The Leader

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Local and General

Whitteker, the Optician, will be at Aultsville, January 23rd.

Morrisburg, January 24th to February 1st.

Judge Liddell held division court here to-day.

Mr and Mrs John Suffel and daughter, May, are visiting friends in Inkerman.

Mr Wm. Leadbeater, of Ellisville, was a guest on Tuesday of Mr and Mrs L. E. Murphy.

Miss Leola Colquhoun left last week for Chicago to enter a hospital as nurse-in-training.

Mrs. T. Darling and daughter, of Montreal, spent New Years with her sister, Mrs Adam Moore.

Mr and Mrs J. S. Barr will celebrate the 50th anniversary of their marriage on Saturday, Jan. 11th next.

The town council is seeking 100 cords of field stone for crushing purposes, for which they will pay $3 per cord.

Owing to the crowded condition of our columns, the list of new books at the Public Library have been left over until next week.

Miss Viola Beckstead, nurse-in-training at the Brockville General Hospital, is spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr and Mrs Milo Beckstead.

All accounts due W. Marsh & Son must be paid on or before January 25th. All accounts not settled by that date will be handed to our Solicitors for Collections. W. Marsh & Son

Mrs Dora Weegar Van Allen wishes to announce to her friends of Morrisburg and vicinity that she is prepared to take a few pupils in music. For further particulars apply to her at the residence of Mrs A. C. Smith, Morrisburg.

Attention is called to the advertisement of the big auction sale to be held by C. E. Wells, on Wednesday, Jan. 22nd, at his farm three-quarters of a mile west of Aultsville. There is a lot of good stuff to be sold, including nine horses and thirty two heifers. Read the list over carefully.

Owing to ill-health, Mr F. E. Mouthorp, of the 2nd con. of Williamsburg, is advertising an auction sale of his entire stock and implements, to be held on Tuesday, Jan. 14th. Among the list is eleven milch cows, six of which are grade Holsteins. The implements are also nearly all new. The sale will start at one p.m., and Thos. Irving is the auctioneer.

Look up W. Marsh & Sons advertisement in this issue and watch for posters announcing their great annual January and February Sale of Furniture and Rugs, commencing Wednesday Jan. 15th, ending February 28th. Also a Public Auction Sale of all Furniture in the north part of the warerooms, Wednesday Jan. 15th and Thursday Jan. 16th, James Connolly, Auctioneer. Make a point to attend this great Sale. This will be the greatest Sale on record.

Three workmen were killed at Murdock's construction camp, on the new C.P.R. Lake line from Ottawa to Belleville, near Christie's Lake, about two o'clock Friday afternoon. They were in the act of loading a hole when without warning it exploded, killed an Englishman named Court instantly and seriously injured three others, two of whom died after the doctors arrived. They were both Scotchmen, one Alex. McTavish, whose only relative is a sister in Oakland, New Zealand, while the other, Alex. Morrison, lived in Forrester's Falls, Ont., and leaves a wife and family.

Mr and Mrs James Brodie, of Montreal, spent ten days at the home of the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs P. Fetterly. While here they had their infant son, Ian, baptized by the Rev. Hugh Cameron. There was something unique in this baptism, in that the water used was from the River Jordan, which was given to Mr. Cameron by the late John H. Meikle. Another feature was that the dress worn by the baby was hand embroidered in Scotland over seventy years ago by the infant's great grandmother. Mr and Mrs Brodie and infant left for Montreal on Friday last, accompanied by Miss Jean Brodie.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

School reopened on Monday Jan. 6th.

Mr W. A. VanAllen returned on Friday last from a trip to Buffalo.

Harold Murphy returned yesterday from a ten days' visit to Brockville and Lyndhurst.

Miss Eva Enis, of Inkerman, spent the holidays in town a guest of Miss May Suffel.

T. M. Henry was called to Napanee on New Year's eve on account of the death of his brother in-law, Mr. R. G. Birrell of that town.

Mr and Mrs M. Pariseau returned to Montreal last week. They were accompanied by Miss Reita Parseau, who is taking music lessons from Prof. Bernette.

A Massena orchestra of four pieces furnished music for a dance in Casselman's Hall, on Friday evening last. There were about fifty couples present, and a most enjoyable time was spent. The same evening there was a dance in the Drew block at which there were about forty couple present.

District Deputy Grand Master Chas. R. Duprau installed the officers of Cardinal Lodge of Oddfellows, Tuesday night. He was accompanied by a full staff of assistants from Zeta Lodge. Grand Master Evanson was present and highly eulogized the work of the District Deputy and his assistants. They will go to Prescott to-night to install the officers of Amity Lodge, and to-morrow night to Cornwall, where a joint public installation of the Oddfellows and the Rebekahs will be held. On Monday night he will go to Williamsburg, where a joint installation of Williamsburg and Matilda lodges will be held.

A very enjoyable evening was spent by the members of the Women's Institute and their friends, on Monday, at the residence of Mrs J. Wesley Allison. It was the occasion of their annual "At Home." Vocal and instrumental music was rendered by Mrs Harry Armstrong, the Misses Summers, Bouck, Dillen, Dr. Davy and Mr Herring. After all had enjoyed the music, the company resolved itself into a spelling school. Sides were chosen, of which Mr Herring and Mr Wallace were captains, and Dr. Davy gave out the words. No end of amusement was thus afforded, there being some sixteen on either side. Mrs Dr. Davy was the winner of the prize. Votes of thanks were given to the hostess and those who had assisted in the entertainment, especially Mrs Chalmers and Miss May Baker, who played the accompainments.

A pitch-in occurred at Aultsville early yesterday morning which blocked traffic on the two main lines for several hours. Fast freight train, No. 93, westbound, collided with an eastbound frieght that was taking a siding in order to allow No. 8 express to pass. Seven cars were ditched, one of them filled with beef, being turned across the two tracks. The auxiliaries from Brockville and Turcotte were called out and worked the greater part of the day. As a result of this accident the fast train from the west and the moccasin were held here until nearly noon, which made great business for the hotels, some 83 taking breakfast at St. Lawrence Hall, while 41 did likewise at the Windsor House and 42 at the Hotel Southern. Though taken unawares our hotels were equal to the occasion, and all went on their journey well pleased with the manner in which the innerman was satisfied.

A rich treat is in store for our music loving citizens on Monday evening next, in Knox Presbyterian church, when Gatty Sellers, the great English solo concert organist will give a recital. Read advertisement as to price of admission. Concerning Mr. Sellars, the Ottawa Citizen says:—"Gatty Sellers, the English organist composer, last night presented a programme that would have done credit to any concert hall and which constituted an event in local music history of the season. The programme presented consisted mainly of compositions by Gatty Sellers himself, who besides being solo organist of Queen's Hall, London, concerts and the Crystal Palace musical festival, is a well-known composer of organ music. His tone poem, "The Church Triumphant," was probably heard for the first time in Ottawa when played by him last night and it, together with his other pieces, made a splendid impression. Apart from his abilities as composer, Gatty Sellars is also a master of his instrument, the organ."

Mr Keith Vance, of Brockville, is visiting his grandparents, Mr and Mrs J. S. Barr.

F. B. Carman's pharmacy is now in charge of Mr A. C. Jenkinson, druggist, of Toronto.

The Misses Ethel and Stella Markquette, of Prescott, spent New Years' visiting friends in Morrisburg.

Mr and Mrs J. S. Hickey returned on Friday last from spending a couple of weeks with their sons at Montreal.

Miss Nellie Vance, who has been visiting friends in town the past two months, returned to her home in Brockville on Monday.

Church of England services on Sunday, 12th inst, will be in St. James' Church, at 8 and 11 a.m., and at 7 p.m. Subject in the evening "The Incarnation of the Sin of God, What it Did and is Doing for Humanity." Service in Trinity church at 2 p.m. Subject, "The Wise Men."

A quiet but pretty wedding took place on New Year's evening at the home of Mr and Mrs W. C. Blanche, Winchester, when their only daughter, Katherine Gertrude, was united in marriage with Mr. James Hamilton Cavers, second son of Mr and Mrs Jas. Cavers of Carleton Place, Ont., Rev. Mr Chandler of Ormond, officiating. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a gown of embroidered net over white satin, and carried a boquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Olive Cavers, sister of the groom, played the wedding march. The groom's gift was a pearl diamond necklace. After the ceremony the bridal party and guests sat down to a wedding dejeuner. Later the happy couple left for Toronto and western points, the bride travelling in an alin blue whipcord suit, with black velvet hat and white willow plumes. On their return they will reside in Carleton Place. The gifts were numerous, among them being a beautiful cut glass berry bowl and knife rests from the Baptist Sunday School and silver from the Baptist Mission Circle, also a kitchen shower from her girl friends.—Winchester Press.

Miss Ada Cheley

An exceedingly bright and promising young life was brought to a termination Monday evening, about 6 o'clock, when Miss Ada Cheley passed to her reward, at the residence of her parents, Mr and Mrs Levi Cheley, Church street. Though her death was not unexpected, she having been ill since February last, it has cast a sad gloom over the household, she being the only daughter, as well as her many friends, they being legion, she being a general favorite in town, where she was born in November, 1887. She was educated in the Public Schools here and was a general favorite with the pupils, and when she attained woman-hood still maintained the friendships formed in early days.

Besides her heart-broken parents, she leaves to mourn her loss one brother, Mr. Garnet Cheley, manager of the Eastview branch of the Bank of Ottawa, at Ottawa, to mourn her loss.

The funeral was held from the family residence yesterday afternoon, at two o'clock to St. James' church, where Rev. G. S. Anderson conducted an impressive service, the remains being interred in the family plot in St. James' cemetery.

The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful.

ROD AND GUN

Rod and Gun (published by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont.) for January has a somewhat striking cover cut, being a reproduction of a lady fox farmer The same issue contains an article on the Culture of Black and Silver Foxes, under the heading "Value." In addition, there are stories of outdoor life and sport representative of both the Eastern and the Western provinces. "Along the Mighty Mackenzie to the Arctic Ocean," descriptive of a trip from Edmonton to the last post on the Mackenzie River; A Wild Goat Hunt in the Rockies; The Bear that Kept an Appointment; Filling a Big Game License in New Brunswick; Mink Trapping; Good Luck at the Kilmarnock Hunting Camps; and other stories in prose and rhyme, combine to make an interesting issue of this Canadian sportsman's magazine. An illustrated write-up of the St. Thomas Tournament, held December 2nd to 6th, is to be found in the Trap Department, along with other notes of trapshooting.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

A Hot Contest in the Village—Reeve Gibson by Acclamation and J. D. Dain by the Casting Vote of the Village Clerk—Results in the Townships and Other Villages in the County—Local Option Maintained in Iroquois.

Monday's municipal election was a hotly contested one in town, and the vote was split up in every way imaginable. John D. Dain, a member of last year's Council, was elected over W. H. McGannon by the vote of Clerk Chalmers. Following is the summary of the votes cast :—

MORRISBURG

Councillors—	East	Centre	West	Total
J. H. Meikle	79	81	98	— 258
A. Flynn	72	82	90	— 244
W. C. Coir	81	77	63	— 221
J. D. Dain	84	66	52	— 202
W. H. McGannon	66	60	76	— 202
F. A. Nash	57	55	30	— 142

Reeve—R. E. Gibson (Acclamation).

Trustees—	East	Centre	West	Total
Jas. L. Casselman	80	75	87	— 242
T. Coligan	88	81	72	— 241
G. M. Gorrell	60	71	78	— 209
Jas. McKenzie	70	61	51	— 182

Following are the returns from the different municipalities throughout the county :—

IROQUOIS

Reeve—
L. N. Tanney 139
C. E. Cameron 108

Councillors—
W. F. Bell 171
Robt. Ellis 166
Wm. Moore 126
W. J. Forward 125
R. McCaslin 120
B. Landon 98

Trustees (Acclamation)—
H. L. Soper, Donald Brouse, Thos. Bailey, Allen McInnis.

Local Option—For, 157; against, 70.

CHESTERVILLE

Reeve—G. W. Bogart.
Councillors—J. H. Fulton, F. M. Sanders, Lawrence Jordan, T. Houlehan (Jr.)

WINCHESTER VILLAGE

Reeve—J. F. Cass (Acclamation).
Councillors—J. A. Bean, W. J. Fisher, C. B. Timmins, James Scott.

WILLIAMSBURG

	Wmsburg	Bouck's Hill	Dunbar	Red Tavern	Winchester Springs	East Wmsburg	Archer	Grantley	Total
Reeve—									
M. S. Beckstead	86	54	59	23	15	49	59	32	—377
J. M. Casselman	51	30	24	71	16	41	19	20	—272
Councillors—									
J. H. Decks	75	41	52	51	18	55	38	28	—358
Wm. I. Merkley	109	46	33	49	19	35	51	12	—354
T. Merkley	90	54	33	44	13	40	50	16	—340
W. J. Wilson	27	24	27	36	4	40	43	10	—211
W. A. Beckstead	34	19	44	13	13	16	13	41	—193
Peter Hill	18	8	10	8	2	6	8	6	— 66

Deputy Reeve—C. F. Whitteker (Acclamation).

MATILDA

Deputy Reeve— Poll No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Geo. Cooper	61	39	68	73	81	78	16	13	—429
F. B. Robertson	76	90	35	40	38	17	18	38	—352
Councillors—									
Thomas Johnston	93	99	41	63	86	67	30	44	—523
Alfred Marcellus	74	50	84	69	72	14	19	14	—396
Joseph Louden	56	57	29	59	53	40	18	22	—349
Sidney Thompson	38	49	27	63	70	47	8	15	—317
A. H. Hunter	34	40	32	15	26	17	13	14	—191
David Warren	6	11	2	4	8	45		16	— 92

Reeve—Eli Merkley (Acclamation).

WINCHESTER TOWNSHIP

Reeve—Walter Rae.
Deputy Reeve—Ezra Countryman.
Councillors—J. A. Bogart, Geo. E. Earle, Geo. Quart.

MOUNTAIN

Reeve—Wm. Timmins.
Deputy Reeve—J. W. Thompson.
Councillors—Thomas Christie, Robert Mulholland, Thomas Carlyle.

THE CURLERS

Rinks chosen and Getting Into Line for the Roarin' Game—The Ladies to Have a Chance to Curl Mornings and Afternoons

As announced in the Leader last week, the skips of the curling club held a meeting at the office of I. Hilliard, K.C., and chose rinks. There is a good list of players this season and there may be ten rinks in all. It was decided this season to permit ladies to curl mornings and afternoons. This action on the part of the curlers should greatly enhance the membership. The following are the rinks so far chosen:—

W. C. Davy	I. Hilliard
R. H. Ashton	F. A. Nash
Fred. Myers	F. H. Broder
W. H. McGannon	O. G. Mallen
Geo. Gorrell	T. F. Chalmers
C. W. Marsh	H. Armstrong
G. G. Rose	O. P. Snyder
J. H. Hummell	Fr. Mehan
W. G. Baker	Geo. Merkley
S. P. Ryan	D. T Henderson
J. M. Gaskell	Geo. Dardis
F. Stewart	H. Smith
F. H. Meikle	Rev. Cameron
Rev. Strike	A. Clement
J. Harback	W. Wallace
J. H. Meikle	F. S. Broder

J. D. McDonald
H. Winstanley
A. T. Flynn
— Leonard

Stanley-Barclay

A very quiet wedding was celebrated on Christmas Day at the home of Mr and Mrs W. G. Smith, Iroquois, Ont., when Mrs Smith's sister. Miss Jennie Dell Barclay, daughter of Mr and Mrs Jas. A. Barclay, was married to Mr T. E. A. Stanley, B.A., principal of the Collegiate Institute at Calgary, Alta.

The house was decorated in the Christmas colors of red and green, and the ceremony performed under an arch of evergreens and holly by the Rev. S. W. Boyd, B. A., B. D. Miss Laura Hamilton played the wedding march from Lohengrin, and during the signing of the register, Mrs S. W. Boyd sang "Behold, it is morn."

The bride, who was given away by her father, was becomingly attired in a tailored navy blue suit with satin blouse to match and black velvet hat with white ostrich mount. She carried a boquet of white roses and lilies of the valley.

The groom's gift to the bride was a set of mink furs and to the pianist a set of lace pins.

After breakfast was served, Mr and Mrs Stanley drove to Prescott where they took the train for Toronto. They will spend a few days with the groom's relatives at St. Mary's and Granton before going to Calgary.

Mr. Stanley has had a beautiful home erected and furnished for his bride. The bride is one of Iroquois' most popular girls, while the groom is also a former popular citizen and was for ten years principal of the Iroquois High School.

69 BARS CUT OFF

Five Large Towns and Six Villages Out of 25 Wins—One Repeal Succeeded—Owen Sound Gave Larger Majority Than Before—24 Lost by Three-Fifths

(Tuesday's Toronto News)

One half the Province of Ontario is now under local option.

Openly jubilant over the success of the local option measures throughout the province yesterday, prominent temperance workers this morning stated that the result was far more favorable than they had dared to expect. Twenty-five new places were carried from the "wet" column to the "dry," making the total number of "dry" municipalities in the province now 488. Five large towns, 6 villages and 13 townships are included in the new acquisitions, and 69 licenses in all are cut off.

Only One Repeal Won in 20

In twenty municipalities where repeal contests were brought on, only one, Acton, succeeded in defeating the by law. The success of the temperance forces in Owen Sound was marked, as for the fourth time they carried the town, rolling up an increased majority for local option.

In twenty-four municipalities the three-fifths regulation defeated the by-law, including the City of Peterboro where a majority of 476 was registered for local option. Several of the repeal contests, however, were sustained by the same requirement, Galt polling a majority of 47 votes against local option, but not enough to carry the repeal.

THE RESULT IN A NUTSHELL

Municipalities in Ontario	828
Now without bars	463
Number of contests	102
By-laws carried	24
Sustained in vote on repeal	21
Three-fifths clause	24
By-laws defeated	13
Places yet to hear from	17

Analysis of Vote

Municipalities carrying local option:	
Cities	0
Towns	5
Villages	6
Townships	13
By-laws defeated :	
Cities	1
Towns	13
Villages	12
Townships	8

Repeal Contests

Local option sustained :	
Cities	0
Towns	7
Villages	5
Townships	8

By-law Repealed

Acton	1

PREACHED 30 YEARS AT WADDINGTON

Rev. Randall Pease Dies at Hamden, Delaware County, Aged 65 Years

Waddington, Jan. 7.—Rev. Randall Pease, for 30 years pastor of the Presbyterian church at Waddington, died Thursday at Hamden, Delaware county, where he had served a church of the same denomination the past four years. He was about 65 years old and is survived by his wife and one daughter, Miss Anna E. Pease, who is a teacher in the Damrosch Musical Art school in New York. Mr Pease was well known throughout St. Lawrence county. The body arrived here this morning for interment. Mr Pease was a brother-in-law of J. Howard Dalzell, of Ogdensburg.

PUBLIC LIBRARY ANNUAL MEETING.

All members of the Morrisburg Public Library are urged to attend the annual meeting, in the new rooms, at 7 p.m., on Monday evening, Jan. 13th. Annual reports and election of officers will not require more than an hour so come and take an interest.

Dundas Agricultural Society

The Annual Meeting of the members of the Dundas Agricultural Society will be held in the Town Hall, Morrisburg on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at one o'clock p.m., for the election of officers and the transaction of other business.

W. K. Farlinger, President.
Chas. A. Styles, Secretary.

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CHAPTER XXX.—(Cont'd)

"Sigrid and Swanhild have been away with Madame Lechertier, have they not?" asked Cecil, after a silence.

"Yes, they went to Hastings for a fortnight. We shut up the rooms, and I went down to Herr Sivertsen, who was staying near Warlingham, a charming little place in the Surrey hills."

"Sigrid told me you were with him, but I fancied she meant in London."

"No; once a year he tears himself from his dingy den in Museum Street, and goes down to this place. We were out-of-doors most of the day, and in the evening worked for four or five hours at a translation of Darwin which he is very anxious to get finished. Hallo! what is wrong?"

He might well ask, for the horse was kicking and plunging violently. Shouts and oaths echoed through the murky darkness. Then they would just make out the outline of another horse at right angles with their own. He was almost upon them, struggling frantically, and the shaft of the cab belonging to him would have struck Cecil violently in the face had not Frithiof seized it and wrenched it away with all his force. Then suddenly the horse was dragged backward, their hansom shivered, reeled, and finally fell on its side.

Cecil's heart beat fast, she turned deathly white, and just felt in the horrible moment of falling a sense of relief, when Frithiof threw his arm around her and held her fast; then for an interval realized nothing at all, so stunning was the violence with which they came to the ground.

"Are you hurt?" asked Frithiof, anxiously.

"No," replied Cecil, gasping for breath. "Only shaken. How are we to get out?"

He lifted her away from him and managed with some difficulty to scramble up. Then, before she had time to think of the peril, he had taken her in his arms and, rashly perhaps, but very dexterously, carried her out of danger.

"Won't you put me down? I am too heavy for you," she said. But, even as she spoke, she felt him shake with laughter at the idea.

"I could carry you for miles now that we are safely out of the wreck," he said. "Here is a curb-stone, and—yes, by good luck, the steps of a house. Now, shall we ring up the people and ask them to shelter you while I just lend a hand with the cab?"

"No, no, it is so late, I will wait here. Take care you don't get hurt."

He disappeared into the fog and she understood him well enough to know that he would keenly enjoy the difficulty of getting matters straight again.

"I think accidents agree with you," she said, laughingly, when by and by he came back to her, seeming unusually cheerful.

"I can't help laughing now to think of the ridiculous way in which both cabs went down and both horses stood up," he said. "It is wonderful that more damage was not done. We all seem to have escaped with bruises, and nothing is broken except the shafts."

"Let us walk home now," said Cecil. "Does any one know whereabouts we are?"

"The driver says it is Battersea Bridge Road, some way from Rowan Tree House, you see; but if you would not be too tired it would certainly be better not to stay for another cab."

So they set off, and with much difficulty at length groped their way to Brixton, not getting home till long after midnight. At the door, Frithiof said good-bye, and for the first time since the accident Cecil remembered his trouble.

"You must not go back without resting and having something to eat," she said, pleadingly.

"You are very kind," he replied, "but I can not come in."

"But I shall be so unhappy about you if you go all that long way back without food, come in, if only to please me."

Something in her tone touched him, and at that moment the door was opened by Mr. Boniface himself.

"Why, Cecil," he cried. "We have been quite anxious about you."

"Frithiof saw me home because of the fog," she explained. "And our hansom was overturned at Battersea, so we have had to walk from there. Please ask Frithiof to come in, father, we are so dreadfully cold and hungry; yet he will insist on going straight home."

"It's not to be thought of," said Mr. Boniface. "Come in, come in, I never saw such a fog."

So once more Frithiof found himself in the familiar house which always seemed so home-like to him, and for the first time since his disgrace he shook hands with Mrs. Boniface.

"I am sure we are very grateful to you," said Mrs. Boniface, when she had heard all about the adventure, and his rescue of Cecil. "I can't think what Cecil would have done without you. As for Roy, finding it so foggy and having a bad headache, he came home early and is now gone to bed. But come in and get warm by the fire. I don't know why we are all standing in the hall."

She led the way into the drawing-room, and Cecil gave a cry of astonishment, for, standing on the hearth-rug was a little figure in a red dressing-gown, looking very much like a wooden Noah in a toy ark.

"Why, Lance," she cried, "you up at this time of night!"

The little fellow flew to meet her and clung round her neck.

"Had you not better stay here for the night" said Mrs. Boniface, presently. "I can't bear to think of your having that long walk through the fog."

"You are very kind," he said, "but Sigrid would be frightened if I didn't turn up," and kissing Lance, he set him down on the hearth-rug and rose to go. Cecil's thanks and warm hand-clasp lingered with him pleasantly, and he set out on his walk home all the better for his visit to the Rowan Tree House.

CHAPTER XXXI.

Had it not been for the fog his long walk might have made him sleepy, but the necessity of keeping every faculty on the alert and of sharply watching every crossing and every landmark made that out of the question. So he tramped along pretty cheerfully, rather enjoying the novelty of the thing, but making as much haste as he could on account of Sigrid. He had just reached the outer door of the model lodgings and was about to unlock it with the key which was always furnished to those whose work detained them beyond the hour of closing, when he was startled by something that sounded like a sob by him. He paused and listened; it came again.

"Who is there?" he said, straining his eyes to pierce the thick curtain of fog that hung before him.

The figure of a woman approached him.

"Oh, sir," she said. "Have you the key and can you let me in?"

"Yes, I have a key. Do you live here?"

"No, sir, but I'm sister to Mrs. Hallifield. Perhaps you know Hallifield, the tram-conductor. I came to see him to-night because he was taken so ill, but I got hindered setting out again and didn't allow time to get back to Macdougal's. I'm in his shop, and the rule of his boarding-houses is that the door is closed at eleven and mayn't be opened any more, and when I got there, sir, being hindered with the fog, it was five minutes past."

"And they wouldn't let you in?" asked Frithiof. "What an abominable thing—the man ought to be ashamed of himself for having such a rule! Come in; why, you must be half frozen! I know your sister quite well."

"I can never thank you enough," said the poor girl. "I thought I should have had to stay out all night! There's a light, I see, in the window; my brother-in-law is worse, I expect."

"What is wrong with him?" asked Frithiof.

"Oh, he's been failing this long time," said the girl; "it's the long hours of the trams he's dying of. There's never any rest for them, you see, sir; winter and summer, Sunday and week-day they have to drudge on. He's a kind husband and a good father too, and he will go on working for the sake of keeping the home together, but it's little of the home he sees when he has to be away from it sixteen hours every day. They say they're going to give more holidays and shorter hours, but there's a long time spent in talking of things, it seems to me, and in the meanwhile John's dying."

Frithiof remembered how Sigrid had mentioned this very thing to him in the summer when he had told her of his disgrace.

"Perhaps they will want the doctor fetched. I will come with you to the door, and you shall just see," he said.

And the girl, thanking him, knocked at her sister's door, spoke to some one inside, and returning, asked him to come in. To his surprise he found Sigrid in the little kitchen; she was walking to and fro with the baby, a sturdy little fellow of a year old.

"You are back at last," she said, "I was getting quite anxious about you. Mr. Hallifield was taken so much worse to-day, and hearing the baby crying, I came in to help."

"How about the doctor? Do they want him fetched?"

"No; he came here about ten o'clock, and he says there is nothing to be done; it is only a question of hours now."

At this moment the poor wife came into the kitchen; she was still quite young, and the dumb anguish in her face brought the tears to Sigrid's eyes.

"What, Clara!" she exclaimed, perceiving her sister, "you back again!"

"I was too late," said the girl, "and they had locked me out. But it's no matter now that the gentleman has let me in here. Is John worse again?"

"He'll not last long," said the wife, "and he be that set on getting in here to the fire, for he's mortal cold. But I doubt if he's strength to walk so far."

"Frithiof, you could help him in," said Sigrid.

"Will you, sir? I'll thank you kindly if you will," said Mrs Hallifield, leading the way to the bedroom.

Frithiof followed her, and glancing toward the bed could hardly control the awful surprise which seized him as for the first time he saw a man upon whom the shadow of death had already fallen.

"The Norwegian gentleman is here, and will help you into the kitchen, John," said the wife, beginning to swathe him in blankets.

"Thank you, sir," said the man, gratefully. "It's just a fancy I've got to die in there by the fire, though I doubt I'll never get warm any more."

Frithiof carried him in gently and set him down in a cushioned chair drawn close to the fire.

"It's a nice little place!" he said. "I wish I could think you would keep it together, Bessie, but with the four children you'll have a hard struggle to live."

For the first time she broke down and hid her face in her apron. But Sigrid, who was rocking the baby on the other side of the hearth, bent forward and spoke to him soothingly.

"Don't you trouble about that part of it," she said. "We will be her friends. Though we are poor, yet there are many ways in which we can help her, and I know a lady who will never let her want."

He thanked her with a gratitude that was pathetic.

"I'm in a burial club," he said, after a pause, "she'll have no expenses that way; they'll bury me very handsome, which 'll be a satisfaction to her, poor girl. I've often thought of it when I saw a well-to-do-looking funeral pass alongside the tram, but I never thought it would come as soon as this. I'm only going in thirty-five, which isn't so great age for a man."

"The work was too much for you," said Frithiof.

"Yes, sir, it's the truth you speak, and there's many another in the same boat along with me. It's a cruel hard life. But then, you see, I was making my four-and-six a day, and if I gave up I knew it meant starvation for the wife and the children; there is thousands out of work, and that makes a man think twice before giving in—spite of the long hours."

He had been talking eagerly, and for the time his strength had returned to him, but now his head dropped forward, and his hands clutched convulsively at the blankets.

With a great cry the poor wife started forward and flung her arms round him.

"He's going!" she sobbed. "He's going! John—oh, John!"

"Nine per cent. on their money!" thought Frithiof. "My God! if they could but see this!"

(To be continued.)

The Opposite.

"My dear, the coal is all out."

"Then the coal's very different from me."

"What do you mean?"

"I'm all in."

J. OGDEN ARMOUR.

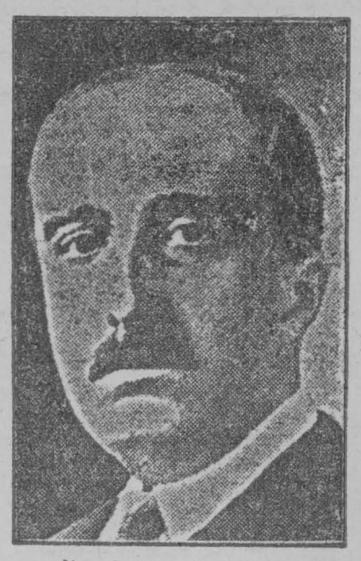
J. Ogden Armour, who now is worth approximately $350,000,000, did not begin as a poor man. He was rich when he started, but he helped to make the Armours one of the greatest of American estates.

Philip Danforth Armour, founder of the great Chicago packing house, had not intended that J. Ogden, his youngest son, should assume executive control of the vast business that has ramifications in all parts of the world. The logical successor to the founder was Philip Danforth, Jr., but his death in 1900 changed the plans of the elder.

J. Ogden Armour was born in Milwaukee forty-nine years ago. Since he has taken charge of the business he is known as "the head and shoulders of the beef trust." He went to the Public schools until prepared for college, and then entered Yale, where he did not remain to be graduated.

After an extensive European tour he returned to Chicago. The second day after his arrival his father invited him to visit the stock yards. From that time he has worked steadily.

His first job was that of office-boy, but he was soon promoted to a clerkship at $10 a week. Under



Mr. J. Ogden Armour.

so exacting a taskmaster as his father, the struggle to the top was a long and wearying one, but when it was over J Ogden Armour had acquired a first-class business education.

Philip D. Armour, the elder, did not long survive his favorite son, and upon his death J. Ogden was placed in full charge of a gigantic plant. From the first he showed a remarkable business faculty and judgment in affairs in excess of his years.

Once at the head of the packing institution there was never again a question about his financial stability. He gains especial recognition through the fact that he worked hard for years, despite the advantage offered him through the wealth of his father. It was not entirely through the lift his father gave him that J. Ogden Armour has become one of the leading financiers of America, and one of the nineteen richest men in the world.

It is said that the Sultan of Turkey is skilled as a pianist. It is probable that those who had to listen to him gladly welcomed the war.



Whenever you see a well gloved hand think of

PERRIN GLOVES

On the Farm

Sour Whey Bad for Pigs.

We once visited a farmer who had about 75 pigs of various ages. The youngest were about two months old and they ran in age up to about six months.

The farmer who lived near a town of about 5,000 bought slop from the hotel and in addition fed a great deal of whey, which he obtained from a neighboring cheese factory. He also fed some skim milk and a little grain. He complained that many of his pigs suffered from what he believed to be rheumatism and many of them, particularly of the younger ones, were limping around stiff in their joints and a few quite lame.

A sniff at the barrels containing the whey and slop disclosed the cause of the trouble. Sour whey will cause stiffness in pigs and this man's whey was about as sour as fermentation could make it. It had that queer sharp pungent odor, almost strong enough to knock a man down and it was swarming with bacteria, some of the stuff actually foaming, where the barrels were exposed to the sun.

The slop barrels were equally as bad. The farmer admitted that he never cleaned them out, but added slop to them from day to day as it came from town. Some of them smelled to heaven. The troughs in which the pigs were fed were equally as bad. They contained decomposition material of all kinds and the slop had been spilled over the sides on the floor and even into the dirt forming a putrid mass.

The pigs were allowed to run into a pasture, but were always fed in this filthy hole. We suggested to the farmer that he give the place a thorough cleaning up, scald his whey barrels and keep on hand only as much as could be fed in its natural state and before it became sour.

As to the slops, while we do not much favor this sort of feed for pigs, still if it is fed while fresh and before decomposition sets in it is all right, but we do not relish pork made from sour and filthy slops, which have stood for days, because they contain very little food value and much material that is not fit even for hogs.

Calves on Skim Milk.

There has grown up a necessity for the application of economic methods in beef production. Though feeders may be produced from cows with calves at the side on large areas of cheap grazing land, it is doubtful whether this method can successfully be employed on the average farm operated under an intensive system.

In this case more revenue must be secured from a cow during the year than that produced in the feeder steer or heifer receiving the entire product of the mother rearing it.

It is true that pedigreed animals, especially of the beef classes, reared for sale for breeding or for show purposes can be profitably suckled by their dams because of the higher price they bring. The rearing of cheap feeders by the pail method has become an important question with the beef producers.

Dairymen, of necessity, have long practised rearing calves on skim milk supplemented by grain, hay, silage, etc., and some have even dispensed with pure milk feeding in quite a large measure.

As a general thing the pail-fed calf suffers from neglect and want of sufficient feed of the proper character, but there is no secret to success in rearing calves on skim milk and supplementary feed when it is combined with judicious management.

Little Helps on the Farm.

It is not bad practice to treat the wheat seed to a liquid spraying of one pound of formaldehyde in 40 gallons of water. It will prevent the smut damage.

There is one big advantage in sowing the winter wheat late, and that is, you stand a good chance to escape the Hessian fly, which does so much damage to the wheat fields.

Plow the garden this fall and see how it goes to be able to work the soil which, in the early spring, had this fall plowing.

Don't forget that the hogs can be overfed. Overfeeding the porkers is an easy matter and the excess of feed leads to diseases of the blood, liver and bowels.

Using the tank heater need not be wholly an act of mercy on the part of the dairyman—it, too, has its commercial side.

The fall calf, colt and pig will see rough weather, and now is a good time to make preparations for their protection and the getting them through to their best advantage.

The original cost of the machinery found on the scrap heap of many of our farms would set a young couple up in business in very comfortable shape.

Many a man who howls for justice would probably try to sneak up an alley if he saw it coming.

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Use Your Influence for Concrete Roads

There's no need to point out the advantages of good roads.

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The *kind* of good road, however, is another matter.

It used to be that there was little choice. Macadam for the country and smaller cities was the only material used. Then, twenty years ago concrete was introduced. And for these twenty years *concrete has been proving itself.*

It is now acknowledged to be one of the best known materials for roads or for street pavements—to be as far superior to ordinary macadam as macadam is superior to sand.

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It is not the first cost of a road that determines it's real cost; nor is it the first six months of service that determines whether it's a good road or a poor one.

The only sure way to find out what a road has cost, is to add to the first cost all that is spent for repairs in fifteen or twenty years.

Now, that's where concrete roads win every argument—their first cost is practically their only cost; they require little or no upkeep cost. Concrete, instead of needing repair, actually becomes stronger with age.

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You can help your community to come to a wise decision the next time the question of roads comes up. *Your* influence will be a factor in providing yourself and your neighbors with thoroughly satisfactory highways.

We wish to convince *you* first—we know that when you are "backed up" with facts which we will gladly furnish you, you will be able to convince your neighbors.

Make it *your* business to get these facts. We have a special department which will not only give you the facts, but will also supply valuable assistance to any community desiring to build concrete roads.

Ask for "Good Roads Literature" or use the coupon.

Please send me the facts about concrete highways.

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THE WEARY SMILE THAT COVERS PAIN

Women are Themselves to Blame for Much of Their Suffering.

Women are weak, yet under a smile they will try to hide pain and suffering that any man could not bear patiently. If women would only remember that their frequent failures of health arise from feeble or impure blood their lives would be smoother and they would longer retain their natural charm.

When the blood fails then begin those dragging backaches and headaches; unrefreshing sleep that causes dark lines under the eyes; dizziness; fits of depression; palpitation or rapid fluttering of the heart; hot flashes and indigestion. Then the cheeks grow pale, the eyes dull and the complexion blemished.

Women should know that much of this suffering is needless and can be promptly remedied. Purify and enrich the blood through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and your suffering will vanish. Thousands of women know that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have brightened their lives by making the new, good blood of health, and so toning up all the vital organs into healthy, vigorous action. Here is an instance from among many. Miss Cora A. Cornell, St. Catharines, Ont., says: "Ever since the age of fourteen I have suffered terribly with pains in my back, and severe headaches. I was also much troubled with indigestion and had to be extremely careful as to my diet, and sometimes did not feel like eating at all. Some two years ago the headaches became so bad that I had to give up my position, which was clerking in a store, where, of course, I was constantly on my feet. I took a position in an office, where I could be seated most of the time, but even then I suffered terribly most of the time. As the medicine I had been taking did not help me I finally decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I got a supply, and soon felt they were helping me and I continued taking the pills for several months until I felt perfectly well. Although my doctor advised me not to go back to my old position, I decided to do so, and have not felt any ill effect. I never have backache now, seldom a headache, and all traces of the indigestion have disappeared. I cannot speak too highly of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I hope this letter will help someone who suffers as I used to."

Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

DOGS TAUGHT TO STEAL.

While Canine is Chased Master Acquires Money.

The success of the police dogs in Paris, France, has had a singular result. Thieves have taken to training the intelligent companion of man.

Two men entered a store and asked for a pound of cheese. The woman who dispensed such wares hastened to attend to her customers. While thus busied one of the men drew the lady's attention to a dog which had stolen from the display of poultry a large chicken.

At once the woman gave chase, whereupon the men helped themselves to the till and got away with some $20. The woman failed to catch the dog and upon her return discovered her loss. Meanwhile the intelligent beast went home and laid the chicken at the door of a mean flat, without so much as tearing the skin.

A passing gendarme observed the strange sight and waited. Presently the two men approached and were promptly arrested, the spoils, including edibles and valuables of various sort, found in the flat being taken to the police station, where the thieves await trial.

Unique Birth Register.

In Holland births, marriages and deaths, instead of being recorded in newspapers, are indicated by windmills. When a miller gets married he stops his mill with the arms of the wheel in a slanting position and with the sails unfurled. His friends and guests frequently do likewise with their mills, in token of the ceremony. To indicate a birth the wheel is stopped with the arms in a slanting position, but at a more acute angle than for a marriage and with the two upper sails unfurled. Should a miller die the sails of his mill are all furled and the wheel is turned round until the arms form an upright cross, in which position they are left until after the funeral has taken place.

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Gives Instant Relief

To use Putnam's Corn Extractor is to get quick relief. The sting disappears, toes feel better at once, another application or two and the corn goes away. Nothing ever known acts so slick as Putnam's Extractor—it's so sure, so painless, so dead certain to root out any kind of a corn that ever grew on foot of man. Putnam's Extractor never fails. 25c. per bottle, sold and recommended by druggists.

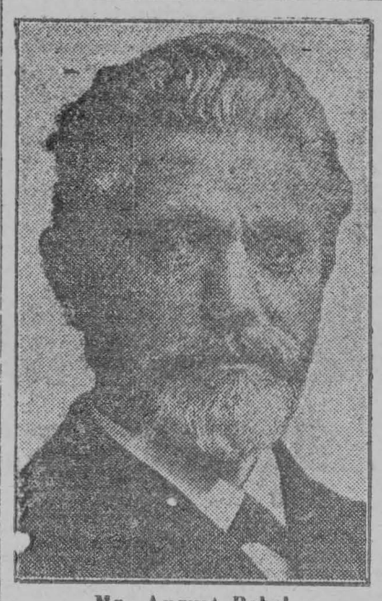


AUGUST BEBEL.

A man who has defied and beaten Bismarck, and who has caused the Kaiser more qualms than any of his other subjects, must be a remarkable personage, and such, indeed, is August Bebel, the famous leader of the German Socialists, who has just published the story of his life.

Though 73 years of age, Bebel is still active, and his influence was never greater than it is to-day. He has possessed a seat in the Reichstag for close on half a century, and he is one of the founders of the German Social Democratic movement, which polls 4,250.000 votes and sends 110 members to the Reichstag.

Bebel was the son of a workingman, and his childhood was spent in dire poverty. He was apprenticed to a turner, and had to work for 13 hours a day at the lathe for a wage of eighteen pence a week. He was an orphan before he reached his



Mr. August Bebel.

teens, and even as a child he was faced with the problem of how to educate himself. What spare moments he could snatch he devoted to reading romances which included "Robinson Crusoe," "Uncle Tom's Cabin," and Scott's novels. After completing his apprenticeship he tramped from city to city as a journeyman in search of work. Ultimately he wa sable to start as a mately he was able to start as a but when he became a political agitator he lost many of his best customers.

When Bismarck passed his repression laws Bebel was confined in a fortress for three years, but whilst undergoing detention he was elected to the Reichstag by big majorities, and throughout his career he has aroused the greatest enthusiasm and loyalty amongst his followers.

STEADY HAND.

A Surgeon's Hand Should be the Firmest of All.

"For fifteen years I have suffered from insomnia, indigestion and nervousness as a result of coffee drinking," said a surgeon the other day. (Tea is equally injurious because it contains caffeine, the same drug found in coffee).

"The dyspepsia became so bad that I had to limit myself to one cup at breakfast. Even this caused me to lose my food soon after I ate it.

"All the attendant symptoms of indigestion, such as heart burn, palpitation, water brash, wakefulness or disturbed sleep, bad taste in the mouth, nervousness, etc., were present to such a degree as to incapacitate me for my practice as a surgeon.

"The result of leaving off coffee and drinking Postum was simply marvelous. The change was wrought forthwith, my hand steadied and my normal condition of health was restored." Name given upon request. Read the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. There's a reason."

Postum now comes in concentrated, powder form, called Instant Postum. It is prepared by stirring a level teaspoonful in a cup of hot water, adding sugar to taste, and enough cream to bring the color to golden brown.

Instant Postum is convenient; there's no waste; and the flavor is always uniform. Sold by grocers—50-cup tin 30 cts., 100-cup tin 50 cts.

A 5-cup trial tin mailed for grocer's name and 2-cent stamp for postage. Canadian Postum Co., Ltd., Windsor, Ont.

Left Workman's Wife $75,000.

Mrs. Langson, the wife of a shipyard laborer, of Dunston-on-Tyne, near Gateshead, has come into a fortune of $75,000, left to her by a youth whom she once befriended by giving him food and shelter before he went to Australia, where he prospered as a farmer. As all his relations had died he left all his property to Mrs. Langson, who intends going to Chili, of which country her husband is a native.

Demonstrating.

Mrs. Pry—What is all that noise in your house, Willie?

Willie—Ma told pa I was just like him—always fightin'—and pa said I wasn't, and now they're havin' it out.

Do Your Looks Quite Satisfy You?

If Your Color is Bad, if You Suffer From Pimples, Here is Good Advice.

Fine Results in Two Weeks.



Miss Nettie E. Callaghan, a well-known young lady in Middleton, writes as follows: "I was affected for two years with a rash, and ugly looking pimples that spread over my face. My color was poor, and my blood evidently completely out of order. Certainly it was a most despairing sort of a case, because various treatments did but little to help me. A friend of mine in Toronto, Ont., advised me to get Dr. Hamilton's Pills, so I sent at once for five boxes. In two weeks I felt like new—looks improved, spirits rose, and I felt I was getting well. I have used this remedy for a long time, and now wouldn't be without it."

If you are in ailing health, have blood disorders, stomach trouble, or headaches, Dr. Hamilton's Pills will help you quickly. All druggists and storekeepers sell Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut. 25c. per box, five for $1.00. Sent postpaid by the Catarrhozone Co., Buffalo, N. Y., and Kingston, Canada.

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"You can't always rely on weather predictions."

"My dear sir," replied the climate expert, "weather predictions are absolutely correct and scientific. It's the climate that is unreliable."

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From all over America they testify to the merits of MINARD'S LINIMENT, the best of Household Remedies.

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"How much are these puppies, little boy?"

"All a quarter 'cept that one, and he's thirty-five cents. He swallowed a dime yesterday!"

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

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"How did you feel at that fashionable wedding?"

"About as conspicuous as my pickle dish looked among the jeweled bronzes and ropes of pearls."

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

A Girl's Pity.

"It was King Midas, wasn't it, who turned everything he touched to gold?"

"I believe so."

"Poor old fellow."

"He never could eat a pickle with his fingers."

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Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Sure Cure.

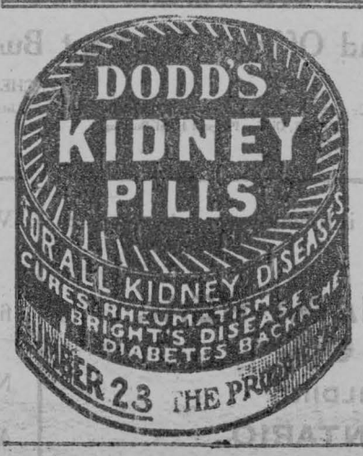
Miss Laflin—What has become of our friend Mr. Clay?

Mr. Rand—He has taken employment in a powder-mill for six months.

Miss Lafin—How strange!

Mr. Rand—Not at all. He washed to break himself of smoking.

The exile may be glad there is no place like home.



ECZEMA ITCHED AND BURNED

Until She was Nearly Crazy. Began with Watery Blisters. On Ears, Eyes, Hands and Ankles. Could Not Sleep for Scratching. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured.

Brunswick St., Fredericton, N. B.—"I had a very bad case of eczema. The trouble began with watery blisters and itched and burned until I was nearly crazy. It was on my ears, eyes, hands and ankles. I could not keep the bed clothes over me at night for the smarting and itching. My ears would swell. I would scratch until the blood would run and then form a scab. I felt as if I could take a knife and cut the flesh on my hands. It would disfigure my face and make it smart and burn and swell. I could not sleep at night for scratching.

"I tried everything I heard of without getting any benefit. I used lots of home remedies, such as lard and sulphur, and also was treated for it. Then I tried Cuticura Soap and Ointment and they gave me great ease. I used them about four months and I am happy to say I am never troubled now. The Cuticura Soap and Ointment cured me completely." (Signed) Mrs. A. S. Thompson, Mar. 9, 1912.

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NORWEGIAN POLICEMEN.

Special Duty of the Chief Policewoman.

The appointment of another policewoman at Christiania now brings the feminine police force in Norway up to seven, three of whom are in Christiania, two at Bergen, one in Stavanger, and one in Christiansand, says the London Standard.

The special duty of the chief policewoman in Christiania, Sergeant Osen, is to keep under surveillance girls and women suspected of living immoral lives, and female beggars, while her two colleagues interrogate women tramps, and, if deserving, render them help, look after the children and see that they are kept off the streets as vendors and beggars.

The policewomen all perform occasional night duty and patrol some of the worst quarters of the city. With the exception of the policewomen at Christiansand, who wear a complete official uniform, the women are dressed in plain clothes, only wearing green capes bearing a small medallion stamped with the crown and lion of Norway, to distinguish them from ordinary citizens.

Schools In India.

Evidence of the slow progress in the work of enlightenment achieved by British rule in India is contained in a recent census report published in the Gazette of India at Calcutta, which shows that only 6,345,582 persons are attending schools. Ground for complaint is found also in the fact that there are fewer girls in the schools than boys. Much satisfaction, however, is expressed by the Indian authorities themselves at the speed with which literacy is advancing throughout the Empire.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"

That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. Cures Grip in Two Days. 25c.

Uncle Josh Says:

"In this here season," said Uncle Josh this morning, "I'm allus glad Nature didn't give me ears like a jackass fer they must suffer like sixty w'en they git cold all th' way, by jinks!"

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

What He Felt.

The teacher had asked the children to write their autobiographies, and the essays were not very picturesque. "Now, children," she said, "I don't want you simply to write the happenings of your life; write what you really feel inside." Little Willie, in his second attempt, wrote: "Inside I feel a heart, liver, lungs and stomach, and inside the stomach I feel an apple, a corn ball, a pickle and a glass of milk."

Regularity

of the bowels is an absolute necessity for good health. Unless the waste matter from the food which collects there is got rid of at least once a day, it decays and poisons the whole body, causing biliousness, indigestion and sick headaches. Salts and other harsh mineral purgatives irritate the delicate lining of the bowels. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills—entirely vegetable—regulate the bowels effectively without weakening, sickening or griping. Use

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills



FRANCE HAS NATIONAL COOK.

Two Examinations Held to Choose Professor to Teach the Art.

France now has an official cook with the title of professor of cooking at the National School of Agricultural and Housekeeping Instruction at Grignon. A title worthy of even a German business card, is the comment of the French newspapers.

This new chair of cooking is the idea of M. Pams, Minister of Agriculture. The examinations, held on November 11, in order to choose the bearer of this momentous title, consisted of competitions in all branches, cooking, the making of soups, sauces and other accessories, cutting and cooking meat, game, fish, vegtables, entrees, patties, entremets, pastry, fruit and vegetable preserves and the making of cakes and desserts.

Those who took part in the competition were requested to get up a luncheon, the menu of which was chosen before the examination by the jury. The concurrents also had to prepare preserves and give a lesson before the students of the school. All candidates who presented themselves had to be between the ages of 25 and 40 and conform to many other requirements, such as being able to show their birth certificates, a certificate showing their French nationality and also what previous experience they had.

Best French cooks come, it is said, from the district around Nancy, although Loraine until it became German property had a great reputation.

Cramps at Night Require Prompt Remedy

Agonizing Pain Prevented by Keeping Nerviline Handy On the Shelf.

A Case in Point Illustrated.

Deadly cramps—the symptoms are not to be mistaken. Suddenly and without warning the patient experiences such agony in the stomach as to contort the countenance and cause him to cry aloud for help.

Then it is that the wonderful power of Nerviline can make itself felt—it cures so quickly.

"Last summer I was striken with a frightful attack of cramps. I feared the pain in my stomach would kill me.

"My eyes bulged out and the veins in my forehead stood out like whip-cords.

"My cries attracted a neighbor, who came to my assistance, and in a moment or two handed me half a teaspoonful of Nerviline in some sweetened water.

"It seemed as if an angel had charmed away the pain. In ten seconds I was well. Nerviline has a wonderful name in this locality, and is considered best for cramps, diarrhoea, flatulence, stomach and bowel disorders. I urge all my friends to use Nerviline.

"MANLEY M. LEGRADE.
"Williamsburg."

No home is safe or can afford to miss the manifold advantages of having Nerviline on hand in case of accident or emergent sickness. Large family size bottles of Nerviline, 50c.; trial size, 25c., all dealers, or The Cattrrhozone Co., Buffalo, N. Y., and Kingston, Canada.

Ready Answer.

Beggar—"Can you help a poor gent, mister?"

Passer-by—"Hum. What sort of a gent do you call yourself?"

Beggar—"A indigent, sir."

When Your Eyes Need Care — **Try Murine Eye Remedy**

No Smarting—Feels Fine—Acts Quickly. Try it for Red, Weak, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids. Illustrated Book in each Package. MURINE is compounded by our Oculists—not a "Patent Medicine" but used in successful Physicians' Practice for many years. Now dedicated to the Public and sold by Druggists at 25c-50c per bottle. Murine Eye Salve in Aseptic Tubes, 25c-50c. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago

His Meaning.

When a man says he has no political ambitions it generally means that he doesn't think he has any prospects worth considering.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Animals as Thermometers.

Crickets have a tendency to chirp synchronously or in time with one another. It is claimed that they chirp more rapidly in warm than in cold weather. The increase has even been rated at four chirps a minute for each degree the temperature increases. Certain animals appear to act as barometers, says Harper's Weekly. It is said that while frogs remain yellow nothing but fine weather may be expected, but that should their coats begin to assume a brown hue bad weather is approaching. A spider seen spinning its web in the morning heralds a fine day; if seen in the evening, then at least the whole of the night, and the following morning will be fine. If it is raining and the owl screeches, better weather will ensue.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 1913.

Last week's issue of the Winchester Press contained the validictory of Mr. Byron Lane, who, for nearly twenty-five years has successful conducted that bright, snappy little weekly. The Leader regrets the departure of Mr. Lane from the Fourth Estate of Dundas County, as he has ever been the exponent of good citizenship, and has certainly given the residents of Winchester and vicinity a live local weekly. To Mr. Lacey, the new proprietor, who comes to Dundas well recommended, the Leader extends a cordial welcome and trusts that The Press will continue to be a fair, honest and bright local paper under its new proprietor.

BORDEN PLAN GROWS

(Toronto News)

Significance is lent Mr. Borden's proposals for closer co-operation between the Imperial and overseas Governments by the Colonial Secretary's submission of the plan to the Ministers of Australia, New Zealand and South Africa. In response to the Canadian Prime Minister's request the Imperial Government has assured Dominion Ministers resident in London places on the Imperial Defence Committee as well as "free and full access to the British Prime Minister, the Foreign Secretary and the Colonial Secretary, for information on all questions of imperial policy." The terms of access instead of being fixed may be varied to meet the needs of the several Dominions. There is nothing hard and fast about the pending arrangement, which therefor embodies no menace to colonial self government. The plan is in complete accord with resolutions passed at the last Imperial Conference at which Sir Wilfred Laurier and two or three of his colleagues were present, and it affords a seemingly workable means of utilizing the combined prestige and strength of the whole Empire for purposes of defence and the maintenance of the Pax Britannica.

INTRODUCING PARCELS POST

(Ottawa Journal)

On New Year's Day Postmaster General Hitchbock inaugurated the parcels post system in the United States. All over the country and in the colonial possessions this innovation is now in force, the very highest charge being twelve cents a pound which is sufficient to secure the delivery of a parcel of spruce gum mailed in the backwoods of Maine in the most remote corner of the Philippines.

Canada has preceded the United States in several postal reforms, being the first country to adopt post cards on this side of the Atlantic and establishing postal banks which have not yet been introduced into the United States. As The Journal has pointed out, there is no reason why this country should lag behind in the working out of a progressive parcels post system.

To ensure the success of the plan, the U.S. Postmaster-General has already distributed for expenditure half of the appropriation of $7,500,000, set aside for the establishment of the system. Automobile delivery trucks have been purchased in the large cities and the post offices considerably enlarged.

A very good use of Mr. Pelletier's million dollar surplus, or a part of it at least, would be the establishment of a cheap parcels post with a general delivery system. The Journal was informed at the Dead Letter office that annually thousands of parcels remained uncalled for at the post offices of the country at Christmastide, a condition which would be greatly alleviated by the introduction of the system now in use in all the great countries of the world.

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GETTING HELP FOR NEXT SEASON

(Weekly Globe)

It might be well for the farmers of this country to plan now for their supply of farm help for next season. There is no doubt that the scarcity of competent farm hands is the most serious problem facing Canadian farmers at the present time, nor does the critical situation show much sign of early improvement.

If our farms are to be tilled as they should, and if we as a people are to maintain our ascendancy among the producing nations, we must take measures to provide for an ample supply of farm laborers. How is the average farmer to do his share?

The Farmers' Club movement has opened an avenue of action. Where the farmer single-handed could no nothing, the Farmers' Club has great power. For instance, notice has lately come to us of the Farmers' Club in Grey county which are making a radical move in this matter.

These clubs are canvassing the farmers of the district in order to ascertain the number of farm hands which will be required by that district for the ensuing year. If a sufficient number is called for by the farmers, it is proposed that Mr. Hugh C. Duff, district representative for the county, sail for the old country immediately to select these men. Mr. Duff will personally select and place each man, and in this way no farmer requiring help will be overlooked.

This is a step on which the county of Grey is to be congratulated, and one which other clubs and counties might profitably consider and copy.

ROWENA.

Happy New Year.

School re opened again on Monday last, Mr Garlough as teacher for the coming year.

Mr Willis Locke, of Albany, N.Y., spent the 'Xmas holidays here with his parents, Mr and Mrs Milton Locke.

Mr and Mrs J. Smyth Carter have returned to Toronto after spending a few days here at the former's parental home.

Mr and Mrs John Becksted and Masters Freddie and Ronald, spent Sunday at the home of Mr Ernest Dicks.

Mr and Mrs Milross, and baby Helen, of Newington, are visiting at the home of Mr William Larmour.

Mr and Mrs Edward Shaver have returned home after spending some time with Brockville friends.

Messrs McKillup, of Galbraith & Sons, Montreal, and McKercher, of The Fraid Heillig Co., Montreal, were callers here on Tuesday.

DUNDELA.

Mr and Mrs H. A. McIntosh are spending a few days with friends in Montreal.

Mr and Mrs William Beckstead, of Froatburn, spent Friday at the home of William Whitteker.

We are sorry to say that Mr A. H. Hunter is still on the sick list.

Mr and Mrs Levi Casselman and Mr and Mrs W. Whitteker and children, Wilfred and Eva, spent New Year's with friends at Finch.

Mr and Mrs Howard Casselman, of Morrisburg, were the guests of Ivan Nesbitt on Monday.

Messrs Daniel Slater and John Barnhart, of Cass Bridge, were visiting at the home of George Barnhart on Tuesday.

Our public school re-opened here on Tuesday after the Christmas holidays with a new teacher, Miss R. Shannon.

Miss Flo Casselman has returned home to Finch after spending a few days visiting friends here.

Messrs Harry Johnson and Cephus Smyth went to Brockville on Friday to attend Business College there.

FROATBURN.

School started on Monday after the Christmas holidays.

Miss Dora Bowman spent a few days last week at Glen Becker.

Mr and Mrs Frank Wells and family, of Bouck's Hill, were guests of Mr Lucius Froats on Sunday.

Mr Geo. Pruner and family have moved back to our burn again.

Mr Marcus Fetterly spent a couple of days this week at Cornwall.

Mr and Mrs J. Styles spent Wednesday at Mr John Styles.

Miss Grace Schwerdfeger has returned home after spending a couple of weeks with friends at Brushton, N.Y.

Mr and Mrs Lagorah Millward spent a few days last week with friends at Dundela.

Mr John Casselman, of Glen Becker, was calling in our burn on Friday.

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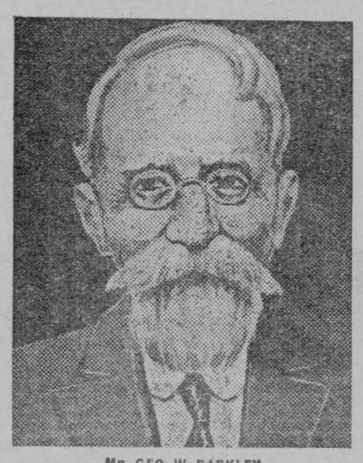

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Mr and Mrs Oliver Brown, of Owen Sound, and Mr and Mrs Henry Casselman, of Nudell Bbsh, were visiting at Messrs Nelson and Frank Casselman's one day last week.

Mr Earle Garlough, of Williamsburg, who spent his holidays with his parents here, has returned home.

Mr Lawrence Garlough spent the latter end of the week at Williamsburg.

Miss Nellie Fetterly, of Morrisburg, and Mr Sanford Colquhoun, of Hoasic, were visiting at Mr Stillson's on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Fred Eamon, of the Second Concession, Farran's Point, spent Sunday at Mr Cornelius Wells's.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Baker and Miss Clara and Master Hubert spent Sunday at Mr Walter Baker's.

Mr William Vanallen, who has been visiting with friends at Buffalo has returned.

Mr James Wells, who has been spending the past two weeks at his home here, attended the ball at Wales on Wednesday night.

Mr Charles Watson, of Froatburn, was calling at Mrs Martha Watson's on Monday.

Monday being polling day, it made quite a stir in our 'burg.

Misses Hattie and Ethel Willard, who have been spending their holidays here, returned to the M. C. I. on Monday.

Mr Oscar Beckstead, of Elma, was calling in our 'burg on Sunday.

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Mrs John Wells, of Aultsville, spent New Years at Mrs Martha Watsons.

Mr and Mrs James Cooper, of Aultsville, and son, Lorne; Mr and Mrs Allen Hart, of Montreal; Mr and Mrs Charlie Mc ntosh; Mr John Hart and sister; Mrs Alice Gogo and son, Ernest and Mr John Wells spent New Years at Mr Samuel Wells.

Quite a number from our burg took in the entertainment at Fraternity Hall at Aultsville on New Years night for the church of England all seemingly enjoyed themselves.

Among those who spent New Years Day at Mr William Henophy's were Mr and Mrs Samuel Castleman and son, Roy; Mrs Nelson Rooks and Mr and Mrs Sidney Prunner and son, Lorne, of Nudell Bush; Mrs S. Rooks, of Michigan, Mr and Mrs William Beckstead and son, Gilbert, of Froatburn.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Wells and family spent New Years Day at Hoasic.

Messrs Meredith and Clarke Garlough, of Williamsburg, spent New Years Day at Mr Thomas Garloughs.

The Misses Burton, of Cornwall, are spending their holidays with their aunt, Mrs W B. Castleman.

Mrs Amy Larin and daughter, of Montreal, who was visiting friends here returned to their home on Thursday.

Mr Samuel Summers and son, Russell, of Cornwall, spent a couple of days in our burg last week.

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WILLIAMSBURG

Williamsburg Lodge, No 349, I. O. O. F., have extended an invitation to Matilda Lodge I. O O. F., of Dundela, to unite with them on Monday evening, Jan. 13th, in holding a joint installation of officers for the ensuing term. The D. D. G. M., Bro. Chas. Duprau, of Morrisburg, will be the installing officer. The installation ceremonies will be held in the Oddfellows' Hall, after which they will retire to Bro. J. Weston's hall (which is large and commodious and better fitted to accommodate the husky three-linkers of Williamsburg and Matilda lodges), where they will partake of the tempting viands provided by the Williamsburg lodge All members please take notice and be on hand on Monday night. Visiting brethren always welcome.

Mr W. C Strader has changed the postoffice from the back of his store to the front, which makes it more convenient for the public.

Mr Frank Barkley left on Monday for Englehart, Northern Ontario, for a two-weeks' trip. He intends stopping at Toronto and North Bay.

Misses Elda and Flora Jean McIntosh have returned home after spending a few weeks with friends in Cardinal.

Service will be held next Sunday morning, instead of evening.

Mrs Kanie and family, of Dixon's, have moved into Dr. Locke's residence.

Mr Stata, who has been in Ottawa for some time, is visiting with his daughter, Mrs John Warring.

Dr. Aden McIntosh, who has been spending a few days at home, returned to New York City this week to gain more knowledge. He will enter the large Protestant Hospital located on Staten Island.

A liquor case was tried in Weston's Hall on Thursday afternoon before Magistrate W. C. Strader and C T. Whittaker. The defendant in the case was from the north of the township. Mr Ed. Foster, license inspector, was the plaintiff, and Mr. I. Hilliard, of Morrisburg, counsel for Mr Foster. After several witnesses had given their evidence in the case in question, the defendant from the spring-water town was fined $10 and costs.

Mr and Mrs Frank Empey, Mr and Mrs Morley Wells and daughter Blanche and Mr and Mrs Jerry Lane all spent Wednesday at Mrs C. Tuttle's, Dundela.

Mr Jake Marcellus, of Dunbar, is visiting his aunt, Miss Emma Casselman.

The municipal election in our village passed off very quietly.

Mrs (Dr.) Collison, of Brinston's, spent Tuesday with her son, Dr. Locke.

Mr and Mrs Orlin Becker and family spent New Year's Day with Mr and Mrs C Johnston, Chesterville.

Miss Ethel Olds has returned from Green Bush after spending the holiday season with her parents.

Miss Eleanor McLean, who was spending the holidays with her parents in Perth, has returned to Bouck's Hill to resume her position as teacher.

Miss Essie Shennette and Mr and Mrs Charles Beckstead, of Dunbar, were guests at Mr Charles Phifers on Sunday.

Miss Alice Eastwood spent Tuesday as the guest of Mr and Mrs Stanley McIntosh.

Mr Linden Shennette, who has been spending the holidays with his parents, returned to Toronto on Monday.

Mr T. H. Crowbar, of Brandon, Man., is visiting at his uncle's, Mr Frank Empey.

Mr M. O. Trichey's new residence is fast nearing completion They are busy now putting the finishing on the inside and he expects to move in soon.

School opened in our village Monday, with a good attendance and the same staff of teachers.

Guests at Mr and Mrs J. Shennette's on New Year's Day were: Mr and Mrs Willis Shell, of Froatburn; Mr and Mrs Henry Shennette, of Morrisburg, and Miss Mildred Shennette

Mr and Mrs Gordon Merkley, of Winchester Springs, spent Sunday at Mr Ed Perault's.

Mr and Mrs Thomas Johnston, Mrs E. Tuttle and Mr Alfred Marcellus were guests at Mr Frank Empey's on Sunday.

Mr Russel Casselman who has been ill for several years passed away on Tuesday evening. The funeral will take place on Saturday at 10 30 a m. from the residence of his parents, Mr and Mrs Albert Casselman. The deceased was 28 years of age.

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CASTORIA

AULTSVILLE

Mr Jollie Sheets was in Morrisburg on Wednesday.

Rev Robt. Sones, of Russell, is spending a few days with friends here.

Mr W. F. Baker spent Wednesday in Montreal.

Mrs Tattersal, of Morrisburg, is spending a couple of days here with friends

Mrs Wm. Service and Mrs F Pitts, of Woodlands, spent Wednesday here.

Mr P. Hunter spent a couple of days in Cornwall last week.

Mrs A. E. Fetterly spent New Years with her mother, Mrs Bryan, of Lunenburg.

Mr and Mrs Wilbert Casselman, and children, of East Williamsburg, spent a few days at Mr D. Cooks this week.

Master Harold Ault returned to Ottawa on Monday to resume his studies.

Mr Herman Raney was in Morrisburg on Wednesday.

Mr F. Shaver is spending a few days in Ottawa this week.

Born—On Monday, Jan. 6th, at Aultsville to Mr and Mrs C. J. P. Jolliffe, of Loo Chow, West China, a son.

Mrs A. N. Dafoe attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs Gillis, of Finch, on New Years Day.

Mrs S. T. Loucks visited Mr Lin Hickey, of Mille Roches, who is ill on Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs Harold Bouck and Geo. Bouck, of Cornwall, spent the week-end at their parental home here.

OFFICERS INSTALLED

District Deputy Grand Master, Chas. R. Duprau, of Morrisburg, with a full staff of officers installed the officers of Aberdeen Lodge, No 302, I.O O F., Aultsville, on Monday evening. The following were the officers installed:—

P.G.—F. C. Shaver
N G.—Wm. Loucks
R.S.N G.—H. Rupert
L S N.G.—E McCracken
V.G.—S. McConnell
R.S.V.G—H. Anderson
L.S.V.G.—Thorold Cross
Rec. Sec.—J. M. Loucks
Treas.—Dr. Ed. L. Brown
Fin. Sec.—Douglas Jarvis
Chaplain—I. J. Cramer
S.S.—F. Shaver
I.G.—W. Wells
O.G.—E. Vincent
Warden—J. S. Morgan

NATION VALLEY.

Mr and Mrs A. E. Meldrum and children, of Ottawa, spent the past holidays at Mr Alva Munroe's.

Mrs Herbert Ball has been visiting friends at Hoasic and Morrisburg.

Mr and Mrs Chas. Beach and children, of Cornwall, visited relatives here during the holidays.

Miss Agnes Jamieson and brothers, of Montreal, spent the past week at Oak Dale.

Mrs Harvey Merkley, of Bouck's Hill, visited her parents of this district recently.

Mr and Mrs Geo. C. Merkley spent one dav recently in Paradise.

Mrs J. F. Cass and daughter, Edna, of Winchester, visited relatives in the Valley a few days ago.

Mrs Chas. Morrell has returned home from Gouveneur, N. Y., having visited several relatives there.

Mrs Rance Hess spent the past week at South Mountain.

Mr and Mrs Barkley, of Glen Becker, visited their daughter, Mrs Calvin Merkley, recently.

Mr W. G. Barkley left the first of the week for Calgary.

Several from here attended the surprise party at Cass Bridge, on Thursday evening last.

ARCHER.

Mr W. A. Edwards, of Gallingertown, was a business caller here recently.

Mr Wm. Myers was in Aultsville on Tuesday.

A number from here attended the auction sale in Morrisburg on Saturday last.

Mr Geo. Skiggs, of Aultsville, is helping Mr Harold Weagant in the bush for a few days

School has reopened again with Mr L. Garlough for teacher.

Mr and Mrs Wm. Southworth were in Morrisburg on Saturday.

Masters Ralph and Bert Cunningham spent Sunday with their grandparents, Mr and Mrs H. Gallinger, in Gallingertown.

Mr Shalor Heagle visited friends at Wales recently.

Mr Colborn Southworth, of Bovie, Minn., has returned home after a few weeks stay with relatives here.

Mrs H. Heagle spent a day in Cornwall last week.

Mr Geo. Shaver of Osnabruck Centre, passed through here on Tuesday buying up live stock for the market.

Miss Grace Gallinger, of Gallingertown, is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs Roy Cunningham.

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"I have had the honor of preaching before three of our sovereigns," said a well-known clergyman, "and I can assure you I have never found any duty more pleasant. Nervous? Well, I must admit I had a bad attack of nerves the first time—but never since.

"I shall never forget the day on which I received my first command to preach at Balmoral. At first I was inclined to think it must be a practical joke, for I was not aware that Queen Victoria even knew of my existence. As, no doubt you know, this honor is for the most part confined to the royal chaplains, a select and august body from which I was, in my own opinion at least, as far removed as from the stars. However, it seems that Her Majesty had read a volume of my sermons, and was good enough to wish to hear me preach. And thus the honor came to me quite unsought and quite unexpectedly.

At Balmoral Castle.

"So on the Saturday before the day of my ordeal, I made the journey to Ballater, feeling pretty much as a man must feel on his way to the gallows, and from Ballater drove through the glorious Highland scenery to Crathie, where I found a warm hospitality at the manse. If I had been one of the Queen's chaplains I should have gone straight to the castle, and I was glad, as an outsider, to be spared this honor, which would certainly have oppressed a man so unused to King's palaces

"On the following morning, with, I confess, my heart in my mouth, I presented myself at the castle, where a most genial and courtly gentleman-in-waiting took me in tow and conducted me to the vestry adjoining the service room. Here I put on my black gown and nervously glanced through my manuscript, with an eye on the slow-moving hands of my watch. It was distinctly a 'bad quarter of an hour' that I spent in the vestry, tortured with nervous fears, and I was thankful when the time came to enter the chapel, which, of course, I had never seen until then.

"As I made my way to the reading-desk a glance took in the plain bare room, so unlike what I had anticipated; the royal servants at the back, and the rows of vacant seats in front, reserved for the castle guests and the members of the royal family, with a comfortable arm-chair set a little apart, evidently for her Majesty herself.

Dining With the Queen.

"Quickly the vacant seats were filled by court officials and distinguished guests, among whom I recognized Sir Michael Hicks Beach and the Earl of Fife. Half-a-dozen or so young princes and princesses followed, and after a slight pause a voice announced 'The Queen,' and her Majesty entered, a small, dark-clad figure, walking slowly, but with an impressive dignity, supported by a stick, and escorted by two Indian attendants. She took her seat in front of me and the service began. By this time I had quite recovered my self-possession, reassured by the simplicity and homeliness of my surroundings, and I felt every whit as much at home as among my own people.

"Of the service itself, there is little to be said. It was very simple and very reverent. The singing of the two hymns, which were accompanied by Princess Beatrice on the harmonium, and in which the Queen joined in a low, sweet voice, was hearty, and her Majesty, who remained seated through it all, followed the service and my sermon with the closest attention—once, when I ventured on a rather humorous remark, smiling up at me.

The blessing pronounced, in the fine old Scottish style, with outstretched arms, the Queen, with a slight and gracious inclination of the head to me, walked out, and was followed at respectful intervals by the remainder of the congregation, when I returned to the vestry, feeling quite pleased with myself and eager to renew such a happy experience. Before I left a gentleman-in-waiting entered with a command to join the royal dinner-party in the evening, an order which I would gladly have been spared. However, this, too, proved very agreeable and much less formidable than I had anticipated; and at its conclusion, when we adjourned to the drawing-room, her Majesty said a few very kind and gracious words to me about my sermon, which, she said, had both interested and touched her.

A King's Favorite Hymn.

"Only once more had I the honor to preach before Queen Victoria, when she delighted me by recalling my former sermon and saying that it had been of great comfort to her; but I have since preached quite a dozen times before King Edward and our present sovereign. On these later occasions the services have been invariably at Crathie church, where I have found my august hearers quite as gracious and kind as Queen Victoria. King Edward was always particularly charming to me, and put me completely at my ease with the very first words he addressed to me. 'You gave us an admirable sermon, Mr. ——' he said to me at dinner the same evening. 'and none the less admirable because it was short. I always feel sorry for my predecessors, who had to listen to sermons three hours long, like those of Dr. Barrow, of whom, you may remember, Charles II. used to say, he was the most unfair preacher in England, because he exhausted every subject and left no room for others to come after him.'

"Our late King was a miracle of punctuality. He always entered the church almost to the second, and he followed the service with the closest attention. I could always hear his responses quite distinctly among all the others in the crowded church, and I can still in fancy, hear his voice above the rest as he sang one of his favorite hymns, such as Onward, Christian Soldiers.

King George's Confession.

"And King George is just as devout and punctilious as his royal father. When he is at Balmoral he not only attends Crathie Church every Sunday, but expects all his guests to do the same. As a rule, he drives from the castle in a landau drawn by two greys and preceded by an outrider; and he wears regimental dress, as becomes the King of Scotsmen. His guests ride or walk as they please. He, too, is the soul of punctuality and reverence, and, like his father, he has a marked partiality for short sermons.

"The last time I preached before him he said when thanking me for my services: 'Do you know, Mr. ——, I behaved very badly when I heard your first sermon a good many years ago. I was guilty of the grave impropriety of falling asleep, and had begun to snore when my brother gave me a timely dig in the ribs. I hope I am behaving better now!'"

MORE GOLD PRODUCED.

Authority Holds Production to Have Reached the Maximum.

From the present outlook in the gold mining industry of the world, good production will have reached its maximum within the next twelve months, and it is possible that 1912 will show a positive decrease, says H. C. Hoover in a recent article. Continuing with a review of the various countries in respect to their future gold production, Mr. Hoover says: "The placer gold of Europe was practically exhausted in Roman times. Lode mining there is a small industry and every foot of ground is known. In Asia the Chinaman has washed the gravels from Siam to Tibet and Mongolia centuries ago. In lode mining I can say from three years of exploration there that he has long since exhausted the mines down to water level, and if mines do exist, it will be a very slow business finding them. I do not myself believe there exists in China or Central Asia a district of such importance as to materially affect the question, for no greater illusion exists than that the Chinaman has any prejudice against mining for gold—when he can make a profit. And he can make lode mines profitable by hard labor on which we could not earn a cent with the finest machinery ever built."

COMEDY IN A PALACE.

Austrian Emperor's Breakfast Stolen by a Sweep.

The theft of the Austrian Emperor's breakfast at Budapest one morning recently caused great excitement in the palace. The Emperor rises at 3.30 a.m. and breakfasts immediately after undergoing cold water treatment. The palace cook, like the other servants, rises at 2 o'clock, as the Emperor is impatient of any delay. The Emperor's attendants rang the bell for breakfast on the day in question and the cook went to the larder to fetch the cold meat which he had prepared overnight. To his horror he found that a large ham and other meat had disappeared. The cook, suspecting a plot, informed the Emperor's detective, and the palace was quickly surrounded and a strict search made. Traces of sooty boots were found on the inlaid floor of the larder, while black finger marks were seen on the white painted shelf.

Suspicion fell on a chimney sweep employed in the palace, and detectives going to his flat found him in the act of eating the breakfast prepared for the Emperor. They returned to the palace much relieved at the simple explanation of the mystery. The sweep was arrested with a member of the fire brigade whose duty it was to stand on guard in the kitchen.

Remembered Them All.

"Has your wife a good memory?"

"Splendid. She hasn't forgotten a single one of those before-marriage promises I made."

SPECIAL POLICE FOR PARIS

HOUSEHOLDER WILL PAY FOR KEEPING OUT APACHES.

Opera, Monceau and Champs Elysees Quarters Will Be Protected.

On New Year's night Parisian (France) householders and shopkeepers were relieved by the inauguration of a special police protection with a force of 150 night guards. The organization of the service has already been completed after some weeks of preparation, and, it is said, after five years of impatient waiting by such citizens as have found the many bandit episodes a disturbance to their soundness of sleep and their enjoyment of evening walks. The initiative for the organization of the night guard was taken by several members of the Chamber of Deputies, some Senators, presidents of Chambers of Commerce, and prominent citizens. The system determined upon it based on a study of the work of night guards in several European capitals.

The Guards

will be privately paid by subscribing residents or property-owners in the districts to be guarded, which are the opera quarter, Monceau and the Champs Elysees. The recruiting of men has been strict, only ex-soldiers of a specified stature, of excellent record, habits and so on being eligible, the regular police requirements standing as the model for those of the employers of the new private policemen.

The functions of the night guards will be simple and limited. In general they will assist the regular police, although they are not allowed to wear an official police shield. Each guard will have a territory or beat of ten houses except a few special stationary men on "peg post." When doing patrol duty the guards will go in groups of two or three, as the regular police do. On the discovery of a burglar, highwayman or similar serious breaker of the peace they will blow their whistles to call for the regular police before interfering on their own account. Every subscriber to the fun which supports the guards will likewise be provided with a whistle so that he can call for help at any moment. It is provided also that householders may use the guards to see that children or servants leaving their homes in the evening are set on their way properly and are

Not Molested in the Street.

It is provided, however, that the guards in no way shall be used as private police for getting information, etc. Of course, the guards are at the disposal of any person in the street who may be in trouble, be he subscriber or not.

The guards will be armed with revolvers, iron-tipped rods and police dogs. Their uniforms are without capes or cowls so that there may be no interference of clothing with freedom of action and so that they may glance behind their backs quickly, a thing which is not easy to do when a cowl obstructs the view. The revolver is worn at the right hip and under the overcoat, so that Apaches may stand little chance of getting it out of the guards' possession.

Hours of duty will be from 10 o'clock until 5 on Summer nights, and from 8 in the evening until 7 in the morning in the winter time. Later the service will be augmented by bicycle guards.

Paris has had no special night guards since the old days of the nightwatchman who served both as police and crier of news or announcements. Systems of semi-official night policing supplementary to the service of

Regular Forces

have been in operation for some years at St. Petersburg, London, Vienna, and Berlin, in none of which towns are night crimes so frequent as in Paris. In Spain the old-fashioned nightwatchman of romantic character still governs the movements of citizens after sundown, the historic sereno of Madrid and Toledo being the closest modern reproduction of such personalities as Wagner's bass guardian in "Die Meistersinger," to mention only one of a long tradition of town watchers and criers.

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THE UNION BANK.

Holds Its Forty-eighth Annual Meeting.

Progress in all departments of the Bank's activities marks the 48th Annual Report recently issued by the Union Bank of Canada. The Annual Meeting of this Bank was held in Winnipeg on December 17th, and was presided over by Mr. John Galt, the President. This was the first year in which the Annual Meeting was held in Winnipeg, the change from Quebec taking place during the past year.

The statement shows net profits for the year of $706,832, which compares with $662.000 for the previous year. The net profits for the year 1912, together with $47,000 derived as premium on new stock issued and $71,000 carried forward from the previous year, made $826,000 available for distribution. Four quarterly dividends at the rate of 2 per cent. each absorbed $397,000. The sum of $242,000 was transferred to the rest account, $100,000 written ff bank premises account and $10,000 contributed to the officers' pension fund, leaving a balance of $75.000 to be carried forward. Net earnings for the year were slightly in excess of 14 per cent. on the average paid-up capital. A further examination of the report shows that gains were made in every department of the Bank's activities. Its paid-up capital was increased, and now stands at $5,000.000. Its rest account was also augmented, and now stands at $3,300.000. Large gains were also made in deposits, current loans and total assets. The deposits now total over $55,643,000, a gain of $10.000,000 during the year. Of the amount, $41.219.000 is interest bearing and $14,423,000 non-interest bearing. The current loans at over $45,000,000 show a gain of $7,000.000 during the year, while the total assets, amounting to $69,400 000, show the large gain of $11,000,000 over the figures for the previous year. Another feature of the report worthy of special mention is the large proportion of gold, silver, Dominion notes and other quickly available assets. These bear a very large proportion to the liabilities to the public.

The Union Bank of Canada is rapidly forging to the front, and is occupying a continually larger place in the business affairs of the country. The fact that the current loans for the year amounted to over $45.000.000. or a gain of $7.000.000 over the previous year, indicates that the Bank is doing a continually larger share of the country's business and is catering to the business needs of the communities where its branches are located. The fact that it opened 43 branches during the year is another indication of its continual expansion. The Bank has now 285 branches making it one of the best equipped banks in the Dominion in this respect.

The address of President Galt was a splendid review of the financial and industrial conditions prevailing in the country at the present time, and showed that the officials of the Bank kept in the very closest touch with the progress being made by the Dominion. An interesting feature of his report was the relating of the history and growth of the Union Bank and the reason for the transfer of the head office from Quebec to Winnipeg. He showed that eight and one-half years ago when the present General Manager took charge the Bank's capital was just one-half what it is to-day, the reserve fund less than one-third, and total assets considerably less than one-third. Altogether the report and the addresses of the President and General Manager form one of the best combinations issued by any bank this year.

The Best Time of Life.

Dean Swift was 59 when he wrote "Gulliver's Travels." John Stuart Mill 56 when his essay "Utilitarianism" was published, though the bulk of his work had been done a few years before that time. At 44 Sir Walter Scott, the man of "double dignification"—worthy in his ancestry and worthy in himself—published his "Waverley," and the rest of his immortal volumes were written when the man was past 46. Between the ages of 54 and 59 Milton composed "Paradise Lost." Cowper was past 50 when "The Task" and "John Gilpin" saw the light, and Defoe almost 60 when his "Robinson Crusoe" excited the admiration of the world. "The Song of the Shirt" and "The Bridge of Sighs" indicate the culminating period of Thomas Hood's career. He was 46 years old when he wrote them. Darwin's "Origin of Species" synchronized with his half-century birthday, while the "Descent of Man" followed twelve years later.

Bank of England.

The Bank of England, amongst its numerous privileges granted by Royal Charter, has the right of selling beer without a license. The bank could, if it wished, open a public-house in Threadneedle St., and, like the modern hostelry, turn its "parlors" into a saloon bar. What a sale also would Bank of England beer have, delivered at customers' houses, with the signature of the chief cashier as a guarantee on every cask or bottle.

TORONTO CORRESPONDENCE

INTERESTING BITS OF GOSSIP FROM THE QUEEN CITY.

No Great Issue in the Municipal Campaign—Mayor Hocken Had Easy Opposition—Sir James Whitney —Holiday Trade.

What issue was up for decision this year was a question frequently asked by visitors during the Municipal campaign. The answer had to be "none." Civic government in Toronto at present is a question of administration rather than of policies or issues. As a result the contest as on many previous occasions became merely a trial of personal strength between the various candidates.

The task of canvassing a big city like Toronto is of course tremendous, and various devices were utilized for covering the ground. Anything like a personal canvass is impossible, although it is said one Board of Control aspirant, Controller McCarthy, had the city divided into 500 sections and had a personal friend working each section. No one else attempted anything so complete.

Soliciting Votes.

The personal letter is widely used. Even these run into a lot of expense. One candidate, it was reported, used 125,000 letters, a number sufficient to cover every voter in the city twice and perhaps three times It is doubtful if these letters and cards get many votes, although the cost of sending out 125,000 letters would be $1,250 00 for postage alone. It is said that some candidates for Alderman spent sums running into the thousands of dollars and then did not get elected. As the salary of an Alderman is only $300 it is evident that the honor is valued highly in some quarters at least. A Controller gets $2,500 a year, but even this sum is often exhausted in election expenses alone. Mr J. J. Ward probably furnishes an exception to this rule. He is an assiduous glad hander, but does not believe in spending his prospective salary.

The great problem of the candidate is to get his name before the public. A personal acquaintance of a thousand men is a pretty wide acquaintance, and where there are 40 or 50,000 voters it is evident that candidates can be known to only a few. It is for this reason that a man who is once elected finds it fairly easy to hold his seat if he wants to. He gets so much publicity through the newspapers during the year that unless he makes very bad blunders, people think he must be a great man.

Acclamations Are Rare.

It was almost too much for Mayor Hocken to expect to get an election by acclamation. As a matter of fact acclamations for the Mayoralty in Toronto have been exceedingly rare, the honor accredited to Mr. Geary last year being the first of its kind in a very long period. There have been a number of virtual acclamations. For example, in 1911 Mr. Geary, although he had two opponents, secured over 31,000 votes against about 3,000 for his two opponents combined. Then in 1909 Joseph Oliver had no serious opposition, although there were against him three candidates, one of whom was Thomas Davies, who was this year nominated against Mayor Hocken. On that occasion Mr. Davies got over 9,000 votes, as against Mr. Oliver's 26,000

Occasionally freak candidates make a surprisingly good run. For example, on one occasion in the long ago the late E. A. Macdonald was elected Mayor, though by most people he was regarded as a crank candidate. The most striking illustration of the curious motives which sometimes govern electors was furnished in 1907 when Joseph Lindala, an unheard-of Socialist running against the sitting Mayor, Mr. Coatsworth, came within striking distance of being elected.

There are always plenty of crank candidates in Toronto. When they are not running for the Mayor's chair they are in the Board of Control or Aldermanic race. There are generally 8 or 10 of them in every Municipal contest.

Thomas Davies can hardly be classed as a crank candidate. He is a man of some substance and ability, but generally regarded as lacking the qualifications and experience which will entitle him to the Chief Magistracy of the city.

Poor Place for Meeting.

Toronto has little reason to be proud of its annual nomination meeting. Following Municipal custom the event takes place in the Town Hall, but unfortunately there is no proper chamber in that pile. The fact is that the Assembly Hall on the top floor of the building has never been finished. It is a bare barn of a room without furnishing other than a little bit of dragged bunting and without heat. Here the nomination meeting is held This is the only use the room is put to from one year's end to the other. Very few electors find it worth while to attend the proceedings, and there are no doubt scores of nomination meetings throughout the Province which are more largely attended.

The system of holding Municipal elections on New Year's Day seems to suit a great many people, though it works a hardship to a substantial number, including newspaper men, who have the first, and in many respects, the best holiday of the year, absolutely destroyed by reason of the fact that there is so much to do following the casting of the ballots. It is generally supposed that the system of holding the poll on that day instead of on the first Monday in January was devised and probably put through by forces friendly to the Temperance campaign. The result of the system is to close up all bars and liquor shops on a holiday which was often marred by a great deal of drinking. Those who have the day spoiled, however, wonder if some means could not be found of keeping the bars closed on that day and at the same time have voting on another day.

Sir James Whitney, the Premier,

has returned to his office from a flying visit to England apparently in the best of health and in good form for a stirring session. His first and practically his only public act since his return has been to put the quietus on an incipient agitation for radical changes in the Assessment Act.

Mr. Rowell, the leader of the Opposition, is devoting a great deal of time to his position, not so much in a party sense as in his expectance of a great number of the innumerable applications that come to leaders of both parties to attend public meetings and public functions of various kinds. Preparing speeches for all sorts of gatherings and delivering them is exceedingly arduous work, but if well done is work of a great deal of value to the community and into it Mr. Rowell has thrown himself enthusiastically.

Holiday Trading Good.

Toronto looks forward to 1913 as likely to be a banner year. Bounding prosperity continues. It was an inspiration to go into any of the stores before Christmas and see people buying Christmas presents. All classes from the working man to the multi-millionaire could be seen jostling each other at the various counters and all selecting gifts as if money was no object

The only cloud upon the financial horizon is the possible aftermath of the Balkan War One authority estimates that $400,000,000 in capital has been destroyed. This may mean that the money stringency of the past autumn may develop and continue in 1913, and if it does there may be some set back. Visitors from the West are more optimistic of the future than ever and expect 1913 to be the biggest year yet. If that proves to be the case, it means another year, at least, of good times for Toronto and Ontario.

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ACROSS THE SEA IN BALLOON.

Germans Say It Will Soon Be Possible to Make the Trip.

Crossing the Atlantic by airship will be possible in a short time, according to a company of German capitalists who recently formed a company to exploit, as a means of long-distance travelling, a new type of dirigible balloon devised by Herr Borner, a well-known German engineer. The new craft is proudly called the aerial cruiser.

Plans for the realization of this scheme are now well under way and have already advanced to the point of choosing the site of a hangar on the European side of the Atlantic, the exact location of which, however, is kept a secret for the moment.

In the near future, New York will be visited by Ernest Gunther Hensel, the representative of the company. Mr. Hensel's visit will be to ascertain where would be the most suitable landing place for aerial cruisers bringing their load of passengers from Europe. The inventor and those backing him assert that not only will the new balloon carry more than three hundred people and make the journey in two and a half days, but they also maintain that safety and comfort will be the chief features of the journey.

The ship will have its own power for rising or descending which will permit the doing away with ballast and take no account of the loss of gas.

The average speed is estimated at sixty-seven miles an hour. The airship will have a lifting force of 210 tons, which will enable it to carry 216 passengers with a crew of 102. The total cost is calculated at $465,000.

A Man's Mother.

Your mother's life has not been easy. Your father was a poor man, and from the day she married him she stood by his side, fighting as a woman must fight. She worked not the eight or ten-hour day of the union, but the 24-hour day of the poor wife and mother. She cooked and cleaned and scrubbed and patched and nursed from dawn until bedtime, and in the night was up and down getting drinks for thirsty lips, covering restless little sleepers, listening for croupy coughs. She had time to listen to your stories of boyish fun and frolick and triumph. She had time to say the things that spurred your ambition on. She never forgot to cook the little dishes you liked. She did without the dress she needed that you might not be ashamed of your clothes before your fellows. Remember this now while there is yet time, while she is yet living, to pay back to her in love and tenderness some of the debt you owe her. You can never pay it all.



THE INEVITABLE.

Magistrate—You say the man died a natural death?

Witness—Yes, your worship.

Magistrate—But I thought he was shot?

Witness—So he was, but he was practising on the trombone at the time.—Ideas.

HOUSEHOLD

Tested Recipes.

Oatmeal Snaps—Bring to a boil one-half cup of molasses and one-third cup of butter. Add one and one-half cups of rolled oats, one-third cup of flour, two-thirds cup of sugar, and one teaspoon of vanilla. Drop on buttered tins three inches apart and bake in a slow oven. Let cool slightly before removing from the pan.

Hard Egg Sauce.—One-half cup butter, one egg, two cups powdered or confectioners' sugar, one-half teaspoon vanilla, one-quarter teaspoon lemon extract. Beat butter to a cream. Gradually work in the sugar, adding it alternately with the egg, which should be slightly beaten, the flavoring should be added slowly, as otherwise it is liable to curdle the sauce.

Snow Pudding—To one cup of water add one-half of sugar and bring to a boil. Add the juice of a lemon, one rounding tablespoon of gelatin dissolved in cold water and remove from the fire. When cold, fold in the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs and set on ice to harden. Serve with a thin boiled custard made of the yolks of the eggs.

Spaghetti Italienne—Cook half a package of spaghetti in rapidly boiling water until tender. Boil together one cup of strained tomato, one sliced onion, two teaspoons of butter, one-half teaspoon of salt, one chopped green pepper and one-half tablespoon of cornstarch dissolved in cold water. Cook till thick. Drain the spaghetti, pour the sauce over and serve very hot with grated cheese.

Old Fashioned Gingerbread — Two-thirds of a teacupful of butter, two-thirds of a teacupful of sugar, two-thirds of a teacupful of molasses, two-thirds of a teacupful of sour milk, three teacupfuls of flour, one teacupful of chopped raisins (if liked), two eggs, one tablespoonful of ground ginger, a quarter teaspoonful of cinnamon, one full teaspoonful of soda dissolved in half teacupful of cold water. Stir in the soda last. A slow fire and close watching secure a good cake.

Fig Pudding—Chop fine ½ pound of figs, add one cup of soft bread crumbs, three tablespoons of sugar, two tablespoons of melted butter, one cup of milk, two well-beaten eggs and a little salt. Mix well, pour into a greased mold and steam one hour. Serve with the following sauce: Cream one-half cup of butter with one cup of brown sugar, add four tablespoons of cream and one teaspoon of vanilla. Heat slightly and beat hard before serving.

Devil's Food.—Half a cup each of sweet milk and of granulated sugar, two squares of chocolate. Boil these until they are thick and smooth, and set aside to cool while you prepare the batter. One cup of granulated sugar, half a cup of butter, and the same quantity of sour milk in which dissolve a scant teaspoonful of soda, two eggs (saving the white of one for frosting) two cups of sifted flour and a teaspoonful of vanilla. After mixing all the rest of the ingredients, beat in the chocolate mixture last of all. Put the layers together with boiled icing. A fine cake and economical.

Iceland Moss Jelly.—Allow for a quart of jelly about a cupful of dry moss, and wash it in five waters after it is measured. Be faithful in this cleansing to get rid of sand and salty particles. Have ready a quart of boiling water, the juice of two lemons, and a cupful of granulated sugar (scant). Flavor with a pinch of cinnamon and a glass of sherry. Soak the washed moss in enough water to cover it well and leave it there for an hour. Have the boiling water upon the range and stir the soaked moss into it with the sugar. Simmer until the moss is dissolved and the mixture is clear. Take from the fire, stir in the lemon and spice, lastly the wine, and pour into molds wet with cold water. For a fever patient you may substitute cider for the wine. Let the jelly get ice cold and eat with cream. This is excellent for one suffering with a cold or cough, and is very nourishing. If you omit the wine and cider, flavor with vanilla or bitter almond.

Useful Hints.

Scour kitchen boards and tables with a paste made of one-half pound soft soap and one-quarter pound lime. Use as you would soap and wash the wood with plenty of water.

A cutlery holder of strong denim, with pockets stitched into it to hold the various sized forks and knives, is a handy thing to tack above the kitchen table.

A warm quilt for winter is made of a pair of bordered cotton blankets with cotton put in as for any other quilt. Tie with wool the same as the border.

Housekeepers in hotels and other places where there are large quantities of linen to darn are apt to do them by machine, simply stitching back and forth.

After washing quilts and comforters, and while they are still on the line, but nearly dry, beat them with a carpet beater and they will be wonderfully light.

A good lemon flavoring is made by grating the yellow part of the rind on enough granulated sugar to absorb the oil. Mix thoroughly and put in a light bottle.

A child's "stocking cap" will make a good muffler when past its cap usefulness. Simply cut off the tassel end and crochet an edge all around in wool to match.

Fawn colored suede gloves can be cleaned with a mixture of fuller's earth and alum. Then brush off the powder. The gloves should be on the hands when cleaned.

Every householder should have plenty of dust sheets for cleaning days. Sometimes old sheets can be utilized in this way. New dust sheets are best made of cheap calico.

To take iodine stains out of clothing, rub them with liquid ammonia and rinse well before washing. Another method is to wash with alcohol and rinse with soapsuds and then clear water.

Soap and soda soften the bristles of a brush and turn an ivory back yellow; a tablespoon of ammonia in a quart of warm water is sufficiently cleansing.

When the hemstitching on bed linen breaks apart, cover it with a row of feather-stitched braid, neatly stitched on at each side.

When children's shoes are wet dry them and apply a little glycerine with a bit of absorbent cotton. They will be quite soft in the morning.

When it is hard to get the bread to rise in cold weather, put a hot-water bag filled with hot water on top of the carefully covered bread pan.

Soups and stews should be planned at least a day before they are wanted, and the soups should not be thickened till just before they are used.

DO DRINK WATER AT MEALS.

Many Benefits Doctors Say to Be Derived From Habit.

The long accepted tradition that the drinking freely of water at meals by diluting the gastric juice retards digestion is at last passing. In the last five years many experiments and careful observations on human beings have shown that the taking of considerable quantities of water with food causes a marked increase both in the quantity and the digestive strength of the gastric juice. Not only that, but fasting can be borne longer with less loss of weight and strength when an abundance of water is allowed, thus indicating that water promotes economical nutrition—a consummation which surely is devoutly to be wished in these days of high prices.

The Journal of the American Medical Association has previously called attention to these recent observations and reviews the subject once more in its current number. Every phase of the subject has been studied. Not only stomach secretions but other digestive ferments, those of the pancreas and of the intestinal glands, were also stimulated by water in considerable amounts.

It was noted that very cold water acted to inhibit digestion. The digestive process does not begin until the contents of the stomach have been brought up to the body temperature, otherwise water drinking with meals, unless there is some pathological condition of the stomach, as dilation, which contra-indicates it, always does good instead of harm, in spite of the age-long tradition to the contrary.

AERIAL LUXURIES.

Some of Those Found on a Zeppelin Dirigible.

A writer in the World's Work, describing the German air service, says that a Zeppelin airship leaves the earth with none of the balloon's soaring motion. It is just like a Pullman train, started without perceptible jar and kept in motion upon a perfect roadbed, perfect track and perfect wheels. At luncheon time individual tables are placed in position, and luncheon is served much as it is in the ordinary buffet dining car in America. There is soup, an entree, a roast—all piping hot—vegetables, salad, cheese and coffee. More of a dinner than luncheon, and all served as though the chef and waiters had the conveniences of a great hotel at their command. The principles of the fireless cooker have been brought into service in preparing the food, the exhaust from the engines being made to supply heat.

The comforts are all those of a very modern hotel. The cabin is kept at an unvarying comfortable temperature by means of pipes that carry the exhaust heat from the engines. There is more room for action than in an ordinary chair car. In the lavatories are hot and cold water. There is a library with the daily papers and the best of books. There is a lounge for those who are willing to sleep away the hours of flight.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

INTERNATIONAL LESSON, JANUARY 12.

Lesson II.—Man the Crown of Creation. Gen. 1. 26, 27; 2. 4-25. Golden Text, Gen. 1. 27.

GEN. 1. 26, 27.

The selection of printed verses forming the basis for this lesson is intended to set clearly before the students the ultimate purpose which the combined creation narratives of Genesis were to serve. That purpose was none other than to impress the reader with the fact that God is the creator of all things, visible and invisible, and that man, made in the image and after the likeness of God, is the superlative and crowning work of the divine creation. Our lesson, therefore, reaches back to that portion of the preceding chapter in which man's preeminence over the other works of creation is recorded.

Verse 26. Let us make man—The plural of majesty, used also in the next phrase, in our image, and in Gen. 3. 22, "Behold, the man is become as one of us"; in 11. 7, "Come, let us go down, and there confound their language"; and in Isa. 6. 8, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?"

After our likeness—An immaterial resemblance, consisting primarily in the possession of self-conscious reason and free will. These form the ground or basis of man's preeminence over the lower animals.

GEN. 2. 7-9, 15-24.

7. The breath of life—The author has clothed in simple language his naive conception of the way in which man, as it were, becomes a fragment of the divine life.

8. A garden—The original word translated garden means literally an inclosure, and in its general application more particularly a park. It is the word from which comes our English word paradise.

Eastward—The original home of man is placed by the author in the far-distant East, in the region of the Tigris and Euphrates, the seat of the most ancient and influential civilization known to the Hebrews.

Eden—The Hebrew word means pleasure, or delight.

9. The tree of life—The tree whose fruit renders those who eat it immortal.

10-14. The four rivers referred to in these verses have been the subject of much controversy, though none of the theories advanced concerning their location and identification has yet found any large degree of acceptance. Only the fourth river, the well-known Euphrates, can be definitely identified.

15. The garden of Eden—Called in the earliest Latin translation of the Old Testament the paradise of pleasure, and in the earliest Greek translation the paradise of Eden. From these expressions has been derived our English word paradise as a name both for Eden and for the Christian heaven.

To dress it—To properly care for the plants and trees, and to keep or guard the garden.

16, 17. Jehovah God commanded the man, saying . . . . thou shalt surely die—"Man is not designed solely to till and keep the garden. There are dormant in him capacities of moral and religious attainment, which must be exercised, developed and tested. A command is therefore laid upon him, adapted to draw out his character, and to form a standard by which it may be tested. It is a short and simple command, unaccompanied even by a reason; but it is sufficient for the purpose; man's full knowledge of what he must do or not do can be attained only as the result of a long moral and spiritual development, it cannot exist at the beginning. And the command relates to something to be avoided: the acknowledgment of a limintation, imposed upon his creaturely freedom by his Creator and Lord, must be for man the starting point of everything else."—Dillman.

18. A help meet for him—Or, answering to him. One who may in various ways assist him, while at the same time proving a companion capable of sharing his thought and communicating with him on terms of intellectual equality. The essentially social character of man's nature required such companionship for its proper highest development.

19. Whatsoever the man called every living creature, that was the name thereof—Man would comment on each according to the impression received of its nature, and the epithet or phrase which he chanced to apply to each would be its name. Only one example is given, that of his naming woman.

21. A deep sleep—In Hebrew a single word signifying trance or supernatural slumber.

22. And the rib . . . made he a woman—Heb., builded he into a woman. The author sets forth the moral and social relation of the sexes to each other in the form of a beautiful and impressive allegory, emphasizing at once the natural basis for the attachment existing between them and for the mutual regard which each should have for the other.

23. Called Woman, because she was taken out of man—The English fortunately reproduces the Hebrew play on words, the Hebrew for man being Ish and for woman Ishah. Such popular etymologies form one characteristic of this earliest record.

24. One flesh—The institution of monogamic marriage is explained by the writer as the direct consequence of a relation established by the Creator. This verse is quoted by Jesus as an argument against divorce for trifling reasons (Matt. 19. 5; Mark 10. 7), while the apostle Paul cites it in an exhortation against unchasity (1 Cor. 6. 16) and as illustrating the relation of the church to Christ, its head (Eph. 5. 31).

SHORTHAND HAS HISTORY.

Says Shakespeare's Plays Were First Written In It.

During the reign of Queen Elizabeth, writes A. T. Dolling in the Strand Magazine, there was a sudden revival of interest in shorthand in England. Dr. Timothy Bright published his system, the first English one, in 1588, and was followed in 1590 by Peter Bales. In 1602 came John Willis, who was the first to devise a method on alphabetical lines, a method crude indeed when compared with modern standards, but nevertheless the forerunner of all our modern systems.

Scholars are in doubt whether it was the system of Bright or Willis which was used for taking down Shakespeare's plays. For, little as we pause to reflect upon it, Shakespeare's plays were nearly all first taken down in shorthand, and it is from the reporter's transcripts that the plays were, for the most part, printed in the poet's lifetime. It is this fact that accounts for the odd variants in the text.

As all the world knows, the inimitable Samuel Pepys wrote his diary in shorthand, and by the same means took down, in 1680, Charles II.'s own account of the battle of Worcester. Previous to this the debates in the House of Commons at the time of the arrest of the five members by Charles I. were said to have been taken down verbatim by one John Rushworth.

TELL CHILDREN DANGERS.

Should Be Taught Best Way in Which to Cross Street.

The education of children in the best manner in which to cross a street was recommended by Mr. Ingleby Oddie, the Battersea coroner, at an inquest held upon a schoolboy who had been killed by a motor omnibus. The coroner said that the case was one of those inevitable accidents which would happen so long as children played about the streets. There was a great outcry against motor omnibus drivers, but in his experience he found that they drove very carefully, and he also found that very often the blame was really on the shoulders of the person killed.

It would not do in these days to cross a street without looking. The only way in which to avoid accidents was for parents and school teachers to instil into the minds of the children the dangers of the streets of London. It was a matter of education. They must be educated to understand how to cross a street. Parents could not be too careful to warn their children of the danger.

Ape Trained to Work.

The Gaulois of Paris, France, asserts that a farmer in the neighborhood of Paris employs on his farm an ape brought from Central Africa by his son, a non-commissioned officer in the French colonial army. The ape works in the cowsheds, looking after the cows and milking them, as if it had never done anything else in its life. This recalls a saying among the Africans, adds the Gaulois, that monkeys could speak if they wished, but that they do not wish as they are afraid of being made to work.

NO SUFFRAGISTS FOR INDIA.

Indignant Native Asks: "What the Womans Care for St. Paul?"

Our Hindu brothers do not like the suffrage movement, if we may accept as representative a letter from Mr. Narayan S. Bhosie that appears in the Times of India. The letter is too long to quote in full, but here is a sample:

"I tell you truly, Mr. Editor, if Suffragists allowed in House of Parliament they make the world topside down. First of all they make Mrs. Pankhurst Viceroy of India and Mrs. Pethick Governor of Bombay. I know you are laughing, Mr. Editor, because I say this, but all woman's is like that and do more foolish things.

"Your St. Paul is very clever fellow. He knows all the foolish things of the womans. He says very strongly womans must shut the mouth. No talking about business or anything. Everything must ask to the husbands and he will tell you. Shame, shame for womans to talk.

"But what the womans care for St. Paul. He is a poor fellow and not passing M.A. and B.A. like them and their husbands: perhaps only passing fourth or fifth standard. So they become proud and fight to go in the House of Parliament."

We have already discovered that it is no earthly use to quote the Scripture. We have tried it. Lovely woman does not read the Bible nowadays. Moreover, "what the woman's care for St. Paul?"

TEACUP HABIT EXPANDS.

Should Be Corresponding Enlargement in Producing Area.

The teacup habit seems to be growing everywhere. The world's tea consumption has been estimated at about 700,000,000 pounds, and in order to keep pace with the increasing demand one authority writing in the Times considers that at least 20,000 acres, yielding ten or twelve million pounds, ought to be added annually to the producing area.

Tea consumption in Great Britain increased during 1911 by over 13,000,000 pounds. The per capita consumption was 6.53 pounds during the year.

On the Continent of Europe the habit of drinking tea is gaining ground, in some parts rapidly, in others more slowly.

In Belgium since the abolition of the duty in 1897 consumption has advanced about 70 per cent.

Holland consumes more tea per head than any European country except the United Kingdom and Russia. Denmark comes next to Holland. The Irish, it seems from the report, are wiser than people in Great Britain, for they buy better tea, which gives more liquid and of finer quality.

STRICT CURB ON SALOONS.

Birmingham, England, Magistrates Approve Drastic Proposals.

Further drastic proposals with reference to licensing have been approved by the Birmingham (England) magistrates.

Recently they decided that women and persons under sixteen should not be served with drink before noon, and also that the opening hour of licensed premises be altered from 6 to 8.30 a.m.

It was resolved that the hours of opening Sundays should be between noon and 1.30 and 8 and 9.30 p.m., and, further, that the basis of the license duty should be the quantity of intoxicating liquor sold.

Another resolution was in favor of the abolition of grocers' licenses and the prohibition of the sale of beer in flagons.

A recommendation that clubs should be on the same footing as licensed premises as to police supervision and as to the hours during which intoxicating liquors may be supplied also was carried.

Once a fisherman, not always a liar.

Some people find pleasure but a stepping stone to misery.

A cheerful man can always get attention when he has a tale of woe to tell.



TAKING NO CHANCES.

Doctor—"Yes, I shall have to restrict your diet even more."
Dissatisfied Patient—"Look here, Doctor, I'm not going to starve to death just for the sake of living a little longer!"

NEWS FROM SUNSET COAST

WHAT THE WESTERN PEOPLE ARE DOING.

Progress of the Great West Told In a Few Pointed Paragraphs.

Real estate is lively in Elko.

North Vancouver wants to alter its name.

Vacant houses are scare in Revelstoke.

Local oats are $30 a ton in Vernon and hay $28.

Port Alberni has thirty laborers on the city payroll.

The pool rooms are open in Prince Rupert on Sundays.

A home-grown turkey was recently shipped from Skagway to St. Paul.

The C.P.R. will extend its line from Vernon to Penticton via Kelowna.

Last week four car loads of apples were shipped from Keremeos to Winnipeg.

There are six coal mines around Lethbridge and the payroll is $5,500 a day.

Next year the C.P.R will re-steel their line between Spence's bridge and Nicola.

Con Whelan shot a wild goose at Waldo that measured six feet from tip to tip.

Next year 1,500 Boer farmers from South Africa will settle in the Peace River country.

There are 7,200 men and eight steam shovels working on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway.

W. R. Stevens recently shipped twenty-six car loads of apples from Meyers Falls to Butte, Mont.

At Violin Lake, six men are busy getting out 5,000,000 feet of logs for the Annable Mill Company.

It costs six cents a pound to freight goods from Quesnel to South Fort George, a little over 100 miles

The U. S. mine in the Jackson basin, Slocan district, is shipping 1,000 sacks of zinc ore to Joplin, Mo.

Next year the Tete Jaune Cache reserve will be thrown open for preemption. It contains 633,000 acres.

It is reported from present indications this winter will be the quietest that Barkerville has ever known.

Lots in Lillooet are reported to be selling from $600 to $1,000 each. The coming of the railway is making that old town sit up and reach for the greenbacks.

Modesta, a very old Indian woman in the north half of the Colville reservation, died last week from tuberculosis. With her husband, she had lived near Rossbery for ninety years.

There are twenty-eight four-horse teams freighting supplies from Lytton to Lillooet for the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, for which Foley, Welsh and Stewart have the contract.

A big cement plant has been put in at Edmonton that will turn out 1,300 barrels of cement daily. It took over 300 cars to bring in the material and machinery for the plant, which cost $650,000.

James Boudin, the poultry man, of Penticton, has gone to Belgium to buy a carload of silver and golden Campines. He considers them the greatest layers of eggs in the world. He will return with the birds in January.

Albert Forsland is the oldest navigator on the Arrow lakes. He was mate on the Lytton in the early days when this boat ran up the Columbia from Revelstoke, and there was not a house between that town and Sproat's Landing.

MODERN HARMLESS BULLETS.

Rapid Recovery of Wounded Soldiers in Balkan War.

From this country there have gone to Bulgaria, to Montenegro and to Servia fifty surgeons who are in charge of about 2,000 beds, writes the Vienna correspondent of the London Lancet.

One of them, Dr. Fedlicka, states that he has had an opportunity of observing 670 cases of severe wounds in Servian soldiers, and expresses his surprise at the rapidity of healing and aseptic conditions of even the most dangerous injuries.

Men shot through the body by bullets, which penetrated the liver, the lung, the spleen and the intestines, recovered after a fortnight or so without much evidence of ultimate harm.

The modern bullet is rendered aseptic by the enormous heat of the burning powder and it hardly ever shatters long bones, so that there were very few amputations—and only twenty instances in which plaster of paris bandages were necessary.

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But while the stuff is going round,
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PHOTOGRAPHER

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SUPERB ENTERTTAINMENT.

Fully 100 young people will be in the cast when St. James' Church Sunday School Present "The Merry Travellers," at the Music Hall to-morrow and Saturday nights. Miss Anderson, of New York, has them well drilled, and it will be a great treat to see the youngsters in their various funny characters. The following is the cast:—

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Mrs. Traveler.....Jane Dillen
Mr. Traveler.....Arthur Riddell
Grace Traveler.....Hazel Beckstead
Gladys Buyer.....Gladys Nash
Hess Sisters.....Isabel Eager, Edna Anderson
Arlington Sisters.....C. Harrison, Mary Dillen
Stella Moore.....Alice Harrison
May Parker.....Lou Myers
Billy Landon.....Mr. Jones
Frank Malcolm.....Mr. R. Strike
Jack Brewster.....Mr. Harry Moore
Ned Walters.....Mr. John Casselman
Nanette.....Amy Banks
Hezekiah Seeds.....Mr. George Dardis
Samanthia Seeds.....Annie Hummell
Cousin Moses.....J. Jones
Miss Bachelor.....Gladys Sherman
Bell Boys.....Jack Anderson, D. Cassel
Clerk.....Arnold Myers

MUSICAL SPECIALTIES

ACT. I

"Tattle Tale".....Teddy Crawley and Chorus of 25
"College Chorus".....Mr. Jack Jones and Choir
"Ogalalla".....Eva Cassel, Della Coir and Chorus [of Indians
"Newsboys".....Spencer Eager and Chorus
"Long Lane".....Miss Hilda Summers, Mr. Jones [and Chorus

ACT II

"Dat's My Gal".....Mr. Riddell and Chorus
"Mlle. Modiste".....Mr. Gormely
"Havana".....Malcolm Weegar
"Certain Little Boy".....Miss Sadie Bouck and [Ensemble

ACT III

"Garden of Love".....Dr. Davy and Maids
"I'm Looking For a Man".....Gladys Sherman
"Wal I Swan"..Annie Hummell, Gladys Sherman, [Mr. Jones, Mr. Dardis
"Open Your Eyes".....Ensemble

HONOR ROLLS

(Morrisburg Public School for Month of December.)

Room A.

Sen. 4th—Denzel Nash 71, May Vipond 70, Marguerite Wood 66, Mildred Helmer 65, Winnifred Murphy 64, Geraldine Murphy 63, Colborne Weegar 63, Annie Barkley 62, Gertrude McCreery 62, Jack Anderson 62, Charles Summers 62, Edith Priest 61, Robert Helmer 59, Fred Nash 58, Alice Merkley 57, Jack Bradfield 57, Marjorie Plantz 56, Merle Deeks 56, Hugh Jackson 56, Frank Deeks 54, Fraser Weegar 52, Erle McMartin 50, Gladys Harper 48, Talma Vanallen, absent.

Jun. 4th—Elda Epaugh 54, Frances Potter 51, Clinton Gillard 51, Eva Ryan 50, Muriel Thom 50, Raymond Coligan 50, Verlie Barclay 48, Douglas Cassell 46, Dorothy McMartin 44, Wilfrid Coligan 43, Lulu Casselman 40, Frank Beckstead 40, Graham Casselman 38, Barney Weegar 38, May Ernault 37, Ida Dailey 30.

Chas. R. Duprau, Principal.

Room B.

4th—Marian Hilliard 79, Kathleen Ernault 79, Stuart Meikle 74, Lawrence Styles 67, Uldene Barclay 67, Emma Montroy 67, Lena Burrette 66, Clara Weegar 66, George Myers 64, Willie Moyles 62, Edward Stitt 61, Douglas Stitt 61, Eunice Weegar 61, Helen Duprau 59, Millicent McMartin 59, Annie Wallace 55, Spencer Eager 52, Myra Tracy 54, Frances Helmer 51, Morris Becksted 50.

3rd—Lucille Wallace 78, Susie Campbell 70, Wilfred Helmer 70, Della Coir 68, Willie Helmer 68, Winnie Barclay 68, Bruce Woods 67, John Casselman 65, Stella Fetterly 64, Kathleen Stitt 62, Nellie Griffiths 61, Aileen Ault 60, Harold Coligan 59, Helen Weston 56, Hotson Meikle 56, Allie Prunner 56, Frank Shoove 51, Jack Daily 48, Mary Gamble 30, Calvin Saddlemire 0.

J. Ernest Zeron, Teacher.

Room C.

Jun. 3rd—Bessie Rae, Lillian Harrison, George Tracy, Audrey Allison, George Priest, Fred Campbell, James Ernault, Winnie Daily, Hylda Nash, Eva Cassel, Lyra Duval, Isidore Perron, Leonard Ryan.

Sen. 2nd—Eddie Lapierre, Winnie Farrer, Vera Moyle, Willie Jackson, Grant Ball, Thomas Griffiths, Elsie Griffiths, Ruby Prunner, Kempfield Beckstead, Mildred Stone, Stuart Thom, Eva Barkley, Garnet Snyder, Olive VanAllen, Louise Beckstead, Eddie Mullin, Veryl Myers, Henry Moore, Keith Bowman, Arnold Jarvis.

Lera Colquhoun, Teacher.

Room D.

Jun. 2nd—Maud Farrar, Teresa Biccum, Gladys Hummel, Clair Biccum, Dora Lapierre, Mildred Meikle, Jack Ernault, Olive Connor, Bernard Coligan, Morris Styles, Rosie Priest, Willie Weegar, Hilda Thompson, Aletha Stone, Nellie Bell, Lauretta VanAllen, Leona Stata, Willie Snyder, Earl Loper, Eva Burrett, Alice Bickford, David Edwards.

Sen. 1st—Bessie Clark, Mildred Osborne, Edna Clark, Gladys Rice, John Campbell, Mary Heagle, Frank Lamble, Willie Sherman, Walter Jackson, Hazel Rice, Eddie Appleton, Eileen McEvoy, Charles Gamble.

Carrie L. Hazell, Teacher.

Room E.

Sen. 1st—Marguerite Duprau, Patricia Coligan, Madge Griffith, Dorothy Nash, Willie Appleton, Evelyn Marsh, Harrington Thom, Malcolm Weegar, Roy Weagant, Fred Helmer, Donald Brandstetter, Gerhard Weegar, William Edwards.

Jun. 1st—Frank Dailey, Edward Balfour, Mary Campbell.

Primary Division (Class2)—Cyril Farrer, Harry Meikle, Helen Merkley, Maxiline Moore.

Class 1—Sidney Jackson, Edna Beckstead, Andrew Aikman, Stewart Guay.

M. Smith, Teacher.

Room F.

Promoted from Room F. to E.—Reuben Campbell, Nellie Moyle, Mary Casselman, Fgeria Styles, Edith Armstrong, Gerald Bockus, Morley Beckstead.

Class 3—Harold Guay, Miriam Robinson, Teddy Crawley, Evelyn McIntyre, Nevada McIntyre.

Class 2—Foster McPherson, Edna Pyper, Marguerite King, Charlie Fetterly, Max McKinnon.

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Opinion Given to U. S. Senate by Attorney-General Carmody Regarding Long Sault Project—Violates State Rights—Believes the Legislature Has the Power Either to Repeal 1907 Act or to Instruct Attorney-General to Bring Action—The Montreal Star on the Part Played by Mr. J. Wesley Allison for the Defeat of the Long Sault Scheme

Albany, N.Y., Jan.—The law passed by the Legislature of 1907 and signed by Governor Hughes, granting certain rights to the Long Sault Development Company in the vicinity of Long Sault Rapids in the St. Lawrence River, near Cornwall, Ont., for power development purposes, is unconstitutional, according to an opinion sent to the Senate to-night by Attorney-General Carmody in response to a resolution adopted by the Senate on March 29, 1912, requesting him to submit his views on the constitutionality of the act.

The Attorney-General holds that the powers and privileges granted the company are in direct violation of various provisions of the State constitution, and that the Legislature exceeded its authority in making such grants. He says the law in question is private and local, and grants and exclusive privilege, that the land acquired is within the forest preserve, and for these reasons the act is unconstitutional.

A Striking Disparity

"I do not deem it within the scope o the resolution," said Mr. Carmody in conclusion, "that I should call the attention of your honorable body to the great disparity between the value of the rights and privileges undertaken to be granted to the Long Sault Development Company and the revenue therefrom reserved to the State. While that is not the least striking provision of this most remarkable grant, yet it is a question of policy and of economy, which it is competent for the Legislature to determine, and it is not, I deem it, a question upon which the Legislature desires or needs my opinion."

What the Act Conceded

The act gave the Long Sault Company the right to construct a dam on the St. Lawrence River, for which the State was to receive a certain compensation. The company, it was stated, has spent thousands of dollars, for the acquisition of property and rights, but has been unable to begin operations mainly because it failed to obtain the necessary consent from the United States and Canadian Governments.

"In view of the failure of the company to obtain these consents," Mr. Carmody says, "no legal proceedings are necessary, and it is not clear that any can be maintained in the courts to test the constitutionality of the grant. I believe, however, that the Legislature has power in this case either to repeal the act or direct the Attorney-General to bring an action to procure a judgment vacating and annulling the act of incorporation. The latter power of the Legislature can be exercised only if the Legislature reaches the conclusion that the act was procured by fraudulent suggestion or the concealment of a material fact made by or with the knowledge and consent of the persons or any of them incorporated."

Read what the Montreal Star says about Mr. J. Wesley Allison's part in the defeat of this Long Sault scheme. It is a grand tribute to our worthy townsman. On its financial page of Jan. 2nd, it says:—

"MR. J. W. ALLISON WON VICTORY FOR CANADA.

"Mr. J. Wesley Allison, who took such an active part in the opposition to the Long Sault dam scheme, in which, he was supported by leading Montreal organizations is being widely congratulated on the success which attended his opposition.

"That gentleman has advised local interests that the opinion handed down by the Attorney-General of the United States that the state powers conferred on the company are unconstitutional, are a great victory for Canada."

WINCHESTER SPRINGS.

Mrs Harvey Luther, of Calgary, is visiting her father, Mr John Shaver.

Mr Harold Fisher has returned to Cornwall to finish his course in College.

Miss Mable and Floyd Shaver has returned home after visiting friends in Lachute.

Miss Mable Shaver, of Glen Stewart, has returned home after spending a week with Miss Hazel Fisher.

Miss Olive Conhor has returned after spending her holidays with her sister, Mrs Lorne McIntosh.

Mr W. J. Fisher, our local stock-dealer made a business trip to Ogdensburg, N.Y., on Saturday.

Born—To Mr and Mrs Allen Patterson, on Sunday, Dec. 29th, 1912, a daughter.

Sorry we are about to loose two of our citizens Messrs Robt. Henderson and W. H. Connor, as they have proved themselves good citizens, but our loss will be Winchester's gain Our best wishes go with them.

CARDS OF THANKS

To the Ratepayers of the Village of Morrisburg:

Ladies and Gentlemen—Permit me to thank you for the generous support which you accorded me at the polls on Monday. A councillor for seven successive years and being but human, I have made no doubt some mistakes and some enemies, a circumstance which would be bound to tell against me in a field of new men, with no sins to answer for as yet, and especially when all of those new men were working against me, with a cry for "a new council," and other means During the past seven years of my service at the council board it has always been my endeavor to work for the best interest of the whole municipality, and you may rest assured that it shall be my aim to follow a similar course during the year 1913

Yours truly
JOHN D. DAIN

Morrisburg, Jan. 8th, 1913.

To the Electors of Morrisburg:

Ladies and Gentlemen—I take this means of thanking you for the very generous support given me at the polls last Monday.

ARTHUR FLYNN

Morrisburg, Jan. 7th, 1913.

BORN.

Hickey—At the Montreal Maternity Hospital, on Saturday, Dec. 28th, to Mr and Mrs Arthur E. Hickey, 263 St. Joseph Boulevard West, a daughter.

DIED

BEARD—On Monday, January 6, 1913, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Luna D. Hill, 7043 Hamilton avenue, Pittsburg, Pa., Luna Caroline, widow of Rev. George T. Beard, late of California State Normal School, in her 72nd year. Interment at Randolph, Vt.

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Wednesday, Jan. 22d, 1913

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