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The Ottawa License Commissioners have reduced hotel licenses of the city by six and the shop licenses by five. The number of licenses now stands at 59 hotel and 26 shop licenses, the smallest in half a century. Every application from the new suburbs was rejected.

Weak women should read my "Book No. 4 For Women." It was written expressly for women who are not well. The Book 4 tells of Dr. Shoop's "Night Cure" and just how these soothing, healing, antiseptic supporitories can be successfully applied. The book, and strictly confidential medical advice is entirely free. Write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Night Cure is sold by Walter G. Bolster.

Brockville Cheese Exporter Dead.

Charles Bate, a leading cheese exporter of Brockville is dead after an illness extending over many months. He was prominent in the trade for many years, and though born in England, lived in Brockville and Montreal the greater part of his life. His widow survives.

Diabolical Deed of Drunken Demon.

A story of vile brutality to animals comes from the rural district across the river from Brockville. Going home drunk, a farmer went out to feed his young stock, and finding that ten calves which he had been fattening to sell, did not eat fast enough, he drew a knife and cut their throats. Then continuing in his drunken rage, he started to cut the throats of his horses. The first animal he slashed at kicked him with both feet and he was thrown back upon the floor with sufficient force to render him unconscious. On recovering he came to a speedy realization of what he had done.

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Card of Thanks.

I wish, through the columns of the RECORD to thank one and all who so nobly assisted in quenching the fire in my bakery, which occurred on the evening of Wednesday, April the 22nd, 1908. It was through continuous hard work that the fire was overpowered and I again heartily thank everyone for their assistance.

Yours Truly,
EUGENE McMILLIAN,
Chesterville Bakery.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Merkley of Nation Valley, wish to express their sincere thanks to the many kind friends who paid such respect to them during the illness of their daughter, Mina Madeline Merkley, and at the funeral obsequies.

LIBERAL :-: MEETING

In view of the approaching Provincial Elections, a Mass Meeting of the Liberals of Dundas County will be held at

Winchester Springs

—ON—

Wednesday, MAY 13th, 1908

At 1 p.m.

W. L Redmond, President. Arthur Flynn, Sec'y.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

I wish to thank the people of Chesterville and vicinity for their very liberal patronage during the past twenty years, and hope for a continuance of the same in my new business venture.

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LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS.

Class No. 12 of the Methodist Sunday School gave a farewell tea to their class-mate, Leila Smith, before leaving for her future home in Ottawa.

A meeting of the Liberals of Dundas County will be held at Winchester Springs, on Wednesday, next, May 13th, at 1 o'clock.

Messrs. P. Vandelac and Felix Vedo, of Montreal, will be here on Saturday next, May 9th, prepared to purchase all kinds of horses.

Whittaker, the Optician, will be at Chesterville on May 13th and Finch on May 14th.

Mr. J. C. Simser is confined to his bed through the misfortune of stepping on a piece of wire, which penetrated through his shoe and nearly through his foot.

An adjourned meeting of the Ladies, for the betterment of Chesterville, in the way of beautifying, etc., will be held in the town hall tomorrow (Friday) evening.

At the Wesleyan Theological College, Montreal, on Tuesday evening, the Rev. A. E. Runnells, Methodist minister, of this place was granted the degree of B. D.

At the Liberal-conservative convention held at Winchester Springs last Saturday the Hon. J. P. Whitney was unamiously elected to contest Dundas County in the Conservative interests in the approaching Provincial election.

Messrs. Hugh Fraser & Son of Lachute Que., have purchased Mr. A. W. Beach's stock of groceries at Winchester and will open up a general store in the building, a five-year lease of the same having been taken. The new firm will take possession the 15th of this month.

The Commercial House, Russell, has changed hands. Mr. John Kincaid, the owner, has rented the hotel and all its furnishings to Gormley brothers of Finch. Mr. D. P. Gormley, who will manage the house, has taken possession.

The annual meeting of the Russell Brick and Tile company was held at Russell on Monday afternoon of last week, in the town hall. The provisional board of directors, Messrs. Carkner, McArthur, Dr. McDougall, McPhail and Kenney, were re-elected.

Dates for examinations have been fixed as follows: For entrance to Model school, June 23rd; high school entrance, June 24th, 25th and 26th; Normal School entrance, and junior matriculation, June 29th; entrance to faculty of education and scholarship matriculation, July 2.

The Canadian Order Foresters of this place will hold a box social and concert in the town hall on Wednesday evening next, May 13th, to celebrate the opening of their new hall in the Baldrey block. The winding up act will be in the form of an assembly. Something to please everyone. Don't miss it.

Death at Avonmore.

An old and respected resident of Avonmore, in the person of John D. Hough, died at the residence of his son in that village Friday morning aged 71 years.

Corns Cured for 25c.

A guarantee of painless cure goes with every bottle of Putman's Corn Extractor. Use Putman's and your corns go. Beware of substitutes.

Winchester Township Council.

A meetieg of the Winchester Township Council was held in Winchester on Saturday last, May 2nd.

Members all present.

Moved by Geo. Black, seconded by Wm. Clark, that the minutes just read be adopted and signed by the reeve.—Carried.

Moved by J. W. Bogart, seconded by Wm. Clark, that by-law No. 118 for the appointment of township officers, be amended by changing the name of C. A. Johnston for Parnham Allison, James Masterson for Frood Servage, and John Parker for Asa Hutt, for pathmasters.—Carried.

Moved by J. W Bogart, seconded by Wm. Clark, that tois council adjourn to meet at Morewood, on Saturday, June 6th, as a Court of Revision, re assessment roll, at 10.30 a.m.—Carried.

Mr. Milligan Stormont Candidate.

At a meeting of the Conservatives of Stormont County, held on Saturday at Newington, John C. Milligan, a rising young barrister, of Cornwall, was selected as the party standard bearer for the coming provincial election. Other gentleman who were nominated were Geo Kerr, Farran's Point the sitting member; F. D. McNaughton, Finch; James L. Groves, Cornwall Centre; J. G. Adams, Wales; A. O. Miller, Avonmore. All withdrew except Messrs. Milligan and Kerr. The latter was unable to be present but his friends announced that he would accept the nomination if selected. The vote stood, Milligan, 133; Kerr, 82, every subdivision in the riding being represented. The nomination of Mr. Milligan was then made unanimous. Brief speeches were made by Mr. Milligan and R. A. Pringle, M. P., and resolutions were passed endorsing the Whitney Government and the policy of Mr. Borden, the leader of the party in the Dominion Parliament. Mr. Milligan is a clever young man, a native of the county, and popular with all classes. Backed as he is by a thoroughly united party he will probably win by a comfortable majority.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. F. Shirkey is confined to her home through sickness.

Mrs. Charlie Graham of Inkerman, spent over Sunday at her parental home.

Miss Laura Martin, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Robinson, returned to Ottawa on Monday.

Mr. Geo. B. Allison of Montreal, spent a day last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Allison, on his way east.

Fell and Broke Her Hip.

On Saturday night, Mrs. Coard of this place, had the misfortune to fall off her bed and break her left hip. Owing to her advanced age it is doubtful if she will recover.

Sunday School Officers Elected.

On Wednesday evening of last week a meeting of the Sunday School workers was held in the Methoditt Church, when the following officers were appointed:—

Chairman—Rev. A. E. Runnells.
Superintendent—Jacob Merkley.
Asst.-Supt.—F. W. Merkley.
Secretary—Parnham Allison.
Treasurer—Jacob Bogart.
Librarian—Fred Forward.
Organist—Minnie Foster.

Mrs. McMahon a Successful Competitor.

During the past six months there have been many Limerick competitions, but one in which a Chesterville person has been successful, is the Laurentian Land Co., of Montreal, and in which Mrs. A. McMahon, grocer of this place, was successful. The prize was given for filling in a piece of poetry regarding a summer resort at Newaygo. Newaygo is 1700 feet above the level of the sea, on the Canadian Northern on Lake St. Francis, two hours ride from Montreal city. Every lot fronts the Lake.

Her many friends will be pleased to read the following reply received from the company.

Montreal Can., May 2nd. 1908
Mrs. Albert McMahon
Chesterville,

Dear Madam:—We have much pleasure in informing you that you are a successful competitor in our recent Limerick Competition, and have been awarded by the judges one of the twenty-five dollar prizes or a building lot at Newaygo one of the most beautiful and enchanting spots in Canada. Hoping to see you at beautiful Newaygo during the summer of 1908, we are

Yours Very Truly,
Laurentian Land Co.
per C. M.

The Late Mrs. I. N. Rose.

One of Morrisburg's oldest and lifelong residents passed to her reward on Sunday last in the person of Mrs. I. N. Rose, at the age of 77 years, after a brief illness. The deceased lady, whose maiden name was Ruth Doran, a daughter of the late Col. John Doran, who was a veteran of the war of 1812 and participated in the battle of Crysler's Farm. About fifty years ago she was married to Mr. Isaac N. Rose, who was one of Morrisburg's foremost citizens. To this union there still survives three sons and three daughters. They are: Mrs. Rosamond and Mrs. Proud of Morrisburg, Mrs. McDonald of Vancouver, Harry in Manitoba, William of Vancouver, and George H. of Morrisburg. Mrs. Rose was a kind, generous and charitable woman. Though of a somewhat reserved disposition, she proved a fast friend to those with whom she became acquainted and ever retained their respect. In religion she was a Methodist.

The funeral took place on Tuesday, service being conducted at the house by the Rev. Wm. Howitt, after which the remains were placed in the family plot at the cemetery.

The family have the sympathy of the entire community in their hour of bereavement.—Leader.

Received $1000 for His Injuries.

Mr. J. Allan Ball, who happened with such an unfortunate accident at the C. P. R. yards here last fall while unloading some coal for himself, and has received tuffficiently to be around again, sought damages from the company through his solicitor, Mr. W. B. Lawson of this place, and this week accepted a check for $1000.

Every housekeeper who has used Campbell's Varnish stain is delighted with the results obtained. Nothing else like it they say. So easy to apply and so durable. Fulton Bros. carries a full line of this popular stain.

Died While Under Chloroform.

Mary Jane Pruner, a well known lady of Morrisburg suddenly collapsed Thursday afternoon, while under the influence of cloroform which had been administered by a doctor while a dentist was pulling some teeth for her. The dentist had drawn four, when she came out of the influence of the drug, bnt there was still one left, and a small quantity of the chloroform was administered, and the final tooth drawn, but she failed to revive and died.

Besides her aged parents, she leaves three brothers and three sisters.

Stark—MacMillan.

A quiet wedding took place at Knox Church, Montreal, on Wednesday, April 29, when Alexander Stark of that city, fotmerly of Berwick, was married to Miss Mary MacMillan, daughter of the late Hugh MacMillan of Avonmore. Rev. Dr. Fleck officiated. The young couple were unattended, and the ceremony was witnessed by only a few intimate friends. The bride was gowned in a travelling suit of gray cloth, with white lace blouse and hat to match. After the marriage the young couple left on a wedding trip to Toronto and other points of Ontario. They will return to Montreal on May 6, and will reside at Brewster Avenue, Westmount.

How To Gain in Weight.

You know you are too thin—you eat and eat, but never get an ounce fatter. Nerves are weak, color is bad, strength seems exhausted. It's not hard to get fat. You must eat more, digest more, exercise more. Try Ferrozone and watch your appetite grow. It turns all you eat into nutriment and building material—fills your veins with rich, red blood—gives you ambition and vigor. For a tissue builder, a fattening tonic, one that restores permanently, there is nothing to compare with Ferrozone. Try it and see, 50cts., at all dealers.

BORN.

FORWARD—At Chesterville, on May 4th, 1908, a son to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Forward.

BANCROFT—At Newington, on April 28, 1908 the wife of Fred Bancroft, of a daughter.

GREEN—At Newington, on April 27, 1908, the wife of William Green, of a daughter.

HORTIE—At Crysler, on April 27, 1908, the wife of Armidas L. Hortie, of a son.

LEPONSEE—At Crysler, on April 27, 1908, the wife of Joseph Leponsee, of a daughter.

MERKLEY—At Glen Becker, on April 24, 1908, the wife of Ernest Merkley, of a son.

MERKLEY—At Morrisburg, on April 24, 1908, the wife of A. H. Merkley, of a son.

WALDROFF—At Newington, on April 58, 1908, the wife of Ryerson Waldroff, of a son.

MARRIED.

STARK—MCMILLAN—At Knox church Montreal, on April 29, 1907, Alexander Stark of Montreal, formerly of Berwick, to Miss Mary MacMillan, daughter of the late Hugh MacMillan of Avonmore.

DIED.

CASSELMAN—At Chesterville, on Tuesday, May 5th, 1908, Mrs. C. T. Casselman, aged 79 years, 6 months and 16 days.

EACUTT—At Wales, on April 23, 1908, Mrs. Eacutt, widow of Isaac Eacutt, aged 85 years.

BLIND MAN HEADS LAW CLASS

Two Brothers Graduated First and Second at McGill and Won Scholarships.

A despatch from Montreal says: An interesting story of brotherly love and courageous work under the affliction of total blindness was unveiled at McGill University on Thursday, when two brothers, Thomas S. and William Stewart, graduated in law, coming respectively first and second in their class, and winning two out of three scholarships. Thomas S. Stewart is totally blind, through the carelessness of an oculist. Nine years ago he injured one of his eyes with a knife, and specialists declared that to save the sight of the other the bad eye must be removed. Mr. Stewart underwent the operation, but by some extraordinary piece of carelessness the operator took out the good eye, with the result that when the patient came out of the ether he was completely blind. Undismayed by this, he undertook to pursue his studies in law at McGill, and ever since then his brother has devoted himself to him, making his studies with him and accompanying him to college sports and through all the phases of university life—practically making himself a seeing medium for his blind brother. As a result of this unusual devotion the blind Stewart came out at the head of his class, while his brother came second, and each won the Sir William Macdonald scholarship, which entitles them to a year's residence in Paris to perfect themselves in the French language and study law at the Montpelier Law School. Dean Walton paid a warm eulogium to the two brothers in conferring the degree, and the two were heartily cheered by the audience as they came forward.

WIDESPREAD CONSPIRACY.

Great Revolutionary Campaign Against Indian Government.

A despatch from Calcutta says: Thirty persons were arrested here on Monday in connection with the plot to murder Europeans by means of bombs, and an examination of these confirms the reports of a grave conspiracy. In fact, the farther the police go into the matter the more serious and widespread does the conspiracy appear. Some of those in the hands of the police denied complicity in the affair, while others made startling admissions regarding the intentions of the organization against public officials, and of actual attempts at the use of bombs, which, however, proved unsuccessful.

One man said he had travelled all over India in connection with the movement, which he described as a great revolutionary campaign against the Government. Documents seized at the house where the bombs and explosives were being manufactured reveal that it was part of the plot to kill Lord Kitchener, Commander-in-Chief of the British forces in India, and other high officials. A number of prominent Bengalese are implicated, and sensational arrests are expected to follow shortly.

The seizure by the police, in a native shop, of a number of bombs and cartridges shows the length to which the disaffected natives are prepared to go in their hostility to British rule. The bombs were of the latest pattern, with electric batteries for exploding them. It took a long line of carts to convey the seizure to the police station. Among the articles which fell into the hands of the police were a library of up-to-date books on the manufacture of explosives, and a collection of lurid Anarchist literature and seditious pamphlets. Over thirty arrests were made. Everything points to the existence of a carefully managed organization, with wide ramifications and considerable financial backing.

The news of the arrests has created a sensation throughout the length and breadth of India.

MANITOBA CROPS IN FINE SHAPE.

Never Better for Years, Says the Provincial Secretary.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: Hon. J. H. Agnew, Provincial Secretary, returned on Monday from a trip through Manitoba, where he had a chance to see what the crops looked like. "They are better now than they have been for some years at this time," said Mr. Agnew, "and they are going along under the best of weather conditions just at present. The grain is well out of the ground and looking healthy. The recent frosts did no damage to the crops. Other years there has been frost on May 24th, when the wheat was up three or four inches, and we never had a better crop than that year. These little frosts will do no harm, and from present prospects will have this year the best yield we have ever had."

Customs returns at Toronto for April show a decrease of $167,030.

GRUESOME DISCOVERY.

Body of Murdered Man Hidden in a Brush Pile.

A despatch from Brampton, Ont., says: Lying in a little hollow, with nothing showing but his head, several small boys discovered the dead body of a murdered foreigner near Erindale on Sunday afternoon. That a foul murder had been committed was obvious. The head of the victim seemed to indicate that he had been done to death by being struck from the rear of the left side just behind the ear. There were no other marks on the body. Quite close to the corpse was found a club three or four feet in length, which was apparently the instrument with which the deed was committed, for it was stained with blood.

PISTOL BULLET ENDS LIFE.

W. P. Flewelling, Deputy Surveyor-General of New Brunswick Commits Suicide.

A despatch from Fredericton, N. B., says: Wm. P. Flewelling, Deputy Surveyor-General, on Wednesday afternoon shot himself through the mouth, and the indications are that he died instantly. The body was found in the basement of the departmental building at 7.35 this evening, and it took but a short time for the news to travel through the city, causing consternation. Those who knew deceased would have regarded him as the last person who would take his life.

BLOWING OUT FURNACES.

Steel Plant at the Soo to Shut Down Entirely.

A despatch from Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., says: The Algoma Steel Company on Saturday followed the recent shutdown of the rail mill by blowing out blast furnace No. 1. No. 2 will blow out this week. This will leave every branch of the steel industry here idle, thus shutting 1,500 men out of employment. The company in a statement says that owing to financial troubles the Canadian railroads refuse to place orders for rails. No promises are made as to when the plant will resume, although it is said the company hopes to resume in June. This is the first shutdown since the resumption after the collapse of Clergue's old Consolidated Lake Superior Company. The plant is the second largest in Canada.

ANOTHER SLIDE OF RIVER BANK.

Further Damage at Quebec Village is Feared.

A despatch from Notre Dame de la Salette, Que., says: Another landslide occurred here on Thursday night, when about 20 feet of the west bank slid into the river. It is feared that if the rain does not cease the whole of the western bank within a distance of 100 feet will slide into the river. No more bodies have been reclaimed, and it is now feared that they will not be.

LEADING MARKETS

BREADSTUFFS.

Toronto, May 5.—Manitoba Wheat—For the opening, No. 1 northern, $1.17½; No. 2, 1.13½; No. 3, $1.08½; feed wheat, 64½c; No. 2 feed, 59c; Georgian Bay ports.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 white, 92c at point of shipment; No. 2 red, 91½c at point of shipment; No. 2 mixed, 91c; goose, 89c to 90c.

Corn—No. 2, non offering; worth about 74c to arrive; No. 3 yellow, 72c to 73c, Toronto freight; No. 3 mixed, 1c less.

Flour—Manitoba patents, special brands, $6 to $6.10; seconds, $5.40 to $5.60; strong bakers', $5.30; winter wheat patents, $3.40.

Barley—No. 2, 52c to 55c.

Peas—No. 2, 90c, outside.

Rye—Strong; No. 2, 87c to 88c outside.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 64½c to 65c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 46½c outside; 48c on track Toronto; No. 2 mixed, 44c.

Bran—$25 on track Toronto.

Shorts—Scarce, $24 f.o.b. mills.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Wholesale quotations are:

Eggs—New-laid, 16c to 17c.

Butter—The market tends to be weaker on larger offerings.

Creamery, prints	29c to 31c
do solids	28c to 29c
Dairy prints	25c to 26c
do large rolls	24c to 25c
do solids	23c to 24c
Inferior	20c to 21c

Potatoes—Ontario, 85c to 90c; Delaware, 95c to $1, in car lots on track here.

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

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

Cheese—14c for large and 14½c for twins, in job lots here; new-make, 13c for large and 13¼c for twins.

Maple Syrup—$1 to $1.10 per gallon.

Baled Straw—$8 to $9 per ton.

Baled Hay—Timothy is quoted at $15 to $15.50 in car lots on tracks here.

HOG PRODUCTS.

Bacon—Long clear, 10 to 10½c per pound in case lots; mess pork, $18 to $18.50; short cut, $21 to $21.50.

Hams—Light to medium, 13 to 13½c; do., heavy, 11½ to 12c; rolls, 9¾ to 10c; shoulders, 9½c; backs, 16c; breakfast bacon, 14c.

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

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Montreal May 5.—Local and foreign demand for spring wheat flour is fairly active and a moderate trade is passing. Choice spring wheat patents, $6.10 to $6.20; second, $5.50 to $5.70; winter wheat patents, $5.10; straight rollers, $4.50 to $4.75; do in bags, $2.15 to $2.35; extra, $1.85 to $1.90.

Bran—The market for Ontario bran is easier and several cars were offered at $23.50 per ton, including bags, which shows a decline of $1 per ton on previous sales. Manitoba bran, $23; shorts $25; Ontario bran, $23.50 to $24; middlings, $26 to $27; shorts, $24.50 to $25 per ton, including bags; pure grain mouille, $34 to $35, and milled grades, $25 to $30 per ton.

Provisions—Barrels short cut mess, $21; half barrels, $10.75; clear fat back, $22 to $23; long cut heavy mess, $20; half barrels do., $10.50; dry salt long clear backs, 10½c; barrels plate beef, $13.50 to $15; half barrels do., $7.25 to $7.75; barrels heavy mess beef, $10 to $11; half barrels do., $5.50 to $6; compound lard, 8¼c to 9c; pure lard, 11¼c to 11¾c; kettle rendered, 11½c to 12c; hams, 12c to 13½c, according to size; breakfast bacon, 14c to 15c; Windsor bacon, 14½c to 15½c; fresh killed abattoir dressed hogs, $9.75 to $10; live, $6.50 to $6.75.

Eggs—17c per dozen for single cases and 16c for round lots.

Cheese—Old colored quoted at 12¾c to 13c and white at 12¼c to 12½c; new make is quoted at 11¼c to 11½c. Receipts to-day were 938 boxes.

Butter—New-make creamery quoted at 28c to 28½c in round lots and 28½c to 29c to grocers.

UNITED STATES MARKETS.

Buffalo, May 5.—Wheat — Spring, steady; No. 1 Northern, $1.09½, carloads; Winter, firmer; No. 2 red, $1.03½. Corn—Strong; No. 2 yellow, 72¼c. Oats—Lower; No. 2 white, 56c; No. 2 mixed, 52c. Barley—83 to 90c. Rye—No. 1, on track, 88c.

Minneapolis, May 5.—Wheat—Cash, May, $1.05¾; July, $1.03⅝ to $1.04⅛; September, 90¼c; No. 1 hard, $1.08⅞ to $1.09⅜; No. 1 Northern, $1.06⅝ to $1.07⅜; No. 2 Northern, $1.04⅞ to $1.05⅜. Flour—First patents, $5.35 to $5.50; second patents, $5.25 to $5.40; first clears, $4.10 to $4.25; second clears, $3.30 to $3.40. Bran—In bulk, $21 to $21.25.

Milwaukee, May 5.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, $1.09 to $1.10; No. 2 Northern, $1.07½ to $1.09; July, 87⅞c asked. Rye—No. 1, 80c. Barley—No. 2, 81c; sample, 64 to 80c. Corn—No. 3, cash, 66 to 67½c; May, 67⅛c.

New York, May 5.—Wheat — Spot, steady; No. 2 red, $1.06, elevator; No. 2 red, $1.08 f.o.b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.15⅝, f.o.b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.12⅞ f.o.b. afloat.

CATTLE MARKET.

Toronto, May 5.—Choice cattle were perhaps a little firmer, as there were so few offered. No exceptionally fine cattle were on the market, only a few selling at over $5.50. Some heavy export bulls brought $4.25 to $4.60. There is a better demand for good butcher cattle for the local trade than for export, and some of these sold at higher prices than were paid for exporters. Cows and bulls were unchanged from last week, cows ranging from $2.50 to $4.60; and bulls from $3 to $4.60.

A number of stockers and feeders which were bound for the east stopped off here, but were not for sale. The few loads that were offered sold at $3 to $4.50.

Consignments of calves were reduced and prices were a little firmer. The offerings of sheep and lambs were also comparatively light, which kept prices steady. Spring lambs are becoming a little more plentiful, and are slightly easier.

The hog market is steady, but rather weak, as there was a large run of hogs. The average price for selects was $6.40, fed and watered, Toronto, and $6.15 for heavies.

TWENTY PERISH IN HOTEL FIRE.

Many Guests Die in Their Rooms From Suffocation.

A despatch from Fort Wayne, Indiana, says: A fire that is believed to have originated in the elevator shaft of the Hotel Aveline at an early hour on Sunday morning, resulted in the loss of twenty lives. More than a dozen persons were injured, some of them seriously. The fire was started at 3.30, in the elevator shaft, and bell boys were sent to warn the guests. Five minutes later, the entire shaft, from the main floor to the sixth, was in flames, and when the excited guests, clad in night clothes, reached the elevator, escape by that means was impossible, and the corridors of all the floors were filled with blinding smoke. The guests were forced back to their rooms, as it was impossible to make their way through the suffocating smoke to the stairways. In an instant every floor was in a state of intense excitement, men, women and children dodging into the corridors and back into their rooms screaming and calling for help. The fire alarm called the entire department out, and it was but a few minutes before ladders were run up at all available places, and many of the guests were taken down in safety. Many, however, could not be reached, and stood with agonizing cries in the windows and on the ledges around the hotel, appealing for help.

There were about 74 guests registered in the hotel, as near as can be learned. Thirteen bodies have been recovered, and twelve are missing. It is barely possible that other lives were lost, as this number, with the injured now in the hospitals, and those known to have escaped, does not make up the full number supposed to have been in the hotel.

Guests that opened their doors at the first alarm were driven back by the flames and smoke. It is believed many died from suffocation.

G. T. PACIFIC BUILDING.

Winnipeg to the Rockies to be Opened Next Fall.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Mr. Collingwood Schreiber, Government consulting engineer for the National Transcontinental Railway, stated on Thursday that the Grand Trunk Pacific from Winnipeg to Prince Rupert was now all under contract, with the exception of about 500 miles on the Mountain section. The whole prairie section from Winnipeg to the Rockies, including about 100 miles west of Edmonton, would be open for business next fall. Rails are now laid from within 30 miles of Winnipeg to Battle River, and from Battle River west to Edmonton much of the grading is now done. The delay until fall in opening the through line from Edmonton to Winnipeg is due, says Mr. Schreiber, to the construction of the immense bridge over the Battle River. The bridge is over one mile long and 180 feet high. No difficulty is being experienced by the contractors in getting labor this year, and the whole situation, so far as the contractors are concerned, has considerably improved since last year.

C. N. R. MEN ACCEPT.

Reduction of Wages in Mechanical Departments.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: The agreement between the C. N. R. and its shopmen has been signed as a result of the conference between the officials and the men. The unions took a very fair and reasonable view of the situation, and in view of the company's decline in business agreed to accept a reduction in wages averaging about two cents per hour. Some classes of labor are not affected at all by the reduction, and the status of the unions will not be interfered with. Officials are greatly pleased with the spirit shown by the men, and it is believed the result will have an important bearing on the C. P. R. negotiations.

INDOMITABLE SWIFTEST VESSEL.

New Turbine Cruiser Made Twenty-eight Knots.

A despatch from Glasgow says: It is unofficially reported that the new cruiser Indomitable, which is now undergoing her speed trials, has beaten all records, making 28 knots over a measured mile on the Clyde, and 26¼ knots in the continuous steaming trial. The Indomitable is fitted with turbines, and her contract speed is only 25 knots. She is of 17,250 tons displacement, and 530 feet in length. She was launched on March 16 last.

VAULT WALL TUNNELED.

Unsuccessful Attempt to Rob Bank of Commerce in Winnipeg Suburb.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: A daring but unsuccessful attempt was made last Sunday night to rob the branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce at Weston, a suburb of Winnipeg. The fact developed on Wednesday, when a hole six inches square was tunneled through the outer wall of the vault, but the burglars did not succeed in securing entrance or getting away with any booty.

GREAT SHIPYARD LOCKOUT.

Every Shipbuilding Yard in Britain to Close To-day.

A despatch from London says: The negotiations for a settlement of the shipbuilding dispute have failed again, and the lockout went into effect on Saturday at all the yards of the United Kingdom.

LABOR TROUBLES IN MONTREAL

Six Thousand Cotton Operators Went On Strike on Monday.

A despatch from Montreal says: Labor troubles are accumulating here very rapidly. Some six thousand cotton operatives went on strike on Monday because the Dominion Textile Company and the Montreal Cotton Company have decided to reduce wages by ten per cent. The mills were only running four days a week, being idle on Fridays and Saturdays, but the management feel that in view of the conditions of trade they will have to reduce expenses still further. Cotton operatives claim that an injustice has been done them, and have decided to quit work.

Speaking for the textile workers, Mr. Wilfrid Paquette, their Secretary, said:—"We can afford to be out of work till the autumn without any great suffering We will never accept the reduction o wages. I fail to understand the actio of the employers, because four weeks ago the Montreal Cotton Company declared a dividend of eight per cent., and the Dominion Textile Company of seven per cent. It is not going to make times better for them to cut our pay. We are prepared for a long struggle."

Four hundred and fifty bricklayers went on strike here on Friday morning They want a uniform wage of fifty cents an hour, while the Builders' Exchange will give fifty cents to first class and thirty-five cents to second class men.

The stonemasons contemplate following the bricklayers' example.

ATTACKED BY DERVISHES.

The Governor of Blue Nile Province Wounded.

A despatch from Cairo, Egypt, says: A British subject, Scott Moncrieff, Deputy Inspector of the Blue Nile province, and a native official have been assassinated at the instance of a local sheik, who proclaimed himself prophet at Mesalamieh, about one hundred and fifty miles from Khartoum. A small punitive force, led by the Governor of the province, was attacked by a murderous band of dervishes. During the fighting the Governor was wounded, and two native officers were killed.

THE TIDE OF EMIGRATION.

Effort Will be Made to Turn It to Australia and Other Colonies.

A despatch from London says: The Camberwell Distress Committee has asked the Central Unemployed Body whether, in view of the serious obstacles placed in the way of emigration by the Canadian Government, suitable men and their families could not be sent to Australia and the other colonies.

The Glasgow committee has decided to discontinue emigration in consequence of the belief that while the type of men required by Canada would be beneficial to the Dominion, it would be a disadvantage to Glasgow to lose them.

BOY SHOOTS LITTLE SISTER.

Was Playing With Gun When Weapon Was Discharged.

A despatch from Sackville, N. B., says: News has come here of a tragedy at Upper Rockport on Wednesday afternoon whereby the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tower had the top of her head blown off through the discharge of a gun in the hands of her six-year-old brother. It is understood that in the absence of the parents the boy took the gun from its place and in some way discharged it.

IMPORTS FALLING OFF.

Dominion Customs Returns for the Month Show Decrease.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The customs revenue of the Dominion for the month of April was $3,449,947, a decrease of $1,018,446, as compared with April of last year, due to the continued decrease in imports, consequent upon the caution now being exercised by wholesale merchants and others in the matter of purchases abroad during the period of depression.

ITALIAN WOMAN KILLED.

Murdered by a Servian Miner Near Lethbridge.

A despatch from Lethbridge, Alberta, says: M. Zagaly, a Servian coal miner, employed as an engineer on screenings in Galt's mine, brutally murdered Mrs. Bracedi, an Italian woman, on the road between here and the mines on Friday. He had been boarding with her and her husband, and had given her money to keep for him. When he met her on Friday he asked for it and she refused to give it to him. This so incensed Zagaly that he shot her and then cut her throat. The murdered woman's nine-year-old son was with her at the time, but escaped. The murderer then turned his revolver on himself, shooting himself three times. Nine small children are left motherless.

FELL TWO THOUSAND FEET.

An Aeronaut's Drop, Clinging to Disabled Parachute.

A despatch from Fort Worth, Texas, says: Plunging from a height of 2,000 feet, clinging to a disabled parachute which whipped him about in the air like a top, S. A. McCormick, an aeronaut of Omaha, was dashed to the earth here on Wednesday, but miraculously escaped death. He was picked up unconscious and was seriously injured, but will recover. McCormick had made an ascension before a crowd at White City, and as he cut loose from his balloon a long rip was made in the parachute. He came down almost as fast as if he had no parachute, which at times jerked him clear over the iron ring and ropes. Once he turned a complete revolution, and the spectators expected every moment to see him wrenched from his grip, but he hung on.

WILD DUCK DYING BY SCORES.

Small Insect Found in Head Feathers of the Dead Birds.

A despatch from Sandusky, Ohio., says: Again, as for several seasons past, wild duck are dying by the hundreds daily in the marshy regions bordering on Lake Erie, between Huron, ten miles east of this city, and the mouth of the Maumee River, near Toledo. Bluebills, canvas backs, and occasionally a red head are attacked alike. In the head feathers of the dead duck is found a small insect not unlike a flea, but whether this is responsible for the wholesale destruction that is going on has not been determined.

MINE EXPLODED ON WARSHIP.

Two Sailors of a Ger[illegible] Killed, Six Inj[illegible]

A despatch from K[illegible] says: Two seamen of the German battleship Alsace were killed and six others were wounded on Wednesday as the result of the explosion of a mine. A launch had been out from the battleship to experiment in the blowing-up of obstructions in the water. During the manœuvres one of the mines on board exploded prematurely, with the above result.

BURIED UNDER MASS OF BRICK.

Two Men Met Death in Mine in British Columbia.

A despatch from Vancouver says News has reached here of a fatal cave in at the mine near Phoenix. Christopher Martin, aged forty-five, and Kingsley Smith, a young Englishman, were working on the 300-foot level on Sunday afternoon, when an enormous mass of rock was dislodged, completely burying them.

NUDE DOUKHOBORS KEPT IN CARS

Yorkton Aghast at Arrival of the Vagrant Pilgrims.

A despatch from Yorkton, Sask., says: Seventy-one Doukhobors arrived here by special train on Wednesday, Nineteen of them were recently released from Fort William jail, and were shipped here by the Ontario Government in charge of an official of that Government. These people are all destitute and have no homes to go to and a number of them are perfectly nude. There are a few Doukhobors in this vicinity, but they will have nothing to do with the vagrants. The Town Council and Board of Trade have taken the matter up with the Government officials at Regina, and the Doukhobors are being kept in the coaches pending instructions from there. The Mounted Police are guarding the coaches.

THE CHILD WAS SACRIFICED

Uncle Killed Her Because He Had a Command From Heaven to Do So.

A despatch from Easton, Penn., says: A coroner's jury at Nazareth, near here, late on Wednesday returned a verdict charging Robert Bachman with the murder of Irene May Smith, his seven-year-old niece, who, it is alleged, was offered as a sacrifice by her parents and uncle, members of a fanatical religious sect. The mother, who had been arrested in connection with the child's death, was released from custody. The father remains in jail.

Bachman insists that the child was possessed of the devil and that he killed her by command from heaven. He maintains that he did no wrong and that God will protect him. He cries out from his cell that he is to be crucified, and pleads with the jailer to hurry the execution that he may appear before the throne of God, Who sent him to earth to perform a great mission for the salvation of mankind. Smith is in a pitiable condition both mentally and physically. On Wednesday he was seized with several fits and rolled from his cot to the floor, where he tossed about, shouting and praying. He appears to know little or nothing of the killing of his daughter, and when the subject is broached to him he insists that nothing wrong has happened and that his brother-in-law was directed by the holy spirit.

Mrs. Smith, on the other hand, is rational and realizes the awful gravity of the situation. She is heart-broken and wails piteously over the tragic fate of her child. She declares the religion she and her husband adopted is a myth, and that they were not acting by direction of God. She never had much faith in the teachings of the sect, but joined them in order to keep peace in the family. Her husband, she says, was good and kind to her, but when she objected to the new religion he would become furious. When she went to Nazareth last Saturday to attend the meeting that ended in the murder of her daughter she says she had no idea of the intentions of the party to kill her child.

A HIRED MAN'S REVENGE

Burned Farm House With a Woman and Three Children.

A despatch from Laporte, Indiana, says: The removal of four charred bodies, the blackened forms of three children huddled about that of the mother, as if for protection; the arrest of Ray Lampher, formerly employed by Mrs. Belle Gunnes, the victim, and the collapse of Lampher at the jail on Tuesday night, have caused excitement at Laporte that may at any moment break forth into violence.

Mrs. Gunnes lived at her farm near here with her three children. At three o'clock on Tuesday morning Joseph Maxwell, an employee on the place, was awakened by smoke. He made every effort to rescue the family, but failed. Late in the afternoon the bodies of Mrs. Gunnes and her three children, Myrtle, aged 11; Lucy, aged 9, and Phillip, aged 5, were removed from the smouldering ruins.

There was a rumor that the home had been fired because of malice, and as the day advanced the police took up the story and began an investigation, which resulted in the arrest of Lampher on Tuesday evening. Lampher had been employed on the Gunnes farm and was infatuated with Mrs. Gunnes, who was a beautiful woman. She declared that the man annoyed her, and filed proceedings to have him declared insane, but a jury found him sane.

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Mrs. David J. Tapley, Fredericton, N. B., was cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills after suffering from nervous breakdown, which resulted in partial paralysis of the face. She says: "The trouble came on quite gradually, and at the outset I did not pay much attention to it. Then it grew more serious, and there was a general breakdown of the nerves, which was followed by partial paralysis of the face, one side being completely drawn out of shape. I was under a doctor's care for a couple of months, and one treatment after another was tried without benefit. By this time I was confined to my room, and the doctor told me he could not cure me. Almost in despair I was persuaded to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The improvement was slow, but the building up of a run down nervous system naturally is slow. Slowly but surely this medicine did its work, and after a time I was able to again come down stairs. From that on the improvement was much more rapid and now I am as well as ever I was in my life. My friends look upon my cure as almost miraculous. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did for me what the best medical treatment failed to do—they brought me back good health."

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THE PLOUGHING SEASON

OBSERVANCE OF THE OPENING IN DIFFERENT REGIONS.

The Romans Regarded the Seasons With Reverence—Certain Days to Plough in India.

The first farmers deemed it necessary to propitiate certain powers before they ploughed and planted and to this end instituted elaborate agricultural festivals and ceremonials. The formal inauguration of the ploughing season is very ancient and still is observed in some parts of the world.

Among the Romans, by the institution of various religious festivals connected with agriculture, the seasons came to be regarded with a sort of sacred reverence. Before the old Roman put the plough into the ground he went to the temple of the goddess of earth, Tellus, one of whose priests performed certain propitiatory rites. Vergil in his "Georgics" advises the Roman husbandman to observe the signs in heaven according to the crop he desires to produce. The time to plough for flax, barley and the sacred poppy was when "Ballance has equalized the hours of day and sleep and halves the world exactly between light and shade. When Taurus ushers in the year with his gilded horns and Sirius sits facing the threatening bull is time for beans; for wheat and spelt the Pleiads should hide themselves from your eyes with the dawn. Many have begun before Maria sets, but the desired crop has baffled them with empty ears." But first of all the poet admonishes the farmer to "honor the gods and offer sacrifices to Ceres."

CUSTOMS OF INDIA.

In India there are certain days when it is unlawful to plough. Mother Earth is supposed to sleep six days in every month, and on such days she refuses to be disturbed in her slumber.

In northwest India the cultivator employs a pundit to select an auspicious time for the commencement of ploughing. Great secrecy is observed. In some places the time selected is in the night, in others daybreak is the customary time.

The Pundit goes to a field, taking a brass drinking vessel and a branch of the sacred mango tree, which is efficacious in frightening away evil spirits that may haunt the field. Prithivi, the broad world, and Sesha Naga, the great snake which supports the world, are supposed to be propitiated and reconciled by this ceremony. The pundit satisfies himself as to the direction in which the great snake is lying, for it occasionally moves about a little to ease itself of the great burden of the broad world which it carries. The pundit then marks off an imaginary line, five (a lucky number) clods of earth are thrown up and water is sprinkled in the trench five times with the sacred mango bush, to insure productiveness. Caution must be exercised lest the charm be broken and prospective fortune imperilled. The farmer must remain secluded during the following day, no salt must be eaten, no money, grain or fire given away.

Among the Karnas, before ploughing, the farmer makes a burnt offering of butter and molasses in his own field and again at

THE VILLAGE SHRINE.

The Chinese begin ploughing on the first day of their solar year. Anciently the rites which were celebrated by the Chinese at ploughing time were elaborate but rationalistic sovereigns eliminated one expensive religious rite after another until nothing was left except the imperial act of homage to heaven and earth and agriculture in the ceremonial ploughing.

The Siamese observe a rite called Raakua about the middle of May, which is preliminary to the ploughing season, and is not proper for any one to plough until the ceremony is over. The court astrologers determine the time for it. On the day fixed by them the Minister of Agriculture, who is always a prince or nobleman of high rank, goes with a procession to a piece of ground some distance from the capital. Where the festivities are to take place a new plough to which a pair of buffaloes are yoked is in readiness, decorated with flowers and leaves.

The minister guides the plough over the field closely watched by the spectators, who are especially interested in the length and folds of the silk of his lower garments, because the prosperity of the season and its characteristics, wet or dry, are to be predicted from these as he follows the plough. If the robe rises above his knee there will be disastrous rains. If it falls below the ankles there will be a drought. If the folds reach midway between knee and ankle the season will be prosperous.

After a proper number of furrows have been turned old women strew grain of different kinds in them and the bulls are released from the yoke and allowed to feed upon the seeds. The grain which the animals eat most freely will be scarce next harvest and that which they refuse to take

WILL BE ABUNDANT.

The Germans anciently had a before ploughing ceremonial. Sods were cut from the four corners of the field. Upon these were laid oil, honey and barm, milk branches of every kind of tree except oak and beech and of all name known as herbs save burrs. The whole were sprinkled then with holy water. The four turfs were then carried to the church and placed green side toward the altar. Four masses were said over them and they were returned to their places before sunset. Then spells were spoken and unknown seed, bought of beggarmen, placed on the plough. The first furrow was ploughed with a "Hail Earth, Mother of Men, &c." From meal of every kind a large loaf was kneaded with milk and baken and laid under the first furrow.

The following curious custom is recorded by J. Owen Dorsey in his monograph on the sociology of the Omaha Indians:

"In the spring when the grass comes up there is a council or tribal assembly held to which a feast is given by the head of the Hanga geno. After they decide that planting time has come and at command of the Hanga man a crier is sent through the villages. He wears a robe with hair outside and cries as he goes, 'They do, indeed, say that you will dig the ground! Hallo!' He carries sacred corn, which has been shelled and to each household he gives two or three grains, which are mixed with the seed corn of the household."

After this it is lawful for the people to dig up the soil and plant their crops.

CHILD'S SEVERE BURNS.

Healed by Zam-Buk.

The little girl of Mrs. Lewis Best of Carlisle P. O., recently fell against the stove and burned her forehead very badly. Mrs. Best says:—"The burn was about the size of a fifty cent piece and was near the bone. It made my little girl's eye swell till it almost shut and then she got cold in it. It began to run matter very badly, and I could not stop it, although I bathed it good every night and morning. At last I sent for some Zam-Buk which soon stopped the matteration and very quickly healed the wound. I have never seen a burn heal so quickly, and I am sure Zam-Buk has no equal for curing cuts, or burns."

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PRECAUTIONARY.

The sexton of a negro church was closing the windows one windy Sunday morning during service when he was beckoned to the side of a young negress, the widow of a certain Thomas.

"Why is you shettin' does winders, Mr. Jones?" she demanded, in a hoarse whisper. "De air in dis church is suffocatin' now!"

"It's de minister's orders," replied the sexton, obstinately. "It's a cold day, Mis' Thomas, an' we ain't goin' to take no chance o' losin' any o' de lambs o' dis fold while dere's a big debt overhangin dis church."

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PRESIDENTS OF THE REPUBLIC OF HAYTI.

African Savagery and Fetishism Still Hold Sway in the Black Republic.

When I landed at Port-au-Prince, on the first of several visits to Hayti and Santo Domingo, I was met on the wharf by a most imposing personage in a cocked hat, gold laced coat, and scarlet breeches, writes Claude Blake in the London Mail. He was only a customs officer, but he looked like the commander-in-chief at least. Alas! his coat was ragged and torn beneath the gold lace, his enormous black feet were innocent of boots, and he was pathetically eager for a tip.

He was typical of the tinselled squalor of the Black Republic—that mockery of civilization where African savagery and fetishism are veneered over by a little French polish and plenty of gold lace.

WHOLESALE MURDERER.

For generations past the Haytian Presidents have "waded through bloodshed to a throne," and ruled by the sword. Christophe, who made himself "Emperor" and created an aristocracy of negro dukes and marquises was a monster of incredible depravity. He murdered men, not singly, but literally by thousands. Nissage-Saget was fond of clearing the streets of Port-au-Prince with grape-shot. President Ulysses Heureaux, a negro dock-laborer from Jamaica, who made himself ruler of Santo Domingo, calmly told me at dinner one evening in 1897 that he had shot his own brother.

"He was plotting against me," he explained. "I asked him to dinner and gave him of the best dishes. Then, after we had finished the coffee and liqueurs, a file of soldiers came in to lead him off to execution. He tried to draw a revolver, but I was too quick for him and shot him first."

HE IS IGNORANT AND BRUTAL.

I was in Hayti during the chaos of revolutions out of which the present president, Nord Alexis, emerged into supreme power. He is an ignorant, brutal, senile negro with absolutely no qualifications for his position except a bulldog courage, which has made him popular with the army. On the day he proclaimed himself president he shot four political opponents in cold blood in Port-au-Prince.

The sanctity of the foreign legations was tested most remarkably at the fall of Simon Sam, who was president before Alexis. He got to the French Legation in the nick of time. The mob howled around the house for his blood for days, believing, rightly or wrongly, that he had looted the treasury and got the money with him. Yet they dared not profane the legation, and the French Charge d'Affaires escorted him to a French steamer in peace.

The handful of whites who run businesses or plantations in the Black Republic have suffered terribly in recent years, for Alexis has encouraged their plunder and maltreatment. But they have hung on to their investments in the hope that the United States will assume control over the country, as it did a few years ago over the finances of Santo Domingo. President Roosevelt has threatened this in no uncertain language several times.

BABY'S TEETHING TIME IS A TROUBLOUS TIME

When baby is teething the whole household is upset. The tender little gums are inflamed and swollen, the poor little child suffers and often cries day and night, wearing the mother out and keeping the rest of the family on edge. In the homes where Baby's Own Tablets are used there is no such worry The Tablets allay the inflammation, sooth the irritation and bring the teeth through painlessly. Mrs. S. Williams, St. Joseph, Ont., says: "My first baby suffered terribly when cutting her teeth and the doctor could do nothing for her. I got a box of Baby's Own Tablets and they did her so much good that I cannot say enough in their favor. You may be sure that I always keep the Tablets in the house now." Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25c. per box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

WHY?

"Why do they call it leap year, anyhow?"

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FATHER'S DODGE.

A father was lecturing his young hopeful upon the evils of staying out late at night and getting up late in the morning. "You will never amount to anything," he continued, "unless you turn over a new leaf. Remember that the early bird catches the worm." "How about the worm, father?" inquired the young man. "Wasn't he rather foolish to get up so early?" "My son," said the father, solemnly: "that worm hadn't been to bed all night; he was on his way home."

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Some people cling to the old-fashioned idea that a man must be a genius if he goes about with uncombed hair.

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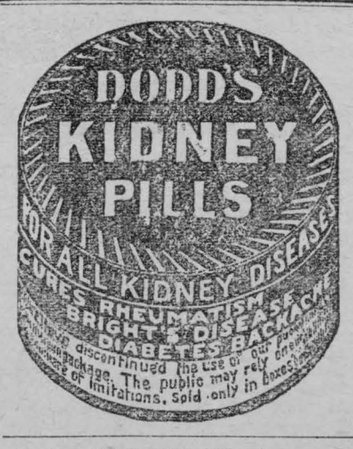

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"Dost hear that?" asked the fair maid. There was a sound of a heavy step.

"'Tis father. Fly, sweetheart, fly!"

"You mean flea," corrected the lover.

"As you like," said the maid, "but this is no time for entomological distinctions."

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Life Insurance Examiner—"Of what did your father die, Pat?" Pat—"I don't know, doctor; but I'm sure it was nothing serious."

Very many persons die annually from cholera and kindred summer complaints, who might have been saved if proper remedies had been used. If attacked do not delay in getting a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial, the medicine that never fails to effect a cure. Those who have used it say it acts promptly, and thoroughly subdues the pain and disease.

DUEL WITH WAX BULLETS.

The World's Noted Expert Shots to Meet in London.

Arrangements are being made in London, England, by a number of the world's deadliest revolver shots for giving a public exhibition of the "sport" of dueling on July 13 and 14 next, in connection with the Olympic games in London.

Walter Winans, the champion revolver shot of the world, whose sideboards and tables at Surrenden Park, his Kentish seat, groan beneath the trophies he has won as marksman, is at the head of this novel departure in public entertainments.

He has secured the enthusiastic cooperation of many of his fellow-members of the Pistolet Club, which, as he said recently, comprises all the greatest revolver shots and all the duelists. "The public duels will be fought exactly in every detail as though they were private affairs of honor, only that the bullets will be of wax, which will explode as soon as they touch their object. All the conventional ceremony connected with dueling will be carried through. There will be seconds, the paces will be solemnly measured, the duelists will take their stand back to back, and on the word being given, will wheel around and fire—that is to say, they must fire before three seconds are counted.

"There will be just enough risk in these duels to make them exciting, though not really dangerous," said Mr. Winans. "A little too heavy a charge of powder might cause the bullet to penetrate slightly, and no doubt most of the duelists will protect their persons. I do not think I shall wear any protection myself, however, as I do not want to make too large a target.

"I have been practising hard during the last few days, and to-day got twelve consecutive shots home from the regulation distance, all within a space of a few inches.

"If we are successful in fixing up these duels I shall shoot on behalf of the United States.

"Some crack Belgian and French shots will take part, and I do not doubt we shall be able to secure representatives of one or two other countries."

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FAMOUS PEOPLE

BY FANNIE M. LOTHROP



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BARONESS BURDETT-COUTTS

The World's Greatest Woman Philanthropist

Angela Georgiana, Baroness Burdett-Coutts, the lady bountiful of England, one of the partners in the great banking house of Coutts—second only, in wealth, to the Bank of England—and one of the richest peeresses in the kingdom, has had a romantic and remarkable career in her ninety-one years. She was a close friend of Queen Victoria, and Edward VII. said of her: "Next to my mother, she is the most wonderful woman in England."

She was the daughter of Sir Francis Burdett and Sophia Coutts; her maternal grandfather, Thomas Coutts, died ignoring his children, and leaving his great fortune to his second wife, who was Miss Mellon, a well-known actress. The widow later married the Duke of St. Albans, whose relatives treated her with ridicule and contempt for her verbal inaccuracies, her quaint speeches and her inability to master the social code of her set. Her will revealed her revenge when it was found that every penny of her fortune went to her step-granddaughter, Angela Burdett, then twenty-three, with the understanding that she should add a hyphen and Coutts to her name.

Then Miss Burdett-Coutts, in 1837, the year Victoria became Queen, began her life of benevolence and beneficence, limiting herself to no one phase of helpfulness; but wherever she could benefit humanity her heart and her purse were open. She built and endowed St. Stephen's Church, Westminster; endowed three colonial bishoprics, secured the government adoption of traveling inspectors of schools, gave funds for the topographic survey of Jerusalem, aided emigrants on a large scale, established a home for women, fitted out hundreds of boys for the navy, suggested the formation of the East London Weavers' Association, erected model tenements, aided Sir Thomas Brooke in his work in Sarawak, helped the starving fishermen of Cape Clear Island and the poor of London and Scotland, organized the Turkish Compassionate Fund to help the peasantry during the Russo-Turkish war, and for nearly seventy years has devoted herself to charities.

In 1871 the Queen made Miss Coutts a peeress, and ten years later, when she was sixty-seven years of age, she married W. L. Ashmead-Bartlett, a young American—now a member of Parliament—thirty-seven years her junior, settling on him an annuity of $250,000 a year. Surprise became consternation, and, later, genuine hostility, when it became known that the Baroness, after nursing young Bartlett through a long illness incident to his work on her Turkish charity, had married him.

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MRS. C. T. CASSELMAN DEAD.

An Old and Honored Resident of Chesterville Passes Away.

The death of one of the oldest, kindest and most respected residents of Chesterville, in the person of Mrs. C. T. Casselman, occurred at her residence at ten minutes to three o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, May the 5th, 1908, at the age of 79 years, 6 months and 16 days.

The deceased was born in Ramsay township, near Perth, and when quite young, her father, Mr. E. K. Smith and family moved to Chesterville and followed the business of shoemaker and tanner, at the location where Mr. Jacob A. Beckstead now resides, and which he conducted for about forty years.

After their sojourn here for some time she was united in marriage to Mr. C. T. Casselman, who was born in Williamsburg, and to them were born six sons and four daughters, one son having died at the age of two years.

Mrs. Casselman has always enjoyed fairly good health, with the exception of rheumatism, which has troubled her considerably at times for a number of years, but was very rarely confined to her bed. Just ten weeks previous to her death she was forced to her bed and there she laid until the last spark of life was seen to take its flight, being surrounded, with the exception of two of her sons, by all her children and other relatives She bore her sufferings with Christian fortitude and died as she had lived—a noble Christian character. In religion she was a Methodist, and while not able at all times to attend service, her heart was always with the noble work of God.

She leaves to mourn her departure, sons and daughters, and a large circle of relatives and friends, the children being Messrs. Chester Casselman, dry goods merchant and postmaster; C. W. Casselman, insurance agent; C. L. Casselman, drug traveler; all of this place; Rance and Judson Casselman of Vancouver, B. C.; Mrs. (Dr.) M. Brown, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. R. D. Fulton, all of this place, and Miss Minnie Casselman at home.

Also the following living brothers and sisters: Lyman Smith of this place, Thos. Smith of Maxville; Mrs. Henry Harper of Gouveneur, N.Y., and Mrs. Marvin of Cripple Ceeek, Colorado.

Both Thos. Smith and Mrs. Harper were at her bedside at the time of death.

Her husband predeceased her on the 3rd Dec., 1885.

Beautiful floral tributes were in evidence from the sons and daughters of deceased, and others.

The funeral takes place this afternoon at 1.30 o'clock to the Methodist Church.

LOCAL OPTION IN ONTARIO.

By-Laws Now in Force in Thirty One Municipalities.

Toronto, May 1—Local option by laws come into force today in thirty one municipalities in the province of Ontario, cutting off some ninety-four licenses. In a number of other places by laws were passed reducing the number of licenses, so that the total reduction will exceed this number.

Despatches today from the districts affected say that in some cases carousals took place last night to mark the closing of the bars, but in the majority the advent of a three years' dry season passed off quietly, and a general desire to keep the law is indicated. One hotel man closed up his sheds to the public Pittsburg township, outside of Kingston. includes the Royal Military College.

Following is a list of the places in which the by-laws came into force to day with the number of licenses effected in each place:—Ancaster, 4; Asphodel, 1; Beverly, 3 ; Brighton, Brunel, 1, Caistor, 0; Campbellford, 6; Colborne, 3; Creemore, 3; Durham, 3; Eldon, 5; Erin, 3; Hamilton, 5; Harvey, 0; Howick, 4; McKellar, 1; Medonte, 6; Milbrook, 4; Mulmur, 2; Murray, 2; Norwood, 2; Norwich, 0; Omemee, 2. Orillia, 8; Pittsburg, 5; Saltfleet, 4; Schrieber, 2; Seymour, 1; Somerville, 2; Stirling, 3; Woodville, 2.

The case of Ald. W. E Brown, of Ottawa against whom charges of corrupt practices were brought in connection with his election in Victoria ward last January, ended before Judge MacTavish in the unseating of the alderman.

EXECUTORS'

Notice to Creditors

In the matter of the Estate of Elizabeth Fraser, late of the Township of Winchester, in the County of Dundas, Widow, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to R. S. O. 1897, Chapter 129, Section 38 and Amending Acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said Elizabeth Fraser, who died on or about the 5th day of January, A. D. 1908, are required to send by post prepaid, or deliver to W. B. Lawson, Chesterville, Ontario, solicitor for the executors on or before the

1st day of June, A.D., 1908

their names, addresses and description and a full statement of particulars of their claims and the nature of the security, if any, held by them, duly certified, and that after said date the 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.

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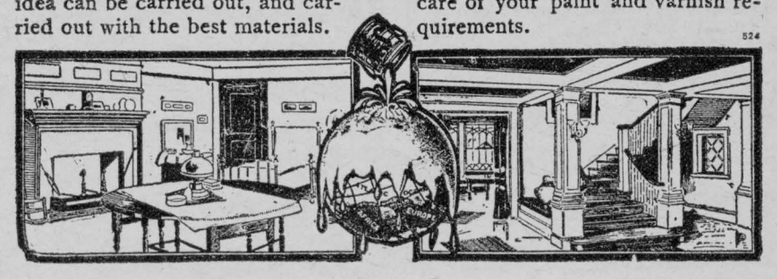

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Rev. Runnells Receives an Early Invitation.

At a meeting of the Quarterly Board of the Methodist Church of Chesterville held on Friday evening, May 1st, 1908, the following motion was moved and seconded, and carried unanimously:—

"That this quarterly board, knowing the great respect and esteem in which the Rev. A. E. Runnells is held by the members of the congresation and the excellent work he has done as our pastor since he has come amongst us, and feeling that the work so well commenced by him, will, under his care, grow and become firmly established to the advantage of the community in general and our own congregation in particulur, desire to express our appreciation of his untiring efforts for the good of the congregation and the high ideal of Christian life and character which he has exemplified.

That we extend to him our earnest invitation to remain in charge of the Chesterville congregation for at least the full period of four years, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to next conference and our representatives attending same be instructed to do all in their power to secure the acceptance of our invitation."

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Mrs. Phillip Steacy, of Perth, had a narrow escape from death by lightning in a severe electrical storm which passed over that section a few days ago. The bolt struck the chimney on her house and ran down the ground splintering the doorstep near which Mrs. Steacy was standing. She was knocked down by the shock.

Ellis vs. Merkley.

The appeal of Allan Merkley against the decision of Magistrates Bow and Irving, whereby Merkley was fined $10 and costs was disposed of at the last sitting of the Division Court of Chesterville. Upon the appeal being called, Mr. Lawson, counsel for Thomas J. Elils, announced that he consented to the appeal being allowed and the conviction being quashed with costs. Conviction quashed accordingly.

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Frustrated An Elopement.

North Bay, May 1.—Peter Pelangio, an Italian, who eloped from Orillia with Alice Southern, a 15-year-old girl, came North Bay and was arrested by Chief of Police Raynor on leaving the train, on account of his suspicious actions.

The girl's father was located by wire and came on the next train.

Pelangio stated he intended marrying the girl in North Bay.

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A SHADOWED PATH;

Or, The Curse Of The Family

CHAPTER XII.—(Continued).

"You had better wait patiently," he finished, "till we all go up to London together—a few months can make no possible difference; it is not like a killing disease, in which every moment is precious."

And so, very unwillingly, Judith had to be patient during the entire of that summer, when the actual troubles of her married life began. She had always been aware to a certain extent of Mr. Mazingford's love of display—of his mania for effect; but somehow it never occurred to her proud, independent spirit that she was to become part of the show, the principal object to be set up and stared at, until she found it was even so; and then the struggling, and chafing, and enduring began—premonitory symptoms of the next weary battle which Judith waged first against herself, but finally against him.

As he might have exhibited a fine racer, or a favorite pointer, he exhibited her. Habited in purple and fine linen, with sparkling rings on her fingers, and pearls circling her slender throat, she had to sit there, and be shown as the uncommonly fine wife Mr. Mazingford had wedded—as the handsomest woman in Wales, or in England, or anywhere. It was gall and wormwood to the haughty nature, to be hawked about from dinner to ball, from regatta to race-course; to have to show off her accomplishments, and deck out her beauty to the uttermost. "Would I had the small-pox," Lillian once heard her exclaim; and the wish came not from the lips merely, but from the heart.

At length the election was over, and Mr. Mazingford proved victorious. The last independent electors had been paid in full, the last voters made drunk, the last hundred disbursed, the last ball given. The Honorable Lodovick Standish, beaten out of the field, had gone away threatening to unseat the popular member and disfranchise the borough. The farmers (always on the Conservative side everywhere except in tenant-right Ireland) had yelled themselves hoarse, shouting "Mazingford for ever!" there had been dinners, and speeches, and pledges, and chairing in abundance; but all was quiet again three days after the local newspapers announced the result of the poll in bulletins and principal columns, thus:—

Mazingford	1314
Standish	857
Majority for Mazingford	457

"Huzza!" shouted the "incorruptibles," as the Wavour Hall greys went prancing out of the town, carrying the successful candidate along with them; and Mr. Mazingford gratefully acknowledged the disinterested cheers, for publicity was what his soul delighted in.

Peace came to the Hall at last, when the autumn sheaves were again lying in the golden sunshine; when the purple heather was blooming on the mountains; when the waterfalls and streams were almost dry; when the richest colors of the year were falling on the changing leaves and beautifying them.

"I had hoped," said Judith then to Lillian, "that ere this you would have been able to look once again over the harvest-fields, at the flowers, and the rivers, and the sky—but that could not be—th's time next year, however, please God——"

She did not finish the sentence, but Lillian knew what she meant, and answered cheerfully:—

"I can wait, dear Judith, patiently."

Waiting had made her very pale during the passing of those weary six months.

With new-born alacrity, therefore, she made all necessary preparations for their departure when Mr. Mazingford proposed departing from Wales. A fresh life seemed infused into her the moment he stated he must go up to London immediately after Christmas. She wanted to go before, but that might not be. January was the time he had settled, and January, accordingly, it proved.

"I really think, Judith," he said, a couple of days before that fixed for their journey, "you had better leave Lillian here, where she can be wheeled about the grounds, and have pure air, and be perfectly quiet. In London she would find herself very uncomfortable. What could we do with her there?"

The lady of Wavour Hall listened to this speech quietly from first to last; then she said:—

"Mr. Mazingford, do you recollect what passed between us that night when I consented to become your wife?"

He did—yea, verily, he had never forgotten it, and said so.

"You remember, then, precisely what I married you for?"

"Or stated you did," he retorted, with a contemptuous sneer.

"It is the same," she answered; "for with me stating and thinking are synonymous terms; and, therefore, Mr. Mazingford, my sister goes with me to London to be cured."

"We shall see about that," he said fiercely.

"Or else," pursued Judith, "I remain here with her, and send for an oculist from town."

Thereupon ensued the first pitched battle between them; but Judith sat down before the fortress, on her rights, and compelled to surrender.

She ordered her maid to unpack her trunks. She countermanded all her previous arrangements. She did not get into a passion, but she held resolutely to her decision.

"You promised me," she said to her husband, "faithfully and solemnly, that, if I would become your wife, Lillian should always remain with me, always be kindly treated, always receive every attention and comfort in your house; and, further, you promised to spare no expense in having her sight restored. My part of the compact I have fulfilled; and I vow that, willing or unwilling, you shall perform yours."

"Indeed, madam!"

What a world of concentrated bitterness he managed to fling into those two words!

"You may carry me to London, if you choose," she said; "but no power on earth shall keep me there without her. I have taken my stand on that point now and for ever."

And as Mr. Mazingford had no desire to use force in the matter, he was compelled to give in, so far as Lillian's London trip was concerned; but he registered a vow, to the effect that one sixpence of his money no oculist should ever receive. He thought he could beat Judith there; for the strings of the purse were in his hands, and he defied her to loosen them.

Evening after evening guests came to their mansion in Mayfair. Mr. and Mrs. Mazingford "received" half the grand people in London, and were cordially welcomed by them in return. There was a perfect furore about the member's wife.

Judith was sick of the continual strife in private, of the way Mr. Mazingford paraded her before the world, of the mode in which he quarreled with her when alone, of the manner he adopted towards her always. Fear for Lillian made her submit to much; but Lillian was not cured yet, and that was the bitterest bone of contention between them.

At length Judith's resolution was taken.

"Mr. Mazingford," she said, "you must consult an oculist, or I shall leave the house."

"Well, leave it, then," he retorted; and for once Judith was momentarily vanquished. It was but for a moment, however; for, after a pause, she inquired,—

"Do you, then, positively refuse to fulfil the promise you made to me before marriage?"

"I refuse to lend my countenance to any cursed folly or nonsense," he replied.

"And you will not give me money to restore my sister to sight?"

"I will not. She cannot be cured, I tell you, so there is no use tormenting about it. Besides, I am sick of the subject—so sick, that if it be ever named again, I shall send Lillian either to Miss Ridsdale, her brother, or the poorhouse."

"Very well," returned Judith; and then Mr. Mazingford beheld a look in her face he had never seen previously — a look which she gave him frequent opportunity of analyzing and observing in after-times.

It had in it a kind of settled contempt and immovable determination. When she drew her lips into that frigid, sarcastic smile, and settled her eyes on him with that fixed stare of disdain, he could have struck her to the earth. It was the first thing Judith discovered to have power over him. Perhaps that was the reason she afterwards treated him so freely to it; or, perhaps, which is more probable, some change took place in her character, which enabled her to assume at a moment's warning that look of concentrated dislike.

Be this as it may, one thing is certain, Judith walked straight from Mr. Mazingford's presence to her sister's chamber, and told her she meant to take her that very day to Mr. Chamberton, then considered the first oculist in London.

"At last!" cried Lillian; and a flush came over her pale cheek, and the eager arms were stretched joyfully out towards her sister, and the sightless orbs were turned thankfully upwards. "At last! So Mr. Mazingford has consented, then, Judith?"

"He and I have arranged matters definitely," was the somewhat evasive reply.

"Oh! how kind! I wish I could go and thank him!" cried poor Lillian, out of the fulness of her heart.

"Better that you cannot, answered her sister, drily. "Some people do not like to be thanked." And the fixed, contemptuous look came over Judith's face again—that dry, cold, hard expression, which it is pitiable to note on a woman's countenance. "But come, darling," she added, the next minute, "and let me help to get you ready," and softness stole over her eyes and lips, as she bent tenderly over the invalid, and tied her bonnet, and fastened her cloak, just as she had been wont to do in the old, old days that were gone.

She buttoned her sister's gloves, and then rang for an attendant to assist the cripple to Mr. Mazingford's carriage. There had been a time when servants were few in the home they inhabited; when landaus and barouches were luxuries undreamed of; and now it was fortunate that a magnificent footman here banging down the steps interrupted Judith's musings.

"Portman Square," she said, and the unexceptionable greys were off in a moment, like the wind. All the way Lillian talked about her eyes—of how thankful she was, of how thankful she should be—she did not mind any pain, oh, no! and she would wait any length of time, if she found that eventually she should be able once again to read and sew, to see the streets and the houses, the flowers and shrubs, and scenery in the country, and the brilliant equipages, and the pretty ladies, and the endless crowds of people in the streets.

"Sight is such a blessing, Judith," she finished with.

"It is," assented the other; "but there is to my mind a still greater blessing which you possess."

"What is that?" inquired Lillian.

And her sister answered, "A quiet heart."

It was a very touching thing to see how instantaneously Lillian's joy was turned to sadness, to observe how she felt about for Judith's hand, and then taking possession of it, held it sorrowfully in her own—how she kept eternally fidgeting closer and closer to her sister's side.

"No not be grieved, my darling," said Mrs. Mazingford, at last. "I did not mean to vex you; do not be grieved for me, Lillian, for a perfectly quiet heart is a blessing that will some day or other be enjoyed by all of us." And as she concluded, the carriage stopped at Mr. Chamberton's door.

He was at home, but, like all great men, being much besieged by visitors, the ladies had to wait some time for an audience.

At last, however, they were permitted ingress to the "presence," and found the oculist a tall, emaciated man, of about fifty or fifty-five years of age; one who looked at though all the flesh had been worn off his bones by eternally driving over the London stones.

"Can she be cured?" was the straightforward question the younger lady addressed him with; and after a professional examination of his patient's eyes, he answered that "she could, but that the process would be tedious."

Somehow it smote on Judith's heart to see the expression of delight which lit up her sister's face on hearing this confirmation of her dearest hopes. The cure might have been effected, or at least commenced, months previously; and, besides, it hurt her, she scarcely knew why, to see how happy Lillian looked at the prospect of this bodily infirmity being removed.

A sudden thought then occurred to her, that if she had begged her way to London, and got Lillian into a hospital, or else told some one like this oculist their story, and prayed him to have pity on her, she might have saved herself a life of slavery and humiliation—she had strength to do anything, to dare anything then; why not before her marriage?—It was but a sudden thought, a passing feeling which she put aside and conquered instantaneously, when, raising her eyes, she found Mr. Chamberton's glance fixed curiously upon her.

"Will you favor me with a moment's private conversation?" she asked. And the oculist bowing assent, they passed into a smaller apartment together.

"I need not sit down," replied Judith, in answer to his silent offer of a chair. "I do not wish to detain you; but merely to receive answers to a few questions it might have been painful for my sister to hear. Pray excuse me, if I seem abrupt. I think there is nothing like coming to the point at once."

"Nothing," echoed Mr. Chamberton.

"First, I want to know," began Judith, "exactly what is the matter with my sister."

"Soft cataract," was the reply.

"And it can be cured?"

"I have no doubt but it may, with care and patience."

"Patience, for how long?" she asked with a smile.

"That depends," he replied.

"Then you will not name a time?" said Judith, after a brief pause.

"I cannot; I should only be deceiving you, if I did so."

"Exactly," murmured Judith; "and now, pardon me, if my question is unusual, but the——"

Mrs. Mazingford grew very red, as she paused, for want of a suitable expression; and Mr. Chamberton colored a little also, though he took up her sentence and completed it kindly and frankly, for his visitor.

"The cost, you mean," he said—"the usual course, you are aware, is to charge for each separate operation."

"And——" commenced the lady once again; and once again he saved her the awkwardness of completing her question by naming the fee he usually received.

"About how many operations would be necessary?" she inquired.

"That I cannot tell," he answered, "it depends on various things; on the extent of the disease itself, on the state of her general health, on the care with which my directions are followed, on a thousand apparent trifles that are totally beyond our control. If the cataract were hard——"

"Ah! but it is not,' interrupted Judith—"would it had been:" then after a moment's silence, she added, "the operations can be performed here, I presume?"

"Impossible!" he answered. "Ah her own residence, is indispensable. She must remain in a darkened room, and be kept perfectly quiet. Here! why it would probably cost her her life to attempt such a thing."

"It shall not be attempted then,' said Judith, quietly, though his words flung a new difficulty in her path. "And now, Mr. Chamberton, will you tell me, frankly, if you object to receive the pecuniary debt we shall owe you, not on the occasion of each separate visit, but when your visits have terminated altogether."

It would be hard to say whether Judith were most confused, on uttering the foregoing point-blank sentence, or her auditor most surprised; at all events there ensued a very awkward pause; during the continuance of which, the lady stood with her eyes riveted on the carpet, and the oculist remained gazing at her:—

"My usual rule is to practise either for a fixed fee, or else gratuitously," he said at length.

"But will you not break through your rule for once?" she entreated; "it would make all so much smoother for one. I am not in the condition of a person who could ask you to give time and skill and kindness for nothing. I can pay hereafter; but—but, there are reasons why I cannot do so now, at least not conveniently. Surely the delay of a few months will not prove an insurmountable barrier to the gratification of my wishes—you are so rich—I am certain you must be."

"And you?" demanded Mr. Chamberton, with a half smile, as he looked first at her flushed, beautiful face, and pleading eyes, and imploring gesture, and then at her handsome dress and fashionable toilette—"and you?——"

"Am rich also, if you will," she hastily replied, "in one sense, not in another—rich to have, but not to give. Do you understand the difference?"

"I think I do," he answered, with a pitying look; "I think I do."

"And you will accede to my request, without hearing my reasons for making it? I will tell you if need be, but I had rather not."

"I will do my best to cure your sister on your own terms. You shall pay me what you can, when you can; shall we settle the matter thus?"

Judith did not reply verbally, but she held out her hand, and then burst into tears.

It was not a weakness she frequently indulged in; and perhaps this outbreak of pent-up grief seemed the more vehement on that accunt.

"Do not distress yourself," said the oculist, kindly; "I am sure we shall be able to do something for your sister. Do not grieve so about her, for the evil is remediable."

"It is not that," replied Judith; "oh! no, not that."

He did not ask her what it was, but he marvelled exceedingly and when she and Lillian drove away, he had absolutely the curiosity to go to the window to look after their carriage.

"Mrs. Mazingford!" he murmured, as he glanced at the card she had left in his hand, with an intimation that she would call again in a week—"Mrs. Mazingford—I wonder who she is, and what is her history!"

(To be Continued.)

IN THE REALMS OF ANTIQUITY.

(By A. Banker.)

To those to whom the mighty past presents greater attractions than the less refined and classic utilitarianism of the present day, Athens, the cradle of æsthetic architecture, and the birthplace of chaste and graceful statuary and ornate design, far surpasses any other capital of Europe in interest and in real fascination. Here the visitor is in the midst of the sublimest creations of man which the world has ever seen—not massive and vast, as the stupendous pyramids of Egypt; not gorgeously embellished with all manner of precious stones and overlaid with solid gold as Solomon's temple at Jerusalem; not even decorated with elaborate mosaics as some of the old Roman masterpieces of structural art, but erections of the supremest and the most exquisite refinement and elegance of design.

First ascending to the summit of the Acropolis, a conical hill near the centre of the city, the visitor is at once transferred into the realms of antiquity. Here the picturesque miniature temple, the Erechtheum, with its portico of the Caryatides, known the world over, and when imitated in modern buildings giving a distinctive grace and artistic charm; here the handsome temple of Victory; and here, its superb and lofty marble columns towering upwards and standing in bold relief against the wonderful azure of the Grecian sky, the magnificent temple of Minerva, doubtless—with possibly the one exception of the great temple of Diana of the Ephesians—the sublimest specimen of the purest classic art ever erected on this earth. But alas! the descendants of those vulgar barbarians who stripped the Pyramids of their marble casing to build their palaces, with an equal savage vandalism directed their cannon against this priceless monument of the past, and unhappily achieved the disgrace of irretrivably damaging it, the cruel rents made by their projectiles still bearing witness to their lasting dishonor.

And at various points in the city are other fine relics of Grecian art; the splendid Temple of Theseus, still happily in perfect repair, built immediately after the great victory of Marathon, which it commemorates; the Temple of the winds; the amphitheatre, the names of the stallholders inscribed on the marble seats still legible; with many another noteworthy and handsome erection. But to some, surpassing them all in interest, is the Areopagus, or Mar's Hill. For on this rock-pulpit at the foot of the Acropolis the great Apostle to the Gentiles preached. Christ crucified, shewing the old Greeks the folly of worshipping an "unknown God," and convincing many of them that by suffering that ignominious death He, the Redeemer, was bearing the punishment due by us in our stead. And that Atonement still avails for all who will.

LOOKING AFTER HIS HEALTH.

"I am sorry to see you neglecting your business this way, Sinkin. They say that you don't spend half an hour a week at your office."

"Well, a fellow must look after his health, you know."

"Yes, but you don't look unwell. What's the matter with you?"

"My wife takes the 'Family Health Gazette,' and she makes out that I have a tendency to softening of the brain, with complicated symptoms of Bright's disease, liver complaint, dyspepsia, palpitation of the heart, inflammation of the lungs, cremation of the spleen, indigestion of the œsophagus, hyportophy of the palate, and, besides that, I am not at all well. She insists that I must observe all the rules in the 'Gazette,' and, you see, I've no time for anything else."

HOW SHE KEPT YOUNG.

Some one once asked a woman how it was she kept her youth so wonderfully. Her hair was snowy white, she was 80 years old and her energy was waning, but she never impressed one with the idea of age, for her heart was still young in sympathy and interests.

And this was her answer: "I knew how to forget disagreeable things. I tried to master the art of saying pleasant things. I did not expect too much of my friends, I kept my nerves well in hand, and did not allow them to bore other people. I tried to find any work that came to hand congenial."

ANARCHISTIC.

The anarchist respects no laws,
Nor fears the hangman's rope;
Perhaps he courts death thus because
"While there is life there's soap."

About the Farm

CONTROL OF MILK SUPPLY.

Since milk is so extremely variable in quality, and is so easily adulterated; since often considerable variations are not readily detected; above all, because the amount of milk used by any given person or family is comparatively small, the consumer of milk is almost wholly at the mercy of the producer and dealer, and must rely for a good product very largely upon their honor, says Prof. H. H. Wing, of Cornell University. The State has recognized this, and to prevent imposition by unscrupulous people, has in various ways sought to regulate the sale of milk and like products. The chief means used has been to establish arbitrary standards of quality, and to subject to fine those dealers whose goods should be found to be below the required standard. The standards established by various states and municipalities have varied widely. From 2.5 to 3.7 per cent. of fat, and from 11.5 to 13 per cent. of total solids have been the minimum requirements. These standards, while efficient in securing honest dealing where they are rigidly enforced, nevertheless may work injustice, so far as honesty of the dealer is concerned, under various circumstances, and may prevent the production and sale of a comparatively low quality product at a reasonable price. It would seem, therefore, that the best means of regulating the traffic in milk would be, not to set up an artificial standard to which all must come, but to require each individual dealer to guarantee his own standard, and hold him responsible if his milk were found below. In this way it would be possible to sell milk of various qualities, from strictly skimmed to heavy cream, upon a graduated scale of prices, with exact justice to everyone.

FARM NOTES.

A great factor in the production of a great potato crop is sufficient moisture to dissolve the plant food in the soil.

When a fence is down put it up, and then it will not get any worse. When a harness is broken, mend it before you have a runaway, or before it becomes worthless. When weeds, bugs or fungi threaten, get after them before the damage is done.

Necessity may be the mother of invention, but it should never drive a man into selling his products for less than they cost him. When buyers know that a farmer is obliged to sell, they can fix their own terms; but when the producer is not forced into the market, he can have a voice in fixing prices. There is the difference between success and failure in this.

LIVE STOCK NOTES.

Almost any farmer who has horse-sense and is a good feeder, can raise draft colts at a profit. He must be a good feeder. A great many farmers seem to lose sight of the fact that it pays to feed colts well.

Goslings do not care for bread and other mixtures made for little chicks, but live on grass and tender weeds principally. They are very fond of young plantain, and if you have patches of it that you want killed out, make a movable board pen, and keep the goslings in it, moving it each day or two to a fresh patch.

When the ewes and lambs are turned out to pasture in the spring and begin to get a bite of young grass, then they will begin to refuse hay. Give them hay just as long as they will eat it. As they gradually leave off eating hay, increase your feed of grain a little until they begin to get a little feed of grass, and then decrease your feed of grain gradually as the grass comes up to a full feed. In this way both sheep and lambs will keep right along growing, both in wool and mutton.

It seems that there is no one department of the farm where there is so much loss easily avoidable as in the treatment of the stock. The first blunder is in the breeding, no particular type or plan being adhered to, but the farmer breeds to the animal that is handiest, or will cost the least. This is so common that every neighborhood will furnish examples of it, and when the services of a thoroughbred bull—Short Horn, Holstein or of some other good breed—has been offered the farmer for $2 or $3, he has deliberately chosen a scrub at 50 cents, or a mongrel stallion at $8 or $10 rather than a thoroughbred at $15 to $20. By using thoroughbred sires we get at a very small cost the advantage of generations of good breeding, and which cost time and money that would be entirely out of the reach of farmers of ordinary means.

DIFFICULT.

It is stated that the heart of a vegetarian beats 58 times a minute, and that of a meat eater 75 times. Thus the meat-eating young man with a vegetarian sweetheart can see how difficult it is at times for "two hearts to beat as one."

A writer says honesty is only skin deep. This explains why many of our politicians are so thin-skinned.

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WHAT SAVED THE MISSIONARIES

Had to Make Soap in Order to Stay in Madagascar.

The introduction of Christianity into heathen countries has been more or less closely connected with trade and the arts of civilization. The government has often been keenly alive to the advantage of science but hostile to religious teaching. Such was the case in Madagascar fifty years ago, as is told in the pages of Rev. W. E. Cousin's book, "Madagascar of To-day."

Queen Ranavalona was beginning to feel uneasy about the growing influence of foreign ideas, and wished to get rid of the missionaries. She sent some officers to carry her message. The missionaries were gathered together to meet the queen's messengers, and were told that they had been a long time in the country and had taught much, but that it was now time for them to think of returning to their native land.

The missionaires, alarmed at this message, answered that they had only begun to teach some of the elements of knowledge, and that much remained to be imparted. They mentioned sundry branches of education, among which were the Greek and Hebrew languages, which had already been partially taught to some.

The messengers returned to the queen, and soon came back with this answer:

"The queen does not care much for Greek and Hebrew. Can you teach something more useful? Can you, for example, teach how to make soap?"

This was an awkward question to address to theologians, but after a moment's pause Mr. Griffiths turned to Mr. Cameron and asked him whether he could answer it.

"Give me a week," said Mr. Cameron, and the week was given. At its close the queen's messengers again met the missionaries, and Mr. Cameron was able to present to them a bar of tolerably good white soap, made entirely from materials found in the country. This was an eminently satisfactory answer, and the manufacture of soap was forthwith introduced, and is still continued to the present day, although no one would now venture to call the soap "white."

As a result of making this bar of soap the mission gained a respite of about five years, during which time the queen still tolerated the presence and teaching of the missionaries for the sake of the material advantages derived from the work of the artisans; and it was during these years that the first churches were formed, and the Christian religion began to take deep root among the people.

THE WAY WITH HER.

There's just no use in talking,
When a woman starts to cry
She can have most any bauble
That a pile of gold can buy,
If she desired the ocean
And it melted into tears
Some chap would try to scoop it up
If it took a million years!

BEST SUBSTITUTE.

"Tommy Tuff!" cried the teacher, severely, "why did you chalk your name on this new desk?"

"I had ter," replied Tommy. "I ain't got no penknife ter carve it wid."

ALWAYS READY.

"There is one thing I dread," remarked Johnson, "and that is a premature burial."

"Don't worry about that," replied Brown; "the thing is impossible. There's no danger of your being buried too soon."

A WORD FROM JOSH WISE.

"It's twice as cruel ter dock a fox terrier as ter dock a ocean greyhound."

A stranger addressed the farmer's boy across the fence. "Young man, your corn looks kind o' yellow." "Yes; that's the kind we planted." "Don't look as if you would get more than half a crop." We don't expect to. The landlord gets the other half." Then, after a short time, the man said, "Boy, there isn't much difference between you and a fool." "No," replied the boy; "only the fence."



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Sandwich, Ont, April 30.—Miss May Cockburn, formerly telephune operator at Essex, has been awarded $8,000 damages from the Michigan Central Railway, for injuries sustained in the Essex dynamite explosion, by the jury at the assize. The original claim was for $3,000 damages, but, after hearing evidence by medical experts, Judge Anglin granted a motion by Mr. Hood, attorney for plaintiff, to increase the claim to $10,000, and the jury was out only a short time before deciding on the $8,000 award.

U. S. Fishermen Must pay Five-spot.

Kingston, Ont., May 2.—A license fee of $5 per single rod for three months and $10 for a family, providing the Americans are living on Canadian soil, is the charge the Provincial Government will collect from United States residents who want to fish on the Canadian side of the St. Lawrence River. Hitherto no fee was changed so long as Canadian boatmen were used by Americans. The abnse of the arrangements made has caused the re-imposition of the license fee.

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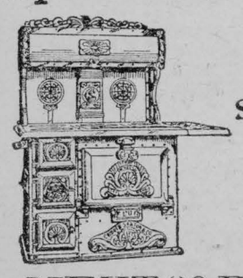

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CASS BRIDGE.

Misses Maggie Irving and Jean McKercher of Winchester, spent the last of the week visiting their many friends here.

Miss Marry Middagh has returned home after spending a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Irving of Winchester.

Misses Dean and Gladys Connor of Springs, spent Thursday the guest of Mrs. A. M. Cook.

Quite a number of the farmers have started their spring's work.

Jas Middagh was in Chesterville on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Servage of Grantley, visited at Daniel Johnston's on Sunday last

Charles F. Turner left last week for the States, where he secured a position.

Adrian Bell of Rose Haven, called on friends here on Sunday.

W. F. Bell of Brinston's Corners, was in town the first of the week on business.

George Turner visited friends at Morrisburg on Friday last.

Rufus and N. Casselman of the Springs, called on friends here on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Johnston spent Monday visiting friends at Grantley.

Quite a number of people from here attended the Conservative meeting, which was held at the Springs on Saturday last.

THE BOYNE.

A number from here attended the sale of Mr. Isaac Deeks of Winchester on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Elliott of Dunbar spent Monday of this week at Wm. Anderson's.

Miss Mammie Kittle of Chesterville, is spending this week here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson of Harmony spent Saturday with relatives here.

Mr. James Bylow and family left our midst recently for Winchester. The Boyne's loss is Winchester's gain.

Mr. Milton Durant spent a few evenings of last week in the vicinity of Chesterville,

Mr. and Mrs. Dillabough of Dunbar, spent one day of last week, the guest of their daughter Mrs. S. H Barkley.

Mr. O. Durant of Chesterville, was a recent caller here.

Mrs. Arthur Henry and Mrs. R. Anderson spent Wednesday in Chesterville.

Master Herbert Irvine of Dunbar, who has been spending a few days with relatives here and in Harmony, returned home recently.

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Purchased Tweed Weekly News.

Woodstock, May 1.—Mr. O. M. Alger, who has for some years published the Embro Courier and the Thamesville Star, two live Oxford county weeklies, has purchased The Tweed Weekly News from Mr. J. T. Taylor of Woodstock, publisher of the Sentinel-Review. Mr. Alger has taken possession of The Tweed News and will personally manage the business.

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MOREWOOD.

Rev. M. MacDonald who has resided in our section for the past year leaves this week for Cobourg Ontario where he purposes making his permanent home.

Mr. Sandy Moffat left on Monday of this week for Moose Jaw Sask.. where he has obtained a very lucrative position as Book keeper.

Mr. Lane Shaver is busily engaged in repainting the Forester's Hall. This will be a decided improvement and add to the appearance of the street.

Mr. George Kinnaird has sold his house and property on main street.

Rev. Mr. Collins conducted divine service in the Holiness Chapel on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Jennie Stephenson has been absent in Ogdensburg N. Y. for the past week undergoing an operation for her eyes.

A very quiet wedding took place on Tuesday afternoon April 21st at the residence of Mr. Charles Hutchinson when his daughter Miss Nell was united in marriage to Mr. Oren Dillabough. Rev. Mr. Hagar performed the ceremony. The couple took the afternoon train for Montreal on their honeymoon trip They returned to Morewood on Saturday evening April 25th.

Mr. Ross McMillan and Mr. John Farrel, Finch visited Morewood on Monday afternoon.

Mr. P. McCormick is very ill at present. We hope soon to hear of recovery.

Mr. C. M. Williard of California who is one of the prominent promoters of the Morrisburg and Ottawa electric road has purchased the Bolton property from Rev. McDonald and purposes making his home here. This is the second property which Mr. Williard has bought in the last month. On April 1st. the McKay property adjoining the village passed into his hands. Mr. Bradford Loughridge is working this farm this year.

Inspector Brown of Morrisburg, paid his semi-annual visit to the schools of Morewood and vicinity this week. He reports all in good condition and doing splendid work.

Mr. Ford Steinberg has returned from Montreal where he underwent a very serious operation. We are glad to hear of his return and hope soon to see him around again.

Mr. Sim Casselman of Grantley, visited Morewood on Monday.

The sawmill which has been steadily running since April 1st, is closed at present. Owing to the pressure of farm work farmers are unable to place their logs on the rollways.

Mr. Jacob Dillabough is making extensive repairs to his house. This will improve the appearance of the house considerably, as well as contribute to the comfort of the owner.

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.

Cheese Factory Destroyed

Brockville, Ont., May 5.—This morning the Stanley cheese factory, near Brockville, was totally destroyed by fire. It was owned by John Raphael, Mallorytown, and James Lappen, who lived in the building and made its cheese. When the fire started Mr. and Mrs. Lappen, were downstairs in the factory and owing to an abscence of fire-fighting apparatus, and to the fact that the building is a frame one, the flames spread so rapidly that they lost all their clothing, a gold watch and wedding ring. Fourteen cheese were also destroyed. An hour before the fire a large shipment of cheese was sent out. The loss is placed at 3,000, with $2,000 insurance.

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A rich find was mabe by a baggageman at the Windsor station, Montreal a few days ago. He had started to housclean the baggageroom when among a lot of baggage and rubbish he picked up an old bag that had been lying around unclaimed for several days. It was very shabby in appearance, though it had evidently seen better days, and tied around it was a bit of twine, the fastenings apparently not being very secure. The baggageman opened it and his astonishment may be imagined when he saw lying inside it case after case of dazzling jewels. The find was reported and the discovery made that the gems which were valued at $5,000 were the property of a wealthy English lady who with her husband had passed through Montreal a few days before on their return home to England from a trip around the world. She had reported her loss to the police on arriving in Montreal but she had no idea as to where she had the jewels

Many RECORD readers will doubtless remember the melancholy mistake a Montreal oculist made a few years ago when a young man went to consult him about a diseased eye. After careful examination it was decided that the affected eye would have to be removed in order to save the other one. The young man was given an anesthetic and the operation performed, but when he revived the awful discovery was made that his good eye had been removed and he was totally blind. His name was Thomas G Stewart and last week he graduated in law at McGill University head of his class. He owes his marvellous success to the devotion of his brother, who has been his constant companion, who read law for him, and who has part of his reward at least in coming out second in the same examinations. Each won the Wm. MacDonald scholarship, entitling them to a years residence in France.

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Presented Athletic Field To Brockville.

Brockville, May 5.—Mrs. G. T. Fulford, widow of the late Senator Fulford, purchased last week and presented to the town at the regular council meeting last night a field of ten acres to be used for athletic purposes and exercises.

The only conditions are that the property will be known as the Fulford athletic grounds, and a commission appointed by the town to maintain it. The property has been used for athletic purposes for the last thirty years, and the scene of many a hard fought condition in lacrosse and football.

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THE CITY OF KHARTUM

CAPITAL OF THE SOUDAN IS A WIDE AWAKE TOWN.

London Journalist Describes the Great City of Central Africa—Grave of Gordon.

Sidney Low, writing in the London Standard, gave the following account of the city of Khartum—the grave of Gordon—now capital of the Soudan!

Your first emotion over Khartum yields to a sentiment of surprise as you begin to look around you, a surprise abundantly justified when you recall the recent history of the place. Nine years ago, when it fell into the hands of the victors of Kerreri, Khartum was a heap of ruin and rubbish. Founded by Mehemet Ali in 1834, it had been a town of some importance and pretension as the centre of Egyptian rule in the Soudan.

UTTERLY DESTROYED.

For that reason, as soon as Mohammed Amhed, the Mahdi, got possession of the town he set about to destroy it utterly. The public buildings were burned, the private dwellings, mostly of mud, were dismantled, the inhabitants, or such of them as had escaped massacre, were commanded to transfer themselves to Omdurman, some three miles away on the opposite bank of the Nile.

This village became an immense human warren, and, under the Khalifa, it was probably the largest town, measured by population, in all Africa. Within sight of its festering alleys Khartum crumbled to dust in the sun. When Kitchener entered it, on September 3, 1898, to hold the funeral service over Gordon and hoist the Two Flags on a wrecked battlement of Gordon's palace, it was lifeless and vacant. An entirely new city had to be created.

A FAIR START.

So far this was an advantage. The builders had no hampering vestige of the past to deal with. They were not encumbered by the hopeless ground-plan of an Eastern town, nor were their efforts after light and sanitation thwarted by the existence of a nest of twisting lanes and interlocking courts. They would start fair and lay out their streets and open spaces with a mathematical symmetry for which municipal reformers at home sigh in vain. This is typical of much else in the Soudan.

Its administrators are more fortunate than those who are concerned with countries thickly grown over with the tradition and inheritance of the past, such, for instance, as India and Egypt.

War and revolution had cleared the ground for them, and they could lay their own foundation and work from them.

A GROWN-UP TOWN.

Khartum reveals the results of a bold and far-sighted ambition. Its second founders were convinced from the outset that they were the holders of no mean city. Though it is so new and young, it bears the aspect of a capital; it seems to be preparing itself for a great future.

I confess that when I considered the situation of Khartum and the swiftness with which it had sprung up out of the dust of its own decay, I expected to find it makeshift and provisional. I figured it to myself as a sort of frontier camp, or, at the best, like some of the civil stations in India, where everything has a hasty appearance, as if prepared for people who were not lifelong residents, but only temporary sojourners under alien stars.

But there is nothing of that transient feeling about Khartum; it has no rawness, despite its youth, and, though still unfinished, it has a settled air, as if it were the work of men who realized that they were planning for the future.

LIES IN DESERT.

It lies in the midst of a brown and yellow wilderness, which we do wrong to call desert, since it needs but water to reclothe it with a garment of verdure. The water is there, in the two mighty rivers—blue with the scour from the Abyssinian hills and white with the flood from the lakes of the Equator—that mingle their streams at this point.

The water is there, but it is not easy, for political and other reasons, to filter it over this thirsty land. The city of Khartum, however, is allowed to take its toll, and it shows the result in a wealth of greenery, of bloom and foliage and rustling branch, which delight the tired senses after the glare and barrenness of the long, hot journey from the north.

BEAUTIFUL PICTURE.

All along the river front and in the gardens behind it, and especially in those of the palace, the slender, willowy date palms bow their stately heads like tall young princesses, as if in acknowledgement of the nosegays of red and yellow blossoms, which the Parkinsonia, the poinsettit the mustard tree, the sisiban—the flowering thorn of the Soudan—and other lesser shrubs toss to their knees.

The streets have been planted, as I have said, with a generous amplitude, and, though there are many vacant spaces in them still, they give promise of becoming handsome boulevards with time. Already enterprising Greeks and venturous Italians have established thriving shops, which give to the main thoroughfares a busy and mercantile appearance.

RULERS WHO COURT DEATH.

Assassinated After Being Advised of Danger.

That some twenty rulers, elective as well as hereditary, have been assassinated within the past forty years, is largely due to a bravery which in some instances has closely approached foolhardiness.

The late King Carlos of Portugal, for example, knew perfectly well that a plot against his dynasty had been hatched by desperate men, who would stick at nothing to accomplish their ends. Yet he drove through the capital to his death in an open carriage, taking scarcely even the most ordinary precautions.

The unhappy Tsar Alexander of Russia, again, was warned, urged, implored even, not to venture forth on the day he was blown to pieces by a bomb. But he refused to listen; and even after the first explosion, insisted on quitting his sleigh to see to the wounded, instead of driving straight home, with the result that he met the death he might almost be said to have voluntarily sought.

Then there was the case of President McKinley, who could not be dissuaded from shaking hands with all the rag, tag, and bobtail of Buffalo, although warned by his secret police that he was risking his life in so doing. Similarly, President Carnot might be alive to-day had he followed the advice of M. Casimir-Perier, and refrained from going to Lyons on that fatal day in June, 1894.

King Humbert was warned, not once but many times, of the imminent danger he was in after the political crisis of June 18th, 1900. Yet we find him, only six weeks later, driving unescorted amongst the fanatical and turbulent populace of Monza, where he was fatally shot.

Of course, there are exceptions. King Alfonso, for instance, chose to drive to church to get married in a steel-clad bomb-proof coach. To which wise precaution is due the fact that he and his queen are alive to-day.

FROM BONNIE SCOTLAND

NOTES OF INTEREST FROM HER BANKS AND BRAES.

What is Going On in the Highlands and Lowlands of Auld Scotia.

Elgin Smallpox Hospital has now been completed. It has cost $7,250.

During the past month the customs revenue at Aberdeen amounted to $111,905.

The $10,000 necessary to establish a mining school in Cowdenheath has been secured.

Forfar Town Council, with a view to popularizing the town, have appointed a Sports Committee.

A clerk in Dundee Shore Dues Office has absconded. His defalcations are estimated at $10,000.

The Lyceum Theatre, Govan, was recently entered by burglars and about $200 in money was stolen.

Mr. J. Matheson, teacher, Claddach, Kirkabost, has been presented with a purse of sovereigns on his retiral.

About fifty men are employed doubling the North British Railway between Inverkeilor and Lunan Bay.

The Scottish Coast Mission continues to do splendid work amongst the fishing communities in Arbroath and neighborhood.

The late Dr. McBain's Inverness Gaelic Dictionary has been out of print for some time, and a new edition is to be published.

Clydebank enjoyed the sensation the other day of seeing a real live Russian baron, driving a motor car, pound into a plebeian sweeping machine.

It is stated that the late Marquis of Bute offered to restore Holyrood Chapel, but Queen Victoria disapproved of the proposed restoration.

Major Mowbray, of Otterston, has given an abatement of rent amounting from 10 to 25 per cent., to his farm tenants because of the bad harvest.

One of the licenses applied for in Glasgow this year is to empower a shop to be opened in the Gorbals for the sale of Jewish wines under Jewish laws.

Mr. W. D. Wilkinson, licensed grocer, Crossgate, Cupar, who is a deacon in St. John's U. F. Church, has surrendered his license to sell intoxicating liquors.

Sir Henry Littlejohn has been appointed consulting medical officer of health and surgeon of police in Edinburgh at his former salary of $3,750 per annum as chief.

The parish church of Eskdalemuir was recently re-opened after extensive renovation and alteration of the interior. A pipe organ was used in the service for the first time.

The sanitary inspector at Patrick has taken exception to the floors of the city's new slaughter-houses at Merklands being washed out with polluted water drawn from the Clyde.

The death at Stonehaven is announced of Captain Wm. Stephen, late of the merchant service, whose grandfather, Alex. Stephen, fought under Nelson at the battles of the Nile and Trafalgar.

Dr. Alex. Crum Brown, who is retiring from the chair of chemistry in Edinburgh, after having occupied it for 40 years, is a half-brother of the late Dr. John Brown, author of "Rab and His Friends."

The Carnegie University Trust proposes making the following grants this year: Edinburgh University, £11,600; Glasgow University, £11,100; Aberdeen University, £8,600, and St. Andrews University, £7,500.

A steamer ran ashore in Aberdeen Bay, near the mouth of the Don, the other day, and public interest was so great that the shops in the neighborhood of Donmouth were quite emptied of provisions on the Sunday by visitors to the scene.

For the third year in succession a blackbird has built its nest in a chandelier in the centre of the North Berwick Parish Church Hall. The bird flies in and out at one of the windows, and is quite undisturbed by the presense of people in the building.



ONCE, when things went by contraries,
Goblins ruled the tiny fairies,
Who were whipped by these bad elves;
O'er discolored bruises crying,
Fairies, in strange way replying,
One and all goblins defying,
Into violets changed themselves.

So that now this shrinking flower
Hides itself in leafy bower
From its foe;
And its blue and purple raiment
Warning is of future payment
For each blow.

'Fore the goblin babes went sleeping,
'Round their elders came a-peeping
In the nursery for prankings;
Entering, with evil nods,
They applied the golden-rods,
And the lady's-slipper pods
Served for spankings.

Once a goblin chef did wish
That he had a nice, big dish
For his butter;
When his eyes he lifted up,
He beheld a butter-cup
To hold butter.

An Occasion for Rejoicing

RECENTLY the usual morning exercises of a school were interrupted by a knock at the door. After reading a note which had been handed in, the principal announced that one of the teachers would be unable to be at school for several days, owing to a slight illness. Immediately two boys began to whisper. Upon asking what the trouble was, the boys said they were only talking about the selection of a hymn.

"And what would you like to sing?" said the teacher.

"'Count your blessings,'" was the quick response.

LIKE TO BE COAXED.

Some days I sit and wish that I
Were rated as a millionaire,
For then I would have coin to buy
My wife the clothes she wants to wear.

But other days I'm very glad
I have no ready coin to blow;
For every new thing she has had
She's had to love and coax me so.

Brother—"You can't think how nervous I was when I proposed." Sister—"You can't think how nervous she was until you did!"

FAREWELL, CARRIER PIGEON.

Wireless Telegraphy Has Almost Done Away With These Birds.

One result of the general introduction of wireless telegraphy, that appears to have been overlooked up till now, is the threatened uselessness of the carrier pigeon.

Just as the introduction of the railway, combined with the advent of the electric telegraph, sealed the fate of the post-horse and his rider, so has Marconi's wonderful invention largely rendered useless for most practical purposes the retention of these swiftly-flying birds, once considered so indispensable in military and naval operations especially.

The German authorities were the first to move in the matter. Then the French Government decreed that "pigeongrams" should cease henceforth to be officially recognized, both as regards the Army and the Navy. And now comes the news that the British Admiralty has decided to do away with its carrier pigeon service, so far as home stations are concerned, and that the pigeon lofts at Devenport, Portsmouth, Sheerness, and elsewhere, are to be abolished.

And this, it is to be feared, is but the beginning of the inevitable end. Even the various commercial pigeon postal services existent in various parts of the world, have been, or are being, discontinued, including the famous one established between Auckland, New Zealand, and the isolated Great Barrier Island, in the summer of 1899.

In short, the bird, considered simply as a news carrier, has had its day. It has been a long "day," however, dating back at least as far as the siege of Modena, 43 B. C., when Hirtius and Brutus kept up a reguuar correspondence by their aid.

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This is an offer which will enable anyone to keep in touch with every phase and feature of the contest during its progress to the end, so all desirous of so doing are requested to leave their order with the office of this paper, and they will receive the Mail and Empire during the above period directed by mail to their own post office.

Honor Roll.

Chesterville Public School.

Report for month of April 1908.

Number enrolled 34. Average daily attendance 31.

Form III—Blanche Baldrey, Emerson Smith, Florence Baldrey, Martha Knowland, Harry McElroy, Olive Dwyer.

Form II—Arthur McGee, Thomas Manley, Elvin Lasalle, Mabel Merkley, Lucy Moore.

Form I—Wilfrid Durant, Dan Knowland, Earl McBride, Ruth Garrow, Carl Munro.

Geo. H. Steer, principal.

Room B.

No. on roll 40. Highest daily attendance 37. Average daily attendance 37. Average daily attendance 35.

Result of the Easter Examiuations Total marks 600. Required to pass 60 per cent.—360 marks.

Sr. Class IV—Ella May McLean 479, Lottie Merkley 459, Ada Garrow 452, Ida Bell Merkley 438, Fred Lawson 420 Milfred Harper 420, Leila Merkley 410, Gladys Smith 467, Hattie Thompson 405, Louise Dauley 400, L Simser 399, Flossie Hummell 390, Gertie Fyke, 394, Alice Smith 383, George Merkley 382, Arthur Hummell 377, Madge Baldrey 375, Annie Foster 369; Edith Dauley 358, Harold Pickering 354, Wilson Smith 353; Bert Huxtable 346, Charlie Huxtable 313, Mills Foster 311, Robbie Thompson 307.

Jr. Class IV—Examinations in Grammar and Arithmetic. Total 200—60 per cent required—120 marks.

Edith Thompson 166, Iva Hamilton 152; Leila McGee 145, Howard Bogart 138, Helen Soule, 135, Clifford Hummel 127, Howard Forbes 122, Harry Rae 114, Ruth Lawson 112, Robbie Huxtable 112, Nina Merkley 101, Florence McGee 65—was absent for exam. in Grammar.

Agnes McCloskey, Teacher.

Room C.

Number on roll 44 Highest daily attendance 43. Average daily attendance 39.

III Class—Kathleen Morrison, Myrtle Bogart, Harry Smith, Merian Marcellus, Ethel Bogart, Merion Casselman Elburn Simser (equal), Pearl McLean, Ernest Carter, Sadie Marcellus (equal), Reta Pickering.

Class II—Edwin Merkley, Arlie Durant, Rene Smith, Robbie Morrison, Ross Johnston, Cline Thompson, (equal), Pearl Merkley, Mearl McLean.

Room D.

No. enrolled 48. Average attendance 39. Highest attendance 45.

Standing according to work and conduct:—

Class II—Winnie Merkley, Carl Rice, Freddie Cramer, Delbert Merkley, Zella Smith, Violet Harper.

Pt. II Class—Russell Hummell, Kenneth Garrow, Laura Marcellus, Lloyd Bolster, Ethel Spragg, Earl Robinson.

Pt. I Class (d)—Ralph Casselman, Velma Merkley, Malcolm Sauders, Olive Forbes, Mildred Smith, Julia Harper, Harold Grey, Sydney Garret.

Pt. I Class (c) Margeurite Bogart, Florence Marcellus, Kenneth Lawson, Hilda Franklin, Willie Huxtable, Mary Bylow, Harold Merkley Cornelius Fetterly.

Pt. I Class (b)—Daisy Beckstedt, Bessie Cramer, Beulah McLean, Lucy Hummell, Willie Smith.

Pt. I Class (a)—Frank Harper, George Smith, Ira Smith, Emmitt Fyke.

W Casselman, Teacher.

Chesterville Separate School.

Honor roll for April.

Part I Junior—Helen McMahon, Leone Beaucage, Gladys McMahon, Mary Masterson, Vincent Masterson.

Part II Senior—Tesfore Sovie, Frank Sovie, Moses Sovie, Marion Beaucage, Tessie McCadden.

Part Second—Helena Dwyer, Floristine Sovie, Margaret Kearns Rosella McMahon, Hilda MacMillan.

Second Class—James Masterson, Irene Pelletier, Angus Curren, Eddie Dwyer and Martin McCadden, equal; John Dwyer, Tommy Carpenter, Della Pelletier, Earnest McMillan, Tommy LaPierre Joseph Foley.

Fourth Class—Annie McCadden, Frank Dwyer, Annie LaPierre, Ella Gibbons, Genevieve Kearns, Elie D'Amour, equal; Peter O'Grady, Clare Dwyer, Leo Kearns

The best spelling for the month was done by Annie McCadden and Frank Dwyer.

Fifth Class—Kathleen McCloskey, Anna Dwyer, Teresa Masterson.

S. S. No. 8, Williamsburg.

IV Class—Ena Weegar, Ivan Barkley.

III Class—Bessie Weegar, Hattie McLean, Rubenn Weegar, Winnifred Weegar, Edith Barkley, Charlie Bowman, Clarissa Dillabough.

V Class—Max Harper, Guy Harper, Irene McLean, Gertrude Fetterly.

I Class—Lilburn Beckstead, Murray Mclean (equal).

B. O'Grady, Teacher.

S. S. No. 6. Winchester.

IV Class Sr.—Myrtle Fawcett, Ebenezer Smith, Lucy Salter, Mae Jennings.

IV Class Jr.—Stanton Helmer, Erle Helmer, Stanley Fawcett, George Cross, Bismark Fulton, Frank Cross.

III Class—Hector Salter, Erle Morell,

II Class—Mabel Fawcett, Irwin Cross. Mabel Cross, James Jennings, Herbert Cassidy, Harry Jennings.

Pt. II—Ethel Todd, Fred Fulton, Gladys Parker, Della Morell, Gertie Merkley, Alex. Lawson.

Pt. I—Leila Cross, Derry Jennings, Luva Merkley, Willa May Parker, John Salter, Pauline Hutt.

R. R. Smith, teacher.

S. S. No. 10. Winchester.

No. on roll 28. Highest daily attendance 27. Average daily attendance 24

Class IV Sr.—Fred McConnell, Ina Beckstead, Willie Hamilton.

Class IV Jr.—Lottie Smith.

Class III—Florence Bailey, Vernia Kittle, Willie Hummel, Willie Masterson.

Class II—Hulbert Cross, Mary Froats, Willie Cross, Tommy Hamilton, Percy Hummel.

Part II—Loretta Masterson, Ethelwyn Cross, Earle Froats, Bertha Hummel, Hughie Masterson, Robbie Hamilton, May Fyke, Jay Bailey.

Part I Sr.—Muriel Froats, Edward King, Asa Shey, Florence Dillabough.

Part I Jr.—Cornellius Kearns, Helen Masterson.

Elva Shaver, Teacher.

S. S. No. 11, Winchester.

Sr. Class IV—Miles Swerdferger, Ina Swerdfeger, Gertie Shaver.

Jr. Class IV—Myrtle Casselm, Agnes Coulthart.

III Class—Clifton Marcellus, Fred Dixon.

Sr. Second Class—Frank Casselman, Howard Fetterly, Laura Coulthart.

Jr. Class II—Bessie Shaver Eva Fetterly Olive Swerefeger.

Pt. II—Charlie Coulthart, Charlie Flegg, Gwendlyn Hepburn.

Pt. I Sr. Alice Coulthart, Gladys Coulthart, Alice Fetterly.

Pt. Jr.—Lloyd Whitteker, Sterling Flegg.

Jennie Smirle, Teacher.

S. S. No. 8, Winchester.

No. on roll 14. Highest daily attendance 12. Average daily attendance 9.

Sr Class III—Howard Hummel.

Sr. Class II—Nellie Shea.

Jr. Class II—Asel Merkley, Gerald Merkley.

Class I—Arthur Ball, Gladys Sullivan Melvin Hummell, Henrietta Hayes.

A more regular attendance is requested.

Muriel H. Bolster, Teacher.

S. S. No. 16, Winchester

Highest daily attendance 39. Average daily attendance 24. Standing required 60.

Arnott Johnston 86%, Delbert Dillabough 82, Bessie Servage 77, Charlie Munro 75, Grant Hodgson 67, Hattie Casselman 58, Susie Millan 56 Andrew Millan 52, Earl Munro 50.

Sr. Class II—Roy Hodgson 85%, Clifford Kendrick 74, Lillie McMillan 72, Grace Dillabough and Orlen Merkley (equal) 69, Alma Casselman 62, Maud Casselman 61, Jessie Carlyle 59.

Jr. Class II—Eva Servage, Hugh Kendrick, Ralph Munro, Malissa Coughlar Oran Wert.

Pt. II—Rae Johnston, Maymie Munro.

Alice McMillan, Tom Carlgle, Ellen Munro.

Pearl E. Beckstedt, Teacher.

S. S. No. 7, Winchester.

IV Class—Orne Carruthers, Richard Jervis, Lulu Stephenson, Blanche Countryman, Clarke Smith.

III Class—Keith Carruthers, Frank Jervis (equal)

II Class—Willie Carruthers, George Stephenson.

Pt. II Class—Arnold Kyle, Colin McGregor, Gordon Countryman, Eva Reveler (equal)

Pt I Class sr.—Minnie Coulthart, Carl Carruthers, Alfred Inman.

Jr.—John Inman.

A. B. Marcellus.

S. S. No. 5, Finch.

IV Class—Elma Jardine, Annie Montgomery, Alice Servage, Violet Poole.

III Class Sr.—Bertha Montgommery, Eddie McMahon, Katie Wert.

III Class Jr—Martha Currie, Frank Benoit, Carl Bingham, Lillus Jardine, Earl Poole, Ruby Ouderkirk.

II Class—Mary Kellog, Hazel Currie, Roy Ouderkirk, Richard Wert, Millan Ouderkirk, Nora Servage, Arthur Empey, Harold Cockburn, Clifford Coons.

Pt. 2 Class I—Earnest O'Neil.

Pt. I Class I—Mary Cockburn, Kathleen Lazoit, Harvey Ouderkirk, Earle Ouderkirk, Lucy Ouderkirk, Margaret Armstrong, Cyril Cockburn, Willis Currie, Grace Poole, Henry Ouderkirk, Cassie Ma Pherson, Henry Bazinet.

Sybil Smirle, Teacher.

Thos Dunn, a Crimean veteran who resided in Carleton Place for many years died suddenly Friday, aged 74 years.

Two Italians working on the C.P.R. construction were seriously and probably fatally injured at Winchester one night last week. About one hundred navies were returning to Chesterville in the evening on a string of nine hand-cars. They had gone but a short distance when the front car jumped the rails. Two of the men fell on the track and three cars passed over them.

REMOVE THE CAUSE.

How to Remedy Much of the Suffering in Chesterville.

There is hardly a family in Chesterville where there are not one or more members who suffer at times from the effects of a weak stomach.

It may be that this occurs only after eating some food that does not agree, or because of a supper late at night; or it may be that the stomach is so weak that scarcely any food can be eaten without pain and distress.

The only way to treat a condition of this kind successfully is with Mi-o-na. It removes the cause of indigestion, weakness of the muscles of the stomach and bowels, and restores the whole digestive system to health and strength so that it takes care of all the food that is eaten.

When the stomach is weak, indigestion is followed by flatulence, dizziness, head aches, sleeplessness and many other disagreeable symptoms. The one remedy that can be absolutely relied upon to cure this condition is Mi-o-na, for this removes the cause of the suffering, the weakness of the stomach and intestinal tract and restores health and strength so that all food is digested without pain or suffering.

Get well and strong by using Mi-o-na tablets. Take the remedy at the first symptom of indigestion, when you can be cured easily with a few doses. However, no case of stomach trouble is too severe or chronic to overcome.

Mi-o-na is sold by druggists everywhere for 50 cents, and we positively guarantee to refund your money should you purchase a box and be dissatisfied with results. Write for free sample, addressing Booth's Mi-o-na, Box 977, Buffalo, N.Y. For sale by W. G. Bolster

To Prepare Muskrat Skins.

A few suggestions regarding the proper method of preparing a muskrat skin for market may not be inappropriate at this season of the year. There are twe methods of dressing a skin, viz. stretching on rods—known as the rod rat; and stretching on shingles—known as the square rat. The majority of marketed skins now-a-days belong to the former class, though whether this is the result of custom or lack of information I cannot say. The square rat is worth more in the market than the rod rat. It is much easier mounting the square rat than the rod rat. It is an easier matter preparing the skin for the shingle than for the rod. The shingles may be used again and again whereas the rod is never suitable for a second stretching. If shingles are used will have cost you less effort; will have uniformity as to shape and size and hence will bring you more money. Then, why follow old customs when new ones are easier and more profitable?

The shin of the muskrat is to be cased, not open or flat like the coon. In preparing the skin, the first operation is removing the feet and tail, which is properly done by a sharp blow with a small handaxe. The operation of removing the pelt commences at the tail and not at the nose, as is the case with the rod rat. No slit towards nose is neccessary, merely a slit from leg to leg. The pelt peels off easily. It is much easier to skin the head this way, than commencing at the nose. The fur must be on the inside of a dressed skin, so invert the pelt and draw it on over the end of a pointed shingle. stretch it well, being careful not to have the shingle too wide as a long rat skin of medium width is preferable to a very short one of great width. By pressing a few tacks into the shingle through the top of the pelt, it will be kept firmly in position. Insert a long and narrow V shaped piece of shingle from large end of shingle to nose of the rat skin. The object of this is to prevent difficulty in removing the pelt from the shingle, when dry. By first removing the tacks and drawing out the wedge-shaped piece your rat skin will drop from the shingle and the shingle will be ready for continued use.

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Quebec Elections June 8th.

Montreal, May 4.—Le Canada, the Government organ, will announce in the morning that the Quebec provincial elections will be held on June 8, the same day as the Ontario elections.

Prescott Liberals.

At the Liberal Convention held at Alfred, yesterday, Mr. L. J. Labrosse was chosen as candidate for the county of Prescott at the next provincial elections in Ontario.

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