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### Church of Sacred Heart Will Cost $103,000.

The contract for the erection of the new church of the Sacred Heart at Ottawa was signed on Friday. Joseph Bourque of Hull is the contractor. The new edifice is to cost $103,000 as compared to $150,000 for the one it replaces but as it will have the advantage of being originally designed just as it will be built and will be somewhat lighter in structure, it will not suffer in attractiveness. Work has already been begun and it is expected the building will be finished in two years.

### Death of Mrs. J. H. Ross.

Mrs. Ross, wife of Mr. J. H. Ross, editor of the News, of Smith's Falls, died on Saturday night after an illness extending over several months. The deceased was forty-eight years of age. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, three daughters, Misses Jessie Ella and Marion, and one son, George.

The interesting characters of the Kinderspiel will again delight their friends by appearing in the concert on Wednesday evening, June 3rd.

## PUBLIC MEETINGS

In the Interests of

**HON. J. P. WHITNEY**

Will be held as follows:

Inkerman - Forester's Hall, Friday, May 29th, 8 p.m.
South Mountain - Tuesday, June 2nd, 8 p.m.
Winchester - Town Hall, Wednesday, June 3rd, 8 p.m.
Iroquois - Town Hall, Thursday, June 4th, 8 p.m.
Morrisburg - Music Hall, Friday, June 5th, 8 p.m.

The Public are Invited to be present.

GOD SAVE THE KING

## Notice to Creditors

**In the Surrogate Court of the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.**

**In the matter of the estate of John Smirl, late of the Township of Winchester, in the County of Dundas, Farmer, Deceased**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to R. S. O. 1897, Cap. 129, Sec. 38, and amending acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said John Smirl, who died on or about the 10th day of April, A.D., 1908, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to W. B. Lawson, solicitor for the executors, on or before the

**27th Day of June, A.D., 1908**

their names, addresses and descriptions, 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 the said date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.

Dated this 21st day of May, A. D., 1908.

JAMES CURRIE, and
THOMAS McGREGOR
Executors.

W. B. LAWSON,
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Solicitor for Executors.

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### Stove Works Burned at Morrisburg.

The main building of the Imperial Stove works Ltd., at Morrisburg was completely gutted by fire Tuesday morning. All the machinery in the polishing room, nickling and mounting room, and carpenter shop was completely destroyed, only the foundry, office fixtures and papers were saved. The loss is fully covered by insurance. About 50 men will be out of employment, although it is said the work of rebuilding will be commenced at once. Just how the fire originated in unknown, as the works had shut down for two days on account of holidays Loss, about $25,000.

### Escapes From Cornwall Jail.

Frank Carter, who on Friday was sentenced to six months in the Central Prison, for the theft of a diamond ring, escaped from the county jail at Cornwall Saturday afternoon.

The escape was made in clear daylight, and was so simple that it is a wonder other prisoners have not taken their discharge in the same way. Carter climbed on the kitchen and thence to the top of a cross wall, where he left his prison garb, having evidently provided himself with other clothes He then ran along the top of this wall to the outer wall, and dropping into a back yard took a short cut for the tall timber.

His escape was discovered within an hour, but so far he has not been captured. Afterwards another prisoner climbed to the top of the wall and took down the clothes left there.

It is likely that the escape and the condition of the jail yard will be looked into by the department.

(Later).—Frank Carter, the diamond thief, who broke out of the Cornwall jail on Saturday afternoon, was recaptured Sunday afternoon at Newington by Alvin Gillard, and is once more an inmate of the stone bastile on the banks of the St. Lawrence. Carter, instead of crossing into Uncle Sam's country, sought refuge among his friends at Newington, and left a trail which was easily followed. He came back without a protest and will likely be taken before the counties' judge to answer for his latest misdemeanor.

**Going Into Consumption.**

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### An Old Resident of Morewood Dead.

There passed away on Saturday afternoon, May 23rd, 1908, at his late residence in Morewood, an old and highly respected citizen, Mr. Patrick McCormick, at the ripe age of 83 years. Mr. McCormick was a native of County Antrim, Irelend, being born there in 1824.

He came to Canada in 1850. After a sojourn of eight years he returned to his old home in Ireland. and married Miss Elizabet McKee Together they set out for Canada, Aug. 17th, 1859, and shortly after their arrival settled in Morewood, where they have since resided.

Deceased was one of the most successful farmers in the community, having by industry and thrift succeeded in accumulating considerable property. About 15 years ago Mr. and Mrs McCormick gave up active farming and retired to live quietly in the village.

He leaves his life partner, now 77 years of age, to mourn his loss; also four sons, Robert of Chesterville, John of Winchester, Samuel of Kenmore and Joseph of Morewood; and two daughters Annie, wife of Andrew Moffat of Morewood, and Margaret, wife of Wilfred Stephenson of Cannamore.

Funeral took place on Monday, 25th inst., and was largely attended. The remains were laid to rest in the Presbyterian cemetery, the services being conducted by the Rev. D. Stewart, assisted by his father, Rev. Dr. Stewart.

Deceased was a life long Presbyterian in religion, and in politics a staunch Conservative.

### An Item of Interest.

The idea seems to prevail in the minds of many people, that the municipal councils are forced to provide money to pay expenditures made by the board of health, no matter what that expenditure may be for. This it appears is not the case. Not long ago the village of Acton, Ont., had a few cases of smallpox like quite a few other places. The board of health took the usual action, quarantined the afflicted people, provided for their wants and then sent in the bill to the village council. That body electrified the board by refusing to pay on the ground that, when they were able to do so, people who were afflicted with infectious diseases and were quarantined, were supposed to pay for their own medical attendance and keep just as they would if the disease were of any other variety. Not being able to collect, the Acton board of health resigned.

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### PERSONAL.

Miss Ella McCloskey is visiting at Ottawa.

Mr. Nash of Finch, was in town Monday.

Mr. G. H. Steer spent the holidays in Maxville.

Mr. W. R. Fulton was in Montreal on Monday.

Quite a number of strangers were in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Bogart spent Sunday in Iroquois

Mrs. C. W. Casselman was in Montreal on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Saucier spent the holiday in Ottawa.

Mr. C. L. Sweeney of Kemptville, was in town Monday.

Mr. Frank Marcellus of Kingston, is visiting in this district.

Mr. D'Alton Bolster spent the holidays at his parental home.

Mr. A. M. Fulton of Lindsay, spent over Sunday at Maple Ridge.

Mr. J. Simns of Cardinal, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cunningham.

Miss Stella Beckstedt of Morrisburg, is visiting at Mr. John McLean's.

Mrs. T. Nash of Ottawa, is visiting her parental home, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Forward.

Miss Gertie Coulthart of Morewood, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Cunningham.

Mr. Roy Merkley of Montreal, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Merkley.

Mr. C. R. Kavanagh, manager of the Ottawa Bank, spent the holidays in Ottawa.

Mrs. W. F. Crawford left on Tuesday for an extended visit to relatives in Toronto.

Mrs. P. Bogart and Miss Alice Bogart spent a few days the past week in Ottawa.

Rev. T. B. Conley, a former pastor of the Methodist Church here, was in town to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Jordan and family spent a few days the past week at Vankleek Hill.

Mr. R. Barnhart, manager of the Iroquois branch of the Molsons Bank, was in town Friday.

Mr. W. J. Elliott, of the Chesterville Larder Lake Gold Mining Co., left last evening for their mines.

Mrs. Fred Bellaeu and Mrs. D. Wood of Montreal, spent a few days the past week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Robinson.

Mr. L. C. Merkley and Mr. G. H. Wickware of Brockville, spent the holidays the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Merkley.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Barwick and baby of Montreal, arrived in town Saturday. Mr. Barwick returned on Monday but Mrs. Barwick is spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Casselman.

Little Red Riding Hood was not enten by the wolf atter all, as you will see in the Town Hall on June 3. Little Boy Blue and all the others will be there too.

### The Last Tribute Paid.

The funeral of the late Miss Evelyn Rae took place in the Presbyterian Church on Thursday of last week The pastor, Rev. W. F. Crawford, spoke from the text "Behold I stand at the door and knock," Rev. 3, 20.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Logan, Johnston, Fulton, Dixon, Harrison and Nash.

After the service in the church the remains were interred in Maple Ridge cemetery. A magnificient wreath, the gift of the family, and a spray of carnations, adorned the casket.

The deceased was a young lady of a bright and happy disposition, kindly in nature and sympathetic to all. During her long illness from enlargement of the heart, she was ever hopeful and patient. She leaves to mourn a father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rae, a brother Charles, two sisters, Mrs. Herbick of Philadelphia and Miss Winifred of Montreal, and a niece, Miss Winifred Casselman.

### Cheap Millinery at Crysler.

Miss L. Gauthier, Crysler, will hold a cheap sale from the 17th to 30th of May. Dress trimmings 3 cts up, children hats 15 cts up, ladies' hats 25c up. She has procured a first-class milliner from Ottawa, and has 500 hats trimmed for inspection. Come early if you want bargains.

Piles are easily and quickly checked with Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. To prove it I will mail a small trial box as a convincing test. Simply address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. I surely would not send it free unless I was certain that Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment would stand the test. Remember it is made expressly and alone for swollen, painful, bleeding or itching piles, either external or internal. Large jar 50c. Sold by Walter G. Bolster.

### Rev. Crawford Given a Holiday.

The Rev. W. F. Crawford left for the West on Tuesday of this week. He intends visiting Winnipeg, where he will be a commissioner to the Presbyterian General Assembly, and afterwards going to Calgary and other points. During his absence union services will be held in the Methodist and Presbyterian Church. On Sabbath next the Rev. D. Stewart will speak in the Presbyterian church in the morning, and in the Methodist Church in the evening. On the following sabbath the Rev. A. E. Runnells, B.D., will conduct the union services. The morning service will be held in the Methodist Church, the evening in the Presbyterian. On June 14th, there will be no morning service in the Presbyterian Church, but in the evening the Rev. D. Stewart of Morewood, will preach.

The Presbyterian Sabbath School will be superintended on the 31st inst. by Rev. Stewart, and on the two following Sabbaths by Mr. Jas. Moodie.

Campbell's Varnish Stains are the original and only real Varnish Stains ever offered to housekeepers. They work like colored varnish producing beautiful effects without obscuring the grain of natural woods. Fulton Bros. sell this line.

### C. O. F. In New Hall.

The Canadian Order Foresters Lodge of this place are to be congratulated for the interest they have manifested for the betterment of their order, and they recently rented the new lodge rooms in the Baldrey block and have taken possession. They have also purchased new furniture and fixtures and this week we received an invitation from Mr. D. Alhson to view the same but we did not see the goat. No doubt he was securely stalled in an adjoining room. We must say that it is a very bright and cheerful room. They have excellent furniture with the floor nicely carpeted and lace curtains on the windows. It no doubt has cost the order a good deal of money to become possessors of this luxury but from appearences they are bound to forge ahead. If you wish to gain admittance, and are not now a member, I am sure your application will gladly be received by any member of the order.

### BORN.

DURANT—At the Boyne, on Tuesday, May 26th, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Durant, of a daughter.

BEACH—At Iroquois, on Monday, May 18, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. Benson Beach, a son.

### MARRIED.

JOHNSTON—JAMIESON—At the manse North Williamsburg, on May 19th, by Rev. Mr. Lundy, Ethel, eldest daughter of Mrs. Wm. Jamieson of Nation Valley, to Mr. Jas R. Johnston, only son of Mr. John Johnston of Cass Bridge, Ont.

### DIED.

MCCORMICK—At Morewood, Ont., on May 23, 1908, Mr. Patrick McCormick, aged 83 years.

WHITTAKER—At Cambridge, Ont, on May 5, 1908, Mrs. Simon P. Whittaker, daughter of Adam Baker of Cahore, aged 35 years.

SEELEY—At Rowena, Dundas county, on May 9, 1908, Richard Seeley, aged 69 years.

# RULER OF THE AFGHANS

### CHARACTER OF HABIB-ULLAH KHAN, AMIR OF KABUL.

**The Man Who Tries To Do Many Things Besides Governing His People.**

A short, stout man, who wears a gray frock coat when visiting, likes afternoon tea, plays a remarkably good game of bridge, does not hesitate to sit down at the piano and sing a song for the entertainment of a party, and after dinner has been known to speed the parting friend with a long and animated conversation on the doorstep—this is one side of the character of Habib-Ullah Khan, Amir of Kabul, Seeker after God's Health and Lamp of the Congregation and the Faith.

He did all these things when visiting India in the early part of last year, says the London Daily Mail. He seems to have created the impression in some minds that he was the Asiatic counterpart of the German Emperor.

He told various people whom he met that he was the best smith in Afghanistan, the best carpenter, the best drill sergeant. Then he claimed to be able to preach a better sermon than any Mullah, and as a matter of fact

LED 700,000 PEOPLE IN PRAYER

at Delhi—surely the largest prayer meeting on record. He speaks seven or eight languages; he plays cricket; he has acquired a liking for the motor car and it seems to think very highly of his own powers as a doctor.

Then, too, he apparently knows how to enjoy himself at a race meeting, and when he makes a bet, he pays on the spot if he loses. When he was in India an attendant stalked solemnly behind him, carrying a vast cashbox full of money, from which disbursements were made when necessary. He is said to be a good sportsman, but when he plays cricket with his attendants the Amir apparently always wins. It might perhaps be risky for opponents to make a better showing.

A slight impediment in his speech is associated by tradition with an ancient palace intrigue to poison him when heir apparent.

His left hand has but four fingers, due to a gun accident some four years ago. He might have been a one armed man had it not been for the skill of a British doctor who went from India and cured an injury which seemed likely to develop into mortification of the arm.

When in India his outspokenness and cheerfulness seem to have made him

A GENERAL FAVORITE.

As the sun set he would stop his train at a wayside station "and invite any humble loiterer of the Faith to say his prayers with the King of Afghanistan."

He wanted to know everybody's views and wanted to inspect everything that seemed likely to be useful in his homeland. He stopped an army sergeant's wife to discuss with her perferences and ideals, and he made the chemical lecturer at a hospital which he visited explain the properties of carbon dioxide in relation to combustion.

But on the other hand he would not waste any time in inspecting a little gathering of warships that had been arranged for his special benefit—the British navy cannot go through the Khyber Pass. Perhaps this explains the fact that he preferred to hurry off to the races rather than witness "battle practice."

Two things seemed rather to cast a shadow over him. "I hope you don't mind the bagpipes!" a neighbor asked him at one of the innumerable banquets.

"Not at all," he answered; "I have them at Kabul." "But"—with a sad smile —"they don't stand so close behind my chair."

Then too the joys of railway travel did not appeal to him. In anticipation of his visit to a famous shrine a monorail was built to carry him to the sanctuary in a bejewelled royal car. He looked at the monorail, he looked at the car, and

THEN ORDERED A LANDAU.

The Amir is the son of one who was a slave girl before she became one of the Queens of Afghanistan.

His harem in Kabul is not so large as that maintained by his father. Angus Hamilton says that when the Amir came to the throne three wives were divorced in order to keep the spirit of the Koran law, which forbids the maintenance of more than four wives.

Many slaves of prepossessing charms, we are told, are taken into the harem from time to time and added to the number of his concubines. But the queens appear to exercise a strict censorship in regard to the type of slave. The hapless woman who becomes a favorite and excites the admiration of the Amir "is generally removed."

One queen, it is recorded, "has killed with her own hands three of her slaves and personally chastises her erring handmaidens, purposely disfiguring any whose physical attractiveness might charm the Amir."

The four wives of the Amir "occupy positions which are graduated to a recognized scale. The first wife draws an allowance of one lakh of rupees annually; the second wife receives eighty thousand rupees, the third wife forty thousand rupees, the youth wife twenty thousand rupees a year."

One rather gathers that the domestic life of the Amir is not untroubled and that the influence of his wives is not cast on the side of peace and quietness.

## FISH THAT GLOW.

**Direct Their Rays in Any Direction Like a Searchlight.**

The inhabitants of the ocean vary in many respects according to the depths at which they live, but most of all in their powers of vision. Fish that live at very great depths have either no eyes at all or enormously big ones. There are two methods of getting about in the gloomiest abysses—by delicate organs of touch, or by sight, that collects the few rays of light due to phosphorescense or other accidental sources.

The fish which live near the top of the ocean have smaller eyes than those, say, eighty fathoms down. One hundred and twenty fathoms deeper, where daylight disappears, the eyes are bigger still. Beyond the depth of 200 fathoms, small eyes prevail, with long feelers to supplement them.

At this depth, in fact, sight is practically useless. In the greatest abysses the fish are usually blind, feeling their way about solely by means of their sensitive bodies. Some, indeed, show signs externally of having once possessed eyes, but that is all.

In others—the oldest and most confirmed abysmal species—the eye has disappeared altogether externally, though traces of it are still to be recognized, embedded deeply in the tissues of the head.

Many deep-sea fish have a curious system of hollows in the skull or about the body which hold a kind of phosphorescent slime. Others have round or oval, shining opalescent spots, placed on the head or along the body or tail.

All of them are abundantly supplied with nerves, and they are apparently organs for the production of phosphorescent light. If so, such a fish must swim about surrounded by a faint glow, somewhat like that thrown off by luminous paint.

One scientist even suggests that these fish may have the power of directing their rays in any direction, like a searchlight.

# WINTER LIFE IN NORWAY

### LADS AND LASSES OUTDOORS BY DAY AND NIGHT.

**Week End Skiing Parties That Spend the Hours of Rest in Huts Amid the Wilds.**

A writer for a German paper who has been stopping in Christiania gives a surprising account of the liberty accorded to the young people of Norway, especially the girls. After receiving the rite of confirmation the girls receive what he calls schlusselfreiheit, or key freedom, their parents literally hand over to them a night key and complete liberty to come and go as they please day and night.

Though the period of schlusselfreiheit comes in the early teens, the beneficiaries have no scrupple about enjoying it to the fullest extent. With or without male companions they go off winter and summer on long country trips, week end parties usually, which start on Saturday afternoon when the half day sessions of the schools are over and the offices close up and last until Monday morning.

All through the country for the length of a day's journey about the capital there are ski huts, in which the pleasure parties take refuge over night. Rich families own their own ski huts, sometimes several of them in various directions; but the greater number are owned by farmers, who rent them out at the rate of from

$1.60 TO $2.60 A MONTH.

Just outside of Christiania is the Holmenkol. It is a great hill about 3,250 feet high, so near to Christiania that its abrupt cliffs seem to look down over the houses in the suburbs.

Parties go out by day to get the glorious view of sea and shore from the summit. They go out in the evening and spend all night there to watch the Northern Lights and the sunrise.

A trolley line runs to the top of the mountain and the stunt of walking up has become so commonplace that nobody thinks of doing it any more. The company issues for one crown, about 27 cents, a ticket good for all day rides. The cars are equipped in winter with means of carrying skis and bobsleds; so nobody rides down, at least in winter time. There are great sloping reaches of snow on which the bob sledding is superb.

There are dozens of stag parties and almost an equal number made up of girls only. But in a large number of cases—perhaps a majority—boys and girls, young men and women, tramp together.

There is a total absence of attempts at gallantry; the girls are as independent as the men. They expect none of the small assistances or courtesies that our girls would look for, and they get none.

In winter time the skis are invariably taken along. Sometimes bobsleds are taken too, if the country to be traversed favors their use.

SKATES ARE OFTEN TAKEN TOO.

Each individual has provisions for a day or two and sometimes the tea making apparatus is divided evenly as to weight.

The costume is picturesque, woollen caps of gay colors give brilliant effect to a snow landscape over which they are dotted, when viewed from a distance on a sunshiny day. Warm sweaters, generally white, are worn by men and women alike, the men wear knickerbockers and leggings; the girls' skirts coming a little below the knee, and leggings too. The shoes of both sexes are built strictly for business purposes.

When the hour of rest comes, the whole party takes to the ski hut and all sleep in their clothes on beds of pine needles. In summer the early sunrise finds them afoot again. In the winter the start is made hours before dawn and the objective point of the morning is often some height from which the coming light is hailed with song.

The climate of southern Norway greatly favors the outdoor winter life. Early in December the country becomes thickly covered with snow, which practically remains until the spring. The thermometer hardly ever rises above freezing point and the chances of rain are negligible. Snow is not taken seriously by the skiers and the cold is seldom so intense

AS TO BE DANGEROUS.

It is on the Holmenkol that the international ski contests take place every year, bringing English, German, Swiss and French competitors in constantly increasing numbers. There are events for men and women and boys and girls of all ages, and young people come from all parts of Norway without chaperone or guardian and spend several days on the ground to take part in them.

The German observer of these conditions says that the freedom allowed to the young people appears to have the best possible effects, especially in the development of character among the women. In particular, he says, it seems to fit them for public life.

Almost every city in Norway has at present a number of women in the municipal governing bodies, and in the next election the women are to exercise the full franchise in the choice of members for the Storthing or national legislature.

# SOME FROST TRAGEDIES

### CURIOUS ACCIDENTS CAUSED BY ICE AND SNOW.

**The Greatest Calamities of Frost, Strangely Enough, Are Those Caused by Thaw.**

In February, four years ago, there was a tremendous frost on the Continent. The Vistula, among other rivers, was covered with ice of immense thickness, and when the thaw came and the bonds of frost were loosened, the roaring river became choked with gigantic dams of ice.

In Galicia, near Szczuezin, the floes grounded in a shallow part of the stream and instantly a vast barrier of ice began to rear itself; while behind it the choked river swelled into a mighty lake, and, pouring over its banks, inundated the flat country for a width of nineteen miles.

A regiment of sappers armed with dynamite arrived by special train but their efforts were of little use. Within twenty-four hours no fewer than ten villages were under water, 800 families were homeless, and nearly seventy people were drowned.

TO SEA ON AN ICE FLOE.

A dreadful disaster was that which happened a couple of winters ago at Wieringen, on the Zuider Zee. This great shallow inland sea of brackish water usually freezes every winter for a long distance out. One January evening a number of people were amusing themselves skating off the village, some at a considerable distance from shore, when suddenly a great floe, acres in extent, cracked away from the rest of the ice, and a rapidly widening lane of water divided a dozen skaters from the shore.

Some plunged in and swam back, but seven were carried out to sea on the floating ice. Those on shore rushed for boats, but here the frost completed its deadly work. The boats were too tightly frozen into the sand of the beach to be moved, and by the time that one was loosened it was dark. Next day the unhappy skaters were found, frozen to death.

On the low, sandy shores of Lake Michigan stands the village of Sandpoint, a little place of wooden-built houses, which is—oddly enough—inhabited only in winter. Its people are fishermen who catch their prey by cutting holes in the ice when the lake freezes. One night in February, 1907, a tremendous gale arose, and before the sleeping inhabitants of five of these little box-like dwellings knew what had happended, their homes which were built without foundations, were blown on to the ice, and went sliding out at great speed across the frozen surface. One house dropped into a hole, and its inhabitants were drowned, but the others, fortunately, brought up safe against the edge of a long cape, which runs out crescent-fashion almost opposite the village.

This brings to mind an extraordinary accident which occurred at Telluride, in Colorado, about three years ago. Some seventy miners were asleep in the shafthouse of the Liberty Bell mine, when the end of a glacier in the mountain above broke away, and, sliding down the valley, struck the shaft-house and carried it nearly half a mile. The amazing thing is that the occupants were not all killed. Thirty escaped alive. These were busy digging out the dead when a second ice-slide occurred, and another ten of the poor fellows were crused or buried.

SUNK BY FROZEN SPRAY.

It will always be remembered as one of the strangest accidents caused by frost that the liner, Germanic, was, in 1895, sunk at her wharf in New York, simply by the enormous weight of frozen sea water, which coated her weather side. No lives were lost on that occasion, although the financial loss was heavy. A similiar disaster, which befell the small tramp steamer von in 1879, had a more tragic event. Overwhelmed with masses of frozen spray, and with her engines disabled, she turned turtle in the North Atlantic, and of her crew of seventeen only two lived to tell the tale.

One of the most amazing tragedies of frost occurred in Colorado on a February day, twelve years ago. The temperature was far below zero, but the air dry and clear, and the sun shining with amazing brilliancy. Five people, who were driving together across the tract of forest reserve known as North Park, did not really feel the cold.

Suddenly the distant mountains disappeared in a white mist, and the sun lost its brilliancy. Presently one of the women put her hand up to her cheek, crying out that something had stung her. A breeze began to blow, and the air became charged with a mist of fine particles which glittered like diamond dust. They saw a settler, his face covered in a shawl, signalling to them furiously. They drove to his house, and he hurried them in. Before morning all the party were dreadfully ill, and one woman was dead. This fog is of fine ice particles, so intensely cold that they reach the lungs without melting. The Indians justly call this strange phenomenon the White Death.—Pearson's Weekly.

ON THE COUNTER.

Mrs. Lomas—"I don't see what she wanted to marry him for; he has a cork leg, as well as false teeth."

Mrs. Smith—"Well, my dear, you know that woman always did have a hankering after remnants."

SEE?

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Lots of men would be meaner than they are if they were not too lazy to exert themselves.


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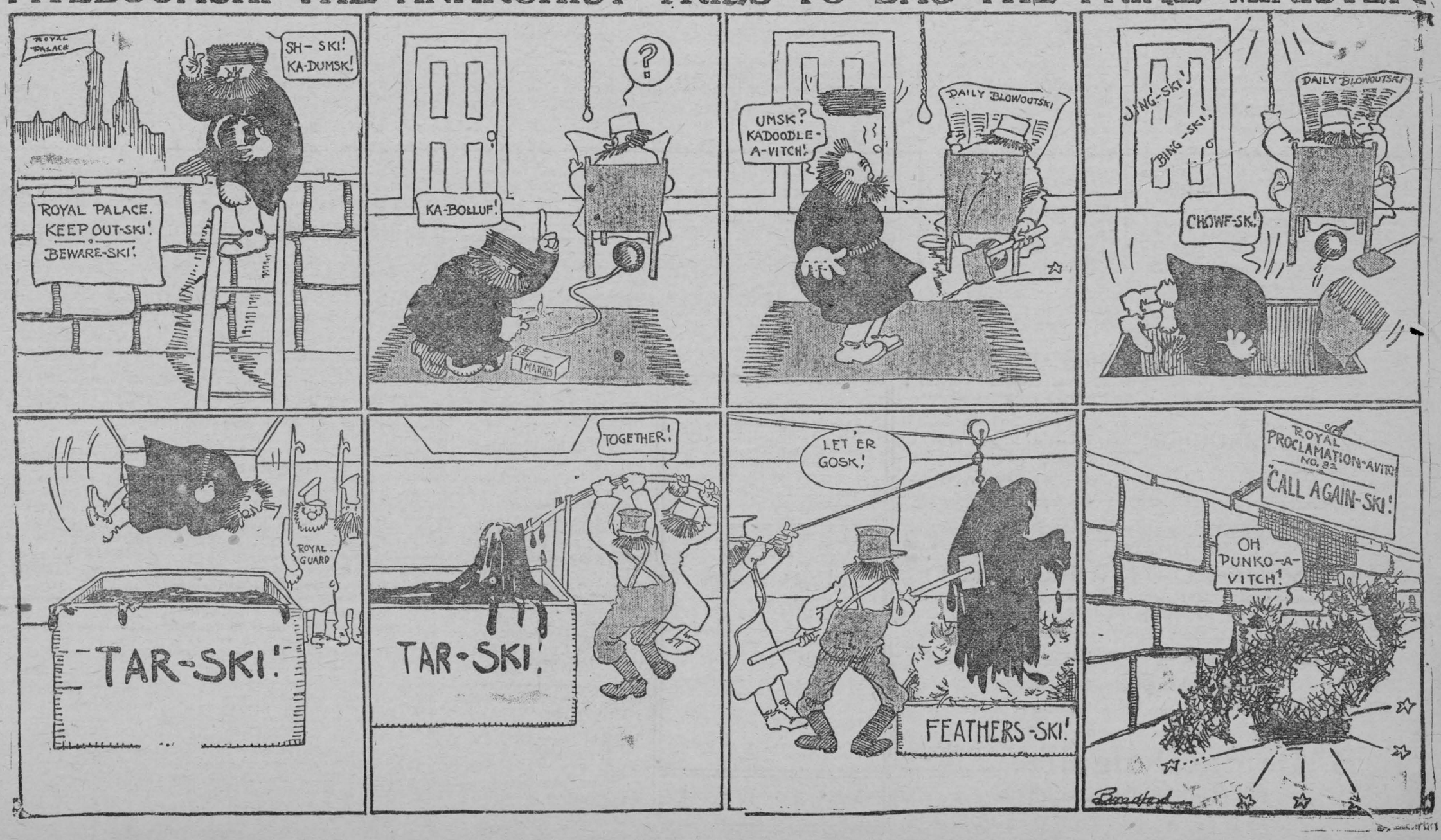
# FITZBOOMSKI THE ANARCHIST TRIES TO BAG THE PRIME MINISTER



## FOR LITTLE BABIES AND BIG CHILDREN

Baby's Own Tablets is good for all children, from the feeblest baby, whose life seems to hang by a thread to the sturdy boy who occasionally gets his digestive organs out of order. Baby's Own Tablets promptly cure all stomach and bowel troubles and make sickly or ailing children well and strong. And this medicine is absolutely safe—the mother has the guarantee of a government analyst that this is true. Mrs. Alfred Suddard, Haldimand, Que., says:—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets for constipation, stomach troubles and restlessness and find them a splendid medicine. They have made my little one a healthy, fat and rosy child. I always keep a box of Tablets in my home." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### EASY WAY TO REMEMBER DATES.

**All you Require is to Commit These Lines to Memory.**

The following lines committed to memory, give an easy method of stating offhand the day of the week of any date in 1908:—

Just a mother's arms, my jocund Jean;
A spell o'er Nature's dream.

The number of letters in each word represents the date of the first Saturday in the particular month to which it corresponds; thus, "Just," for January, has four letters, because the first Saturday in January is the fourth of that month; "a," representing February, has one letter, as the first Saturday in February is the first day of that month; and so on through all the twelve months.

Each word of the twelve, excepting the first "a," begins with the same letter as the month it represents. Thus, "Just" begins with "J" because January begins with "J"; "mother's begins with "m" because March begins with "M"; and so on all through, with the exception of "a" for February.

Having obtained the dates of the first Saturdays, the date of every other Saturday in the month is got by the addition of the necessary number of sevens, from which it is but a step to any intermediate day. For example, to know the day on which Christmas Day falls this year, "dream," standing for December, has five letters, so the first Saturday in December is the 5th of that month; the second Saturday is the 12th; the third the 19th; the 25th, being six days more, gives Friday, six days on from Saturday.

### COBALT SILVER PRODUCTION.

A. J. Pattison & Co., Toronto, report the following are the weekly shipments from Cobalt camp, and those from Jan. 1 to date:

| | Week end. May 16. Ore in lbs. | Since Jan. 1 Ore in lbs. |
|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | | 563,810 |
| Coniagas | | 380,910 |
| Cobalt Lake | 65,845 | 246,455 |
| Crown Reserve | | 40,000 |
| Cobalt Central | 49,200 | 156,380 |
| City of Cobalt | | 338,600 |
| Drummond | | 92,340 |
| Foster | | 238,400 |
| Kerr Lake | 61,960 | 392,670 |
| King Edward | | 127,240 |
| La Rose | 80,000 | 1,981,652 |
| McKinley | 60,000 | 1,243,900 |
| Nipissing | 133,020 | 1,316,920 |
| Nova Scotia | 106,795 | 227,555 |
| Nancy Helen | | 140,420 |
| O'Brien | 63,800 | 1,826,870 |
| Right of Way | 60,500 | 181,180 |
| Provincial | | 143,210 |
| Standard | | 39,730 |
| Silver Queen | | 524,200 |
| Silver Cliff | | 52,000 |
| Silver Leaf | | 132,800 |
| Townsite | | 85,100 |
| Temiskaming | 88,140 | 325,000 |
| Temiskaming & H. B. | 60,000 | 599,000 |
| Trethewey | | 679,916 |
| Watts | 66,000 | 180,430 |

The total shipments for the week were 895,230 pounds, or 447 tons. The total shipments from Jan. 1 to date are 12,304,448 pounds, or 6152 tons. The total shipments for the year 1907 were 28,081,010 pounds, or 14,040 tons, valued at $6,000,000. In 1904 the camp produced 158 tons, valued at $130,217; in 1905, 2144, tons valued at $1,473,196; in 1906, 5129 tons, valued at $3,900,090.

Crown Reserve, a stock much favored in Cobalt, has been placed on a dividend basis by the declaration of a dividend of 4 per cent.

### SPACE NEEDED.

"Laura," growled the husband, "what have you taken all my clothes out of the closet for?"

"Now, there's no use in making any fuss about it, George," said his wife, with a note of defiance in her voice. "I just had to have some place where I could hang my new hat."

### WAY OUT.

Wedderley—"You look worried, old man. What's the cause thereof?"

Singleton (with a sigh)—"Oh, several things."

Wedderley—"Well, take my advice and marry one of them and let the others go. I've had the same experience."

### A DEFICIT.

Teacher—"Wait a moment, Johnny. What do you understand by that word 'deficit?'"

"It's what you've got when you haven't got as much as if you just hadn't nothin."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## EMPEROR OF GERMANY

### HAS FORTY-NINE HOMES, BUT PAYS NO TAXES.

**Would Have Showiest Village in the World if He Could Bring All His Houses Together.**

The Kaiser is trying to have his pay raised. He finds it utterly impossible to play the role of the great and only William on a mere $4,000,000 a year. The Prussian Diet will be asked to make a substantial addition to this tax on the ratepayers, and it is expected that there will be a lively protest. For it will be remembered that Prussia assumes the whole burden of the civil list, Emperor William taking on the job of Kaiser of the German Empire without pay, writes a Berlin, Germany, correspondent.

The reason given for this request for higher wages is the fact that the cost of living has increased materially in Germany and that his majesty's chamberlains are no longer able to run his "49 castles" as cheaply as heretofore.

What the Kaiser does with all his castles is a subject for speculation with all but the initiated. If they could all be bunched they would form a good-sized village—and a village more pretentious than any other in the whole world. Some of his places are of enormous size and most of them are showy in their construction and style. As a matter of fact, though, they are all in German parlance called kaiserliches schloss (imperial castle), very few of them, such as the widely known palaces at Berlin and at Potsdam, are really castles in the strict sense of the word. Many of them, formerly built as strongholds, perched upon peaks, or squatted in the middle of marshes in order to make them impregnable against attack, have given way to ambitious modern palaces. But the word schloss is now applied to any house of considerable size which a nobleman owns and occupies.

Among the Kaiser's Berlin palaces the royal castle on the Spree is one of the largest and probably

THE MOST FAMILIAR

to tourists. Originally it was of very modest proportions but from time to time additions have been made, keeping pace with the growth of influence and power of the Hohenzollerns. The castle is gaudy, raw and pretentious in construction. The walls outside are of stucco instead of stone masonry. The pretentious columns of the salons indoors are of imitation marble while the same keynote of show and pretense governs the whole structure and all its details.

One more interest is the Charlottenburg Castle, a structure much plainer and of later construction. It is situated in a charming park and is extraordinary for its great length. Five hundred metres, I believe, are the correct figures. At any rate I know that it is only beaten in this respect by Schonburg, near Vienna, and Nymphenburg in Batavia. This place was the home of the late Emperor Frederick III. during his last short stay in Berlin. The mausoleum in the park is the burial-place of Queen Louisa of Prussia and of her grandson, William, the first German Emperor.

One of the most interesting of Kaiser William's places, historically, is Schloss Koenigsberg, in the province of East Prussia. This castle, which was finished in 1261, was a famous stronghold of the order of the Teutonic Knights, one of the three great military and religious orders to which the Crusaders gave birth, the other two being the Templars and the

KNIGHTS OF SAINT JOHN.

At one time the order was undisputed master of a population of 3,000,000 people and played a leading role in the political history of Northern Europe. In the chapel of this famous castle Frederick III, Elector of Brandenburg, crowned himself as Frederick I, King of Prussia, in 1701. One hundred and fifty years later, William, who was afterward to be the first German emperor, put upon his head the same crown in the same chapel.

Perhaps the most widely known royal home outside of Berlin is Wilhelmshohe, near Cassel, the summer resort of Jerome Bonaparte while he was king of Westphalia. The Versailles of Germany, as it has been called, was begun by Frederick II. and furnished by his successor, William, and it is said that 2,000 workmen were employed for fourteen years in its construction. Its chief boast is the great fountain, which throws up a jet of water twelve feet in diameter to the remarkable height of 190 feet. Napoleon III., who was made prisoner at Sedan with 90,000 of his troops and afterward was sent by his captors to Wilhelmshohe Castle, was a great admirer of the place and used to spend hours watching the stream of water shooting up into the air.

But all of the Kaiser's other landed possessions, be they proud castles, pretentious modern palaces or extensive villas, sink into insignificance, historically, when compared with one small,

ALMOST SHABBY COTTAGE

situated at half an hour's distance by rail from Berlin. This place is called Koenigs-Wusterhausen and once it was a famous hunting-ground, situated in the heart, as it is, of a very large forest. To this day the woods are still frequently secured by royal sportsmen. The castle is a plain, solid building resembling in appearance a respectable farmhouse of the second best.

Koenigs-Wusterhausen was the favorite summer resort of Frederick William I., the second king of Prussia, one of the most remarkable monarchs that ever sat on a throne, and the father of Frederick the Great. Here he spent a few months every year and here he gave full, unrestrained vent to the cruel, savage, brutal aspects of his nature, rendering the lives of his queen and his children a very hell upon earth. Here at 5 o'clock every afternoon of his stay was convened the tobacco parliament, that queer assembly which is as famous in the pages of history as the same ruler's giant guard at Potsdam. The sessions were held in a large room in the castle which to this day has been religiously preserved.

If men and women really understood each other there would be fewer love matches.

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### MANY KINDS OF SMOKE.

**Substitutes for Tobacco Often Have Harmful Effects.**

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### HOPELESS.

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"Why mustn't I ask you any more, daddy? And what's inquisitive?"

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"What is the most aggravating thing in married life?" asked Dorothy. "Sometimes," said the bachelor friend, "it's the husband, and sometimes it's the wife."

The transition from winter's cold to summer's heat frequently puts a strain upon the system that produces internal complications, always painful and often serious. A common form of disorder is dysentery, to which many are prone in the spring and summer. The very best medicine to use in subduing this painful ailment is Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. It is a standard remedy, sold everywhere:

### TO THE SUN.

Sir David Gill, formerly astronomer at Cape Town, South Africa, had an interview with Cetewayo, the great Zulu chief. The dusky potentate asked him how long it would take to go to the sun in a "Cape" wagon. Making a rapid calculation on his cuff, Sir David told the amazed chief that it would take 13,000 years.

"I bought this walking-stick off you last week," said a fussy old gentleman. "Yes," agreed the dealer, "that is so. I recognize it." "You assured me that the handle was real ivory, and I find it is only imitation." "Very sorry, sir, but I get my ivory direct from Ceylon, and the only explanation seems to me that the elephants must wear false tusks."

The Guest (at front door)—"It's awfully good of you to show me the way out!" The Host—"Not at all! It's a pleasure, I assure you!"

## A TONIC FOR THE STOMACH

### Wonderful Success of the Modern Method of Treating Even Obstinate Cases of Indigestion.

The old fashioned methods of treating stomach diseases are being discarded. The trouble with the old fashioned methods was that when the treatment was stopped the trouble returned in an aggravated form.

The modern method of treating indigestion, catarrh of the stomach or chronic gastritis, is to tone up the stomach and glands to do their normal work. Every step toward recovery is a step gained, not to be lost again. The recovery of the appetite, the disappearance of pain, the absence of gas—all are steps on the road to health that those who have tried the tonic treatment remember distinctly.

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"I understand your husband is a spiritualist?"

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### NOT A FIRM FOOTING.

"Do you happen to know where he stands on the prohibition issue?"

"Yes. Before the bar."

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### NOT HER BIZ.

"Why don't you watch the game, Laura?"

"What's the use? You told me the umpire man was paid to watch it. Let him look after it. I'm sure I don't want the job."

Ill fitting boots and shoes cause corns. Holloway's Corn Cure is the article to use. Get a bottle at once and cure your corns.

### EXPENSIVE CORRESPONDENCE.

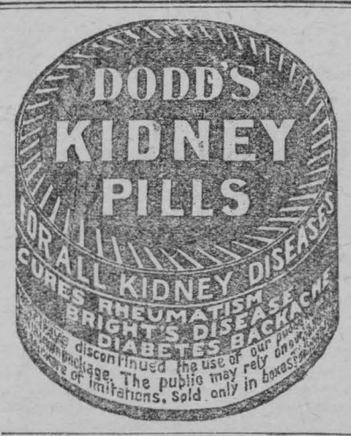
Visitor (viewing wedding gifts)—"That rug's a beauty. Have you any idea what it cost?"

Bride—"Yes. Three hundred dollars worth of furniture to match it."

### A MAN OF MARK.

Bacon—"And does your son show any signs of his college training?"

Egbert—"Oh, yes; he's quite lame from an injury he received on the football team."

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### SWISS RIFLE CLUBS.

**Every Man in Switzerland Learns to Use the Rifle.**

At a time when the question of military training for civilians is being much discussed, a short account of the Swiss system, from the Manchester Guardian, may be of interest. Every man in the peaceful and democratic country of Switzerland is a soldier in a modest way, befitting a small nation.

The able-bodied Swiss enters the army at twenty years of age, and serves sixty-five days in his first year. For the next twelve years he trains for three weeks every alternate year. At thirty-two he enters the Landwehr, and has eight to ten days under arms every fourth year until, at fifty, he retires, and is required to furnish no further service except in case of war.

What the Swiss militiaman lacks in military orthodox he far more than makes up by skill a nation of marksmen. The training periods are occupied only with drill and tactics; tre all-important matter matter of shooting is left to the individual soldier to carry out at other times, and he does it under the auspices of the shooting societies which are such a feature of Swiss life.

These societies, under government control, are called Schutzengesellschaften in the German, and Societes de Tir in the French cantons. They are voluntary associations, varying in size and importance with the town or village they serve. Those in the larger towns possess completely fitted ranges and clubhouses; the small villages do their shooting in any field backed by a suitable hill. Every peasant and townsman has easy facilities for shooting, and each man has his service rifle always in his possession.

Every man between the ages of twenty and thirty-two must fire thirty-two shots in four compulsory exercises every year, and the societies receive a grant of two francs for every soldier shooting this course on their ranges. The income derived from the grants generally suffices for the current expenses of the society, supply of targets and pay of marker. There is no entrance fee nor subscription as a rule, and heavy expenditure, such as that incurred by the construction of new ranges, is met by a special grant from tre government.

Rules as to spectators, methods of leading and conduct on the ranges are stringent. Loss of grant is incurred by any breach or neglect of regulations.

In addition to these exercises, many competitions are held between different villages, towns and cantons. In summer the trains and streams are crowded with jovial bands of marksmen going to and from their shooting festivals. The whole of Swiss shooting is a good example of co-operation between government and individual. Every Switzer has his army rifle; he can use it when and where he will, provided he does not endanger other lives; he is insured by government against accidents on tre ranges, and through his society he can secure the services of qualified military officers to organize and control his shooting.

By treating rifle shooting as a sport, and it is as popular as football is with us, and far more generally practised, the Swiss have removed it from its usual warlike associations; but should occasion arise, that which has been learned in sport would be used in earnest.

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## Notice.

To whom it may concern,—
A resolution was passed at regular meeting of council of Municipality of Chesterville, held on Monday, May 11th, 1908, forbidding all persons depositing refuse on the streets and the banks of the Nation river, within the municipality. Persons so doing will be prosecuted.
C. W. CASSELMAN,
Clerk of Municipality

## PUBLIC NOTICE !

Notice is hereby given that the First Sitting of the
**COURT OF REVISION**
For the year 1908, in connection with the Assessment Roll for the municipality of the
**Township of Winchester**
Will be held in the Foresters' Hall
MOREWOOD
—ON—
**Saturday, June the 6th, 1908**
At 10.30 o'clock, a.m.
All persons interested will govern themselves according.
GEO. QUART,
Township Clerk.
Dated Winchester May 21, 1908.

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C. W. CASSELMAN,

## LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS.

Finch village will construct about 25,000 square feet of granolithic walks this season.

Many delightful vocal and instrumental solos and duets on Wednesday evening, June 3rd.

Toronto defated Capitals at Toronto on Monday in an exhibition game by the score of 12 to 0.

WANTED—An apprentice in this office. Good chance will be given to smart, intelligent boy.

Whittaker, the Optician, will be at Chesterville on June 10th and Finch on June 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bolster have moved into the residence recently occupied by Mr. Jos. Merkley.

The kind of man who is useless in this world is the man who will not fight against wrongs, fight to make things better, fight to make his ideals come true.

Iroquois is endeavoring to secure from the Dominion Government a lease of all the water power passing through the village wier, and thus prevent any private party from acquiring same.

Shamrocks and Tecumsehs met on the grounds of the former in an exhibition match on Monday at Mile End, Montreal which resulted in a win for the former by 7 goals to 2.

Smith's Falls has been honored as being selected as the place of meeting of the Grand Lodge A. O. U. W. on the 16th of June. There will be delegates present from every part of Canada, making a large number in total.

Mrs. H. D. Tankaberry, of Kemptville, had a narrow escape from death as the result of taking a headache powder. Immediately after she had swallowed it she felt herself growing faint and dizzy, and then she fell to the floor apparantly lifelees. It was some time before she could be restored to consciousness.

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### In Memoriam.

The following lines are written in memory of Mina Madeline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Merkley, Nation Valley, who died May 1st 1908 aged 2 years and 7 months:

Dear friends, while your sad hearts are bleeding
For the little one strayed from your fold,
Know that Christ the Good Shepherd is feeding
And shielding your lamb from the cold.

In His strong, loving arms she is lying,
His seal on her lily white brow,
Safe sheltered from sorrow and dying,
Oh! why should you grieve for her now?

And often the mother of Jesus
Mayhap to her tender, white breast
Will gather your fair-haired Madeline,
And lull her with vespers to rest.

Your lily buds culled in life's morning
With the white dews of purity wet,
This day are God's bowers adorning
Can'st think of the change with regret?

Taste not of the fruitage forbidden,
Quaff not the red vintage of sin,
And safe with your sainted in eden
The Saviour will gather you in.

A FRIEND

## CARD OF THANKS.

I desire to extend my sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbors for their great kindness extended to me during the illness of my late husband and for the many expressions of sympathy at his subsequent death.
MRS. P. MCCORMICK.
Morewood, Ont.

### Matilda Distsict Synod.

The annual Synod of the Matilda District of the Methodist Church was held at Brinston's on May 19 and 20, the Rev. Johnston Seller being appointed journal secretary and the Rev Henry Walker statistical secretary. All the ministers and nearly all the lay represenatives were present. Numerical reports from the different charges showed a net increase of upwards of one hundred in membership of the church on the returns for last year; while the financial statements evidenced a most prosperous condition financially. The Rev. Fredrick Tripp, who is just closing a most happy four years' pastorate, was appointed to represent the district on the stationing committee of the Annual Conference at Quebec.

### Back to the Ministry.

A letter from Rev. Geo. McArthur, who recently resigned a charge in Brockville Presbytery, states that he has given up his position as immigration agent for the Dominion Government in Scotland to go back into the ministry. He has been offered two charges in that country one of which he expects to accept. His family will join him shortly.

## LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS.

A few days the past week has been great ice cream weather.

A few from here took in the celebration at Smith's Falls on Monday.

Mr. R. D. Fulton has not been so well lately and his recovery is doubtful.

Mrs. Frank Shirkey was taken to Montreal on Tuesday morning to undergo an operation

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Forward have rented part of Mrs. Cowan's home and have taken possession.

Monday was a quiet day in town, the farmers being busy seeding, and a number left town for a visit.

Mr, Howard Merkley of this place, was successful at the recent Dental College Exams. at Toronto in his first year term.

Do no lose the opportunity of hearing Miss Davis of Winchester, on Wednesday evening next, at the concert in the Town Hall.

A Court of Revision of the assessment roll of Chesterville, will be held in the town hall on Saturday, June 13th, at 1 o'clock, p.m.

A regular meeting of the A. O. U. W. will be held in the lodge room in the Kearns' block to-morrow (Friday) evening, May 29th, at 8 p.m.

The Montrealers were defeated Monday afternoon by the Cornwall lacrosse team in an exhibition game at Cornwall by the score of four goals to nil.

Mrs. F. Shirkey, who was taken to Montreal on Tuesday for an operation, went through the ordeal and while in a very critical condition. hopes are held out for her recovery.

Mr. Archibald C. Munroe whose death took place on Saturday afternoon at his residence, 135 Waverely street, Ottawa, was born in Martintown, Ont. Mr. Munroe, who had been a merchant in Cornwall, came to Ottawa five years ago and had since resided in the capital. He leaves one son, Alexander G., and three sisters, Mrs. McLennan, Montreal; Mrs. McRae, Agassiz, B.C., and Mrs. McMillan of Glen Sandfield Ont. He was a Liberal in politics and in religion a Presbyterian attending Stewarton church of that denomination. The remains were taken to Maxville

The funeral of the late Guy Reginald Nevens, son of Mr. J. J. Nevens, railway mail clerk, was held at Ottawa on Monday afternoon and while of a private character was attended by a number of intimate friends of the family who have much sympathy in their loss. The floral offerings included a beautiful wreath from the Twenty-Third Field Battery with which the deceased was quarter-master. Rev. Mr. Birch, curate of St. George's church, conducted the service and besides the father the chief mourners were Samuel and Albert Nevens of Georgetown, Ont; Robert Nevens of Jasper. Ont, and Mr. A. Olmstead, Jasper; uncles and Mr. H. Rankin, Toronto, grandfather. The interment took place at Beechwood cemeaery.

The Town Hall will be the scene of several attractions on Wednesday, June 3, when, from 2 to 6 o'clock p.m., the Women's Guild of Holy Trinity Church will offer for sale a splendid variety of garden plants, including geraniums, pansies, verbenas, &c., and ferns of various kinds. In addition to the plant table, there will be a sale of appetizing home-made dainties and ice cream, lemonade and home-made candy will tempt every taste.

In the evening at 8 o'clock a good concert will be given as announced on the bills.

### Conservative Meeting on Monday.

A public meeting, in the interest of Hon. J. P. Whitney, the conservative candidate in Dundas county for the approaching provincial elections was held in Foster's hall on Monday evening. On account of it being a holiday and so many people being out of town, there was not a very large attendance, but several speakers were present and addressed the gathering being Messrs. A. Broder, M.P., I. Hilliard and J. Hickey of Morrisburg and O. D. Casselman of this place.

### Mrs. George Hanes Dead.

After a lengthy illness, Nancy Meeker relict of the late George Hanes, died Sunday, May 17th, 1908, at the home of her daughter in Winchester, Miss Mary Hanes, in her 85th year. She had been an invalid for over three years, bearing her illness with great Christian patience. Her husband predeceased her nine years ago. She was the daughter of the late Rev. Benjamin Meeker of Osnabruck, a Methodist minister. Three sons and four daughters are left as survivors. The funeral service was conducted at the Methodist church by the pastor, Rev. J. Webster, interment afterwards being made at Maple Ridge cemetery.

### Smith's Falls Mystery Cleared.

Smith's Falls, Ont., May 21.—The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Mr. Wm. Corbett from his home here last Sunday morning was cleared away at noon to-day, when his body was taken from the river. There was a bad gash on his head, and his hands were fearfully mangled, presumably from the rocks in the rapids through which he had passed. His money was in his pockets and his watch was in his vest. It had stopped at ten minutes to nine. He was last seen at 10.30 o'clock Sunday morning. The body was discovered floating down the river, and when found was close to the shore, in about three feet of water.

### Another Woman Barrister.

Toronto, May 22.—Miss Grace Hewson of Barrie, was sworn in as barrister-at-law, this morning. The somewhat unusual ceremony was witnessed by a large number, among whom were several ladies. Miss Hewson is the third lady to be called to the Bar in Ontario. Miss Clara Brett Martin of Toronto, and Miss Robinson of St. Thomas, being the other two.

## GOV. GENERAL EMPIRE DAY.

### Made Patriotic Suggestion—The King's Desire.

Toronto, May 23.—Sons and daughters of Toronto, citizens of the British empire and children of the King, I wish to tell you how glad Lady Grey and I are to see you once again. Among all the functions in which I, as Governor-general, have to take part in the course of a year, there is none so dear to me as an Empire day celebration" With these words Earl Grey began his address to the school children at their Empire day exercises.

His excellency hoped it would never be necessary to exact such a sacrafice from them, but he had a request to make of each individual from His Majesty the King. "Well, he wants each one of you to do something which is still more difficult and therefore still more honorable. He wants each and every one of you to resolve not only to die if necessary, but to live for your country. He wants you to attend to the advice which the minister of education has given you through the school teachers of the province and so to live as never to bring reproach by word or deed to the empire of which you are citizens; to prepare yourselves by every means in your power to advance the welfare of your fellow-citizens whether in peace or war, whatever may be their class, creed or color."

The Whitney government came in for sincere congratulation for its wise and generous action in causing the Union Jack to be run to the top of flagstaffs of every school in the province of Ontario.

Hon. Dr. Pyne's department was congratulated upon the admirable Empire day circular which was issued in the schools and he hoped that every teacher would see that the children absorb the teachings of this circular into their beings.

### Disposed of His Pratice.

Dr. John Shields has informed us that he has disposed of his practic ein this place to a dentist in Western Ontario and that he intends leaving Chesterville in about six weeks time. The doctor has resided in our town for the past nine years and during that time has made many warm friends who will be sorry to hear of his leaving.

### Invited to Merrickville.

The official board of the Merrickville Methodist Church, have invited Rev. Ernest Thomas of Lachute to be their pastor for the next four years. He will probably accept, subject to the wishes of the stationing committee.

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All persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.
C. W. CASSELMAN,
Village Clerk.
Dated Chesterville, May 26th, 1908.

## NEW GROCERY

Although my stock is not as yet complete, still I have on hand a fair supply of
**Groceries, Canned Goods, Etc.**
A share of your patronage is respectfully solicited.
**Mrs. A. McMahon,** Chesterville.

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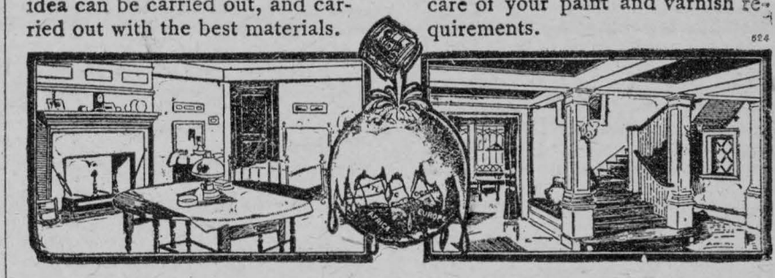

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A well-known resident of Utopia, Ont., Mr. H. H. Postle, writes: "From long experience I am convinced that everyone requires medicine in the spring. As a rule the blood is thin and impure and the whole system is congested with poisons that should be carried off. I use Ferrozone because it clears up the system, gives you an appetite and makes you feel well. One winter I had serious palpitation of the heart, nervous headaches, and an extreme tired feeling. Sleep was not restful and by spring I was in bad shape. I took six boxes of Ferrozone and was made the picture of health.

Ferrozone makes permanent cures. Absolutely safe because it is purely vegetable and contains no alcohol. Concentrated cure in tablet form,—that's Ferrozone, 50c per box or six boxes for $2.50 at all dealers.

### New Archbishop for Toronto.

Ottawa, May 23.—Bishop McEvoy of London, Ont., has been appointed to the Archbishopric of Toronto, in succession to Archbishop O'Connor, who recently resigned.

Bishop McEvoy came to Ottawa and hade a confetence with the Papal Ablegate, Mons. Sbarretti, returning to Toronto yesterday morning. He will assume the archbishopric as soon as his pallium is received from Rome.


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## SEVENTH AVENUE, OSNABRUCK.

Jack McKee visited Chesterville friends recently.

David Cameron of Finch, visited his sister, Miss Jane Cameron recently.

Miss Susie Flemming of Finch, is dressmaking in this vicinity.

Mr. Hunter of Farran's Point, was here last week delivering plants and fruit trees.

F. Warren, insurance agent, Wales, made a business call at White Clover factory on Saturday.

Miss Minnie Warner of Cornwall, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Otto, a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Warner of Casselman were guests of E. Rombough and family on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Berkley and Master Bruce Berkley of Newington, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Alexander of Detroit, Mich., is spending a few weeks at the residence of her brother, Emmanuel Rombough.

Miss Sarah Rutley, who has been spending the week with friends at Gallingertown, returned home on Sunday.

The many friends of Mrs. J. Alguire are pleased to learn that she is convalescent, after her recent severe illness.

Miss Jennie McIntyre, who has been ill for the past few weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. I. Otto, is recovering.

Master Graham Silmser is spending a few weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Silmser, Gallingertown.

A number from here attended the marriage of Henry Scott to Miss Lillie Warner of Bunker's Hill, on Wednesday, May 13.

Mrs. James McAvoy and children of Chesterville, spent last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rombough and Miss Hazel Rombough of Newington were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Wert on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Silmser of Aultsville, and Mr. and Mrs William Silmser, Gallingertown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Silmser last week.

The local friends of Henry Zeron, jr., Newington, extend sympathy in his sad and sudden bereavement in the loss of his wife, which sad event occurred on Monday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs. Hall spent a few days with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Holland. They returned to their home in the Capital on Thursday, accompanied by Miss Etta Holland.

A very serious accident happened to Philip Rupert one day last week. While driving a team of young spirited colts they became frightened and unmanageable. Mr. Rupert was thrown out of his carriage and fractured his shoulder. He also received several other bruises He is in a critical condition and suffering very much at the home of his son, Percy Rupert.

## BERWICK.

May 27th.

Miss Mamie Meldrum returned to Kingston on Tuesday last.

Mr. Delbert Hutt of Cobalt, is home on a visit.

Miss McGillis of St. Andrews, who has been visiting friends in this vicinity, returned home.

Several attended the auction sale of Mr. A. McKillop, who has sold his farm to Mr. E. Curran.

Mr. Aden McIntosh of Dundela, visited friends here recently.

Mrs. P. D. Strader and daughter of North Williamsburg, were visiting friends in Berwick last week.

Miss Jardine of Newington, was the guest of Miss L. Hutt on Tuesday last.

Several students of this vicinity, who are attending Cornwall H. S., spent their holidays at their respective homes.

Mr. W. J. McCart, Liberal candidate for Stormont county, held a political meeting in the Town Hall here on Monday evening of last week.

Mr. A. Henry and family have moved to Finch.

Miss Helmer of Winchester, was visiting friends in Berwick this week.

### Thin as a Rail, Are You?

Every day spending as much energy as you make—if the balance goes a little further, well; you get thinner. On the danger line to-day,—to-morrow may be too late! Better use Ferrozone, it builds up—a little gain the first week, but the gain keeps growing. Next week, not quite so thin. Keep right on, lots of fat won't hurt at all. Your blood is enriched cheeks grow rosy, your heart and nerves grow strong and you don't tire so quickly Joyous robust health, a sturdy frame and a cheerful mind—all these come with Ferrozone You'll try it, only 50c at all dealers.

### Police Can Confiscate Tobacco on Children.

Ottawa, May 22.—In the house to-day, Hon. Mr. Ayleswoth introduced his bill "to restrain the use of tobacco to young persons."

He explained that it was an attempt to meet the call that had been heard for legislation, but he could not pretend to hope to satisfy those who desired prohibition of the sale or manufacture of tobacco in a form supposed to be particularly deleterious.

It was proposed to make it an offence to furnish or sell to any person under 16 years of age tobacco in any form for consumption, and a penalty of $1 for second offence and $4 for third offence may be imposed.

Any police constable will be authorized to seize upon and summarily forfeit tobacco found on any girl or boy under 16 years of age.

He said prohibitory legislation was on the statute books of some of the provinces, but there was room for doubt whether or not this legislation was ultra vires.

## MURDERED FAMILY

**James F. Creighton Killed His Wife and Two Step-Daughters.**

Owen Sound, Ont., May 26.—A butchery was committed here in the early hours of this morning. James F. Creighton killed his wife and two stepdaughters, Catherine and Clare Chapman, two beautiful and accomplished girls, aged 18 and 16 respectively.

The deed was discovered shortly after 6 o'clock tonight, when Creighton called out through the window to some neighbors that he had killed his family and shot himself. Upon entering the house the sight they beheld was frightful. Creighton had shot himself in the eye and may not recover. His wife lay dead in the front room with her throat cut, a shoe lace around her throat; she was also shot and stabbed. The two girls, who were in the north-west room, were also shot and stabbed. Creighton's own room was across the hallway. He was rational and left a letter addressed to his brother, George P. Creighton, telling him of the terrible affair, and explaining that he was in an awful state, and liable to go insane.

The murderer told the reporters that he committed the deed at 5 20 this morning. The women were in their night dresses, and the pools of blood had dried, which confirmed his statement. He also said he turned the revolver on himself at 6 o'clock this evening.

It was known that the household did not live happily together. The Creightons were married at Ypsilanti Mich, a year ago. The murderer is well known and well connected, and his father, who is dead, was Indian agent for many years at Cape Croker. His mother is still living here, aged 81. Creighton was addicted to drinking bouts, when he would be very abusive. It is not known at present whether he had been drinking before he committed the deed. An inquest will be held at ten o'clock tomorrow morning.

## WINCHESTER SPRINGS.

May 27.

Mr. and Mrs. King and Miss Wood from across the line, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood last week.

Mr. Robt. Niblock of Sarnia, who was visiting his many friends here, returned home on Tueseay last.

Mr. Chas. Connor of New York, who has been the guest of his brothers here for some time, took his departure on Monday last.

Mr. Luthre of South Mountain, visited friends here on Sunday last.

Miss Maud Johnston spent the twenty-fourth at her home in Cornwall.

Mr. Geo. Kirkwood is wearing the smile that won't come off. It's a boy.

A number from our town celebrated the twenty-fourth on the banks of the Nation, and report it a howling success. Dinner was served and partaken of to the entire satisfaction of all present, after which a number of interesting speeches were delivered, among the many topics the importation of thoroughbred stock, being one of great interest.

A pleasant picnic took place in the Sanitarium grounds on Saturday, at which a number were present.

### No Licenses to be Granted.

No licenses will be issued in Nepean and Marlborough. The license commissioners from the county of Carleton received instructions from Provincial Secretary Hanna that no licenses be granted in these townships and the bars must close at once. There were six licensed hotels in Nepean and a less number in Marlborough.

It will be remembered that a year ago local option was carried in these townships, but it was found when taken to the courts that some women had voted who had no right, and in reality there was no three-fifths vote for the local option. The courts then found that the by law for local option was quashed. The government holds that when local option by-laws are thrown out by the courts no licenses can be issued without the consent of the provincial secretary. He has refused to grant licenses in the townships so the licenses will be cut off.

### Dedication of Church at Finch.

The Finch Methodist Church was formally dedicated on Sunday morning, May 17, by Rev. J. E. Mavety of Montreal, assisted by the Rev. W. D. Bell (Presbyterian) and the pastor, Rev. W. A. Hamilton. Appropriate and inspiring sermons were preached morning and evening by Rev. Mr. Mavety and in the afternoon by A. E. Runnells, B.D., Chesterville, spoke first to the children and then to the congregation in his usual happy manner. The auditorium was filled at every service by enthusiastic congregations, who in response to an appeal from Mr. Mavety contributed in subscriptions and cash the splendid amount of $8,000 towards the church building fund. The Presbyterian friends courteously withdrew their services for the day and the pastor Rev. W. D. Bell, assisted the choir of the church, which was also reinforced by A. F. Dey. With Miss Jardine of Newington presiding at the organ the music and singing was excellent and contributed greatly to the success of the dedication. Rev. E. E. Scott of Montreal, preached Monday, May 24, afternoon and evening, and delivered his popular lecture "The Land of the Maple" on Monday evening.

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The bar of gold is from the Reddick property, in which Mr. Sawyer is financially interested, and is the result of the treatment of two and a half tons of mineral by the new 20 stamp mill now in course of erection at that property.

The bar is about an inch and three-quarters long, an inch wide and slightly over a quarter of an inch thick. It is shaped like a small match safe.

The bar is worth $99, and represents about $39 to the ton of ore. If the ore in sight on this property, some 750,000 tons, all averaged as rich it would mean over $25,000,000 in profits to the owners, to say nothing of the hundreds of thousands of tons believed to be on the property, but not yet reached. The cost of treatment is less than $2.50 a ton. It is not anticipated that the ore will average anything like as rich as the two and a half tons just treated. Mr. Sawyer believes that the ore will average from $7 to $8 a ton, and even at this average a profit of $5 a ton on several million tons of ore will be sufficient to make this one of the richest gold mines in the world.

The twenty stamp mill will be hurried to completion as soon as possible.

### Over the Dam to Their Death.

Walkerton, May 24.—Gertie and Bertha Obrecht, sisters, aged nineteen and twenty, and Fred Clark, aged twenty-one, were drowned here last night while boating on the Saugeen, the boat in which they were having been carried over the dam. At the close of a baseball match on Saturday night the young ladies went out boating on the river, accompanied by two young men, Messrs. Clark and Smith. The latter, the only survivor of the accident, says that they remained on the water until about nine o'clock, and heedlessly let the boat drop down towards the dam. By this time it was too dark to notice their position. Smith is yet too dazed to give a clear account of how it happened, but it seems that the boat upset at the dam and sank. It was a metal boat and immediately disappeared. All the occupants went over the dam, and the two girls and Clark were drowned. None of them could swim. Smith was able to swim, and managed to reach the shore.

There is general sympathy with the friends of the victims. The two young sisters who lost their lives were stenographers in offices in town, and personally held in high esteem. They were both handsome, clever girls. The event was feelingly referred to in all the churches to-day.

### Heavy Fire Loss at Brockville.

Brockville, May 26.—At 1.15 this morning fire broke out in a small building owned by J. R. Bresnan, and before it was extinguished another building containing 2,000 tons of anthracite was consumed, together with the hoisting apparatus. The buildings adjoined the Brockville waterworks, which was on fire several times, but the heroic work of the brigade and citizens saved it.

The barge Mary Lyon, of the George Hall fleet, was tied at the wharf, and burned almost to the water's edge. The crew escaped with what belongings they could hurriedly pick up. The captain, George Abbott, of this town, was badly burned about the legs, and was removed to the hospital.

### Vestry Meeting at Crysler.

The annual vestry meeting of St. John's Church, Crysler, was held Monday afternoon, May 11th, in the rectory. Present Rev. M. G. Poole, chairman; J. A. Cockburn, vestry clerk; James Boldick, Cristopher McManus and Henry Armstrong. Mr. Cristopher McManus was reappointed clergyman's warden and Mr. Cristopher Hetherington, people's warden, Mr. Boldick desiring to retire after faithful service which was appreciated both by people and rector. The finances of the parish were looked over and received. The sidesmen are Messrs. Henry Armstrong and James Boldick, the latter being also elected for three years as delegate to the Synod. Mr. J. A. Cockburn was chosen as treasurer of funds connected with the cemetery. The meeting was opened and closed with prayer by the rector.


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# AFRAID PLACE WOULD GO

## Traveller Tells of the Fatal Tillsonburg Fire

A despatch from Toronto says: That there was no fire rope in the room he occupied in the Queen's Hotel, Tillsonburg, was the statement made on Thursday by W. T. A. Proctor, a travelling salesman for Austin & Co., of No. 60 Yonge street.

ONE FIRE ESCAPE.

"There was no rope in my room, No. 6 and the only fire escape was on the side of the hotel, running from the third to the second storey, then a drop to the street. People stood at their windows as long as they possibly could crying for help and seeking desperately a way down. Miss Gray stood that way for some time before she jumped. I think most of those that did jump had done so before I got out. I was waked up by hearing women screaming. My bedroom floor was hot as I stepped on it. The room was full of smoke, and I could hear the roar of the flame all around me.

ESCAPE CUT OFF.

"I grabbed my clothes and my grip, and got out in the hallway, thinking to get down the way I came, by the main stairs. But I could see this was impossible as the stairs were in flames. I groped round and finally struck the back stairs, carrying my trousers coat and other clothes and my grip. It seemed to me when I saw escape cut off by the main stairs that I was going to die right there, and it was not a nice thought at all. Halfway down the back stairs I fell the rest of the flight, and managed to reach the street. I saved my underclothing, but had dropped my trousers as I fell, and when I went back after them I found a portion of the charred cloth, including the pocket, which had contained $60. I discovered a corner of the wad of money still there unburned. They say I can have them redeemed at the bank.

"A man that crawled to the roof says that Wheatley must have tried to escape and that he was not in his room when the roof fell. He reard someone coughing underneath him, and he thinks it was Wheatley.

"Besides my trousers I lost a $50 gold watch and a number of personal trinkets.

GOOD WORK OF VOLUNTEERS.

"The volunteer fire force did great work. They had ten men at work with five steams of hose, and the pressure was so good they sent the water right over the building. They got their ladders up quickly too, and saved a number that way. I saw two of them standing on the upper balcony on the hotel front, with the flames creeping around their feet, while a third was throwing pails of water on the fire to keep it down, so that the two men could play the hose in through the top window.

"The people in the inside rooms had an awful time. The fire was burning in a square circle in the centre of the building, and this fact prevented any from penetrating through it to reach the stairs.

"Several people used the fire escapes on the side. Mr. Malone was one, and a woman also got down that way.

HAD A PRESENTMENT.

"I must have had some presentiment of the fire, for the night before I had a local jeweller there who came to see my samples. I opened one trunk and took out a cutlery tray, and then I said, 'No, I won't open any more here to-night. This old fire-trap might go at any minute.' I arranged to show him the rest in the morning.

"I saw one man, whose name I won't tell, climb back up a ladder down which he had escaped, after his stick pin. His room was in the back, where the fire was not so bad. Not content with this, he made the journey again, after his tooth brush.

IN PANIC OVER SOCKS.

"Another man was running around excitedly, declaring that he had lost his socks in the fire, and asking for the proprietor, saying some one must pay for them.

"You can't say too much for the firemen. They stuck to their work with beams dropping all around them, and they went through the building looking for Wheatley, when it was dangerous to do so.

"That morning they tell me only one of the employes of the steel plant showed up at work, and Tillson's hadn't a man show up. Every one was at the fire.'

### THIRTEEN PEOPLE INJURED.

**Crowded Street Car Crashes Into One in Front.**

A despatch from Ottawa says: Thirteen people were injured in a collision of two street cars at 5 o'clock on Sunday on the Britannia line, a couple of miles out of Ottawa. Twelve persons were taken to the hospitals, and of these two will probably die. A large car had stopped at Westburg, at the foot of a grade, when a smaller car, crowded with people, ran into it. The platform of the smaller car was a foot lower than the car ahead. The consequence was that the following car slid under the first so far that the first four cross rows of seats were crushed.

The collision was caused by the sudden stopping of the front car while the attention of the motorman on the following car, which was travelling at a high speed, was temporarily diverted, and he was looking toward the rear of his own car.

Four of those injured in Sunday's collision on the Britannia electric line, Fred and Chas. Bryne, Miss Lena Morin and Miss Nellie Driscoll, are in a most critical condition in the General Hospital. Particularly in the case of the Bryne boys, there is only a fighting chance of recovery. Before reaching the hospital they lost a lot of blood and each has had a leg amputated, while the elder one, Fred, also has a fracture of the skull. Miss Morin has a leg crushed and broken, and Miss Driscoll two compound fractures.

### DRANK WOOD ALCOHOL.

**Indian and Squaw Killed at Moncton, N.B.**

A despatch from Moncton, N.B., says: Oliver Grimes, aged 65, an Indian, and Mary Noel, aged 40, a squaw, died from the effects of drinking wood alcohol. They were drinking on Saturday night, and reached the Indian camp near the Intercolonial Railway shops here with an empty bottle labelled bay rum. On Sunday they were ill, but were around all day. Monday they were seized with violent pains and Grimes died soon after noon and the woman a little later. The woman's husband is away fishing. Coroner Hurdy will hold an inquest.

### 105 FATAL ACCIDENTS.

**Returns for April Show 289 More People Injured.**

A despatch from Ottawa says: Industrial accidents occurring to 289 individuals work people of Canada during the month of April, 1908, were reported to the Department of Labor. Of these 105 were fatal, and 184 resulted in serious injuries. In addition, five fatal accidents were reported as having taken place prior to the beginning of the month, information not having been received by the department before April, 1908. The number of fatal accidents reported in April, 1908, was 24 more than in the previous month, and one less than in April, 1907.

### NOT ALLOWED TO LAND.

**64 Galician Immigrants to Quebec Had Not Enough Money.**

A despatch from Ottawa says: The Steamship Montrose, which arrived at Quebec on May 20, had as passengers 64 Galicians booked to Toronto, Montreal, Ottawa and other cities.

They did not have on them the amount of money prescribed by the regulations of the Immigration Department, namely, $25, and were refused admission to Canada.

### CHINA TO TRY FORCE.

**Send Troops to Maintain Claim to Land on Corean Frontier.**

A despatch from St. Petersburg says: The newspapers print a despatch from Russian Manchuria to the effect that the dispute between the Chinese and Japanese over the Corean frontier has led China to send 5,000 foreign drilled troops from Kirin to Tchentao with the view to maintaining her claim to possession of the latter place. It is stated that the Japanese have been taxing the residents of Tchentao, contending that the town is in Corean territory. China disputes this. The incident is greatly incensing the Chinese.

The Dominion Railway Board, hearing evidence on behalf of a viaduct for Toronto, adjourned till June 4.

# FRANCHISE FOR THE WOMEN

## British Government Will Not Oppose Amendment to Electoral Reform Bill

A despatch from London says: Prime Minister Asquith, replying on Wednesday to delegation favoring woman suffrage, said that the Government intended to pass a comprehensive measure of electoral reform, and that should an amendment favoring woman suffrage be introduced the Goverment would not oppose it, provided the proposed change was upon democratic lines. He pointed out that no change of this kind could be effected unless the women of the country supported it as well as the electors. The Premier was cheerfully neutral respecting woman's suffrage. He admitted that he had not "reached the state of grace which its advocates enjoyed," but he had an open mind. He was aware that about two-thirds of his colleagues favored it.

This declaration means that the Government will not attempt to influence its followers, but will leave all to vote as they please. This stipulation for a democratic basis is held to mean that any proposal, in order to avoid the Government's hostility, must conform approximately with the law governing the male franchise. It is predicted that such a proposal will certainly be carried by a large majority.

# LEADING MARKETS

BREADSTUFFS.

Toronto, May 26.—Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.16; No. 2, $1.13; No. 3, $1.08; feed, practically none offering, nominal quotations are 70c, No. 2 feed 65c, Georgian Bay ports.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 white, 94c to 95c outside; No. 2 red, 64c outside; No. 2 mixed, 93c to 94c; goose, 90c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, nominal at 80c, Toronto freight; No. 3 mixed, 1c less.

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

Barley—No. 2, 55c to 60c outside.

Peas—No. 2, 92c to 94c, outside.

Rye—No. 2 scarce and wanted, 88c.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 64½c to 65c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 49c to 50c outside; No 2 mixed, 47½c outside.

Bran—$24.50 to $25 here.

Shorts—$25 at the mills.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Wholesale quotations are:—

Eggs—New-laid, 17c to 18c.

Butter—Prices are lower, and further declines are expected.

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| Creamery, prints | 26c to 27c |
| do solids | 24c to 25c |
| Dairy prints | 23c to 24c |
| do large rolls | 21c to 22c |
| Inferior | 18c to 19c |

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.

Potatoes—Ontario, 90c; Delaware, $1, in car lots on track here.

Cheese—Firm; 14c for large and 14¼c for twins, in job lots here; new make, 12c for large and 12½c for twins.

Beans—$1.85 to $1.90 for primes, and $1.95 to $2 for hand-picked.

Maple Syrup—$1 to $1.10 per gallon.

Baled Straw—$8 to $9 per ton

Baled Hay—Timothy is quoted at $12 to $14, in car lots on tracks here.

PROVISIONS.

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

Lard—Tierces, 11½c; tubs, 11¾c; pails, 12c

Smoked and Dry Salted Meats — Long clear bacon, 10½c, tons and cases; hams,. medium and light, 12c to 13½c; hams, large, 11½c to 12c; backs, 16c to 16½c; shoulders, 9¾c to 10c; rolls, 10c to 10½c; breakfast bacon, 14c to 15c; green meats, out of pickle, 1c less than smoked

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Montreal, May 26.—Flour — Manitoba spring wheat patents, $6.10 to $6.20; second patents, $5.50 to $5.70; winter wheat patents, $5.25 to $5.75; straight rollers, $4.50 to $5; in bags, $2.15 to $2.25; extra, $1.50 to $1.90.

Rolled Oats—$2.75, in bags of 90 pounds.

Oats—No. 2, 51½c to 52½c; No. 3, 49c to 50c; No. 4, 47c to 48c; rejected, 45c to 46c; Manitoba rejected, 50c, North Bay.

Cornmeal—$1.60 to $1.70 per bag.

Millfeed—Ontario bran, in bags, $23 to $23.50; shorts, $25 to $26; Manitoba bran, in bags, $23; shorts, $25 to $26.

Cheese—Receipts of cheese to-day were 4,850 boxes, as compared with 4,585 boxes for the same date last year.

Butter—Local market is dull and weak, with western quoted at 11½c and easterns at 11¼c.

Eggs—Fair trade is reported in selected stock at 19c; No. 1, 17½c and No. 2 16c per dozen.

Provisions—Barrels short cut mess, $22.50; half barrels, $11.50; clear fat backs, $23; dry salt long clear backs, 11c; barrels plate beef, $17.50; half barrels do., $9; compound lard, 8¾c to 9¼c; pure lard, 12½c to 13c; kettle rendered, 13c to 13½c; hams, 12½c to 14c, according to size; breakfast bacon, 14c, according to size; breakfast bacon, 14c to 15c; Windsor bacon, 15c to 16c; fresh-killed abattoir-dressed hogs, $9.50; live, $6.60 to $6.75.

UNITED STATES MARKETS.

Buffalo, May 26. — Wheat — Spring higher; No. 1 Northern, $1.07⅞ carloads; No. 2 red, $1.02; Winter easy. Corn—Higher; No. 2 white, 80c; No. 2 yellow, 80½c. Oats—Easier; No. 2 mixed, 52c; No. 2 white, 51½c. Barley—75 to 85c. Rye—No. 1 on track, 90c.

Minneapolis, May 26.—Wheat— May, $1.05⅝; July, $1.04¼ to $1.04⅜; Sept., 90¾c; No. 1 hard, $1.08⅝ to $1.09⅛; No. 1 Northern, $1.07⅛; No. 2 Northern, $1.04⅝ to $1.05⅛; No. 3 Northern, 98 to 98½c. Flour—First patents, $5.45 to $5.60; second patents, $5.30 to $5.45; first clears, $4.25 to $4.35; second clears, $3.55 to $3.65. Bran—In bulk, $21.75 to $22.

Milwaukee, May 26.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, $1.10 to $1.11; No. 2 Northern, $1.08 to $1.09½; July, 89⅞c asked. Rye—No. 1, 84 to 84½c. Barley—No. 2, 75c; sample, 60 to 60½c. Corn—No. 3, cash, 75 to 76½c; July, 66⅜c bid.

Duluth, May 26.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, $1.09⅛; No. 1 Northern, $1.07⅛; No. 2 Northern, $1.04⅝; May, $1.04⅜; Sept., $109⅞

New York, May 26.—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red, $1.05 elevator; No. 2 red, 99½c; late July, f.o.b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.13⅞ f.o.b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.12⅜ f.o.b. afloat.

CATTLE MARKET.

Toronto May 21.—The more abundant supplies of cattle which have been brought forward of late have had the effect of weakening the values.

Hardly four loads of choice export cattle were brought forward. Their prices ranged from $5.50 to $6 per cwt.

Picked butchers' cattle were selling up to $5.90 per cwt. Straight loads of choice cattle were worth $5.20 to $5.50 per cwt. Medium butchers' cattle sold around $4.65 to $5.10. In cows $3 to $5 was the range for common to the best.

A few stockers were offered on an active demand. Some of the heavier ones brought $4.35 per cwt. The range was $3 to $4.35.

A steadily demand was reported for choice milch cows. The range for the best class was $40 to $60 per cwt. Common cows were not much wanted.

Prospects are for lower prices in lambs and sheep. Export ewes, $4.75 to $5.50; bucks and culls, $3.50 to $4.50; grain-fed lambs, $7 to $7.50; common lambs, $5 to $6 per cwt. Spring lambs were worth $3 to $6.75 each.

Select hogs were sold at $6 per cwt. off cars, Toronto, and lights and fats at $5.75 per cwt.

### AGAIN IN LAW'S GRIP.

**Prisoner Who Broke Cornwall Jail is Recaptured.**

A despatch from Cornwall says: After two day's liberty, Frank Carter, the young man who scaled the walls of the United Counties' jail here on Saturday, is once more in the custody of the local authorities. Carter fled from Cornwall to Moulinette, and thence to Newington, where he had friends. He left a clear trail, which was followed by Alvin Gilliard, who recaptured the runaway at Newington and brought him back to Cornwall. His sentence may be extended in consequence of his escapade.

### SIXTY WERE KILLED.

**Pilgrims Ground to Death in Belgian Train Wreck.**

A despatch from Antwerp says: A railroad accident of unprecedented horror in the annals of Belgian train disasters occurred at 9.06 on Thursday morning at Contich, a station six miles southeast of Antwerp on the main line. An express train from Antwerp to Brussels crashed into a train loaded with pilgrims, mostly workmen and peasants on their way to a local shrine. This train was standing on a siding. Several of its cars were telescoped and shattered to matchwood. The total number of dead is placed at sixty and the wounded at over one hundred. The engineer and fireman of the express were among the killed.

### SAVING BOY FROM CIGARETTE.

**Government Bill Introduced in the Commons.**

A despatch from Ottawa says: Hon. Mr. Aylesworth gives notice of a bill "To restrain the use of tobacco by young persons." Its object is to prevent the sale of cigarettes to boys under 16, and it will provide that any person making such sale shall be liable to a fine of $10 for the first offence and of higher penalties for subsequent offences. The police will be given power to confiscate any cigarettes found in the possession of any boy under 16. Such boys will be fined $1 for the first offence, $3 for a second, and $4 for a third and subsequent offences.

### EARTHQUAKE CAUSED FIRE

**Insurance Companies Win Suit Over Kingston Disaster.**

A despatch from London says: The question whether the fire which partially destroyed the city of Kingston, Jamaica, in January of 1907 broke out before or after the earthquake was decided in the King's Bench division on Wednesday night in favor of the insurance companies interested in the losses incurred. The insurance companies claimed that the earthquake caused the fires, and that consequently they were protected from the claims for damages under the earthquake exemption clause in their policies. The present test case was brought by a Manchester firm against the London & Lanchester Fire Insurance Co. It had occupied the attention of the court for the best part of a month. Many witnesses were brought from Jamaica, and leading counsel were engaged by both sides.

### WHAT CHINAMEN PAY.

**Half of Nearly $700,000 Goes to Province of British Columbia.**

A despatch from Ottawa says: The poll tax of $500 on each Chinese immigrant into Canada brought the Federal Treasury last year no less a sum than $690,000. The total arrivals of Chinese were 1,380, each paying $500 on entry. Under terms of the act half the tax goes to the Dominion and half to British Columbia, where nearly all the Celestials remain. On Tuesday the Finance Department provided a check to the Provincial Government for $345,000, being half the total amount received. The entries of Chinese in other Provinces were as follows:—Ontario, 1; Saskatchewan, 1; New Brunswick, 4; Nova Scotia, 3; Quebec, 74.

### RUSSIA NEEDS $400,000,000.

**Finance Minister Announces Foreign and Domestic Loans for Eg Sums.**

A despatch from St. Petersburg says: During a speech on a bill providing for the construction of the Amur Railroad on Tuesday, Finance Minister Kokovsoff made the first announcement of foreign and domestic loans to raise $400,000,000 the sum required for the construction of the Amur line, the double-tracking of the Siberian road, and the certain reforms in the army which are necessary for the defence of Russian interests in the Orient. These loans will be floated partly at home and partly abroad.

### THREE COACHES LEFT RAILS.

**C. N. R. Flyer Wrecked Near Winnipeg —Fireman Injured.**

A despatch from Winnipeg says: The Canadian Northern "Flyer" which left here on Tuesday night for Minneapolis and St. Paul, was wrecked at Cartier Station, 15 miles south of here. The tender of the engine left the rails first throwing the engine on its side. Three coaches left the rails, the express, mail and baggage cars, and second-class coach. Fireman McBride was injured about the shoulders and back. The passengers escaped with only a bad shaking up.

### UP TO THE BAYONETS.

**Fierce Charge by Mohmands in Northern India.**

A despatch from Simla, says: The Mohmand mountaineers are offering a stout resistance to the British punitive expedition, under the command of Major-General Sir James Wilcocks. There was heavy fighting at Umri-Killi on Wednesday. The tribesmen frequently took the offensive and repeatedly charged up to the British bayonets. Two British officers were killed and one was wounded and a score of Sikh troopers were injured. The losses of the Mohmands were more than two hundred.

# KING WILL VISIT THE CZAR

## Two Monarchs Will Meet at Reval, in the Gulf of Finland.

A despatch from London says: King Edward will spend a week shortly with the Emperor and Empress of Russia. It is expected that his Majesty will embark on the royal yacht at Portsmouth on May 29, at the conclusion of President Fallieres' visit to London. The meeting of the two Monarchs will take place at Reval, in the Gulf of Finland, where King Edward will arrive on June 9th on board the royal yacht Victoria and Albert, and escorted by two cruisers. Diplomatists are greatly interested in this meeting, which, it is expected, will further strengthen the relations between Great Britain and Russia that have been so much improved by the conclusion of the Anglo-Russian agreement. This will be the first meeting of King Edward and the Czar since the King's accession. It is understood, however, that had it not been for the Russo-Japanese war and the subsequent internal troubles of Russia this meeting between the two rulers would have been arranged much earlier in King Edward's reign

### BIG DECLINE IN IMMIGRATION.

**Returns Will Show a Falling Off of Nearly Forty Thousand.**

A despatch from Montreal says: There has been a marked falling off in the number of immigrants coming to Canada during the present year, despite a general impression that the number was, if anything, increasing. It was stated on Thursday by immigration officials here that the figures would show a falling off of between thirty and forty thousand for the year up to now, as compared with the number coming in during the same part of last year. The falling off was very marked during the first three months, amounting to nearly fifteen thousand. With the opening of Spring there was a temporary rush, but this has dropped off, and each week shows big declines as compared with last year, which was a record-breaker. On the other hand, the immigration officials state that the class of men coming out is much better than last year. This year the immigration is largely composed of people from the British Isles, and the stricter regulations have resulted in the sending out of a much better class, especially the regulation that each immigrant must have at least $25 in cash.

### WAS TREED BY WOLVES.

**A Western Man's Adventures Near Canora, Saskatchewan.**

A despatch from Canora, Sask., says: John Goodrich has returned from an exploring trip to his ranch some 75 miles north, during which he had an unusually trying experience. About a month ago Mr. Goodrich left here for his ranch with sixty head of cattle. During a snowstorm that intervened the cattle scattered around the country in bunches of from five to ten. To make things worse he lost his team while crossing a bog about fifty miles north, the animals suddenly dropping out of sight and he was unable to rescue them. During the search for his stock he was one night attacked by a large pack of wolves and forced to spend the night in a tree. His clothing was wet and froze to his body, and he was in an exhausted condition by the time the wolves dispersed in the morning.

### GOOD CROP PROSPECTS.

**Beneficial Rains Have Been Falling in Manitoba.**

A despatch from Winnipeg says: Reports from all parts of the grain district of the Canadian Northwest show timely rains for the past 24 hours While it was a cold rain in some districts, agricultural interests regard the situation generally as very satisfactory. Seeding is complete and the moisture has been evenly distributed through the season. Crop prospects in Western Canada were never more flattering, with a largely increased acreage.

Bishop McEvay of London, Ont., has been appointed Archbishop of Toronto.

### FIRE IN MANITOBA TOWN.

**Half a Block of Main Street of Russell Was Wiped Out.**

A despatch from Russell, Man., says: The west side of Main Street, for over half a block, was wiped out by fire on Tuesday night. The loss is approximately $100,000, and not half covered by insurance. Among the places burned were: T. A. Wright's office, G. W. Glover's store, R. R. Rogers' office, the Oddfellows' Hall, J. W. Fraser's store, A. B Gallin's office, and F. Matheson's store.

### WINNIPEG'S NEW STATION.

**Contract Awarded to Peter Lyall & Sons of Montreal.**

A despatch from Ottawa says: The contract for the new million-dollar union station at Winnipeg to be used by the C. N. R., G. T. P., and National Transcontinental Railways has been awarded to Peter Lyall & Sons of Montreal. The contract for the building alone, exclusive of furnishings, etc., amounts to $886,000.

### NEW TREATY WITH BRITAIN.

**Provides for Exchange of Prisoners Salvage and Wreckage.**

A despatch from Washington says: Acting Secretary of State Bacon and Ambassador Bryce, of Great Britain, on Monday signed a treaty which provides regulations for the exchange of prisoners and for salvage and wreckage.

### SERIOUS FLOOD IN QUEBEC.

**Breaking of an Old Dam Puts Two Villages Under Water.**

A despatch from Montreal says: News was received here on Wednesday of a most extraordinary flood at Carillon, Que., and Point Fortune, Que., which has been caused by the breaking of the old canal dam at Carillon, by the high water from the Ottawa River. Both these villages are inundated and great damage has been done to hotels, stores and residences. The lighting plant at Carillon, which supplies light to neighboring villages, has been put out of business and all will be in darkness for some time.

### MARRIED BY MISTAKE.

**Connecticut Woman Is Suing For a Divorce.**

A despatch from South Norwalk, Conn., says: When Wm. Krisick and Miss Alexandria Kirszika, two Poles, applied for a license from Town Clerk Herbert R. Smith on Saturday they got a marriage license, and John Curnow, Justice of the Peace, married them. The bride has now instituted proceedings for divorce, and threatens the officials. She says all that they wanted was a dog license. Krisick's dog was named Louise, and in his broken English all he could say was that he wanted a license for Louise, which accounted for the mistake. The bride is a cousin of the bridegroom.

# AN ATTEMPTED MURDER

## Desperate Attack With Club Interrupted By a Neighbor.

A despacth from Brockville says: A murderous assault was made on Wednesday upon Robert Stewart, a 70-year-old farmer, living on the second concession Elizabethtown, near Brockville, by a young man giving the name of McCormick, who had been in Stewart's employ as a farm hand for the past week. The two men started for the fields, and, according to the story told by Stewart, there was no provocation for the crime. They were working away, when McCormick suddenly approached from behind with a club, striking Stewart over the head as he stooped to adjust a seeder. The blow somewhat dazed him, but he turned and faced his assailant, who dealt blow after blow, Stewart protecting himself as best he could with his hands and arms, which show evidence of the combat, for they are battered and bruised.

Murder would have undoubtedly been committed had not the assault been witnessed by a neighboring farmer named Kingstone. On seeing him approach Mc. Cormick beat a hasty retreat into the woods.

Stewart was covered with blood from head to foot, but never lost consciousness. He was removed to the hospital here, where he lies in a critical condition with four scalp wounds, four cut into the bone and some fully three inches long. It is feared there is also a fracture of the skull.

Stewart says the man carried the club under his coat and that it was bandaged with a cloth. When he fled he took the club, but in the struggle the cloth came off and it was found close by saturated with blood. The deed was evidently planned, as the man had taken the precaution to tie the farmer's faithful collie to the fence. It is thought that McCormick had robbery as his chief object, as he was aware that the day before Stewart had received considerable money on a big sale of hogs.

It turns out that McCormick's real name is James Young, and is the son of a former resident of Brockville now living in Oswego, N.Y. He recently returned here after serving several years in the Elmira Reformatory for train wrecking near Ogdensburg and was released on parole.

After an exciting chase of three days, in which a large section of Leeds Conty and a part of the State of New York was covered, the police, on Friday, succeeded in capturing James Young, the farm hand who made a murderous assault on Robert Stewart, his employer, on Tuesday last in his mother's house.

He made a stout resistance, and when overcome remarked that were he in the possession of his two revolvers he would have shot the constable.

He appeared before Magistrate Deacon and was remanded for a week.

The victim of the assault to-day made an ante-mortem statement to the Crown Attorney, as he is in a critical condition.

# A SHADOWED PATH;

## Or, The Curse Of The Family

CHAPTER XIV.—(Continued).

Evan Crepton was not hurt, he was barely down before he was up again, and shaking his clenched hand in a paroxysm of rage after the departing vehicle.

"Hands off!" he almost yelled to the footman. "Hereafter I will be revenged—see if I don't;" and without uttering another word, he turned his back on his mother's home—with bitterness in his heart, and indignation, and anger, and all uncharitableness boiling in his breast.

For days he wandered objectless about London—lodging in mean inns at night and prowling through the crowded streets by day. As his money diminished, he sought for employment, but with small success; and by degrees he grew poorer and poorer—unable to pay for nightly accommodation, and obliged to spend night after night in waste places—under porches and on door-steps. He sought and inquired for Melville Street and the "Three Stars," but nobody knew anything of either. He parted with his cap, his neck-handkerchief, his old shoes, his jacket and waistcoat—everything but his shirt and trousers, for food—and at length, utterly famished, exhausted, and weary, he sat him down perfectly heart-sick in Antram Street, where Judith met him on the day and in the manner described in the preceding chapter.

He would not beg, but she would give; she came, as it seemed, merely to rescue the boy from absolute starvation, and then disappeared, leaving him whom her husband so kindly disposed of, the hero of a group of idlers, whose enthusiasm, if such it might be called, for Mrs. Mazingford, gradually subsiding into a very natural though perhaps not equally laudable desire to share the spoil—they commenced making interest with the youth in a mode anything but pleasing to the policeman who chanced to be his guardian for the time being.

"Now just make yourselves scarce,' began that functionary, after a pause devoted to serious reflection. "I should advise you to take your rags out of that, if you don't want a night's lodging in the station-house. Come along you, what's your name,' and the policeman laid a rough hand on the boy's collar—and so, took him, as it were, in charge.

"Let me go," exclaimed the youth vigorously, extricating himself from the detaining grasp—"Don't lay a finger on me; I will follow you quietly; but you have no right to drag me along the street as if I had stolen something.'

"Ay, ay, that's what you all say; there was a heavy job done, over at Pimlico, two or three weeks ago,—a lad in it just about your age and size, and——"

"Do you mean to say I'm a thief?' hurriedly interrupted the boy, pausing short, and asking the question with flashing eyes. "Do you dare to say I'm a thief?"

"I should not like to say you were not one," was the cool reply; "but thief or no thief, come along quietly with me, for at present you and this purse are a sort of charge upon me, and I want to be rid of both.'

"I would rather not go with you," said Evan, choking back a few words of angry import, and swallowing at the same time his rage. "Keep the purse, or give it away, that is, keep the money, I mean, and give me the purse—I don't want the lady's gold, I want——"

"To get clear off,' was the response. "Yes, yes, clench your fists, if you like, but it won't do. No, no, it won't; I'm too old a bird to be caught by chaff; so now don't let's have any more chat, but come along;" and he again laid a hand on the boy's collar, which polite attention was instantly repaid by a smart blow.

"I told you before," said Evan, "I was willing to go with you to any place if you treated me properly. I am a gentleman, and I will not be dragged along the streets like a prisoner by any one. If I had wanted to escape, I could have done so long ago. I should advise you to be careful how you annoy me, for I——"

"Am a gentleman! no doubt!" ejaculated the policeman, with a grimace, surveying the lad's clothes, or rather rags. "Well, so as you come with me peaceably, it don't much matter how we go along; and you can tell me by the way who you are and where you are from, and how so well-born a young gent as yourself came to be begging in the street.'

"That's a lie," was the straightforward retort, "I was not begging; I was starving. As to who I am, that's my business; and as to where I'm from, that's no affair of yours; and as to where I'm going, you know that better than I do."

"But you must tell me your name,' said X, in a more civil tone, for something in Evan's manner was at length beginning to produce an impression on him. "I must have your name."

"Why, does it belong to you?"

This was rather an unsatisfactorily reply, and on the strength of it the policeman and his protege walked on together for a few minutes in silence. At length, "I tell you what it is, young man," he said, stopped abruptly, and staring the lad straight in the face; "I expect you have run away from your friends.'

"Then you are wrong," returned Evan, "for I have no friends or home."

"And still you say you are——"

"Better than what I seem," was the answer; "but what are we going in here for? It is a police-court, and I am not a criminal;" and the speaker's face grew very red, and he made a movement as if to depart.

"Now just be quiet, will you?" said the policeman, "and listen to reason. A lady, whom I know nothing about, gives me a purse for the benefit of a—of a boy that I know nothing about either; bids me do what I can for him if he is worthy and the rest of it, and drives off and leaves me in a pretty fix; so I think the best thing I can do in the matter is to take you before Mr. Maund, tell him the way of the case, and let him decide what is best to be done. If you are honest, you need not be afraid to come with me; and if you are not honest, why there is still more the reason that, willing or unwilling, you should."

The result of which lucid speech was that youth and guardian went into Court; the former to be questioned, the latter to talk; but as Evan resolutely refused to throw any light on his own history, the magistrate felt puzzled how to act. It was of no use to ask the stranger for any explanation of his anomalous position.

He declined to give his name; declared he had no friends, no home, no money, no place to go, no employment, no plan for the future; he said he was not a Londoner, but refused to state why he had come to the metropolis, and how long he had been in it—whence he had come, or where any one belonging to him resided.

He admitted he had relations in London, but said application to them would be useless, and that at any rate he did not wish to ask or take favors. He stated he was willing to work, and would be thankful for employment; he did not care what he worked at, provided he could earn a living by it. If the magistrate could return the money to the lady, he should be glad, only he would like to keep the purse, if he were allowed; he could not say who she was; had never seen her before; should scarcely know her if they met again, because there were so many people about, and such a confusion; but she had spoken kindly to him—hers was the only friendly voice he had heard since——

Here Evan stopped short, and resolutely "shut up," as a bystander phrased it. No questioning could wring further information out of him, and as a dernier ressort, Mr. Maund remanded him for a few days, and his guardian took him to his own home, where, by the magistrate's directions, he was provided with a decent suit of clothes, and desired to wait until further inquiries could be made concerning him. The green silk purse—as it was of no value to any one else—he had been permitted to retain, but the money, less a small sum for immediate expenses, remained in Mr. Maund's hands, until such time as something definitive should be learned about the boy.

Evan took the whole business very quietly, showed no sign of vexation when it was proposed to insert an advertisement in the papers descriptive of him—made not the slightest objection to anything Mr. Maund suggested—and, finally, succeeded in totally blinding the judgment of the policeman, who gradually relaxed his vigilance over him.

The following evening, Evan expressed a desire to write to the magistrate, and accordingly pen, ink, and paper were provided him for that purpose. The epistle seemed to be a voluminous one, for it took a long time to write, and his host, whose name was Woods, imagined it was intended to clear up all mysteries, and thought the boy must at length be coming to his senses.

On the strength of which supposition he exercised so very moderate a degree of surveillance over him, that, next day, when Mr. Maund wanted Evan he was nowhere to be found.

He had "bolted," as the policeman stated, taking nothing with him but the green silk purse, the clothes he "stood up in," and leaving no information behind him but that contained in Mr. Maund's note.

Little enough it proved. He enclosed a letter addressed to Miss Crepton at Mrs. Crickleth's, Klicksturvyd, North Wales, which he requested might be forwarded to that person without being opened. He said he was going away, as he feared the advertisement would bring enemies upon him—that he thanked all who had been kind to him and remained,—

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So the matter rested for a few days, but then much light was thrown on the boy's history. "He had run away," said letters from Wales, "a couple of months previously." His relatives wished him to be returned to Wales, and one of them absolutely travelled to London in order to identify his nephew and escort him home. But Evan was gone, no one knew where, or how, for many a long day afterwards, when it was ascertained that a lad answering printed descriptions of him had entered on board a ship at Southampton and sailed out "foreign. When he reached the Cape, however, whither the vessel was bound, he exchanged into a merchantman going on to China, and so all trace of him was lost. Years passed away but still no news of the wanderer came back to Wales, where his young sister watched and waited for tidings till her cheek grew pale, because of that "hope deferred, which maketh the heart sick."

CHAPTER XV.

Klicksturvyd, where Mrs. Crickieth "held court," was one of the very coldest and dampest seaports in North Wales—cold, by reason of its exposed situation; damp, by virtue of a line of hills that poured down moisture on the little town lying in the valley beneath.

The genteel portion of the town fronted north-west, and consequently the evening sun, when there was any, shone full upon it, revealing every broken pane, every crooked blind, every discolored atom of cement to view; but in storm, darkness, sunshine, or light, one house stood out from al lthe rest, distinguished from its fellows by its gloomy and extremely respectable appearance.

It was protected with iron railings; there were long blinds on the lower windows, which were kept down winter and summer, and never raised unless the casements required cleaning; there were blinds, likewise, on the next storey; but the light of heaven was sometimes permitted to enter those privileged apartments.

The place was a blot in creation; the sun could not make it look brighter—nor the tempest darker than it was; in daylight it frowned sullenly at the bright heavens; when night veiled the town it seemed as though a blacker shade rung over the edifice—as though a darker shadow were thrown from it than from any other house across the uneven pavement, along which the pedestrian groped his uncertain way.

What parents saw about the place, or the mistress thereof, to induce them to consign their offspring to her tender care, I cannot tell; what the inhabitants beheld in that gloomy abode to make them observe, "It was a capital place for a school!' they knew best; it was called "respectable," commodious," "healthful;" the owner was termed "indefatigable," "amiable," "high-minded," "conscientious:" if ever any one disputed these propositions, he was cried down as a heathen, a savage, a presumptuous stranger, who understood nothing—and who was ultimately forced to take refuge in silence, whilst busy tongues sounded Mrs. Crickieth's praise; for learn, reader, the fact, and remember it when you have learnt it, that the gloomy house was an Establishment for Young Ladies, and Mrs. Crickieth the presiding deity thereof.

No one ever exactly knew whence that lady came, where she had been born, what had been the early education of one who so condently undertook to train up children of her own sex in the way they should go. No one was precisely aware of what had been her maiden name—when she had changed it for the honorable cognomen of "Crickieth;" when, nor how, nor why her lord had departed this life—nor her reason for selecting Klicksturvyd as the scene of her widowed operations. No one knew anything, accurately, about her; but it was universally believed that the deceased Mr. Crickieth had been, not merely "not so good as he should have been," but a great deal worse than he might and ought to have been; that Mrs. Crickieth was a miserable, ill-used, and most unfortunate woman, and a wonderful one to boot—that her heroic endurance of evils, which had been none of her own making, was something miraculous; and that, in short, she ought to be encouraged in her praiseworthy efforts, and compassionated because circumstances had rendered it absolutely necessary for her to make those efforts, in order to obtain a competence or even a livelihood.

In the present day there are some who obstinately and stoutly deny that, because a woman's husband has been an idiot, or a swindler, or a pauper, she is by consequence fitted to undertake the temporal and spiritual guidance of girls; there has been a vast improvement effected in seminaries of all kinds, and for all classes, since the period when Mrs. Crickieth lived, and reigned, and flourished.

Mrs. Crickieth was an extraordinary woman, and parents and guardians knelt down and worshipped her accordingly. She had a daughter, who was, so said the brother of a refractory pupil, a "worse devil than herself;" and altogether, what with Mrs. Crickieth and her daughter, a cunning French governess, and two half-starved English ones, a tremendous garrison of rats, and a perfect guerilla force of mice, the select seminary was a pleasant place.

Nothing more dissimilar from Dr. Mills' establishment can be conceived than Mrs. Crickieth's seminary; yet there was one point of resemblance between the two—viz., that at both the pupils received good educations, and no girl who would learn, or who could be made to learn, was ever known to leave Mrs. Crickieth's school an ignoramus.

She had masters and governesses, and saw that they taught, and that the young ladies learnt. If a girl left her school a dunce, assuredly it was not Mrs. Crickieth's fault, and, accordingly, Alice Crepton, possessed of fair abilities, and much application, gained knowledge, as her brother Evan had done, rapidly.

In the chill, ungenial atmosphere of the schoolroom, she grew up, as orphan children do in such places, tall and slight, and pale. She was a thorn in Mrs. Crickieth's side—for she would not submit, and she did not rebel. Mother and daughter both felt that some day that girl would get the better of them. She never repined—she never said a word they could take hold of—she only endured. What they wanted her to do, was to sink down submissive, but in this she would not gratify them. She was the strongest girl in the school, and yet she looked the most delicate; they knew her appearance did them no good. She obstinately and defiantly took side with the weakest and poorest children; not in such a manner as to give the mistresses a pretext for interfering, but in her own provoking quiet way. She had passed dreary years in the house and hated it, yet her spirit was as firm as ever. They felt they could never make use of her, and that was what they desired. "In a very short time," said Miss Crickieth, "just when she might have been a saving to us, and given me a little more leisure, she will leave, see if she don't, an ungrateful wretch."

"She would have stayed if Bessie had lived," remarked Mrs. Crickieth, sententiously. "Bessie is a bad business, Miss Crickieth."

Whereupon that lady, who was always called Miss Crickieth by her mother, because her name was Sally and not genteel, looked down to the carpet, and assented that Bessie was a bad business.

"Bless me!" exclaimed the younger lady, impatiently, "the brat is not dead yet, and she may get quite well again. Besides, that sort always live."

"Do not speak of illegitimacy as 'a sort,' Miss Crickieth," remonstrated her parent. "It is immoral and unlady-like, and is a mode of expression unbefitting your position in society. Is the child's room in proper order for the doctor to see her?—I hear his knock."

And Miss Crickieth replying in the affirmative, both she and her parent smoothed their faces into an amiable expression for the benefit of Dr. Duvard, who was a young man, and a new comer—and whom, it was an undeniable fact, that Miss Crickieth wanted "to catch."

"What a wretched life that little Gray has," some of the elder girls occasionally ventured to whisper. She was one of those unfortunate creatures who seem to have no place assigned to them in any heart, or in any spot, on this wide earth. She was delicate, illegitimate, poor and friendless. Her father, who had placed her at Mrs. Crickieth's, left immediately afterwards for India, and after paying a few quarters regularly enough, had apparently forgotten her existence.

Not knowing what to do with the child thus thrown entirely on her charge, Mrs. Crickieth kept her still an inmate of the select establishment for young ladies, on sufferance, and beat and half-starved the little thing, who was patience and meekness, and all the cardinal virtues personified.

(To Be Continued.)

## FOUR HUNDRED POUNDS : : :

I.

Dick was a bank clerk. This being the case, it was perhaps rash of him to wed so luxury-loving a butterfly as Ethel. His Aunts Sophia and Jane and Eliza were sure he was throwing himself away on such a creature, and said so, in confidence, to his Aunt Harriet. But Aunt Harriet, who had herself once been pretty, took it into her foolish old head to disagree with them.

"Did you expect Dick to choose a frump?" she snorted.

Apparently the Aunts Sophia and Jane and Eliza had expected something of the sort, for they looked with thinly-disguised disfavor on Ethel when she was brought to call on them by the proud and supremely unconscious Dick. Nevertheless, they favored Ethel with innumerable hints on housekeeping. Aunt Sophia distinguished herself in particular by communicating a recipe for stoneless damson-jam—which at first sight may sound as though it had nothing to do with the story; but, as a matter of fact, it has.

In due course Ethel and Dick got married, although the aunts reiterated that Dick wasn't rich enough, and although Ethel suspected the same thing. Most days, though, Ethel forgot that Dick wasn't rich enough. Those were the days when she did her shopping with the tradesmen who called at the door—and who flirted with Susan, the maid. Sometimes, however, the spirit moved Ethel to make her purchases over the counter, and in order to reach the grocer's it was necessary for her to pass Tuke's in the High Street. And Tuke's window was so fascinating! For Tuke—so said the scrolled inscription above his door—was a "goldsmith, silversmith and jeweller." And Ethel adored jewels!

But Ethel never ventured inside Tuke's door. Tuke had no welcome for bank clerks' wives, however pretty, and however suitably outwardly to be adorned with his wares. Hard-hearted Tuke!

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And then one day old Aunt Harriet died, and left Ethel the diamond pendant.

Now, the pendant was known to be exceedingly valuable. No one had seen it for years, but the last time Aunt Harriet had had it brought from the safe deposit, where it was kept, Tuke's man had been called in to estimate its worth, and had said that his firm would give four hundred pounds for it any day.

The legend was that an Austrian baron, to whom Harriet had been betrothed in her girlhood, had given it her. The baron had died, and Aunt Harriet never married, so the actual details of the romance had somewhat faded. But the existence of the pendant itself was undeniable. And Aunt Harriet, instead of keeping it in the family—as the other aunts thought "only right and proper"—had bequeathed it to Ethel—Ethel the frivolous, Ethel the bad housekeeper!

And Ethel? Words cannot describe her happiness. A diamond pendant worth four hundred pounds! Her heart beat fast as she undid the wrappers of the little case in which the jewel had been sent her by the family lawyers. To think that four hundred pounds' worth of matter could hide within so small a covering! What an exquisite thing it must be!

Exquisite indeed it was, as she at last drew it forth. One large diamond formed the centre of the pendant, twelve small ones ringed it round, and the whole was suspended from an ethereally thin golden chain. She slipped the chain round her neck, and looked at herself in the mirror. Magnificent! Yet it would look more magnificent still if—

No sooner thought of than done. Although it was still early, she changed into evening-dress, and once again faced the glass, with the pendant upon her bosom. Glorious! Oh, for the moment when Dick would return from the office and see her like this!

The thought of Dick recalled her to a sense of time. She remembered that she had promised herself a busy day in the kitchen preparing dainties for the visit of the aunts, who had sent word that they would call on the morrow, take tea, and view the pendant which they had not seen for so many years. Hurriedly she threw off her dress and changed into a working frock and apron. But the pendant? Should she put it away? No, she couldn't bear to bid it farewell just yet. She would show it to Dick at lunch, and afterwards put it away.

At lunch Dick beheld the pendant, and, deeply to Ethel's disappointment, was lukewarm in his praises.

"You must put it in my safe at once,' he said, "or it may get stolen. I'll leave the key with you. Be sure and lock the safe carefully."

Ethel promised, biting her lips with disappointment to keep back the tears. How could she guess poor Dick's pang of jealousy at the thought of how gladly he would have bought such a gift for his wife?

Ethel didn't put the pendant in the safe when Dick had gone, which was very naughty of her, and very natural, all the same. She couldn't tear herself away from this new plaything. And though she spent the whole afternoon in the kitchen, cooking things to please the aunts, she wore the pendant the whole time, until—

Until the moment came for her to prepare for dinner, and then she found she wasn't wearing it all all! The gold chain was still round her neck, but the pendant had vanished!

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When she heard Dick at the front door, Ethel could have shrieked. What was she to say to him? How confess that, so far from depositing the pendant in the safe, she had lost it—lost it the very first day she had owned it? Searched? She had searched till her eyes ached. She and Susan, the maid, had turned the whole kitchen outside in, had raken the ashes out of the grate, and even fished with a stick down the scullery sink escape-pipe—and found nothing. And here was Dick back from the bank, and the aunts were coming to-morrow to tea, and, horror! what could she say to them—how explain her folly in wearing the pendant while at work?

She ran upstairs, straightened her clothes and hair, and met Dick in the dining-room. His eyes sought her bosom, and then he smiled.

"I'm glad to see you've taken my advice and put the pendant in the safe," he said. "Give me the key, dear."

Silently she handed him the key—the key she hadn't used—and he placed it carefully in his hip-pocket.

Ethel, by saying nothing, had told her first—well, "lie" is perhaps rather a strong word. We must make allowances for her. One doesn't lose a four-hundred-pound pendant every day, you know.

II.

"To-morrow" had arrived, and still the pendant was not found. The aunts would be here any minute, and Dick was returning from his office to take tea with them, and they would all be sure to chatter of nothing but pendant—pendant—pendant, and ask to see it. And she couldn't show it to them, for it was lost—lost—lost!

The bell tinkled. Here were the aunts.

Aunts Sophia and Jane and Eliza, rustling in silken mourning, entered the room, solemnly shook hands with her, and spoke of the weather. Ethel hysterically gasped forth replies.

"Are you well forward with your jam-making, my dear?" Aunt Jane asked—poor Aunt Jane, who was dying to talk about the pendant, but thought it more seemly to allude to housekeeping matters first!

Ethel thankfully seized on the theme. "Yesterday," she faltered—oh, that yesterday!—"yesterday I made fourteen pounds of stoneless damson. The pots are on the dining-room sideboard. Would you like to see them The jam is so nice and dense, and such a lovely color, thanks to that splendid recipe you gave me, Aunt Sophia."

The three old ladies trooped into the dining-room and looked at the jam, murmuring grudging congratulations, for it certainly was a remarkably fine batch.

"Do accept a pot from me, each of you!" Ethel pressed them. And they each chose their own pot, as connoisseurs. But Aunt Jane's pot had got a broken cover, so that one was placed on the tea-table for immediate use, and Aunt Jane accepted another.

On such small chances do our fates hang!

Presently Dick came in, fresh from the office, and joined the group at tea. The first words he said were:

"I expect you're curious to see the pendant, aunts. I'll get it from the safe and show it you." He strolled across to the safe and opened it. "Why," he exclaimed, "the pendant's not here! Ethel, you put it here, didn't you?'

Ethel's face blanched.

"I think," she stammered—"I think I must have left it upstairs in my room."

The aunts gave a simultaneous gesture of horror. Such carelessness was unthinkable.

Dick frowned.

"Help Aunt Jane to some more tea," he said, a shade sternly, "and then you can run upstairs and fetch the pendant to show them."

He himself sat down at the tea-table, helped himself generously to jam, and began talking rapidly, and eating, to cover Ethel's confusion.

But suddenly he emitted a cry of pain, and put his hand to his cheek.

"I've broken a tooth!" he mumbled. "Something hard in the jam! Ugh! It's sore!"

Indeed, it was plain to all that his cheek was mysteriously bulged.

Ethel sat petrified. Then she leapt to her feet.

"Come upstairs with me, Dick," she cried energetically, "and I'll bathe your cheek with hot water! Excuse us, aunts, for a moment!" Before Dick had had time to protest she bundled him out of the room. Five minutes later she returned, wearing the diamond pendant, and with her was Dick, the swelling on whose cheek had strangely disappeared.

"It's all right!" they both exclaimed, with one voice, as they entered the room. "A—er—stone had got into the jam by mistake!"

"It's a jolly good thing, my dear, that the 'stone' wasn't in Aunt Jane's pot, as it might have been if she had taken this one!' added Dick, affectionately patting Ethel's shoulder.

A remark which, of course, the aunts failed to understand, for they hadn't been present when Dick explained the lump in his cheek by pulling forth the diamond pendant.

Nevertheless, it was just as well that the pendant got into the jam, for it is very good for some people to have a fright, and Ethel was one of those people. She is no longer interested in Tuke's window, although she recognizes some of the diamonds in it as stones which once reposed on her breast — and in her jam. For so anxious was she to avoid a repetition of the misery she had gone through, that she persuaded her husband to sell the pendant promptly, and invest the money in Consols.—London Answers.

STERN PARENT.

Mr. Chugwater (growlingly)—"Samantha, that young Snodgers comes to this house altogether too often to suit me."

Mrs. Chugwater—"He's a decent, civil sort of a young man. I have no objection to his coming."

Mr. Chugwater (raising his voice)—"Well, I have! He may be a good average young man, but I tell you I don't want him about this house."

Mrs. Chugwater (placidly)—"I don't see what business it is of yours, Mr. Chugwa——"

Mr. Chugwater (rising to his feet and bringing his fist down on the table)—"You don't see what business it is of mine? Why, good gracious, madam! am I not the head of the family?"

Mrs. Chugwater (mildly)—"I suppose you consider yourself such."

Mr. Chugwater (in a lowering rage)—"I certainly do, madam! And if I say that giggling simpleton of a Snodgers isn't the kind of man I want for a son-in-law it goes, Mrs. Chugwater! It goes in this family!"

Mrs. Chugwater (sweetly)—"It won't go this time, Josiah."

Mr. Chugwater (frantically, and at the top of his voice)—"You'll see, madam! Tell me which one of the girls he comes to see. Deceive me if you dare, Mrs. Chugwater! Which is the one."

Mrs. Chugwater (pleasantly)—"He comes to see the children's governess, Josiah."

SNOW EVAPORATES.

Snow evaporates, under favorable conditions, without melting. That process is not noticeable in ordinary weather in this part of the country, but when frozen ground is whitened by a light fall of dry snow and the temperature remains well below the freezing point it can be seen that the snow gradually vanishes.

VOTING IN BELGIUM.

Men in Belgium are not on an equality as voters. Uumarried men over twenty-five years of age have one vote, married men and widowers with families have two votes, and priests and certain other persons have three votes. Severe penalties are imposed on those who fail to vote.

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## MINOR'S MARRIAGE IS NOW ANNULLED.

### Wedded to School Mistress When Cadet at Kingston.—Parents' Right is Upheld.

Montreal, May 22.—In the Court of King's Bench, appeal side to-day. the marriage of W. A. Agnew, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Agnew, Montreal, to Miss Gober, formerly principal of a ladies' school in Kingston, Ont., was set aside as null and void. At the time of the marriage Mr. Agnew was a cadet in attendance at the Royal Military College, Kingston. The Superior Court held that though he had been under age at the time of the marriage the fact that he had, after becoming of age, not taken steps to end the relation existing, made the union binding. His parents, however, brought the action and tne Appeal Court holds this action was sufficient to still secure the annulment of the union. The English-speaking judges, however, were in favor of maintaining the judgment of the lower court, and allowing the marriage to stand.

In rendering the judgment of the court, Chief Justice Taschereau referred to the importance of the case, and remarked that it was the first of its kind to come before our courts. It was not he said, a case of feeling or sentiment, but one in which the texts of the law must be strictly applied. That being the case, the majority of the court found that the terms of the Civil Code authorized the parents to take an action to annul the marriage contract by their minor child, no limitation being placed on the right of action by said child attaining his majority before the action is taken, and the only condition required being that the action be instituted within six months. Under these conditions the first judgment must be reversed, the action maintained, and the marriage declared null and void.

Judges Trenholme and Cross dissented and in giving his assent Mr. Justice Trenholme held that as soon as a man is of age he acquires the full exercise of his civil rights, and there is no instance in our law of any one having become of age and still remaining under the authority of another person, even if that person be a father or a mother.

Tired nerves, with that "no ambition" feeling that is commonly felt in spring or early summer, can be easily and quickly altered by taking what is known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. One will absolutely note a changed feeling within 48 hours after beginning to take the Restorative. The bowels get sluggish in the winter time, the circulation often slows up, the Kidneys are inactive, and even the Heart in many cases grows decidedly weaker. Dr. Shoop's Restorative is recognized everywhere as a genuine tonic to these vital organs. It builds up and strengthen the worn-out weakened nerves; it sharpens the failing appetite, and universally aids digestion. It always quickly brings renewed strength, life, vigor, and ambition. Try it and be convinced. Sold by Walter G. Bolster.

### Fighting the Flies

The Chicago Health Department has made a declaration of war against the house fly as a dissemination of disease and a purveyor of filth. A fly will wade about in the germs of an infectious disease, and then swim in milk, or walk over jelly, ice cream, sugar, meat or butter, with its mouth and legs smeared with filth. Not long ago the department traced an outbreak of typhoid to milk brought from a farm near Chicago. The water used at the farm was pure and the dairy was clean. There was, however, a case of typhoid on the next farm, and flies had carried the germ to the milk.

Here are some of the suggestions for fighting the pest: Screen all food and keep flies away from it. Cover up food quickly after a meal and burn or bury all table refuse. Allow no rubbish to accumulate near a dwelling. Keep manure in a vault, pit, or screened enclosure and sprinkle its surface with chloride of lime. The Chicago experts also advise the burning of prenthrum in the house, declaring that it will kill most of the flies and stun the rest, so that they may be swept up and destroyed. Some of these suggestions may be carried out by hous holders, but for stable manure and garbage in lanes, some additional public regulation may be required. It would be a grand thing for health, cleanliness and comfort if we could get rid of the house fly.

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### Attacked Wife and Baby With Razor.

Kingston, Ont., May 26.—Early this morning Richard Marks, ship carpenter, while drunk attacked his wife and child with a razor. His wife was badly hacked about the neck and arm and the baby was also gashed severely.

The mother's cries aroused neighbors who went to her aid and succeeded in overcoming Marks and placing him in safe keeping. This morning he was committed to stand a trial. His wife and child have been sent to the general hospital for treatment.

### Old Orangeman Dead.

Kingston, May 26.—Samuel Morrison died near Tamworth, aged ninety-six years. He was the oldest orange man in Addington county, and was probably the oldest in the Dominion having entered the order seventy-five years ago in Ireland. He was an early pioneer and had lived on the same farm and in the same log house for the past sixty-five years.

## FASHIONS AS LURE FOR SATAN'S USE.

Chicago, May 23.—"Merry widow hats? Polka-dot veils? "Hipless" skirts? High heels?

All the devil's contrivances, says Rev. W. A. Bartlett, pastor of the First Congregational Church.

Here are some of Mr. Bartlett's views on fashion, with which he startled youthful members of the West Division Christian Endeavor Union at the Jackson Boulevard Christian Church.

"Do not let the world dictate to you concerning the clothes and hats you shall wear. I believe the devil uses the fashions to make fools of people, as much through these things as in what we call sins.

"Why should a good looking Christian girl rig herself up with a hat the size and shape of a platter stuck on the back of her head, held on by a perforated mummy cloth, drawn tight across her nose and other features till her own mother would not know her from a bandaged patient waiting for the ambulance?

"She has a short skirt, which is well enough, but it reveals too often a No. six foot crammed into a size three size, with a two inch heel stuck in the middle, making a gait like that of a boy who has fallen into the water with his clothes on and is making a desperate effort to walk as if he enjoyed it.

"Then add to that the vigorous chewing of gum, which draws the mummy cloth more closely than ever, and you have a spectacle to make angels weep, especially those who have charge of the millinery department.

"Why! in my judgment a girl would look far prettier in one of those old fashioned bonnets which were sometimes made to look like the wire protectors mother used to put over pie to keep it from the flies.

"Let the men be funny with their clothes if they want to. Let them wear cuffs on the bottom of their trousers, turned up to reveal their spotted socks and big ankle bones. Let them wear a tin-plate hat, the size and shape of the one wore by the Italian organ grinder's monkey, and attach their faces to crooked pipes and ram hands down pockets that reach to the knee, till they have the attitude of one in great pain.

"The Lord makes the male bird more gorgeous to make up to him for lack of character. He was to be the searcher for worms and supply the larder, while the modest mother bird was the real head of the home and brought the birdlings out of the eggs she had laid. So the woman has the adorment of love, sympathy, kindness and the beauty of life—if she will.

"A woman wants to look well. God implanted that desire, and it is right, but should a sweet face be distorted by a fashion as heathen as that of the Fiji, and a good figure by nature be contorted into that of the old Black Crooks.

"Youth is the time of real pleasure, of enthusiasm, of sensitiveness and of formative life. It must not be disfigured by sin to the soul or sins to the body."

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### Jas. McConkey Dead.

There passed away on Monday at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. Thos. Smith, a short distance west of Winchester, Mr. James McConkey. Mr. McConkey had reached the ripe old age of 82 years and was one of the oldest and most respected residents of the county. His wife predeceased him a good many years ago and he continued to reside at the home place near Morrisburg until advancing age caused him a few years ago to come and reside with his daughter, Mrs. Smith. Mr McConkey was a devout churchman, being a life-long member of the Anglican Communion, regularly occupying his pew in St. James' Church, Morrisburg, as long as health would permit. Mr. McConkey's home was noted for its hospitality and his benefactions to the church many. One son, Benjamin, on the home place, and two daughters, Mrs. Hale of Smith's Falls and Mrs. Thos. Smith of Winchester, are left as survivors. Impressive obsequies were conducted at St. Matthias' church, in this town yesterday afternoon, by Rev. Rural Dean Anderson of Morrisburg, deceased's old pastor, assisted by the incumbent, Rev. R. A. Archer, after which the remains were taken to St. James' cemetery, Morrisburg, for interment. The pall bearers were Messrs. Peter and Abraham Garlough, A. Barrigar, Cristopher Irving, Geo. C. Hart and Jas. Robinson —Press.

### Tried to Kill in Church.

Kingston, May 26.—The little Methodist Church in Cataraqui was the scene of an attempt by a young lady, 22 years of age, to shoot a young man of the same age. While the congregation were at prayer the girl got up from her seat and moved across to the pew behind the young man, and, quickly pulling a revolver from the folds of her dress, placed the muzzle behind his ear and pulled the trigger. The revolver contained three cartridges and three empty chambers. Fortunately the trigger hit an empty chamber. The youth heard the click of the revolver, and turning quickly, took it way from the woman. The woman, whose name is Suddar, will be examined as to her mental condition.

### Parents Leave Three Months' Old Child.

A young man and wife residing in Williamsburg and well known in Morrisburg, dissappeared on Monday of last week, leaving their three months' old baby in charge of the young woman's mother. It is reported that they were ticketed for Toronto. Certain citizens, financially interested, are anxiously awaiting the young couple's return.

### THE FIRST DRAFT.

The following is a partial list of the changes made by the stationing committee at the Methodist Conference now in session at Queber:—

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Richmond—T. Meredith.
North Gower—E. R. Kelly.
Riceville—J. W. P. McFarlane.
Vankleek Hill—F. Tripp.

### Victims Are Still in Grave Danger.

Ottawa, May 26.—All those injured in the street car collision of Sunday are still alive, though four are still in grave danger.

Little hope is entertained for the recovery of either of the Byrne boys.

### BOY DROWNED AT GANANOQUE.

Gananoque, May 27.—A sad drowning fatality occurred here yesterday, the victim being Regie, the eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bremner, North Street, while playing with some other children on a rocky point near what is known ss the Bunch Bowl, he fell in. The current meanwhile had carried him out in midstream.

### Taken After a Hard Fight.

Brockville, May 22.—After an exciting chase of three days, in which a large section of Leeds County and a part of the State of New York was covered, the police to-day succeeded in capturing James Young, the farm hand who made a murderous assault on Robert Stewart, on Tuesday last in his mother's house.

He made a stout resistance, and when overcome remarked that were he in the possession of his two revolvers he would have shot the sonstable.

He appeared before Magistrate Deacon and was remanded for a week.

The victim of the assault to-day made an ante-mortem statement to the Crown Attorney, as he is in a critical condition.

To-day is Ascension Day.

Bowman Timberlake son of the Rev. and Mrs. Timberlake, Sydenham street, Gannanoque had his hand badly gashed at the Y.P.S. sosial. A large glass dish falling and almost severing his thumb.

Henri Berndt, his wife and Samuel Bedard, who were charged with arson in the burning of the out buildings of Mrs. R. Blackburn, at Lachaber, were discharged by Magistrate Talbot in the Hull court. The magistrate held that the two men had proved an alibi.

The report of the provincial secretary of Alberta shows that tbe province has had a remarkable growth.

Verdict as to the death of Indians near Swan Lake was that the victims had been poisioned.

The stonemasons and stonecutters on the Calgary city hall quit work owing to the difference as to the method of paying wages.

More than four hundred members signed the roll at the meeting of the Saskatchewan Educational association which has closed at Regina.


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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:—

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| MASSENA LEMONS | 20c per Dozen |
| MARMALADE ORANGES | 25c " |
| SEEDLESS ORANGES | 30c " |
| WESSING " | 30c " |
| BANANAS | 25c " |
| PINEAPPLES | 12 1-2c Each |

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.