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Mr. Wm. A. McLaren Dead.

One of Perth's best known business men, Mr. Willlam A. McLaren, died at his home Friday morning after a short illness. Deceased was in his fifty-fifth year and for many years conducted a successful bakery.

Made In Canada Exhibiton Postponed.

At a meeting of the ladies who have undertaken the management of the Made in Canada Exhibition, in aid of the Cornwall General Hospital, held at the residence of Mrs. (Dr.) Hamilton, yesterday, it was decided to postpone the event until October, owing to the sickness which is prevalent in the homes of some of the principal members of the committee.

Fulton Bros. of Chesterville, are pleased to quote very interesting prices to all users of Cement. We are agents in this vicinity for Lakefield Portland Cement Co.

Accident on the C.P.R. at Burritt's Crossing

An accident occurred on the C.P.R. at Burritt's Crossing, a few miles east of Merrickville at 4.45 Monday morning.

A freight train going west ran into an open switch and ten cars were detached. All were empties except one. Engineer Birkett and Conductor Hutchings of Smith's Falls, were in charge

The morning express followed down but the line was blocked and went around by Ottawa.

The auxiliary and steel crane were taken down from Smith's Falls and the track was cleared about noon. No one was injured.

Death of Mrs. Hiram H. Stata.

After an illness of six months an old and respected resident, of near Elma, died at her home on Sunday morning, March the 15th aged 71 years. The deceased was a daughter of the late Michael O. Shaughnessy. She was a woman of genial disposition and was held in very warm regard by her many friends. The funeral took place on Tuesday morning to Williamsburg Lutheran church, of which she was a member. The Lutheran minister, Rev. J. Maurer, conducted the funeral services.

The pall-bearers were M. Tupper, T. Weaver, A. Garlough, P. Garlough, E. Barkley and I. Becker.

The deceased is survived by her husband and three children being C. H Stata, Ottawa; M. H. Stata, Massena, N. Y., and Mrs. I. E Warring, Williamsburg Ont.

The relatives have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

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Mr. and Mrs. McConnell Remembered.

On Wednesday evening, March 26th, the C.O.F., No. 246, met in open lodge and spent a very pleasant evening. The object of the gathering was to bid farewell to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McConnell, who are shortly to leave for Moose Jaw, Sask. The chair was occupied by Chief Ranger Joseph Shaver who, about nine o'clock, called the meeting to order, explained why they were assembled, then called on Mr. Frank Fraser to read the following address:

Dear Sir and Brother,—

We wish, on the occasion of your severing your connection with our Court as financial secretary, to show our appreciation of the very efficient way in which you have performed the duties of that office for so long a term.

When we consider the fact that with from 50 to 60 of a membership, there has not been one suspension for non-payment of dues in all the time you have held the office, and this with practically no funds available, it is plain that this could not have been the case without great sacrifice on your part.

Therefore as a token of our personal esteem, and in appreciation of your exeellent services, we beg of you to accept this walking stick, and we sincerely hope you may be long spared to use it.

We also extend to you and Mrs. McConnell our best wishes, and trust that your highest expectations will be realized in your new home.

Signed on behalf of the Court.

Jos. C. Shaver, C. R. Roy Fetterly, R. S.

Mr. Bouck then presented a beautiful gold headed cane. Mr. McConnell then in a few words, thanked the court for their kindness in remembering him, and assured the Foresters of Morewood that Mrs. McConnell and he would ever retain pleasant memories of the many friends they would leave behind.

Short addresses were also made by Rev. Messrs. Hagar, Stewart, and M. E. Hunter.

Supper was then served to about 35 couple at the Temperance House, after which the gathering broke up about 11 p.m.

Mrs. Turner Acquitted.

Toronto, March 21.—The jury in the sessions, who after, over five hours discussion without being able to agr ee on a verdict in the case of Mrs. Minnie Turner, charged with performing an illegal operation upon Rose Winters in August last, were locked up for the night, returned a verdict of "Not Guilty' this morning. Mrs. Turner thereupon was sent back to jail to await trial at the next assizes on a charge of murder.

Sent Down for Trial.

Curt Hayes of this place was brought before Justices of the Peace J. Clement Wm. Rae and Hugh Kearns, one day last week, charged with the offence of stealing a bag of flour from the bakery of Mr. Eugene McMillan. After hearing the evidence he was committed to Cornwall to stand his trial.

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Three Years for Phil Low.

The Finch fire bug, Phil Low, who confessed on Wednesday to Reeve McNaughton of Finch, that he had been guilty of two charges of arson in connection with the almost total destruction of the village of Finch last summer, enterred a plea of "guilty" to two charges of arson before County Judge O'Reilly.

He was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary on each charge, the penalties to run concurrently.

A Men's Social.

The 20th anniversary of the opening of the Presbyterian church in Chesterville will be observed on Sabbath the 5th of April. Special services will be held morning and evening.

On Monday evening a men's social will be held. All the arrangements are in the hands of the men of the congregation.

Prof. Wright the skilled violinist will take part in the programme.

A double male quartette will render some numbers. The local clergy and those in the neighborhood will deliver addresses.

An excellent program will be gi ven.

Don't forget the date.

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Dear Editor—Will you please thank through the columns of the RECORD the people of Chesterville and vicinity for the liberal assistance they so willingly rendered me during the "Herald Contest."

I heartily appreciated the warm welcome I received in Chesterville,

Very Sincerely,
E. May Merkley.

Died at Grantley.

On Sunday, March 15th, Harry M. McEwen, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McEwen of Grantley, died of pneumonia, after an illness of six days. He was twelve years, one month and ten days old. He leaves his father, mother and three sisters, Mrs. Alex. Taylor, Grantley; Mrs. Samuel Young, Saskatoon, and Miss Annabel at home.

The funeral was held on Tuesday at 2 p.m., after which the remains were placed in the vault.

The pall bearers were Heber McMillan, James Myers, Mason Robinson, Roy Elliott, Milton Carr and Herman Hesson.

The bereaved family have the sympathy of the whole community.

The Early Closing By-law commences on April 1st, when all stores will close at 6 p.m., on Monday Wednesday and Friday; other nights at 9.30, Saturday excepted.

BORN.

SCOTT—In Winchester, on March 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Scott, a daughter.

HELMER—In Winchester, on March 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. Karl Helmer, a son.

MARRIED.

SUTTON—YORK—At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. York, Kenmore, Ont., on February 26th 1908, their eldest daughter, Eva A, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony by the Rev. J. M. Tredrea, to Mr. Wm. H. Sutton of Winchester Ont.

TURNEY—CRAIG—In the Methodist Church, Russell, Ont, on March 18, by the Rev. J. M. Treadrea, George F. Turney, of Trenton, Ont., to Minnie, only daughter of Mr. Johnson Craig of the Village of Russell.

DIED.

SHAVER—In Matilda township, on March 5th, 1908, James A. Shaver, aged 80 years.

In Memoriam.

In memory of Adam McQueen of Berwick, who died March 21st, 1907.

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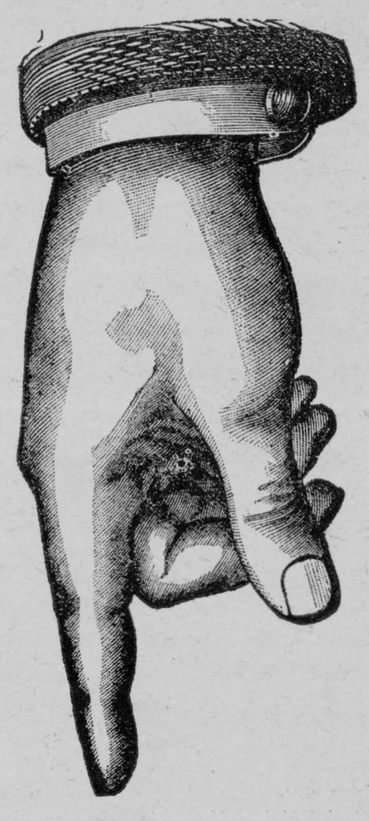
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POINTS FROM THE BUDGET

Hon. W. S. Fielding Says It Is Time for Caution and Courage.

The decrease in the net debt amounted to $3,371,117.

The cost of the Transcontinental to date has been $8,163,878.

Actual cash surplus of $16,427,167 reported for nine months.

Tariff is not perfect, but it is too soon yet to make any changes.

The revenue for the closing fiscal year is estimated at $96,500,000.

We are just emerging from a period of world-wide financial stringency.

Owing to change in system the fiscal period this time covered only nine months.

A reduction in the debt has been made only in six years since Confederation.

Imports have increased nearly $45,600,000, and exports decreased about $5,000,000.

On the part of the Government it is a time for caution and yet a time for courage.

There are alterations in the excise duties on tobacco, but not for purposes of revenue.

In 1891 the net debt per head of population was $49.09; in 1897, $50.87; in 1908, $42.84.

We must not fail to push forward the great enterprise of the Transcontinental Railway.

For the present year the revenue is estimated at $90,000,000 and the expenditure at $12,000,000.

The Post-Office Department showed a revenue of $5,061,728, and expenditure of $3,979,557, a surplus of $1,082,171.

Rates of interest of 6 and 7 per cent. to be paid on the $10,000,000 advanced for moving the western crops last year.

The total exports for eleven months of 1906 were $266,876,601. For the corresponding months of the present year they were $261,434,521.

The total imports for eleven months of 1906 were $308,764,306; for the corresponding period of the present year they were $341,175,095.

The Intercolonial Railway revenue was $6,284,251, showing a surplus of $218,079. On the P. E. I. Railway there is a deficit of $67,713.

Mr. Fielding thought the House was content with a budget speech not so long as formerly, and therefore occupied only an hour and a half.

Need for greater elasticity in the currency laws by extending the powers of the bank with respect to the issue of their currency at crop movement periods.

He estimated that the revenue would amount to $96,500,000, and the amount chargeable to consolidated fund to $77,500,000. If these expectations were realized the year would close with a surplus of $19,000,000, a larger surplus than in any previous year.

LEADING MARKETS

BREADSTUFFS.

Toronto, March 24.—Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.21; No. 2 northern, $1.18; feed wheat, 67½c; No. 2 feed, 61½c.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 white, 93c outside; No. 3 red, 92½c; No. 2 mixed, 91½c; goose, 90c to 91c.

Corn—Firm; No. 3 yellow American, 72c to 73c, Toronto freights; No. 3 mixed, 1c less.

Barley—No. 2, from 60c to 70c, according to quality.

Peas—No. 2, 86c outside.

Rye—No. 2, 86c.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 67c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 50c outside, 52½c on track Toronto; No. 2 mixed, 48c outside

Flour — Manitoba patents, special brands, $6; seconds, $5.40; strong bakers', $5.30; winter wheat patents, $3.50.

Bran—Full cars, $25 to $26, bags included, outside.

Shorts—Scarce, $23 to $24.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Poultry—Very quiet.

Young turkeys, extra choice	15c to 17c
Young geese	9c to 11c
Young ducks	9c to 11c
Chickens, choice	13c to 14c
Old fowl	8c to 10c
Inferior chicks and fowls	5c to 7c

Butter—Receipts are improving.

Creamery, prints	31c to 32c
do solids	30c to 31c
Dairy prints	25c to 27c
do large rolls	24c to 25c
do solids	23c to 24c
Inferior	20c to 21c

Eggs—New-laid 21c to 22c; limed, 19c to 20c.

Honey—Strained steady at 11c to 12c per pound for 60-pound pails and 12c to 13c for 5 to 10-pound pails. Combs at $1.75 to $2.50 per dozen.

Cheese—13½c to 14c for large and 14c to 14¼c for twins, in job lots here.

Beans—$1.70 to $1.75 for primes and $1.80 to $1.85 for hand-picked.

Baled Straw—$9 to $10 per ton on track here.

Baled Hay—Timothy is quoted at $16 to $17 in car lots on track here.

Potatoes—Ontario, 90c to 95c; Delaware, 95c in car lots on track here.

PROVISIONS.

Pork—Short cut, $21 to $21.50 per barrel; mess, $17.50 to $18.

Lard—Tierces, 11¼c; tubs, 11½c; pails, 11¾c.

Smoked and Dry Salted Meats—Long clear bacon, 9¾c to 10c for tons and cases; hams, medium and light, 12½c to 13c; hams, large, 11½c to 12c; backs, 10c to 16½c; shoulders, 9½c to 9½c; rolls, 9½c to 10c; breakfast bacon, 14c to 15c; green meats out of pickle, 1c less than smoked.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Montreal, March 24.—The flour market is fairly active. Choice spring wheat patents, $6.10; seconds, $5.50 to $5.60; winter wheat patents, $5.30; straight rollers, $4.75 to $5; do., in bags, $2.25 to $2.35; extra, $1.89 to $1.90.

An active demand prevails for cheese on the local market. September westerns are selling at 13c for white and 13½c for colored. September easterns, 13¾c for white and 13½c for colored. There is a strong demand for butter. Grass goods are selling at 30c to 35c, current receipts at 28c to 29c. There is a little firmer tone to the local egg market. Canadian fresh are selling at 25c to 26c, American fresh at 23½c to 24c.

Provisions—Barrels short cut mess,, $21; half-barrels, $10.75; clear fat back, $22 to $23; long cut heavy mess, $20; half-barrels do., $10.50; dry salt long clear backs, 10½c; barrels plate beef, $13.50 to $15; half-barrels do., $7.25 to $7.75; barrels heavy mess beef, $10 to $11; half-barrels do., $5.50 to $6; compound lard, 8¾c to 9c; pure lard, 11¼c to 11¾c; kettle rendered, 11½c to 12c; hams, 12c to 13½c, according to size; breakfast bacon, 14c to 15c; Windsor bacon, 14½c to 15½c; fresh killed abattoir dressed hogs, $8 to $8.25; live, $5.80 to $6.

Manitoba bran, $23 to $24.50; shorts, $25; Ontario bran, $24.50 to $25; middlings, $26 to $27; shorts, $25.50 to $26 per ton, including bags; pure grass mouille, $34 to $35, and milled grades, $25 to $29.

Rolled oats, $2.75; corn, $1.60 to $1.70 per bag.

BUFFALO MARKET.

Buffalo, March 24.—Wheat closed:—Spring firm; No. 1 northern, $1.09¼; No. 2 red, 99c; Winter steady. Corn—Higher; No. 2 yellow, 71c. Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 58½c; No. 2 mixed, 55c. Barley—92c to $1.03. Rye—No. 1 on track, 90c.

NEW YORK WHEAT MARKET.

New York, March 24.—Spot steady; No. 2 red, $1.01¼ elevator; No. 2 red, $1.02¾ f.o.b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.14⅝ f.o.b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.12⅝ f.o.b. afloat.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Toronto, March 24.—A few good exporters were offered, some of which brought as high as $5.25, and a few loads of heavy bulls sold at $3.80 to $4.25.

The best butchers' cattle all sold off first, as the demand for them was keenest. The proportion of cows was about as usual and good ones were in fair demand, selling at $3.60 to $4.10. Common and medium ranged from $2 to $3.40.

A small number of stockers was readily taken up at prices from $3 to $3.60.

Calves sold at $3 to $6.50, and the average price paid was about $7 per calf.

Sheep and lambs were not offered in large quantities. Bucks and culls sold a little higher to-day, owing to the limited offerings. A few spring lambs were on the market, selling at from $4 to $7 each, according to size and quality.

Hog prices are unchanged, and the market is quiet. Choice are worth $5.40 and heavies $5.15.

SHOT DEAD BY BEDSIDE.

Midnight Tragedy at the Foot of John Street, Toronto.

A despatch from Toronto says. A drunken brawl among a colony of foreigners engaged on the construction of the new water works tunnel led to the murder of "Joe" Milovitch, a newly-arrived immigrant from Slavonia, shortly before 11 o'clock on Monday night. The murder occurred in one of the little wooden shanties put up for the accommodation of the workmen on the tunnel, just across the John Street bridge and in the vicinity of the main pumping station. Milovitch had arrived in the city only on Monday, accompanied by three other immigrants and the wife of a compatriot, called "Pete" Mistisen. The party was assigned to the cabin where the newcomer met his death, and according to the stories of his companions, deceased was killed as the result of a drunken brawl in which he had taken no part. "Pete" Mistisch and his wife told the police that "Joe" was sleeping in the bed, while they were seated by the stove drinking coffee, the one room serving apparently for kitchen, dining-room and bedroom. They heard the shots and Joe went to the door leading into another room, through which was the only entrance from outside, to investigate. He had no more than looked out than he staggered back with his hand clasped to his side, and fell over on the bed he had just left, stone dead with a bullet through his heart. The shot entered his left side and passed directly through his body, coming out in his right hand. He was a big, strapping fellow of a pronounced Slavonic type.

JUDGE MABEE TO BE CHAIRMAN.

Will be New Head of the Board of Railway Commissioners.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Mr. Justice Mabee is to be the new chairman of the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada. He came here on Saturday to attend the weekly High Court, was again urged by the Minister of Railways to accept the office of Chief Commissioner, and finally consented. The order-in-Council consummating the arrangement will be passed by the Cabinet this week. Judge Mabee refused the position a week ago for the reason principally that by leaving the bench he would forfeit his right to a pension after so many years' service, which as a judge he would be entitled to. Assurances have now been given him that the judicial pension system will be made applicable to any member of the bench retiring therefrom to accept a position on the Railway Commission as was done in Judge Killam's case. Judge Mabee's appointment will be for ten years at the annual salary of $10,000. The selection of the new Chief Commissioner is conceded by legal members of the House of both political parties to be an admirable one.

NEW WINNIPEG STATION.

Two Million Dollar Structure to be Erected.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: The plans for the new union station of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway and the Canadian Northern Railway arrived here on Saturday, and tenders for the construction of the building will be called for at once. The new station will face Main street, opposite Broadway, and will be known as the Fort Garry Station. On the whole the building will be of massive appearance, having a frontage of 358 feet by 140 feet in depth. The structure will be built four stories above the basement, with a large dome in the centre, which will reach a hundred feet above the building proper. The work in connection with the station and terminals will cost in the neighborhood of $2,000,000.

CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.

Clothing Caught From Bonfire — Mrs. Carron Seriously Burned.

A despatch from Chatham says: Cecilia, the four-year-old daughter of Mederic Carron, concession 4, Dover, died on Sunday after great suffering owing to an accident. On Friday the little girl was playing by a bonfire in the yard, when her dress caught fire. Mrs. Carron ran to her assistance, and after strenuous efforts put the flames out, but the child died, and the mother herself was seriously burned, and her recovery is only hoped for.

INSPECTOR STRICKLAND DEAD.

Was Well Known Member of North-West Mounted Police.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Col. Fred White, Comptroller of the Royal North-West Mounted Police, received a telegram on Saturday announcing the death at Fort Saskatchewan of Inspector Strickland, for many years a capable officer of the force.

Mrs. Bastedo of Hamilton was fined twenty dollars for throwing hot water on a baliff who came to seize her goods.

The liquidator of the Mutual Reserve Insurance Company warns Canadian policyholders to pay all premiums to him in trust.

CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS

HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE.

Telegraph Briefs From Our Own and Other Countries of Recent Events.

CANADA.

Ald. John Gaskin of Kingston is dead.

Brantford's tax rate is 21½ mills on the dollar.

Prince Fushimi's visit to Canada cost the Dominion $37,000.

The Government is expected to impose a duty on repairs to ships in the interest of Canadian shipbuilders.

A steel bridge to cost $11,000 will replace the Guest bridge near London, which was washed out.

The new Government dam at Bobcaygeon will increase the head of water a foot at Lindsay.

Guelph Old Boys of Winnipeg, over 400 of them, will return during old-home week next August.

The Quebec budget, submitted by Hon. W. A. Weir, on Thursday, shows a surplus of over half a million dollars.

Premier Whitney informed a delegation of unemployed men that the Ontario Government had no work for them.

A pickpocket at Montreal, when convicted, pleaded he was only following his trade, but was sentenced to five years.

Two women, Mrs. Clara McGuiggan and Mrs. Margaret Hayes, were burned to death in a fire in their dwelling at St. John, N. B.

Ben. Howard, a well-known runner, was killed on the railway near Peterboro', on Saturday.

Mr. W. E. Etavert, trustee for the Sovereign Bank, has entered an action for $110,000 against the former manager, Mr. D. M. Stewart.

Nine hundred boys in St. Bridget's School, at Montreal, marched out in good order in a minute and a half during a fire in the building.

Mr. A. J. Donly, Registrar of Deeds for Norfolk county, died at Simcoe on Thursday.

No squatters' rights will be recognized by the Temiskaming & Northern Ontario Railway.

The by-law to reduce the number of tavern licenses in Toronto was quashed by Chief Justice Meredith.

The C. P. R. will place fifty-one western town sites on the market during the coming season.

Mr. Wainwright thinks the new city of Prince Rupert will start with a population of twenty thousand.

One hundred and forty-nine Hindus were released at Vancouver, and thirty-five others held to be deported.

Kenora Board of Trade is encouraging the use of electricity as fuel, and has electric cooking utensils for demonstration purposes.

Col. Hall and all but three of the officers of the 5th Canadian Artillery at Victoria, B. C., have resigned because they are not satisfied with the guns provided for them.

Brockville Board of Health finds it cannot alter the law allowing children to attend schools who have not a certificate of successful vaccination or insusceptibility to it.

Guiseppe and Bruno Greco were arrested near Paris, Ont., on Saturday, on a charge of stabbing Antonio Reiszo at Dundas. Reiszo has since died from his wounds in the hospital at Hamilton.

The practice of enclosing fireworks and inflammable materials in mail matter has called forth a protest from the British General Postoffice, and the Dominion Government will prosecute the next case that occurs.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The London Telegraph's expert advises the overhauling of emigration machinery in Britain and Canada.

The London Times is to be taken over by a privately formed company, of which C. F. Moberly Bell will be managing director.

It is now recognized that Sir Henry Campbell-Bannermann will never be able to resume the active leadership of his party in the House of Commons.

UNITED STATES.

Floods threaten to do great damage in the States of Oregon and Washington.

Official vital statistics for January show 4,548 births to 1,395 deaths in Texas.

The United States battleship fleet will visit Japan before its return to the Atlantic.

Abe Hummel, the New York lawyer, sent to the penitentiary ten months ago, has been liberated.

A young couple of Wilmington, N. C., were married in a touring car, while it raced at full speed.

Blind boy athletes of Pennsylvania, Kentucky and Illinois had an athletic meet at Overbrook, Pa.

Fire caused a panic in a Holyoke theatre, but the audience numbering 1,500, escaped without injury.

The U. S. War Department's estimates of thirty-eight millions were cut down to eight millions in committee.

Fishermen at Salem, N. J., are making good catches of perch and rock, at an earlier date than for many years.

Vandals in New London, Mo., wrecked three hundred and fifty tombstones and ruined the interior of the schoolhouse.

President Roosevelt will send a special message to Congress this week advocating a tariff revision and a number of other reforms.

Admiral Evans, the Commander of the United States battleship squadron, will ask to be relieved when his fleet reaches San Francisco.

The New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Co. has just placed orders for 136 new locomotives, and also for 24,000 tons of steel rails.

A five years' legal war over o rosebush and four inches of land has ended in New York by the litigants agreeing to arbitration.

David S. Rose, the former mayor of Milwaukee, addressed an audience of deaf mutes in that city in a 2,000-word political speech, using sign language.

Two women smoking cigarettes in a carriage on the way to the opera, was a sight which regaled Broadway pedestrians in New York on a recent evening.

Because of the failure of William Langosh to return a borrowed beer pail, he was shot probably fatally, by Victor Seoro, a saloonkeeper of Chicago.

Just as she was about to be led to the altar by L. W. Stanley, Miss Callie Fanchier, of Pueblo, Colo., was seized by her mother, taken to the kitchen, and forced to work at the washtub all night, guarded by two brothers.

GENERAL.

There are now fifty-one cases of bubonic plague at Guayaquil.

Dr. Karavaieff, leader of the Group of Toil in the first Duma, has been killed by reactionaries.

The Czar has issued a ukase praising his soldiers for their valor in the defence of Port Arthur.

The Kaiser has demanded the withdrawal from the army of his cousin, Prince Joachim.

The Premier Diamond Company has pledged itself not to lower the market price of precious stones.

Excursionists are refused permission to land at Porto Rico for fear of communicating yellow fever.

President Nord Alexis of Hayti has declared that there is no danger of an anti-foreign outbreak in the island.

ONTARIO BUDGET SUMMARIZED.

This Year's Estimated Receipts Amount to Over $9,000,000.

Last year's surplus, $606,000.

Receipts for the year just closed were $8,320,419, and expenditures $7,714,245.

Estimated receipts for 1908, including cash balances on hand, are $9,595,856.

Estimated expenditure for the year 1908 is $7,501,875.

During the past three years the surpluses have amounted to $1,656,174.

If the Government had not extended credit to lumbermen the surplus would have been $1,106,000.

Of the estimated expenditure $800,000 is for special work.

Receipts from the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway amounted to $853,000, of which the province received $235,000, which was applied on the English loan. This year, it is estimated, the province will receive $300,000.

The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway will be completed to connect with the Grand Trunk Pacific at Cochrane, Ont., by Sept. 15.

The Provincial Government will float a loan in England in the Autumn.

IMPRISONED HIS HORSE.

Altoona Man Kept Animal in Stall for Fifteen Years.

A despatch from Altoona, Penn., says: Pius Inlow, a drayman, bought a horse on Wednesday that had been imprisoned for fifteen years in his owner's stable because the animal ran off and threw the occupants of a buggy into the road. The owner became so angry with the horse that he registered a vow never to take the animal out again. The horse has stood in his stall from that day to this, being fed and watered regularly. Lack of exercise made the horse so weak he could hardly walk. He was also handicapped by his hoofs, which had gotten to be a foot long. Before the animal could be shod eight inches of each hoof was cut away.

CHEERED FOR SUFFRAGE

Incipient Riots Were Checked in Berlin By the Police.

A despatch from Berlin, Germany, says: The people of the east side of Berlin paid silent tribute on Wednesday to the memory of the revolutionists who were killed in the street fighting in this city in 1848. An imposing crowd of sympathizers gathered at the grave of the dead men in Friederichshain Park, which is at the centre of the east side district, and heaped them high with flowers and wreaths.

Towards the close of the day a huge crowd gathered at the Halle Gate and marched up Frederick street singing the workingmen's Marsellaise and other Socialistic songs, and shouting "Hurrah for universal suffrage!" The crowd tried to reach Unter den Linden, but on approaching within a block observed a thick cordon of mounted police occupying the street ahead, and turned into a side street, hoping to reach their objective point by another route. They found all the cross streets held by the police, however, and made a wide detour toward the castle, eventually reaching the Reichsbank. The police drew their sabres and forced the marching crowd to retreat.

MAY LEAVE QUEBEC.

C. P. R. Have Already Secured Wharf Frontage at Three Rivers.

A despatch from Montreal says: As a result of labor troubles among the longshoremen at Quebec there is a strong probability of the C. P. R. Empresses making Three Rivers their port of call during the coming season. They have already rented 1,000 feet of wharf frontage from the Bureau Wharf, and unless the Quebec longshoremen are content to accept a reduction in wages the boats will leave Quebec and use Three Rivers.

DEATH SENTENCE ON ORCHARD.

Judge Recommends it be Commuted to Imprisonment.

A despatch from Caldwell, Idaho, says: Harry Orchard was sentenced to death on Wednesday for the murder of Governor Stuenenberg. Judge Fremont recommended that the State Board of Pardons commute Orchard's sentence of death to imprisonment in the State Penitentiary. The sentence of death was pronounced in accordance with the plea of guilty entered by Orchard on Tuesday of last week.

SET FIRE TO BARRACKS.

Stratford Man Confesses to Outrage Against Salvation Army.

A despatch from Stratford says: On Friday night last fire was discovered in the Salvation Army Barracks, but it was noticed and extinguished before much damage was done, and on Sunday Fred Bryant confessed to having turned on the gas and set fire to the building in several places. He was placed under arrest.

THE ROAD TO PRINCE RUPERT.

Contract for Hundred Miles Let for Large Sum.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: General Manager Morse of the G. T. P. on Thursday signed a contract with Foley, Walsh & Stewart to construct a hundred miles east of Prince Rupert. The sum involved is between seven and ten millions. The great [illegible] work is rock cutting, and will be unusually expensive. Mr. Morse expects that the whole line will be completed well inside the contract time fixed by the Dominion Government.

TWO YEARS FOR CHIEF CLERK.

W. A. Hunt Defrauded C. N. R. With Forged Pay Checks.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: W. A. Hunt, formerly chief clerk in the C. N. R. accounting department, on Thursday was sent to the penitentiary for two years for defrauding the company through forged pay checks. His confederates escaped with light sentences.

KILLED ON THE CROSSING.

South Easthope Woman Met Death While Driving Home.

A despatch from Stratford says: While driving home on Saturday evening, Miss Margaret Smith, aged 65 years, was struck by a G. T. R. train, No. 2, going east and instantly killed. She lived on the second concession of South Easthope, some two miles east of Shakespeare, and was nearly home, when the accident happened. The horse she was driving escaped unhurt.

STARTED TWO BIG FIRES

Stormont Youth Wanted to Stifle Competition and Drudgery in Father's Store.

A despatch from Cornwall says: The sensation of the week in Stormont County is the confession of Philip K. Low, the 20-year-old son of J. W. Low, merchant, of Finch, that he was privy to the big conflagration in Finch Village on May 14, of last year, and that he had helped along the big fire of the previous day. The two fires nearly wiped out a busy village at the junction of the O. and N. Y. and C. P. Railways, and between them caused a loss of over $85,000.

Low, who is a nice looking, but rather weak-faced, young man of 20 years or so, confessed on Wednesday to F. D. McNaughton, reeve of Finch, that on the day of the first fire, when it looked as if the flames might be extinguished, he had started a fire in one of the threatened buildings, hoping thereby to burn out one of the business rivals of his father. On the night of the following day he started a fire in his father's store, and this caused the more serious conflagration of the two and nearly wiped Finch off the map. The reason he gave for the second act of incendiarism was that he was tired of the drudgery at a country store.

Before Alex. McNaughton, J. P., Reeve McNaughton testified to this confession, and the prisoner affirmed that the confession was voluntary and in accordance with the light given him by God. The prisoner was remanded for trial on a charge of arson.

TRADE FOR ELEVEN MONTHS

There Was a Falling Off in Imports While Exports Increased.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The trade returns of the Dominion for the month of February and for the first eleven months of the current fiscal year, which ends on the 31st instant, were issued on Wednesday. The present commercial depression is reflected in the continued falling off of imports, which began with December last, although exports, on the other hand, show a gratifying increase. For the last month the imports amounted to $21,604,133, a decrease of $3,803,333, as compared with February of last year. Domestic exports amounted to $14,636,818, an increase of $2,015,961. Exports of foreign products totalled $832,477, as compared with $1,075,294 in the corresponding month of 1907.

For the eleven months of the current fiscal year the total trade amounted to $589,755,974, an increase of $30,156,704. Imports totalled $328,321,453, a gain of $24,798,784, and exports totalled $261,434,521, a gain of $5,357,920.

Exports of the products of the mines increased about $2,400,000; agriculture, $4,700,000, and manufactures, $1,835,000. Exports of fisheries fell off by $160,000; forest, $1,700,000, and animals and their product, $12,150,000.

DANGEROUS PURGATIVES

Many People Ruin Their Health Using Purgatives in Spring.

A spring medicine is an actual necessity. Nature demands it as an aid to carrying off the impurities that have accumulated in the blood during the winter months. Thousands of people recognizing the necessity of a spring medicine dose themselves with harsh, griping purgatives. This is a serious mistake. Ask any doctor and he will tell you that the use of purgative medicine weakens the system, but does not cure disease. In the spring the system needs building up—purgatives weaken. The blood should be made rich, red and pure—purgatives cannot do this. What is needed in the spring is a tonic, and the best tonic medical science has yet devised is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Every dose of the medicine actually makes new rich red blood. This new blood strengthens every organ, every nerve, every part of the body. That is why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills banish pimples and unsightly skin eruptions. That is why they cure headaches, backaches, rheumatism, neuralgia, general weakness and a host of other troubles that come from poor, watery blood. That is why men and women who use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills eat well, sleep well, and feel bright, active and strong. Mrs. Joseph Lepage, St. Jerome, Que., says: "My daughter suffered from headaches and dizziness. Her appetite was poor. She had no strength and could not study or do any work. She was thin and pale as a sheet. A neighbor advised the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after taking a couple of boxes we could see an improvement in her condition. She used the pills for some weeks longer, when they fully restored her health, and she is now enjoying the best health she ever did. Try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills this spring if you want to be healthy and strong. 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.

MAKING A CITY TO ORDER.

Prince Rupert to be the Greatest Model City Yet Built.

A Boston firm of landscape architects has been awarded the contract for making the general plans for the model city which the Grand Trunk Pacific Railroad is to build in British Columbia as the Pacific terminus of the great new railroad system which is now being built across Canada.

The contract is one of the largest ever given for a similar undertaking, says the Village. As yet there is only a small settlement where it is intended a large and important commercial and manufacturing city will be built. The settlement is on Kaien Island and the new city will be known as Prince Rupert.

The area which is available for the site comprises between seven and eight square miles, although only a small [redacted] developed within [redacted] is of con- [redacted] ut one-third [redacted] of the moun- [redacted] rises to an [redacted] near the centre [redacted] will cross from the [redacted] and to Porpoise Island and then to Kaien Island by means of bridges, the first of which will be about a quarter of a mile in length and the second some 200 feet long. Already a dock a thousand feet long has been constructed along a part of the waterfront and it is planned to extend this for a much longer distance. The shores are very bold, and this will aid greatly in preparing places for shipping and also keep down the cost of building docks.

It is said to be the plan to have the shipping and wholesale business on the first level, which rises to 75 or 100 feet; the retail business and the public buildings on the second level, which is some 200 feet high and forms a sort of ridge, and the residences still further back on a third level of about 100 feet elevation.

Ample provision for parks will be made. There is an excellent chance for one on a central elevation, another at Point Hays, named, like the mountain, in honor of the president of the railroad, Charles M. Hays of Montreal, and a third at the southwestern end of the city.

It is probable also that Digby Island, just to the westward of Kaien Island, will be developed for residences, a purpose for which it is admirably adapted. The expenditures which are contemplated by the railroad company at this place alone will total many millions if present plans are carried out.

Prince Rupert is situated within fifty miles of the southern extremity of Alaska and 551 miles north of Vancouver, at the very entrance to the salmon fishing grounds. It is in the immediate vicinity of a large number of canneries which send their products to all parts of the world. Near at hand are the famous halibut fishing grounds.

Already there is considerable activity on behalf of the railroad, and recently a contract was let for clearing 2,000 acres of land at $220,000.

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IN MERRY OLD ENGLAND

NEWS BY MAIL ABOUT JOHN BULL AND HIS PEOPLE.

Occurrences in the Land That Reigns Supreme in the Commercial World.

A rat nineteen inches long has been killed at Yewshot, near Aldershot.

The late Lord Nunburnholms left estate valued for probate at £988,386.

It is proposed to hold a pageant in the Roman ampitheatre at Dorchester in 1909.

It is estimated that there are 5,000 Americans permanently residing in the city of London.

The guardians of the Lambeth Workhouse have decided to send thirty pauper children to Canada.

One hundred and twenty officers and men of the Third Coldstreams left Southampton recently, bound for Egypt.

Thomas Benthan, a Crimean veteran, who died recently in extreme poverty in Fulwood was awarded a military funeral.

The wife of an agricultural laborer at Pulham St. Mary, Norfolk, was savagely attacked by a cat, which severely bit her fingers.

A centenarian resident of Tottenham named Sarah Ing, who was in her 101st year, has died. She was a native of Thurlow, Suffolk.

The District Railway is now running thirty-one trains an hour in the busy parts of the day, which is claimed as a record for any time.

Burglars broke into a suite of offices within 200 yards of the Sheffield Detective Force Headquarters recently, and rifled two safes. They got away.

A pocket-book containing £200 in Bank of England notes was found at the Guildhall retiring-rooms by an attendant, who handed them over to the police.

A white-haired old gentleman has been going round the West End of London with a bag of gold and silver, inviting all sorts of people to "dip" in it for coins.

Mr. Harris, a High Wycombe builder, who went bankrupt twenty years ago and then paid a dividend of 7s. 6d. on the £ has just paid all his creditors in full.

On taking some old business premises in Birmingham, a tradesman discovered a disused door leading to a cellar, which proved to be stocked with old port, sherry, champagne and whiskey.

Towards the £30,000 required for the extension of the London Homoeopathic Hospital, Lord Cawdor, the treasurer, has received the sum of £10,000 from Sir Henry Tyler.

Statistics as to the consumption of liquor in the West Ham Workhouse are as follows: During 1907 £38 1s. 1d. was spent, as against £141 8s. in 1906. £405 15s. 6d. in 1905, and £1,031 17s. 1d in 1904.

The free baths provided by the Marylebone Borough Council at Grove road, St. John's Wood, under the Cleansing of Persons Act, were used, in the last municipal year, by 6,704 males, 1,811 females, 2,194 boys, and 3,733 girls.

Although only twenty-eight years of age, Wm. Brown, an electrician, who died recently at Fulham, weighed 269 pounds. Medical evidence at the inquest showed that the heart weighed 21 ounces (twice the normal weight of a man of his age), and the liver seven pounds.

CHILDHOOD INDIGESTION MEANS SICKLY BABIES

The baby who suffers from indigestion is simply starving to death. It loses all desire for food and the little it does take does it no good; the child is peevish, cross and restless, and the mother feels worn out in caring for it. Baby's Own Tablets always cure indigestion, and make the child sleep healthily and naturally. Mrs. Geo. owell, Sandy Beach, Que., says: "My baby suffered from indigestion, colic and vomiting, and cried day and night, but after giving him Baby's Own Tablets the trouble disappeared and he is now a healthy child." The Tablets will cure all the minor ailments of babyhood and childhood. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

You can learn a little each day, unless you happen to be one of those wise persons who know it all.

Ignorance is a Curse.—"Know thyself" is a good admonition, whether referring to one's physical condition or moral habitudes. The man who is acquainted with himself will know how to act when any disarrangement in his condition manifests itself. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is a cheap and simple remedy for the eradication of pain from the system and for the cure of all bronchial troubles.

ASKED TO BE BURIED ALIVE.

Mode of Death Selected by a Chinaman Condemned for Fracticide.

Rough justice as it is administered in most parts of China is sometimes tempered by individual tastes, as an incident printed in one of the China port journals attests. A man in Suchien, condemned to die, preferred to be buried alive, and his wishes were carried out to the letter.

During the famine two brothers who lived in Suchien fought desperately to stave off starvation from their families and bad blood arose between them. At last the elder brother sold his father's coffin for food. When he refused to divide the proceeds with his younger brother the latter cut off his head with a cleaver.

Because it was too expensive to carry the murderer several scores of miles to the nearest yamen of justice, the local elders, including the father of the murderer whose coffin had been sold, sat in justice upon the culprit and condemned him to death. He asked that he be buried alive instead of receiving the horrible torture of the "thirty slices." The father interceded with the other elders to get them to grant his son's request.

A grave was dug, and the victim, with his arms and feet securely bound, was trundled in a wheelbarrow to the edge of the pit by his wife. There upon the murderer's own request his bonds were loosed and he walked to the grave, lowered himself into it and was ready.

The victim's wife put a felt hat over his mouth at his request, and then she helped the elders to fill in the grave with six feet of earth.

PINE FOREST IN HIS BEDROOM

During the recent illness of the Emperor of Austria, his physician, Dr. Kerzl, had a number of small pine trees, growing in tubs, placed in his bedroom, converting the room into a miniature pine forest.

The healing properties of the pines are recognized by the leading physicians and scientists of the world. Thousands of people afflicted with lung trouble and bronchial affections who are not in a position to leave home and business to live out among the pines, can procure at small cost the health-giving properties of the pine forest, right in their own home.

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Virgin Oil of Pine is put up in ½-oz. vials only for druggists to dispense, each vial enclosed in a round wooden case to prevent breakage and exposure to light. The case is sealed with an engraved wrapper showing the name—Virgin Oil of Pine compound (pure), prepared only by Leach Chemical Co., Windsor, Ont.,—plainly printed thereon. It is well to get the genuine. Should your druggist be unable to supply you, you can have a ½-oz. vial mailed to you by sending 50 cents to the Leach Chemical Co., Windsor, Ont.

PROOF!

That Zam-Buk Grows New Healthy Skin.

Mr. J. Schofield, of 467 Hamilton Road, London, Ont., says: "A friend of mine (Mr. William Ball, of London) was severely and terribly burned through an explosion of kerosene oil. He was taken to the hospital where he suffered intense pain. The wounds refused to heal and the doctors decided to resort to skin grafting, and I consented to have some skin transplanted from my legs to his body. Although this was done on several occasions, the skin refused "to take" until Mr. Ball heard of Zam-Buk. From the time he applied Zam-Buk, new healthy skin began to grow. I then used Zam-Buk for the places on my leg from which the skin was removed, and I am glad to report that new skin has grown, and therefore consider Zam-Buk the best skin food I have known."

For healing eczema, running sores, cuts, bruises, burns, boils, eruptions, scalp sores, itch, chapped hands and diseases of the skin Zam-Buk is without equal. All druggists and stores sell it, 50c. a box or post-paid from the Zam-Buk Co., Toronto.

How happy women would be if they could live long without getting old!

Tearing Down Signals does not delay storms. Opium-laden "medicines" do not cure. When you begin to cough take Allen's Lung Balsam, free from opium, full of healing power.

If a man could see himself as others see him he might be able to see his finish.

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"What do you get out of life?" demanded the grumbler. "What I put into it, plus a fair interest," answered the thoughtful man.

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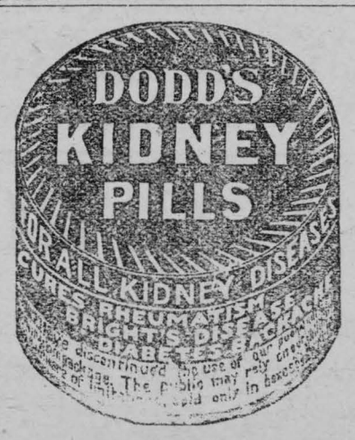
CAUSE FOR ALARM.

A young man in Lebanon had been courting a girl for nine years. "Jennie," he said, one evening, "I read the other day that in 50,000 years Niagara Falls would dry up."

Jennie clutched his arm excitedly.

"Why, you promised to take me there on our bridal trip. Don't you think you had better start."

The man who neglects to put his best foot forward when he has a chance may feel like kicking himself later.



A SAFE INVESTMENT.

For some months men of means have been sitting tight. No wealth for safe investment. At this time of the year there comes the natural rebound. Moneyed men want some place to invest their money where they will get a larger interest than the banks pay and yet have an absolute surety that it will not be sunk out of sight with no return. To meet this condition one of the best companies in the city are offering preferred stock in their concern and guarantee an 8 per cent. accumulative dividend payable each year. They will retain the privilege of buying out the investor of the stock he has purchased at the expiration of three years, by giving him an advance of 10 per cent. on the par value of his shares plus the 8 per cent. guaranteed dividend.

This appears to be an investment sound and guaranteeing good money.

It is only those who are anxious to make a good bona fide investment that the company wish to talk to. Full information will be given by addressing Box 206, Toronto General Post Office.

OBLIVIOUS.

Mrs. Wiggs—Cook has only broken one dish to-day, dear!

Mr. Wiggs—That's better! How did it happen?

Mrs. Wiggs—It was the last one.

A CHANCE IS NEEDED.
Through the long winter one needs a change. Why go South when "The Welland," St. Catharines, offers an environment at moderate cost which will minister to tired nerves and worn out bodies? Try the tonic influence of "The St. Catharines Well" and the restful influence of "The Welland." Apply the manager, St. Catharines, or any Agent of Grand Trunk Railway System.

RECEPTIVITY.

Tramp—"Help me, lady, please. For three years I worked for the grand cause of temperance, ma'am."

Lady—"Were you a temperance orator?"

Tramp—"No, ma'am; I was the horrible example."

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IN SPITE OF THE PANIC.

Stranger—"What is that crowd doing in front of the bank? Has it failed?"

Policeman—"Oh, no; the depositors are merely having a run for their money."

Tested by Time.—In his justly celebrated Pills Dr. Parmelee has given to the world one of the most unique medicines offered to the public in late years. Prepared to meet the want for a pill which could be taken without nausea, and that would purge without pain, it has met all requirements in that direction, and it is in general use not only because of these two qualities, but because it is known to possess alterative and curative powers which place it in the front rank of medicines.

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"Yes, I'm completely cured."

"It must be a great relief."

"Relief! I should think it was. Why, I lie awake half the night thinking how I used to suffer from it."

Rose-colored spots on the bodies of children are sometimes mistaken for measles. The trouble may be roseola, a local disease of the skin; Promptly cured with Weaver's Cerate.

INVOLVED.

Binks—I notice that you have a thread tied around your finger, I suppose that is to remind you of something.

Jinks—Not exactly. It is to remind my wife to ask me if I forgot something she told me to remember.

DO YOU KNOW

Every house has one or more outward applications for pain. Pango, a recent important French discovery, is guaranteed to remove colds in their early stages, to give instant relief from headache, neuralgia, rheumatism, gout and pains. It is expressly guaranteed that this remedy will fill a larger number of requirements than any yet procurable. **Pango is made under the direction of a leading physician**, and sent to your address by mail on receipt of 25 or 50 cents by the Pango Company, Toronto.

Jason—"There are three periods in a man's life when he does not understand a woman." Grayson—"And they are?" Jason—"Before he knows her, when he knows her, and afterwards!"

Applicant—"What is the first thing to do before you get a marriage-license?" License Clerk—"Think it over, young man—think it over!"

ITCH, Mange Prairie Scratches and every form of contagious Itch on human or animals cured in 30 minutes by Wolford's Sanitary Lotion. It never fails. Sold by all druggists.

A Scotch laboring man who had married a rich widow, exceptional for her plainness, was accosted by his employer. "Well, Thomas," he said, "I hear you are married. What sort of a wife have you got?" "Weel, sir," was the response, "she's the Creator's handiwork, but I canna say she's His masterpiece!"

"The D & L" Menthol Plasters are marvellous in their quick action when applied to lame backs or stiff rheumatic muscles or joints. They give immediate relief.

PESSIMISTIC VIEW.

"Say, paw," queried small Tommy Toddles, "What's an optimist?"

"An optimist, my boy," replied old man Toddles, "is a woman whose impracticability makes her husband a pessimist."

Worms derange the whole system. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator deranges worms and gives rest to the sufferer. It only costs 25 cents to try it and be convinced.

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C. L. CASSELMAN,
Chesterville, Ont.

Apple Hill, Dec. 23, 1904.

Mr. C. Lee Casselman:

Dear Sir,—One bottle of your Eureka heave cure cured one case of heaves and one of chronic cough of three months' standing. It cannot receive too much praise. I have since recommended it to my neighbors and others who I knew had horses suffering from chronic cough and heaves and they have experienced the same satisfaction.

Yours Truly
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Chesterville, March 25th, '08.

Editor Record:

Dear Sir,—I read with some surprise and amusement Mr. Robinson's letter in your issue of the 19th inst., wherein he attempts to make out that he is a very much aggrieved individual. It is a well known fact that elections in Chesterville for the past few years have been run by the clerk for a certain ring, in a most slip-shod fashion, and that Mr. Robinson and his friends have profited by that fact. Mr. Robinson's principal grievance seems to be that there was something in the report published in the RECORD, from which it might be inferred that bribery and corruption on the part of himself or his agents had something to do with the result of the proceedings taken by me to unseat him. The trial judge held that the charges of bribery were not sufficiently proven, but it was admitted that one of the witnesses, who was an ardent supporter of Mr. Robinson's, was guilty of an offence under the Statute, and the let-out of Mr. Robinson was that it wasn't sufficiently established that the supporter was an agent of Mr. Robinson's. It was also held by the County Judge that the clerk had improperly added names to the voters' list within a short time prior to the election, and that this was known to some of Mr. Robinson's active supporters. To say nothing of the clerk, who was admittedly a friend and supporter of Mr. Robinson. I cannot understand how he can say, in view of these facts, that he and his friends conducted a fair election, and that there were no unfair means used to defeat me.

A perusal of the evidence will convince anyone that the whole election was conducted without any regard whatever to the provisions of the Municipal Act, and that this was done, to some extent at any rate, with the concurrence of Mr. Robinson, as it was a well known fact, on the day of the election that the ballots were being numbered, and that Mr. Robinson's supporters brought men to the poll whose names had been added illegally and urged them to vote, while I protested most strenuously in the presence of Mr. Robinson and his supporters.

I intimated to Mr. Robinson's friends several times before proceedings were taken by me, my intention of taking steps to void the election, so that Mr. Robinson had ample opportunity of disclaiming and thus allowing another election to be fought out by fair means. Had he done this, he would have had no costs to pay, but he didn't choose to take advantage of this, and he persisted in keeping a position to which the courts have held him not entitled to, and he should not now complain if in addition to losing the seat he should be compelled to pay, not only the cost of the original proceedings but also the costs of appeal.

All that I ask is British fair play and the election should be conducted clean and honest, and according to law, which has not been for some years in Chesterville, and if the result is unfavorable to me, I shall be the last one to complain of the verdict of the people.

WESLEY HAMILTON.

As it has been intimated that I had something to do with letters previously appearing in the RECORD, I wish to state that the above is the first and only one I ever asked the editor of the RECORD to publish.

W. H.

One in Seven Called by Consumption.

A dreadful plague indeed when you consider that in incipient stages it can be cured. Take care of the little cold before it becomes a big one. When the throat is sore and it hurts to expand your chest, rub in Nerviline and immediately apply one of Polson's Nerviline Porous Plasters. Pain and tightness are at once relieved. Inflamation and soreness gradually disappear and fatal illness is thus avoided. Nerviline plasters act as a counter irritant over the seat of pain, and as an exterior application in curing colds in the muscles, in pleurisy and headaches they have no equal. Keep these remedies right in your home.

Blinded for Life by Stove Explosion.

Lucy Lindie, a ten-year old girl, of Admaston, Renfrew County, saw what she supposed was some refuse on a floor at her home and seizing a broom she carefully swept it up and put it in the stove. "The refuse" proved to be some dynamite caps which her father had taken from a drawer a few minutes before with the intention of using them for blasting purposes. They exploded as soon as they were put in the stove and one of the flying fragments of iron from the shattered heater, struck little Lucy in the eye injuring the member so badly that the sight was completely destroyed.

Hindoos in Vancouver are planning an exodus to Panama.

Mrs. Filman, born in Ireland 93 years ago, is dead at Hamilton.

LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS.

Division Court was held in the town hall here yesterday.

Mrs. C. W. Casselman's millinery announcement appears in this issue.

During the past week we have experienced some Spring-like weather.

The stock subscribed for the new Temperance Hotel in Winchester, now reaches over $11000.

Whittaker, the Optician, will be at Chesterville on April 15th and Finch on April 16th.

A regular meeting of the A.O.U.W. Lodge of this place will meet in Kearns' Hall to-morrow (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. W. A. Hamilton of Finch, was in town Tuesday and that evening addressed the Epworth Leaguers of the Methodist Church.

Mr. C. M. Empey, painter and decorator, has located at Morewood, and solicits a share of your patronage. His advt appears in this issue.

Mr. R. McCormick, furniture dealer and undertaker of this place, is at present at Montreal to further his information in connection with the undertaking.

Mr. Andy Buchanan, who lives at Williamsburg, and is well known in this section of the country, dropped dead at his home yesterday. Heart failure was the cause.

The Rev. Mr. Crawford and the Rev. T. C. Cassidy of Aultsville, will give addresses on missions to the Epworth League next Tuesday evening, Mar. 31st. A very profitable meeting is expected.

A return match of hockey between the junior team of the Morrisburg Collegiate Institute and the Chesterville high School teams took place here an Saturday evening, resulting in a score of 11 to 0 in favor of Chesterville.

The entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church, held in Foster's Hall on Friday evening last, was fairly well attended, and proved to be a very pleasing event. The total proceeds amounted to $46.50.

The public generally in this community will be pleased to known that Miss E. May Merkley of Williamsburg, who was a candidate in the Old Country Tour of the Montreal Herald, was successful in her endeavor, and will be one of the company who will sail the latter part of May.

Mr. Alex. McDonald of Winchester, has sold his imported shire stallion, Holden by Druid to Mr. David McFadden of Westport, the price being $1300. The animal is a fine two-year-old and is expected to give a good account of himself.

A meeting of the citizens of Winchester was held in the town hall of that place on Tuesday evening. The meeting was for the purpose of disgussing the proposed electric railway from Morrisburg to connect with the C. P R. at Chesterville and Winchester. If such a road was instituted Chesterville could obtain power at a nominal cost and also secure better freight rates. being able to ship by two roads and also water. In the near future no doubt our citizens will be called upon to express their views on the issue.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McKercher, Cass Bridge, was the scene of a happy gathering on Monday evening of last week, when a large number of their friends assembled to express the esteem they entertained for the host and hostess who are removing from the vicinity. A gift of a handsome oak table was made to Mr. and Mrs. McKercher. The presentation was made by Mr. Ernest Jamieson.

Men of Chesterville and surrounding country are cordially invited to a treat next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the Methodist church. The church has been very fortunate in securing Mr. G. F. Johnston to give an address on "The Christian Life" from a business man's standpoint Mr. Johnston is an able speaker and we trust that many will avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing him The pastor of the church is hoping and planning that as a result of this meeting the young men of the Methodist church may be so organized as to help each other.

Man Dropped Dead.

Smith's Falls, March 22.—Richard Brunton of Beckwith Township, dropped dead while assisting a neighbor to move some of his chattels to another farm. The deceased had been a prominent member of Beckwith council for a number of years. He was 60 years of age.

Heart Strength

Heart Strength, or Heart Weakness, means Nerve Strength, or Nerve Weakness—nothing more. Positively, not one weak heart in a hundred is, in itself, actually diseased. It is almost always a hidden tiny little nerve that really is all at fault. This obscure nerve—the Cardiac, or Heart Nerve—simply needs, and must have, more power, more stability, more controlling, more governing strength. Without that the Heart must continue to fail, and the stomach and kidneys also have these same controlling nerves.

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A. O. U. W. Convention Ends.

The Grand Lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen concluded the business of its thirtieth annual session Thursday afternoon with the installation of the new-elected officers. Mr. M. D. Carder of Toronto, was elected Grand Recorder for the thirtieth time by acclamation. The election of officers resulted as follows:—Grand Master Workman, S. B Morris, J. P., Rodney; Past Grand Master Workman, C. E. Cameron, Iroquois; Grand Foreman, Major J. J. Craig, M. P. P., Fergus:

Grand Overseer, Jas. McEwing, Drayton; Grand Treasurer F. G. Inwood, Toronto; Grand Solicitor, A. F. G. Lawrence, Toronto; Grand Medical Examineer, Dr. J. Milton Cotton, Toronto; Grand Guide, W. W. Burgess, Mimico; representative to Canadian Northwest Grand Lodge, Past Grand Master Joseph Gibson, P. M., Ingersoll; Grand Watchman, T. E. Bloodworth, Toronto; Grand Outside Watchman, I. A. Kinsella, North Bay; Grand Trustees, T. Riley, J. Lockie Wilson, W. C. Mikel, K. C., Geo. Clay and C. G. Knott, Toronto; auditors (executive committee): Rev. Canon Allman (Burk's Falls), J. T. Allen (Mount Forest), Robt. Ingram (Ottawa).

Past Grand Master J. B. Nixon installed the newly-elected officers, and the Grand Lodge then adjourned.

The following District Deputy Grand Masters are named: Durham, J. J. Turner, Peterboro'; Quinte, Alex. Moore, Planfield; Kingston, R. W. Longmore, Camden East; St. Lawrence, H. Y. Farr, Brockville; Stormont, W. Clark, Cardinal; Ottawa, E. F. Drake, Ottawa; Lanark, P. C. McGregor, Almonte.

Remember that when the Stomach nerves fail or weaken, Dyspepsia or Indigestion must follow. But, strengthen these same weak inside nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative, where heart pains palpitation, or kidney weakness is found. Don't drug the stomach, nor stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. That is wrong. Go to the cause of these ailments. Strengthen these weak inside nerves with Dr. Shoop'z restorative and get well. A simple, single test will surely tell. Walter G. Bolster.

ADMINISTRATOR'S Notice to Creditors

In the Estate of Andrew Milton Fetterly, late of the Village of Chesterville, in the County of Dundas, Merchant, Deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to R. S. O. 1897, Chapter 129, Section 38 and Amending Acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said Andrew Milton Fetterly, who died on or about the 24th day of February, A.D., 1908, are requested to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned Executrix on or before the 14th day of May, A. D., 1908, their names, addresses and description, and a full statement of particulars of their claims and the nature of the security, if any, held by them, duly certified, and that after said date the Executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice.

Dated this 26th day of March, A.D., 1908.

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CHESTERVILLE.

An Advt. in the Record Pays

GIRLS OF TO-DAY ARE WEAKLINGS!

Few Possess the Vitality and girlish Beauty of the Olden Times.

Never before was physical health and vigor so highly esteemed and so eagerly sought for as today.

No man finds happiness in a sickly wife and the woman who wishes to enjoy the pleasures of life should spare no effort to maintain perfect health.

Is your daughter growing up strong and ruddy? Has she strength to drink in greedily all the pleasures that youth so zealously seeks--or is she compelled to use the street car instead of enjoying the delightful exercise of walking--does she after the ball arise refreshed and vigorous, or is she exhausted, indifferent, and perhaps irritable?

When strength and vigor can be so easily maintained by Ferrozone quickly brought to the cheeks and elasticity to the step, it is plainly a mother's duty to see that Ferrozone is on hand to assist her daughter back to health.

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J. A. McMillan Retiring.

Alexandria, March 23.—A meeting of the Liberal association of Glengarry was held here on Saturday afternoon for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the expected provincial elections. Mr. J. A. McMillan, M.L.A., the present representative of the county in the provincial legislature, made an address in which he announced that he would not be a candidate for legislative honors at the next election. Mr. L. J. Labrosse, M.L.A. for Prescott, made a speech that was well received, also Mr. Clarke of Northumberland. Mr. Costello of Alexandria, was chairman. The attendance was large. Mr. McMillan's resignation was unexpected and as the association had not anticipated this situation it was not ready with another candidate, and no nomination was made.

ANNOUNCEMENT !

Mr. C. M Empey of Keene, N.H., wishes to announce to the public that after April the 1st that he will carry on a house painting business in Morewood and surrounding country and towns, where he will do Varnishing, Papering, and all kinds of interior decorating, by day or contract. Having had fourteen years' experience in this line in Keene, N.H, and Boston, Mass., can give the best satisfact- [illegible] of this will be somining and Hardwood finish a the near future. The island[illegible]ng by the day or roll. siderable size, but only abo[illegible] will be available because [illegible] in advance I am[illegible] yours tain, Mount Hays, which elevation of 2,300 feet of the island.

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The George White & Sons
Traction and Portable Engines.
TRY ONE OF OUR
HAMILTON INCUBATORS.

NATION VALLEY "SOUTH."

We wish to correct our report in last week's issue of Andrew Fawcett's sale. The team sold for three hundred and ninety five dollars not Two hundred and ninety-five.

We are pleased to report that Mr. Fawcett is now slowly recovering from his recent illness.

Wesley G. Barkley was busily engaged killing hogs on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Merkley were visiting at the former's parental home at Limerick on Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Barkley of Glen Baker, were recently visiting their daughter, Mrs. Calvin Merkley of this vicinity.

Miss Effie Merkley was calling on friends in the Valley last week.

Marvin J. Robinson of this vicinity, recently took a trip to Cardinal in quest of a load of feed. While there he bought a fine roadster.

Hugh Curran of Berwick, was recently calling through the Valley selling seed grain and potatoes.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wells of Hoasic, and Miss Emma Wells of North Williamsburg, were guests of John Marcellus and W. G. Barkley on Sunday.

John R. Campbell of Vernon, was calling on Alva Munro Friday last.

Miss Flora and Ethel Ball were visiting at Marvin J. Robinson's on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Munro have returned home after visiting relatives at Glen Becker.

Miss Lillie Barkley spent Saturday the guest of Miss Phoebe Dillabough.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Baker and son Harold spent Sunday evening at John H. Marcellus.

Guy Loucks of Williamsburg, was calling on Wesley Barkley one day last week on business.

Clifford Hess is now engaged working at the cheese Factory in this neighborhood.

Miss Maggie Hess is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Woods of Bethune Bush.

Dr, Ellis passed through the Valley on Monday.

Simon Barkley was taken very ill on Monday, but we are pleased to say he is now quite recovered.

Fred Sankey was recently the guest of Andrew Fawcett.

Clifford Hess of the Valley and Cyrus Hess of North Williamsburg, took a trip to Mountain on Sunday.

John White of town, was recently calling through the Valley selling incubators.

Ruben Barkley with his son-in-law Calvin Merkley, was calling on Simon Barkley last week.

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NATION VALLEY.

Several attended the party at the Sanitarium on Friday last.

Jay Quart and De Long Preston of Winchester, were guests of friends here recently.

Andrew Mason of South Indian, and son Russell, were visiting friends here on Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Coons of the Springs, were visiting relatives here first of the week.

James Merkley spent Saturday in Morrisburg.

Rolland Shaver of Morewood vicinity, spent Saturday in the Valley.

Mrs. William Jamieson attended the funeral of her mother. Mrs. J. Ault of Hulbert, on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Quart and grandson Dan Preston of Winchester, were guests of relatives here.

Misses Annie and Jean McKercher and brother George of Cass Bridge, visited friends here recently.

Some from here attended the farewell party given Chris. Irving and family on Monday last.

Dan Fawcett of Maple Ridge, has been visiting his brother here.

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Howard Henry is the Rhodes scholar for Manitoba.

W. B. Rogers, Toronto, has been appointed postmaster of Toronto. The order was put through at Saturday's cabinet meeting.

S. A. Taplin for over fifty years a merchant in Athens, Ont., died Saturday morning, aged 79 year. Mr. Taplin was for some years reeve of Young township.

MOREWOOD.

Miss Eva Harrison spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Agnes Martin of Connaught.

Roy Fetterly visited at Osnabruck Centre on Sunday.

Miss Bessie Kittle of Chesterville, visited Misses Elva and Jessie Shaver on Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Jennie Hunter visited Miss Florence McKay of Russell a few days last week,

Mr. Nelson Latour of Kenmore, visited his parental home here the latter part of the week.

C. McMillan of Cahore, was in town on Friday.

Miss Mabel Reveler of Winchester, is spending a few days with Morewood friends.

Mrs. S. Casselman of Grantley, is spending a few days at her parental home here.

Messrs. Wes. and Howard McConnell visited at W. McKay's Russell, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moffat and little son Kenneth visited Dunbar friends on Sunday.

CASS BRIDGE.

March 16th.

Jas. Johnston and Miss Ethel Jamieson visited friends at Hulbert last week

Thos. Servage and family have moved to their new home near Grantley.

Mr. and Mrs, R. Morrow have returned home after visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. R. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McQuat and son John, spent Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rose of Rose Haven.

Mr. John Henderson and Miss Bertha Johnston visited friends at Morrisburg on Friday last.

Mrs Wm. Jamieson and daughter Lena visited at the home of Mr. D. McKercher's on Thursday last.

A number of young folks gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Darling's on Friday evening last. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all in games, etc.

Mr. W. J. Mulloy of Winchester, was in town Saturday on business.

Mrs William Errington and daughter Maggie of Dundela, visited the former's parents here, Mr. and Mrs. John Middagh.

Mr. Jas and Alex. Clark of Mountain were calling on friends here recently.

Miss Maud Johnston has returned home after spending a week with friends, at Mountain.

Miss Mina McGee of Hexton, spent Sunday at Daniel Johnston's.

March 23rd.

A large number of the young folks attended the dance at Winchester Springs on Friday evening last and report a good time.

Miss Maggie Irving of Winchester, is spending a few days visiting friends here.

Chris Irving's sale was well attended on Thursday last and everything was sold at a good figure. Mr. Irving intends moving to Winchester very soon where he will reside in future.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Render of Vancamps, visited friends here on Saturday last.

Dr Hess of Nation Valley, passed through town on Sunday last.

Thos. Johnston and E. Middagh visited friends at Nation Valley on Monday last.

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BERWICK.

March 25.

Mrs. J. McIntyre has returned from Ottawa Hospital.

Miss Carrie Dillabough is visiting friends in Chesterville.

T. Gray of Point Fortune, is visiting his daughters, Mrs. S. Johnson and Mrs. Geo. McMartin.

D. McDonald of Santa Claire, N.Y., is home for a few days.

Mrs. Chas. Gray and daughter visited friends in Winchester last week.

Miss Lizzie Ruddy, who has been on the sick list, is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Helmer were in Winchester on Wednesday, attending the funeral of the former's aunt.

It is our painful duty to chronicle the death of Miss Bertha McMonagle, who passed peacefully away on Friday, 20th inst., aged 24 years. Deceased was enjoying almost perfect health until about two months previous to her death, when she contracted a cold, which rapidly developed into serious lung disease. She was a young lady of sterling qualities, of a cheerful, amiable disposition, and had a host of friends, who mourn her early demise. Her suffering was borne by her with a Christian fortitude and resignation. The funeral procession was one of the largest seen in this vicinity for several years. Rev. Mr. Hamilton of Finch, and Rev. Mr. Shea of Winchester, conducted the funeral services in the M. E. Church, after which interment was made in Berwick cemetery. She leaves to mourn her loss her parents, one sister, Mrs. D. Nephew of Finch; one brother, Geo. E., to whom the heartfelt sympathy of the commmunity is extended. The pall-bearers were Messrs. W. Dey, D. McMillan, L. Hutt, J. Pollock, G. Pollock and R. Empey.

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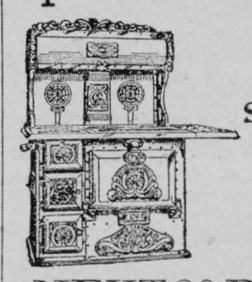
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A SHADOWED PATH;

Or, The Curse Of The Family

CHAPTER VIII.—(Continued).

But Judith determined something too, although she said nothing about it, which was, that let who liked become Mrs. Mazingford the second, she never would; perhaps, she was influenced in this decision by a secret distrust of the man; at all events, she always treated her godfather with so resolute a misunderstanding of his intentions, with so total an ignoring of the very possibility of his entertaining any matrimonial ideas concerning her, that Miss Ridsdale was delighted.

"Thank God," she used to murmur fifty times a month, during the course of that summer and autumn—"Thank God, my dear child is no flirt."

But Judith's conscience could perhaps have told a different tale. She knew whe her there were not times when she wrung and teazed and tortured as noble a heart as ever throbbed in a man's breast; a "flirt,' in the ordinary sense of the word, she had not yet become, but every ingredient for making the character was in her. The essences which had descended through generations in the Ridsdale family, were strong within her, as if nature had only concocted them that minute, instead of centuries before; there they were, ready to be mixed together any day; at hand to assist in working out whatever mischief the young beauty pleased. This was the weak point in that otherwise lovable nature; the stain that blackened one portion of her charcter—the solitary defect, which rendered her, spite of Mr. Renelle's excusable vanity, imperfect; this had been the bane of her race; this was the curse!

But because she never flirted with Mr. Mazingford, and because she never saw her flirting with anyone else, Miss Ridsdale fancied she was safe; and breathing, after years of fear and anxiety, freely again, thanked God for it.

And so without a suspicion of the fact, or a dread of the future, her aunt saw winter arrive for the sixteenth time since Judith's entrance into life, and Christmas day came round once more—the Christmas day before the girl's seventeenth birthday. A cheerful party sat around the dining-table that evening, chatting and laughing and laughing, within convenient distance of the blazing logs—for Mr. Mazingford was spending a week with the owner of Llandyl Hall, and the clergyman and his wife, and his wife's cousin, Marcus Lansing, had come through the snow to dine and pass the evening with the Renelles and their guest.

Judith sat facing her father. Mr. Renelle always liked her to do so—and more than one at the table thought she had never looked so beautiful before.

Mr. Mazingford sat next to her, looking ten years younger than he really was, and so handsome, that Marcus Lansing mentally cursed him from behind a dish of sea-kale. With his hair brushed back and his blue eyes fastened on the young thing at his side, he appeared so sure of his prize, and so certain to win it, that Marcus could have choked him in his chair.

For he was not handsome like his rival, and lacked moreover the advantages of dress, self-possession, and self-assurance. Long, dark hair, which would not curl, and would get into tangled masses, no matter what efforts he made to keep it in order; deeply-set, thoughtful, earnest, melancholy eyes, black whiskers, a straight nose, a broad forehead, marked by lines of care and anxiety, though he was but seven-and-twenty. A somewhat wide mouth, cheeks pale and thin, and sunken, with over-study and over-work—a tall emicated figure—thin, bony hands, and somewhat unfashionable garments, made up the tout ensemble of as true a man as ever breathed; one who loved Judith with all his heart and soul, and power and strength.

Beside him, Lillian, a fair, delicate cripple, had her appointed place, and nearer Mr. Renelle, his sister-in-law, Millicent Ridsdale. Stephen, a low-browed, unsocial cub, who had passed three-and-twenty summers in the world, apparently for the sole purpose of clouding everybody's sunshine in it, kept the Rector and his lady company at the other side of the table.

They were not worth describing; besides nobody in that room had eyes for any one but Judith, beautiful Judith Renelle.

Save her aunt, to whose mind two things, which had hitherto been concealed from her, became apparent during the progress of that meal; one that the poor lawyer from London loved her niece; another, that the disease of her race had fallen upon the girl—that the malady was at length revealing itself—that it was not extinct, that it had only been slumbering, that it was there.

Heaven knows what spirit of evil tempted Judith on that night; whether it was the pride of her beauty, or simple thoughtlessness—only one thing certain, she did, sitting there at the head of her father's table, don for the first time, in public, the manners of a coquette.

Perhaps it was Mr. Lansing's gloomy brow which urged her on; or the gay, childish heart, that would not appear to be bound with the trammels of his love, but flung it back to him, pettishly and defiantly; and it is useless speculating about what passed through her brain, for in spite of her aunt's grave looks, and Marcus' imploring glances, Judith did flirt with the great man of the company—flirt with him to her heart's content, making him, in an hour's space of time, despise the girl, even whilst he admired the beauty.

"Yes, yes,' he thought, as he returned to his seat after the ladies had retired; "yes, yes, the taint of the Ridsdales is on her, the foible of her sex is in her. It is all very well, pretty Judith, now; but when you are my wife, since be my wife you must, I won't stand any of those tricks, and so you shall find. It might do well enough for the fools who married your aunts, but not for me, little flirt, not for me."

And with a slight shade on his brow, and an almost imperceptible sneer hovering about his mouth, Mr. Mazingford replenished his wine-glass, passed the decanter on to the Rector, and then turned to contemplate Mr. Lansing.

That gentleman's gaze was fastened upon him, and as the eyes of the two men, of the good and the bad, met, each detected a something in the expression of the other which revealed a history to him; the exchange of glances was but momentary, yet when the brief scrutiny had ended, when Marcus removed his glance from his rival's face and the owner of Wavour Hall was interrupted in his employment of reading thoughts by a question from his host, the barrister thoroughly comprehended the purpose of Mr. Mazingford's heart, and Mr. Mazingford felt it would perhaps be prudent to cut short further intimacy between him and Judith; for, "hang it," he thought, "it would scarcely be pleasant to have a second Eleanor Maskell for a wife—one of such in a generation is sufficient for any family; more than sufficient for me."

"What about the coal mine, Renelle, eh?" he added, aloud. "Any hopes of a black El Dorado held out by the geologist?'

"That there is coal in my estate is a matter of certainty," replied the host, with a flush of face and a flurry of manner which told how powerfully the subject interested him; "but whether it will turn out an El Dorado for me or not, I cannot tell."

"Pooh!—nonsense!" returned Mr. Mazingford; "we shall see you a millionaire owner of black diamonds yet; and when that day comes, our reverend friend here will insist on your building him a new school-house. What say you, Mr. Berbige? Is not that the boon you will crave when rough-visaged men come swarming over the hills, and guineas flow in so fast that Mr. Renelle will scarce be able to count them?"

With a start, Mr. Lansing turned a quick, keen glance, first on the last speaker, and then on his host. The hands of the man who had hitherto been so successful in the great battle of life, were literally trembling with excitement; and as Mr. Renelle vainly strove to cut an apple in twain, the knife fell from his useless fingers; his lips moved under the influence of strong and irrepressible emotion, and his eyes, usually dull and grey, sparkled so eagerly and with such a look of restless joy, that Marcus felt a chill pang shoot through his heart as the real state of the case suddenly dawned upon him.

"Fiend!" he thought, and for a moment Mr. Mazingford cowered under the stern gaze the young man fixed upon him; whilst the Rector wonderingly exclaimed:—

"Coal, Mr. Renelle!—is it possible?—I never heard of it, are you certain about it?—allow me to congratulate you with all my heart."

"Not yet—not yet!' began the host, striving, though vainly, to subdue the hope which at times he feared might never become a certainty. "Not yet."

But Mr. Mazingford cut him short with a decided:

"Yes, congratulate him to your heart's content, Mr. Berbige, and if you want the school-house, present your petition—propose the motion, and I will second it; for coal has been found on the estate of Llandyl Hall, and Mr. Renelle will make a fortune out of the barren acres yet, and we are going to get up a company first to find the mine and then work it; and if Stephen plays his cards well, he may be M. P. for our shire, and Lord Renelle, before he is ten years older; and so, gentlemen, if you fill your glasses, we will empty them, if you please, to the success of the Llandyl coal mines. Mr. Lansing, you prefer port, I believe?"

But Mr. Lansing pushed the bottle somewhat rudely away, rose abruptly, and left the room without uttering a word.

"He must be ill, poor fellow," said Mr. Mazingford, sowewhat disconcerted by this repulse. "However, Renelle, I swallowed this bumper to your speedy prosperity;' and the wine went rapidly down the speaker's throat, whilst Mr. Renelle steadied his hand sufficiently to enable him to drain his glass, after which exploit he murmured a few words of thanks and hopes.

"God grant!" he finished with—"God grant——'

"For in His hands lies the issue," added the clergyman; "and, oh! Mr. Renelle, may He in His mercy so govern your heart, that if fulfilment arrive unto you, it may not be unduly exalted; if disappointment, it may not be hopelessly cast down!" and so saying, Mr. Berbige arose to follow his relative.

"A croaking parson," sneered Mr. Mazingford, when the door closed behind him; "a sanctimonious, canting bird of ill-omen. I wonder, Renelle, you tolerate such a fellow. But let him pass. Come, Stephen, what are you about?"

Stephen was thinking about nothing, and as this was, according to his own statement, his usual occupation, Mr. Mazingford, by way of variety, tried to divert him from it, by making him tipsy whilst he talked eagerly and confidently to Mr. Renelle about the coal mine that was to be.

That was to be—ah, when?

Meanwhile, Mr. Berbige had found his way to the drawing-room, as it was termed; which was merely, however, the nursery of old turned back again to its original purpose of a reception chamber.

It was really wonderful how the girl had managed to make the room look, not merely habitable, but also even stylish; and Mr. Mazingford, when introduced thereto, had passed a very warm eulogium on her taste and tact, whilst mentally considering, for the hundred and fiftieth time, what a capital wife Judith Renelle would prove, and marvelling where on earth the young beauty had learned all she knew. "I believe from my soul it was born with her, like her face and her manners,' he concluded; and the conclusion was right.

He had fastened his eyes for a moment on the piano, doubtingly—

"Mrs. Berbige gave it me," Judith explained, with a certain flurry of manner, which did not escape Mr. Mazingford's observation either, though he received the information with a pleasant smile, that was instantly exchanged for a hearty laugh as he beheld his god-daughter, with most feminine promptitude, deal Stephen a box on the ear by way of punishment for having pulled the cover off one of the deal tables for the amiable purpose of exhibiting the nakedness of the land—which, by the way, was one of the modes he adopted of annoying his sister in the presence of visitors.

"We shall have to fetter your hands, Judith," he said, taking both of them in his, and looking intently in her face the while; "you really are dangerous.'

Perhaps she understood what he meant, for the blood came rushing to her face, and somehow she involuntarily glanced towards the piano; but instantly recovering herself, she hastily released her fingers, and replying with some warmth that "Stephen would provoke a saint!' immediately left the apartment.

"Which you are not," added Stephen to her sentence as she closed the door behind her; "but I say, Mr. Mazingford, don't you believe what she tells you about that jingling old piano; I am sure Mrs. Berbige never gave it her at all.'

"Indeed—and who then did, pray?" inquired Mr. Mazingford, with some interest; whereupon Stephen informed him that, "Maybe if he looked sharp, he'd find out.'

"And another thing, too," he added, "you might have thought of buying her one long ago. It would have been the best move you ever made." Over which suggestion, which he had only given because it was too late to be acted on, and which proved extremely galling to Mr. Mazingford, the heir of the Renelles chuckled audibly, till Judith's godfather growing provoked at the youth's merriment, went off on a stroll through the grounds in search of his host.

It was before this instrument which Stephen had called jingling, that Mr. Berbige found Judith seated. She seemed playing less to amuse herself than to torment others, for Miss Ridsdale stood near the fire, uneasily regarding the way in which she went rattling over the notes—and Marcus Lansing leaned on the end of the piano, vainly essaying to edge in a solitary word between the chords and runs, and octaves, wherewith Judith was unconnectedly favoring the company. She looked up in the face of the clergyman with such an amused expression, that the stern preacher could not but feel provoked. Well he knew the history of the instrument, though Judith only suspected it—well he remembered how Marcus, hearing how fond the girl, who had learned to play somehow on the old harpischord, was of coming over to the Rectory and practising for an hour or so in the week, had arranged with his cousin that she, who never touched the keys by any chance, should make a present of her piano to Judith, and that afterwards Marcus should pay her for it.

"It has recommenced snowing," Mr. Berbige said. "I fear we are going to have a heavy fall.'

And Mrs. Berbige and Miss Ridsdale followed him, in order that they also might make their observations on the weather.

As they stood by the distant window, Marcus, who had striven to attract Judith's attention hitherto without success, suddenly stopped the melody, which sounded like a hundred discords in his ears, by laying a nervous hand on the girl's fingers.

"I want to speak to you," he said; "give me half an hour, I pray."

He added the two last words in a lower accent, and in a tone of pained entreaty; but he might as well have asked serious attention from a kitten as from Judith, then.

She took her white hands demurely off the keys, and crossing them on her still whiter arms, told him very patronizingly to "proceed."

"Not here,' he answered; "I cannot speak here."

"Ah, well then," she retorted, "you must defer speaking at present, for I cannot hear elsewhere."

For a moment he looked angry, but the expression changed instantly, into one of the deepest sorrow, as Judith, flinging a half-saucy, half-defiant glance upon him, rose and joined the group at the window, remaining with the trio till Miss Ridsdale proposed a return to the fire.

Then Mr. Lansing came and stood quite close to Judith, whilst he addressed a sentence to her aunt.

"Miss Ridsdale," he said, "I wish to say something of great importance to Miss Renelle; can you spare her for a few minutes? I will not detain her long."

The lady glanced at her niece to see if she would rise; but she did not, and noticing the expression which came into the young man's face, Miss Ridsdale said:—

"Of course, Mr. Lansing," and added—"Judith, I desire you to grant the interview he requests at once."

Judith felt wonderfully inclined to rebel, but something in her aunt's voice, and something also in her own heart, prevented any outward sign of irritation from displaying itself, and, obedient to the word of command, she arose, and taking a candlestick from the piano, walked across the apartment without answering a word.

Mr. Lansing opened the door for her, and then passed out himself; silently he followed her footsteps up the broad staircase.

"Will you sit down and talk to me here" she asked, with something of her usual manner, when they got to the second flight.

"No," answered her companion, gravely—and they passed on together into one of the upper rooms.

(To be Continued.)

THE ABYSMAL DEPTHS.

(By A. Banker.)

It is stated that if a large thick sheet of plate glass be inserted in the hull of a vessel, the bottom of the sea can, within certain limits of depth, be observed with startling distinctness. And what a weird spectacle must be presented by that charnel house of the ages; what an assemblage of venerable relics of the past; what a melancholy array of many a gallant ship struck down by nature's wrath and hurtled prone into the chambers of the deep, carrying down to a watery grave perhaps hundreds going forth to a new country, animated with buoyant hopes and glad and sanguine anticipations of joy and happiness. And there they lie, uncoffined, and unknelled; no mausoleum to mark their grave; no monument to record their virtues.

Here, perhaps, is a Spanish galleon, laden with untold treasure—vast stores of gold, and precious stones, and wondrous Aztec jewellery—the plundered spoils filched by those blood-thirsty buccaneers from the hapless natives of the main, slaughtered if they made resistance to the despoiling greed of those thieving marauders, and now themselves slaughtered by irate nature, and entombed in the midst of their ill-gotten booty. Or here the scene of a great naval battle; several old-time men-of-war—handsome and graceful frigates, a fine line-of-battle ship, and perhaps two or three corvettes and war-sloops; their battered sides and shot-riddled, broken masts indicating the fury of the tornado of cannon-balls to which they were subjected.

But there are other sights to be seen, not gruesome or melancholy, but graceful and ever beautiful gardens of the sea; parterres of fairy coralline; waving fronds of feathery flora of the ocean; many hued, animated sea-flowers, their long tentacles moving to and fro ready to seize an unwary young mullusc which ventures too near the beautiful thing; together with many another fair and graceful beauty of the deep.

Aye, the broad ocean, though so fair and so lovely, yet all down the ages has claimed her hecatombs of victims, whose whitened bones still lie there in her ruthless grip. But on the Great Day, when the sea gives up her dead, all that mighty concourse will stand before the Judge of all; those who have fought the good fight of faith and whose misdeeds have been obliterated from the record by the Redeemer, who bore, Himself, the punishment for them, received with joyful acclaim into the realms of glory; those who rebelled against their God, driven out from His presence.

VICTIMS OF RUSSIAN ANARCHY.

Terrorists Succeed in Driving Out the Landlords.

The progress and results of the revolution in Russia generally, and throughout the Baltic provinces in particular, where it has been spending its utmost fury, are almost unknown in this country.

One frequently hears in Western Europe hard things said of the Russian Government in its dealings with the Revolutionists. It is necessary to travel through the three great provinces of Courland, Esthonia and Livonia, and see with one's own eyes the overwhelming devastation wrought by the Revolutionists, to measure the full extent of the reckless havoc and savage cruelty practised by them throughout their unhappy land.

That martial law was absolutely necessary no one who sees and hears what I see and hear, staying about in families who have lived in this part of Russia all their lives, can possibly doubt, writes a Riga correspondent. Had it been introduced sooner, and stringent measures taken earlier, murder and outrages of the most brutal kind would have been prevented, and an enormous amount of valuable property—castles, mansions, farmsteads, forests and crops—would have been saved. The Government's fault has not been over-severity, but too great leniency and forbearance.

In these three provinces 192 properties have been looted, wrecked and burned. The country is a desolate wilderness; the owners of these properties, where not murdered, have had to flee for their lives and hide themselves in the forests, to suffer there the most terrible hardships from exposure in Russian winter. Bands, headed by red flags, have marched through the country carrying death and destruction in every direction. And all this is by no means at an end.

Whatever may have been the destruction of life in the French Revolution it may be doubted if the destruction of homes and property was as great in France as in Russia. The prevailing opinion is that if complications arise in Turkey the outbreak throughout the Empire will exceed all that has gone before.

MORE ABOUT HIM.

Old Grimes had died.

Reverent hands removed the long black coat he had always worn.

Then it was discovered why he had kept it always buttoned down before.

He had no vest.

About the Farm

THE RELATIVE VALUE OF CASEIN AND FAT.

Bulletin No. 156, from the Wisconsin Experiment Station, describes "A Simple Test for Casein in Milk, and its Relation to the Dairy Industry." At the outset we would say, once and for all, that it seems to be another case of "I told you so." The conclusions reached by the author of the Bulletin are the same as those we put forward about fifteen years ago, says Prof. H. H. Dean. This seems quite a long time to wait before one's views one an important question are accepted by others, but it is at least some satisfaction to know that the truth will out in some cases before a man shuffles off this mortal coil. If we could see a few men repenting because of the stand they took in this controversy of fifteen years ago, we should be ready to exclaim, like one of old, "Now let thy servant depart in peace, for mine eyes have seen," etc. The following extracts from the introduction in the bulletin have a more or less familiar look:

"But the proposition that the percentage of fat is also a measure of the value of nearly all milks for cheese production has not been generally accepted.

"This clearly shows that for cheese production, the amounts of casein and fat should be known to both producer—the man who owns the cow—and the man who buys the milk.

"In the milk of individual cows there is certainly no definite and constant relation between the amounts of fat and casein.

"On the basis of cost of production, it is a fair assumption that it has caused the feeder as much to produce a pound of casein as a pound of fat. The proteins to which casein belongs are nitrogen-containing bodies, and are the farmer's most expensive nutrients. When the farmer sells casein he is selling nitrogen; but when he sells fat he sells his cheapest source of nutrients,

THE AIR AND WATER.

It appears that there is something irrational and unbalanced in the relative commercial values of these two products. From the farm point of view, the sale of casein represents a greater agricultural drain than when the fat is sold, and from this viewpoint alone it would appear that these two milk constituents should at least have a closer commercial value."

With all of which we heartily agree, yet we find persons talking and writing as if the value of milk for all purposes depends upon the fat contained. We trust that the management of our fairs will not concede any more points to those who are continually clamoring for more value to be placed on milk fat. For butter production fat is undoubtedly the constituent of milk which determines its value, and for butter making, fat is all that we need consider. But the making of butter is a comparatively small industry in the Province of Ontario. The great bulk of the milk is used directly as a food, or is manufactured into cheese. All public tests, based on production, should take into consideration the fact that the bulk of the milk produced in Ontario is used for the manufacture of cheese. To place too much importance on the fat alone is more or less an injustice. This is not written in a controversial spirit, nor with the object of "hitting" anyone, but with the hope that those responsible will see the justice of the foregoing, and not cater any further to the "fat" cry.

The writer goes on to say: "One animal may yield a milk containing 2.7 per cent. casein and 6 per cent. fat, while another produces a milk of 2.7 per cent casein and 4 per cent. fat; and still another a milk carrying 3.5 per cent. casein and 6 per cent. fat. Expressed in another way, we have milks where, for every 100 pounds fat, there may be anywhere from 40 to 73 pounds of casein. Surely it is clear that, for cheese production, a milk carrying for every 100 pounds of fat, 73 pounds of casein, would yield more cheese than one containing but 40 pounds of casein."

One more quotation: "Another matter of considerable importance in the discussion of the relative amounts of casein and fat in cows' milk presents itself, and that is the

RELATIVE COMMERCIAL VALUES

of these two constituents. Both casein and fat are important foods, casein belonging to that generally more expensive class of nutrients—the proteids, and popularly called the flesh-builders. Yet at prevailing prices at our creamery a pound of fat is worth 25 cents, while a pound of casein, as allowed for skim milk, at 30 cents a hundred, is worth 12 cents. If we allow the same value for fat in cheese as it commands in butter, then the casein per pound in cheese is worth 18 cents. On the theory that the feeding or nutritive value of these two constituents depends on the amount of heat they can produce, the fat could have about double the value of casein, but nutritive value and heat-producing capacity are not with certainty to be so closely correlated."

We should like to emphasize the latter part of the preceding sentence in our humble opinion the method of valuing goods according to the heat produced is far from satisfactory. As anyone knows, the proteids or muscle formers are the most expensive forms of foods. The workingman in Great Britain has found Canadian cheese at sixpence a pound the very cheapest muscle-former he can buy. He may not know much about the chemistry of food, but he knows that cheese "keeps up his muscle" better than any other food, considering cost, hence he buys and eats cheese in large quantities. If he could not get it at sixpence he would be willing to pay more,—but none can blame him for getting it as cheaply as possible. We look for the time when farmers will be ready to pay as much for cheese as for prime cuts of beef. It would pay to have the food value of Canadian dairy products demonstrated weekly in such a place as the Exchange Building in Manchester, Eng., and at other points.

BIG THOUGHTS OF BIG MEN.

Patience is bitter, but its fruit is sweet.—Rousseau.

A straight life is the shortest distance between honesty and honor.

To prepare us for complete living is the function of education.—Herbert Spencer.

No joy so great but runneth to an end,
No hap so hard but may in fine amend.
—Robert Southwell.

A certain amount of patience is a good thing, but too much of it may be as fatal as a lack of courage.

A good book and a good woman are excellent things for those who know how to appreciate their value. — Dr. Johnson.

He who lives for others will have friends, but he who lives for himself must not complain when he finds the world forsaking him.

Misfortune sometimes brings the best out of a man. There is no set of circumstance out of which a strong man, relying upon his strength, may not disentangle himself.—G. H. Bainbridge.

"Don't worry" should be the motto of old and young. No situation is improved by anxiety, sleeplessness, or nervous prostration. Men of character and brains, men of iron will and energy, never worry.

Affectation is the greatest enemy both of doing well and good acceptance of what is done. I hold it the part of a wise man to endeavor rather that fame may follow him than go before him.—Bishop Hall.

We can have the highest happiness only by having wide thoughts and much feeling for the rest of the world as well as for ourselves. The great thing is to love—not to be loved. Love is for both worlds. Perfect happiness is for the other only.

Nothing is easier than fault-finding; no talent, no self-denial, no brains, no character are required to set up in the grumbling business; but those who are moved by a genuine desire to do good have little time for murmuring or complaint.—Robert West.

Children furnish more than one-half of the world's purest joys, their beautiful deeds breaking in upon us oftentimes as delightful surprises; and stupid would we be if we failed to be roused from life's torpor by their presence, their needs and their expression of them.

Yesterday is a memory so distinct that it is incapable of idealization. It is also the nurse of to-day. To-day is a vital reality; impotently dependent on yesterday, and nervously afraid of to-morrow. To-morrow is an inevitable speculation. It is also the policeman of to-day. To-day is a forecast of to-morrow based on a review of yesterday.

HUSBANDS AND WIVES.

He that has not got a wife is not yet a complete man.

One good husband is worth two good wives; for the scarcer things are, the more they are valued.

Marry above thy rank and thou wilt get a master.

If you want a neat wife, choose her on a Saturday.

Why does the blind man's wife paint herself?

Marry your son when you will, but your daughter when you can.

I know not which live more unnatural lives,
Obeying husbands, or commanding wives.

A good wife lost is God's gift [illegible]
Where there is marriage without [illegible]
there will be love without marr[illegible]
A house without woman and fi[illegible]
is like a body without soul or [illegible]
Never take a wife till you [illegible]
house to put her in.
Good wives and good plantat[illegible]
by good husbands.

The good or ill hap of a good or ill life,
Is the good or ill choice of a good or ill wife.

POINT OF VIEW.

His Wife—"How does my new hat look?"

Her Husband—"Well, it looks like a week's salary to me, but it probably looks like 50 cents to any other man."

It is so much easier to forget a favor than to forgive an injury.

Some of the charity that begins at home makes a hasty get-away.

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THE GREAT VODKA TRUST

RUSSIA HAS A MONOPOLY ON THE LIQUOR SALE.

Czar Owns All Saloons—Witte's Plan for Revenue Undermines Nation's Manhood.

As the autocrat of Russia the czar is the proprietor of all the saloons in his vast domains. There is no other man in that line, in the old world or the new, who comes anywhere near doing such a gigantic business. It is the biggest trust on earth, with all competition absolutely barred, writes a St. Petersburg correspondent.

The government encourages drink to such an extent that the income derived from the sale of vodka last year exceeded 738,000,000 rubles—more than $369,000,000.

"Drink kills Russia!" declared M. Tchelyseff, a member of the third duma, to whom Russia owes the publication of these appalling figures. This bold man, who has the dangerous habit of speaking his mind, told the czar's ministers that the budget was built up of poison given to the people, and that what Russia really wants to cure all of her ills is not revolution or constitution, but temperance. He would have all the vodka shops in the empire closed. He hurled columns of figures at M. Stolypin at a recent duma sitting, showing that the increase of income to the treasury by the sale of vodka averaged from 200,000,000 to 300,000,000 of rubles a year, and that at the same time the poverty and wretchedness of peasant and workman have increased to an awful extent.

GROW FROM BAD TO WORSE.

Things have been growing from bad to worse ever since the year 1893, when Alexander III., the "hero czar," as reactionaries call him, was on the throne. He and his ministers saw that the contents of the treasury were dwindling down in an alarming manner. Oppression, war, and mismanagement had seduced his empire, so rich in resources, to a state verging on bankruptcy. He appealed to his minister of finances, Count Witte, for some way out of the difficulty.

Witte has not gained his high position for nothing. He is one of the cleverest servants the czars, father and son, have ever had. His answer was soon ready.

"The amount of drunkenness in the empire is appalling," he said. "Everybody who keeps a kabak (grog shop), adulterates the vodka, and by making it cheap, induces the peasant to drink too much of it. The only way to put a stop to it is for your imperial highness to take the monopoly of the sale into your own hands. The treasury will have enormous profits and the public pure vodka."

All this was doubtless true. The influence of the "kabak" was demoralizing, as is the influence of every place where men are encouraged to drink to excess.

CZAR'S BAR WORSE THAN OLD.

These old publicans, with their adulterated drinks and their usury were [illegible]ew publican, [illegible]p away their [illegible]eplaced them [illegible]e is no longer [illegible]where the villag[illegible]ng together. The [illegible]drink is purer and [illegible]ld in bottles—it is also dearer. But [illegible]f more of it is drunk. So much more, in fact, that, whereas in the year 1901 the treasury gained a net profit of $129,540,000 from the sale of vodka, in the year 1905 it had increased to $257,040,000. And this huge sum is principally drawn from wretched peasants and workingmen out on strike.

The poorer the men get the more they drink, and the more they drink the less they will work. The large landed proprietors are complaining bitterly of this. In White Russia, where the soil is unusually rich, the peasants are unusually poor and the proprietors have to let whole estates go untilled because they cannot get laborers.

The secret of much of the banditism which is now ranging in Russia is this craving for vodka. Most of the booty is spent on it. Beggars infest the streets of the towns and hang on to the cabs and sledges, worrying and threatening the passengers till they get a few coppers, which are promptly spent in the vodka shops.

TEMPERANCE HOUSES DESERTED.

But the temperance houses, instituted by Count Witte to replace the "kabaks," are deserted, though they cost over $5,100,000 yearly to keep up. They are dull places, providing nothing but bad tea and newspapers the habitues are too ignorant to read. There is some talk of abolishing these expensive, useless places, which cannot possibly pay their way. But no village commune can abolish the local grog-shop, though many communes have condemned them as demoralizing in the extreme. They cannot close them without the consent of the state, which is naturally almost impossible to obtain, as one community after another would follow suit and the result would be a great loss to the treasury. Every village, therefore, has this "bottled poison" thrust upon it, and in the large towns the number of the depots is abnormally high.

Several socialistic parties began a crusade by raiding all the vodka shops in the towns, setting fire to the spirits and taking the gains from the till. But more vodka was always forthcoming and strong guards stood outside the shops with bayonets fixed, only allowing one customer in at a time.

SOCIETY WOMEN HUNT LIONS.

Enjoyed Rough Camp Life and Fond of Adventures.

The Countess of Sefton, who recently shot her first lion in Abyssinia, is by no means the only society lady who has accomplished this unfeminine feat.

Mrs. Alan Gardner, accompanied by her late husband, explored not only India but the wildest and most remote parts of Africa, including Somaliland, in search of big game, and is one of the very few women living who have hunted both lions and tigers.

Another adventurous sportswoman in society is the Duchess of Somerset, who has not only hunted bears in the Western wilds of America, but perfectly revels in the rough life of camp and is an expert in camp cookery.

Lady Delamere and Lady Hindlip, who are equally daring shots, spent their honeymoons among the big game in East Africa.

PLAYING 'POSSUM.

She—Jimmy, did you kiss me while I was asleep?

James—Well—er—a—I think I did steal one.

She (indignantly)—One? Why, I counted six before I woke up.

SHIPS AS FAST AS TRAINS

TERRIFIC SPEEDS ATTAINED BY USING OIL FUEL.

Great Advantages Secured Through New Methods in the British Navy.

The fact that the British destroyer Tartar, recently built by Messrs. Thornycroft, has steamed thirty-seven knots for a run of one file on her official trials with turbine engines, driven by steam produced by oil fuel, calls attention to the greatly increased speed which is obtained in the modern warship by using oil.

All the new ocean-going class of destroyers, to which the Tartar belongs, burn oil in their furnaces and carry no coal. The weight thus saved enables them to run at a prodigious speed. Four of the class have already been tried, and all have done from 33 to 35½ knots on an official run of six hours, under conditions which are practically those of war and with a strictly limited consumption of oil.

The advantages of oil as a fuel are innumerable, the only disadvantage from the British point of view being that there are no large oil-fields in the British Isles, so that in war our navy would have to rely for its supply of motive force upon

AN IMPORTED PRODUCT.

The first and greatest advantage is the elimination of the waste weight in coal. Coal when it is burnt leaves a certain amount of ash and clinker, which represents useless weight, and which has from time to time to be removed from the stokehold. With oil there is no such waste material that has to be removed.

A second point is the reduction of labor with oil fuel. Fewer stokers are needed, for all that is required is to turn on the valve which sprays the oil on the furnaces.

Thirdly, oil can be pumped from ship to ship, and can thus be easily transferred at sea in any but rough weather, whereas coaling at sea is extremely difficult and dangerous in anything but a perfect calm.

The one disadvantage of oil is that it does not offer any resistance to a projectile. Coal, when the bunkers are full, will protect the ship's vitals, and this oil fuel never can do.

The way in which the oil burnt is the following: The oil, which is a heavy treacly looking stuff, is sprayed with a current of air through burners so placed that the jets of flame from them impinge upon fire-bricks in the furnaces of the boilers.

OIL FUEL AND TORPEDO BOATS.

All that the stoker has to do is to manipulate his feed and burner valves, and the pressure of steam can be maintained with perfect steadiness and ease.

Oil fuel alone is burnt in all the thirty-six torpedo boats which have been recently built, or which are now building, for the British navy. In these vessels it gives excellent results.

In larger ships it has been slowly introduced during the past eight years, and all modern British battleships and armored cruisers carry a supply of oil, in addition to coal.

The oil is usually conveyed in the double-bottoms of the ships, though there is some risk from fire should a ship run aground and have her double-bottoms pierced, as in that case the oil might be carried up to the furnaces in the boiler rooms, which happened in the German battleship Friedrich III.

The Dreadnought carries several hundred tons of oil fuel, and all the King Edward class of battleships 400 tons apiece, while the large new armored cruisers have from 400 to 700 tons each.

TO INCREASE SPEED.

If it is desired suddenly to increase speed in one of these battleships or cruisers, the oil fuel is brought into play and sprayed on the furnaces through special burners. In the manœuvres of 1906, the King Edward class of battleships at once drew away from their pursuers when they turned on their oil fuel.

In the same maenœuvres the big cruiser Duke of Edinburgh turned on her oil jets and made a speed of 23 knots against a head sea. The smoke which she made was dense, but there was no mistaking the almost miraculous effect of the oil.

Tanks for the storage of oil are now being installed at all important British naval bases, and there is every indication that in the near future oil will be more and more used, and will gradually supplant coal as the main fuel for warships.

Most foreign navies, notably the French, German, Russian and Italian, already make large use of it to supplement coal. None of the United States ships carries it, for in this matter America is behind other progressive navies.

KING DISLIKES PAINTED FACES.

Displeased at a New Fashion Among Young Women.

It has just come to my knowledge, writes a correspondent, that the King and Queen were rather displeased at the number of women at the last court whose complexions bore obvious signs of artificial color. After several women, including some quite young girls, had passed, the King turned to the Queen, and remarked how astonished he was that the young daughter of a celebrated peer should have come to court with a painted face.

But of recent years this practice has become very general. When it was confined to middle-aged matrons anxious to preserve their fading charms, the King, who has large tolerance in these matters, did not make any remark, but it was easy to see he was shocked at the number of young women at last Friday's court whose faces shone with rouge. It is very probable that some notice may be taken of the matter before the next court.

There will be no gala performance at the opera this year, unless some prominent foreign ruler should decide to visit London at the eleventh hour. Both the Crown Prince and Crown Princess of Germany and the Crown Prince and Crown Princess of Sweden are expected to visit Windsor in the early part of the summer, when small dinner parties will be given in their honor, but they are not likely to come to London.

In Point of Politeness.

It was bedtime for Herbert and Grace. The two ventured timidly along the unlighted hallway. When the bottom of the stairs was reached, Herbert stopped. After vainly trying to pierce the darkness which lay before him, he loudly called:

"Oh, I say, mother; it isn't polite for men to go first, is it?"

"No, dear," came the response from the distance.

"Then go ahead, Grace," commanded the much-relieved Herbert, courageously pushing his sister to the fore.



"HELLO, THERE!" cried Gray Cat to Little Bird, who was perched on the maple tree just the length of the bough from his dear, warm nest-home.

"Hello!" answered Little Bird, calling down, with a friendly little chirp.

"Me-ow, me-ow, you seem to be a nice little creature," continued Gray Cat. "I think I'll invite you to come down and play with me. I know a great many much handsomer and richer little birds who would feel honored by my invitation—but I like you—really, I've taken quite a fancy to you——"

"Have you?" answered Little Bird, chirping in a pleased way and holding himself a bit straighter, the better to show off his fine form and the stylish color of his feathered coat.

"Yes, I have, and I want you very much for a playmate. The day is a fine one and we'll have no end of fun. Come, Little Bird, I'll give you the time of your life!"

"Thank you, thank you," answered Little Bird, "I will come as soon as I ask Mother Bird. It won't take but a moment——"

"No! no!" screamed Gray Cat, "you can't come if you do that—your mother won't mind—but it is to be a secret between us two. You can tell her after you come home; that will be time enough."

"But," answered Little Bird, "mother told me I must never fly off without first asking leave—but maybe this once won't hurt."

"Of course not," cried Gray Cat, "I'll take care of you. Come on and hurry up, you can tell her afterward."

Little Bird hesitated a minute, his head cocked thoughtfully on one side. He was listening to a tiny voice within him, that kept whispering, "Don't, don't." Suddenly Little Bird cried out, "Go 'way, Gray Cat! I don't want to play with you! I could not enjoy myself if I was disobeying my mother!" With that, Little Bird hopped back to the nest-home.

"Where have you been?" asked Mother Bird.

"I was talking to Gray Cat," answered Little Bird; "she wanted me to fly down and play with her. She wouldn't let me ask leave; she said I could tell you afterward."

"Little Bird, Little Bird," sobbed Mother Bird, "Gray Cat is a witch. She only wanted to kill you and eat you for her dinner."

"I'm so glad I minded," sobbed back Little Bird.

"You are a very good child and shall have the fattest worm in the pantry," answered Mother Bird, as she held him very close under her wing.

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1 Noxon binder, 5 foot cut
1 Noxon horse rake, 9 foot, all steel
1 Frost & Wood spring tooth seeder, 13 teeth
1 root pulper, new, 2 disk harrows,
1 top buggy, 1 open buggy, 1 double buggy
1 milk wagon, 1 road cart, 1 lumber wagon
1 long sleigh, 1 pair bobsleighs
1 horse corn cultivator, 2 walking plows
1 maple leaf grinder, 1 fanning mill
1 wheelbarrow 2 set double harness
1 set single harness
1 set of stallion harness
1 new set double carriage harness
2 cutters, 1 circular saw
and many other articles

The above mentioned cows are free from abortion and are a first-class herd.

At the same time and place, the farm, containing 90 acres, will be offered for sale, subject to a reserve bid.

Sale to Commence at 1 o'Clock, P.M., Sharp.

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 and under Cash; over that amount 5 months' credit, without interest, by parties furnishing approved joint notes. 6 per cent. per annum off for cash.

This is a bona fide sale, and everything offered will be sold to the highest bidder.

THOS. IRVING, Auctioneer.

Auction :-: Sale

—OF—

FARM STOCK

There will be offered for sale by Public Auction at Lot 7, in 8th Concession of Township of Williamsburg

1 1-2 Miles West of Grantley

—ON—

TUESDAY, MAR. 31, '08

The Following Articles, Viz:

9 milch cows, 2 heifers, 1 black mare colt, 1 yr. old, 1 bay horse, coming 5 years old, 2 brood sows in pig, 2 milk cans, 1 Daisy Barrel churn, No. 3, new; 1 horse rake, 1 set of single harness, 2000 feet pine lumber, 4 mounted deer heads, a quantity hay, and other articles.

Sale to Commence at 1 o'Clock

TERMS:

All sums of $10.00 and under, Cash; over that amount 6 months' credit (without interest), by parties furnishing approved joint notes; or 5 per cent. per annum off for cash.

Samuel Cramer, Auctioneer — David Beckstead, Proprietor.

Money to Loan.

$1300 on good security. For further particulars apply at RECORD Office.

Auction :-: Sale

—OF—

PURE BRED BACON SWINE

Sale by Public Auction at Lot No. 15, in the 1st Concession of the Township of Finch

1 Mile South and East of Village of Finch

—ON—

Wednesday, April 8th, '08

The Following Articles, Viz:

14 pure bred Yorkshire brood sows, bred, 6 pure bred Yorkshire brood sows, not bred; 2 or 3 boars, 10 pigs, both sexes, 5 weeks old. The above are all either registered or eligible for registration. This is a chance for to get high class pure bred bacon swine. 2 milch cows, 1 1-yr.-old Ayrshire heifer, 1 good driving horse, 9 yrs. old, 50 pure bred Plymouth Rock hens, a quantity of potatoes, and many other articles.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock

TERMS: All sums of $10 and under, Cash; over that amount 6 months' credit, without interest, by parties furnishing approved joint notes. 6 per cent. per annum off for cash.

Owing to ill health the undersigned is selling out and going to the West.

John McAvoy, Auctioneer — D. P. Cameron, Proprietor.

FRUIT MARKET !

Having had a number of years' experience handling fruit in this vicinity, I am now in a position to give the public a line of the best Fruits in season at lowest prices. Watch my advt. in the RECORD for bargains. Here are a few of the many which I offer:—

MASSENA LEMONS	20c per Dozen
MARMALADE ORANGES	25c "
CALIFORNIA NAVAL ORANGES	50c "
JUMBO VALENCIA ORANGES (Very Sweet)	30c "
APPLES	10c "
CABBAGE	2c per lb.

We also handle a Complete Stock of CIGARS, CIGARETTES and TOBACCOS.

Thanking the public for their Patronage, and soliciting a continuance of the same, I remain

Yours truly

I. PELLETIER, Chesterville.

NOTICE !

Having sold out my Tea Business to Mr. Geo. Heagle of Chesterville, it is necessary that I shall have a settlement of all outstanding accounts by the 1st of April. Not expecting to be in this part of the country after that rime, accounts must be settled either by cash or note. I will try and call on as many as possible during the next few weeks, and those I do not will receive a statement of their account. After that date all unpaid accounts will be placed for collection.

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SEMI-READY AGENCY.

Auction Sales.

Tuesday, March 31—Mr. Jas. T. Smith, who lives one mile south-west of Cannamore, will offer his milch cows, etc., for sale. Sale at 1 o'clock. Jas. Currie, auctioneer.

Tuesday, March 31st—David Beckstead, who lives 1½ miles west of Grantley, sale of farm stock, etc. Sale at 1 o'clock. S. A Cramer, auctioneer. See advt in RECORD.

Wednesday, April 8th—D. P. Cameron, who lives one mile south and east of Finch village will offer pure-bred Bacon Swine, etc., by auction. Sale at one o'clock. John M'Avoy auctioneer. See advt in RECORD.

Thursday, April 2nd—Calvin M. Munro who lives 3 miles south-west of Chesterville, will offer his farm stock, etc. by auction. Sale at 1 o'clock. Thos. Irving, auctioneer, See advt in RECORD.

Catarrh Cured or Money Back.

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NORTH WINCHESTER.

One of the most respected citizens of North Winchester, died on Monday morning March 23rd, 1908, in the person of Mr. James Reveler, who has been ill for over a year. Although able to move about it was not until the last two months that he was enentirely confined to the house. The deceased was 62 years of age and has lived all his life in this community. He was a member of the Methodist church and took a prominent part in all matters pertaining to its welfare. He was a good neighbor and one who will be greatly missed by all.

The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Hagar preached the sermon, being assisted by Rev. Stewart of the Presbyterian church. Besides a wife and two children, Mrs. H. Hughes of Ottawa and Fred, residing at home, he leaves to mourn his loss five brothers and one sister.

The sympathy of the whole community is extended to the widow and and family in their hour of bereavement.

Asks Us to Print it.

To relieve the worst forms of Rheumatism, take a teaspoonful of the following mixture after each meal and at bedtime:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce, Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

These harmless ingredients can be obtained from our home druggists and are easily mixed by making them well in a bottle. Relief is generally felt from the first few doses.

This prescription, states a well-known authority in a Cleveland morning paper, forces the clogged-up, inactive kidneys to filter and strain from the blood the poisonous waste matter and uric acid, which causes Rheumatism.

As Rheumatism is not only the most painful and torturous disease, but dangerous to life, this simple recipe will no doubt be greatly valued by sufferers here, at home, who should at once prepare the mixture to get this relief.

It is said that a person who would take this prescription regularly, a dose or two daily, or even a few times a week, would never have serious Kidney or Urinary disorders, or Rheumatism.

Cut this out and preserve it. Good Rheumatism prescriptions, which really relieve, are scarce, indeed, and when you need it, you want it badly. Our druggists here say they will either supply these ingredients or make the mixture ready to take, if any of our readers so prefer.

Trooper Mulloy is Respecting.

London, March 20.—Trooper L W. R. Mulloy, who lost his eyesight in the South African War, writing to the Canadian Associaten Press says he has just received the Toronto 'Globe' of March 5, and all who have subscribed, says: 'I cannot recognize the right of any man to thrust on me his benevolence. I must firmly refuse to accept private charity. The gifts given now to be Patriotic Fund are really donations to myself from the Canadian Government or from the original fund. I will thankfully accept what is my due, but to take private gifts would be to lower me in my own esteem and to take away that belief in my manhood I thank god is still strong in me."

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Played With a Rifle.

Brockville, March 24.—Roy Fetterly, a young man of this town, is in St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, lying in a critical condition as the result of fooling with a rifle, knowing at the same time it was loaded. The bullet lodged in his chest, just above the heart.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. A. H. Forbes is visiting at Oswegatchie, N.Y.

Miss Cora Merkley is employed in the post office of this place.

Mr. J. Wesley Allison of Morrisburg, was in town yesterday morning.

Miss Bertha Garrow of Almonte spent a few days the past week in town.

Mrs. McGee of Newmarket Ont., is visiting at her son's residence, Mr. T. McGee, of this place.

Miss Mary King of Chesterville, is spending the week-end with Miss Stella E. McDonald.—Herald.

Young Farmer Killed.

Brockville, Ont., March 23—Robert Vanston, son of a prominent farmer of Escott, was brought to the St. Vincent de Paul Hospital here this afternoon, suffering from injuries which ended fatally shortly afterwards. He was at work on Grenedier Island, operating a gasoline engine used in propelling a circular saw cutting wood when the large and swiftly revelving wheel burst. A portion of it struck Vanston on the right leg, near the body, almost severing the limb, and crushing the hip in a frightful manner. Temporary medical aid was secured and the patient removed to Brockville, but he died from shock and loss of blood before reaching the operating table. Vanston was unmarried.

Township Officers.

At the meeting of Winchester township conncil at Chesterville the following officers were appointed for the current year:—

Treasurer, Jas. Casselman; assessor, Humphry Erratt; collector (west), Geo. Elliott; collector (east), Allan Steven; auditors, John A. Campbell and Geo. Elliott; engineer, G. E. McEwen; medical health officer, P. McLaughlin; clerk, Geo. Quart.

Overseers of Gravel Pit—Silas Cross, J. W. Bogart, Sylvester Cheney, Arthur McMillan.

Health Officers—Alpin Campbell 3 years, Wm. Moffat 1 year, Peter McIntosh 2 years.

Road Superintendents—S. E. quarter, John P. Burns; S. W. quarter Jas. Algate; N. E. quarter, Henry Dillabough; N. W. quarter Charles Annable.

Poor Wardens—H. Loughridge, Alpin Campbell, Humphrey Erratt, Jesse Allison, John Kittle.

Poundkeepers—Nehemiah Rodney, Steven Annable, Peter McIntosh, Roy Durant, James Summers, George Merkley, John J. Coyne, James Masterson, Wm. McDiarmid, James Fetterly, James Johnston, James Middagh, A. W. Reveller, Robt. Steen, Jno. Edgerton, Wm. Lawson. Richard Clement, S. Swerdfeger, John G. Smirl, C. Mallory, John Dewar, Howard Nesbitt, Wm. Dawley, Sidney Biccum, Jacob Dillabough, Ward Smith, Irvine Quart, Walter Coulthart, John E. Hutt, Simeon J. Barclay.

Fence Viewers—Hugh Stewart, Milton Smith, John Christie, Harmon Shaver, Peter McIntosh, Norman McIntosh. Jno Jamieson, J. W. Munroe, Alex. Lough, Chas. Annable, Wilfred Stephenson, James J. Allen, John Parker, Edward Baker, John McCloskey, Nelson Docksteader, Matthew Wilson, Allen Steven, R. J. Steven; R. J. Anderson, James Moodie, Robt. Morrow, John Flynn, Alex. Dillabough.

Pathmasters—Richard Clement, C H, Johnston, John Smirl, John Dillabough, Walter Carlyle, John P. Burns, Wm. Dalley Joseph S. Kyle, John Christie, James Kearns, Sam Kittle, James Masterson, Wm. Dawley, Sam Nesbitt, John B. Baker, Walter Rae, Nathaniel Holmes, Milton Smith, Humphrey Erratt, Charles Campbell, John Dewar, Wesley Cross, A. D. Summers, Albert Steinburg, Robert Raney, Colon Cheney, Almond Summers, Edwin S. Baker, Wm. Countryman, Chas. Smith, R. Shaver, Andrew Kearns, Michael S. Grady, Silas Cross, George Foster, Philip Merkley, Howard Merkley, Howard McMillan, Albert Servage, Howard Nesbitt, Albert McIntosh Thomas Algate, John Parker, Calvin Mallory, George Earl, Ernest Dockstseader, Fred Merkley, Wm. Johnston, Wm McDermott, Geo. Charlebois, Thos. McGregor, Jas. Fetterly, T. Moran, Ross Durant, Michael Thompson, George Edgerton, Wilburn McElroy, Isaiah Ouderkirk, J. N. Dillabough, Simeon Bolton, John Marselis, John Hanes, John Middagh, Peter Darling, David E. Summers, Irvine Quart, Albert Edgerton, Albert Baxter, Peter A. McDonald, Duncan McLaren, John Andette, Moses Black, Wm. Cassidy, John Black.

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Hyomei is not a secret remedy; its formula is given freely to physicians, and as a result they have confidence in its power to heal, and prescribe the treatment in all catarrhal indications.

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