

Public School Reports

The Public School Promotion Reports appear in our columns next week. Lack of space in the issue of them not being in this week's "Record."

BABY CHICKS—It is cheaper and more satisfactory to buy ready hatched chicks. We guarantee safe delivery of vigorous, pure bred, husky chicks of all breeds. Write for free booklet and prices. **THE CANADIAN CHICK HATCHERY, Ltd., Dept. C.N., Hamilton, Ontario.**

Business Change

We draw the attention of our readers to Miss Latimer's advertisement on back page of this issue of the "Record." She has taken over the millinery business recently conducted by Miller Bros. and will occupy the same rooms. Miss Latimer's millinery parlors will open on March 29th next. First-class workmanship with up-to-date and stylish hats combined with moderate prices should ensure a large and growing patronage.

Notice to Advertisers

In order to ensure insertion for current week all copy for change of advtis must be in the "Record" office not later than 6 p.m. on Monday preceeding week of publication. New advtis. will be received up to 6 p.m. Tuesday. By conforming to the above rules our advertisers will materially assist in assuring the insurance of the "Record" promptly on time.

Correspondents Wanted

The "Record" wants a real live correspondent in every locality adjacent to Jarvis. If you can fill the bill let us know and we will cheerfully supply you with the necessary stationery, stamps and a free copy each week of the paper. We want only correspondents who are thoroughly reliable, and who are able to get all the news that is going. If you live in a district in which we have no representative, drop in and see us, and arrange to send us a weekly budget of news.

Homes Wanted

The Officers of the Children's Aid Society of Haldimand County are anxious to place several strong, healthy children, who can be well recommended, in good homes. Our agreements are liberal and satisfactory arranged. The ages and sex as follows, name:—

Girl.....5 years.	Boy.....1 year.
Girl.....8 "	Boy.....3 "
Girl.....8 "	Boy.....5 "
Girl.....8 "	Boy.....5 1/2 "
	Boy.....7 "
	Boy.....9 "

Apply by letter or personal interview.
CHAS. R. BILGER,
Inspector,
Box 48, Dunnville, Ont.

Haldimand County Good Roads System

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Load of Vehicles Amendment Act 1920

During the months of March and April vehicles operated or objects moved over or upon any highway not within a city or separated town, and having a carrying capacity exceeding one ton, shall not be loaded in excess of one-half the rated carrying capacity of such vehicle or object, without obtaining a permit as provided by Section 4.

D. W. MCBURNEY,
Superintendent.
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Read The Record Advtis.

HARRIS' BUTCHER SHOP

Choicest Fresh and Cured Meats and Poultry

We aim to please our Customers.

All Orders promptly attended to.

THOS. HARRIS
Main St., JARVIS

Shop in Simcoe
At OUR Expense

We Refund Car Fare from Jarvis on a purchase of \$5.00 and over, Hamoville \$10.00 and over, and from Nelles Corners on \$12.00 and over.

Murdoch's
Simcoe's Favorite Shopping Place

"Keep Them Guessing Volume"

By R. RAY BAKER

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William Shakespeare didn't refer to Florence Davidson when he made that observation about it being easier to give advice than to act upon it.

For Florence was one of those persons that practice what they preach. Her preaching was done through the columns of the Evening Gazette, under the caption, "Advice to the Lovelorn, by Arabella Anderson." Every day, except Sunday, Florence answered questions of young women, and some young men, in regard to love affairs, preceding the replies with an article of general advice.

These articles written by Florence lately had been accumulated and published in pamphlet form under the title, "Keep Them Guessing," and these pamphlets were distributed free of charge to the readers of the Gazette who submitted the necessary coupon.

Florence was a strong advocate of "guessing" in love affairs. She argued that a young man's interest became stimulated when he found himself unable toathom the depths of his idol's nature. "Keep them guessing; never let up until the marriage knot is tied, and don't let up then," was the gist of her advice, and many a fair reader heeded it and profited by it.

Because Florence practiced what she preached, Harvey Roberts was kept constantly on the anxious seat. He never could tell just where he stood with her. Her personality seemed never the same. She was exceedingly agreeable and sweet one day, and the next time Harvey saw her she was cold and distant. She never would admit definitely that she would marry him, but whenever he became convinced his case was hopeless she would be sure to lend him fresh encouragement by means of a few choice words of sentiment. He was "kept guessing."

Harvey did not realize that he was the constant subject of experiment for Arabella Anderson of the Gazette. Indeed, he was not aware that Florence acted in that capacity on the newspaper, although of course he knew she held some position there. Yes, Harvey was experimented upon shamefully in order that the readers of the Gazette might profit; but from this it must not be inferred that Florence did not care for him. She really was in love with him, but felt she must follow Arabella Anderson's advice in order to keep him on the matrimonial eligible list.

One day Harvey had called for her at the Gazette office and escorted her to the modest dwelling where she lived with her mother.

"Shall I see you this evening?" he inquired. She had been particularly amiable, and he was confident she would be glad to have him call. His insurance business had kept him out of town for a week and it seemed like years since they had been together. He was then taken off his feet by her response.

"I think not, Harvey. Really, I believe we should not see so much of each other for a while. Besides, I have another engagement for tonight."

"But Florence," he protested, "I haven't seen you for a week and—"

"Let's not argue," she broke in. "I think it is best, really, and I couldn't break an engagement—even for you."

So Harvey went away with a heavy heart, and Florence kept her engagement with a man she heartily disliked. It was necessary, however, to forge another link in the chain of guessing with which she bound Harvey.

"He'll call me up in a day or two and beg me to relent," she confidently told herself, "and of course I'll yield to his pleading. It's all in the game." Florence was ready to relent, but she didn't get the chance, for Harvey failed to fulfill her expectations. He did not telephone to her and she received no word from him through the mail. When three days had passed she began to be worried.

Then came the climax. Florence went to the theater one evening with her mother, and there she saw Harvey with another young woman. It literally appalled her. Such a thing was unheard of. He appeared to have broken away from the fetters she had tied with such painstaking care.

At first Florence was angry. What right had Harvey to pay attention to another girl after the many protestations of love he had poured into her ears? But her anger cooled and anxiety took its place. She stood ready to forgive if only Harvey would come back.

But Harvey made no effort to see Florence. He must be away on business, she decided; but it was odd not to receive a letter from him if such were the case. She discovered he was not out of town one evening when she went to a restaurant for dinner and found him dining there with the same girl who had accompanied him to the theater. This time Florence shed tears.

Well, it was all over. She had lost Harvey now, she was convinced. And it was her own fault; she knew it and admitted it. She wrote "Advice to the Lovelorn" with little heart now, because she was beginning to doubt the soundness of the policies she advocated.

such procedure, but she couldn't help it.

"Why don't you ever come to me now?" she asked him. "I said we ought to remain away from each other for a while, but I didn't mean forever."

Harvey appeared his same old self. "I'll see you tonight—if you haven't another engagement," he said.

Florence had no other engagement and Harvey called. He got right to business at the start.

"I love you, Florence, and I want you," he told her, "but I'm tired of never knowing where I am at. If I can't have you all to myself I won't have you at all."

"You mean—" she said very sweetly—and meekly.

"I mean that I am proposing to you again, for the last time. If you say yes, well and good. It will make me happy. If your answer is no I'll be unhappy, but I'll never bother you again. But if you accept me all this tact and diplomacy stuff of yours has got to stop. How about it?"

Florence was silent for a moment. When she spoke there were hints of tears in her eyes.

"It suits me, Harvey," she told him. "I'll marry you, and in the meantime I'm yours alone. I'll never be mean again, and I'll never keep you guessing. You can depend on me all the time."

When Harvey left her that night he was far happier than he ever had been before. He whistled a gay tune as he walked home under stars gleaming in a deep blue sky. He went to his room and sat for a long time gazing at a picture of Florence and smiling. It was a smile of triumph as well as happiness.

Before retiring he opened a drawer of his dresser and brought forth a paper-covered book.

"This Arabella Anderson has the right dope," he murmured. "Only she forgot to mention that it works both ways. Maybe she didn't know it when she wrote this 'Keep Them Guessing' volume."

EVEN SENATORS DON'T RULE

Wife of Eighty-Two-Year-Old "Live One" Waxed Sarcastic at Hubby's Expense, the Morning After.

The story is still told in chuckle circle in Washington, where old cronies get together, of the night when E. W. Pettus, senator from Alabama, then eighty-two years old, stayed out too late.

The day after the escapade the senator was drowsing along and Mr. McCumber was making a speech that was well studded with statistics and entirely denuded of thrills. The senators drifted into the cloak rooms. Only Senator Pettus remained. Suddenly his shoulders were seen to begin to shake with mirth, and some observer went over to learn what, in so dry a speech, could have made him laugh.

He said he had played poker with the Joe Cannon crowd the night before and when the hour of midnight arrived, the time at which Mrs. Pettus required his presence at home, he had all the blue chips and could not gracefully get away. So he played till three o'clock.

When he got home he pulled off his shoes at the front door, slipped into his room, undressed in the dark and sought to go to bed. Mrs. Pettus, unfortunately, had cast anchor in the exact middle of the bed. So he bestowed himself most uncomfortably on the edge and courted Morpheus in vain.

Just at dawn Mrs. Pettus awoke. The senator pretended that he was asleep. She got up on her elbow and looked at her partner for 50 years in the increasing light. Instantly she detected his discomfort.

"Mr. Pettus," said she, "you would rest at greater ease if you would take off your hat."—William Atherton Du Puy in the Philadelphia Evening Public Ledger.

Sermons by Wireless Telephone.

The day may soon come when the itinerant minister will be a thing of the past, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. The Herron Avenue Presbyterian church of Pittsburgh, which had been without a pastor for some time and compelled to rely on substitutes, decided on the installation of a wireless telephone receiving outfit in the pulpit. The outfit was a compact arrangement of loop antenna, amplifier and condenser, and it was the means whereby the interested congregation listened to a service from the Calvary Episcopal church of the same city. Although the speaker differed in creed from his auditors, attentive ears received his sermons as transmitted by the wireless.

Far From Independent.

"You are a fortunate man," said the automobile tourist.

"How's that?" asked the farmer.

"You are monarch of all you survey." "I guess you are wrong, stranger. I still owe nine installments on that tractor; you see, my hired man won't pay any attention to what I say and there's a mortgage on the old home place."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Ruinous.

Madge—Gossip doesn't pay.
Marjorie—I'm beginning to agree with you, my dear. The last secret I heard cost me more than \$2 for extra telephone tolls.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Room for Baseball.

"Bill," said the managing editor, "Yes sir?"
"Shoo these movie queens off the baseball page into the fashion plate section."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Visitors to Simcoe enjoy shopping at Falls'. "So much to see."

Store Hours—9 to 6
Saturday—9

How tiresome Winter grows. How interesting the
NEW FASHIONS
PLANNED FOR SPRING!

A Fine, Fresh Lot of Men's \$3 and \$5 Soft Hats

Customers tell us they cannot get such good hats elsewhere at these prices, and we don't doubt it. They are special, and we have yet to hear criticism of them—in becoming shapes and in the new Spring shades.

Double Satin Finish Sateens

The most beautiful Drapery Sateen we ever offered, for many purposes. Choice of (34) patterns **75c a yard**

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| New Colored Cashmeres | Canton Crepes |
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| San Toys | New Stripes |
| Silk Crepe Jerseys | Viyella for Night and Day Wear |

Every Woman Wants to See The New Spring Corsets

Corsets for the Tall and Medium Stout Figures

Antipon belt, in medium and low bust; made of fine white coutil; boned with double steels; French graduated front steel; six hose supporters attached; sizes 23 to 36. Per pair..... **\$4.50**

Corsets for the short stout figure, CC a la Grace Corset, made in low bust and short skirt, boned with double steels; four hose supporters attached; sizes 24 to 32. Per pair..... **3.50**

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Nemo Corsets with Nemo relief bands for the short, stocky figure—excess flesh on lower abdomen and in groin section. Semi-elastic in-curve back gives symmetrical lines to the lower back, with ease in any position; white coutil; sizes 22 to 36. **Price \$7.75**

Sample Toilet Sets---No Two Alike

A representative of an English pottery concern has turned over his sample Toilet Sets to us at a special saving; very much finer sets than we ever offered. The set **\$12.50, 13.50, 15.00, 16.00 and 17.00.**

MEN'S SUITS TO ORDER . . . 25.00 to 50.00
MEN'S SUITS READY-MADE . \$15, 20, 25 and 35

The March House Furnishing Sale

in the Downstairs Store saves you money. Pots and Pans, Brooms and Brushes, specials in "Wear-Ever" Aluminum Ware and Granite-ware. See the tables. **Choice 15c and 23c.** Here you will find scores of useful articles, including Brushes (many kinds), Pocket Knives, Tack Hammers, Tack Pullers, Garden Trowels, Wall Paper Cleaners, Granite Cups and Mugs, Wall Brackets, Towel Racks, Etc.

Not too early to order Awnings and Slip Covers. Last season brought disappointment to some who waited too long

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Prices much less at Falls'. In natural, grey, brown and Ivory. Nicely upholstered in corduroy and other materials. Many new "touches on them this season:

Carriages..... **\$37.50, 58.00 and 67.50**
English Preamulators **34.00 and 40.00**
Strollers **\$13.50, 16.50, 19.50 and 25.00**

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A City Store in a Town --- But not City Prices