### GERMAN INHUMANITY.

Authorities Confiscated Serum Sent Home by German Doctor.

Recent events have revealed a remarkable fact about a German scientist now interned at the Alexandra Palace, London, Eng.

The scientist is Frederick Mehnarto, a pupil of Koch and a Harley street consultant who came into prominence three years ago in connection with experiments in the treatment of tuberculosis conducted in London at the Margaret street hospital, Greenwich. Dr. Mehnarto claimed to have discovered a serum for consumption.

On the outbreak of war he was interned at the Alexandra Palace. His house in Harley street and his home and laboratory at Notting Hill were closed. A few months ago a well-known diplomatist was suffering from the disease for which the interned German's serum was considered a possible cure. Representations were made to the authorities, and it was agreed to allow Mehnarto to return to his laboratory at Notting Hill, as he alone could manufacture the serum. The secret he refused to impart to anyone.

The German left the palace each day under escort. But an initial difficulty had to be overcome. For his experiments he had kept a number of vipers. These were now dead. He was given facilities for obtaining what he required from the Zoological Gardens.

Thus supplied he worked for months in his laboratory, producing the serum under the official eye of a Scotland Yard officer.

He also continued experiments for the perfecting of a serum to take the place of "606," and claimed to have arrived at a satisfactory result while working as a prisoner of war.

While thus engaged news was sent him from Germany that his mother (who had visited him in England just before the war) had been stricken with tuberculosis, contracted, it was feared, through a too venturesome visit to his laboratory. There was a request that a phial of her son's serum should be sent her.

By the courtesy of the British authorities a messenger was despatched with the elixir and with a letter in code to Dr. Mehnarto's only sister giving the secret of the cure. The messenger was seized on a German steamer, the letter and phial were confiscated, and the sister to whom the letter was addressed was arrested, and, as far as is known, she is still held prisoner.

Meanwhile the illness of the diplomatist for the treatment of whom Dr. Mehnarto had been allowed to return to his laboratory did not yield to treatment. Eventually the permit to leave Alexandra Palace was revoked, and the scientist now spends his days behind the barbed wire at Wood Green along with other Germans who hold high places in science, art, and medicine.

At the time of his internment Dr. Mehnarto is said to have been in negotiation with the physicians of a crowned head for a supply of his serum.

### Indian Time.

Certain of the reservation Indians still cling to the calendar of their ancestors. The Indian method was to compute time by sleeps and moons. A sleep is twenty-four hours, and a moon is a month. There is also a midnoon, where the sun is at twelve o'clock, meridian. This hour is indicated by pointing overhead.

When an Indian pointed quarter way up the sky, he meant nine o'clock; when he pointed quarter way down, he meant three o'clock. Sunrise was the eastern horizon and sunset the western. Night was indicated by holding the hands together, palms downward, stretching out the arms, and holding the body and head bent forward.

When there was a moon, the time was indicated in the same way as by the sun. Were an Indian asked the distance to a certain place, or how far he had come, he would say so many sleeps or days' travel. A sleep, as describing distance, was about thirty-five miles when walking deliberately; or from fifty to seventy-five miles if going in haste with a message.

### Girl Soldier Sent Home.

A girl stowaway was found on one of the transports bringing Australian troops to the front, when she was two days out from Australia. The girl was dressed in khaki. She was sent back by another transport to Melbourne. She is eighteen years of age. She disguised herself as a soldier, and managed to get on board a troopship outward bound from Sydney. Her explanation was an overpowering desire to see her brother, who is in Egypt on active service. Knowing that she would not be allowed to land in Egypt if her sex were known, she formed the plan of disguising herself as a soldier.

### They Found Phosphate.

A valuable discovery, it is stated, has been made by certain New Zealand soldiers, who are farmers by profession, and whose attention has been drawn while serving in Egypt, to the immense natural supplies of phosphate. At Sofaja Bay, on the shores of the Red Sea, they have found what is claimed to be the richest phosphate field in the world. A trial shipment of 500 tons has been forwarded to New Zealand.

### German Coins Superseded.

German coinage, amounting to about four and a half tons, was taken to Auckland, New Zealand, from Samoa recently. This consisted of what was in circulation when Samoa was taken possession of by the New Zealand Expeditionary Force, and it has since been replaced by British coinage.

### An Accomplished Woman.

Mrs. Anquith is not only a clever musician, but also a skilled diver, having taken lessons from Miss Lotty Lind, the popular actress and diver.

# Studying Store = Keeping

We have been working at it steadily for a great many years in this old town where we were born, went to school, and always lived. We have studied store-making and store works as hard as the young men and young women are studying at the Simcoe High School. **WE HAVE MADE PROGRESS**, and yet we are still at our lessons, learning something every day; and every day is carrying the store ahead at some point or another. Our plans are widening and developing, here a little, and there a little, that we may become more and more useful to our ever-increasing family of friends.

**H. S. FALLS CO.**

## Ready with Scores of Tailored Suits for Women and Juniors.

Many a woman will say we are ready for the clothes, but what about Spring? There is at least this to say about it, that when it comes it will come in earnest and find quite a few women unprepared. We have greater stocks and greater varieties of women's and misses tailored Suits than we have ever had at the same period, and we are selling far more of them than ever. Probably the latter is a direct result of the former, but both are facts. A few examples can be seen in our Show Windows. Scores of others in Garment Department, 2nd Floor.

- Women's New Tailored Suits 12.90 - \$35
- Misses' New Tailored Suits, 12.90 - \$25
- Women's Separate Skirts, \$3.90 to \$16
- Women's and Juniors' Coats, \$7.75 - \$35
- Children's Coats, — \$1.95 to \$16.00

To-day we wish to remind you that beginning Saturday we shall have ready for your inspection 50 Men's very fine Blue Serge Suits at \$16, that we cannot duplicate at \$20. Finely tailored, soft pure English worsted, perfect fitting and excellent service. Outside of a Khaki suit, a man LOOKS better in a navy blue than in any other color, that is if it is a good quality of Blue Serge—AND THESE ARE—also—

Plenty of Men's Fine Tweed and Colored Worsteds Suits will be ready Saturday at \$15, \$12 and \$10. Quiet patterns, plenty of Browns, medium light and dark greys.

Boys' Suits and odd Knickers will be ready.— See the table of Boys' Suits clearing at \$2.90. See the table of Boys' Suits Clearing at \$3.90. See the table of Boys' Suits clearing at \$4.90.

FINE SUITS FOR BOYS—see the rack of Boys' suits, at \$5 to \$7.50. See the rack of Boys' suits at \$8.50 to \$13.50.

Hundreds of pairs of boys Knickers—Corduroy, Navy serges, Colored Worsteds and Tweeds, sizes up to 35, the pair 50c to \$2.00.

**H. S. FALLS CO.**

## WE FURNISH HOMES.

Our new spring Stocks are complete and splendid. Furniture, Beds and Bedding, Springs and Pillows, Carpets and Rugs, Kitchen Cabinets, Linoleums, Curtains and Draperies, Furniture Coverings, Window Shades and Curtain Poles, and a fine collection of Framed Pictures, all moderately priced.

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