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**RENDEZVOUS**

The home has ceased to be a mere port of last resort and becomes a cherished rendezvous. And the radio is responsible. If one may eat dinner at the home and at the same time hear the melodious strains of a symphony orchestra, if one may roll up the parlor rug and dance to the jazz tanglings of a metropolitan dance orchestra, if one may sit in smoking jacket and slippers and not miss the evening church service, there is no place like home.

The home is indebted to those new gold-dust twins, Neurodyne and Hetrodyne, for bringing back the wandering flock. The player-piano, the phonograph, the library, the open door all tried their skill at vamping with little success. Where they failed the radio succeeded. It isn't guaranteed against fading but the wireless wave is overworking the hall hat rack.

When McCormack and Bori sang for the radio, theatrical producers predicted the early decline of drama. The radio is in competition with late evening movies. As long as the radio programs offer talent of a high order the radio-owning public will stay at home to hear and go out only to see.

**HELL BREAKS LOOSE**

General Sherman's graphic description of war will long remain in the minds of men. He was right when he said war was hell.

The human race seems determined to have its modicum of hell and to have it frequently.

While men write about the impossibility of civilized nations ever entering another war, Japan and China are springing to arms with all of the heat, anger, and passion of two pugwuglies in a speakeasy.

Reasons for the war? They will be multitudinous and almost all of them will be lies. The Japanese will say they are fighting on the defensive. Their first line of defense will be on Chinese soil. Statesmen are busy manufacturing evidence to show the truth of that contention.

China will claim defense of the realm and with more reason, for an army of invasion is on her shores. Chinese will stop killing each other and join forces against the invader.

The situation is grave, and there is every chance that other nations may become involved. The underlying motive is there. The powers want the markets. China wants independence, freedom from foreign domination and a chance to work out her own destinies.

Russia with the largest best trained army in the world, composed to a great degree of fanatical men, with zealots as leaders, doubtless will stand ready to join with China, devoting men and resources.

This inevitably will bring other nations into the war, and no one can predict the alignments nor the outcome.

In the States the little undeclared war with Nicaragua will be forgotten by all save the marines, who are down in the tropical jungles, and their anxious families at home.

The New York bankers will hold

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the American marines in the jungle and continue their efforts to cinch their claims on the railroads and the Bank of Nicaragua.

The financial interests of New York will come to a quick decision about the American policy in the Chinese jargon, and American warships and soldiers will move accordingly.

We are a great people at times, but mostly we are pawns and puppets; and we don't even know who moves the pieces or pulls the strings that make us act.

There is one thing we may be certain of, and that is that the pawns and puppets will pay the bill and keep on paying it as long as they live, and then the next generation and those that follow will continue to pay.

As this is written the Chinese war is of far less importance to the average man than the baseball score and the outlook for winning the pennant. Tomorrow he will go or will send his son to fight and he will pay and pay and die without knowing the why of it.

**ATTENTION, MR. MERCHANT.**

The editor of the Toledo Blade says: money fills our wants, but advertising creates the wants. And he is right. You might have all the money in the world and buy everything you wanted, only to wake up tomorrow and find you still wanted something else. Advertising creates a demand for something, and a demand creates a supply. So, correctly figured, advertising creates both supply and demand. It sells something to the reader that he did not know he wanted until he read the ad. It calls his attention to something, and sets up a new want. So to satisfy that new want he goes out and buys the thing he saw advertised. Wise merchants know this without being told — and that's why they advertise. Right now is the best buying season of the year, because people are reading more than at any other time — and the more reading they do the more things they see advertised that they want. We offer this to the merchant who wants one thing in particular just now — more money.

**In The-Melting Pot**

A cowcatcher is what is put on engines to catch autos.

God made the country, but the car in front makes you eat it.

People who worry about everything will worry about nothing also.

Civilization is just a slow business of giving wives a firmer grip on the reins.

One of the causes of trouble in the world is that most persons try to live up to their dispositions.

It is too much to expect a man will register enthusiasm after having had experience with a dull thud.

A moral conscience is one that has sufficient tact to keep its mouth shut until after you take the profit.

Men are creatures who cut down great trees to make room for a city, and then plant little saplings to beautify it.

**COUNTY COUNCIL**

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Aid Society during 1927 was \$5,307.42 in addition to the grant made by by-law of \$700 making a total of \$6,007.42. There are absolutely no printed accounts to show where this money goes. There are, we believe, 22 wards of the Society. The cost of these 22 wards is within \$2000 of the annual cost of the maintenance of twice the number of inmates in the House of Refuge.

**HOME COMMITTEE REPORT**

We your Home Committee met at the Home on May 7th and beg leave to report as follows

There are at present 39 inmates; 23 males and 16 females. Since our last meeting there has been one commitment, Mrs. M. H. Hoolton of Hagersville on April 26. Mrs. Harrington was discharged on May 5th and one death. Mr. Harry Smith at the War Memorial hospital on May 1st. County buried the remains.

The lockers for the use of the inmates and renovating the diningroom as recommended by the Supply Committee has been done, satisfactorily by Mr. Gardner.

We have examined the accounts of the House of Refuge and the Children's Aid Society and would recommend them to the Finance Committee for payment.

**ROAD AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE REPORT**

We your Road and Bridge Committee have met and beg leave to recommend the payment of the following accounts

Mars Bridge, No. 10, screenings \$ 2.00  
Mars Bridge, No. 10, trucking... 10.00  
Varency B., No. 11, screenings... 2.02  
Varency B., No. 11, trucking... 8.14  
\$22.16

Cheque to be made payable to Mr. J. B. McKenzie, Walpole Treasurer, Nanticoke, R.R. No. 1.

**REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE**

We, your committee appointed to investigate the conditions in and about the Haldimand County House of Refuge, beg leave to report as follows

This report will be found in another column.

**Colter-Sherk—That the by-law appointing Dr. Abbott physician of the House of Refuge do not take effect until a further resolution is passed for such purpose.**

**COMMUNICATION COMMITTEE REPORT**

Was as follows—

1. Letter from Margaret Turnoull, acknowledging receipt of expressions of sympathy. Filed with the Clerk.

2 and 3. Letter from Dept. of Highways, acknowledging receipt of copies of by-laws 852 and 854 also copies of agreements between County of Haldimand and L. R. Gilmour and Alfred Best, for supplying of stone. Filed with the Clerk.

4 and 5. Letter from Mothers' Allowance Commission enclosing list of allowances and requesting appointment of representatives on the Local Board. To Committee of the Whole.

6. Letter from Lt.-Col. Henslip re depositing of 114th colors and asking for the appointment of two County officials to act in executive positions. To Committee of the Whole.

**BUILDING COMMITTEE REPORT**

We your Building Committee have met and beg leave to report as follows and would recommend—

1. That three rooms and entry of Registry Office be decorated with two coats of flat tone paint.

2. That a new roof be put on the kitchen of Judge's residence, said roof to be of asbestos shingles.

3. That we advertise in the Cayuga Advocate for tenders for decreasing Registry office and putting roof on kitchen of Judge's residence. Tenders to be in the hands of the chairman by May 31st.

**GOOD ROADS COMMITTEE REPORT**

Your Good Roads Committee beg leave to report as follows—

We have examined the pay lists and accounts and recommend that they be paid.

Mr. A. Best has commenced crushing stone at Selkirk and delivering same on Road No. 11, Div. 4, from Selkirk to Cheapside Sideroad.

We expect that Mr. Gilmour will be ready to make deliveries of stone on Road No. 11, Div. 5, about May 25th, from the quarry at Nanticoke.

We are pleased to state that all roads on the County Highway System are in good condition. Special attention has been given to dragging and necessary repairs.

**PRINTING & INSURANCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

We, your Printing & Insurance Committee beg leave to report as follows

The following is a list of the insurance now in force on the property of the County. The policies in this have been examined by your committee.

- 1. County Treas.' bond, United S. Fidelity and Guarantee for \$20,000; expires March 18, 1929. Premium \$80
- 2. George P. Brown, Dominion of Canada Guarantee and Accident Insurance Co., No. 059625 for \$1000; expires June 24, 1928. Premium \$5.
- 3. Judge's residence, Continental Insurance Company, No. 129 for \$1500; expires June 24, 1928. Prem. \$18.75.
- 4. Judge's residence, Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Co., No. 272-077 for \$3300 (\$3000 on residence and \$300 on barn); expires August 21st 1928. Premium \$22.95.
- 5. Registry Office, Mercantile Fire Insurance Co., No. 319705 for \$2000; Expires July 12, 1928. Prem. \$20.
- 6. House of Refuge, Mercantile Fire Insurance Co., No. 318992 for \$1700, on barns and contents; expires Aug 28, 1928. Premium \$44.
- 7. House of Refuge, World Marine and General Insurance Co., No. 120-520 for \$10,000; expires June 7, 1928. Premium \$160.
- 8. House of Refuge, Continental Insurance Co., No. 10121 for \$3000; expires June 27, 1928. Premium \$45.
- 9. House of Refuge, Fidelity Phoenix Fire Insurance Co., No. 1074 for \$5000; expires June 15, 1928. Premium \$75
- 10. House of Refuge, Royal Insurance Co., No. 49727 for \$2000; expires August 16, 1928. Prem. \$86.
- 11. House of Refuge, Dominion F. Insurance Co., No. 639767 for \$5000; expires June 11, 1929. Prem. \$65.
- 12. House of Refuge, North British and Mercantile Insurance Coy., No. 177381 for \$6000; expires July 14, 1929. Premium \$96.
- 13. House of Refuge, The Dominion Fire Insurance Co., No. 640670 for \$200; expires Dec. 22, 1929. Premium \$14.40.
- 14. House of Refuge, barn and contents, pig pen and contents, hen house Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Co., for \$3700; expires Au. 15, 1928. Premium \$59.
- 15. Court House, Mt. Royal Assur- (Continued on Last Page)

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