The Leader

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Local and General

Whitteker, the Optician, will be at Morrisburg, Feb. 22nd to March 1st.

Dr. Will C. Davy went to Toronto Monday night for a few days.

Judge Herbert S. McDonald, of Brockville, celebrated his 71st birthday on Sunday last.

Monday, March 3rd, we will sell 3 pieces regular 12½c. Flannelette at 9c. per yard. D. C. Bush.

Mr. George S. Bowman, of Montreal, is spending a couple of days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Bowman.

Rev. F. G. Orchard, of St. Alban's School, Brockville, has been appointed head master of Trinity College, Port Hope.

Men's overcoats for $1.98 at Relyea's moving sale, starts Friday, Feb. 28th, and closes Monday night, March 3rd. Three days only.

Mrs. George Biccum was brought home from the Cornwall General Hospital last week, much improved in health, though still very weak.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church, holds it annual self-denial concert to-morrow evening. A good programme has been prepared.

The revival services conducted at Winchester seems to have done good to some residents of that village. The customs officer here was this week the recipient of $6.00 conscience money.

The Ladies' Aid and Women's Missionary Society of St John's E. L. church, Riverside, will hold a social at the residence of Mr. J. Arthur Whitteker on Thursday, March 6th. All welcome.

The many friends of Mr. Fred Harrison, of Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Harrison, of this town, will now congratulate him and his good wife on the arrival of twin daughters on Friday last. All are doing well.

In the police court, at Cornwall, A. E. Fetterly, of Aultsville, License Inspector, charged a man named Beckstead, of Farran's Point, with being intoxicated in a local option district. He was fined $20 and costs, or $29.60 in all.

A man who was full of John Barleycorn deliberately walked into the residence of Mr. Walter Fetterly on Monday night and when remonstrated with became abusive and refused to go out. Walter was equal to the occasion, however, and ejected the man.

Mr. D. F. Sutherland, one of Winchester's most prominent citizens, died on Monday night after a short illness with heart trouble. He was about sixty years of age and conducted a private banking business. A widow and daughter survive him, the latter of whom is now in Paris studying music and is scoring great success.

At the inter-club debate held between Saturday Night and New Century Debating clubs in Toronto recently, it was the unanimous decision of the judges, that it is in the best interests of our country that Canada should build and equip a navy of her own instead of contributing ships and money to strengthen the imperial navy. The Canadian navy policy was ably upheld by representatives of the New Century Debating Club, Messrs. Fred Darlington and J. Smith Carter, while the defence of the contribution plan was staunchly declared by Messrs. George W. Miller and William Fox, of the Saturday Night Club.

Monday's Montreal Herald contained the following despatch dated from Morrisburg:—"Mrs. John Boniface, a Dundee bride of three days, expressed the fear, yesterday afternoon, that she would be lonesome for her husband, during her honeymoon. 'You see,' explained the pretty bride, 'John had been saving up for almost a year so that we could be married before Easter. He furnished a house, and had all but enough money for two, to go on a wedding trip, so I'm going alone. Oh, yes, I will miss him a lot, and he'd been sort of looking forward to the trip too, but we couldn't both go, and I wasn't going to stay at home.' Mrs Boniface left last night, to be gone eight whole days, while John will remain on the farm, and keep house until his fair bride's return. 'But next time there's a trip going,' he remarked 'You can bet your boots Johnny will take it himself.'"

Miss Reita Pariseau is home from Montreal, where she has been taking music lessons.

If you intend buying a Northway Suit, Coat, or Skirt buy it now. We have only one of a kind. D. C. Bush.

Mr John Crawley, of Ottawa, arrived here Monday to spend a few weeks with Mr and Mrs Arthur Crawley.

Monday, March 3rd, we will sell 100 Factory Ends Lace—(1½ to 5 yds.) at one-third regular prices. D. C. Bush.

Foreman Bailey of the Hydro-Electric, informed The Leader that the stringing of wires from Morrisburg will be commenced next week.

You'll probably come to us eventually for Spring and Summer Dress Goods. Why not come now while the assortment is at its best? D. C. Bush.

Amid the fastest and most exciting game of hockey seen in Brockville for years, Brockville went down to defeat by 5 to 4 in the final game of the Interprovincial League.

2,000 yds. dress trimming, braids and laces will be offered at 1c. yard at Relyea's great moving sale. Starts Friday, Feb. 28th, and closes Monday, March 3. Three days only.

The Liberal Association will hold a public meeting in the Music Hall, Thursday evening, March 6th. The chief speaker will be Mr F. B. Carvel, a member for a New Brunswick constituency.

Church of England services on Sunday will be in St. James' church at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m. Subject in the evening "The Sin of Action." Service in Trinity church at 1 p. m. Special daily services in St James' hall during Lent.

Mrs. Nesfield Ward, an elderly resident of Prescott, was found dead in her room on Monday afternoon by her husband. When he left home Mrs. Ward was in excellent health and on returning a few hours later the gruesome discovery was made.

Mr. J. Wesley Allison's fine new Percheron stallion "Jacotin," has arrived and is the admiration of all who have seen him. He is a beautiful young horse of good conformation, and true to the Percheron type. He stands 16 hands and weighs 1900 lbs.

The Leader has to thank Mr. O. B. Dewey, of Tacoma, Wash., for a copy of the Tacoma Daily Ledger of Feb. 19th. The paper consists of 100 pages, and is an especial Panama Canal edition, and contains a map and various illustrations of the huge project. Thanks, O. B.

A lady called at The Leader office yesterday afternoon at 1.15 to get some auction sale bills printed. She was in a hurry and wanted them by 3.45 to take with her. The Leader was equal to the occasion, as at 2.15 there were ready for delivery for her, 100 one-quarter sheet bills. Moral: When in need of good printing, and in a hurry, try The Leader.

Mr J. M. Meikle of this place, has been for the past few weeks auditing the books of the C. F. McArthur Co., Ltd., Kenmore, which is now capitalized at $150,000.00. This company carry this year in their store at Kenmore about $40,000 stock. They are also operating a business at Russell, with a $17,000 stock, the organization of this store being attended to by Mr. Meikle.

A two day demonstration in box and barrel packing of apples will be held in the Agricultural office, Morrisburg, on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 4th and 5th. Mr. Leslie Smith, of Wellington, an expert box packer, will have charge of the demonstration work. Practical lectures will be delivered during the convention. A similar demonstration has been arranged for Dundela on March 6th and 7th. This is an excellent opportunity for the fruit growers of Dundas county to become familiar with the popular form of packing apples i.e., in the box

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan H. P. Ferris, of the Bath road, near Kingston, on Sunday celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. All their children, seven in number, were present to celebrate the occasion, along with twenty grandchildren and one great grandchild. The aged couple reside in the same home in which Mr. Ferris' father celebrated his golden wedding. The farm has been in the possession of the Ferris family for 115 years.

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Monday, March 3rd, we will sell 2 pieces best 45c. Union Carpet at 32c. per yard. D. C. Bush.

Mrs Clifford Green, of Oak Leaf, near Athens, gave birth recently to triplets—all boys.

Monday, March 3rd, we will sell 50 yds. Bleached Table-Linen—56 in., best 45c. linen at 25c. per yard. D.C. Bush.

Mrs. Walter Fetterly returned on Friday last from Nova Scotia, where she has been since last October with her son, Rev. Donald Fetterly.

People come long distances to buy our Curtains, Carpets and Linoleums. There's a reason—the assortment is good, the values are right. D.C. Bush

Mr. Lev. Southworth, of the St. Lawrence Hall, was able to resume his duties behind the office desk today, after being confined to his room for the past two weeks.

One of the "first aids" to fashionable attire is a perfect fitting Corset and a Corset of graceful lines. That's why dressmakers recommend Dress-wel Corsets. D C. Bush.

For stealing jewelry from his boarding house, a man who gave his name as James H. Brooks, but which is really Payette, was sentenced at Brockville on Monday by Judge McDonald to Kingston penitentiary for three years.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will take the form of a musical and social afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Arthur Casselman on Monday, March 3rd. The business meeting will begin at half-past three and the program promptly at 4 o'clock. Answer to roll call—My Favorite Song.

Oh, you M. C. I. Midgets! The score 13-2 and 15-5 might certainly indicate that the M. C. I. team was composed of midgets. The following observations in that connection are interesting. Midget Rooks, 6 feet 2 inches in his stocking feet, Midget Meikle another 6-footer. The remainder of the Midgets compare about as favorably with their name as the former two do.

The Star Theatre will have some extra good films next week. On Monday night will be seen "The Lion Tamer," which is fine; also "The Governor's Pardon." Tuesday night, "Summer Flirtation," and "Night Rustlers." Wednesday night, "Father's Glue and Lost Heirness," (comic), and "A Cowboy," (western). Watch for posters opposite the post office. There will be three reels each night.

Wm. Birch, a well-known cheesemaker of Grenville County, was found dead in his room at the Revere House in Prescott, Tuesday morning He was last seen alive about midnight, on Saturday, when he retired, and it is supposed that he was seized with the fatal attack shortly afterwards as he was found lying on the floor fully dressed. A post mortem revealed the fact that he died of hemorrhage. Birch was about thirty-eight years of age and for the past two years had been employed at the Groveton factory. He was an Englishman and is not known to have any relatives in this country.

Robert Flaherty, a respected resident of the 4th concession of Lancaster, died suddenly on Wednesday of last week. Deceased was in the employ of Mr. Peter Grant. He was in his usual health when he retired Tuesday night, and when he did not arise at his accustomed time next morning, Mr. Grant went to ascertain the cause. He found Mr. Flaherty dead in bed. Deceased was born at St. Raphael's. He is survived by four sisters—Mrs. Sheldon, of Plattsburg, N.Y.; Misses Mary and Christine Flaherty, and Mrs. Joseph Bailey, of Cornwall. The funeral took place to the church and cemetery at St. Raphael's on Friday morning.

A highly esteemed resident died at Cornwall, Tuesday morning in the person of V. John Burns, aged seventy one years. The late Mr Burns was born in Charlotteburg, in Glengarry township, and a year or so ago he moved to Cornwall. He followed the occupation of farmer. He was married to Emma Robertson, daughter of George Robertson, Maple Grove, who predeceased him by some sixteen years. The surviving family are: W. C. Burns, who for many years was a member of the Cornwall Lacrosse Club; Fred Burns, of Three Rivers; Robert, and Misses Maud and Helen, all residing in Cornwall. The funeral took place this morning to St. Columbus church and vault.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Casselman, of Montreal, spent the week-end in town.

Professor Morrison, of Queen's University, will deliver a lecture under the auspices of the Women's Institute on Thursday evening, March 13th, in the Collegiate Institute The subject will be "Edinburgh in the time of Sir Walter Scott," with lantern slides.

Mrs. E. P. Bradt (nee Margaret B Cox) held her post-nuptial reception on Thursday, Feb. 20th. She wore her wedding gown of white silk and chiffon and carried lillies of the valley. Mrs. Andrew Parkhill, of Montreal, aunt of the bride, received with her, wearing a gown of black sequin over white taffeta and corsage boquet of violets. Miss M. Loucks and Miss G. Cameron assisted in the drawing room, which was prettily decorated with daffodils and smilax. The table in the tea room was centred with a large bouquet of red and white carnations, which made a splendid effect of coloring under the brilliant lights of a red dome. Mrs. J. A. Farlinger and Mrs. Will C. Davy were in charge of the tea and coffee. Miss C. Loucks, Miss M. Allison, Mrs. Godfrey and Miss G. Bradfield were in the tea room, as kind attendants to the callers, who numbered about seventy-five.

POULTRY MEETINGS.

An interesting series of poultry meetings were held in Dundas County last week. Beginning at Iroquois on the evening of Thursday, Feb. 20th, Brinston, Friday afternoon, Morrisburg Friday evening, Williamsburg, Saturday afternoon, and finishing up at Nation Valley on Saturday evening.

Mr. F. N. Marcellus, of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, addressed the meetings at each place. On the whole they were all well attended, and the enthusiasm of those present indicated that the poultry business is a live one in Dundas county. When a crowd of one hundred people will attend a meeting given over entirely to the discussion of poultry, as was the case at three of the meetings last week, it is at least an indication that the people are convinced that the industry is a paying one.

The discussions and addresses at each meeting dealt with the breeding, housing, feeding, and co-operative marketing of the products.

Mr. Marcellus said there was no best breed; it was a matter of selecting the best strains within each breed, and in that way the egg production could be increased in any of the breeds. To increase egg production, select the females that begin laying early in the fall, and mark them, and then in the following spring use them in the breeding pen to secure eggs for hatching. It must not be forgotten that the power of transmitting heavy layers is through the male, and always select a male bird from a good laying strain. In the selection, constitution should always be kept in mind. This is indicated by a broad head, short, heavy beak and general robust appearance.

The houses should be dry, free from drafts, yet well ventilated. The cotton-front house was giving excellent satisfaction. The cotton should make up about two-thirds of the front, and the cotton one-third.

In feeding, it was a good policy to make the birds work for what they got. Scatter the whole feed in the litter and make them work for it. The method of feeding at Guelph was to feed two parts of wheat and one of corn night and morning. The last feed at night was fed in a trough, so that the birds could get a good full crop before going on the roost, and at the same time the morning feed was scattered in the straw, thus the one trip made the two feeds. At noon they were given some green food, such as alfalfa, mangels, cabbage, etc. They always had buttermilk and dry rolled oats before them.

Through the co-operative egg circles was the best way to dispose of eggs. Each farmer was paid according to the quality of his eggs, and in that way it was an inducement to market superior eggs. Through a good Circle, the prices would average 5 and 6 cents more per dozen.

Morrisburg Sanitarium

Experienced trained nurses, electrician, masseur and masseuse. Can now furnish nurses for private nursing, on application. Plain or electric facial massage for ladies, from 10 a. m. to 12 m. and from 2 p. m. to 4 p. m., at the Sanitarium. Super-heated air for rheumatism, sciatica' etc., given daily. 8tf

WITH THE CURLERS

Exciting Contests This Week—Skips Hilliard, Cameron and Gorrell in the Semi-Finals—Some Surprises.

The end of the curling schedule has brought some exciting games Monday night Baker and Gorrell were at it, when the latter won out by 17 to 9, which put Gorrell in the semi-finals with only two losses. Chalmers defeated Merkley 19 to 5 the same evening.

Tuesday night Cameron defeated Merkley by 12 to 9, which made the former a tie with Hilliard on points—109 each. The same night Chalmers' beat Meikle's rink (skipped by Justin McDonald) 15 to 7.

Wednesday night, the first semi-final proved a walk-over for Hilliard over Gorrell by 19 to 7. There was a big crowd present, and though the score was one-sided, there was much enthusiasm on both sides Possibly the great outbursts of applause for Gorrell was due to the great number of ladies present and the further fact that Dr. Gorrell is the only bachelor skip on the rinks this year. It was conceded by all that Mr. Hilliard and his men curled an excellent game, Mr. Hilliard seeming to be able to do the needful at all times, and placed his stones where he wanted.

There is very keen rivalry among the skips as to who is the better, and as a consequence two rinks of skips have been formed to play a series of games, best three in five, starting Wednesday next The rinks will be composed as follows:—

No. 1—Rev. Cameron W. G. Baker, I. Hilliard, Dr. Davy—skip

No. 2—F. R. Chalmers, J D McDonald, Dr. Gorrell, Geo. Merkley—skip.

These will be exciting matches and will draw out big crowds.

M. C. I. EXAMS.

Form V.—Algebra.

Helen Baker 91, Wm. Casselman 66, Harold Murphy 40, Ralph Ault 39, Arthur Riddell 39, Winnie Webb 39, Lloyd Bailey 34.

Form IV.—British History.

Eva Currie 75, R. A. Hart 69, W. Ross Strike 65, Ruth Hilliard 58, Dorothy Chalmers 58, Hazel Weaver 55, Lennie Merkley 53, Sadie Dillen 53, Matilda Baker 53, Malcolm Robertson 51, Zella Casselman 50, Bertha Barclay 46, Janie Hart 45, E. M. Strader 44, Annie LaBelle 42, C. M. Morgan 41, Mary Dillen 40, Eloie Casselman 36, Rex Becker 34.

Form III.—French.

Myrtle Cleland 79, Ethel Riddell 77, Calista Salmon 72, Jennie Shannette 55, Ivan Markell 44, Stirton Phifer 17, Donald Hanson 12.

Form II.—Science.

Clinton Fetterly 61, Hattie Mullin 60, Robert Casselman 59, Essie Pitt 59, Keith Barkley 54, Blanche VanAllen 54, Catherine MacArthur 53, Bruce Sherman 52, Ella Merkley 49, Alice Thom 43, Erma Tracy 42.

Form II.—Latin.

Blanche VanAllen 89, Clinton Fetterly 87, Keith Barkley 85, Bruce Sherman 76, Erma Tracy 75, Hattie Mullin 71, Alice Thom 69, Ella Merkley 63, Robert Casselman 62, Gladys Nash 59, Essie Pitt 54, Catharine MacArthur 33.

Form I.—Latin.

Clara Armstrong 94, Willie Duvall 91, Lucille Fetterly 87, Bertha Colquhoun 83, Violet Mullin 82, Ethel Willard 82, George Shennette 80, Glenn Strike 76, Isabel Eager 74, Clara Harrison 67, Martha Currie 55, Gerald Meikle 52, Phyllis Wadleigh 47, Clara Marshall 44, Amber McIntosh 41, Louise Hayunga 41, Wm. Rooks 39, Gladys Sherman 26, Robert Norval 21, Florence Colquhoun 19, Almeron Beach 15.

Form I.—Algebra.

Lucile Fetterly 70, Wm. Rooks 69, Ethel Willard 68, Wm. Duvall 67, Violet Mullin 63, Clara Armstrong 62, Glenn Strike 62, Bertha Colquhoun 61, George Shennette 58, Lloyd Dafoe 56, Isabel Eager 52, Almeron Beach 51, Clara Harrison 47, Louise Hayunga 45, Florence Colquhoun 43, Phyllis Wadleigh 41, Gerald Meikle 39, Clara Marshall 37, Amber McIntosh 36, Charles Story 36, Tena Flemming 32, Martha Currie 29, Robert Norval 28.

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FELL FROM POLE

Richard Emlaw, While Placing Cross-Arms on the 55-foot Hydro-Electric Poles Near the "Head," Falls a Distance of 42 Feet and is Seriously Injured

On Tuesday afternoon about 3.30 o'clock, while Richard Emlaw, of Campbellford, an employee of the Hydro-Electric, was up one of the big 55-foot poles along with another man, fell a distance of about 42 feet to the ground, breaking his right leg below the knee and also some bones in the instep of his left foot.

From what can be learned the accident happened by the guy wire sliding under the tongue of the snap to his safety belt, and when he put pressure upon the belt, it unhooked. Feeling himself going backward he made a jump, thus landing on his feet in about 15 inches of snow, with the result above stated. This act of his undoubtedly saved his life, as had he struck on his back or head, he would not have lived to tell the tale.

Foreman Bailey states that Emlaw has been a most careful man and one who always had his head, and that the accident was not due to any carelessness on the man's part. He also states that in the fifteen years which he has been at this work, this is the first accident that has befel any of his men.

The patient was taken to the Morrisburg Sanitorium, where everything is being done for him that can be. No internal injuries are anticipated, but the patient is suffering great pain.

M. C. I. NOTES.

(By the Bunch.)

Wanted—Subscriptions for a new clock. Please leave such at office of M. C. I. Improvement Association.

Dixon's Corners Review:—Mr. A. Riddell, of Morrisburg, was renewing acquaintances in this vicinity.

Teacher (in geography)—What kind of shells are sometimes found on Mount Royal? Pupil—Peanut shells.

Miss Kathleen McCloskey returned on Saturday.

Strike reports good swimming in the Bay on Thursday last.

Art Riddell, after he was dismissed from the composition class, sent the following ad. to the reporters' bureau:—Wanted—A special tutor in composition; lady preferred; apply at school.

Teacher—How would you hang a rod between two pegs? Pupil—Put both ends on each peg.

Bill Rooks, getting tired of shovelling off the rink on the bay:—"I guess we better wait and let this snow rain off."

Someone who has gone through the mill, was heard to say: "Some pretty romances are liable to develop out of these nice little skating parties on the M.P.S. rink."

Adolphe says he is going to stop skating in the evenings. That does not necessarily stop him going down about 10 p.m., and you know the rest.

Harold's speech on "Book-Binding" was certainly worth hearing—so Art said (he was absent).

The Collegians wish to express their sympathy to Grant Lavis in his illness. They regret that circumstances have hampered him from showing the metal of the Alma Mater. They hope that he will soon recover and be able to resume his studies.

The Collegiate students wish to thank the principal of the Public School for his kindness in allowing them to skate on their rink. With the town rink and canal useless for skating, they were deprived of this recreation. He may be assured, however, that in making the rink, he is not only aiding in the young people's amusement, but largely responsible for a continuance of good health. Mr. Duprau, accept our thanks.

The M. C. I. Cadet Corps, which challenges to drill contest any company of the 59th Regiment, were considerably humiliated when they were not requested to participate in the celebrations Old Home week. In view of the coming centenary at Chrysler Farm, when Morrisburg will do its utmost to aid in the celebration, the Collegians would welcome an opportunity to show their parents what the "kids" can do.

Leader Ads. Pay

HOUSEHOLD

Selected Recipes.

Old Fashioned Rye Cakes.—Into one cupful of rye flour and one cupful of pastry flour put one teaspoonful of salt and one teaspoonful of cream of tartar. Add two eggs well beaten, one-half cupful of sweet milk, and one tablespoonful of molasses in which one-half teaspoonful of soda has been dissolved. Drop from a spoon, and fry in deep fat. Rye cakes should be served hot, with syrup.

Black-Eyed Susan Salad.—Separate oranges into sections, allowing half of a large fruit to a person. Cut figs into dice, mix with an equal quantity of chopped celery, and moisten lightly with French dressing, made with lemon juice. Marinate the orange carpels with dressing, then put them on individual plates, arranging them like black-eyed susan petals. Form the centers of the fig mixture and garnish the salad with tips of celery.

Meat Curry.—Fry one medium-sized onion until brown in two tablespoonfuls of butter; add one heaping teaspoonful of curry-powder which has previously been mixed to a paste with cold water, and cook for about ten minutes, stirring frequently. Then add about a pound and a half of any kind of meat that is available. Raw meat must always be used, and it should be cut into small pieces as for a stew. Meat that has been cooked does not make a good curry. Season the mixture with salt and fry for about ten minutes more, or until the paste has worked into the meat. Cover all with cool water, and set over the fire to boil until the meat is thoroughly cooked, and most of the water has evaporated.

Marshmallow Chestnut Pudding.—One-half pound of marshmallows, one cupful of thick cream, two teaspoonfuls of powdered sugar, one-half teaspoonful of vanilla, one-quarter of a cupful of candied cherries, one-quarter of a cupful of candied ginger, one dozen chestnuts—the kind preserved in vanilla syrup. Soak the cherries in the vanilla syrup that has been poured off the chestnuts. Cut the marshmallows, some of the cherries and the ginger into small pieces, and the chestnuts into quarters. Whip the cream and flavor it with the vanilla and sugar. Fold in the marshmallows and let it stand for a few minutes, and then add the cherries, ginger and chestnuts. Pack in a model and chill. Serve either as a mold or in glasses, decorating each glass with two or three cherries.

Celery Escalloped with Cheese.—Three cups of celery diced, one pint milk, one cup diced cheese, one and a half cups soft crumbs, salt, paprika, two tablespoons butter. Save the outer stalks of celery and cut them into dice. Cook gently in three cups of water, drain, reserve the liquor and add it to the milk. Put a layer of crumbs in the bottom of a buttered baking dish. Add a layer of celery, then one of cheese, season, dot with butter and repeat till dish is full. Bake thirty minutes in a moderate oven.

Baked Prune Pudding.—Two teaspoons melted butter, one-half cup granulated sugar, one-half teaspoon orange flavoring, one egg, one-half cup milk, one and a half cups whole wheat meal or flour, three teaspoons baking powder, one cup soft pitted prunes. Beat together butter, sugar, flavoring and eggs; add prunes to the meal or flour, mix in the baking powder and add this, alternating with milk, to the first mixture. Bake in a shallow pan, dredge thickly with powdered sugar and serve with a sauce made of thickened prune juice and flavored with lemon juice.

Pot Roast of Ham.—Select a shoulder of ham, and have it boned and rolled. Soak twenty-four hours in cold water. Melt three tablespoons of fat in the iron pot, add a cupful of sliced onions and a cupful of diced celery, cooking until softened. Turn in the ham and brown it thoroughly. Barely cover with boiling water and simmer gently for about four hours; remove meat and add the desired number of pared potatoes. Skin the ham, dust thickly with crumbs and brown in a hot oven. Surround with the potatoes, garnish with celery, and make a thickened sauce to accompany it of equal parts of ham stock and strained tomatoes. Thicken with crumbs.

Tomato Cream Soup.—Comparatively few housekeepers know that tomato cream soup, sometimes called mock bisque, can be made without curdling the milk, and without using baking-soda to prevent the curdling. Without the soda all the natural flavor of the tomato will be preserved, and you will have a better and more wholesome soup. For two quarts of this soup, enough to serve seven or eight persons, rub together in the bottom of your soup-kettle a quarter of a cupful of flour and a quarter of a cupful of softened butter. Mix with these salt and pepper to your taste, and if desired, a pinch of sugar. Now add to the mixture of flour, butter and seasoning, one quart tomatoes, either canned or fresh, previously sifted through a colander. Stir the whole over the fire until it boils, and let it boil up for a minute or so. Then add a quart of cold milk, and stir again until the mixture boils. All sorts of queer happenings may take place in your soup-kettle; the contents may "mottle" all over, they may get ropy, as if the ingredients were trying hard to make glue, they may even pretend to curdle, and frighten you for a minute or two, but go on stirring with a tranquil mind, and when the mixture comes to a boil again, you will have a smooth, pink, creamy soup—good to look at and delicious to taste.

Cake-making Rules.

After all there is nothing that quite takes the place of cake and new varieties are always in demand as well as certain old favorites such as pound and layer cake, that it would be very hard to improve upon.

To make good cake one must be willing to give a little attention to certain details that on the first glance may appear unimportant, but this is decidedly not the case. In the first place a cake must never be kept waiting for the pan or the oven, or it will surely spoil and be heavy and unpalatable. The cake tins should be carefully greased before any of the other ingredients are even mixed together.

The heat of the oven must be graduated somewhat in accordance to the size of the cake. It is a mistake to put a large cake into too hot an oven, for if this is done the outside will harden so rapidly that the cake cannot rise as it should or perhaps the top will burn before the inside is done. Don't open the oven door for twenty minutes after a large cake has been put in, and not for ten minutes after a small cake. Open and shut the door very gently and do not slam it, and if you do the cake will surely fall. When a cake is taken from the oven it must be allowed to cool in a warm place and not set in a draught.

Drop cakes and other small cakes that are baked without pans to support them, should be mixed stiffly and put in a quick oven. Orange or lemon peel grated over a cake before the icing is put on will flavor the cake deliciously all through.

Sponge cake, if it is the variety made with many eggs, should be broken, not cut, and the same is true of any cake served hot, such as certain kinds of gingerbread.

Pineapple Cake.—Cream one cupful of butter and the same of sugar together. Then add the well beaten yolks of three eggs and two cupfuls of flour, in which two teaspoonfuls of baking powder have been sifted. Add two tablespoonfuls of pineapple juice and bake in three jelly cake tins. For the Filling—Boil two cupfuls of sugar with two-thirds of a cupful of cream for 10 minutes. Take from the fire and beat till thick and smooth. To one-third of this add one cupful of grated pineapple to spread between the layers. To the remaining two-thirds add enough pineapple juice to make it spread smoothly for an icing.

House Cleaning Made Easy.

Spring, with its attendant duties in household affairs, means that the woman who has system in her plans will accomplish more work and have more satisfactory results than the erratic, makeshift housekeeper, who cleans because she is expected to do so, and whose work speaks for her incompetence.

House cleaning should not be a matter to be feared, and it decidedly should not disrupt the home and verify the "eating from the mantelpiece" joke.

The first rule is to plan the time to be given to the work and to do one room at a time. This will insure thoroughness, and will allow a part of the day for rest, so that a wreck of a woman need not greet the homecomers at night. Most women are enthusiastic, and when one room is cleaned feel that they might as well go through the suite. This is the error for which they pay later on.

The easiest way when cleaning the furniture which has been covered is to remove the linen coverings and place in a tub of water to which naptha or borax has been added. While these additions are doing the washing for you the furniture should be taken out of doors and thoroughly brushed with a stiff brush. If the covering be durable, a beating with a rattan beater should be given.

The woodwork should be wiped off with warm water and a chamois.

Paints should be cleaned, and you have no idea what an extra coat of enamel on white paint or varnish on other wood will do.

Wallpaper can be cleaned by wiping it with breadcrumbs. Art gum or kneaded rubber will do this work, as also will bread dough that has not much lard in it.

Carpets or rugs after a thorough cleaning can be brightened by wiping over the surface with water to which ammonia has been added.

The curtains and other hangings are easily cleaned, and the furniture moved back. Just a hint: Change the arrangement of the chairs, and the room will seem to take a new life and an added attraction.

Then rest! One room at a time, remember. Perhaps it will take two weeks. What of it? Does not a good temper, a rested body, the knowledge of work well and thoroughly done warrant "making haste slowly?"

Try the slow and sure method this spring.

MARCHIONESS OF DONEGALL.

The Marchioness of Donegall, who was the daughter of the late Mr. Henry St. George Twining, of Halifax, Nova Scotia, has returned to England from her travels in Canada and Japan to find the warmest welcome from all her old friends. The marchioness was the



Marchioness of Donegall.

founder and guiding spirit of the Imperial Colonial Club, which was designed to promote goodfellowship between Great Britain and the colonies, and her tact and skill and zeal have, during her holiday season, been greatly missed in that centre of patriotic usefulness.

Her son, the marquis, is still only a boy, but he has the good looks of his family, including those of his father, who was reputed to be the handsomest man in the British army, but who died in 1904. The marquis is now nearly ten years of age, and amongst other honors, possesses the curious distinction of being Hereditary High Admiral of Lough Neah—an Irish naval command that goes back for its origin to the time of Queen Elizabeth. He derives no pay or emoluments from his office, but he has several notable perquisites, amongst others the right to wear the uniform of an admiral of the fleet and to receive an admiral's salute. Up-to-date he has not exercised either of these perogatives.

"OLD LADY" KEEPS SECRETS.

Bank the Repeated Repository of Rare and Romantic Chattels.

The Bank of England is custodian of a large number of boxes deposited by customers for safety during the past two hundred years, and in not a few instances forgotten. Mnay of these consignments are not only of rare intrinsic and historical value, but of great romantic interest. For instance, some years ago the servants of the Bank discovered in its vaults a chest which, on being moved, literally fell to pieces. On examining the contents, a quantity of massive plate of the period of Charles II. was discovered, along with a bundle of love-letters indited during the period of the Restoration. The directors of the Bank caused search to be made in their books; the representative of the original depositor of the box was discovered, and the plate and love-letters handed over.

The Ghost and the Meat.

We have all heard of the French schoolboy who, asked to translate into English the French of "To be or not to be," evolved this: "To was or not to am."

Another schoolboy has equaled this translation, according to the London Chronicle, in recovering from German the text, "The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak," in the form, "The ghost, of course, is ready, but the meat is feeble."

Not Up-to-date.

"Have you had your child christened?"

"No. We haven't even had him operated on for anything yet."

A fool can shatter a wise man's argument with an idiotic laugh.

Willie—Paw, what is domestic science? Paw—Paying 1912 prices for things out of a 1906 salary, my son.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

INTERNATIONAL LESSON, MARCH 2.

God's covenant with Abraham, Gen. 15.; 17. 1-8. Golden text, Heb. 10. 13.

Verse 1. After these things—After the warlike expedition of Abram in rescuing Lot and the king of Sodom from the four kings of the East, and the subsequent incident in which Melchizedek, king of Salem, plays such an important part as priest-king before "Jehovah, God Most High."

In a vision—A night vision or dream.

Thy shield—A pitched battle had taken place in which Abram, with a small company, had been victorious over a greater army. He is now given the assurance that Jehovah will continue to be his protection.

Thy exceeding great reward—Returning from the rescue of Lot, with all the booty which the invading kings had taken from the plundered cities of the plain, Abram had steadfastly refused to take so much as "a thread or a shoe-latchet" of the spoils for himself or his subordinates. His reward is not to be obtained by might nor by plunder, but by the gift of Jehovah, who has thus far prospered him.

5. In view of the renewed promise which Jehovah has just made (verse 1) Abram ventures to ask of what avail personal security and prosperity will be unto him as long as the promise of an heir previously given to him (compare Gen. 12. 2; 13. 15) remains unfulfilled (compare verses 2-4). Jehovah does not rebuke him for his complaint, but proceeds to reassure him in the matter about which he has the greatest concern.

Brought him forth abroad—Still in the vision or dream.

Number the stars—Count them, tell how many there are. The starry sky was both an evidence of the divine power and an example of what is practically innumerable.

6. Believed in Jehovah—Had confidence in his power and word.

Reckoned it to him for righteousness—Abram lived before the Mosaic law had been given, and his righteousness, therefore, did not consist in obeying that law, but rather in devotion to and trust in Jehovah of a more primitive and simple type.

7. And he said unto him—Apparently on another occasion distinct from the preceding. The promise in this case is that Abram shall surely inherit the land in which he is now a pilgrim and a stranger.

8. Whereby shall I know? — He asks for some more definite pledge of the fulfillment of the oft-repeated promise. Thereupon Jehovah condescends to enter into a solemn covenant with his faithful servant, ratifying this covenant with a most impressive and sacred ceremonial.

9. Take me a heifer three years old—A similar ceremony is described in Jer. 34. 17-20, where, however, the same animals are not used, or at least not all of them mentioned. The ceremony of ratification here described was the most solemn and sacred in use in later Israel. Other ceremonies included, some the partaking of a common meal by the contracting parties, others the sprinkling of the participants with the blood of the slain animal; and a still simpler pledge, though equally binding, was the acceptance of hospitality by one person from the other. It is probable that in general the ceremonial connected with the public worship of Jehovah in earliest Hebrew times was much more elaborate than has sometimes been supposed, and that the Jewish insistence on ritual dates from very early times.

10. Divided them in the midst, and laid each half over against the other—After this had been done the contracting parties passed between the divided victims, thereby symbolizing that in case the terms of the covenant be broken by either, the party breaking his vow is willing to be parted asunder in like manner. The ceremony is to be regarded not as a sacrifice, but as a sacred and solemn act, though it exemplifies the later sacrificial usage, the animals described being such as were allowed in the later Levitical law.

But the birds divided he not — In Lev. 1. 17 this is specifically commanded.

11. Birds of prey came down upon the carcasses, and Abram drove them away—The birds of prey were omens of evil, signifying the efforts on the part of the enemies of Abram's descendants to frustrate the divine plan, but the fact that they are driven away may be taken to signify that all such efforts shall prove futile.

12. A deep sleep—A state favorable to visions (compare Job 33. 15).

A horror of great darkness—In keeping with, and preparatory to, the dark announcement which follows concerning the years of servitude to which the descendants of Abram shall be subjected.

13. Know of a surety—Be assured by this covenant.

Sojourners in a land that is not theirs—A reference to the Egyptian captivity.

Four hundred years—Agreeing substantially with the statement of Exod. 12. 40, "Now the time that the children of Israel dwelt in Egypt was four hundred and thirty years."

14. And afterward shall they come out with great substance — Even as Abram himself had returned from his briefer stay in Egypt, greatly enriched in possessions.

15. Thou shalt go to thy fathers in peace—No evil shall befal Abram personally, who shall be permitted to depart to Sheol, the realm of the dead, unmolested.

16. In the fourth generation — Counting one hundred years to each generation, as was customary in patriarchal times.

Come hither again; for the iniquity of the Amorite is not yet full —They shall not return before the time indicated, because not until then does Jehovah wish to drive out the Amorites from their present home.

17. A smoking furnace—A portable earthenware stove, such as is still used in the East. In shape it was a truncated cone, about three feet high, open at the top. The smoke and flames issuing at the top resembled a huge torch.

Passed between these pieces—The customary method in ancient Israel for ratifying a solemn covenant was for the contracting parties to thus pass between the divided sacrifice with which the covenant was solemnized. In this case the smoke and fire symbolized the presence of Jehovah, who, on his part, ratified his covenant with Abram.

18. Made a covenant—Still in the sense of a promise on the part of Jehovah to Abram and his descendants, though involving more of the character of a mutual compact than did the earlier covenant with Noah. Compare Text Studies for February 9.

The river of Egypt—The modern Wady (brook) el Arish, which forms the boundary line between Egypt and the desert south of Palestine.

Unto the great river . . . . Euphrates—Ideal limits of Israel's territory, actually realized for a very brief period in the days of Solomon's glory.

BIRCHROD MAKER FOUND!

Latest London Directory an Amazingly Telling Volume.

With each annual issue Kelly's London (England) Post Office Directory swells in size and increases in weight. The volume for 1913 contains 3,488 pages—40 more than last year's—and weighs 14 lbs. 9 ozs.—an increase of four ounces.

It would take more than an ordinary lifetime to count the exact number of words in the directory, but as the average page contains well over 3,000 words it is computed that the total number of words in the book is somewhere in the neighborhood of 11,000,000. The court and commercial sections contain roughly 3,500 Smiths and 1,600 Browns.

A safe remover is among the queer trades disclosed by the directory. He seems to have a monopoly; at least, no rivals are mentioned:

1 Safe remover.
3 Widow's cap makers.
1 Watch cap maker.
3 Truffle shippers.
1 Towelhorse maker.
1 Birchrod maker.
1 Blood drier.
2 Roasting-jack makers.
1 Scratch-brush maker.
2 Thimble makers.
3 Rocking-horse makers.

Long Tunnel in Selkirks.

At an estimated cost of over $12,000,000 the Canadian Pacific Railway expects within a few years to have opened a two-track tunnel, four miles in length, through the Selkirk range of mountains, between Calgary and Vancouver. One object of the tunnel is to eliminate the ever-threatening possibility of interruption from snowslides, which, on the present line through Rogers Pass, have given a large amount of trouble. The tunned will be operated electrically.

Willie's Apple.

"Here is an apple, Willie. Divide it generously with your sister." "How shall I divide it generously, mamma?" "Why, always give the larger part to the other person, my child!" Willie reflected for a moment; then he handed the apple to his little sister, saying, "Here, Ethel, you divide it!"

A Personal Application.

"A good piece of work," said the instructor, "but, Mr. Smith, you should remember to write every sentence so that the most ignorant person can understand every word you put down."

The young man looked worried and asked anxiously:

"What part of the essay was not clear to you, professor?"

LIFE STORY OF CAPT. SCOTT

HE ENTERED THE NAVY AT AGE OF FOURTEEN.

Made First Trip to the Antarctic In 1901 as Leader of Expedition.

Capt. Robert Falcon Scott, R.N., C.V.O., the leader of the British Antarctic Expedition, was born at Davenport, the famous naval station on the south coast of England, on June 6, 1868. He was the son of the late John Edward Scott of Devonport. He was educated at Stubbington House, Fareham. He entered the British navy at the age of fourteen, and five years later became a lieutenant on the Rover and later on the Amphion. In 1898 he was promoted to be torpedo lieutenant of the flag ship Majestic of the Channel Squadron. In 1899, he was made first lieutenant, and in the following year he was gazetted commander.

First Expedition.

In 1901 he was chosen to lead the British expedition to the Antarctic, which occupied him until 1904, at the close of which he was made captain and a companion of the Victorian Order, as a token of King Edward's appreciation of his services in exploration and scientific research. He was also elected a Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society. The gold medals of the Royal Geographical Society, the Scottish Royal Geographical Society, and the American, Swedish, Danish, Philadelphia and Antwerp Geographical Societies were also conferred on him for this expedition, and the universities of Manchester and Cambridge conferred on him the honorary degree of Doctor of Science.

Shackleton with Him Once.

Capt. Scott's earlier attempt at polar exploration was made on the ship Discovery, a Dundee wooden boat of 700 tons, liberally financed by the British Government. One of the officers under Capt. Scott in this expedition was Lieut. Shackleton, R.N.R., now Sir Ernest Shackleton, whose experiences with that expedition paved the way for his "Farthest South" expedition five years later. He explored more than 400 miles of the Great Antarctic Barrier, a wider stretch than any other Antarctic explorer.

Sailing from New Zealand, on Christmas Eve, 1901, the Discovery ran down to the Great Antarctic Barrier, which Borchgrevink's expedition had noted thirty miles south of where it was recorded by the Ross expedition in 1842. Scott confirmed Borchgrevink's findings, but Scott discovered where Ross had noted only an "appearance," a wide stretch of country, which he named King Edward VII. Land.

Went South on Sledges.

The Discovery was laid up in McMurdo Sound, in latitude 77 degrees 49 minutes south and longitude 166 east, and exploration was started on sledges. The outward journey of 380 miles to latitude 82 degrees and 17 minutes south, occupied fifty-nine days. A little further south two peaks, Mount Markham and Mount Longstaff, named after the chief promoters of the expedition, were sighted. On Nov. 30, Capt. Scott covered a distance of 300 miles westward from the ship, reaching latitude 77 degrees 59 minutes south, and longitude 146 degrees 3 minutes east.

Previous Trip in Terra Nova.

On Christmas Day Capt. Scott returned to the Discovery, and on Jan. 5, 1904, the Terra Nova, the ship with which Capt. Scott made his last Antarctic expedition, arrived, with orders for an immediate return, even at the cost of abandoning the Discovery. The expedition ship, however, broke loose from the ice on Feb. 16, and Capt. Scott had the satisfaction of taking her home in good order.

In 1908, Capt. Scott married Miss Kathleen Bruce, daughter of the late Canon Lloyd Bruce. He was the author of "The Voyage of the Discovery," published in 1905. He was a member of the Naval and Military and the Marlborough Clubs, and lived at 174 Buckingham Palace Road, S.W., London.

Budget System Checks Debt.

Two years ago Kansas City, Kan., was struggling under a big debt. The banks were carrying the city's scrip at a high rate of interest. Since that time the city under commission government has added to its assets a new city hall, a municipal electric plant and several parks. The tax rate has been increased only ten cents for each $1,000 valuation since 1909, and next year the rate will be 67 cents, as against the 91 5-10 cents for the current year. The inauguration of a budget system now prevents over-expenditures in the departments.

When a man talks about love he acts as if he felt ashamed of his conversation.

ONLY A MONTH;

OR, A CURIOUS MYSTERY EXPLAINED.

CHAPTER XXXVI.

For a time Frithiof was rather silent and quiet; but Sigrid and Swanhild were in high spirits as they went down to Rowan Tree House, arriving just in time for supper. The atmosphere of happiness, however, is always infectious, and he soon threw off his taciturnity, and dragging himself away from his own engrossing thoughts, forgot the shadows of life in the pure brightness of this home which had been so much to him ever since he first set foot in it.

With Swanhild for an excuse they played all sorts of games; but when at last she had been sent off to bed, the fun and laughter quieted down. Mr. and Mrs. Boniface played their nightly game of backgammon; Roy and Sigrid had a long tete-a-tete in the little drawing-room; Cecil sat down at the piano and began to play Mendelssohn's Christmas pieces; and Frithiof threw himself back in the great arm-chair close by her, listening half dreamily and with a restful sense of pause in his life that he had never before known. He desired nothing, he reveled in the sense of freedom from the love which for so long had been a misery to him; the very calm was bliss.

"That is beautiful," he said, when the music ceased. "After all there is no one like Mendelssohn, he is so human."

"You look like one of the lotus-eaters," said Cecil, glancing at him.

"It is precisely what I feel like," he said, with a smile. "Perhaps it is because you have been giving me

"'Music that gentlier on the spirit lies
Than tired eyelids upon tired eyes.'

remember so well how you read that to me after I had been ill." She took a little thin red volume from the book-shelves beside her and turned over the leaves. He bent forward to look over her, and together they read the first part of the poem.

"It is Norway," he said. "What could better describe it?

"You will not be a true lotus-eater till you are there once more," said Cecil, glancing at him. For his dreamy content was gone, and a wistfulness which she quite understood had taken its place. "Don't you think, now that all is so different, you might perhaps go there next summer?" she added.

"No," he replied, "you must not tempt me. I will not go back till I am a free man and can look every one in the face. The prospect of being free so much sooner than I had expected ought to be enough to satisfy me. Suppose we build castles in the air; that is surely the right thing to do on Christmas-eve. When at last these debts are cleared, let us all go to Norway together. I know Mr. Boniface would be enchanted with it, and you, you did not see nearly all that you should have seen. You must see the Romsdal and the Geiranger, and we must show you Oldoren, where we so often spent the summer holiday."

"How delightful it would be!" said Cecil.

"Don't say 'would,' say 'will,'" he replied. "I shall not thoroughly enjoy it unless we all go together, a huge party."

"I think we should be rather in the way," she said. "You would have so many old friends out there, and would want to get rid of us. Don't you remember the old lady who was so outspoken at Balholm when we tried to be friendly and not to let her feel lonely and out of it?"

Frithiof laughed at the recollection.

"Yes," he said; "she liked to be alone, and preferred to walk on quickly and keep 'out of the ruck,' as she expressed it. We were 'the ruck.' And how we laughed at her opinion of us."

"Well, of course you wouldn't exactly put it in that way, but all the same, I think you would want to be alone when you go back."

He shook his head.

"No; you are quite mistaken. Now, promise that if Mr. Boniface agrees, you will all come too."

"Very well," she said, smiling, "I promise."

"Where are they going to?" he exclaimed, glancing into the inner room where Roy was wrapping a thick sofa blanket about Sigrid's shoulders.

"Out into the garden to hear the bells, I dare say," she replied. "We generally go out if it is fine."

"Let us come too," he said; and they left the bright room and went out into the dusky veranda, pacing silently to and fro absorbed in their own thoughts, while the Christmas bells rang

"Peace and good-will, good-will and peace,
Peace and good-will to all mankind."

But the other two, down in a sheltered path at the end of the garden were not silent, nor did they listen very much to the bells.

"Sigrid," said Roy, "have you forgotten that you made me a promise last June?"

"No," she said, her voice trembling a little, "I have not forgotten."

"You promised that when Frithiof was cleared I might ask you for your answer."

She raised her face to his in the dim starlight.

"Yes, I did promise."

"And the answer is—?"

"I love you."

The soft Norse words were spoken hardly above her breath, yet Roy knew that they would ring in his heart all his life long.

"My darling!" he said, taking her in his arms. "Oh, if you knew what the waiting has been to me! But it was my own fault—all my own fault. I ought to have trusted your instinct before my own reason."

"No, no," she said, clinging to him; "I think I was hard and bitter that day; you must forgive me, for I was so very unhappy. Don't let us speak of it any more. I hate to think of it even."

"And nothing can ever come between us again," he said, still keeping his arm round her as they walked on.

"No; never again," she repeated; "never again. I know I am too proud and independent, and I suppose it is to crush down my pride that I have to come to you like this, robbed of position and money, and—"

"How can you speak of such things," he said, reproachfully. "You know they are nothing to me; you know that I can never feel worthy of you."

"Such things do seem very little when one really loves," she said, gently. "I thought it over, and it seems to me like this—the proof of your love to me is that you take me poor, an exile, more or less burdened with the past; the proof of my love to you is that I kill my pride—and yield. It would have seemed impossible to me once; but now— Oh, Roy! how I love you—how I love you!"

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"And about Frithiof?" said Roy, presently. "You will explain to him and make him understand that I would not for the world break up his home?"

"Yes," she replied, "I will tell him; but I think not to-night. Just till to-morrow let it be only for ourselves. Hark! the clocks are striking twelve! Let us go in and wish the others a happy Christmas."

But Roy kept the first of the good wishes for himself; then, at length releasing her, walked beside her toward the house, happy beyond all power of expression.

And now once more outer things began to appeal to him; he became conscious of the Christmas bells ringing gayly in the stillness of the night, of the stars shining down gloriously through the clear frosty air, of the cheerful glimpse of home to be seen through the uncurtained window of the drawing-room.

Cecil and Frithiof had left the veranda and returned to the piano; they were singing a carol, the German air of which was well known in Norway. Sigrid did not know the English words; but she listened to them now intently, and they helped to reconcile her to the one thorn in her perfect happiness—the thought that these other two were shut out from the bliss which she enjoyed.

Quietly she stole into the room and stood watching them as they sung the quaint old hymn:

"Good Christian men rejoice,
In heart and soul and voice;
Now ye hear of endless bliss;
Joy! joy!
Jesus Christ was born for this!
He hath oped the heavenly door,
And man is blessed evermore.
Christ was born for this."

Cecil, glancing up at her when the carol was ended, read her secret in her happy, glowing face. She rose from the piano.

"A happy Christmas to you," she said, kissing her on both cheeks.

"We have been out in the garden, right down in the lower path, and you can't think how lovely the bells sound," said Sigrid.

Then, with a fresh stab of pain at her heart she thought of Frithiof's spoiled life; she looked wistfully across at him, conscious that her love for Roy had only deepened her love for those belonging to her.

Was he never to know anything more satisfying than the peace of being freed from the heavy load of suspicion? Was he only to know the pain of love? All her first desire to keep her secret to herself died away as she looked at him, and in another minute her hand was on his arm. "Dear old boy," she said to him in Norse, "won't you come into the garden with me for a few minutes?"

So they went out together into the starlight, and wandered down to the sheltered path where she and Roy had paced to and fro so long.

"What a happy Christmas it has been for us all!" she said, thoughtfully.

"Very; and how little we expected it!" said Frithiof.

"Do you think," she began, falteringly, "do you think, Frithiof, it would make you less happy if I told you of a new happiness that has come to me?"

Her tone as much as the actual words suddenly enlightened him.

"Whatever makes for your happiness makes for mine," he said, trying to read her face.

"Are you sure of that?" she said, the tears rushing to her eyes. "Oh, if I could quite believe you, Frithiof, how happy I should be!"

"Why should you doubt me?" he asked. "Come, I have guessed your secret, you are going to tell me that—"

"That Roy will some day be your brother as well as your friend," she said, finishing his sentence for him.

He caught her hand in his and held it fast.

"I wish you joy, Sigrid, with all my heart. This puts the finishing touch to our Christmas hapiness."

"And Roy has been making such plans," said Sigrid, brushing away her tears; "he says that just over the wall there is a charming little house back to back, you know, with this one, and it will just hold us all, for of course he will never allow us to be separated. He told me that long ago, when he first asked me."

"Long ago?" said Frithiof; "why what do you mean, Sigrid? I thought it was only to-night."

"It was only to-night that I gave him his answer," said Sigrid. "It was when we were at the sea last June that he first spoke to me and then—afterward—perhaps I was wrong, but I would not hear anything more about it till your cloud had passed away. I knew some day that your name must be cleared, and I was angry with Roy for not believing in you. I dare say I was wrong to expect it, and it disappointed me so dreadfully. He says himself now that he ought to have trusted—"

"It was a wonder that you didn't make him hate me forever," said Frithiof. "Why did you not tell me about it before?"

"How could I?" she said. "It would only have made you more unhappy. It was far better to wait."

(To be continued.)

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DUCHESS AS DOG-FANCIER

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At one time the Duchess ignored the dog craze and it was a matter of common talk that she was practically the only woman in the "smart set" circle who did not possess a dog of some class among her household pets. Now she appears to be falling into line with her friends and is paying fancy prices for bulldog breeds and water spaniels.

Her experiences have not been up to the present entirely favorable, for a few days ago a valuable animal which was being consigned to her from Ireland got suffocated on the journey, and as the consignment was at owner's risk the loss will mean something in the neighborhood of $5,000.



Duchess of Marlborough.

Next year the Duchess hopes to join the ranks of the society women who have been for a number of years an active and conspicuous element in the Ladies' Kennel Club.

A WOMAN AS SHIP SURGEON.

British Board of Trade Law Does Not Forbid It.

Heretofore the position of ship's surgeon has been monopolized by men, but all doubt as to the eligibility of women for the position has been set at rest by a Scottish steamship company.

The company had a steamer on the Clyde ready to sail for Australia with a large number of passengers, including emigrants, on board. All that kept it from leaving was the lack of a surgeon.

A qualified woman doctor, the daughter of a marine engineer, heard of the difficulty and offered her services. The board of trade officer who had to certify the ship looked up all precedents, and, although he found that no woman had ever before been signed on as surgeon of a ship, he could find nothing against it, and the woman doctor went out with the steamer.

Winter Care of Drafters.

Most farmers do not get full use of their horses through failure to provide work for them during the winter months. There is generally not much doing on the farm then except, perhaps, hauling of a little produce to town, dragging in the logs for firewood and scattering manure on the snowy fields.

Altogether they are kept idle for so many days that the average number of hours worked per day for a year is even less than two, counting those days in summer overtime is the rule for man and beast.

This condition is unprofitable from an economic point of view, and from the viewpoint of the horse's health.

Heavy drafters in good flesh and fed liberally on oats and timothy will need exercise and plenty of it to keep in fair health during the winter. They will need warm stables properly ventilated; there must be no cement or other damp floors for them to lie on; there must be plenty of air and sunshine.

One winter we fed scarcely anything but straw and just a little grain and the horses came through in better shape than those of a neighbor who fed liberally, but who did not have any more work for his horses than we had. There was not so much rich stuff to poison the blood.

I know of a farmer who regularly hires a teamster to take his magnificent drafters out into the employ of the local ice company, and so keeps them busy during the winter. Another engages his two teams in the cordwood business for the same purpose.

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Night, east	7 30 "	
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THURSDAY, FEB. 27, 1913.

WHOLESOME WESTERN SENTIMENT.

(Brockville Times.)

According to the Opposition speakers and organs, the West is adverse to the Borden naval policy and much is made by them of the editorial attitude of the Grain Growers' Guide. But the correspondence column of the Grain Growers' Guide does not bear out this editorial attitude. On the contrary, a number of the Grain Growers' Guide correspondents write to it in hearty support of the Borden naval policy.

One of them, a Mr. Thomas Edwards, of Hanna, Alta., reproaches some of his fellow correspondents for their selfish and narrow view of the naval problem, and says they do not realize the value of the freedom and protection which Canadians enjoy by reason of the power of the British navy, to which Canada, of all the self-governing nations of the Empire, alone contributes nothing.

"Canada, where is your pride, your loyalty, your sense of justice?" asks Mr. Edwards, and adds:—

"Some of the correspondents selfishly complain of the financial burden that the Borden policy incurs. Have they stopped to think what it means? Do they realize that the $35,000,000 donation is an emergency donation, and that the emergency has now arrived, and that the very existence of our Empire is absolutely dependent upon the Imperial navy? Is not the freedom we enjoy under the Union Jack worth $5 a head? Are not the benefits we have already received worth that amount? In your issue of January 22, Mr. W. C. Painter says Canada has no enemy among the nations. How does he know? Has she never had any? Does he suppose that were she deprived of the protection of the Mother Country that she would maintain her independence? No. She would immediately become the possession of a foreign country, be burdened with considerably heavier taxation and her liberties would be restricted."

Mr. Edwards' sentiments are those of the vast majority of Canadians. The general opinion in Canada is that Canada should do something and do it immediately. The West and East are at one on that point.

Growing and Ensiling Corn

The lack of confidence in the value and use of corn ensilage is gradually being overcome. According to Mr. J. H. Grisdale, Director of Experimental Farms, who has tested the matter in many parts of the Dominion, corn for forage or ensilage can be grown to advantage in almost all parts of Canada occupied by stock farmers. Failure to secure satisfactory results has often been due to wrong cultural methods practiced, or unsuitable varieties grown, rather than to adverse climatic conditions.

In order to secure for the benefit of stock growers generally reliable information on the subject of corn ensilage, Mr. Grisdale was summoned by the Select Standing Committee of the House of Commons on Agriculture and Colonization, to give evidence based on his experiments and observation. This evidence was printed in a pamphlet of sixteen pages and sent out in large numbers but there are still available for distribution a number of copies in the hands of the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

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Corn will do well in almost any kind of soil provided with good drainage and well prepared. Barn-yard manure, which may be applied during the winter or spring, is the best fertilizing material to use. From the middle to the end of May, according to the weather and soil conditions, is said to be the proper time to plant the seed which may be put in hills or rows. After describing the necessary cultural operations, varieties suitable for various provinces and districts are named. For the more northerly latitudes Longfellow, Compton's Early, Angel of Midnight, North Dakota Flint, and Sanford are recommended. Harvesting and ensiloing are fully described and feeding is dealt with also. For feeding young stock some bran and clover hay should be added to the silage. Rations are given for all classes of cattle.

In discussing silos a table is embodied which shows the capacities of those of different dimensions. A hundred ton circular silo is shown to be 27 feet deep and 16 feet inside diameter. Silos of different materials are dealt with and their construction described. Cement silos properly constructed are referred to as being probably more durable and satisfactory than those built of wood.

Notes on Bees

"The winter so far has been a remarkably easy one on bees wintered out of doors," says Morlery Pettit, the Provincial Apiarist. What is causing uneasiness at present is the naked condition of the clover. It remains to be seen how it will come through the freezing and thawing of spring.

Mice are reported to be bad in some parts and the little rascals can do a lot of harm in boxes where bees or combs are packed. They are very fond of honey and dead bees and will destroy combs to get access to either.

They also find the packing material nice for making nests right close to the cluster of bees. Of course this kind of thing would not be tolerated by the bees in summer, but now they are asleep and will not defend themselves but suffer heavy loss from being so disturbed. Wintering boxes should by rights, be mouse proof, but is not always easy to have them so. The alternative is a free use of mouse traps and poison.

Out-of-door wintered bees must by all means be sheltered from cold winds. This is especially necessary on the approach of spring when brood rearing will be starting and all the heat possible must be retained in the hives to aid incubation. Remember that the brood chamber of a hive is an incubator whose temperature is kept up by natural heat generated by the nurse bees who "sit" on the eggs and young larvae. If the hive is cold the brooders have to sit closer together and cannot cover so many eggs or larvae.

If the hive is warm they can spread out and cover more brood. This means more young bees will be hatched in the same time. Then when summer comes there will be more workers in the hive to gather honey. Anyone who thinks about this for a monent will see why all hives should be kept warmly packed and sheltered from cold winds during what beekeepers call the spring breeding up time, right up to settled warmer weather.

On the other hand entrances must not be closed. There is that about bee nature which does not brook confinement and except when bees are screened in for moving they must have free ingress and egress to their hives. On bright, cold days it is well to shade the entrance however lest the sunshine tempt some bees to come out and be lost on the snow.

The winter is the time for purchasing and preparing next summer's supplies. New hives can be nailed and painted and old ones repaired. Loose joints in supers should be given extra nails, and, above all, every part of the hive which is exposed to weather should be well coated with a light colored durable paint. For covers, the most durable and satisfactory water-proofing is galvanized iron. Then for protection from hot sun in summer and cold spring and fall a cover should be packed.

The Culture of Roses

The rose may well be considered the queen of flowers but unfortunately there are many parts of Canada where only a limited number of the hardiest varieties can be successfully cultivated. For this reason many who would grow roses are debarred from doing so because of a lack of knowledge of which are the most hardy sorts and the treatment that should be given them. To supply this information in readily available form, the Dominion Horticulturist, Mr. W. T. Macoun, has prepared a pamphlet of a dozen pages entitled "Hardy Rose Culture in Canada." It is designated Pamphlet No. 9, of the Experimental Farm and may be had free by applying to the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

This pamphlet divides the roses usually cultivated in Canada into four groups according to the degree of hardiness possessed by each. The hardiest group includes Rosa Rugosa and Hybrids, Austrian Briars, Provence or Cabbage roses, Damask and Moss roses; next come Hybrid Perpetuals, climbing roses and dwarf Polyantha roses ; then Hybrid Tea roses, and last of all Tea roses. It is stated that roses of the first group may be grown in some parts of Canada with little or no protection.

The pamphlet treats in a very practical manner the culture of roses under the following heads : site and soil, plants and planting, cultivation and watering, manuring, pruning, winter protection, insects and fungus enemies and how to treat them. Then follow lists of the best varieties of the various classes with a brief description of each as regards form, color and fragrance. In the preparation of this treatise the conditions in all parts of Canada were kept in view so that prospective rose growers in every province may receive valuable information from its pages.

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At the request of the Government Surgeon, Dr. Friedman, after half an hour's conference aboard the steamship on the trip up from quarantine, consented to turn over a quantity of his bacilli to be tested by the Government, and to demonstrate the efficacy of his cure before physicians of the hospital service. He agreed to meet a laboratory expert of the Government in this city Thursday to arrange for the demonstration, which will be tried on tuberculosis patients.

Dr. Friedman, who comes to this country at the invitation of Chas. E. Finlay, a New York banker, who hopes the physician will be able to cure his son-in-law of the disease, declared last night that his remedy was not a secret, and that he purposed to make known "to all the world" the method by which it was created and the manner in which it was administered. It consisted of bacilli taken from a turtle, into which tubercular bacilli from a human being had been injected, he explained.

"I have been working on the cure for the last fourteen years, and during the last two and a half years I have treated from 2000 to 3000 patients," he asserted.

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Dr. Locke passed through town last week in his new auto.

Quite a few from here attended the concert at Elma last Thursday night.

Mrs Alex Beckstead is visiting her daughter, Mrs Morley McPherson.

Quite a few are hauling logs to the mill which will open soon.

Mr and Mrs Christie spent a few days out of town last week.

Mrs Oren Casselman entertained a few of her friends one night last week.

Quite a few of the young people attended the revival services at Winchester Sunday night.

Mr and Mrs Lorne McIntosh and Lou attended the Oddfellow's banquet at Winchester last Friday night.

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NATHANIEL MERKLEY,
9b Sec'y-Treas.

AUCTION SALE

S. G. CARLYLE, having accepted a position in the Department of Agriculture, Alberta, will sell by public auction on Friday, March 7th, 2½ miles west and north of Dunbar and 3½ miles south-west of Chesterville, 18 Grade Cows, 3 registered Holstein Cows, 2 registered Bull Calves, 5 registered Clydesdales, 2 mares being in foal to registered stallions, 1 mare rising 5 years, 1 filly 19 years old, 1 stallion 20 months old, all machinery, etc., etc. Sale commences at 12.30.

9a S. G. CARLYLE.

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UNDER the provisions of the Ontario Companies Act, Canadian Ores, Limited, gives notice that it has sanctioned a bylaw for the purpose of changing the Head Office of which the following is a true copy :

Whereas the Head Office of Canadian Ores, Limited, is at the city of Toronto, and it is deemed expedient that the head office of this company should be changed to Morrisburg, Ontario. Now therefore the said Canadian Ores, Limited, enacts as follows :

That the Head Office of Canadian Ores, Limited, be and the same is hereby changed from Toronto, Ontario to Morrisburg, Ontario.

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GEORGE R. HEISEY,
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Abstract Statement

Of Receipts and Disbursements of the Township of Williamsburg for the Year Ending December 31st, 1912.

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Treasurer's hands as per audit of 1911	$	
Unpaid taxes of 1911	1054	36
Wm. Bow, fines	10	00
Recoup re Barkley-Fetterly Drain	291	00
Rebate on award ditches re Grantley Creek Drain	24	91
Charles Lane, refund, overdrawn, S. S. No. 21	110	38
B. McConkey, statute labor tax	12	00
Prov. Gov't railway tax	161	52
Oscar Beckstead, for tile	2	00
Police Village of Williamsburg	15	00
Collector's rolls	27986	36
Total	$29667	53

DISBURSEMENTS.

Deficit as per audit of 1911	$ 1180	21
Roads and Bridges	2356	73
Wire fences	797	45
Stone crusher, work and expenses	1197	20
Ditches and Watercourses	43	00
Charity	160	32
Salaries	659	50
Blanks, postage and advertising	227	94
Refund of statute labor	36	25
Refund of dog tax	27	00
Sheep killed by dogs	70	66
Debentures redeemed	5828	85
Police Village of Williamsburg	151	45
Police Village of Winchester Springs	113	50
Teachers' salaries	10928	22
County rates	4093	45
Miscellaneous	872	23
Total	$28743	96
Balance in Treasurer's hands	$923	57

F. L. WHITTAKER,
F. H. WELLS, } Auditors.

Synopsis of Canadian North-West Land Regulations.

ANY person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-emp a quarter-section along side his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre.

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AULTSVILLE

Mrs Rollins, of Madoe, who has been spending a couple of weeks here left for her home last week.

The Misses L Loucks and L. Zeron returned home last week after spending a couple of weeks with Montreal friends.

The citizens of this town enjoyed a rare treat on Monday evening, when G. K. Mills, Minister of Education, addressed the ratepayers in the senior room of the public school. It was moved by Mr Campbell, seconded by I. B. Dafoe, that Mr I. J. Cramer act as chairman. The chairman, after a few brief remarks, introduced the speaker of the evening, who proceeded to explain the working of Continuation School. The question was discussed from all standpoints, intellectual, social and financial. The best of attention was given for nearly two hours when Mr Frank Shaver in a few well chosen words, moved a vote of thanks to Mr Mills for his information he had imparted. The motion was seconded by G. W. Markell, and unanimously carried The meeting closed by singing, "God Save the King."

Miss Geraldine Fetterly has returned home after spending a month at St. Timothee, Que., with her sister, Mrs R. Heath

Mrs Pollock spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs F. Van Allen, East Williamsburg.

Mr George Gallinger, one ef the oldest residents of this place, celebrated his 88th birthday on Feb. 13th, and is still able to go about.

Mr N. O. Cramer, of Montreal spent a couple of days in town recently.

Mr F. Van Allen spent a few days recently at Belleville, and attended the At Home at Albert College, where his daughter, Miss Ella is in attend ance.

FROATBURN.

Hauling wood is the order of the day.

We are sorry to report the illness of little Edwin Froats and hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr and Mrs Dalton Saddlemire and daughter, of Glenbecker, spent Wednesday at Chas. Watson's.

Mrs James R. Styles was the guest of Mrs J. J. Styles on Wednesday.

Mr Durham Wells, of Hoasic, passed through here on Monday.

Mrs Cephrenus O'Shaughnessy and children, of Bouck's Hill, spent Sunday at her parental home here.

Mr T. Casselman, of Rowena, spent Wednesday evening with Mr M. Beckstead.

Mr and Mrs Lucius Froats were in Morrisburg on Monday.

Mr Geo. Prunner and children spent Tuesday evening at Mr L. Philips.

Miss Lillian Barry spent Sunday with friends at Finch.

Mr William Froats left on Saturday to spend some time with friends in Brockville.

Rev. L. M McCreary, of Morrisburg, was calling in our burn on Thursday.

EAST WILLIAMSBURG.

Miss Effie Vanallen, of Mountain, spent a few days last week at Mr Frank Castleman's.

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

Mr and Mrs Sidney Prunner, of Nudell Bush, spent Sunday at Mr William Henophy's.

Mr Frank Casselman spent Friday evening at 2nd concession, Aultsville.

Our skaters who skated to Aultsville one night this week, report that walking was rather good.

We think our skaters will have to be more careful in the future as two of our lady skaters have been laid up with a cold since Friday evening last.

Miss Amy Salmon, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs Bennie Gillard, at Wales, has returned home.

Mrs Etta Wells, of South Mountain, was visiting at Mr Samuel Wells, last week.

Miss Ethel Wells, who has been spending the past week at the Island, has returned home.

The people in our burg are very busy doing their hauling while the snow lasts.

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LEADER ADVERTISEMENTS BRING RESLUTS

WILLIAMSBURG

Miss Ethel Olds left Friday to spend a few days with her parents at Green Bush.

Messrs. J. Carson and Frank Wallpole spent Sunday at their homes.

Mr Will Wells, of Aultsville, was in our village Friday and Saturday

Mr H C. Merkley got word Saturday of the illness of his daughter. He left for Kingston the same day.

Miss Annie Cassleman has returned home after spending ten days visiting her brother, Mr Edgar Cassleman.

The Women's Institute will hold their next regular meeting on Thursday evening. March 6th, at the home of Mrs H. M. Perault. Everybody welcome.

Miss Mae Gilson, Miss Ellis and Miss Beckstead, all of Brinston's were calling on friends in the village on Tuesday.

Miss Anna Bell Dillabough, of Winnipeg, is visiting with Miss Grace McIntosh this week.

Mrs S. Clifford is visiting friends in Montreal this week.

Miss Grace Merkley entertained a number of young folks to a birthday party on Tuesday. Everybody reports a good time. Miss Grace received a number of gifts as remembrances of her birthday.

The society life of our village has made such strides during the last decade that the scribes of the village are unable to keep up with the times in seeing things and being all over at the same time and thus giving to our readers all the news that's fit to print. We would just say to all those who have any news of interest, such as births, deaths, marriages, visitors and timely happenings· News that's news is the news we want. Just drop a letter or card at the postoffice, box 52, and besure and sign your name, as this is most essential to its appearing in the Williamsburg column.

Mr James Crobar, having sold his property to Mrs Robert McMillan, of Dunbar, has moved to Ogdensburg, N.Y. Mr Crobar put his household effects in the car at Morrisburg. We wish Mr and Mrs Crobar and family every success.

Mr and Mrs H. M. Ouderkirk have bought the old Dillion house in Cardinal, and will move to that town at once. Their property is for sale here. They have some 25 or 30 boarders waiting on them.

Uncle Ike says he would not mind living in town if he thought he would not have to attend too many of those afternoon teas.

Last Saturday's storm was a stunner for open skating rinks. Ed. and Old Charlie have been earning a piece of their salary this week.

The other day one of our quiet sanctimonious, meek and lonely citizens, who would not say, "gosh darn it" for anything, living not far from our village, had occasion to use his phone on a matter of business. He stepped to the phone and rang a certain number, took down the receiver, put it to his ear, and this is what he heard: "Hello dearie." "The rural telephone, while an excellent thing, can be abused," he said. He was rather surprised to be called dearie at his present age.

The village and country, with this week of excellent sleighing, reminds us of one gigantic bee-hive, with every bee busy, drones and all. The harvest time for hauling everything and anything—coal, wood, logs, feed, ice, hay, sawdust, and spring moving thrown in. Everybody's doing it. Wonderful.

Williamsburg L. O L No. 725, held a special meeting for the purpose of putting on the initiatory degree on a candidate. On Thursday evening some of the members will go to Grantley to assist the brothers in degree work. Regular meeting night of Williamsburg L.O.L, No. 725, is the first Tuesday of each month. Visitors always welcome.

Mr Clinton Pitt, of Brinston, was in the village on Wednesday, removing his piano from the residence of Dr. Locke.

Mr W. C. Strader was in Ottawa on Wednesday attending a meeting of the M.O.E.R.R.

Mrs R. McMillan, of Dunbar, is moving into her residence, which she recently purchased from Mr James Crobar.

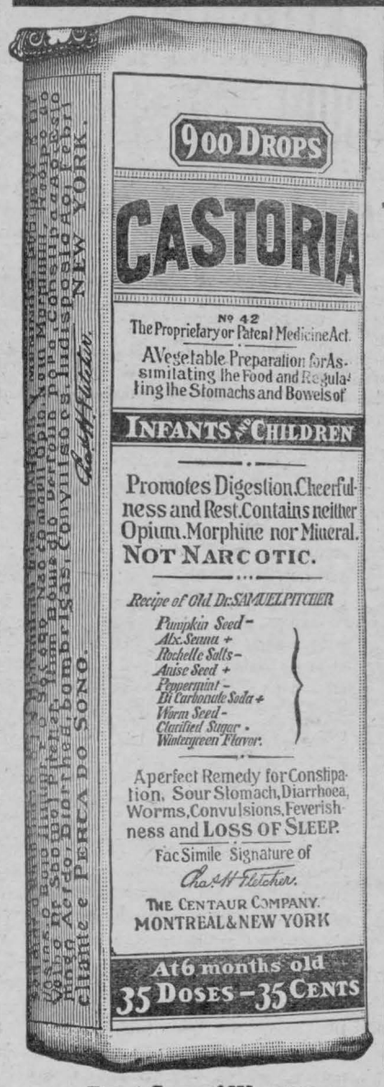
Mr Geo Bouck, who has been assisting Mr E Becksted in his blacksmith shop for a few days, returned to Iroquois on Monday.

Mr Christe, of Winchester, representing the London Mutual Fire Insurance Co., was in the village on Monday, and while here proceeded to adjust the claim of Uncle Harmon Merkley, who had a small blaze in his residence a few days ago. Mr Frank Empey drove Mr Christe to Caughuawaga.

Mr Wm Merkley, who has been ill for sometime and had recovered well enough to be about, received another setback, and is at present confined to his bed.

Mr and Mrs Thomas Merkley, of

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Lumbago is sudden in its attacks and is so intensely painful that the sufferer is often unable to move, even to turn in bed or rise from a chair. The trouble chiefly occurs among working men, among whom it numbers thousands of victims. As the attacks come on quite frequently and are so torturing, this disease means much loss of time and money as well as the endurance of much suffering. No victim needs to be told that liniments, plasters and outward treatment will not cure the disease. This kind of treatment is merely a waste of time and money. The trouble is really a species of muscular rheumatism, and is due to poor blood, and can only be cured through the blood. It is for this reason that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are so successful in curing this trouble, and those who are afflicted by it should lose no time in giving the Pills a trial. If the treatment is persisted in the disease will be driven from the system and the cure be made permanent. In substantiation Mrs. Alfred Derby, Ettyville, Ont., says: "A few years ago I was attacked by excruciating pains in the back which the doctor called lumbago. I was not able to do a bit of work about the house, and suffered dreadfully every time I moved about. I took the doctor's medicine all winter, and used liniments, without getting any relief. In a thoroughly discouraged condition I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After using six boxes I was better and able to do all my own work, and have not been afflicted with the trouble since. I now always recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to those ailing."

These pills are sold by all medicine dealers or may be had by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Willims' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

IS DRUM TO GO?

French First to List Sins of Ancient and Honorable Instrument.

It was some time ago that, acting upon the recommendation embodied in a report by a military commission, the French Government reached the conclusion that the drum was no longer a necessary article of military equipment. The report set forth that the drum was a serious incumbrance in marching; that rain impaired its usefulness; that its calls could not be distinguished in time of battle; that it consumed a period of two years to turn out an efficient drummer, and that by abandoning the use of the drum many thousands of youths and men would be released for active service.

Since the decision of the French Government other European powers have followed its example in decreeing that the "drum must go."

The history of the drum is both ancient and honorable. The Egyptians employed it, and the Greeks ascribed its invention to Bacchus. The Spanish conqueror Pizarro is said to have found drums in South American temples. The snakes of Ireland, we are told, fled from the Emerald Isle before the drum beats of St. Patrick. The Puritans of New England used the drum as a church bell, and it figured frequently and romantically all through the wars of the Revolution and Rebellion.

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When the baby is ill; when his little stomach is out of order and he is cross and refuses to smile, don't dose him with castor oil. There is no need to torture him—give Baby's Own Tablets—they do everything castor oil is supposed to do, only they do it better, and what is more the baby will like them. The Tablets are absolutely safe, being guaranteed by a government analyst to contain no opiates or other harmful drugs. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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WALTZ IS 100 YEARS OLD.

The Dance Was Introduced Into England in 1812.

It is an interesting musical fact, in view of the great and lasting popularity of waltz music, that it is just a hundred years ago that the waltz was introduced into England. The name and tune of the dance were known somewhat earlier, but the waltz as we know it first appeared in England in 1812 and became very popular in 1813.

No event produced a greater sensation in England than the introduction of the German waltz. Many influential people of that time considered the dance very improper. Even that great humorist, Theodore Hook, fought a duel about it. William H. Husk, the librarian to the London Sacred Harmonic Society, says "It was at first greeted with a storm of abuse as a 'fiend of German birth,' 'destitute of grace, delicacy, and propriety,' 'a disgusting practice,' and called forth a savage attack from Lord Byron. In spite of this it seems to have won a speedy victory, and is at the present day more in favor than ever."

Up to the year 1813 the chief dances were the English country dance and the Highland reel. But when the waltz was introduced, no amount of opposition could stop its popularity. At the same time, one can understand the English gentry making objections to it, if it was danced as it was in Frankford twelve years before. A gentleman who saw it danced in that city in 1880 said: "The man places the palms of his hands gently against the sides of his partner, not far from the arm-pits. His partner does the same, and instantly, with as much velocity as possible, they turn around, and at the same time gradually glide around the room." According to all accounts, it was mainly through the influence of the Emperor Alexander of Russia that the waltz finaly became recognized as a strictly decorous accompaniment.

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"Within a month my appetite and color were good. I gained strength and felt like a new woman. New life and vigor returned, and my friends scarcely knew me. A medicine that will do this should be in every home."

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An Occasional Visitor.

A notable housekeeper of the past generation, before the days of screens, had just announced with decision that she never had any flies.

"But, Aunt Augusta," faltered the timid visitor, "it seems to me that I saw a few in the dining-room."

"Oh, those," replied her aunt, with a majestic wave of the hand, "were the neighbors' flies. They will come in occasionally. But as I was saying, we never have any of our own."

Cardinal Wolsey, Henry VIII.'s famous Prime Minister, was the son of a butcher.

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War An Expensive Luxury.

Jules Roche, the French statistician, warns his countrymen that a European war would be an expensive luxury. He says that the Franco-German war cost about $1,665,000 a day and that to-day a general mobilization would cost about $1,000,000,000 for the first two months, with a minimum of $6,000,000 a day after two months. This would cover the bare military expenses for 20,000,000 men, but the actual cost would be vastly greater, seeing that commerce and agriculture come at once to a standstill.

OLD PROSPECTOR TELLS HIS STORY

HIS REAL TROUBLES STARTED WHEN RHEUMATISM GOT HIM.

Plasters, ointments and sulphur were alike useless, but Dodd's Kidney Pills made a new man of him.

Princeton, B. C., February 17 (Special).—All over Canada people are telling of the great work Dodd's Kidney Pills are doing, and even in the Rocky Mountain fastnesses where nature hides her mines men are telling of cures made and suffering relieved by the great Canadian Kidney remedy. Wm. Murray, sixty-six years old, who has tramped the frontier as lumber jack, rancher, prospector, miner, hunter and trapper, and who has friends all over the west, is one of these. Many a tale of hardship and danger he can tell, but his first real trouble came when Rheumatism claimed him.

"I slipped on the mountain side and strained my kidneys and then my troubles all seemed to set in at once. I had nearly all the symptoms of Lumbago, Sciatica, Neuralgia, Diabetes, Dropsy and Bright's Disease," Mr. Murray states.

"Then I broke out in a terrible rash that spread all over my body and kept me in tortures. I tried all sorts of liniments and ointments and took sulphur enough to start a little hades of my own. But it was all no use. Then I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills, and all I can say is they made a new man of me."

No Joke.

Good luck's a thing that we all hunt,
We seek it day by day,
Forgetting in the eager stunt
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"Pop!"

"Yes, my son."

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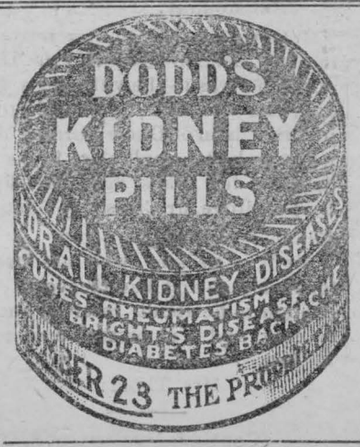
Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

From the Store.

The Doctor—But, my dear sir, you must masticate your food. What were your teeth given you for?

The Sufferer (calmly) — They weren't given me—I bought 'em.

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"A few weeks ago I ate some green vegetables and some fruit that was not quite ripe. It first brought on a fit of indigestion, but unfortunately it developed into hiccoughs, accompanied by nausea and cramps. I was dreadfully ill for two days—my head ached and throbbed; I belched gas continually, and I was unable to sleep at night. A neighbor happened in to see me and urged me to try Nerviline. Well, I wouldn't have believed that any preparation could help so quickly. I took half a teaspoonful of Nerviline in hot sweetened water, and my stomach felt better at once. I used Nerviline several times, and was completely restored."

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LUGGAGE IN ADVANCE.

The Master of Elibank, who was known to the British political world as the Chief Government Whip, has disappeared somewhat from the public eye since his promotion to the House of Lords. This is the common experience of public men when they enter lordly circles, and one that is not often relished.

Still, Lord Murray's political eclipse is largely due to the fact that for the time being his energies are entirely absorbed by business affairs, though he intends to return to politics in the near future. He is blessed with unfailing tact, an attractive personality and a facility for telling humorous stories. One of his best relates to the rough manner in which luggage is sometimes handled on the railways. A Highland farmer one day handed in a parcel at a small railway station in Scotland. "Dae ye think," he asked of the man in charge, "that it's weel enough tied to trust going in the van?"



Lord Murray.

"Well, A'll see," replied the porter, promptly dropping the parcel. "It'll get that here, an' it'll get that at the junction"—giving it another drop—"an it'll get that at Dundee," knocking it so vigorously that the contents were spread over the floor. "If it be goin' further than Dundee," the porter concluded, "it'll no' dae at a'."

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In dealing with persons suffering from electrical shock, if the victim remains in contact with the circuit, his body must not be touched by the rescuer, but the latter may pull him out of contact by hauling on the clothing, or he may take off his own coat, insert his hand in the sleeve and then handle the victim with little or no risk. Almost any article of clothing or material may be used, provided it is dry and of moderate thickness. Doctor Morton points out that death from electrical shock is only apparent death at first, and that there is practically always a time during which it is possible to resuscitate the victim by artificial respiration.

CHINA AND TRUSTS.

Meal Hour Scarcely Exists for Women in Mills at Shanghai.

The transition in China from small business, which was a family affair, to the corporation, which the modern scale of production demands, has raised problems which the Chinese as yet have not solved. No Chinese corporation has as yet been a complete success. The reason is made apparent by such action as that recently taken in a meeting of Chinese stockholders, when, in the face of heavy losses, due to the revolution, a 10 per cent. dividend was voted. One of the vices of Chinese management is the neglect of upkeep. Everything in China appears to be going to rack and ruin, and plants are allowed to deteriorate, while the funds that should be used in repairs are paid out in dividends. Such conditions will make it even more possible than it was in America for those who first master the new machinery of business to manipulate corporation securities and build fortunes before the people awaken to the danger and learn to protect themselves.

The human horrors of the industrial revolution in other lands are being repeated and magnified here. It is stated on good authority that of all the big cotton mills in Shanghai only one allows as long as fifteen minutes for luncheon at noon. In the rest women work from early to late, often with babies in baskets at their feet, and eat when they can while tending the looms.

SORES FROM ELBOW TO FINGERS.

Zam-Buk Worked a Miracle of Healing.

Reverend Gentleman Fully Corroborates.

Miss Kate L. Dolliver, of Caledonia, Queen's Co., N. S., says: "I must add my testimony to the value of Zam-Buk. Ulcers and sores broke out on my arm, and although I tried to heal them by using various preparations, nothing seemed to do me any good. The sores spread until from fingers to elbow was one mass of ulceration.

"I had five different doctors, and faithfully carried out their instructions. I drank pint after pint of blood medicines, tried salve after salve, and lotion after lotion; but it was of no avail.

"My father then took me thirty miles to see a well-known doctor. He photographed the arm and hand. This photograph was sent to a New York hospital to the specialist; but they sent word they could do nothing further for me, and I was in despair.

"One day a friend asked me if I had tried Zam-Buk. I said I had not, but I got a box right away. That first box did me more good than all the medicine I had tried up to that time, so I continued the treatment. Every box healed the sores more and more until, to make a long story short, Zam-Buk healed all the sores completely.

Minister Corroborates.—The Rev. W. B. M. Parker, of Caledonia, Miss Dollover's minister, writes: "This is to certify that the testimonial of Miss Doliver is correct as far as my knowledge goes. I have known her for a year and a half, and her cure effected by Zam-Buk is remarkable."

All druggists and stores sell at 50c. per box, or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price.

Bitter Words.

A single bitter word may disquiet an entire family for a whole day. One surly glance casts a gloom over the household, while a smile of sunshine may light up the darkest and weariest hours. Like unexpected flowers which spring up along our path, full of freshness, fragrance, and beauty, so kind words and gentle acts and sweet dispositions make glad the sacred spot called home. No matter how humble the abode, if it be sweetened with kindness and smiles the heart will turn longingly towards it from all the tumult of the world, and home, if it be ever so homely, will be the dearest spot beneath the circuit of the sun.

Genius Required.

Any man can work for a living. It takes genius to get some other fellow to earn it for you.

Once in a great while nature makes a mistake and she turns out a handsome man.



Sample free if you write National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited Toronto.

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Spread on Limbs. Red and Inflamed. Became Sores. Had to Tie Hands While He Slept. Well, Thanks to Cuticura Soap and Ointment.

St. Cesaire, Quebec.—"My child was scarcely two months and a half old when his face and arms became covered with little red pimples which a little later spread on his limbs. The pimples were very red and inflamed. They were like a little red spot which soon became a little larger and raised up. There were four or five together. These pimples caused him to scratch so that we had to tie his hands while he slept. The itching made him suffer so much that he cried part of the night, waking up most of the people in the house. The pimples became sores and were very painful.



"I used without success several remedies which were recommended to me. I then used Cuticura Ointment and Soap, giving him a bath every morning with hot water and Cuticura Soap, and then applied a thin layer of Cuticura Ointment on the parts affected. They gave great relief with the first application. After using one box of Cuticura Ointment and a little more than one cake of Cuticura Soap my child was completely cured. Thanks to the Cuticura Soap and Ointment my baby is perfectly well, and I shall always have them at hand." (Signed) Mrs. N. Jobin, Jan. 4, 1912.

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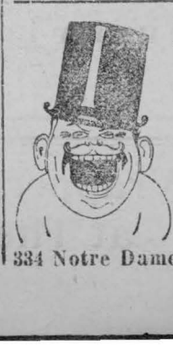
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THE PRINCE AT OLD OXFORD

HEIR TO THE THRONE IS QUITE DEMOCRATIC.

Features of Student Life in the Great University Town of England.

It is half a century since Oxford had an English prince residing within her walls, and times have changed. The difference between the liberal aristocracy which characterized the late King Edward and the conservative democracy which characterizes the present sovereign is nowhere more apparent than in the status of the present Prince of Wales at Magdalen College compared with the position of his grandfather as a member of Christ Church in 1859. The latter never ceased to be and to appear the prince; he wore the distinctive cap and gown of the nobility, he was treated with ceremony, and lived, not within the actual confines of his college, as does the present prince, but in lodgings, or, in Oxford parlance, diggings, says a writer in the Brooklyn Eagle.

But nowadays things have changed, and there is nothing in the appearance or behavior of King George's son to suggest that he is not as other men. He lives in rooms in the college proper, attends lectures, goes to the theatre, plays association football or soccer, follows the hounds, much as any other graduate of plentiful means. His garb is not in any way distinctive, nor is there any ceremoniousness in his intercourse with his fellow students.

The Prince Described.

The first thing that strikes the average person about him is his boyishness. Although he is in his nineteenth year, he looks not a day over sixteen. He is rather short and very lightly built; his complexion is fair, his hair flaxen, his features delicate and sensitive. There is a winsome shyness in his manners, which are singularly free from any affectation or awkwardness. There is a certain pathos, perhaps, in the fact that this fair, slim boy, not made for this world's pain, should have so little choice in his ways of life; and it is impossible to believe that he does not feel some of the uneasiness of the head that wears a crown. But if he is ever to approach the joys of normality, of being like other people, it will be while he is an undergraduate at Oxford.

Life at Oxford is a curious medley of picturesqueness and affectation, and it has its less pleasant aspects. But it is safe to say that Prince Edward will see Oxford at its best and that Oxford in turn will see the young prince at his happiest. Already he has made many friends, and they are for the most part men known and respected by the whole university for charm of personality and athletic or intellectual achievement. Oxford is too democratic, England as a whole is too intelligent, for any note of flunkeyism in its attitude toward royalty, even if royalty did not go halfway in dispensing with its old-fashioned dignity and aloofness. As far as the prince is concerned, this is an unmixed good; it allows him to choose his own companions on their own merits, and it allows those who come in contact with him to be quite at their ease. There is no formality of address, no ceremonious lifting of the cap, nothing to emphasize his superiority in birth or position.

A College Smoker.

There is nothing more typical of Oxford life and of what it means to the prince, than a college smoker, or smoking concert. It is a phaze of university life that the outside world knows nothing about, but it is, at the same time, one of its most interesting and picturesque phases—so much so that an account will not be amiss of a university college smoker, which the prince recently attended as a guest. Not a guest of honor, but at the private invitation of one of his friends.

The evening began with a dinner. The first part of the programme, lasting from 8 o'clock till 9.30, consisted of various turns by singers, pianists, entertainers, conjurers etc., some professional, some amateur, but all amusing in their various ways. The bass soloist of Magdalen choir sang the Toreador Song from Carmen, and the audience, flushed with wine and high spirits, took up the chorus in a mighty voice; a conjurer from Christ Church performed during the half hour's intermission and the traditional ceremony of programme signing had begun, and everyone who could find a pencil and could remember his own name was busy writing his autograph on the programmes of everyone he knew and many he didn't know.

This is always a rather trying time for the prince. He is very willing to sign programmes with his boyish signature—simply Edward, in a very unformed hand—and indeed he usually sets the ball rolling by asking his friends to autograph his own programme; but often it becomes a distasteful annoyance to him, hating as he does any hint of publicity. Fortunately he possesses, young as he is,

A Surprising Amount of Tact,

and has succeeded in winning the goodwill of everyone with whom he has come in contact.

The intermission over the second half of the programme resolves itself into dancing. The hall has been cleared for action and a band engaged to play swinging music. Formalities fly to the winds, and introductions are not longer needed; your partner is the man nearest you when the music starts. The big room is a whirling mass of hilarious young men, and navigation is not easy. If you get off without a fall you are either very lucky or a very good dancer, and a fall is not always very pleasant, as the floor is of stone. But the whole affair is wildly enjoyable, and you reluctantly keep an eye on the clock if you belong to another college and have to be inside its gates at the stroke of midnight.

No one who has not actually lived in Oxford can fully appreciate the complete enjoyment which the Oxford undergraduate world takes in such festivities. It is difficult to understand how little the absence of femininity mars the amusement—if, indeed, it does not, for the average Oxford man, increase it. Oxford is a man's city, a paradise where Eve is distinctly unimportant. Whatever part Gretel is to play in the prince's education, her time is not yet come. And in the retrospect of years, when the shy, sensitive, good-looking boy has become man, he will look back upon his years at Oxford as one of the most pleasant periods of his life, if not the pleasantest.

SEEING FAIR PLAY.

That gallant guardsman and seasoned fighter, General Lord Methuen, has been recalling a rather good story of his schooldays at Eton. Even then "Paul" was a cool customer, big and sturdy, and looked up to by his chums.

On one occasion a couple of Fourth Form boys begged the future soldier to be present to see fair play in a bout of fisticuffs they had arranged to wage, over some disagreement at the gas-works.

Young Methuen was not at all keen about it, but being a good "sport" agreed; and, as it was



General Methuen.

raining heavily when the fight was due to start, held up an umbrella for himself.

The combatants skipped about in the pelting downpour, and both seemed chary in coming to close quarters.

"Look here," said the Hon. Paul at last, "it's a pity you two fellows should get wet. Suppose you take my umbrella and stand under it, each holding on the stick with your left hands. You'll soon, then, find your way to each other's face with your rights."

Elaborate Dog Obsequies.

One of the most elaborate funerals ever held at the celebrated dogs' cemetery at Molesworth, Hunts, England, has just taken place. The body was enclosed in a coffin of regulation type, with handles attached, and was conveyed from London in a motor-car. The "deceased" was a fox-terrier, and the interment was witnessed by four persons, including the lady owner of the dog. A wreath placed on the grave bore the inscription, "To my darling little Punch, from his loving mistress. Requiescat in pace."

Use of Wireless Increased.

Wireless telegraph messages sent to and from ships have increased 11.8 per cent. beyond the previous year, according to the annual report of the British postmaster-general. The increase is partly due to the larger number of vessels now equipped with wireless and partly to a reduction of tariff for vessels making short voyages.

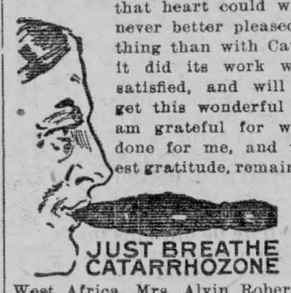
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"My condition finally got so serious that I was advised by my doctor to go to a hospital. There they gave me what I supposed was coffee, and I thought it was the best I ever drank, but I have since learned it was Postum. I gained rapidly and came home in four weeks.

"Somehow the coffee we used at home didn't taste right when I got back. I tried various kinds, but none tasted as good as that I drank in the hospital, and all brought back the dreadful headaches and the 'sick-all-over' feeling.

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INTERESTING BITS OF GOSSIP FROM THE QUEEN CITY.

The Next Provincial Treasurer—Dr. Fernow and the Clay Belt—The Windsor Uniform—Report of Chief of Police.

Whether well-founded or not, the belief is current that Hon. Isaac Brock Lucas, who has been a member of the Whitney Government without portfolio since 1909, will get the post of Provincial Treasurer as a permanency as soon as the session of the Legislature is over. In the meantime it would be inconvenient to hold an election.

It is generally admitted that Mr. Lucas will make an acceptable member of the Cabinet. In many respects he will rank in strength next to Hon. W. J. Hanna, the Provincial Secretary, to whom he bears some resemblance in that he is a genial, clear-headed lawyer, who in the comparative quiet of a country town has built up a career on law-books and politics. He is a good speaker, though not of the spell-binding type. In manner he resembles the lawyer somewhat more than the political orator.

The Boy Orator.

Mr. Lucas is the happy possessor of a smiling, rotund, cherubic face, which gained for him the nickname of "the boy orator" the first day he appeared in the Legislature. The name has stuck even to this day, though "the boy orator" is now 45 years old. Two stories will always be told of him. One is that when he was in 1898 first elected to the House, and came down to Toronto to take his seat, the doorkeeper of the Legislative Chamber refused to admit him until he had been identified. The doorkeeper thought it was some youth trying to play a practical joke on him.

The other gives an incident of Lucas' electioneering days. He had called on a farmer whom he expected would vote right, but just wished to make sure of. He introduced himself as Mr. Lucas. To his surprise the voter was standoffish and indifferent. Finally, after a long argument, the farmer gave a grudging consent to vote for the Conservative candidate. "But," he added, "you can tell your father to come himself next time. If my vote is worth anything I'm ——— if I don't think he ought to come after it himself."

In the practice of law Mr. Lucas' forte is his handling of jury cases. He is head of a firm in his home in Markdale and is also a member of a city firm, in which he has as partners such stalwart Liberals as Alex. Mills and W. E. Raney.

Dr. Fernow and the Clay Belt.

Dr. B. E. Fernow, who has been saying things about the quality of the soil in Ontario's 20,000,000 acre clay belt, thereby getting into controversy with different members of the Ontario Government, is one of the most interesting men in Toronto. He is a German who is given credit by most authorities for having introduced the practice of the conservation of forest products into the American continent. He, and not Pinchot, is regarded as the big forester of the United States. He has had an active and interesting life, and gets his enjoyment as he goes along. He is a veteran of the Franco-Prussian war and himself tells the story of how, when he first came to Toronto, he sat at dinner one evening beside a prominent Frenchman. The Frenchman asked Dr. Fernow if he had ever been in France.

Dr. Fernow replied: "Yes, once for several weeks."

"When?" asked the Frenchman.

"In 1871," replied Dr. Fernow.

The sally was enjoyed immensely, but by none more than the Frenchman.

Dr. Fernow came to this continent in 1876. He was at that date an enthusiastic forester, but it was several years before he was able to organize the United States Department of Forestry. In 1896 he went to Cornell University, and in 1907 was secured by the Whitney Government to become head of the newly-established forestry department of the University of Toronto.

What He Really Said.

He is one of the most genial men under the sun. His remarks respecting the clay belt have been contributed as being an attack. That is hardly correct. In the first place, Dr. Fernow is of such a pleasant disposition that he could hardly be described as attacking anything. In the second place, what he actually said was to advise caution in permitting settlers to go on the poorer portions of the land and thus repeat the tragedies of the poor lands in the older section of Ontario.

His Honor's Satin Breeches.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has stirred up considerable comment by his appearance at the opening of the Legislature bedecked in a Windsor uniform, including white satin knee breeches. This was the first appearance of white satin breeches in Toronto, and the democrats, who are not as numerous as the pretensions of the country might lead one to suppose, scarcely know what to make of the incident. At Ottawa all the Ministers are entitled to wear the Windsor uniform at State functions, and do so. So do Privy Councillors, whether in power or not. Even the Deputy Ministers have a gorgeous outfit with plenty of gold braid. But hitherto State functions in Queen's Park, Toronto, have always been democratic affairs. The Premier and his Ministers appear in conventional black frock coats, being content to leave it to the ladies and the Foreign Consuls, and perhaps an occasional military officer or judge, to provide the finery for the occasion.

Upholding Provincial Dignity.

Sir John Gibson was probably actuated by a desire to uphold the dignity of the Province. He was entitled to wear the Windsor uniform and if Cabinet Ministers at Ottawa wear it why should not a Lieutenant Governor at Toronto do likewise. Besides, Col. Gibson has been a soldier almost since infancy, and there are not many soldiers who do not fancy themselves in a new uniform. He is, however, not merely a parade soldier, for he saw service in the Fenian Raid. When he gets tired of his Colonel's uniforms and his Windsor dress, and his uniform as Hon. A. D. C. to the Governor-General, and his decorations as a Knight of Grace, Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem, he can indulge himself in Freemasonry decorations to his heart's content, for he is a Past Grand Master and reputed to be a thirty-third degree member of that Order.

Toronto's Crime Record.

There are few more interesting blue books than the annual report of the Chief of Police of Toronto. His figures for the year 1912 have just been made public and reveal the remarkable fact that 34,380 persons were arrested or summonsed during the year. This means that about one person in every 15 of the entire population during the year has come into collision with the police department. The percentage would be somewhat greater if allowance was not made for the fact that a good many persons have more than one arrest or summons to their credit. The figures constitute an increase of 6,724 over 1911.

Drunkenness on Increase.

One of the most marked increases appeared under the heading of drunks and disorderlies. This is due, no doubt, to two reasons. One being the influx of foreigners, and the other being greater stringency on the part of the police. It may also indicate an actual increase in drinking habits. Certainly the number of drunken men who may be observed on Toronto streets is not to the credit of the city, and does not, one fears, compare favorably with most other cities in America or England of like size.

The number of prosecutions for keeping houses of ill fame practically doubled, there being 249 during the year. This increase also is no doubt largely due to greater vigilance on the part of the police.

It is noteworthy that of the serious crimes the city is comparatively free. Thus, during the entire year there were but two murders, but 46 burglaries, 36 cases of robbery by violence and 43 cases of pocket picking.

Married Men Settle Down.

According to age, males seem to be most addicted to crime between the ages of 30 and 40, and females between the ages of 20 and 30. Out of the 34,390 cases, only 2,590 were females. Unmarried men in the police coils numbered 18,158 as compared with 13,632 married, which seems to prove that a bachelor settles down when he takes unto himself a wife. Of the months, September is the worst of the year, with 3,308 cases. This may be due to the Exhibition and the horse races. It is very interesting to note that January, the month of good resolutions, has the lowest record with only 1912 cases.

SELF-CURE AMONG TOILERS

WHAT TO DO TILL DOCTOR COMES TO WORKSHOP.

How Workmen Treat One Another In the Case of an Accident.

Self-cure among workers has many curious phases. In glass works splinters of glass are extracted from the hand with beautiful simplicity. The victim takes a little molten glass, with which he fashions a head on the splinter of glass protruding from his flesh, and then it can be drawn out with ease, says London Answers.

Equally common an accident among users of edged tools, such as carpenters, is a cut, and the handiest remedy is invariably that most approved a spider's web.

Caustic workers have as ready a way of treating a splash in the eye—another commonplace of toil. If the quantity of caustic is small, the sufferer gets a fellow-employee to squirt a mouthful of water into his eye; but in a more serious case the eye is first washed out, and then sucked.

Several classes of workmen, again, have special remedies for "gassing." When anybody engaged at a cement works on the Medway is overcome by noxious gases, he is placed on the ground, with his face over a newly-dug hole. This practice is declared by doctors to be dangerous; but is supposed to

"Draw the Gases Out of the Body."

A somewhat similar remedy is applied in a case of gas poisoning at the top of any of the blast furnaces in North Wales. The insensible man, having been carried to a grass patch some distance from the furnace, is laid on his back in a newly-dug trench, and his body and legs are then covered with sods, leaving the head and neck protruding above the trench. This treatment, it is said, seldom fails.

Besides specifics for accidents such as these, workers have their own modes of treatment for diseases of occupation, as well as for some of those arising from other causes. To neutralize the effects of inhaling dust, for instance, there are many singular remedies. The most remarkable, perhaps, is that well known to men employed in granaries, storing grain which gives off much dust. It is treacle, which, say such workers, "clears the chest."

Among the general diseases for which there are workshop remedies are influenza and consumption. If anybody wants a cure for the former plague, here it is: Go to a works where dyes are made from coal tar. The men employed there are certainly the healthiest manual workers in the world, and they declare that weaklings who join them gain strength with wonderful rapidity. Two years ago a man who had long suffered from catarrh, obtained work among tar, mainly with a view to improving his health, with the result that

He Is Now Splendidly "Fit."

For consumption there is a still more remarkable cure. About Bow there are works in which is a "black house"—that is, a place wherein oil is burned for the sake of obtaining carbon. The men who feed the fires necessarily inhale a good deal of this substance, which, it is said, makes them consumption-proof, if they have not already contracted the disease, and, if they have, cures them.

For this reason, men employed in other parts of the works or elsewhere in the neighborhood, frequently obtain a situation in the "black house," when they become consumptive. And the effect, according to local report, is remarkable. Sufferers are actually loth to leave the "black house" at night, and return home.

COLLIERS ARE MODEST.

Boys Preferred Stealing Turnips to Trouserless Walk Home.

A singular custom on the part of youths employed at Marsden (England) Colliery and living in South Shields was brought to light during the hearing of a charge against a fourteen-year-old boy of willful damage to turnips. According to the explanation put forward by a solicitor, who appeared for the defendant, when a South Shields boy starts to work at Marsden Colliery, the other youth compel him to get out of the train and pull a turnip from a certain field adjoining the line. Should the new boy refuse, his trousers are taken from him, and he is put out of the train, and compelled to walk home in that condition. It was stated that the farmer in question had lost about two tons of turnips, so that apparently, while the recruiting department at Marsden colliery must be on a pretty extensive scale, few of the boys have proved to possess sufficient hardihood to walk home trouserless rather than break the sixth Commandment.

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Relics of By-Gone Meal Partaken of in Charles I.'s Reign.

A secret chamber in which were the remains of an unfinished meal, reduced to dust, has been found at the Feerm Farm, near Mold, Flintshire, England, built in the early part of the sixteenth century and once the manor house of the Hartsheath estate. Some workmen were engaged in repairing an ancient fireplace and chimney, when they discovered a revolving stone, which upon being opened, revealed a secret chamber. The apartment contained oak furniture of antique design, including a table on which lay antiquated firearms and feeding utensils and the remains of a meal, reduced to dust. It is surmised that the chamber was utilized as a place of concealment by royalist fugitives during the civil war of the reign of Charles I., from which period it had remained undisturbed.

What She Wanted to Know.

"So your daughter is engaged?"

"Yes."

"Is he a nice young man?"

"Very."

"And you approve of the match?"

"Yes. They seem to be just suited for one another."

"That's so nice. Are his people all right?"

"They're delighted."

"How old is he?"

"About 32."

"Just a fine age. Is he handsome?"

"Well, he's not what you'd call bad looking."

"I'm just crazy to see him. I suppose Agnes is very happy. But I must be going now. I'll drop in again sometime."

"Haven't you forgotten to ask me something?"

"I don't think so. What is it?"

"Oh, I thought you wanted to know how much money he is making."

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Bouch's Hill, while driving along the road above the village, on Thursday evening, met with a severe accident. Their horse became frightened, jumping in the ditch and throwing Mr Merkley out against a barbed wire fence, cutting his face and lacerating his neck very close to the juglar vein. Mrs Merkley escaped unhurt except a shaking up. Mr Merkley was driven to the office of Dr. Locke, were his wounds were dressed and made as presentable and comfortable as possible under the circumstance.

Miss Lottie Weaver was Miss Grace McIntosh's guest on Sunday.

Mr Peter McIntosh, brother of Messrs. Isaac L. and Allen McIntosh, who has been ill for sometime, died on Tuesday night. The deceased has been a life-long resident of this section, spending all his life beneath the roof of the old homestead which lies peaceably in the Sunnybrook neighborhood. The funeral took place Wednesday, at one o'clock p.m., from his late residence to the Presbyterian church. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Cameron, of Morrisburg. The remains were interred in the family plot in the Union cemetery.

No doubt a great many of the residents of this old burg, and of the suburbs and hamlets with their historical names, have hanging somewhere in their homes one of those beautiful calendars "With compliments of the Massey-Harris Co," presented by their agent, Mr Alex. Heass. Our attention is at once attracted to the lithograph, not through any particular or special work of the artist, nor the hazy harmonizing of the different shades and colors, but read the title, "The Dream of the Pioneer," and look, stand at attention, and salute. Close your eyes and picture to yourself the horny-handed, bronze-faced pioneer that blazed the way and laid the foundations of this beautiful country of ours, with their fine farms comfortable homes and amid such pleasant and congenial surroundings. To the pioneer we certainly owe a great debt, and to him we attribute all our greatness and all our success. The pioneer may have been a dreamer, but to my mind it is very doubtful if he had time to dream. He may have seen things in visions, of better times in the sweet bye and bye. Who had a better right, every tool he had for clearing the land and tilling the soil, were emblems of progress. And now that the pioneer's dream has come to pass in this enlightened age of ours, with its agricultural societies, farmers' clubs, egg circles, militant suffragettes, and the Ladies' Institute. This letter will be continued in the next issue of the Leader, providing Messrs J Barkley and A. Whitteker will acknowledge a duty they owe to their country.

The sport loving public of the village and surrounding community was more than given their money's worth on Tuesday evening at the skating rink, by witnessing one of the hottest games of the season between the All Stars, of "well between Brockville and the wigwam town" but purporting to all come from Cardinal. It is unnecessary to give the line-up of the teams, suffice to say the home team was unchanged, and work they had to, and work they did like heroes The home boys realized that at last they were up against a foe worthy of their steel. But they proved themselves equal to the occasion and won out by 4 to 3 in favor of Williamsburg, with the emphasis on the burg. The Cardinal boys were somewhat handicapped by their referee not knowing the game. Mr Bodin or Buodin needs a little instruction in the art of being a true sport. Some good combination work was indulged in on both sides. The game was rough at times but the Red Cross attendants' services were not necessary. Some of the Cardinal rooters gave us a little 'swill' and 'pressed feed' in the first half such as, "we've got a walk-over, and they will find that Cardinal has some players this time." Well to be candid they had some very good puck-chasers from Cardinal but their feet being tender from treading corn at the starch works, gave the spectators the impression that they were troubled with bumble-foot. It was Cardinal's game the first half. It is always best (or words to that effect) according to the rules of ettiquet in hockey, to allow the visiting team a few scores or a little lead to encourage them in the struggle. Thanks Mr Buodin, very kind of you indeed. Now the second half we began to get from the Cardinal rooters some oil cake, sorgum molasses, corn starch, in fact all the delicacies of the season, or in other words, Cardinal's daily menu card. Classy don't you know. Now Cardinal, just a word and I am through. We have played No 3 and No. 2, now be kind enough to send down No. 1. Leave Buodin at home, we know you have a better referee.

(From Another Correspondent.)

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 25th, a large crowd gathered at the home of Mrs I J. Pitt and spent a social evening. Their purpose being to show their appreciation of her services as organist in the Methodist church here. A fine supper was prepared by the ladies, after which a purse was presented to Mrs Pitt with the following address, read by Mrs George Durant: To Mrs Pitt and Family.

Dear Mrs Pitt—We feel it our duty to show to you our appreciation of your service which you rendered so willingly from Sabbath to Sabbath in your place. If each and every one of us would try to perform our duty as faithfully as you have done we could face any battle and come out victorious. We sincerely hope that you and your family may be spared to live in our midst for many years to come We fail to find words to express our appreciation of the service rendered by you and your family in behalf of the Methodist church, and therefore as a slight token of remembrance and of the esteem in which you and your family are held by your friends in the Methodist church, we ask you to accept this purse and at the same time trusting that this evening spent in your home will be one long to be remembered by you and your family, and that you will be able to look back upon this as a beautiful green isle in the ocean of time.

Signed on behalf of a few friends and members of the Methodist church.
Mrs George Durant

Mrs Pitt responded, expressing her sincere thanks, saying she only felt it a pleasure to be able to help the church in any way.

CEDAR GROVE.

Miss Florence Binion, of Iroquois, is spending a few days visiting her aunt, Mrs George Dillabough.

A number from here attended Frank Cramer's sale on the 22nd.

Mr S. Eamer, of Eamer's Corners, is visiting his cousin, Willis Wereley, of the Grove.

Mr A. C. Pitts, of the second concession, had a number of teams hauling wood from G. Ray's woods last week.

Mr N. Gove had the misfortune to lose a horse last week.

Mr Williams, of the second, who recently purchased Mr J Dafoe's farm, is busy hauling his wood up.

Mr E. Dillabough and son, Frank, were calling on friends in Dunbar and Chesterville last week.

Mr Miles Silmser and son, Everett, of Gallingertown, were calling on friends in the Grove

The many friends of Mrs George Dillabough will be pleased to hear she is getting better.

SULZER URGES CLOSER TRADE

Premier Borden Hears Plea for Reciprocity at University Club Dinner in Albany

Albany, N.Y., Feb. 24.—The close ties of friendship existing between the U. S. and Canada were dwelt upon in addresses to-night by Premier Robert L. Borden of Canada, and Governor Sulzer, at the annual dinner of the University Club of Albany.

"Canada and the United States" said Premier Borden, "have a common heritage in the language, the literature, the laws, the institutions and the traditions which have come down to them from the men of bygone days.

"Perhaps no more instructive object lesson has ever been given to the world than the 4000 miles of undefended boundary line, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, which bears silent but eloquent testimony to the mutual confidence and respect of the two nations. Time will shortly place upon the brow of each nation the laurel of 100 years of peace."

Referring to the natural resources of the United States and Canada along the St. Lawrence River, the Premier urged that they be "preserved and developed for the people."

Would Open Doors.

Gov. Sulzer predicted that the "great Canadian Northwest is destined to become ere long the granary of North America. Many of our best citizens, I regret to say," said the Governor, "are leaving our States of the West and going into the Canadian Northwest because of the fertility of its soil, the liberty of the Canadian Government and the ability of these people to better their conditions there.

"We should extend to them a helping hand in their onward march of progress. Instead of closing our doors by tariff bearers against these countries and their products, in my opinion, we should open them wider and do everything in our power to facilitate closer commercial relations. We want their products, and all restrictions to prevent a fairer and freer exchange of goods, wares and merchandise, should, insofar as possible, be eliminated."

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LOCAL OPTION

Voting January 5th, 1914

"FROM LICENSE TO LOCAL OPTION"

(Owen Sound Paper)

In spite of the threat of an injunction last week by some of the anti-local optionists in regard to the Sunday meetings in the Town Hall, one of the best audiences yet turned out on Sunday afternoon to hear Rev. Dr. Fraser speak on "From License to Local Option" Every seat was occupied both in the gallery and in the body of the hall and it was hard even to find standing room. The platform was crowded with many of the prominent men and women of the town and intense interest was shown in the stories told by Dr. Fraser, of the shameless abuse of the license system in the town where he had formerly lived Every case was taken from people whom the speaker knew, in his own congregation, people he had married and buried and coming from such a prominent man as Dr. Fraser, the address had a telling effect.

After the singing of a hymn Dr. Fraser announced that as he did not want to go to jail for conducting political meetings on Sunday, he would take a text and preach a sermon on it. He took as his text, Gen. 9:25. "Cursed be Canaan, a servant of servants shall he be unto his brethren" Noah got drunk and in that state did not know the difference between decency and indecency. Then he had cursed Canaan. The curse should have been "Cursed be Noah." That unjust curse has hung over the descendants of Canaan till this day, and because of that curse people think they have a right to ensalve the blacks. They justify themselves because of the curse of a drunken man. It has always been thus, wherever a man has been drunk, the innocent have been cursed, and the wrong people have suffered

The opponents of local option say that they are of the belief that the liquor traffic is a curse. Everyone is agreed on that point, but they say that they do not believe that local option is as good as licensed bars They believe that the town is going to the bad with bottle drinking. One man says that the town is immoral, and that this results from local option. We will take these men at their word. They are temperance men and the question is "Does local option restrict drinking or not?" It is a question of bars or no bars, for all are agreed that the drink traffic is a curse. The argument is whether or not license restricts drinking more than local option.

Dr. Fraser said that he had never before lived in a town under local option. He has lived in Ontario, Quebec, Manitoba and Alberta, has visited eight states of the Union and has lived in China and Japan, but never until nine months ago had he lived in a prohibited town. Therefore he was interested in studying the question and would like to bring before his hearers some of his conclusions. "I will speak for license" said the speaker. "And I will leave you to speak for local option." During the seven years in which Owen Sound has been under local option, he had lived in a town of between five and six thousand population. Owen Sound has no open bars and three wholesale liquor shops. Owen Sound is a lakeport and a large manufacturing town while that town did not have any larger factories and was purely a country town. That town was as good morally and religiously as any other town in Western Canada under license. The men who ran the hotels he had nothing against He had a church there not quite as large as the one of which he is now pastor and he made a list of the heads of families in his congregation who were habitual or periodical drinkers. He had fifty on this list and he would tell of some of these. The speaker went on with a list of men and women whom he knew well, not cases that he had read of but those with which he had come into personal touch. One after another he read of the men who had died miserable and ignoble death through drink. "Shall we say cursed be the drunkard? No," said the speaker. "He has been cursed enough." He then told of living for a few days in a hotel in British Columbia where there was drinking all day Sunday If the bars are brought back here, would they be any more likely to keep the law. They are just the same here as in any other place. Shall we say cursed be the hotel keepers? No, they are only slaves of the traffic. Without the bar the hotel business would be as respectable as any business, but where there is a bar, there is a blot on the house, because of its connection with an unclean thing. The speaker then read a few extracts taken from western papers, one telling of the raiding of a disorderly house in a license town in which many bottles, nearly a thousand were found. Said the speaker, "It is not cursed be the drunkard, or cursed be the hotel-keeper, but it is cursed be the people who will vote to bring back a thing like this among us." The meeting closed with the singing of another hymn and prayer. An excellent orchestra was in attendance.

MORE ABOUT ORILLIA

The Meaford Express of November 14th said: "In conversation with a prominent Orillia man last week the Express reporter was informed that Local Option has worked wonders for that town in more ways than one. Our informant tells us that he strongly opposed the passing of the prohibitive law in our sister town, but he has since changed his opinion regarding the good that has been felt through the abolition of the open bar When asked straight up and up whether he would vote Local Option if he resided in Meaford, his reply was that he would. His business has flourished, he said, more under Local Option than it did under the liquor law, and he is now convinced that from a business standpoint the business man could not afford to vote against Local Option if he considered his own best interests. This statement is made on good authority and comes straight from one of Orillia's business men.

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