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Drowned at Calgary.

News reached here on Thursday last of the death by drowning of David Elias Hamilton, which event occured at Calgary, Alta., on Monday, April 6th, 1908, aged 53 years.

The deceased until a few years ago, was a resident of Goldfield, and was well known all over this section of country, especially when you say Elias as he was familiarly known by that name.

The remains were brought to his home and the funeral took place this afternoon to the Methodist church at Grantley, where services will be conducted, after which the remains will be placed in the vault.

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Received Call to Bradford.

Rev. Charles H. Cooke, late of St. Andrew's Church, Smith's Falls, has been called to the Presbyterian Church at Bradford, Ont. He has accepted and will be inducted May 7th. At present Mr. Cooke is supplying for Rev. Dr. Gordon ("Ralph Connor") at Winnipeg.

Disease Among Horses.

Owing to the prevalence of a disease among horses, known as surra, in certain countries from which importations come ro Canada, the regulations respecting animals' quarantine have been amended whereby it will be necessary to secure a departmental permit to import horses into Canada from any other country than Europe and the United States.

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Call to Rev. N. D. Keith.

Out of six candidates Rev. N. D. Keith of Wick, Ont., was chosen as the new pastor of the Prescott Presbyterian Church in succession to the late Dr. Stuart.

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ROBINSON IS REEVE.

Elected by a Majority of 25 Over Hamilton.

The bye-election for the reeveship of Chesterville was held on Tuesday of this week. It seemed to be conceded by a large number that the result would be a close one, but when the ballots were counted Robinson had 25 to play on, which we call a good majority for the number of votes polled. The weather was exquisite, and from appearances, there was good organization, especially on the part of the reeve's supporters, and it was kept up until every available vote was polled. When it is known that the returning officer was a lawyer, in the person of Mr. C. B. Rae, and that Mr. McLennan, lawyer, of Cornwall, looked after the interests of Mr. Robinson, and Mr. Palmer, lawyer, of Winchester, looked after the interests of Mr. Hamilton, it goes without saying that surely there will be no cause for complaint as to the result. When the result was announced Mr. Robinson was proclaimed elected by a majority of 25 votes, the polling being 120 for Robinson and 95 for Hamilton.

We are informed that before leaving the hall Mr Hamilton, in a few remarks, heartily thanked the ratepayers for their support in the election contest.

Since the election held in January many things has transpired, which has seemed to cause many harsh words and rather hard feelings with some people, but we would suggest for the benefit of our town, now that the contest is over, to bury the doings of the past and work in harmony. No town can make headway where such exists, and we believe when the Condensing Company gets running in full blast (i. e) from reports, and Berry & Wood get their sash and door factory in operation, and we have electric lights, and also the proposed electric railroad from Morrisburg to Ottawa, we will have reason to be proud of Chesterville. We have a good town, good country and excellent people, and all that is required, as stated before, is to work in harmony to make Chesterville a town of importance. Surely in municipal contests politics, faith and graft should never figure.

Now that Mr. Robinson is elected reeve, our earnest wish is that every person, in whose power it remains, will be free and willing to assist in the furtherance of Chesterville's interests.

P. S.—We stop the press to say that Mr. C. B. Rae informs us that everything in the polling booth was regular, and at the close of the day's proceedings, it was moved by Mr. Palmer and seconded by Mr. McLennan, that a vote of thanks be tendered Mr. C. B. Rae, for the capable manner in which he transacted affairs relative to the position of returning officer, and in which all present coincided.

By mutual agreement all places of business in Chesterville will be closed on Easter Monday, April 20th, and will be open Good Friday.

Five Days Convention.

There will be a five day Holiness Convention opening this Thursday morning at 10 o'clock in the Holiness Movement Chapel at Smith's Falls. The services will be in charge of R. C. Horner, assisted by J. G. Nussey, of Kingston, John Jarvis of Bishop's Mills, G. L. Ralph of Watertown, N.Y.

The quiet fidelity which a woman will dishwash her life away for her husband and children is a marvel of endurance. Here is the servitude of woman heaviest, no sooner is her work done than it requires to be done again. Men take jobs, work on them, finish them, and they are over for good and all. The prospect of ending them and drawing pay for the labor is alluring, but no such allurements are held out for the wife. She washes Monday after Monday the same garments until there is nothing more of them to wash; then they are replaced by others of new material just like them, and the rubbing and ringing goes on forever. She mends the stockings with tireless fidelity the same holes meeting her gaze week after week, for if there is a 'darned' place in a sock 'he' invariably puts his toe through it. Every morning the rooms are made up, only to be in the wildest disorder by the time night falls. There are no jobs, each one different, no terms, no pay. The same socks, the same washing, the same room every time.

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A Freak of Nature.

During election day many people in town had an opportunity of witnessing a great freak of nature in the form of a two-headed calf with two distinct bodies and stubs of tails joined, and with but four feet. The curiosity was sent here from Merrickville to Mr. Frean Hummell, taxidermist, who has done a splendid job under the circumstances, there being deficient some parts of the calf, which he had to supply. Frean said, in his jocular way, "I expect some of these times they will only send me the horns and expect me to return them a deer head."

The Intermediate and Junior Leagues will give a "Bird Social" on Friday evening April 24th., in the Town Hall. Refreshments served. Admission 15 cts. or two tickets for 25cts.

The Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner's Report.

The annual report of J. A. Ruddick, Dominion Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner, has just come to hand in a volume of 174 pages. It deals with the work of four important divisions of the Department of Agriculture, namely dairying, fruit, extension of markets and cold storage, is well illustrated with half tones, and contains maps showing the various fruit growing districts of the Dominion.

In the section devoted to dairying, the commissioner reviews the dairy industry and gives some interesting figures bearing on the trade. A large amount of space is devoted to a complete report of the Cow Testing Associations. A review of the apple industry of Canada by Mr. McNeill is a feature of the section devoted to Fruit, and the working of the Fruit Marks Act is dealt with at some length.

The methods which are employed to improve the handling of perishable products receive considerable attention, and the report shows what is being done along this line.

Under the head of cold storage the various services are described and some general information on the subject is also given.

There has been prepared along with this report, but published separately, a map showing the approximate location of all the cheese factories and creameries in Canada. The report makes interesting and instructive reading for any person connected with the industries touched upon. Copies may be secured by the Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner, Ottawa.

Jas. McCloskey Dead.

The death of James McCloskey occurred at his residence at Limerick (near Chesterville) on Thursday, April 9th, 1908, after an illness of eight months, six of which he was confined to his bed, and the cause of death was cancer. He was born at Chesterville and was a son of the late John McCloskey and at the time of death was 63 years of age. He leaves to mourn his demise a widow, three sons and two daughters, viz.: John Patrick and James Vincent McCloskey at home, Michael Frances of Chicago, and Mrs. Geo. Allan and Mary at home. Also five brothers and three sisters living being Michael, Patrick, John, Francis Thos. and Ann, Mrs. Moriarty, Mrs. Alf McDonald of St. Paul, all of which were presnt at the funeral except Michael Francis of Chicago and Mrs. McDonald of St. Paul.

The funeral took place on Saturday forenoon to St. Mary's church, where requiem high mass was celebrated by his pastor J. P. Fleming P. P., after which interment was made in the M'Mahon burying ground.

The pall-bearers were his six brothin-laws, viz.; M. E. Curran, James Shannon, Timothy Moriarity, John M. McMahon, Michael M. McMahon, Patrick Allan.

Mr. A. M. Jones, C.E, who has been resident engineer of the C.P.R. at Smith's Falls for the past two years, has been transferred to Ottawa and has left with his family for that place. He will be succeeded by Mr. Barber, of Ottawa.

Small-pox Stamped out.

Brockville is once more free of small-pox. The last patient was released from quarantine Tuesday. Since December 18, seventy-nine cases have been treated without a single death. The epidemic burdened the municipality to the amount of nearly $7,000.

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New Railway.

The charter for the proposed electric railway from Brockville to Ottawa has been amended. It now covers a line starting from Morrisburg, passing through intervening points to Winchester and ending at Ormond, with power to construct a branch line to Chesterville and Morewood. The work of construction it is said will commence at once.—Smith's Falls Record.

We have on hand, the following brands of flour: Five Rose, Quaker, Patent Hungarian. Also an unlimited supply [illegible] Shorts, Middlings and Banner Feed. Fulton Bros. Chesterville.

Fire at Dunbar.

The residence of Mr. Wm. Irving, a farmer, who lives near Dunbar, was burned to the ground on Friday morning last. The fire was not noticed until all the upper storey was ablaze, and with the assistance of friends, some of the effects of down stairs were saved. The fire is supposed to be caused by defective pipes. A small insurance was carried. While removing the range Mr. Irving was unfornate in having one of his hands badly burned.

Cheese Factory Burned this Morning.

About 2 o'clock this morning the cheese factory of Mulloy & Gannon, situated just south of the village, was burned to the ground. Both the proprietors were asleep in the factory and the fire got great headway before it was discoved. If it had not been for Mr. Mulloy the other proprietor might have been burned. The fire is supposed to have originated from the stove in the residence. The factory is fairly well insured.

Eastern Ontario Cheese Instructor.

The following are the appointments of cheese instructors for Eastern Ontario:

A. H. Wilson, Athens; D. J. Cameron, Campbellcroft; R. W. Ward, Foxboro; R. T. Grey, Campbellcroft; J. B. Lowery, Frankford; H. E. Bruntnell, Kingston; H. Howey, Belleville; Geo. H. Bensby, Napanee; S. S. Cheetham, Gananoque; J. Buro, Mille Roches; O. W. Norval, Northwilliamsburg; A. McDonnell, Alexandria; I. Villeneuve, Casselman; J. Charbonneau, Plantagenet; R. Elliott, Carp; W. W. Dool, Ottawa; W. J. Ragsdale, Smith's Falls; C. B. Larry, Finch; W. G. Garginer, Easton's Corners. J. H. Echlin, Balderson; H. Nolan, Philipsville, W. G. Graham, Vankleek Hill; T. J. Ellis, Chesterville; T. E. Whattam, Picton.

MARRIED.

GOODRICH—ROMBOUGH—At the manse, Chesterville, on April 1st 1908, by the Rev. W. F Crawford, Leroy Goodrich of Ottawa, to Aarbella Rombough of Finch.

DIED.

PARTLOW—At Oswegatchie, N.Y., on Monday, April 6th, 1908, Lucy, wife of Mr. Geo. Partlow.

FUSEE—At Avonmore, on April 8, 1908, Jacob Fusee, aged 78 years.

FLANAGAN—At Avonmore, on April 8, 1908, Stephen Flanagan, aged 78 years.

GALLINGER—Accidently killed, near La Tuqud, Que., on March 27, 1908, Nelson Gallinger, formerly of Cornwall, and son of the late Wm. Gallinger of Gallingertown, aged 51 years.

HAMILTON—Drowned, at Calgary, Alta. on April 6, 1908, D. E. Hamilton, late of Goldfield, Ont.

OLD CIRCUS MAN'S STORY

A REVELATION WHEN THEY GOT INTO WINTER QUARTERS.

Tells About the Great Giant's Singing Voice and How It Hit the People.

"A very curious thing about the greatest of all giants," said the old circus man, "was the difference between his speaking and his singing voice.

"His speaking voice was that of a man of ordinary stature; his singing voice was in keeping with his own gigantic size. And we never discovered this ourselves until he had been with us for some months, not in fact till the end of his first season with us, when we'd gone into winter quarters.

"We were sitting, the old man, the giant and myself, in a room that we had fixed up for the giant by taking out a second story floor and so carrying a ground floor room up through two stories to give the giant head room—sitting there one evening about a couple of days after we'd come in from the road, and pretty soon we heard the cook, over in the kitchen at the other end of the house, humming a tune; and then the first thing you know we heard the giant singing it. And singing? Why, you never heard anything like it; and nobody would have believed, if he hadn't heard it, that anybody could have such a voice.

"For comparison it was like the roar of Niagara compared to the sound of a little waterfall over a stone in a brook. Sound? Why, I thought it was going to make the walls bulge and

BLOW OUT THE WINDOWS.

"And it wasn't a harsh, rough voice, you understand, either, it was a good, smooth voice; not the most beautiful voice you ever heard, but still a smooth, round, deep voice of the most amazing volume, vastly greater than anything you had ever dreamed of in a human voice, and it made the old man and me sit up in wonder.

"And when the giant stopped we found the whole circus was standing around outside the headquarters building—animal men, canvas men, drivers, the whole outfit had come up to hear the giant sing, and these were men you know, accustomed to strange things. We had eighty-odd acres in our reservation, but you could hear the giant's voice in the furthest corner of it, and I didn't know then how much further beyond; and at the first note of it men had stopped their work and then they had all come to listen.

"Well, it was a revelation to us to be sure; and of course the old man set about to turn it to account, as he did everything; the old man never let anything get by him. But we had some things to attend to about the voice that winter.

"As I was saying to you, you could hear the [illegible] all over the reservation, [illegible] I don't know how far beyond; but we soon found out about that. The village was only about three-quarters of a mile away, and on still nights and when the wind was right you could hear his singing then plainly; and it didn't exactly scare the people; they all knew the giant and they all liked him, but they all went to bed early, and

THAT WONDERFUL SOUND

coming to them after they had gone to bed did disturb 'em somewhat. And so the old man got the giant not to sing after 9 o'clock at night; and that winter he had him practise up on a number of songs, which, of course, he was going to have the giant sing under canvas in our next season on the road.

"In those days, you know, we used to give a concert after the show; send around men before the last act selling tickets for this concert; and then when the show was over people that hadn't bought tickets would pass out, and those that had would stay to the concert, and sometimes half the people would stay, or maybe only a quarter of 'em; but whatever we got that way was velvet, and what the old man was going to do was to substitute for the music and singing we used to give in that concert singing by the giant. And he didn't miscalculate, for the first time the giant sang everybody stayed from curiosity, and after that they all stayed, everywhere, because they wanted to.

"We used to stand the giant up on a platform built around the centre pole, with the band around him, where they was plenty of room for him and where everybody could see him. And the band would play a tune through, and then a flourish or two, and then the giant would sing, with the band accompanying him.

"And he'd get the people from the first note. It was a wonder just to see him standing there, but it was a far greater wonder to hear him sing. He didn't make fun of it, you understand; he took his singing seriously, and so did the people, for

SO TREMENDOUS A VOICE

had never been heard before, but it was not unmusical, and altogether it came pretty close to being awe inspiring.

"You see, the giant was by far the greatest man ever seen, but his voice was far greater still. Great as he was, the giant was yet a man like ourselves, in human form, but his voice seemed something more than human, and it is an interesting fact that in all the concerts the great giant gave he was never once encored. People were drawn as by a fascination to hear him sing, we played to capacity from the beginning, there never were before or since such circus concerts, but there was something about this colossal, stupendous, reverberating voice that, as I said, was more than human; and while it didn't exactly scare 'em, any more than it did those folks living out there by our winter quarters, yet one song was all they wanted.

"And it sure was wonderful. As I look back at the great giant, great as he actually was, he looms up to me now greater than ever; he was a wonder in many ways, but I guess the most wonderful thing of all about him was his singing voice."

HANGING PICTURES DANGEROUS

"Railroad casualties receive such wide publicity," says an insurance man, "that there is a common belief on the part of the public that one is more liable to accidents while travelling than when living the simple life in the confines of his home. "As a matter of cold fact, statistics show that accident insurance companies pay more losses to people who get injured in their own homes or on their premises than they do to people hurt in railway accidents. Insurance companies pay more money to people who get hurt hanging pictures or taking stoves apart than they do to the victims of head-on collisions. It sounds strange, but it's the truth."

No. Alonzo, family jars are not used for preserving domestic peace.

FROM BONNIE SCOTLAND

NOTES OF INTEREST FROM HER BANKS AND BRAES.

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

An epidemic of scarlet fever is raging at Dounne.

At Perth the price of coal has been reduced to 1d. per cwt.

Grouse moors in north Perthshire are said to be in good demand.

It is alleged that the poisoning of pet dogs is prevalent in one district of Edinburgh just now.

A child eight months old at Falkirk was drowned by falling from its cradle into a pail of water.

A generous response has been made to the appeal for funds for the relief of the unemployed in Ayr.

Leith is getting a much desired improvement—a lane between Dudley avenue and North Fort street.

A fine vein of copper ore has been struck near Glenluce, and mining is expected to be fairly brisk there.

During the year the Govan crops of the Salvation Army Poor Children's Breakfast fund have supplied 15,000 meals.

Influenza is rampant in Stirlingshire and the impression is that this has been the most trying season experienced in years.

On the farm of Crossburn, near Troon, tenanted by Mr. David Stevenson, a Leicester ewe gave birth to four healthy lambs.

Ailsa Shipbuilding Company's Ayr employes have agreed to contribute 4d. per month per man in aid of the Ary Hospital.

The caretaker of Burns Mausoleum, Dumfries, wants an increase of salary. He says: "Last year there were over 6,000 visitors, but few tips."

Galashiels Savings Bank celebrates its jubilee this year. It was formed in 1858 and only one of the promoters, Mr. A. L. Cochrane, is alive.

Rapid progress is being made with the arrangements for the new Dundee electric station, and contracts to the amount of $105,000 have been placed.

Arrangements are being made with a view to having women students placed on the same footing as male students in the Edinburgh School of Medicine.

It was reported to the Edinburgh Public Health Committee on a recent Tuesday that a man had been admitted to the Edinburgh Royal Infirmary suffering from glanders.

At Coatbridge Dean of Guild Court last week plans were passed for a new higher-grade school to be erected in Albert street, Coatbridge, at an estimated cost of $80,000.

Mr. John Stewart Clark has subscribed $10,000, and Mr. James Coats $5,000 to the fund of the U. P. Church for the building of churches and manses in the Highlands.

The County Council of Mid-Lothian are taking action in regard to the alleged pollution of Cobbinshaw Loch, due, it is said, to pumpings and coal washings from a neighboring pit.

Farmers in the Lothians report that much of the land is sodden and unworkable, and they are afraid that the recent stormy weather will make seed time much later than was expected.

At Maryhill the other day a cashier returning from the bank was knocked down and robbed of a bag containing the men's wages. In the hot pursuit he dropped the bag but got off himself.

David Tyson, 60, miner, Lennoxtown, committed suicide in his house in Main street recently by placing a gelignite cartridge on his head and exploding it. He had been out of work for some time, and suffered from depression.

GOLD STOLEN BY MINERS.

A Form of Theft Practised Everywhere Plundering in Siberia.

Statisticans compile tables of the world's production of gold yearly, but all admit that it is impossible to give accurate figures because not a little of the metal is stolen and never figures in the returns of production. In a country like China, where the industry of gold mining is poorly organized and controlled, this source of error in the returns of output is very important.

Prof. de Launay in his recent book on gold says that the gold industry in no country escapes the evil of thievery. Gold stealing goes on everywhere, but the extent of the evil varies according to the country and the efficiency of the supervision over miners.

Gold from its nature is easy to steal and to sell. In the Transvaal it is estimated that from 5 to 10 per cent. of all the gold extracted from the ores of the Witwatersrand are stolen.

The gold thief is able to steal on a larger scale in such a country as Siberia, where the miners are more isolated and corruption is more common. There the thieves even venture to tamper sometimes with work superintendents who for a share of the pickings will give favorable opportunities for stealing. According to Mr. Levat's statements in his book on gold mining in eastern Siberia, the quantity of gold stolen from Siberian mines is not less than 20 per cent. of the entire output.

In 1896 4,000 adventurers drove the mining companies and their employees from the gold district of the Zeya River and washed out a large amount of gold before they finally fled on the approach of a regiment of Cossacks. Not a particle of the gold they mined has been included in the figures of production.

It was found also in 1890 that gold mining along the border between French Guiana and Brazil, where the placers were remarkably rich, had been carried on for several years without any supervision whatever, and not an ounce of the gold was included in the statistics.

MADE BOWS OF HORN

WEAPONS OF THE NORTH AMERICAN INDIANS.

Wood Not the Only Substance Used—Bone and Deer Horn Also Figured.

The bows of the North American Indians were made of wood, bone or horn. Sometimes the bow was made of a single piece of wood, sometimes of several pieces; perhaps it was of wood alone, or it might be backed by sinew or by the skin of some animal, according to Forest and Stream. The material for the weapon was gathered whenever it was possible, and a man might have in his lodge a number of sticks each of which he intended ultimately to fashion into a bow, or, if he did not live long enough for this the bow would descend to his heirs. As the most important implement of hunter or warrior, the bow was highly valued.

Bows of bone were made sometimes of sections of the rib of large animals, spliced and glued together, and were usually backed by sinew. Those of the antler of the elk were sometimes in a single piece and at other times in sections, bevelled at the ends and neatly glued and spliced. Bows of horn were often made of several pieces similarly glued and spliced, but the horns of the mountain sheep were sometimes cut into long slender rods, which were laid together, glued, and backed by sinew.

SHEEP HORN BOWS.

Another type of sheep horn bow was in a single piece, the horn being cut in a spiral from base of horn to point, this spiral being steamed or boiled and then straightened and caused to dry straight. Bows such as these were unusual, but they were also very powerful and never wore out. On the other hand, it is said that bows made of bone or of antler were more for show than for use. They were good to look at, and for a time were effective, but after a few years became dry and brittle.

Next to the bow, and, in fact, so much a part of it that it cannot be separated from it, is the arrow, a complex implement the development of which we may imagine to have been very slow and which no doubt was well advanced toward its present form before the bow was thought of. We may fancy the arrow to be the outgrowth of a simple stabbing instrument, which developed into a dart to be thrown, similar to certain toys still in use among the children of our plains Indians.

MAKING THE ARROW.

The arrow consisted of three essential parts, the head, the shaft and the feathers. Sometimes the shaft was compound, consisting of more than one piece of wood. The primitive head was very varied. The feathering is comparatively a modern invention, so much so that to-day traditions exist as to its development and the various steps toward the improved feathering of modern times are given.

Even within the last forty or fifty years the children among our wilder tribes have employed very primitive forms of arrows, using in their hunting of little birds arrows without heads and having merely a sharpened, fire-hardened point; arrows without feathers, and again, arrows feathered after an earlier method, of which, as practised by adults, we know only by tradition.

The bowstring was usually made of twisted sinew, sometimes put on the bow green and allowed to dry there. In the south-west, however, the string was sometimes made of vegetable fibre. In other sections it might be made of strips of raw hide or intestines of animals.

SAYINGS OF GREAT MEN.

Virtue is the first quality to be considered in the choice of a friend.—Johnson.

The people who suffer most are always those who have a sense of justice —John Oliver Hobbes.

Man fails to make his place good in the world unless he adds something to the comman wealth.—Emerson.

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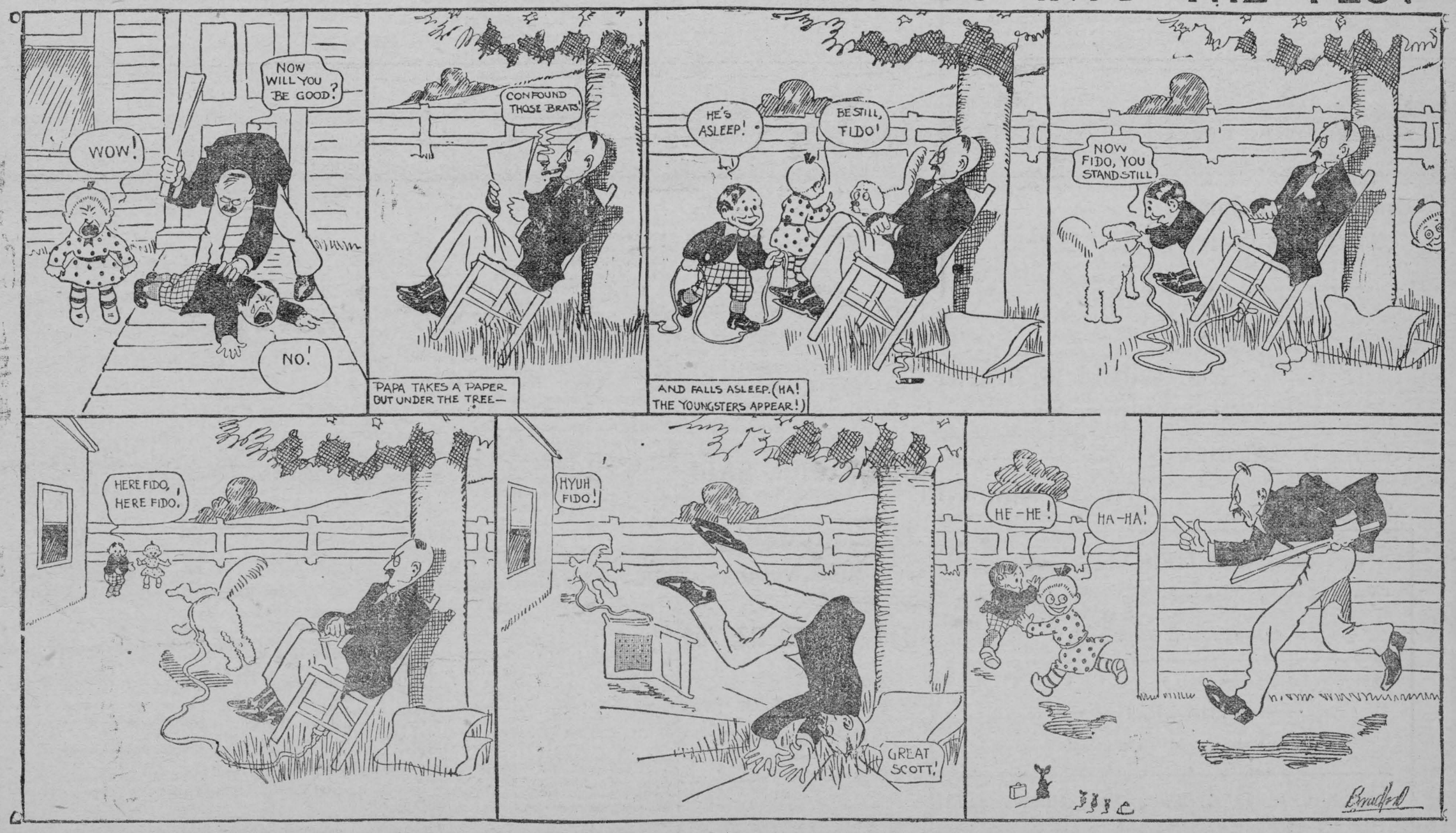
After scraping some acquaintances a man is anxious to cut them.

THE GETEVEN YOUNGSTERS TAKE FIDO INTO THE PLOT



A SHADOWED PATH;

Or, The Curse Of The Family

CHAPTER X.—(Continued).

It was all in vain Miss Ridsdale tried to comfort her, it was to no purpose she strove to turn Judith's mind from the one all-absorbing subject; she could not give the girl a draught from Lethe; she was powerless to guide her to the waters of obliviin.

"If you could get her to take an interest in anything," suggested the doctor.

"I cannot," replied Miss Ridsdale, "and yet I am sure there is something which would rouse her, if I could only find out what it is. Another heavy trouble, for instance——"

"Might serve as a counter-irritant, certainly," finished the doctor, despondingly, for he thought the remedy rather a severe one, and besides he knew that troubles to be heavy must be real—and even supposing a fresh grief were sure to prove successful, who was to manufacture it?

He saw a point indeed from whence the storm might come; a spot where, sooner or later, it was sure to burst; but he dreaded the consequences of that trial, and tried to keep knowledge of its approach from Judith Renelle.

"Aunt," said the girl, listlessly, one autumn day, when the purple heather was blooming over the spot where Marcus had fallen asleep for ever, and the fresh September wind was fanning her cheek as she stood near the open window of Miss Renelle's sitting-room —"Aunt, what are you writing?"

"Stories," answered the other briefly.

"Yes, I know that," answered Judith; "but why so eternally?"

"Because money is very scarce," explained her aunt, pausing in her occupation, and looking earnestly in the face of her questioner—"because my dead sister's husband, and my dead sister's children have need of all the little I can make."

"Have we?" asked Judith, and for once her tone had a touch of human interest in it. "How is that?"

"Shall I tell you," said the lady, "all the truth?"

And Judith answered, "Yes."

"Well, then, my child, your father is almost beggared; that coal mine has proved a myth—nobody will help him to look for what nobody can find; his money is gone, and his credit likewise. Mr. Mazingford has a mortgage over Llandyl Hall; and very often lately—very often indeed, Judith, your father has been literally without a sixpence."

"Poor papa! and he so fond of it," said the girl; and with this slight mention of his love of money, and trifling amount of sympathy for his disappointment, she apparently dismissed the subject from her consideration, and relapsed into silence.

Miss Ridsdale sat contemplating her for a few minutes, and then, with a heavy sigh, resumed her occupation.

After a long pause, however, Judith came over to the table and took up a pen.

"I wonder if I could write too," she said; "is it hard?"

"Will you copy for me " cried her aunt, eagerly catching at the idea of an employment for her, no matter how trivial. "I want this to go by to-morrow's post, will you copy it for me?"

"No," replied Judith, "I won't copy—I'll write. What shall it be about?"

She sat there for an hour answering the question on paper; but then she said she got tired, and tearing her work up, left the room. Miss Ridsdale pieced the fragments together, after her departure, and read that first vague effort through. She could make nothing out of it. Perhaps the girl had talent, or perhaps she had none; the brief production did not resemble that of a boarding-school miss, or of a well-informed woman of moderate ability; it was more like the disjointed labors of a lunatic—an unconnected, crude collection of words, apparently with some meaning in them, which, however, even their author barely comprehended. There was genius in that bald, unfinished sketch, though, could Miss Ridsdale have discovered it—genius which only wanted wakening to the resistless; which only required cultivation and clothing to be universally recognized.

It was the thing men call chance which made an authoress out of Judith Renelle; the train had been laid by nature years previously, but the want of money proved the match thereto, and once ignited, it burned steadily on, till the lamp of genius was quenched in the night of death for ever.

The girl felt the fire within her, and was as impotent to forget its existence or to extinguish its blaze, as she seemed to rule the wayward destiny that had been given unto her as an inheritance.

But for nearly a couple of months, Miss Ridsdale heard no more of Judith's literary efforts; the energy of the girl's character, which had previously been demonstrative, was now silent and secret as the grave. Work having ceased to be a pastime or a recreation, had become an earnest labor—a thing not to be carried about, and exhibited, but to be ceaselessly brooded over, and performed.

Quietly but incessantly the steady hand pursued its labors over sheets of paper, through bottles of ink—slowly and wearily, for the knack of composition did not lie in Judith's fingers; it abode in her brain, and for want of practice she had trouble in drawing it thence down to the tip of her pen. It was easier for her to think than say. She started in the race of authorship without a minute's preparation for the task; she scarcely understood what she had to do, till she was in the midst of the fray, trying to fight it out as bravely as the rest.

She pursued that as she had never pursued aught else—not for love of itself truly, but for love of what it could, of what it did bring.

For the money it might win, not for her, but for those dear to her—for the relief it gave to an aching heart, which was forced to turn from the past, when so fully occupied in the present. If authorship serve no other good, it achieves that of taking a man, for a period, out of himself; but for it, many a heart had broken, many a brain reeled, ere now.

So Judith found, at all events. For the first time since her illness, she discovered something which employed mind and fingers at the same time; something which turned her thoughts out of the old beaten track, and gave her an object in life beyond brooding over a fearful tragedy—an irreparable misfortune.

For, like all who ever attain to any success worth possessing, Judith found the first part of her road rough and stony. She, in common with most other young authors, though she had nothing to do save write and be paid; but she soon found out her mistake. Her first rejection revealed the delusion to her; that refusal proceeded from the gracious pen of Mr. Kearn, at that period editor of The British Lion; subsequently, editor and proprietor. Mr. Kearn was one of those wolves in sheep's clothing who go about the world lacerating the hearts of tender young authors, with an indescribable show of kindness and painful adherence to truth.

He had published two or three books himself, and made thereby a certain reputation, which he traded on ever after. He criticized so freely, that people took his word for law; while Mr. Kearn himself felt he was the highest tribunal, from which there could be no appeal. If an author succeeded, Mr. Kearn's "hints" were, of course, the basis of his success. If an author failed, he had either neglected Mr. Kearn's timely counsels, or else forgotten Mr. Kearn's advice to him to abandon literature altogether. And, accordingly, in a letter which covered two-and-a-half sides of a sheet of letter-paper, Mr. Kearn conveyed his criticisms and warnings to Miss Renelle, and then he advised her never to write another line; after which pleasant commencement, he minutely analyzed the contents of her MS., and laid its faults out in the daylight, before the eyes of his lady correspondent.

Judith read the precious epistle through, from beginning to end. Standing before the fire in her aunt's sitting-room, she perused every word of Mr. Kearn's valuable advice—and then, very scornfully, flung the letter on the top of the blazing coals, and walked out of the apartment.

The change which that annoyance wrought on Judith was surprising; Mr. Kearn seemed to have put a blister on her spirit. In place of following his admirable counsel, she recommenced work with greater energy than ever, proving conclusively, to her aunt's satisfaction, that there is nothing so good for grief as a counter-irritant—nothing so great a stimulant to exertion as a little wholesome opposition. And accordingly, Judith, with a spice of her former contrary disposition, gave herself up to writing altogether. She neglected other duties, to attend to that which was less a duty than a relief. Morning, noon, and night, she sat with a pen in her hand, trying to prove Mr. Kearn wrong and to produce something which the publishers would buy.

All in vain. She wrote to the first houses in London, and received no answers—then to various journals, which declined her communications, with thanks.

The worst part of the business was, that Miss Ridsdale, fearful of raising false hopes, and really not able to discover any particular talent, dared not encourage the girl. Since her recovery to bodily health, Judith, once so thoughtful for others, had seemed to forget every one save herself. Great sorrow is always selfish for a time; and her time had now been a long one. Miss Ridsdale did not like every duty being performed on compulsion.

"Judith," she said, one winter's day, "do you know, I think you ought to go out with your father a little more; he has grown so frail lately, and he seems so lonely without you."

Her auditor looked up, hastily—

"I—I cannot bear to go out," she answered; "it hurts me to look on those dreadful hills; and then, besides, I have nothing to say to papa now, not a word."

"Don't you think you could find something, if you tried, Judith? You used to be able to amuse and interest him, when no other person could."

"Yes, but that was a long time ago; everything is changed now. I am not what I was once; everything is altered since then—and so am I."

"Still, you might try to make him a little happier; in fact, you ought to do it. I never saw any one so utterly broken down."

"Yes," interrupted Judith; "but when I can give him money, he will get better; it is that which is oppressing him. Whenever I make enough to relieve his difficulties, you will see him a changed being."

"But you may never make a shilling," returned her aunt; "and, in the meantime, you are neglecting him. Besides it is not merely money which is fretting Mr. Renelle—your illness, and consequent anxiety shattered his health completely; and then the species of estrangement which has come between you and him."

"What estrangement?" asked Judith. "I love him as much or more than ever I did—indeed, indeed, I do, aunt."

"Perhaps so, indeed I am sure so; but people like a little evidence of the feeling. In days gone by, you and he were always together; and what are you now?"

"I am trying to be his assistant," answered Judith, earnestly; and the reply was true, so far as it went.

"Very possibly," returned Miss Ridsdale; "but why not combine all characters in one? why neglect the great good of the present, for the sake of a future which may never come?"

"I will go and walk with him now," said Judith, rising, for she was one of those rare mortals who would listen to the voice of reason, let her tones sound as harsh as they would; and, accordingly, she went away down the stairs, and into the dining-room; and, with something of her old manner, only softened and saddened, she asked her father to come out with her. She tried to talk to him, to make amends for their long alienation; with a very penitent heart, she saw how the old man's eyes brightened when she entered the room; how closely he clung to her during their ramble.

"Father," she said, when they got back to the dining-room fire, and she had set him in his old seat once more, "father, although we have been very unhappy of late, we don't love one another less than ever we did—do we?"

She had crouched down on her knees as she asked the question, and twined her arms about his neck, for the busy conscience was at work again, reproaching her with want of thought for him. "Do we?" she softly, repeated, as she drew the furrowed cheek nearer, and kissed first it, and then the tears, which came slowly trickling from the old man's eyes—kissed the drops away, one by one; after which, she pillowed her father's head on her shoulder, and stroked his grey hair with a tender, caressing hand.

From that hour Judith Renelle turned over a different leaf in her life's story. She took counsel boldly with her own heart and her own soul, and found each had a word to say to her of reproach and warning. Happiness for herself, she discovered, was a thing not to be—that is, the happiness of old; peace and tranquility she likewise fancied had passed away for ever; but she also saw she had sacrificed others on this shrine of her own sorrow—that she had done wrong.

Upon which discovery, the girl-woman made a solemn vow, that from that day forth she would carry her heavy burden in silence, and live to lighten others' grief, rather than indulge her own. She thought if Marcus were living it was the path he would bid her pursue; and every pang she inflicted on her own spirit during the course of that self-imposed path of duty, she looked on as a kind of punishment for her share in the Christmas night's tragedy; next her heart she wore the hair-cloth, with the ardor and the constancy of a devotee. Always brave and strong, she persevered in the course she had chosen, and thenceforth Mr. Renelle never walked alone, nor was Lillian's comfort neglected; and Miss Ridsdale, finding her niece so nobly battling against the inherent selfishness of human nature, wondered if brighter days would not dawn for the girl—if her future might not still be a peaceful one?

CHAPTER XI.

When Judith Renelle, after so long a period of mourning, cast off the sackcloth and ashes she had carried about for such a period as the outward signs and tokens of her grief—when, in plainer English, she began to attend to her father again, and look after Lillian, and mend her own clothes, and take a sort of routine interest in household affairs; when, like one suddenly aroused from a useless dream, she weakened, at last, to life, and the cares, and the duties thereof, Mr. Mazingford came to the conclusion that she had indulged her sorrow for an old lover long enough and that she ought to be ready to listen to a new one.

"Even had they been married," he soliloquized, "she would only have required a year to get over the thing; but, Heaven be praised! it never came to that—and yet, still, I don't know if a widow might not have been better than a girl crossed in love. I do not care for widows, though. Having tried one of the species already, should prefer a variety!" and as, in any case, Judith Renelle could not be made a widow of now, he determined to transform her into a wife, as speedily as might be.

For he was in love with her, and he would have done almost anything to get her to marry him. Her beauty was, perhaps, greater than ever. Her bearing was more calm, collected, and dignified; trouble had deepened the stream of her mind, and smoothed the ripples on the surface; and last, though certainly not least, there was a certain repulsion, so constantly apparent towards him, that Mr. Mazingford's pique was aroused sufficiently to make him swear, willing or unwilling, she should wed him. If all these were not reasons enough to induce him to bring matters to a point, another might have been found in the fact that Lewis Mazingford had set his heart on having Judith for a wife long before; and Lewis Mazingford was never known to set his heart on anything for nought. It remained to be seen, therefore, which, Judith or he, would get the best of the fight—for it was now almost a pitched battle between them—she offering hatred of Mr. Mazingford to the manes of Marcus Lansing—he, outwardly, all smoothness and kindness, bringing other influences to bear upon her, of which she was happily ignorant.

Money, or rather the want of it—that was the screw Mr. Mazingford believed would bring the proud beauty to his feet. He longed to conquer her, to make her feel he was conferring a favor on her by giving her his name. With feverish desire he panted for that triumph, and the minute he saw her old love for her father reviving in her heart, he fancied her vulnerable point might be touched, and commenced operations forthwith.

There had been a coolness in Mr. Renelle's manner towards him for a long time previously; ever since, in fact, the failure of the coal-mine scheme; a coolness such as invariably ensues, after a certain period, between borrower and lender—recipient and patron. There was no absolute quarrel, it is true. Mr. Mazingford came to the house just as freely as formerly—perhaps, indeed, a little more freely, for he looked upon it now as his own; and Mr. Renelle always received him with a show of welcome; but still, since Marcus Lansing's death, and the bursting of the coal-mine bubble, a great gulf had opened between the pair, which the owner of Wavour Hall tried in vain to span.

(To be Continued.)

RUSSIAN WINTER SCENES

THE AWFUL STILLNESS OF THE OPEN COUNTRY.

An English Correspondent Gives His Experience of Russia in Winter Time.

Next to a glance around the horizon from the deck of a ship in midocean, I know no sight so awe inspiring as that of Russia's winter scenery. We tramped boldly down the long avenues of the park, skirted the wood beyond and came out upon the fields. There was no moon and very few stars visible; yet it was not dark; the path underfoot could be clearly read by bending down, writes Victor E. Marsden in the London Evening Standard, but we knew better than to venture far into the illimitable unknown.

Looking forward into the white expanse with never a landmark visible as far as the eye could reach even in daytime, one could compare his position only to that of being adrift in a cockboat in midocean. There is a fascination of horror about the great stillness, and it inspired the Prince to suggest a troyka drive into the invisible wastes around. On foot one risked spending the night in aimless wanderings to and fro; with horses there was always the instinct of the brute creation to depend upon and sufficient force in reserve to conquer something of the powers of mere space if we really got lost in the

TRACKLESS EXPANSE OF WHITE.

So, on the word, back we hurried home, an order was given, and out came in a very brief time the troykas harnessed and ready. The whole party ensconced themselves three and four each in the great sledges, country built, and nearly all wood, with outrigger runners that defy an upset, and off we plunged right across country.

Russian fields are not enclosed, only here and there tall stalks of weed are left to mark the divisions between one man's strip of plough land and his neighbor's; even these were half buried under the snow. For an hour or more we drove to the merry music of the little bell that hangs on the wooden arch, the "bow" above the head of the mid horse of the team—a very companionable sound in the solemn stillness around. One or two turns, now this way, now that, put the visitors beyond all possibility of computing distances and directions. Whether we were really lost at length or it was all an admirable contrivance to give a new sensation to the uninitiated still remains matter of doubt.

A bitter wind was blowing and the prospect of doing the best and driving at full speed straight ahead until we struck a village and could either ask our way or put up there for the night did not seem promising. The drivers held heated debates about the present whereabouts, and a lonely peasant woman returning from town forty miles away gave the usual polite assent to the question incautiously put to her by one of the party.

THE RUSSIAN COMMON PEOPLE

always agree with any proposition put to them by their betters; it is their simple idea of politeness to the gentlefolk.

This took us another five miles in the wrong direction, and the whole party was gradually coming to the conclusion to give the horses their heads and let them take us home, with doubts whether three horses harnessed abreast would solve the problem, when we descried a light, and made for it fully believing we were at least twenty miles from home, instead of the half mile so quickly covered, to find the whole adventure most happily ended over tea and cigarettes and wonderful stories of past experiences, politics and scandal in high places.

It was here that Konstantin Mikhailovich told us of a favorite evening amusement in the great woods where the wolves abound. Two or three men go out by night into the woods, settle themselves as comfortably as may be and proceed to imitate the wolf call. Little by little answers come from all directions until scores of wolves are prowling about, giving sometimes a chance of a shot if one is disposed that way.

Generally, however, the thing is mere fun, with a few thrills thrown in; the danger is not great, for the wolves do not attack man until driven frenzied with hunger. None the less, when guns are not taken it is usual to carry a revolver in case of need. There is a kindliness about this form of amusement which combines the necessary excitement of sport with love of nature and nature's ways without any of the bloodthirsty element of the average game destroyer; it certainly seems to promise well as a new sensation.

"Father," said Farmer Jones' boy, insinuatingly, as he leaned on his hoe, "Tommy Perkins says the fish are bitin' very freely up the brook to-day." "Well, you tell him if he'll come over here an' help you with the hoein'——" "Yes." "They won't get a chance to bite him."

About the Farm

GREEN FORAGE FOR HOGS.

An especially timely bulletin has just been issued from the Missouri Experiment Station by Dean H. J. Waters giving the results of some experiments to determine the value of different forage crops for hogs. Thirtysix pigs of about 50 lbs. each were fed in lots on different forage crops in connection with corn until they were ready for market,, accurate account being kept of the gains made. In cheapness of grains the feeds used ranked as folows: corn and skim milk, cheapest; corn and alfalfa, second; corn and red clover, third; corn and bluegrass, fourth; corn and rape, fifth; corn and ship stuff, sixth.

A saving of about 75c a hundred in the cost gain was effected by using green clover instead of fresh bluegrass. A saving of $1.00 a hundred was effected by using alfalfa instead of bluegrass. When it is realized that alfalfa comes on early and when properly clipped stays green all summer and until the very hard freezes of early winter its importance as a hog pasture is apparent. Clover yields more forage per acre than bluegrass, and as shown by these experiments has a much higher feeding value. It is of the utmost importance therefore to provide this sort of pasture for hogs rather than to require them to run on a bluegrass, a timothy pasture, or even worse grass pasture, or even worse than bluegrass, a timothy pasture, or even far worse than this, to confine them in a dry lot in the summer time.

This bulletin recommends a succession of crops for profitable hog pasture.

SALT FOR MANGEL CROP.

The value of salt for the mangel crop has often been demonstrated, and it was emphatically shown in experiments carried out by the Irish Department of Agriculture on eleven farms in eight counties, as shown in a report issued a year ago, says the English Agricultural Gazette. The average results were only 3 tons 14 cwt. per acre without manure. Fifteen tons of farm manure gave an increase of 12 tons 19 cwt. The addition of 4 cwt. of superphosphate made the crop 2¾ tons more, the further addition of 2 cwt. of sulphate of ammonia made it 1¾ tons more still; and where kainit, at the rate of 2 cwt. per acre was added to the other three artificials and the farmyard manure, another 2½ tons brought the yield up to 23 tons 13 cwt. But 4 cwt. of salt, instead of the kainit, gave an increase of 3 tons 7 cwt., the total yield being 24½tons, or 20 tons 16 cwt. more than where no manure was used. The farm manure is valued at 4s. per ton, which is enough, perhaps, considering that a single crop would not exhaust it; and the whole of the manures cost £5 2s., while the increase due to them, at 10s. per ton, was worth £10 8s., showing a profit of £5 6s. per acre. What is more remarkable, however, is that 4 cwt. of salt, costing only 4s., when added to the farm manure, superphosphate, and sulphate of ammonia, gave an increase of 3 tons 7 cwt. of mangels, worth £1 13s. 6d.

LIVE STOCK NOTES.

A horse is profitable to his owner in proportion to the good condition of his feet and legs. The healthful state of these is best subserved by good earth floors.

At the present season ewes should be brought into fair condition both to give them strength to bring forth their young, and to stimulate a good flow of milk. Care should be taken not to make them fat, as this is likely to produce inflammatory symptoms after parturition. Horses that have done little work during the winter should be handled at this time of year with more than ordinary care. This is particularly true of young horses and brood mares. An excessively hard day's work or heavy load now when they are unaccustomed to pulling, may result very disastrously to their future usefulness. Great care should be taken not to overtax a colt.

It is the live stock that keeps up the fertility of our farms, and upon the quality of the stock depends the margin of profit and loss. Every farmer should have a purpose and a system in breeding; yet careless and aimless breeding is the rule with too many farmers. Test your cows and weed out all below the profit line. If you are breeding for butter, use a bull from an extra butter cow of a butter breed. Avoid inbreeding; it tends to delicate and enfeebled conconstitutions, while by using a bull from another family, possessing the butter qualities in the same degree, you retain the butter tendency and increase the capacity by adding vigor to the offspring. In selecting breeding stock see that the dam is individually good; that the sire has an unbroken pedigree, and is of a good strain, and especially that he has a good dam. It is an old saying that "the bull is half the herd."

FARM NOTES.

Look around a little and see if you cannot get some better oats than your own for seed. A change is often one of the most profitable things possible.

Every farm is a great laboratory where the finest, brainest study in all the world can be carried on. Here the highest science is involved. What finer vocation presents itself to any man than to be breeder and originator of desirable plants and animals for the use of man?

It is not so very much trouble to get a good crop of oats. All we need to do is to have the ground in good condition, get at it in proper season, use good seed, and—wait. A good many times we are in too big a hurry about getting in our oats; not too soon, but too much of a hurry to get through. So we slip over the work and then wonder why ye do not get good returns.

THE BLIGHT OF ISLAM.

(By A. Banker.)

The country on which is concentarted the supremest regard of all Christendom, far surpassing in interest and fascination any other place in the whole world—the Holy Land—owing to the blighting effects of the effete rule of the Turk, in rough weather is practically shut out and isolated from the world. For the absence of any harbor, which any civilized power, even the most unimportant, would long ago have provided, renders landing altogether impracticable except in fairly moderate weather.

And even then a landing at Jaffa (formerly Joppa) is an experience frequently, though happily not always, the reverse of agreeable. The steamer anchors some distance from the town and is soon surrounded by Arab boats, one of which approaches the lowered stair-gangway as near as practicable. The passenger then descends the stairway and seats himself, or herself—and woe to her if she be stout and heavy—on the small grating at foot, his feet dangling over the surging billows. His arms are then seized by two stalwart Arabs, who, as the boat rises on the crest of a wave to within a few feet of the platform, drop him into the arms of two other swarthy Arabs, who, while he is suspended in mid-air, violently clutch hold of his feet or legs. Down, down, goes the boat in the trough of the sea; and down, down, goes the passenger, who, gripped tightly by the Arabs, in a few moments is hurtled, sprawling, into the bottom of the boat amidst a number of exhausted and frightened ladies and gentlemen, some of the former trembling, and almost in hysterics, and all probably more or less sore with bruises and rough handling. The Arabs then with wild gesticulations and wilder still clamor and gutteral vociferations row off towards the shore, every now and then the surf breaking over the boat and drenching the occupants.

And then, the middle passage accomplished, what a thrill, almost of ecstasy, courses through the veins, as the traveller sets foot upon the shore and feels that he is on holy ground. His unpleasant experiences are forgotten; and as he journeys from place to place, hallowed by the presence, during His earth-life, of the Saviour of the world, he feels indeed that all that discomfort was as nothing compared with the pleasure of treading upon that sacred soil.

Surely it is time that the Great Powers should peremptorily call upon this semi-civilized government to forthwith put an end to this disgraceful state of affairs, and construct a proper harbor. For here the Great Founder of our holy religion, having on our behalf left for a time His archangel-surrounded throne in the heaven of heavens, lived a life of penury and obloquy, and then, as our Substitute, suffered the penalties we had incurred through our manifold transgressions, thereby blotting out the record on high against all and any who will prostrate themselves before Him and plead that great atonement.

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Be kind to those around you.
Be agreeable and accommodating at all times.
Be at your post during business hours.
Be sensible and keep away from the desks of others.
Be neat about your work.
Be ambitious to improve.
Be humble rather than arrogant.
Be studious, that you may learn the intricacies of the business in which you are engaged.
Be prompt in getting out your work. "Procrastination is the thief of time.'
Be orderly about your desk.
Be neat about your dress.
Be of good principle; never gain favor with your superiors by practising treachery towards your fellow-clerks.
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The many old friends of Gordon Ross, of Bayfiled, Wis., son of the late Gordon Ross, Eamer's Corners, and brother of George Ross, Augustus street, Cornwall, will regret to hear of his very sudden death at his home. He dropped dead of heart disease. He was 63 years of age.

A little daughter of Mr. E. Stickney, manager of the Percival Plow and Stove Works of Merrickville, met with a very serious accident one day last week. Whilst at play she fell down stairs and fractured her skull.

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150 acres choice farm land. Being the west half of lot 37, in third concession of the township of Cornwall. There is a good brick house and good barn building on the premises. About 30 acres of bush, the remainder under cultivation and pasture. For terms and particulars apply to

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Chesterville, Ont.

Apple Hill, Dec. 23, 1904.

Mr. C. Lee Casselman:

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

Yours Truly
D. McCALLUM,
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THE north part of Lot No. 16, in the 4th Concession of the Township of Winchester, containing about 131 acres by measurement, lying just outside of the incorporated Village of Chesterville. This farm is in no ditch awards, being drained by the Nation River. The soil is first-class and in a good state of cultivation. The buildings are excellent, being recently erected a new barn, with cow barn that hold 35 head, with a box stall. Good brick dwelling heated by coal furnace and woodshed attached, 40 head of cattle, 4 horses, 19 shoats, 3 brood sows. Feed necessary to winter the stock; farm implements all in good condition.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. Carter came out from Ottawa On Tuesday.

Miss Anna May Ault of Ottawa, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Ebenezer Merkley is confined to his home through sickness.

Mrs. A. H. Forbes has returned home from Oswegatchie, N.Y.

Miss Tessie Dwyer of Ottawa, is spending the Easter at her home.

Mr. Samuel Hutchinson of Brandon, Vermont, is visiting his sister, Mrs A. H. Forbes of this place.

Mr. James Hughes is able to be around again after being forced to remain in his home for a week through sickness.

Easy to Mix This.

What will appear very interesting to many people here is the article taken from a New York daily paper, giving a simple prescription, as formulated by a noted authority, who claims that he has found a positive remedy to cure almost any case of backache or kidney or bladder derangement, in the following simple prescription, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

A well-known druggist here at home, when asked regarding this prescription, stated that the ingredients are all harmless, and can be obtained at a small cost from any good prescription pharmacy, or the mixture would be put up if asked to do so. He further stated that while this prescription is often prescribed in rheumatic afflictions with splendid results, he could see no reason why it would not be a splendid remedy for kidney and urinary troubles and backache, as it has a peculiar action upon the kidney structure, cleansing these most important organs and helping them to sift and filter from blood the foul acids and waste which cause sickness and suffering. Those of our readers who suffer can make no mistake in giving it a trial.

The Edmonton Police are carrying on a strong campaign against gambling.

At a rough estimate a day's fog costs London $50,000 in extra lighting alone.

Brockville citizens who dump ashes on the streets hereafter will be prosecuted.

Colborne street Methodist church, London, will be enlarged at a cost of $15,000.

Peterboro bricklayers and masons will work eight hours per day after May 1st.

Geo. W. Sutherland has been nominated by Welland Liberals for the Legislature.

The Hon. G. P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals, has been invited to address the Canadian Club of Boston, Mass., on the evening of May 25th.

According to figures given out by the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Companies there was a net decrease for these two roads of about $300,000 for the first seven days of April, the decrease of earnings on each being about the same, namely $150,000.

Orders were received at Brockville last week that the C. P. R. pilot engine was to be removed from that yard to Carleton Place, The company will do the shunting with their freight locomotives. The crew of the pilot will be given position on the main line should they decide to accept.

The grand jury in its presentment favored a rigid examination by an expert on mental disease, appointed by the Government, of all immigrants on their arrival in this country, and any found weak or deficient mentally should be at once deported at the expense of the companies which brought them out.

An action for $1,500 damages has been entered against the C.P.R. Co., by Mrs. Lucy of Ottawa, for the death of her husband, the late John Lucy, formerly of Smith's Falls, who was killed by the fall of a derrick while in the employ of the company last autumn.

A twenty-five cent can of Campbell's Stain will restore the finish on four ordinary chairs. Any lady can use it. When applied it flows out under the brush, and drys without showing laps. A seventy-five cent can of Campbell's Floor Finish will do an ordinary floor one coat. Ask Fulton Bros. for color card.

Dr. C. F. Ferguson, ex-M.P, of Kemptville had an exciting experience a few days ago. The annual spring freshets have raised the Rideau waters to an abnormal height. The veteran physician was returning from North Gower on the road that skirts the south bank when he suddenly found himself in deep water and surrounded with heavy masses of shifting ice. He was unable to get out of it and his position was a perilous one until a neighboring resident went to his rescue in a boat.

LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS.

Kemptville is agitating for a new C. P. R. Station.

The Perth Horticultural Society has one hundred and sixty members.

Messrs. Berry & Wood, builders and contractors, have an announcement in this issue.

Mr. F. C. Nunnich has been appointed assistant to Mr. R. S. Hamer, teacher of agriculture, at Perth.

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

P. Vandelac of Montreal, will be here on Friday and Saturday of this week to purchase horses. He may be found at the McCloskey House.

In paints, oils and varnishes, we carry a full supply. The best is none too good. We have it. Fulton Bros., Chesterville

We are indebted to Mr. Robt. Steven of Cannamore, for a three-gallon can of the purest maple syrup. Thanks, Mr. Steven.

Divine service will be held in the Methodist church at 10.30 Good Friday morning. Rev. Mr. Runnells will preach on the "Blood Covenant."

The Marks Bros. Company open their engagement in Foster's Hall this evening, and will also play Friday and Saturday nights.

Mr. Wood, of the firm of Berry & Wood, builders and contractors, moved his household effects to town last week. We welcome him to our midst.

Mahlon Bailey, Winchester; Thos. Colquhoun, Hosiac, and Chas. Patten, Mountain, having been reappointed license commissioners for the county of Dundas.

Rev. C. E. Sills, at one time incumrent of Holy Trinity Church here, has resigned the curacy of St Alban's church, Ottawa, and will spend a year in England.

The hotel committee of Winchester have changed their night of meeting to Wednesday. At the last meeting it was found that something over $14,000 had been subscribed towards the enterpise.

Beautiful imitations of natural wood finished with varnish may be obtained by applying one coat of Campbell's Varnish Stain. Fulton Bros. carries a full line of all colors and size cans. Color card free.

Under the auspices of the Men's Christian Association Rev. E. E. Scott of Montreal will deliver an address—"The Land of the maple"—in Methodist church to morrow evening, at 8 o'clock. Miss Mavety will sing.

Mr. Alex McDonald of Winchester, has purchased the Moorehouse farm just outside the corporation in the north-east part of Winchester village The farm contains 100 acres, and the price was $5,500. The deal was concluded Tuesday.

The death of Mrs. Geo. Partlow, sister of Mrs. A. H. Forbes of this place, occurred at her residence at Oswegatchie, N.Y., on Monday, April 6th, 1908. Mrs. Forbes' friends in this place will be sorry to hear of the sad event.

Mrs. Ormond Jones died a few days ago at the home of her nephew, Lt. Col. J. B. Checkley of North Augusta. The deceased was a grand niece of the late Lord Yelverton of Ireland. She had reached advanced age of 94 years. Her husband was for many years registrar of Leeds and Grenville.

Palm Sunday was celebrated in the Roman Catholic Church here on Sunday. The feast commemorates the entry of Jesus Christ into Jerusalem, when the multitudes shouted their hosannas, hailing Christ as the Messiah, and strewing palm branches in his path.

A peculiar freak of nature was discovered at Iroquois a few days ago in the form of a hard maple block, the heart of which contains a perfect picture of a large leaf ten or twelve inches in diameter, resembling that of a geranium even showing the veins, stem and green coloring. It is believed by some to be a specimen of lightning photography.

The little daughter of J. Demarais of Westbourne, Man., was poisoned by sucking matches.

Smallpox has broken out in Moncton and the board of health may prohibit all public meetings.

The Lake Carriers' Association have decided to ignore the unions and deal with the men individually.

St. Thomas council refuses to print the assessment rolls as recommended by the finance committee.

Victor Nelson, a station man, was killed by a dynamite explosion on the G. T. R. near Dryden yesterday.

The horse of Henry Sage of Smith, fell dead while driving from market in Peterboro, and the owner and Mrs. Sage had to walk seven miles to their home.

Alberta bar-rooms are now closed at 10 p.m., and there will be a movement for further restriction next year.

Mrs. James Lockhead of Centreville, aged 40, fell on a pavement, striking her head and died of her injuries.

The city directory credits Victoria with 11,138 families. The British Columbia capital claims a population of 35,000.

The two and a half year old son of William Baker, Lindsay, was run down by an engine and his body cut in two.

Lethbridge is urged to spend $110,000 in the creation of a system of permanent sidewalks and graded streets.

Seeding is in progress at Portage la Prairie, Brandon, Regina, Indian Head, Yellow Grass, Morden, Butte, Yorkton and Arcola.

Reasons for Swearing.

1. Because it is such an elegant way of expressing one's thoughts.
2. Because it is such a conclusive proof of good taste and good breeding.
3. Because it is such a sure way of making one's self agreeable to his friends.
4. Because it is positive evidence of acquaintance with good literature.
5. Because it furnishes such a good example and training for boys.
6. Because it is just what a man's mother enjoys having her son do.
7. Because it would look so nice in print.
8. Because it is a good way of increasing one's self respect
9. Because it is such a help to manhood and virtue in many ways.
10. Because it is such an infallible way of improving one's chance in the hereafter.

Albert Culp, a carpenter, of Hamilton, was killed by a fall from a scaffold.

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

In the matter of the Guardianship of the Infant Children of Milo Knowland, Deceased.

APPLICATION will be made to the Surrogate Court of the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry before the Judge in Chambers at the Court House, in the Town of Cornwall, after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication hereof, on behalf of Abiah Knowland, guardian of Martha Evelyn Knowland, Daniel Lloyd Knowland and Hugh Ralph Knowland, infant children of the said Milo Knowland, deceased.

Dated at Chesterville this 9th day of April, 1908.

ABIAH KNOWLAND,
by W. B. LAWSON—Her Solicitor.

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A share of your patronage is respectfully solicited.

Mrs. A. McMahon, Chesterville.

ADMINISTRATOR'S
Notice to Creditors

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

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

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

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CHESTERVILLE.

Supplement to the Record.

THE COMMONS AND CIGARETTES

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Declares Himself Unopposed to Preventing Manufacture and Sale.

OTTAWA, FRIDAY.

The pesky little cigarette was slangwhanged again in Commons yesterday in the course of a discussion of a bill to amend the Inland Revenue Act. Mr. Blain, whose resolution to legislate the cigarette out of existence was talked to death by the ministerialists a few weeks ago, demanded that while the government was readjusting the tobacco duties it should make a statement of policy as to the cigarette. No one, as it turned out, had a word to say in favor of the cigarette, but the ministers went no further than to express sympathy with the abolition movement. And Sir Wilfrid finally put the damper on the movement in a statement which was practically a declaration that no cigaret e abolition measure would be introduced.

The bill was passed after several minor bills were put through,

The House went into committee on Mr. Templeman's bill to amend the Inland Revenue Act. The bill contains the new tobacco duties set out in the budget speech new regulations as to wood alcohol and other things. It was discussed at length.

In the course of the afternoon Mr. Blain, the champion of the movement to abolish the cigarette, set out to tease the government into a statement of policy for that regard.

Mr. Templeman replied that he had sympathy with the movement against the cigarette, but that the matter was not relevant to to the bill in question. Mr. Brodeur had something of the same sort to say.

But Mr. Blain declared that sympathy did not go very far. What the people wanted was a measure to give effect to their desires. If the government could not make a statement now it should be able to say when it would make a statement.

Mr. Foster reminded the House that though Mr. Blain's resolution against the cigarette some weeks ago had been sympathetically received by both sides of the House, it had been talked out by the ministerialists and gone to a place in the order paper where it could not be reached again. The government should do something, said Mr. Foster, who argued in detail and at substantial length that cigarette smoking was bad business.

And Sir Wilfrid Laurier quite as seriously repented his time worn declaration that he did'nt smoke himself and thought cigarettes were bad medicine. But he pointed out that there was absolutely no connection between the cigarette and the bill under hand. He succeeded in conveying the impression that the government will not introduce any legislation against the cigarette. He said that if he followed his own inclination he would prohibit the use of tobacco in every form. But he realized that that would be going too far and would deprive many people of their right to the enjoyment of it. Surely Mr. Foster would not take that ground, he said. But so far as he could see, Sir Wilfrid said, he was not satisfied that tobacco in the cigarette form was worse than in any other. The great evil in the cigarette was its cheapness, which placed it within the small boy's reach. Tobacco in any form was injurious to the boy. Sir Wilfrid said that one day in Quebec he himself had taken a cigarette away from a little boy.

"What did the boy sey?" asked Mr. Bergeron.

Sir Wilfrid replied that he was sorry to say that the boy was "rebellious to good advice." Tobacco, he went on was injurious to youth, but not necessary to adults. In that event therefore, it would be unfair to deprive men of their right to smoke in order that the boys might be reached. He reminded the House that in every province there was legislation to prohibit youths from smoking cigarettes. Moreover, more could be done by domestic education than by any other means. The boy who smoked a cigarette should be spanked. That would be better than any legislation.

And so a subject which had been plainly lugged into the discussion in spirit of pure mischief became apparently quite serious. Dr. Sproule stuffed so many drugs into the cigarette in the way of opium and beliadonna and narcotics generally that one of his samples would cost so much that no one not rich beyond the dreams of avarice could afford to buy it. He demanded that the Government state its policy.

Sir Wilfrid replied that if it were true that cigarettes were adulterated the remedy would be a measure to make this adulteration a criminal offence. Mr. Templeman added that recently the department had directed an analysis of cigaretes on the market and the analyst had found no sign of drugs.

Thereafter a speech from Mr. Blain followed traditional lines in condemnation of the cigarette. In a general assault upon the government for its failure to implement its pledges of moral, reform Mr. Blain mentioned the fact that the House had abolished the bar. But there was a bar in the commons precincts now he said and only the other day someone had put a doorkeeper on to keep the messengers out and make more room for members. After Mr. Blain had finished the committee returned to the discussion of the bill.

Later in the evening Mr. Blain asked what the Finance Minister would say to the proposition of prohibiting the importation of cigarettes, since the government was not prepared to discuss the general proposition.

Mr. Fielding replied that on this bill he would hardly care to make a statement.

The bill provides that hereafter there shall be only one stamp, the black stamp, on all manufactured tobacco. Hitherto Canadian tobacco has been distinguished or stigmatized by a green stamp. The growers of Canadian tobacco not only in Quebec but in western Ontario, protested successfully against this discrimination, and the bill provides for its removal Hereafter all tobacco and cigars will bear the same stamp and the buyer will be obliged to rely upon his own taste or discernment to distinguish between foreign and native makes.

Mr. Foster and some other members of the Opposition, while not attempting to decry the Canadian leaf, expressed some question as to whether or not this was fair dealing. The claims of Canadian leaf, expressed some question as to whether or not this fair dealing. The claims of Canadian tobacco were championed by the members for the tobacco counties in Quebec and Ontario.

After a protracted discussion the bill was read a third time and passed.

W. A. Galligher, M. P. for Kottenay, will retire.

A new G.T.R. station is planned for Preston.

Snow removal in Galt last winter cost $2,074.46.

Rev. Canon Baker of Goarock, is dead, aged 70.

The gas buoys for the St. Lawrence are being re-filled.

Waterloo county council has adopted a good roads bylaw.

Fred N. Warren, a prominent citizen of Barrie, is dead

An immigrant family of nine arrived at Peterboro penniless.

The outbreak of smallpox in Belleville cost the city $2,500.

London postmen among them cover about 60,000 miles a day.

Four thousand immigrants passed through Winnipeg one day recently.

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April 2, '08.—The report of the Central Experimental Farms experiments with frozen wheat as food for dairy cattle, is given today.

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News from Larder Lake.

(From the Temiskaming Herald of the 9th inst.)

Samples of Larder quartz, which it is absolutely safe to say, if milled in quantities would return millions to the investors, were shown the Herald on Saturday by Mr. Hough, the mining recorder from Larder Lake. The samples were picked personally by the recorder from the dump, and according to the official's positive statement there were ton's remaining and actually in sight. The samples came from the Harris Maxwell property upon which the ten stamp mill recently installed has just commenced work.

Mr. Hough when seen by the Herald was in company with other mining men. In the party were Mr. Herman Hummell of the Chesterville property, Mr. C. McDonald, of the Cobalt and Larder Lake mining Company, which has been at work all winter and is preparing for more extensive operations this spring, Mr. Geo. Farrell, of the Dr. Beattie Nesbitt syndicate, which has bought up Barrald's point and a number of other properties, and the recorder himself.

"What do you think of that?" asked the Chesterville man taking up a chunk of rock from Mr. Hough's bag and handing it to the newspaper representative. The Editor's eyes fairly bulged. When prospectors have taked about ore being "plastered" with gold people have laughed. Well, this sample was actually plastered. It was a good sized piece, but it was fairly yellow with gold.

"What would it run?" he asked.

"Oh, I suppose about $15,000 to the ton," replied Mr. Hough.

"In reporting this please note that I picked these samples myself," continued the mining Recorder. "And there were quantities remaining in sight."

"Here is a pretty sample, though it will not compare with yours', said Mr. Hummell, producing a small piece of quartz taken from the Chesterville property. It would run, he said, about $5,000 or $6000 to the ton.

"There is no question about it, but that you have a good property," answered the Recorder.

"I saw them working for three days, and every four out of five shots brought free gold to view," said Mr. Hough.

Mr. Hough is confident that there would be a rush to the gold country so soon as the season opened in order that the work might be completed in time to satisfy the Government requirements. The time expires on the 31st of May, he stated, after that there is a 30 day grace given for defaulters upon payment of a fine of $25 per claim. On the 31st of July on the final notice of cancellation will be sent out to all those who have not recorded their assessment work completed. Claims staked fifteen months prior to the date of May 31st require 90 days work, while those staked within that time require 30 days assessment work.

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To prove the enormous strengthening power of Ferrozone we quote the following letter from Mrs. Cecil P. Gourmally, well known in Middleviile: "Last March I was very run down, and thin. I had no appetite and scarcely felt like eating at all My face was pallid and haggard and I had dark circles under my eyes. My weight was seven pounds under normal and day by day that awful spring weariness dragged me down. The change wrought was surprising. It must certainly contain wonderful building and strengthening properties because I gained strength, flesh and appetite from the day I started it. I speedily came back to vigorous buoyant health with Ferrozone and recommend it as the best medicine any person in weak health can take."

Ferrozone strengthens the weak, restores the anaemic, soothes the nervous, assists men, women and children to better health. Try it. 50c. per box or six for $2.50, at all dealers.

Charged with Bigamy.

Kingston, April 12—Twice married, although professing to believe that he has only one legal wife, is the plight of George Hepburn, this city, arrested on a charge of bigamy. Six years ago he married Annie Sandy, living near Peterboro, one child resulting from the union. Last year he left his wife, and he claims that in October the legal firm of Hall & Hays, Peterboro, wrote him, stating that his wife had secured a divorce with alimony. In January last he married Miss Eva Smith, Storrington, near here and they have been boarding in the city since. The father of the second wife heard the news and swore out a warrant. The accused is second engineer on the M. T. Steamer Scout.

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CHELSEA SWEPT BY FIRE

Great Damage Done in a Suburb of Boston, Mass.

A despatch from Boston, Mass., says: One-third of the City of Chelsea was destroyed by a fire which started at 11 o'clock on Sunday morning, and twelve hours later it had practically burned itself out. Two burning barges drifted across Chelsea Creek and set fire to the Beacon yard plant of the Standard Oil Company. At 11 o'clock on Sunday night there appeared to be no danger of the flames spreading any further into East Boston. The homes of at least 2,000 families were destroyed With a few exceptions all of the public buildings were burned. Altogether, including tenements and residences, churches, business blocks, hotels and manufacturing plants, 800 structures were wiped out. It is estimated that 10,000 people were rendered homeless, and the estimated loss ranges from $10,000,000 to $15,000,000.

So far as is known only one fatality occurred, although there were rumors in circulation that the bodies of four people had been found among the debris of the burned houses. The known fatality is that of a man who was seen running across the Boston and Albany Railroad bridge over the Chelsea Creek. He was caught in the flames on the Chelsea side of the creek and started to cross the burning structure into East Boston. Before he reached safety his clothing caught fire and he just reached land when he was overcome and fell.

THE DISASTER COMPLETE.

Among the buildings burned were thirteen churches, Frost Hospital, Children's Hospital, City Hall, Fitz Public Library, five school houses, a dozen or more factories and about 300 tenements and dwellings.

The area burned was cigar-shaped, about half a mile in width and three miles long. The extreme southern end took in the big plant of the Tidewater Oil Company, and here the progress of the conflagration was checked through the efforts of the Boston fireboat and a single company of the men from Ladder 8 of the Boston Department.

SKETCH OF CHELSEA.

Chelsea is a chartered city of Massachusetts, distant, not more than three miles from the centre of Boston. It is to the north-east of Boston and at the head of the Mystic River. Ferries and steam railways connect it with the city. The place which is called Chelsea was settled in 1626 as Winnisimmet, and was a part of Boston from 1634 to 1638. It was then incorporated as a town.

The annual income of the city is about $425,000. The chief expenditures are: Police, $35,000; fire department, $35,000; schools, $120,000. The population in 1900 was 34,073.

LATER.

From the embers of Sunday's conflagration in Chelsea there arose on Monday a well-organized movement for aid and relief of the 10,000 homeless, accounting of the cost by insurance companies, whose representatives placed their losses at $3,500,000, and a determination by the city authorities to rebuild the 350 acres swept by the flames, where stood, before the fire, property valued at nearly $6,000,000.

While only three persons are positively known to have lost their lives in the fire, it is feared that a search of the ruins by daylight will disclose more victims. The bodies of the dead are burned beyond recognition. Two of these bodies are those of women. The other is that of a man. All met death, apparently, while fleeing from the flames. Of the injured persons taken to the various hospitals, only two were believed to be in a critical condition.

Revised figures obtained on Monday indicate that the losses were divided, according to the various classes of property destroyed, as follows:

Churches and schools—$525,000.
Public buildings—$475,000.
Factories, business blocks and contents—$825,000.
Dwelling houses—$3,650,000.
Total, $5,575,000.

The insurance of $3,500,000 is divided among about 80 companies.

There was comparatively little suffering reported among the fire victims. So prompt and efficient was the relief work.

The burned district was closely patrolled by the State militia. There was very little property remaining to be guarded. The underwriters who viewed the ruins on Monday saw no prospect of salvage of any description.

CAPT. HARBOTTLE CAUGHT.

Absconding Secretary of the Toronto Club is in Custody in Havana.

A despatch from Toronto says: Capt. Harbottle, the absconding secretary of the Toronto Club, was arrested on Sunday at Havana, Cuba. Since it was reported some weeks ago that the captain had been seen at New Orleans playing the races and generally enjoying himself, the police authorities of Toronto have been busy tracking him. The services of the Pinkerton Agency were invoked, and the chase has been a stern one. Photographs and descriptions of the defaulter were freely distributed, and it was thought at one time he had headed for the City of Mexico. Search there, however, revealed no trace of him, and the detectives had to take up the trail again at New Orleans. The captain has covered a good deal of ground since he left Toronto, but finally he was located in Havana, and his arrest, as stated, took place on Sunday. The Toronto authorities were immediately notified, and Attorney-General Foy was asked to secure the necessary extradition papers.

SUCCUMBED TO LOCKJAW.

Thirteen-year-old Ingersoll Lad Died From Injury to Foot.

A despatch from Ingersoll, Ont., says: Walter, the 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holmes, on Sundoy succumbed to lockjaw, with which he was seized on Friday. A week ago Friday the lad had his foot injured in the wheel of a wagon, while attempting to get a ride. Although serious, the wound was not considered dangerous, and he had so far recovered as to be out of doors. Symptoms of lockjaw were noticeable on Friday afternoon, from which time he gradually sank.

St. Thomas' tax rate is 21 mills.

2,000 CHINESE DROWNED.

Seven Hundred Junks and Smaller Craft Sunk.

A despatch from Shanghai says: Owing to a freshet the Hankiang, without any warning, rose suddenly on the night of April 6th. More than 2,000 persons were drowned. Seven hundred junks and countless smaller craft were sunk. The catastrophe was widespread, but was greatest at the junction of the Hankiang and the Yang-Tse Kiang.

TIES ON THE TRACK.

Attempt to Wreck a C. P. R. Train Near Edmonton.

A despatch from Edmonton, Alberta, says: An attempt to wreck the late northbound C. P. R. train was made a little south of Strathcona, on Wednesday. Some miscreant placed two ties on the track, and it was only by good luck that a calamity was avoided. The ties when struck by the engine were thrown aside, and the locomotive did not leave the rails No clue to the perpetrator of the outrage could be found. C. P. R. officials are inclined to believe that it was the work of children, but the opinion of the police is that the ties were placed on the track by a tramp, who had been thrown off an earlier train when stealing a ride, and who was anxious to get even in this way.

FASTED THIRTY-ONE DAYS.

Knute Olmstead Died From Starvation at St. Paul.

A despatch from St. Paul, Minn., says: Knute Olmstead died here on Wednesday from starvation, after an attempt to fast for 40 days in order to demonstarte his theory that the mind controls the body, and that mind is mightier than matter. Olmstead's fast lasted 31 days, according to those in the house.

RECORD RUSH FROM STATES

Influx From Across the Border Surprises the Railways.

A despatch from St. Paul, Minn., says: The volume of traffic from the United States into Canada at present has astonished even those railway officials who had expected a revival of the "American invasion." The rush northward is out of all proportion to the elaborate plans made by the roads with branches into British territory to handle the Spring rush.

The "Soo" line alone has been notified that five special trains, loaded with American homeseekers and their household goods, and even stock, will reach this gateway during Monday for transshipment over that road into Canada. Part of this traffic will be moved via Winnipeg and the balance through Portal.

The Chicago Great Western is bringing a ten-car train in from Iowa. The Burlington, two from Nebraska and one from Iowa, and the Rock Island one from Kansas and Oklahoma.

The destinations of these families are said to be Northern Saskatchewan and Alberta. The Battleford and Prince Albert districts in Saskatchewan are largely favored, but "anything north of the line" seems to be the cry.

A despatch from North Portal says: All trains arriving from the South are heavily loaded with settlers and landseekers; they are bound for all parts of Saskatchewan and Alberta, and are a good class of settlers. A number of steam plowing outfits are coming in daily.

LEADING MARKETS

BREADSTUFFS.

Toronto, April 14.—Manitoba Wheat—For immediate delivery, No. 1 Northern, $1.18½; No. 2 northern, $1.14; feed wheat 69c, No. 2 feed, 64c, on track Georgian Bay ports. For May delivery, No. 1 northern, $1.12; No. 2 northern, $1.07; No. 3 northern, $1.04½.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 white, 90c at point of shipment; No. 2 red, 89c; No. 2 mixed, 88c; goose, 87c.

Corn—Firm; No. 3 yellow American, 72½c; kiln-dried, 75c Toronto freights; No. 3 mixed, 1c less.

Barley—Very dull; No. 2, 60c.

Peas—No. 2, 88c outside.

Rye—Strong; No. 2, 85½c to 86½c.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 67c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 46¼c outside, 48c on track Toronto; No. 2 mixed, 44c.

Bran—Full cars, $24.50, Toronto freights.

Shorts—Scarce, $24 f. o. b. mills.

Flour — Manitoba patents, special brands, $6; seconds, $5.40 to $5.50; strong bakers', $5.30; winter wheat patents, $3.40.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Eggs—New-laid, 17c.

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

Potatoes—Ontario, 85c to 90c; Delaware, 98c to 99c in car lots on track here.

Butter:—

Creamery, prints	31c to 32c
do solids	29c to 30c
Dairy prints	25c to 26c
do large rolls	24c to 25c
do solids	23c to 24c
Inferior	20c to 21c

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

Cheese—Firm; 14c for large and 14½c for twins in job lots here.

Baled Hay—Very dull; timothy is quoted at $15 to $15.50 in car lots on tracks here.

Baled Straw—Dull, $8 to $9 per ton.

Maple Syrup—$1.10 to $1.15 per gallon.

PROVISIONS

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

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

Smoked and Dry Salted Meats—Long clear bacon, 10c to 10½c tons and cases; hams, medium and light, 12c to 13c; hams, large, 11½c to 12c; backs, 16c to 16½c; shoulders, 9¾c to 10c; rolls, 9¾c to 10c; breakfast bacon, 15c to 16c; green meats out of pickle, 1c less than smoked.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Montreal, April 14.—There are no new developments in the local flour trade. Choice spring wheat patents, $6.10; seconds, $5.50; winter wheat patents, $6.10; seconds, $5.50; winter wheat patents, $5.50; straight rollers, $5 to $5.25; do., in bags, $2.35 to $2.50; extras, $1.80 to 1.90.

Feeds—Manitoba bran, $22 to $23; shorts, $23 to $24. Ontario grain — Shorts, $22 to $22.50; middlings, $24 to $25; shorts, $25 to $27 per ton, including bags and pure grain mouille at $32 to $34.

Cereals—Rolled oats, $3.12½ per bag; cornmeal, $1.67½ to $1.75 per bag.

Oats—Eastern Canada, No. 2 white oats, 50c; No. 3, 47c to 47½c; No. 4, 46c to 46½c; rejected, 44c to 44½c per bushel, ex-store, and Manitoba rejected 47c to 47½c per bushel, ex-track North Bay.

Cheese—September westerns are selling at 13c for white and 13½c for colored; September easterns, 13¼c for white and 13½c for colored.

Butter—Fresh stock is now selling at 33c to 34c, and storage at 32c per pound.

Eggs—Canadian newly-laid are selling at 18c to 19c per dozen in large lots, and at 19c to 20c for small jobbing lots.

Provisions—Barrels short cut mess, $21; half barrels do., $10.75; clear fat backs, $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, $15 to $11; half barrels do., $5.50 to $6; compound lard, 8¾c to 9c; pure lard, 11¼c to 11¾c; kettle rendered, 11½c to 12c; hams, 12c to 13¾c, according to size; breakfast bacon, 14c to 15c; Windsor bacon, 14½c to 15½c; fresh-killed abattoir-dressed hogs, $10 to $10.25; live, $7

BUFFALO MARKET.

Buffalo, April 14.—Wheat — Spring, higher; No. 1 Northern, $1.04½ carloads; Winter strong; No. 2 red, 96c. Corn—Higher; No. 2 yellow, 71c. Oats—Weak; No. 2 white, 55½c; No. 2 mixed, 51c. Barley—85 to 95c. Rye—No 1, on track, 88½c.

NEW YORK WHEAT MARKET.

New York, April 14.—Wheat — Spot firm; No. 2 red, 98¼c elevator; No. 2 red, 98¼c f.o.b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.07⅞ f.o.b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.08⅜ f.o.b. afloat.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Toronto, April 14.—Quotations for select exporters' cattle ranged from $5.40 to $6 per cwt. Straight loads of choice animals were worth $5 to $5.40 per cwt.

Select butchers' cattle sold on a parity with choice export cattle at $5.40 to $6 per cwt. Straight loads of choice cattle were sold at $5 to $5.40 per cwt. Medium butchers' cattle brought $4 to $5; common to medium, $3.50 to $4.50; choice cows, $4.25 to $4.60; medium cows, $3.50 to $4; common cows, $2 to $3.50; bulls, $2.50 to $4.60 per cwt.

A good demand was reported for stockers and medium weight feeders. About 200 were sold at $3.25 to $3.75 per cwt.

A steady demand obtained for veal calves at former prices. Yearling lambs, grain-fed, were somewhat higher, selling at $7.50 to $8.25 per cwt.; Spring lambs were worth $3.50 to $6 each. Ewes were quoted at $4.75 to $5.50 per cwt., and bucks and culls sold for $4 to $4.75 per cwt.

Choice hogs were quoted at $6.50, and lights and fats at $6.25 per cwt.

ASQUITH'S NEW CABINET.

Earl of Crewe Replaces Lord Elgin as Secretary of State for the Colonies.

A despatch from London says:—The appointments to the newly organized Cabinet under the Premiership of Herbert Asquith are officially announced as follows:

Lord President of the Council—Lord Tweedmouth.

Secretary for the Colonies—Earl of Crewe.

Chancellor of the Exchequer—David Lloyd-George.

First Lord of the Admiralty—Reginald McKenna.

President of the Board of Trade—Winston Churchill.

President of the Board of Education—Walter Runciman.

All the foregoing held Cabinet positions under Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman with the exception of Winston Churchill. He was Under-Secretary of the Colonial Office in the previous Administration.

Mr. John Morley, Secretary of State for India, and Sir Henry H. Fowler, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, have been created viscounts. They will retain their former offices. Mr. John E. Seely, member of Parliament for the Abercromby division of Liverpool, succeeds Winston Churchill as Under-Secretary of the Colonial Office.

Viscount Morley has written to his constituents regretfully resigning their representation. He says he had to choose between withdrawing from the India Office and withdrawing from the House of Commons, finding that he was unable to do justice to both. Prime Minister Asquith and his fellow-members of the Cabinet strongly desire that he retain the India Office, a desire which it was not easy without a sacrifice of loyalty and credit, to resist.

ALBERTA'S NEW LICENSE LAW.

Price of Drinks Almost Doubled at Calgary—Early Closing.

A despatch from Calgary says: Hotelkeepers have decided to almost double the price of drinks as a result of the new license law, that goes into effect May 1, which compels them to close the bars at 10 p.m. Wholesale prices have also been advanced. Under the new bar tariff all mixed drinks will cost 25 cents instead of 15 cents, and liquor, if mixed with mineral water, will cost a thirsty man 40 cents. It is estimated by the Secretary of the Alberta Temperance League that the reduction of hours will curtail the receipts of the hotels by a million and a half dollars.

BIG TIMBER DEAL.

Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars Paid for Limit Near Vancouver.

A despatch from Vancouver says: A timber deal involving two hundred and fifty million feet of lumber within twenty-four miles of Vancouver was closed on Wednesday by D. VanWagner, mining engineer, London and new York, and J. G. Fitch, a Californian capitalist. The tract is situated on Manquin Creek, Squamish Valley. The sum of $700,000 will be paid for the timber, and a $400,000 mill will be erected in June.

LITTLE BOY CUT IN TWO.

Son of Mr. William Baker Run Over by Train at Lindsay.

A despatch from Lindsay says:—A sad accident occurred here about 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon, when the two-and-a-half-year-old son of Mr. Baker, employed by the Sylvester Company, was run over and killed by a G.T.R. doubleheader. The little fellow had wandered from home, and was playing on the tracks. The engineer stopped the train, but not before the boy had been knocked down and his body completely severed.

AN EMBARGO ON LIQUOR.

Mail Carriers Will No Longer Be Allowed to Transport It.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The Postmaster-General has taken a new departure in regard to all future contracts entered into with mail carriers, which will have the approval and support of the temperance people of the Dominion. A provision will be included in all future contracts which will prevent mail carriers from carrying intoxicating liquor. It is said that at present mail carriers bring liquor into country districts along with His Majesty's mails, and Mr. Lemieux has made up his mind to have this stopped. If anyone violates this part of the contract it will be cancelled forthwith by the department.

CONSTABLE SHOT DEAD.

Mounted Policeman Murdered at Frank, Alberta.

A despatch from Frank, Alta., says:—G. S. Wilmot, constable of the R. N. W. M. P., was found dead at the rear of the Imperial Hotel, having been shot through the neck on Saturday. It is believed he was murdered. He had been put on as special watch on account of numerous burglaries which had been perpetrated. An attempt had been made to rob the Imperial Hotel, and Wilmot was put on guard, and nothing was heard of the shot during the night, the body being found on Sunday morning. It is believed that he was shot by a burglar who had made an attempt on the hotel.

Fort William people have appealed to the Provincial Government to assist them in dealing with the Doukhobors.

The high railroad freight rate charges in Campos, Brazil, incensed the inhabitants, and the mob burned stations, cars and warehouses.

Herbert Wright, son of Mayor Wright of Emerson, is under arrest charged with smuggling immoral women into the United States.

BIG WESTERN LAND SALES

Great Demand for Town Lots Along the Line of the C. P. R.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: F. T. Griffin, land commissioner of the Canadian Pacific, has returned from Montreal. Mr. Griffin referred to the strong and increasing demand for business and residence sites along the new lines of railway, where towns are now being built. The sale of these lots has been in progress during the winter, and many thousands of dollars have been paid to the company in exchange for them. Business was reported brisk in February, but in March there was a remarkable increase, the sale of town lots for that month having been three times that of the previous month. During April the demand has continued. sales being daily made of lots at various points.

Sales of farm lands have also been large, many settlers from eastern Canada, the United States and Europe completing negotiations for purchases. The building of new towns on what is now open prairie will constitute a picturesque feature of western life during the coming summer. Railway stations, grain elevators, banks, hotels, business houses and places of private residence will be required and will be constructed as rapidly as the conditions of the country permit. Large quantities of building material of all kinds will be required, as, in addition to homes for new farmers, fifty new town sites will be placed on the market by the C. P. R. alone.

NEW WINNIPEG DEPOT.

Tenders Called for Million-dollar Union Structure.

A despatch from Montreal says: Tenders have been called for the construction of the new Union Depot which the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Canadian Northern are to erect in the City of Winnipeg. The structure is to cost $1,000,000, and will be one of the finest of its kind on the continent. Tenders have to be in by the 15th of this month, and the work of construction will be begun this year.

WIFE BEATEN TO DEATH.

Montreal Woman Died of Injuries Received at Hands of Husband.

A despatch from Montreal says: An inquest is to be held in regard to the injuries received. Her husband was in court on Tuesday, charged with drunkenness, but was remanded to await the result of the woman's injuries. It is likely that he will now be tried for murder or manslaughter.

TWO MEN ASPHYXIATED.

Accidents in the Waterworks Well at Winnipeg.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: A. Johnson, engineer of the waterworks department, and Thomas Claverley were asphyxiated by gas in well No. 4 of the city water system on Wednesday morning. Claverley was in charge at night, and evidently went down the air shaft without testing it for gas, according to instructions, and Johnson lost his life in an heroic attempt to rescue him. Claverly was a young Englishman and had no relatives here, Johnson has a wife and family.

Earl Grey has subscribed $1,000 to the Quebec battlefields fund.

HE SHOT HIS MOTHER.

Brooklyn Man Complained That She Was Keeping Him in Prison.

A despatch from New York says: Because his mother, Susan Carlin, had sent him to various reformatories, in which he had been a prisoner for many years, Bernard Carlin on Wednesday, shot and killed her at her home in Quincy street, Brooklyn. Young Carlin had just been released from the reformatory at Napanoch, where he had been sentenced for stealing a horse and wagon. He was arrested after the shooting. To the police he said he killed his mother "because she was making me do bits all my life."

SEEDING HAS COMMENCED.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan Farmers Putting in Their Grain.

A despatch from Lyleton, Man., says: Seeding has commenced Mr Venton sowed a field to oats on Tuesday, and work on the land is quite general in this district.

A despatch from Estevan, Sask., says: Several farmers have started seeding and the ground is in good condition. Farm work will become general practically at once.

OLD-AGE PENSIONS.

Premier Deakin Devising Plan to Start Them July of Next Year.

A despatch from Melbourne, Australia, says: Premier Deakin is devising a scheme whereby old-age pensions of ten shillings weekly shall begin in July, 1909. The Laborites propose that the money should be secured by an appropriation under the Customs Surplus Revenue Bill, now before the House of Representatives.

THOUSAND SALOONS GONE

Have Been Voted Out of Existence in the State of Illinois.

A despatch from Chicago says: The great liquor contest in Illinois has resulted in the saloon party winning decisively in most of the larger cities, but losing in scores of smaller ones, 1,014 saloons being voted out of existence.

The returns as collected by townships are even more impressive from the prohibition viewpoint, 828 townships, or more than three-fourths of the total number, being closed to the saloon. Only by winning in the larger cities did the liquor interests save themselves from a complete rout.

Returns from the 1,200 townships of the State are incomplete, and it is not possible to state with exactness how many saloons will close their doors thirty days hence as a result of Tuesday's balloting. The figures available place the number at over 1,000, being for the most part in towns which had from five to twenty-five saloons each.

A despatch from Denver, Col., says: Thirty-five towns in Colorado in which elections were held on Tuesday voted on the question of local option. Nineteen of these elections resulted in no license and sixteen voted to license saloons. The anti-saloon element won over four towns that were formerly "wet," and the liquor element made gains of five towns, giving them the advantage of one in the total of changes.

PERCY BOWINS NOT GUILTY

Detroit Jury Acquitted Him of Charge of Murder.

A despatch from Detroit says: Percy Bowins was acquitted at noon on Thursday of the murder of "Mother" Cornelia Welch. The jury was out not quite three hours. The verdict came as a tremendous surprise to the entire city, although those who had been watching the trial closely during its closing days saw evidences among the jury which led them to believe that a conviction might not be reached.

"Is this verdict unanimous, gentlemen?" inquired the Judge when the foreman had given the decision.

The jury was polled by the clerk, and each member separately declared that the verdict was his.

The Judge was plainly indignant, and before ordering the release of the prisoner he bitterly scored the jury for its action.

"This is the grossest miscarriage of justice that has stained the records of this court for many years," he declared "You men have deliberately set free a bad criminal, set him free after he had been fairly proven guilty of this crime. You are putting a premium upon murder, for you are publishing to the world that in Detroit a moral degenerate may with impunity take human life. The citizens of this community should be thankful that none of these gentlemen can serve on another jury in three years," added Judge Phelan.

Bowins was released from custody at once, and will proceed to Toronto with his mother, and then to the home in Woodville. On being set free he went at once to the jail to obtain his effects. He had hardly stepped into the cell block to procure his belongings from his cell when the word of acquittal flashed through the cells. There was a roar of applause from the prisoners, and it continued during the time Percy was in the cell.

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SOMETHING ABOUT TEETH

MADE UP OF DENTINE, CEMENT AND ENAMEL.

Teeth Vary in Form and Number More Than Any Other Animal Organs —Incisive Stories.

Teeth are not bones, as most people imagine them to be. Though they are attached to the skeleton, they are not a part of it. They develop from the dermis or skin, and are, as a rule, made up of three substances—"dentine," "cement," and "enamel."

Enamel is the hardest of all animal substances. It actually contains more than ninety-six parts in one hundred of mineral matter—mainly phosphate of lime—while bone contains only 60 per cent. This accounts for the fact that teeth are more indestructible than any other part of the animal frame.

What is more wonderful still is that the tooth is the keynote of the frame. An expert anatomist needs only to be shown a tooth or two in order to reconstruct from them the animal from whose jaw they originally came—and this although the animal itself has been dead ten million years, and its kind extinct for almost as long.

Not only do the teeth show what their owner looked like, whether it was animal, lizard, fish, or bird—some extinct birds used to possess teeth—but a study of a set of these useful organs will show what the creature used to feed on, and, incidentally, tell a great deal

ABOUT ITS LIFE AND HABITS.

An elephant has usually only four teeth in use besides his tusks. But they are big enough to make up in size what they lack in number. The teeth of the elephant tribe are so different from those of other animals that, when a fossil is dug up, the geologist can at once be certain to what race of creatures it belonged, and is able to reconstruct the gigantic mastodon, or hairy mammoth, in whose jaw it originally grew.

At the other end of the scale, in point of number of teeth, comes the snail. The common garden snail is the happy possessor of 135 rows each of 105 teeth, or a matter of 14,175 teeth in all.

The teeth of fish vary more greatly than those of any other known creatures. Their teeth are not divided into incisors, canines, and molars, as in mammals, but almost every different kid of fish has differently-shaped teeth. Sharks, for instance, have several rows of teeth, all extremely sharp-pointed. The front row stands up erect, but those behind are more or less recumbent. There is never any difficulty in identifying a shark's tooth.

Rays, or skates, have their mouths lined with a sort of pavement of bony matter, quite unmistakable. The wolf-fish has pointed teeth in the front of its jaws, and strong crushing teeth in the roof of the mouth.

Most fish have a great number of teeth. The dolpin, for instance, possesses two hundred; but there are others—like the sturgeon—which have no teeth at all. Almost all fish—sharks especially—shed their teeth frequently, and

GROW NEW ONES TO REPLACE THEM

Snakes' teeth—the poison-fangs, that is—have the same peculiarity. There are always fresh ones in reserve to take the place of those which get broken. A rattlesnake may have as many as ten of these reserve teeth. Snakes' fangs are very sharp, very elastic, and, contrary to common belief, never hollow, but provided with a groove, along which the poison flies.

The sharp tusks of the crocodile and all flesh-eating lizards need only to be seen once to be easily identified afterwards. Some reptiles are toothless. These are tortoises, turtles, and toads. A frog may easily be distinguished from a toad from the fact that the latter has no teeth, while the former has teeth in the upper jaw, but none in the lower.

As for monkeys, it is one more proof, according to scientists, of the descent of man from these animals that all the monkeys and apes have thirty-two teeth, arranged very similarly to our own.—London Answers.

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BITS OF KNOWLEDGE.

Interesting Items of Information About 'Most Everything.

The only country in the world where the fashions in woman's dress do not change is Japan.

It takes about three seconds for a message to go from one end of the Atlantic cable to the other.

Among birds the swan lives to be the oldest, in extreme cases reaching 300 years. The falcon has been known to live over 162 years.

The value of all kinds of fish landed in England and Wales in one year is over $35,000,000, and the number of men and boys employed over 40,000.

Putting up telegraph wires on poles costs $155 per mile. Laying the same wire underground will cost more than ten times that sum—about $1,850 a mile.

Red glass hastens vegetation, while blue glass suppresses it. Sensitive plants, like the mimosa, grow fifteen times higher under red glass than under blue.

Trained falcons, to carry despatches in the time of war, have been tested in the Russian army. Their speed is four times as rapid as that of carrier-pigeons.

The Town lerk of Birmingham, England, Mr. Edward O. Smith, has just resigned. His salary was $10,000 a year, and he will now enjoy a pension of $6,000 a year for life.

NEW STRENGTH FOR THE SPRING

Nature Needs Assistance in Making New Health-Giving Blood.

In the spring your system needs toning up. In the spring to be healthy and strong you must have new blood, just as the trees must have new sap. Nature demands it and nature's laws are inexorable. Without new blood you will feel weak and languid. You may have twinges of rheumatism, or the sharp, stabbing pains of neuralgia, there may be disfiguring pimples or eruptions of the skin, a tired feeling in the morning, and a variable appetite. These are some of the signs that the blood is out of order, that the long trying months of indoor winter life have told upon you. A purgative medicine, such as too many people take in spring, can't help you. Purgatives merely gallop through the system, and further weaken you. Any doctor will tell you that this is true. What people need in the spring is a tonic medicine, and in all the world there is no tonic can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Every dose of this medicine helps to make new, rich, red blood—your greatest need in spring. This new, red blood clears the skin, drives out disease and makes weak, easily tired men, women and children bright, active and strong. Try this great blood-building medicine this spring, and see what new life and energy it will give you.

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from any medicine dealer or by mail post paid at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

WAKING UP CURMUDGE.

"Mr. Bong," said the secretary of the Fearful Accident Insurance Company, "be sure and drop in at old Curmudge s as you pass this morning, and express your sympathy over the loss of his brother in the railway accident yesterday. Express mine also to him."

"But old Curmudge had no brother in the accident," said the canvasser.

"Well, what has that got to do with it?" said the secretary, cheerily. "All he can do is to tell you so."

"But it might unnecessarily alarm him," persisted the canvasser.

"That's the point; that's exactly the point," returned the secretary, cheerily. "Alarm him as much as possible. His own policy runs out next month, and it is one of our duties to remind our patrons that in the midst of life we are surrounded by accidents. And, Mr. Bong, he added, as the patient canvasser departed on his errand, "take this piece of orange peel and put is carefully on the front steps. It is by attention to details that the symmetry of perfect business is built up."

HEALTH FOR CHILDREN EASE FOR MOTHERS

Baby's Own Tablets will promptly and surely cure all the minor ailments of babies and young children, such as constipation, colic, indigestion, diarrhoea, worms, teething troubles. They break up colds, prevent croup and cure simple fever. The Tablets contain no poisonous opiate or narcotic, as is testified by a government analyst. Mrs. Ronald F. Seafield, Palmer Rapids, Ont., says:—"I have found Baby's Own Tablets so satisfactory in curing the ailments of childhood that I would not care to be without them in the home." Sold by medicine dealers, or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

WINDS AND FISH.

A singular correspondence has lately been brought to light between the prevailing direction of the wind on the coast of New South Wales and the average catch of fish. The winds influence the ocean currents, which in turn influence the course of the fish. These influences have periods of three or four years. Thus in 1898 there was a general scarcity of fish, but afterward they became more and more abundant up to 1901. In 1905 there was another scarcity of fish, but the next year they began to return in increasing numbers. The cause of these variations was a mystery until the coincidence with the prevailing direction of the coastal winds was noticed. Now it is thought that by the study of the winds the prospects of the fishermen may be predicted two or three years in advance.

A CHOIR LEADER

Tells How Pe-ru-na Rid Him of All Catarrhal Troubles.



PE-RU-NA SCORES
Another Triumph in Canada.

"A Relief to Breathe Freely Once More."

MR. G. W. MARTIN, Hartford, Ont., choir leader at St. Paul's Episcopal church, writes:

"Peruna is a wonderful remedy for catarrhal troubles.

"I have been troubled with catarrh for a great many years, and always trying something for it, but was able only to secure temporary relief until I used Peruna.

"Only five bottles rid my system of all traces of catarrh, and I have not noticed the slightest trouble for several months.

"My head was stopped up, my breath offensive, and it is a relief to be able to breathe freely once more."

BLACK RAIN.

One of the services of science is in destroying superstition, and a notable example of this was afforded recently in Ireland. On the night of October 8th last, a fall of black rain, leaving inky pools on the roads, occurred in many parts of the island. It was noted at Lord Rosse's famous observatory at Birr Castle, and an investigation of the meteorological conditions prevailing at the time followed. The result was to show that there had been a movement of the air over the central part of the British Islands such as to carry soot from the manufacturing districts of England over the Irish Channel. Examination of the black rain showed that its color was due to the presence of an extraordinary amount of soot.

If your children moan and are restless during sleep, coupled, when awake, with a loss of appetite, pale countenance, picking of the nose, etc., you may depend upon it that the primary cause of the trouble is worms. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator effectually removes these pests, at once relieving the little sufferers.

MALIGNANT.

Mrs. Chugwater looked up from the newspaper she had been reading.

"Josiah," she asked, "what is the onion cure?"

"There's no such thing as an onion cure," answered Mr. Chugwater. "Anybody that's got the onion habit is incurable."

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PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

The reason some men like to go home at night is because of the pleasure it gives them to go away again the next morning.

Everybody in town should get the best paint to paint their houses. It is Ramsay's Paints that have stood the test as the best paints for over 60 years. Your dealer has just received a big stock with handsome color cards to show you. Write A. Ramsay & Son Co., Montreal, for pack of Souvenir Picture Post Cards of Homes.

A woman's idea of economy is to take an old $9.98 hat and fix it over at a cost of $12, so that it will look like new.

Nothing looks more ugly than to see a person whose hands are covered over with warts. Why have these disfigurements on your person when a sure remover of all warts, corns, etc., can be found in Holloway's Corn Cure.

The Duke of Portland's extensive estates comprise 100,000 acres in Caithness, 17,000 in Ayrshire, 12,000 in Northumberland, 10,000 in Nottinghamshire, and 5,000 in the Midlands.

Zinc coffins are largely used in Vienna, but the more expensive ones are made of copper, and cost as much as $2,500, while a bronze and copper coffin recently made for a Russian archduke cost over $5,000.

Metals get tired as well as living things. Telegraph wires are better conductors on Monday than Saturday, on account of their Sunday rest, and a rest of three weeks adds 10 per cent. to the conductivity of a wire.

Twenty years ago the wages of Nottingham, England, lacemakers were as high as $30 and $35 a week, and the profits of the employers ranged up to 100 per cent. To-day, if a man is working full time, he may earn from $12.50 to $20 a week.

THE YOUNG MAN RECOVERED.

Had Eaten a "Sacred Potato," and a Missionary Saved His Life.

If it be the case that the imagination has much to do in the healing of the sick, as all physicians admit, it is not unreasonable to hold the same mental faculty responsible for many illnesses. The author of "Forty Years in New Zealand" was a missionary among the Maoris half a century ago, and had to care for the bodies as well as for the souls of his people. One of his medical cases was of peculiar interest.

As an example, says the missionary, I may cite the case of an athletic young man who was brought to me one day by a venerable old chieftain. From head to foot the young man was trembling with excitement. He had come for some medicine. The cause of his illness was that he had by accident eaten a "sacred potato." He most firmly believed that for such an act of sacrilege the offended god had entered his stomach in the form of a lizard, and was consuming his vitals. Unless I could deliver him, he must die. It was equally vain to laugh, or to reason with superstitious fear.

After making the orthodox examination of my patient, I gave him some aperient pills, and told him to keep quiet for a while and he would recover. The next day I was told that the young man was still ill, and would die. Repairing to the village, I found him pale, haggard but resigned, sitting at one end of a long hut open in front. From twenty to thirty chiefs were seated near him, smoking their pipes and discussing the current news. The old women were preparing the ovens for the entertainment of his friends, who would flock to the place on the report of his death. In three days he was to die, and they were making preparations for the event.

I expressed my regret and disappointment, and re-examined my patient. I found out my mistake; had given him medicine internally. I would now apply it externally; and with an air of the greatest confidence, I assured them that he would recover immediately on its taking effect, and this they would know by its producing a stinging pain. On this I sent him a blistering plaster, with direction to apply it to the chest. In less than an hour the young man cried out, "It bites! it bites!" and all said, "Now he will recover," and so he did.

WHAT CAUSES HEADACHE.
From October to May, Colds are the most frequent cause of Headache. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes cause. E. W. Grove on box 25c

MORE OF HIM.

Miss Mugley—"The idea of his calling me homely. I may not be very pretty, but I'm certainly not as homely as he is."

Miss Knox—"No, dear; but that's simply because he's bigger than you are."

For Inflammation of the Eyes.—Among the many good qualities which Parmelee's Vegetable Pills possess, besides regulating the digestive organs, is their efficacy in reducing inflammation of the eyes. It has called forth many letters of recommendation from those who were afflicted with this complaint and found a cure in the pills. They affect the nerve centres and the blood in a surprisingly active way, and the result is almost immediately seen.

YES.

It takes a mighty hard, long, tough old winter to affect a girl's appetite for ice cream soda.

Tiny tubercles on the skin of scrofulous people produce the hideous disease called lupus. Weaver's Cerate, used in time, will save the skin from destruction. Apply to all affected parts. Cleanse the blood with Weaver's Syrup

AN ANCIENT MARINER.

Old Lady (who had given the tramp five cents)—Now, what will you do with it?

Hungry Hobo—Waal, ye see, mum, if I buy an auto, there ain't enough left to hire a shofur. So I guess 'll get a schooner of beer. I kin handle that meself.

A Good Name is to be Prized.—There have been imitations of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil which may have been injurious to its good name, but if so, the injury has only been temporary. Goodness must always come to the front and throw into the shadow that which is worthless. So it has been with Eclectric Oil; no imitation can maintain itself against the genuine article.

HOW DIFFERENT IT SOUNDS.

"Mother," whispered Jack Graham, "I have a great secret to tell you. Mary Brownell proposed to me last night, and I accepted her. Oh, mother, she's such a lovely girl, and so romantic! I am sure we shall be so happy!"

But why carry it any further? It's too ridiculous, even if it is Leap Year.

OF COURSE.

"I hear your old minister has gone in for ritualism?"

"Yes, he's gone wrong completely."

"Why, how can you say that? He's all-rite now, isn't he?"

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WARNING WORDS.

"Don't expect to be too independent in dis life," said Uncle Eben. "De man dat kin git along wifout everybody else is mighty liable to be a man dat everybody else kin git along wifout."

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Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

JUST AS GOOD, BUT—

Biggs—"What do you know about Blanks? Is he as good as his word?"

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Some persons are more susceptible to colds than others, contracting derangements of the pulmonary organs from the slightest causes. These should always have at hand a bottle of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the present day sovereign remedy for coughs, catarrh and inflammation of the lungs. It will effect a cure no matter how severe the cold may be. You cannot afford to be without a remedy like Bickle's, for it is the best.

HE WAS RIGHT.

"You are too fly," he said to her,
In a straightforward fashion;
And then, as if to prove his words,
She flew into a passion.

After Wasting Fevers hasten recovery to health by the use of "Ferrovim.' It is the *best tonic*. It builds, strengthens and gives new vitality. Try it, it will make you feel strong.

NO BETTER.

Scrappeigh—I was a confounded fool when I got married!

Mrs. Scrappeigh—Well, John, married life hasn't changed you any!

DON'T USE POOR OIL.
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Any lady having used any make of sewing machine for 5 years or more write Singer Sewing Machine Co., Manning Chambers, Toronto, for beautiful set of ten souvenir views of Ontario. Free for asking.

SO MAN YDO.

Bink—"At the beginning of the year I started to keep a diary."

Winks—"And did you carry it out?"

Bink—"Yes, I carried it out the other day in the ashbox."

They Drive Pimples Away.—A face covered with pimples is unsightly. It tells of internal irregularities which should long since have been corrected. The liver and the kidneys are not performing their functions in the healthy way they should, and these pimples are to let you know that the blood protests. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will drive them all away, and will leave the skin clear and clean. Try them, and there will be another witness to their excellence.

THE QUESTION.

Guide (showing places of historic interest)—"It was in this room that Wellington received his first commission. Yes, sir, it is a fact."

Mr. Einstein—"Vot percentage of commission did he get?"

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HIS REWARD.

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The general manager was asked if the company would not do something for him, as he was very poor.

"How long has he been with us?" the official inquired.

"Over forty years."

"Always did his duty?"

"Never missed a day."

"You say he is very old and feeble?"

"Yes. The chances are that he will never leave his bed again."

"H'm! Poor fellow! We must do something for him. I'll give him a free pass for life over all the company's railway system.

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PLANTS HAVE EYES.

Potatoes have "eyes," as most people know, but how many are aware that certain common garden and wild flowers are similarly equipped? The nasturtium, begonia, clover, wood-sorrel, and bluebell, among others, have eyes placed on their leaves. They are tiny protuberances, filled with a transparent, gummy mixture, which focuses the rays of light upon a sensitive patch of tissue behind them. A nasturtium plant has thousands of such "eyes" on its leaves, but it is not yet known if the plant can actually see. Are the sense impressions telegraphed to some central nerve corresponding with the brain of the animal kingdom? In addition to this visual organ, many plants show a touch of sensitiveness that points to further resemblance to animals; while certain seaweeds and mosses in an early stage of their existence are able to actually swim through the water.

Probably the most expensive of fur coats is the one a man is apt to find on his tongue the next morning.

Shiloh's Cure Cures Coughs and Colds QUICKLY

Use Shiloh's Cure for the worst cold, the sharpest cough—try it on a guarantee of your money back if it doesn't actually CURE quicker than anything you ever tried. Safe to take,—nothing in it to hurt even a baby. 34 years of success commend Shiloh's Cure—25c., 50c., $1. 315

Two Toronto Novelties.

Toronto, April 14—Stanley Asquith, the propietor of a boot and shoe repair shop at 273 College street, is third cousin to the premier of England, Mr. Herbert H. Asquith. His assistant, Mr. Charles Lewes, is the man who was the conductor of the first car that ran through the Piccadilly tube in London, opened a few years ago by Mr. David Lloyd-George, the new chancellor of the Exchequer.

For Thin, Poor Blood

You can trust a medicine tested 60 years! Sixty years of experience, think of that! Experience with Ayer's Sarsaparilla; the original Sarsaparilla; the Sarsaparilla the doctors endorse for thin blood, weak nerves, general debility.

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ANNOUNCEMENT !

Mr. C. M Empey of Keene, N.H., wishes to announce to the public that after April the 1st that he will carry on a house painting business in Morewood and surrounding country and towns, where he will do Varnishing, Papering, and all kinds of interior decorating, by day or contract. Having had fourteen years' experience in this line in Keene, N.H, and Boston, Mass., can give the best satisfaction. Kalsomining and Hardwood finish a specialty Papering by the day or roll.

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Class III—May Bogart, Willie Patterson, Pearl McMillan, Bessie Miller, Fred Dillabough, Annie Curran, Jas. Hunt, Christie Munroe, Allan Kearns, Pansy Pollock, Lindsay Meldrum, Flora Thompson, Roy Miller, Rupert Meldrum, Willie Servage, Willie Rady, Mado Patterson, Alice Ruddy, Joseph Hunt, Veral Hutt, Murnie Empey, Nellie Servage, Herbert Dutt, Ethen Meldrum, Willie Alguire, Sam Kearns, Walter Bogart, Katie Segouin, Edward Curran.

Class II Senior—Ivan Meldrum, Dorothy Fusee, Clara Christie, Stanley Miller, Maggie Meldrum, Evelyn Meldrum, Joseph Rady, Wendell Hemy, Russell Gray, Fred Dubious, Fred Kearns, Lena Gray, Cassie Fusee, Elridge Dubious, Mary Curran, Martin Ruddy.

Perfect in attendance—Stuart Dillabough, Maude Gray, Mary Bogart, Annie Curran, Fred Dillabough, Bessie Miller, Ethan Meldrum, Joseph Hunt, James Hunt, Mary Curran, Wendall Henry, Ivan Meldrum, Stanley Miller.

Highest daily attendance 53.

Average—47.

HOWARD S. MONTGOMERY, Teacher.

Senior Department.

Class II, Junior—Ealred McDonald, Muriel Patterson, Ethan Dubois, Cassie Kearns, Clara Thompson, Arnold Meldrum, Lloyd McMonagle, Walter Book out, Antionette Lalonde, Herbie Bogart, Ida Carr, Peter McMillan, Clement Whittaker.

Class I, Part II—Maggie Marcellus, Hattie Miller, Nellie Casselman, Percy Ouderkirk Rubena Carr, Maggie Craggon Nellie Gray, Clara McMonagle, James Bookhout, Tena Helmer, Mary Dubois, Aden Casselman.

Class I Part I—Maggie Summers, Errington Thompson, Olia Meldrum, John Bogart.

Perfect attendance during month—Clement Whittaker, Cassie Kearns, Herbie Bogart, Maggie Marcellus, Aden Casselman.

Highest daily attendance—23.

Average daily attendance—19.

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That languid, lifeless feeling that comes with spring and early summer, can be quickly changed to a feeling of buoyancy and energy by the judicious use of Dr. Shoop's Restorative.

The Restorative is a genuine tonic to tired, rundown nerves, and but a few doses is needed to satisfy the user that Dr. Shoop's Restorative is actually reaching that tired spot. The indoor life of winter nearly always leads to sluggish bowels, and to sluggish circulation in general.

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Two Years with Hard Labor.

Cobourg, April 14.—Frederick Mallory, who was arrested for drunkeness in Port Hope and sent to Cobourg jail for ten days, was afterwards taken to Lindsay to stand trial on a charge of stealing a coonskin coat, the property of Abraham Warren, of Cambray, and valued at $40.00. He was sentenced by Magistrate Jackson, of Lindsay, to two years less one day at hard labor in Central Prison.

Girl Confesses to Theft.

Ottawa, April 14.—The Ottawa police have taken into custody a girl, 16 years of age, who was caught stealing from the parlors of Bank Street Presbyterian church. She is believed to have been the perpetrator of a series of thefts from that church and its people during the past winter. After having been detained at police headquarters since Saturday last, though the affair was kept secret by the police until today.

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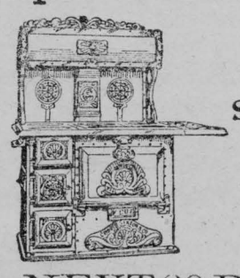

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BERWICK.

April 15th.

Geo. Gray and family are leaving in the near future for Grimsby, where they intend to reside.

Mrs. Wm. Burd is on the sick list.

D. McDonald has fully recovered from his recent illness, and has returned to Nyando, N.Y.

M. S. Gracy of Connaught, passed through here on Tuesday last.

A. R. McMonagle and family left on Wednesday last for Ottawa, where they will reside.

Jas. Barclay and family have moved to Berwick.

John Nugent of Newington, visited friends here on Wednesday.

S. Hutt has disposed of his residence and blacksmith shop to H. McMonagle of Finch.

D. Rutley is engaged learning the cheese making with P. Hutt.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McCloskey of Grantley, visited Mrs. John Grady, Jr., recently.

Several young people of this vicinity spent an enjoyable evening at the home of J. Pollock on Friday last.

It Prevents Sore Throat.

No Simpler way to kill a cold and stamp out sore throat than by applying Nerviline—rub it in freely, and then put on a Nerviline Porous Plaster on the chest These remedies hunt out pain, destroy every trace of congestion, cure the cold and tendency to bronchitis. Thousands find Nerviline inestimably the best remedy for pains, aches, bruises, neuralgia sciatica, colds and winter ills. Not only is it penetrating and powerful, but it is safe and economical. All dealers sell Polson's Nerviline. Large bottles for 25c., the plasters same price. Beware of substitutes.

Auction Sales.

Monday, April 20—Farm stock, etc., by auction, at lot 5, in 10th con. of Finch Tp., one mile east of Cannamore. Sale at 1 o'clock. Joseph Lapalme, prop.; Jas. Currie, auctioneer.

Tuesday, April 21—Auction sale of farm stock, etc., by auction at McMillan Bros., who reside 1½ miles east of Dunbar. Sale at 1 o'clock. J. D. and A. P. McMillan, proprietors; Thos. Irving, auctioneer.

Wednesday, April 22nd — Geo. Sparks and Son will hold an auction sale at H. Loughridge's, Morewood, of 35 milch cows. Sale at 2 o'clock. Thos. Irving, Auctioneer.

Brockville License Commissioners.

Brockville, Ont., April 14.—Owing to the proposed redistribution of this riding by the Whitney Government, a change is necessary in the Board of License commissioners. John Haffie, a prominent conservative, now a member of the board, is a resident of Escott township, which has been placed in Leeds, and is therefore not eligible for a commissionship. He will likely be succeeded by H. N. Stinson, reeve of Kitley township.

A Vegetable Constipation Cure.

Because they contain mercury and mineral salts, many pills are harsh. The easiest and safest laxative is Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut. They clean the stomach, intestines and bowels—drive out waste matter, tone the kidneys and forever cure constipation. As a general tonic and system cleanser nothing is so mild and efficient as Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut. Sold everywhere in 25c. boxes.

Oglivie Flour Mills Company.

Ottawa, April 11.—Authority has been granted by letters patent to the Oglivie Flour mills Company to increase their capital stock from $3,250,000 to $4 500,000; and also to permit of its carrying on the business of transportation, warehousemen, etc, as well as to amalgamate with other companies in a similar line of business to its own.

CRYSLER.

James Laponsee has purchased a young horse.

Mr. Braithwaite was in Ottawa on business last week.

Miss McMahon is learning millinery with Miss Dunlop.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Currie were in Cornwall last week.

Miss Maggie Wert of Casselman, has come here to stay with her parents for a month.

Mr. Brebant has left the employ of G. U. Richards and will be replaced by Mr. Lafleur.

Someone entered Braithwaite & Co's. mill last week and carried away a few costly articles.

Miss Dunlop will have her millinery opening at J. B. Lafrance's on April 13, 14 and 15.

Albert Rochon has purchased one of Joseph Laponsee's properties and will reside there in future.

The ice started to come down the river Tuesday of last week, and the water rose considerably, but has not caused any damage.

Napoleon Landry has rented his farm to Mr. Lebrun and will reside in Casselman in the future, where he has started a flour and feed store.

The Girl That is Pale.

She is in danger, her system is run down, weak—she needs nourishment, needs richer blood. More than all else she needs Ferrozone, needs it because it brings back the nerve energy which rapid growth and study have exhausted. The old-time vigor, happy spirits and new strength return with Ferrozone. The delicate maid is energized, strengthened and rebuilt. Isn't it worth while using Ferrozone when it surely does so much. At all dealers in 50c. boxes.

Only one person in four in London earns more than $5 per week.

THE BOYNE.

Miss Violetta C. Hart of Winchester, was renewing acquaintances here recently.

Mr. Jas. MacRae, of Chesterville, Sundayed here with his friend Mr. Harold Durant.

Mr. and Mrs O. Durant of Chesterville, spent Friday here.

Miss Mabel Alford of Chesterville, spent part of last week with her cousin, Miss Jean Munro.

Mr. and Mrs. R Hepburn and children of Morewood, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Durant one day last week.

Mrs. Wm. Irving of Durbar, and daughter Miss Bertha, are at present guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carman Timmins of Winchester, spent Friday last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Anderson.

Our cheese factory is running full swing under the able management of Mr. Ducliex.

Weak women get prompt and lasting help by using Dr. Shoop's Night Cure. These soothing, healing, antiseptic suppositors with full information how to proceed are interestingly told of in my book "No. 4 For women." The book and strictly confidential medical advice is entirely free. Simply write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. for my book No. 4. Sold by Walter G. Bolster.

Collingwood will Appeal Against License Decision.

Collingwood, April 15.—At a meeting of the Town Council held last night, at which thirteen of the fourteen members were present, it was unanimously decided to enter an appeal against the judgement of Mr. Justice Britton, quashing the by-law fixing the license fee for hotels and liquor shops at $2,500.

The motion was based on the alleged promise of Hon. W. J. Hanna, Provincial Secretary, that the Government would resist any motion to quash the by-law, and it is understood that the Goverment is to meet all expenses in connection with the appeal.

Mayor Watson and Mr. John Birnie, K. C., were appointed to look after the interests of the town, and interview Hon. W.J. Hanna in respect to the question. This interview has been arranged for Thursday afternoon when it is expected that Hon. Mr. Hanna will definitely announce his policy in respect to the by-law.

Much interest is taken in the subject here, the Council Chamber being crowded when the matter was introduced and disposed of.

Death of Mrs. Mowat.

Kingston, April 14.—Mrs. Mowat, relict of the late George Mowat of Toronto, and sister-in-law of the late Sir Oliver Mowat, died in Rochester, N.Y. Her remains were interred here yesterday. Her maiden name was Bruce, a family prominent in Kingston in the early days. One son, Joseph Fraser Mowat, resides in Toronto.

Edmonton police statistics show a big increase in crime during March.

PAINTING and REPAIRING

I am now ready to take in Buggies and all kinds of Carriage Painting for spring. If you want your job done prompt, and in first-class style and quality, bring it in now. Later on in the rush you will have to wait, or perhaps can not get it done at all. As I have to refuse painting every year in the busy time, it will be in your interest and will help me, if you will bring your work in at once.

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AUCTION - SALE

—OF—

FARM STOCK AND IMPLEMENTS

McMILLAN BROS.

Who reside One and Half Miles East of Dunbar, will offer for sale by Public Auction on

TUESDAY, APRIL the 21st, 1908

The Following Articles:

4 registered cows (Ayrshires)
1 registered Ayrshire heifer, 2 years old
1 registered Ayrshire heifer, 1 year old
1 Ayrshire bull, 1 year old, eligible to registration
1 Ayrshire bull (registered) 3 yrs. old
20 grade cows
8 yearling heifers (grade Ayrshires)
8 shoats 2 brood sows 1 set drag harrows
1 plow 2 set bobsleighs 1 cream separator
150 sap buckets 1 Massey-Harris Binder
1 riding corn cultivator 1 mower 1 horse rake
1 gasolene engine, 4 horse power 1 circular saw
1 disc harrow 1 milk wagon 1 cutter
1 buggy
1 ensilage cutter (Bell No. 50) 35 foot carriers
1 corn harvester 1 cooler
100 cedar pieces (from 25 ft. to 50 ft. long
1 car, fork and pulleys
And other articles too numerous to mention

SALE TO COMMENCE AT 1 o'CLOCK

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

On account of going west and having sold the farm, everything offered for sale will be sold to the highest bidder.

THOS. IRVING, Auctioneer.

J. D. McMILLAN, A. P. McMILLAN } Proprietors.

Cregan, the former tax collector of Thorold, arrested at Cobden last week admitted the theft of taxes and was allowed to go on making restitution.

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First-Class Bread, Cakes, Cream Sodas, etc.

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We handle the National, which is known far and near as the best Cream Separator on the market.

CARRIAGES:—
The Canada Carriage Co., which is famous for quality of material, workmanship and finish.

PIANOS:—
Sole agent for this district for the Mason & Risch Pianos.

Call and inspect goods and get prices

Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

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Beginning of next week we will have for sale a Stock of Boots and Shoes at BARGAIN PRICES

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MASSENA LEMONS	20c per Dozen
MARMALADE ORANGES	25c "
CALIFORNIA NAVAL ORANGES	50c "
JUMBO VALENCIA ORANGES (Very Sweet)	30c "
APPLES	10c "
PURE MAPLE SUGAR	12c per lb.

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

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

Yours truly

I. PELLETIER, Chesterville.