

Proper Recreational Facilities For Young And Old are coming to be looked on as one of the most important features in any community, and the best means of fighting juvenile delinquency. West Lorne, Ontario, is only a comparatively small community-some 800 people in all-yet it has just completed this impressive Arena and Sports Centre at a cost of more than \$30,000.00. Situated right next to the Bowling Green, the Arena will serve for many community activities during the Spring, Summer and Autumn. In the Winter its ice surface of 100 by 180 feet will be used for Hockey and Skating.



Henry Hall came breezing into his suburban bungalow. No Mandy in the kitchen, no wife Grace in sight. "Grace will warm up something and call it dinner!" he sputter-"Why does she play bridge or Mandy's day off?" But after living ten years with a bald-headed, flat-chested little scrimp of a man like himself a modest-salaried manager of a women's apparel shop, he couldn't blame Grace for craving

He switched on a lamp in the living room and settled into his chair by the radio. His gaze lighted on his encyclopedia. He took out the first volume his hand touched, Perhaps a little Shakespeare would brighten his

talk. He started as something flew out from a leaf, zigzagged to the

A ten dollar bill! He snatched it up, stuffed it into his billfold. Grace, ding her money in books! He vanked out another masterpiece, shook it. Two more tens fluttered before Henry's eves. Within a few minutes, he had shaken down \$200 instead of meaty

But from that night on, Henry was worried. The allowance he gave Grace was small. She must have scrimped on household expenses a long time to save that

knowledge, from the awe-inspiring

So he was greatly relieved one evening when she met him at the door and quavered, "Oh, Henry, I've been robbed!" Henry managed to look concern-

ed. He asked, "Robbed? What's "Two hundred dollars I saved from the house-money! I hid it in the encyclopedia! I've slaved done without Mandy days on end -

saved what I would have paid Her bitter disappointment overcame his desire to punish her. He

jumped up, saying, "Wait! Just a He raced upstairs to his clothes closet. He reached into its dark confines for his old brown coat. The brown suit had unaccountably dis-

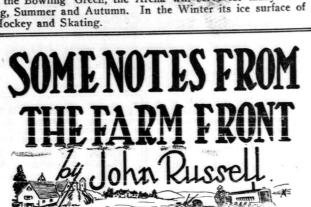
appeared!
"Where in the dickens is my old brown suit?" he called downstairs.
"That moth catcher? I warned you I'd give that rag away or burn it up! But I did even better. The old clothes man gave me 50 cents

From now on Henry was changed man. Finding that old brown suit had become his obsession. Then one morning when giving instructions to one of his saleswomen, he abruptly wheeled about, lashed out to the street. He grabbed a passing man by the collar of his shabby brown coat, demanding,

"Where'd you get that suit?" The voice of the stranger shook with fear of the madman he judged Henry Hall to be. "Griss and Griscom made it for me - five years ago," he said conciliatingly.
"Ha!" jeered Henry, not relaxing his hold. "Griss and Griscom made that suit for me-the label's inside!

Smart, aren't you?" "What's coming off here?" snapped a policeman, thrusting Henry

"This man's wearing my suit— he's got the money—he's—" After the matter had been talked out before the police sergeant and Henry was convinced that the stranger had once been the trace t The End



decided to hold three of them this summer in different parts of the Province. Their purpose is to demonstrate best methods of hand-ling the hay crops on our farms. The first of the three was scheduled for Thursday June 24 on the farm of W. H. Ruthven of Alliston. Eastern Ontario's demonstration will be on Thursday, July 22 at the Kemptville Agricultural School, Kemptville; while Western Ontario's Grassland Day will be at the

farm of George Innes, Woodstock,

on Wednesday August 4th. Before putting tile in any of your fields, it's a good idea to check on the acidity of the soil before deciding what type to use. Either concrete or clay tile will give good service under normal conditions; but it is said that in high-acid or highalkali soils, concrete tile shows a certain tendency to deteriorate.

If you have a cattle-beast that shows signs of lameness, maybe money. What sinister project was you're overlooking something valu- a hoed crop-either roots or cornable. Anyway, that was the experience of Millard F. Holcomb, a New Mexico farmer. He had a cow that had been limping for six years and recently he found-and dug out -the cause. His wife's long-lost diamond ring was firmly wedged in its hoof.

. . . A great many hens stop laying in July, and that's a good time to cut down wastes by culling the sluggards, as they will eat six or seven pounds of feed a month in spite of their non-production. Birds with bright combs and uncolored beaks are the layers—and should be kept.

Some chicken raisers say "l always get more eggs when I turn my chickens out for the summer." But the records say that this shouldn't be the case, and that if your flock gives more eggs when turned out, the chances are that they're not getting a proper diet

"I used to turn my chickens out but haven't done so for years," says Mrs. Harvey Rostat. "It just doesn't pay to do so.' She should know because since

she has kept her hens shut up, yearly egg production has jumped from 113 to 189 per hen. And careful records kept of the Iowa Demonstra-

enough to buy custom-made suits and now was clothed in one of them, he returned to the shop, a chastened man. Mandy's black face wore a broad grin that night when she placed the eef roast before Henry. She said,

"Mr. Hall-you know what? My boy fren' looks swell in your old brown suit he bought off'en that ol' clos' man. He's sure generous, too. "What's that?" asked the suddenly alert Henry.

"You see, we's fixin' to git married, Mr. Hall. Not havin' steady work, I ain't saved much, but that man's makin' up fur it! He's alread boughten me a white lectric 'frig'.

So much interest was aroused by Ontario's first Grassland Day, held last July at Woodstock, that it was against \$1.12 each for those that were given a "summer outing".

This is about the time when many grain fields throughout the Province will be showing evidence of mustard-one of the greatest "robbers" we have. This bright yellow weed, if allowed to get thick, shades the grain besides competing with it for plant food and moisture, thus cutting down the grain yields consider-

A light infestation of mustard in the grain may be controlled by hand pulling; and with the advent of 2-4-D. mustard in wheat, barley flax, oats, etc. can be controlled without injuring the grain crop, if properly applied. It is not recommended, however, where fields are seeded to clover.

Best methods of controlling and eradicating mustard by cultivation, as suggested by the Ontario De partment of Agriculture, are as follows: Give thorough and repeated after-harvest cultivation to destro successive crops of seedlings; put in grain the next year and seed down with clover.

Canadian cattle are certainly "seeing the world" these days. At the end of May forty purebre heifers left Malton Airport to be flown to Ouito, down in Ecuador, This was the first shipment of any importance to that particular area but more dairy cattle are scheduled to follow.

Much interest is being shown in the findings of a New Jersey cattle raiser who discovered that by adding salt and molasses preparation, potatoes could be made just as palat able and fattening to steers as corn. If his idea works out, as it seem likely to do, it may accomplish future wonders both in easing grain shortages and in providing a profit able method of getting rid of sur plus potatoes.

Then there's the old one that Joe Weber and Lou Fields used to pul in vaudeville. "See that cow over there." Ioe would say, "She's worth a thousand dollars." "Is that so?" Lou would reply. "My goodness-I wonder how a cow could eve save up that much money!"

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800 Population-\$30,000 Sports and Recreational Centre-Above is an interior view of the new Arena Building just completed by the citizens of West Lorne, Ont.—a striking example of what real, live community spirit can accomplish, and one which might well be followed by other Ontario towns and villages.

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ore the first ball was to him, the batter called and walked down the third Bending to whisper into er's ear he said, "What do me to do here?" The ooked at him in mingled and disgust."What do I " he said sarcastic--strike out, of course." acter strode back to the swung wildly at the first s, missing every one of

gi" Berra-who operates w York Yankees and who ll recall, from last year's eries, as the catcher who let the Brooklyn Dodgers championship-appears to kings of a real screwball an powder that horsehide which is doubtless why so his catching mistakes, both and mental, are over-

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good long-distance hitter—to sports writers, to slop over from sentimentality. The sentiment into sentimentality. The whole trouble was that, in some mysterious manner, our quotation er who was coaching at of the final sentence in the Ruth manager paid no attention opus failed to appear in print, which must have caused some of our readers to wonder what we were trying to get at-if anything. So here it is! "For, above every-

an assist from Mr. Considine, "I want to be a part of and help the devel pment of the greatest game God ever saw fit to let man invent - Baseball." Hot dog !!! ---"Ignorance . . . " "Once and for all I want to know

thing else," writes Mr. Ruth with

who is boss in this house," the irate husband demanded. "You'll be so much happier if you don't try to find out," replied his wife, sweetly.

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on one side, Britain and the United
States on the other. In Washington and in London they think that the
Europe as a whole needs German
production—and that to get Germany back into production is the
best way to help all Europe and to
cut down the heavy costs of occupation.

To this view the French have
consistently made the answer that
they must put their own security
shead of all other considerations—
and when one thinks of what the
German menace has meant to
France in the past, they can hardly
be blamed.

From the French viewpoint, the
most important issue of all is the
Kulth. France has long battled for
complete allied control of that great
industrial basis, because she sought
to obtain thereby the coal she needs
for her steel industry and because
she thinks control of the Ruhr would
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